



# WHEATLAND-CHILI CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT Board of Education Meeting February 11, 2019

### **3.e.1. Updates from January 22, 2018 Board Meeting.**

Question about Cooperative Arrangements with Busing. At the January 22, 2019 Board meeting, you asked about the extent to which the District engages in cooperative experiences with our school districts. A report has been prepared that reflects co-opting for 17 students or 2.67% of our student riders. Included in your Board materials is a 2018-2019 busing summary for reference.

Summary of Accountability Subgroups. A request was made for information on the District's student subgroups for purposes of accountability. Included in your Board materials is a summary of subgroups used for accountability purposes as follows: All Students, American Indian/Alaska Native, Black, Hispanic, Asian/Pacific Islander, White, Multi-racial, Students with Disabilities, English Language Learners, and Economically Disadvantaged. There are other subgroups noted; however, only the indicated groups are used for accountability. Also, you will note that we do not have sufficient students in the American Indian/Alaska Native and Asian/Pacific Islander to receive a designation.

**3.e.2. Budget Workshop, April 3, 2019.** We are currently scheduled for a Budget Workshop to occur on April 3, 2019. The workshop is scheduled on this day to follow the Governor's Budget disclosure that typically occurs on or before April 1. In order to meet timelines for public notice and required communications efforts, the Board will review and vote on the 2019-2020 budget on Monday, April 8, 2019.

Monroe 2-Orleans BOCES has scheduled the Annual Meeting for the same night as our budget workshop; i.e., April 3, 2019. I am recommending that the budget workshop be rescheduled to Thursday, April 4, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. We will discuss at the meeting.

**3.e.3. Calendar Update.** The draft Monroe County and Wheatland-Chili Central School District calendars are shared with the Board for your information. We are currently refining the draft District calendar and will gather input from the Wheatland-Chili Federation of Teachers per contractual requirements. There are several points of interest in the current version of the draft calendar:

- Students will begin the 2019-2020 school year after Labor Day on Wednesday, September 4, 2019.
- The Regents exams remain four days later than in the past (as occurred in 2018-2019), with the Rating Day occurring on June 26, 2020 (compared to June 22 in 2018). This

adds several vacation days to the schedule as you will note below in order to stay within the 187 contractual days for teachers.

- We are scheduling two one-half day orientation sessions for new staff on Monday, August 26, and Tuesday, August 27, 2019.
- The Winter/Christmas holiday begins on Monday, December 23, and continues through Friday, January 3, 2020. Students will return to school on Monday, January 6, 2020.
- Additional school holidays are as follows:
  - Spring Break occurs from Monday, April 6, to Monday, April 13, 2020 (addition of Easter Monday); and
  - Memorial Day Recess includes Friday, May 22, 2020.
- The last day of school for students is Thursday, June 25, 2020, and for teachers is on Wednesday, June 26, 2020.
- In the calendar, there are four half-days for elementary parent-teacher conferences (December 5, 6, 9, and May 6), which are contractual (Article XV.G. – *For the purpose of parent-teacher conferences, the elementary school shall be dismissed by 11:30 a.m. four times during each school year so long as the 180 day school year requirement is met.*)

The calendar also includes three half-days at the end of the school year (June 23-25), which are contractual (Article XIV.E. – *The last work day for the elementary school shall be a non-student day. The three days prior shall be student half days with an 11:30 a.m. dismissal time.*)

Finally, there are two half-days for professional development for our teachers. These are scheduled on November 1 and January 27 for the elementary school, and on December 6 (which is also the date of the elementary parent-teacher conference) and March 9 for the secondary school.

**3.e.4. Update on Pilot Agreement.** The following is a summary from Attorney Kevin Overton of the discussions with Raymond DiRaddo, counsel for the Town of Wheatland, with regard to the proposed Helios Energy Wheatland Solar Project:

- We determined that since the Town is the lead agent for the SEQR review associated with the project, the Town would be the lead with regard to communicating the PILOT requirements to the developer;
- We determined that the PILOT form should be modeled after and consistent with the proposed form agreement produced by NYSERDA and the PILOT payments amounts should be consistent with the rate chart provided by NYSERDA in its Solar Power Tool;
- We discussed the developer's request to accept a lump sum payment for PILOT/real property taxes in lieu of the monthly payment. The developer will research the issue and produce precedent for legal review; and
- Counsel for the Town reached out to the developer to summarize the foregoing.

**WHEATLAND-CHILI CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
2019-2020 SCHOOL CALENDAR**

 **DRAFT**

<u>School Hours:</u>	<u>Building Opens</u>	<u>Classes</u>
Middle/High School (6-12)	7:25	7:38 to 2:14
Elementary (K-5)	8:20	8:50 to 3:08

**Number of School  
Days in Attendance**  
**Faculty Student**

**AUGUST**

Mon.-Tues. 26-27 New Employee Orientation Only (1/2 day)  
Wed.-Thurs. 28-29 Conference Day,\* No School for Students (Faculty Only)

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**SEPTEMBER**

Monday 2 Labor Day, No School  
Tuesday 3 Faculty & Staff Orientation\* – No School for Students  
Wednesday 4 School Opens, Full Day Session - All Students

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**OCTOBER**

Friday 11 Conference Day\*-No School for K-12 Students  
Monday 14 Columbus Day, No School

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**NOVEMBER**

Friday 1 K-12 Early Dismissal, *Prof. Dev. K-5, Parent/Teacher Conference 6-12*  
(MS/HS@10:40 a.m./Elem.@11:20 a.m.)  
Monday 11 Veterans Day Observed, No School  
Wed.-Friday 27-29 Thanksgiving Recess, No School

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**DECEMBER**

Thursday 5 K-5 Early Dismissal, Parent/Teacher Conference  
Friday 6 K-12 Early Dismissal, *Parent/Teacher Conference K-5, Prof. Dev. 6-12*  
Monday 9 K-5 Early Dismissal, Parent/Teacher Conference  
Mon.-Tues. 23-31 Holiday Recess, No School

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**JANUARY**

Wed.-Fri. 1-3 Holiday Recess, No School  
Monday 6 School Reopens  
Monday 20 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, No School  
Tues.-Fri. 21-24 Regents & Local Examinations (school in session)  
Monday 27 School Improvement Day/Regents Scoring – **No School for 6-12, K-5 Early Dismissal, Prof. Dev. K-5**

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**FEBRUARY**

Monday 17 President's Day, No School  
Tues.-Friday 18-21 Mid-Winter Recess, No School

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**MARCH**

Monday 9 School Improvement Day, **No School for K-5, 6-12 Early Dismissal, Prof. Dev. 6-12**

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**APRIL**

Monday 3 Conference Day\*-No School for K-12 Students  
Mon.-Mon. 6-13 Spring Recess, No School

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**MAY**

Wednesday 6 K-5 Early Dismissal, 11:20 a.m. (Parent/Teacher Conference)  
Fri.-Mon. 22-25 Memorial Day Recess, No School

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**JUNE**

Tues. 2 Regents Examination (school in session)  
Wed.-Friday 17-19 Regents Examinations (school in session)  
Mon.-Thurs. 22-25 Regents Examinations (school in session)  
Tues.-Thurs. 23-25 Elementary Early Dismissal, 11:20 a.m.  
Thursday 25 Last Day of School for Students  
Friday 26 Regents Rating Day, No School for Students

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**Total**

**187 180**

\* Conference Days

Make-up days in order of need: May 22, April 13

# School Name

## 2019-2020 School Calendar

### KEY DATES:

First Day for Teachers: Sept 3  
 First Day for Students: Sept 4  
 Fall Conference Days: Sept 3, Oct 11  
 Spring Conference Day: Apr 3  
 Last Day for Students: June 26  
 Last Day for Teachers: June 26

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Sept	20	19
Oct	22	21
Nov	17	17
Dec	15	15
Jan	19	19
Feb	15	15
March	22	22
April	17	16
May	19	19
June	20	20
Total:	186	183

### LEGEND:

Conference Day	
Holiday Recess	
Federal Holiday	
Regents Exams	
Rating Day	
3-8 Assessments	

### FEDERAL HOLIDAYS:

July 04: Independence Day  
 Sept 02: Labor Day  
 Oct 14: Columbus Day  
 Nov 11: Veterans Day  
 Nov 28: Thanksgiving Day  
 Dec 25: Christmas Day  
 Jan 01: New Year's Day  
 Jan 20: M L King Jr Day  
 Feb 17: Presidents' Day  
 May 25: Memorial Day

### NOTES:

January Regents: Jan 21-24  
 PBT ELA: March 25-27  
 PBT Math: April 21-23  
 June Regents: Jun 2, 17-25  
 Rating Days/No Exams: Jun 26  
 Winter Recess: Feb 17-21  
 Spring Recess: Apr 6-10  
 Memorial Day Break: May 22-25

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March 2020	April 2020	May 2020	June 2020
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### 3-8 Assessments:

CBT ELA Administration Window: March 24-31  
 CBT Math Administration Window: April 20-27

### 3-8 Assessments make-up dates:

PBT ELA make-up window: March 30-April 1  
 CBT ELA make-up window: March 30-April 3  
 PBT Math make-up window: April 24-28  
 CBT Math make-up window: April 24-30