

**Agenda Item VII.C., Board Action on Student Achievement Committee  
recommendations concerning the Department of Education's multi-year school  
calendar (2018-2019 School Year)**

General Business Meeting  
November 17, 2015

At the October 6, 2015 Student Achievement Committee meeting, the Department of Education ("Department") presented its recommendations regarding the school calendars for the 2016-2017, 2017-2018, and 2018-2019 school years. The Board of Education ("Board") approved the calendars for the 2016-2017 and 2017-2018 school years as recommended by the Student Achievement Committee. The Student Achievement Committee deferred action on the 2018-2019 school year calendar to its November committee meeting.

At the November 3, 2015 Student Achievement Committee meeting, the Department presented its recommendations and a revised school calendar for the 2018-2019 school year.<sup>1</sup> The Student Achievement Committee recommended that the Board adopt the Department's recommendation for the revised 2018-2019 school year calendar. The 2018-2019 school year calendar that the Department proposed on November 3, 2015 is attached as **Exhibit A**.

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<sup>1</sup> The Department's November 3, 2015 memorandum with its recommendation regarding the 2018-2019 school year calendar is available at: [http://www.hawaiiboe.net/Meetings/Notices/Documents/2015-11-03%20SAC/SAC\\_11032015\\_Action%20on%20%20Calendar%202018-2019.pdf](http://www.hawaiiboe.net/Meetings/Notices/Documents/2015-11-03%20SAC/SAC_11032015_Action%20on%20%20Calendar%202018-2019.pdf).

EXHIBIT A

State of Hawaii – Department of Education  
**2018-19 PROPOSED OFFICIAL SCHOOL CALENDAR** - Version 11/3/15

Teachers' Work Year - 1st Semester: July 31, 2018 - January 7, 2019; 2nd Semester: January 8, 2019 - June 3, 2019  
 Students' Work Year - 1st Semester: August 6, 2018 - December 21, 2018; 2nd Semester: January 8, 2019 - May 31, 2019

Week	Student Days	Teacher Days	Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Notes
			<b>July</b>							<b>1st SEMESTER - 89 Student Days (Ends Dec. 21)</b>
1	0	4	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	July 31: Teachers' First Day
2	5	9	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	July 31 - Aug 3: Teacher Work Days (no students)
3	9	12	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	August 6: Students' First Day
4	11	14	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	August 17: Statehood Day
5	11	14	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	Q1 43 days Ends Oct. 5
6	11	14	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	
7	11	14	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	September 3: Labor Day
8	11	14	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
9	11	14	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
10	11	14	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	
11	11	14	30	1	2	3	4	5	6	<b>October</b>
12	11	14	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	October 8-12: Fall Break***
13	11	14	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
14	11	14	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	
15	11	14	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	<b>November</b>
16	11	14	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	November 6: Election Day
17	11	14	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	November 12: Veterans' Day
18	11	14	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	November 22: Thanksgiving
19	11	14	25	26	27	28	29	30	1	November 23: School Holiday
20	11	14	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<b>December</b>
21	11	14	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	December 24-January 7: Winter Break***
22	11	14	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	December 25: Christmas
23	11	14	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	<b>2nd SEMESTER - 93 Student Days (Ends May 31)</b>
24	11	14	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	January 1: New Year's Day
25	11	14	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	January 7: Teacher Workday (No Students*)
26	11	14	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	January 21: Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
27	11	14	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	Q2 46 days Ends Dec. 21
28	11	14	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	
29	11	14	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	February 11-15: Institute Day (One day with no students during the week - Date for each island TBD)
30	11	14	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
31	11	14	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	February 18: Presidents' Day
32	11	14	24	25	26	27	28	1	2	
33	11	14	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	<b>March</b>
34	11	14	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
35	11	14	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	March 18 - 22: Spring Break***
36	11	14	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	March 26: Kuhio Day
37	11	14	31	1	2	3	4	5	6	
38	11	14	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	<b>April</b>
39	11	14	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	April 19: Good Friday
40	11	14	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	Q3 46 days Ends Mar. 15
41	11	14	28	29	30	1	2	3	4	
42	11	14	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	<b>May</b>
43	11	14	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
44	11	14	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	May 27: Memorial Day
45	11	14	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	May 31: Last Day for Students and Second Semester Ends**
46	11	14	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
47	11	14	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	June 3: Last Day for Teachers

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ 2015, contingent on legislation, funding and collective bargaining agreements

OFFICIAL STATE HOLIDAYS: 2018-19 SCHOOL YEAR

\*2 instructional days shall be converted to a non-student day for school planning and collaboration

\*\*The employer may assign up to 6 additional hours, in half hour blocks (an "equivalent day") for training and meetings beyond the teacher's regular work day

Statehood Day:  
 Labor Day:  
 Election Day:  
 Veterans' Day (observed)  
 Thanksgiving Day:  
 Christmas Day:

August 17, 2018 New Year's Day:  
 September 3, 2018 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day:  
 November 6, 2018 Presidents' Day:  
 November 12, 2018 Prince Jonah Kūhū Kalanianaʻōle Day:  
 November 22, 2018 Good Friday:  
 December 25, 2018 Memorial Day:

January 1, 2019  
 January 21, 2019  
 February 18, 2019  
 March 26, 2019  
 April 19, 2019  
 May 27, 2019

\* January 7: Teacher workday between semesters \*\* Commencement exercises: No sooner than May 24, 2019  
 \*\*\* For 10-month teachers - Intersession: Oct. 8-12; Recesses: Dec. 24-Jan. 4 and March 18-22  
 Educational Officer & Teacher Institute Days February 11-15

DRAFT CALENDAR