

## **SCHOOL CALENDAR**

### FISCAL YEAR

The fiscal and statistical year shall begin on the first day of July in each year and end June 30<sup>th</sup> of the following year.

### SCHOOL AND WORK CALENDAR

The Superintendent and the Employee Representative Committee shall submit several school calendars for the succeeding year to a vote of the employees. The calendar selected by a majority vote of employees shall be submitted by the Superintendent for Board approval at the regular meeting of the Board no later than April. The annual school calendar adopted by the Board shall reflect a minimum session of 182 days of which at least 177 days shall be scheduled to provide the required instructional time. The School Board may authorize some or all of its schools to modify the number of instructional days per year provided the total number of instructional minutes per year is no less than the minimum number of instructional minutes per day multiplied by the minimum number of instructional days required by law. The Board may designate certain days for in-service training, reporting to parents, emergencies and other activities which the Board deems appropriate and necessary.

In the event the school calendar selected does not reflect 240 work days, then the Superintendent and the Employee Representative Committee shall submit a second ballot to the 240 day employees. The additional necessary days receiving a majority vote shall be the days worked.

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Ref: La. Rev. Stat. Ann. §§17:154, 17:154.1, 17:154.3, 17:225; Louisiana Handbook for School Administrators, Bulletin 741, State Department of Education; Board minutes, 3-17-59, 5-21-91, 2-17-04.