2016–2017 Academic Calendar

First Semester

August 24 – December 16, 2016

Second Semester

January 3 – June 1, 2017

Student/Teacher Holidays

Labor Day - September 5, 2016 Thanksgiving - November 21-25, 2016 (Nov. 21-22 are Teacher Exchange Days/Student Holidays)

Christmas/Winter

December 19-30, 2016

Martin Luther King Day - January 16, 2017 President's Day - February 20, 2017 Spring Break - March 13-17, 2017 Easter - April 14, 2017 Memorial Day - May 29, 2017

Mentor/Protege In-Service

August 9, 2016

New Teacher In-Service

August 10-12, 2016

Teacher In-Service/Student Holiday

August 15-23, 2016 January 2, 2017 June 2, 2017

Parent Conference Day/Student Holiday

October 26, 2016

Early Release All Campuses

(3 hours early)

December 16, 2016 June 1, 2017

Dickinson High School Graduation

7:30 p.m. June 2, 2017

Bad Weather

In the event that bad weather make-up days are needed, January 16 and February 20 will be given first consideration as dates used.

Nine Weeks Grading Cycle

Second Semester	98.5 days	42,885 minutes
(3/20-6/1)		
4th 9-weeks	51.5 days	22,440 minutes
(01/3-03/10)		,
3rd 9-weeks	47 days	20,445 minutes
First Semester	75.5 days	32,880 minutes
(10/17-12/16)		
2nd 9-weeks	38.5 days	16,785 minutes
(08/24-10/14)		
1st 9-weeks	37 days	16,095 minutes

174 days

75,765 minutes

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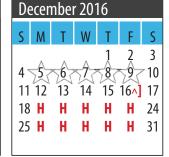
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- Grading Period Begins
- 1 Grading Period Ends
- State-Mandated STAAR Test
- ^ Early Release
- H Student/Teacher Holiday
- MP Mentor/Protege Teachers
- NT New Teacher Training
- Staff Development (no school for students)
- Teacher Preparation (no school for students)
- E Teacher Exchange Day/Student Holiday
- PC Parent Conference Day/Student Holiday
- Dickinson High School Graduation
 - Designated Bad Weather Make-Up Day (if needed)

Board approved February 1, 2016

New School Hours for the 2016-2017 school year

House Bill 2610 requires schools to provide 75,600 minutes of instruction per year. In order for us to meet this requirement, it requires school days to be extended. This calendar is based on a 435 minute day.

Starting August 2016 new school hours are:

Elementary (grades PreK-4) 8:20 a.m. - 3:35 p.m.

Secondary (grades 5-12) 7:20 a.m. - 2:35 p.m.