

**SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 62 (SOOKE)**  
**2017 - 2018 SCHOOL CALENDAR**

Total Days in Session	189
Days of Instruction	181
Non-instructional Days	7
Administrative Day	1
School Year begins (All schools in session one-half day)	Tues., Sept. 5
<b>Non-instructional Day</b> (District-Wide School Planning)	Mon., Sept. 18
Thanksgiving Day	Mon., Oct. 9
<b>Non-instructional Day</b> (Provincial)	Fri., Oct. 20
Remembrance Day	Mon., Nov. 13
*Early Dismissal (three hours for all schools) – Learning Conferences (Parent-Teacher Interviews/conferences)	Thurs., Nov. 23
<b>Non-instructional Day</b> – Professional Development	Fri., Nov. 24
Last day Before Winter Break	Fri., Dec. 22
Winter Vacation (incl. Christmas, Boxing Day and New Year’s Day)	Mon., Dec. 25 – Fri., Jan. 5/18
Schools Reopen	Mon., Jan. 8, 2018
<b>Non-instructional Day</b> – Professional Development	Mon., Jan. 15
Provincial Exams (Gr. 10 – 12)	TBA
Second Semester Begins	TBA
Family Day	Mon., Feb. 12
<b>Non-instructional Day</b> (Tri-District)	Fri., Feb. 23
Last Day before Spring Break	Fri., Mar. 16
Spring Break	Mon., Mar. 19 – Thurs., Mar. 29
Good Friday	Fri., Mar. 30
Easter Monday	Mon., Apr. 2
Day in Lieu of Mar. 30 Stat. Holiday	Tues., Apr. 3
Schools Reopen	Wed., Apr. 4
*Early Dismissal (three hours for all schools) – Learning Conferences (Parent-Teacher Interviews/conferences)	Thurs., Apr. 19
<b>Non-Instructional Day</b> – Professional Development	Fri., Apr. 20
<b>Non-instructional Day</b> – Professional Development	Fri., May 4
Victoria Day	Mon., May 21
Provincial Exams (Gr. 10 – 12)	TBA
Last Day of School	Thur. June 28
Year-end Administrative Day	Fri., June 29

\*Nov. 23 & April 19 will remain the Early Dismissal Days; however, the elementary and middle school parent-teacher interviews/conferences may be held at an earlier date if the local school community deems it to be beneficial for communicating student learning to parents.