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Dear Parent/Guardian:

MSAD #59 recently submitted a plan to the Maine Department of Education to account for three of the five storm days the district has used to date. The plan was approved and adjustments have been made to the school calendar (see attached calendar). Changes to the calendar are in bold.

The most notable change is in March. The 14th was going to be an early release and the 15th a workshop day for staff. The 14th and the 15th are now full student days. The administration and staff recognize plans might have already been made for the long weekend in March, and do not expect you to cancel plans. Work can be sent to do while you are away.


The early release on May 8th has been changed to a full day. Two early release days on April 3rd and May 24th have been switched to remote learning in the afternoon for the students. Expectations for these remote learning afternoons will be sent home from each of the schools ahead of time.

The administration and staff recognize that the longer we go to school in June the attention span for the students decreases. It is our hope to have the regular school days done by the middle of the month, and to not have to change the graduation date for the seniors. Using a creative plan to make up seat time for the students, we are optimistic this can happen.

Summer School information will be available soon. Our hope is to offer two sessions, and with the changes to the calendar, this can happen without overlap between summer school and summer rec.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we navigate the changes.

Sincerely,



Bonnie Levesque
Superintendent of Schools
MSAD #59

2023-2024

Revised calendar- Approved by Maine DOE on 2/20/24

JULY

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AUGUST

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OCTOBER

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JUNE

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NS = New Staff Orientation

H = Holiday (No School)

V = Vacation (No School)

L = Last Student Day

G = Graduation

T = End of Trimester (Elem.)

F = First Student Day K-12

SW = Staff Workshop

Q = End of Quarter (HS+JH)

ER = Early Dismissal

First Quarter - 45 Student Days & 3 Workshop Days

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|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| August 23, 2023 | - New Staff In-Service |
| August 28 - 29 2023 | - Teacher In-Service |
| August 30, 2023 | - First Day of School K-9 |
| August 31, 2023 | - First Day of School K-12 |
| September 1, 2023 | - Early Release @ 12 |
| September 4, 2023 | - Holiday - Labor Day |
| September 27, 2023 | - Early Release |
| October 6, 2023 | - Teacher In-Service |
| October 9, 2023 | - Holiday - Indigenous Peoples Day |
| October 25, 2023 | - Early Release |
| November 3, 2023 | - End of Quarter |

Second Quarter - 42 Student Days & 3 Workshop Day

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| November 10, 2023 | Holiday - Veteran's Day Observed |
| November 17, 2023 | - End of 1st Trimester |
| November 20-22, 2023 | - Teacher In-Service |
| November 23-24, 2023 | - Thanksgiving Break |
| December 6, 2023 | - Early Release |
| December 22, 2023 | - Early Release |
| December 25-31, 2023 | - December Break |
| January 1, 2024 | - No School New Years Day |
| January 15, 2024 | - Holiday - Martin L. King Day |
| January 19, 2024 | - End of Quarter |

Third Quarter - 44 Student Days & 1 Workshop Day

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| January 24, 2024 | - Early Release |
| February 19, 2024 | - Holiday - President's Day |
| February 20-23 2024 | - February Break |
| March 8, 2024 | - End of 2nd Trimester |
| March 14, 2024 | - FULL STUDENT DAY |
| March 15 2024 | - FULL STUDENT DAY |
| March 29, 2024 | - End of Quarter |

Fourth Quarter - 49 Student Days & 0 Workshop Day

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| April 3, 2024 | - Early Release / REMOTE DAY |
| April 15, 2024 | - Holiday - Patriot's Day |
| April 16-19, 2024 | - April Break |
| May 8, 2024 | - FULL STUDENT DAY |
| May 24, 2024 | - Early Release / REMOTE DAY |
| May 27, 2024 | - Holiday - Memorial Day |
| June 7, 2024 | - HS Graduation |
| June 11, 2024 | - Early Release/Last Day of School |
| June 12, 2024 | - Teacher In-Service |

Subject to change based on additional storm days.