

**CISVA STANDARD SCHOOL CALENDAR  
2018 - 2021**

**PARAMETERS**

Minimum number of hours of instruction* For students in Kindergarten to Grade 7 For students in Grades 8 to 12	900 952
Maximum number of professional development days (Sept 1 to June 30)	7**
Maximum number of Administrative Days	2
Day in Lieu – may be granted when teaching staff is required to work between July 1 and August 31	

DESIGNATION	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21
Faith Development Day	Aug 30	Aug 28 (Wed)	Sept 2 (Wed)
First Day of Contract for Teachers	Sept 1	Sept 1	Sept 1
Schools open for students (Tuesday)	Sept 4	Sept 3	Sept 8
Thanksgiving Day (Monday – Holiday)	Oct 8	Oct 14	Oct 12
Remembrance Day	Nov 12 (Mon)	Nov 11 (Mon)	Nov 11 (Wed)
Schools close for Christmas vacation	Dec 21	Dec 20	Dec 18
Schools reopen after Christmas vacation (Monday)	Jan 7	Jan 6	Jan 4
Catholic Schools' Week	Feb 10-17	Feb 9-16	Feb 7-14
Catholic Educators' Conference (Thursday & Friday)	Feb 14 & 15	Feb 13 & 14	Feb 11 & 12
Family Day (Monday – Holiday)	Feb 18	Feb 17	Feb 15
Schools close for Spring Break (Friday)	Mar 15	Mar 13	Mar 12
Schools reopen after Spring Break (Monday)	Apr 1	Mar 30	Mar 29
Good Friday (Holiday)	Apr 19	Apr 10	Apr 2
Easter Monday (Holiday)	Apr 22	Apr 13	Apr 5
Victoria Day (Monday – Holiday)	May 20	May 18	May 24
Last day for students (Thursday)	June 27	June 25	June 24
Schools close (Friday)	June 28	June 26	June 25

\* **Hours of Instruction** – means in respect of an independent school, an hour in which students of the independent school are in attendance under supervision for the purpose of receiving instruction in an educational program, including work study and work experience programs, examinations or learning activities provided by the authority, but does not include recess, lunch periods and other scheduled breaks between classes (*Independent School Act*).

\*\***Additional Professional Development Day** – to afford the opportunity for all schools to attend the CISVA Curriculum Networking Day, an additional professional development day has been provided.