

Approved Pella Christian Grade School 2017-18 Calendar

Summary of Calendar:

Hours in classroom:

First Quarter	221.42
Second Quarter	293.25
Third Quarter	297.08
Fourth Quarter	307.25
CALENDAR HOURS	1119.0

CALENDAR LEGEND

- Start/End
- Professional Learning
- Quarter
- PTC
- Holidays
- Vacation Days
- Special Days/Events

HOLIDAYS:

- Labor Day (9/4)
- Thanksgiving Day (11/23)
- Christmas Day (12/25)
- New Year's Day (1/1)
- President's Day (2/19)
- Good Friday (3/30)
- Memorial Day (5/28)

Snow Make-up Days

Iowa law requires 1080 hours of instructional time. PCGS scheduled 1118.9 hours of instruction for the 2017/18 school year and will make-up snow days if we miss more than 38.9 hours of instruction. This would be equivalent to 5.9 instructional days.

- Make-up snow day #1 – May 29
- Make-up snow day #2 – May 30
- Make-up snow day #3 – May 31
- Parents will be notified if we need to add days to the end of the school year.

Progressive Kindergarten

- M-W-F during the first two quarters.
- M-T-W-F during the third quarter
- 5 days a week during the 4th quarter
- All days are full school days unless otherwise noted on the calendar

August					Minutes of Instruction
M	T	W	Th	F	
	1	2	3	4	
7	8	9	10	11	
14	15	16	17	18	
21	22	23	24	25	1005
28	29	30	31		1530
September					
				1	395
4	5	6	7	8	1580
11	12	13	14	15	1925
18	19	20	21	22	1925
25	26	27	28	29	1925
October					
2	3	4	5	6	1075
9	10	11	12	13	1925
16	17	18	19	20	1925
23	24	25	26	27	1770
30	31				790
November					
		1	2	3	1140
6	7	8	9	10	1925
13	14	15	16	17	1925
20	21	22	23	24	975
27	28	29	30		1530
December					
				1	395
4	5	6	7	8	1925
11	12	13	14	15	1925
18	19	20	21	22	1370
25	26	27	28	29	
January					
1	2	3	4	5	1185
8	9	10	11	12	1925
15	16	17	18	19	1925
22	23	24	25	26	1925
29	30	31			1135
February					
			1	2	790
5	6	7	8	9	1925
12	13	14	15	16	1580
19	20	21	22	23	1580
26	27	28			1140
March					
			1	2	790
5	6	7	8	9	1925
12	13	14	15	16	0
19	20	21	22	23	1925
26	27	28	29	30	1800
April					
2	3	4	5	6	1925
9	10	11	12	13	1925
16	17	18	19	20	1765
23	24	25	26	27	1925
30					395
May					
	1	2	3	4	1160
7	8	9	10	11	1925
14	15	16	17	18	1925
21	22	23	24	25	1765
28	29	30	31		
June					
				1	
4	5	6	7	8	
11	12	13	14	15	
18	19	20	21	22	
25	26	27	28	29	

Date Events

- Aug. 16 New Teacher Orientation
- Aug. 17, 21 Teacher Orientation Days
- Aug. 23 First day of school
(1/2 day – 12:05 dismissal)
- Aug. 30 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Sept. 4 Labor Day (No School)
- Sept. 13 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Sept. 20 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Sept. 27 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Sept. 27 Picture Day
- Oct. 4 1:35 Dismissal
- Oct. 5-6 Heartland Teacher's Conference
(No School)
- Oct. 11 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Oct. 13 End of 1st Qtr (221.42 hours)
- Oct. 18 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Oct. 23 PTC – 1:35 dismissal
- Oct. 26 PTC – 11:35 dismissal
- Oct. 27 PTC – Teacher work day (No school)
- Nov. 1 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Nov. 8 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Nov. 15 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Nov. 22 11:35 Dismissal
- Nov. 23-24 Thanksgiving Break (no school)
- Nov. 29 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Dec. 6 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Dec. 13 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Dec. 21 11:35 dismissal
- Dec. 21 End of 2nd Qtr (293.25 hours)
- Dec. 22-Jan. 2 – Christmas Break (No School)
- Jan. 3 Classes Resume
- Jan. 10 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Jan. 17 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Jan. 24 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Jan. 31 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Feb. 7 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Feb. 16 No School – staff PL
- Feb. 19 President's Day (No School)
- Feb. 28 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Mar. 7 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Mar. 9 End 3rd Qtr (297 hours)
- Mar. 12-16 Spring Break
- Mar. 21 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- Mar. 26 Report Cards
- Mar. 26 PTC – 1:35 Dismissal
- Mar. 29 PTC – 11:35 Dismissal
- Mar. 30 PTC – Teacher work day (No school)
- April 4 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- April 11 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- April 20 A Grand Day – 11:35 Dismissal
- April 25 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- May 3 & 4 11:35 Dismissal – Tulip Time
- May 9 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- May 16 2:35 dismissal for staff PL
- May 25 Last Day of School/11:35 Dismissal
End of 4th Qtr (307.25 hours)
- May 28 Memorial Day
- May 31 Report Card distribution from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.