

2013-2014 CALENDAR

School District of Fort Atkinson

Feedback Summary & Changes

- Added back in the former 2 “WEAC” unpaid days – allocated 1 at end of October (Friday, November 1) & 1 in February – to provide breaks for students and teachers during long stretches of instruction
- Moved paid former “SWEIO” day to Monday, August 26 for teachers to use in preparation for school (in draft calendar this was assigned to Monday, June 9)
- Adjusted some early releases and end of quarter dates to align with the above changes.
- Spring break moved to first week in April (was last week of March). This better aligns with the end of quarter 3.
- Graduation held on Sunday, June 8. Last day of classes for seniors will be Friday, June 6.
- Same number of days of instruction for students (180) and paid days for teachers (187) as current calendar.

DPI Days and Minutes Requirement

DAYS

- ❑ Must have 180 days scheduled
- ❑ Allowed to allocate up to 5 days as “snow days” or as parent conference days
- ❑ Total DAYS of instruction CAN NOT be less than 175 assuming that the other five days were snow days or conference days

HOURS / MINUTES

- ❑ Must have 1137 hours (68,220 minutes) total in a year for a secondary student
- ❑ For most schedules, this is the equivalent to 180 days of instruction
- ❑ Cannot lunch time, passing time, some recess, early release or grading time