SCHOOL DISTRICT No.54 (*Bulkley Valley*)
2026 - 2027 SCHOOL CALENDAR

Sept. 8	Professional Development Day
**Sep. 9	**First Day of Classes for Students**
Sept. 22	Board Meeting - School Board Office - 5:30pm
Sept. 30	National Day for Truth & Reconciliation
Oct. 12	Thanksgiving Day - (SCHOOLS CLOSED)
Oct. 21/22	Parent/Teacher Interviews - Early Dismissal
Oct. 23	Professional Development Day
Oct. 27	Board Meeting - School Board Office - 5:30pm
Nov. 11	Remembrance Day - (SCHOOLS CLOSED)
Nov. 17	Board Meeting - School Board Office - 5:30pm
Nov. 20	Professional Development Day
Dec. 8	Board Meeting - School Board Office - 5:30pm
Dec. 18	Last Day of Classes (Christmas Vacation)
Jan. 4	Schools Reopen
Jan. 26	Board Meeting - School Board Office - 5:30pm
Feb. 1	First Day of Second Semester SSS / HSS
Feb.12	Professional Development Day
Feb. 15	Family Day - (SCHOOLS CLOSED)
Feb. 23	Board Meeting - School Board Office - 5:30pm
Mar. 16	Board Meeting - School Board Office - 5:30pm
Mar. 19	Last Day of Classes (Spring Break)
Apr.5	Schools Reopen
Apr. 21/22	Parent/Teacher Interviews - Early Dismissal
Apr. 23	Teacher Professional Development Day
Apr. 27	Board Meeting - Witset - 5:30pm
May. 15	Professional Development Day
May. 18	Board Meeting-Houston -5:30pm
May. 21	Teacher Professional Development Day
May. 24	Victoria Day - (SCHOOLS CLOSED)
June 21	National Indigenous Peoples Day
June 22	Board Meeting - School Board Office - 5:30pm
June 29	Last day of Classes for Students - 12pm Dismissal
June 30	Administration Day

LEGEND	
	Board of Education Meeting (*Dates Subject to Change)
	Holidays (Statutory and School Vacations)
	Prof. Development /Non-Instructional Day
	Parent/Teacher Interviews-1 Hr. Early Dismissal

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Days in Session = 187 **Days of Instruction = 180**

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SCHOOLS IN THE DISTRICT

	PRINCIPAL	OFFICE #
Bulkley Valley Education Connection (Distributed Learning)	Jana Fox - Assistant Superintendent	250-877-6820
Muheim Memorial Elementary	Liliana Pesce	250-847-2688
Walnut Park Elementary	Jaksun Grice	250-847-4464
Telkwa Elementary	Dustin Hersee	250-846-5851
Silverthorne Elementary	Mark Fehr	250-845-2228
Twain Sullivan Elementary	Mary Neto	250-845-2227
Houston Secondary	Dwayne Anderson	250-845-7217
Smithers Secondary	Julie Krall	250-847-2231
Bulkley Valley Learning Centre (Coast Mtn.College - Rm# 121)		250-877-3218

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Bev Forster	Principal of Early Learning	250-847-5517
Stefan Young	Director of Facilities and Maintenance	250-847-2865
Rolanda Lavallee	Trans. / Custodial Manager & Health & Safety Officer	250-847-2865

SCHOOL DAY HOURS

SCHOOL	Hours	*Thursday Dismissal*
Muheim Memorial	9:00am-3:05pm	2:10pm
Walnut Park Elementary	9:00am-3:05pm	2:10pm
Telkwa Elementary	9:00am-3:05pm	2:10pm
Silverthorne Elementary	9:00am-3:05pm	2:10pm
Twain Sullivan Elementary	9:00am-3:05pm	2:10pm
Houston Secondary	8:43am-3:10pm	2:22pm
Smithers Secondary	8:43am-3:10pm	2:22pm
BVLC	8:43am-3:10pm	2:22pm

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