



Yellowknife Education District No. 1

2025-2026 SCHOOL CALENDAR

Junior Kindergarten – Grade 8

Important dates at a glance

School offices open: August 18, 2025

First day of classes: Thursday August 28, 2025

Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews: November 25 and 26, 2025

Winter Break: Monday Dec 22, 2025-Friday January 2, 2026

Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews: March 3 and 4, 2026

Spring Break: Monday March 9, 2025 – Friday March 20, 2026

Last day of classes: Thursday June 25, 2026

Last day for school staff: June 26, 2026

Student total days: 176 Staff total days: 192

Statutory and Scheduled School holidays

Labour Day..... Mon Sept 1, 2025

Truth and Reconciliation Day... Tue Sept 30, 2025

Thanksgiving..... Mon Oct 13, 2025

Remembrance Day..... Tue Nov 11, 2025

Winter Break..... Mon Dec 22, 2025-
 Fri Jan 2, 2026

Spring Break..... Mon Mar 9, 2026-
 Fri Mar 20, 2026

Good Friday..... Fri Apr 3, 2026

Easter Monday..... Mon Apr 6, 2026

Victoria Day..... Mon May 18, 2026

National Indigenous Peoples Day (day in recognition)Mon Jun 22, 2026

Professional Development Days*

All JK-8 students have no school on the following dates:

Mon Aug 25, 2025 (STIP)
 Tues Aug 26, 2025 (Culture)
 Wed Aug 27, 2025 (STIP)
 Mon Sept 22, 2025 (STIP)
 Mon Nov 3, 2025 (STIP)
 Fri Nov 28, 2025 (P/S/T)
 Mon Dec 1, 2025 (STIP)
 Mon Jan 5, 2026 (Culture)
 Mon Feb 9, 2026 (STIP)
 Wed Feb 18, 2026 (PD)
 Thu Feb 19, 2026 (PD)
 Fri Feb 20, 2026 (PD)
 Fri Mar 6, 2026 (P/S/T)
 Fri May 1, 2026 (STIP)
 Mon Jun 8, 2026 (STIP)
 Fri Jun 26, 2026 (STIP)

*Professional Development Days include:

-Strengthening Teacher Instructional Practices (STIP)

-Professional Development (PD)

-Time in lieu of evening

Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews (P/S/T)

-Cultural Orientation days (Culture)

