

**2009/10 LOCAL SCHOOL CALENDAR – SCHOOL DISTRICT #64 (GULF ISLANDS)**

<b>Designation</b>	<b>Standard</b>	<b>Local</b>
Minimum number of days of instruction	185	156
Instructional hours – secondary	953	956
Instructional hours – elementary	879	882
Instructional hours – kindergarten	444	445
Maximum number of non-instructional days	6	6
Schools open	September 8, 2009	September 8, 2009
School closure (2 days)	NA	September 18, 25, 2009
Thanksgiving Day	October 12, 2009	October 12, 2009
School closure (4 days)	NA	October 2, 9, 23, 30 2009
Remembrance Day	November 11, 2009	November 11, 2009
School closure (3 days)	NA	November 6, 20, 27, 2009
School closure (3 days)	NA	December 4, 11, 18, 2009
Winter vacation	Dec. 21, 2009-Jan. 1, 2010	Dec. 21, 2009-Jan. 1, 2010
Schools reopen after winter vacation	January 4, 2010	January 4, 2010
School closure (3 days)	NA	January 8, 15, 22, 2010
School closure (4 days)	NA	February 5, 12, 19, 26, 2010
School closure (2 days)	NA	March 5, 26, 2010
Spring vacation	March 8-12, 2010	March 8-19, 2010
Schools reopen after spring break	March 15, 2010	March 22, 2010
Good Friday	April 2, 2010	April 2, 2010
Easter Monday	April 5, 2010	April 5, 2010
School closure (3 days)	NA	April 16, 23, 30, 2010
School closure (3 days)	NA	May 7, 14, 21, 2010
Victoria Day	May 24, 2010	May 24, 2010
School closure (3 days)	NA	June 4, 11, 18, 2010
Provincial Exams	June 21 – 29, 2010	June 21 – 29, 2010
Administrative Day (students not in session)	Friday, June 30, 2010	Friday, June 30, 2010
Schools close	Friday, June 30, 2010	Friday, June 30, 2010

<b>MINUTES OF INSTRUCTION PER DAY</b>	
<b>Four Day Week (2009-2010) Minutes/Day</b>	
Kindergarten	171
Elementary	339
Middle School:	
Grades 6 & 7	339
Grade 8	368
Secondary School	368

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