



**ELK ISLAND
CATHOLIC SCHOOLS**
Seeing Christ in Everyone

2023-2024 Kindergarten and Nature Kindergarten Calendar

Holy Redeemer Catholic School



August 2023				
M	T	W	T	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31	

September 2023				
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October 2023				
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30	31			

November 2023				
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December 2023				
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January 2024				
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February 2024				
M	T	W	T	F
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26	27	28	29	

March 2024				
M	T	W	T	F
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18	19	20	21	22
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April 2024				
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May 2024				
M	T	W	T	F
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June 2024				
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Legend	
Nature Kindergarten – NK (Green) and Kindergarten – ECS (Blue) Instructional Days	NK - Green ECS - Blue
PD Days/Operational – School closed to students	
Early Dismissal/Staff Meeting	
Holiday/Vacation/School Closure	
Day in Lieu Interviews Operation Day -no students/staff	
Last NK Student Day – June 19 Last Kindergarten Day – June 21	

SCHOOL CLOSURES	
Labour Day	September 4
Truth and Reconciliation Day	October 2
Thanksgiving Day	October 9
Remembrance Day Observed	November 10
Day in Lieu for Interviews	November 6 & March 22
Fall Break	November 6 - 10
Christmas Vacation	December 25 - January 5
Semester 2 Starts	February 1
Teachers' Convention	February 8 & 9
Family Day	February 19
Good Friday	March 29
Easter Monday	April 1
Spring Break	March 25 - 29
School Closure	May 16 & 17
Victoria Day	May 20

OPENING AND CLOSING DATES	
First day for Teachers	August 28
First day for Students	August 31
Last day for Students	June 25
Last day for Teachers	June 28
STAFF MEETINGS:	
First Staff Meeting – September 6	
All Subsequent staff meetings shall be the first instructional Wednesday of the month.	
Dismissal on a staff meeting Wednesday shall be 60 minutes prior to regular dismissal time.	

	OPERATIONAL DAYS	STUDENT DAYS
August	3	1
September	0	11
October	1	11
November	1	8
December	0	8
January	1	8
February	3	9
March	1	8
April	0	11
May	1	10
June	1	8
	12	93

MISSION STATEMENT

"We are a Catholic community committed to developing educational opportunities in the context of Gospel values, where students' gifts and talents are celebrated and nurtured through lifelong spiritual and personal experiences"

Fort Saskatchewan, Sherwood Park, Vegreville

PD/Operational Days (Schools closed to students)	
August 28	In School PD Day
August 29	Division/School Opening Staff Day
August 30	In School PD Day
October 6	In School PD Day
January 31	In School PD Day
February 8	Teachers' Convention
February 9	Teachers' Convention
February 16	Division Faith Day
May 3	In School PD Day
June 27	In School Staff Day

November 30th Holodomor Memorial Day - Ukrainian Famine Genocide
To be acknowledged in prayer.

Minimum Instructional Hours Per Year	
Early Childhood Services	475
Elementary/Junior High	950
Senior High School	1000

Instructional Days		Operational Days
Semester One	90	6
Semester Two	90	6
Total	180	12