

**Grand Forks Secondary**  
**PROPOSED SCHOOL CALENDAR**  
**2011 - 2012**

Month	Day	
August	29	District Professional Development Day
	30	District Professional Development Day
September	6	School Opening Day (Dismissal at 11:30 a.m.) (School in session Tuesday to Friday this week)
	9	<b>Friday - School in Session</b>
	27/28	District Shortened Days
October	10	Thanksgiving Day (School in session Tuesday to Friday this week)
	14	<b>Friday - School in Session</b>
	21	Provincial Professional Development Day
November	2	Parent Interviews / Grad Spaghetti Dinner
	11	Remembrance Day (Friday)
December	15	School Closes for Winter Vacation (Last day of classes)
January	3	School Re-Opens after Winter Vacation (School in session Tuesday to Friday this week)
	6	<b>Friday – School in Session</b>
	19-25	<b>School Exams</b>
	30	<b>First Day of Semester 2</b>
March	15	School Closes for Spring Vacation (Last Day of classes)
April	2	School Re-Opens after Spring Vacation
	6	Good Friday
	9	Easter Monday (School in session Tuesday to Friday this week)
	13	<b>Friday – School in Session</b>
	17	District Shortened Day
	18	District Shortened Day / Parent Interviews
May	21	Victoria Day (School in session Tuesday to Friday this week)
	25	<b>Friday - School in Session / Final Deadline for Grad Transition Interviews</b>
	31	First Grad List
	14	Final Grad List
June	12	Lupine Awards Night (Tentative)
	18	Grad Ceremony Appeals Due
	18-21	<b>School Exams</b>
	22/23	Graduation Weekend (Times to be determined)
	29	Administrative Day

Days in Session	163
Number of Days of Instruction	156
Number of Non-Instructional Days	6
Number of Administrative Days	1
Length of School Day (ie: 6 hrs 45 mins)	7 hours and 14 minutes
Minutes of Operation (Office Hours)	7:30am to 4:00pm
Total Instructional Time	340 min/day (Elem)      370 min/day (Sec)
School Commences	8:16am
Lunch (start and end time)	12:12pm to 12:55pm
Dismissal	3:30pm
Minutes in each block (secondary)	71-76 minutes
Minutes between blocks (secondary)	4 minutes

**School is closed on Friday unless otherwise noted.**