

ARTICLE XV SCHOOL CALENDAR

Section 15.1 Responsibility

The Association agrees that it is the responsibility of the Board to establish and implement the school calendar.

Section 15.2 School Calendar Committee

- a. The proposed school calendar shall be developed by the School Calendar Committee. The committee will be composed of not more than 5 members appointed by the Association and not more than 5 members recommended by the Director of Schools and approved by the Board.
 - 1. The WCEA recommends that the Board consider not scheduling more than one parent-teacher conference after the work day in the same school week.
- b. The Association shall submit the list of Association educators selected for the School Calendar committee to the Director of Schools prior to January 1.
- c. The Board shall designate one of its appointees as chairman who shall initiate the first meeting.
- d. Prior to March of each year the School Calendar Committee shall submit a written proposed calendar for the subsequent school year to the Director of Schools.
- e. If the Board sends back a proposed calendar for revision, the Board representative shall make every effort to reconvene the school calendar committee to discuss options the Board leaves open in their requirements.

Section 15.3 School Calendar Changes

- a. In the event that the Board determines a need to change the school calendar, the Association may submit to the Director of Schools, within 10 days, written recommendations for making up days missed.
- b. Upon request of either party, the Director of Schools shall meet within 5 days of the submission of the written Association's plan with the Association representatives to discuss the changes to be made.
- c. The Association shall be notified of such changes within 48 hours of formal Board action on the recommendation of the Director of Schools.

Section 15.4 Use of Stockpiled Days

The Calendar Committee shall recommend the use of the 13 stockpiled days follows: 10 inclement weather days, 2 professional development days, and one Parent/Teacher conference day.