

**Upper Columbia Conference  
Preliminary K-10 School Calendar  
2010-11 SCHOOL YEAR**

**FIRST SEMESTER**

**FIRST QUARTER**                      **August 16-October 29**                      **46 Instructional Days**

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| August              | Registration*  |
| August-January      | Week of Spiritual Emphasis*                            |
| <b>August 16</b>    | <b>Teachers report for duty (contract begins)</b>      |
| August 23           | WWVA Begins  |
| August 23           | UCA Begins   |
| August 23           | CCA Begins   |
| <b>August 25</b>    | <b>K-10 Schools Begin</b>                              |
| September 6         | Labor Day (No School)                                  |
| <b>September 10</b> | <b>Opening Reports Mailed to Conference</b>            |
| September 19        | School Board Seminar                                   |
| September 20-24     | Outdoor School – Camp MiVoden Grades 5-6               |
| September 28        | WWU Begins   |
| September 27        | Teacher Professional Development Plan Due in Office    |
| <b>October 4-15</b> | <b>ITBS Testing **</b>                                 |
| October 8-10        | Disciple Ship Weekend* – Mivoden – No School on Oct. 8 |
| October 18-22       | Red Ribbon Week  |
| <b>October 25</b>   | <b>ITBS Answer Sheets Due in Conference Office</b>     |
| October 25          | Principals’/Head Teachers’ Council                     |
| October 29          | First Quarter Ends                                     |

**SECOND QUARTER**                      **November 1 – January 21**                      **44 Instructional Days**

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|----------------|--|
| November 1     | Second Quarter Begins                                  |
| November 3     | Parent Teacher Conferences - (Minimum Day)             |
| November 4     | Parent Teacher Conferences (if needed) - (Minimum Day) |
| November 4     | Gymnastic Clinic – UCA Grades 7-10                     |
| November 11    | Veterans Day – No School                               |
| November 12    | Professional Development Day - ***No School            |
| November 24-26 | Thanksgiving Vacation                                  |
| December 20-31 | Christmas Vacation                                     |
| January 3      | Teacher Plans Due in Office (p. 52 Staff Handbook)     |
| January 17     | Martin Luther King Day ( No School)                    |
| January 19-22  | Band Clinic - WWU                                      |
| January 21     | Second Quarter Ends                                    |

\*Teacher contract shortened by two days to cover Disciple Ship Weekend at Mivoden.

## SECOND SEMESTER

### THIRD QUARTER                      January 24 – April 1                      44 Instructional Days

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| January 24        | Third Quarter Begins                                |
| January 24-June 8 | Week of Spiritual Emphasis*                         |
| January 25        | Test Analysis (Optional) (Minimum Day)              |
| January 26        | Parent Teacher Conferences (Minimum Day)            |
| January 27        | Parent Teacher Conference (if needed) (Minimum Day) |
| February 4-6      | Teen Retreat – Camp MiVoden                         |
| February 21       | Presidents' Day (No School)                         |
| February 17-19    | Choir Clinic – UCA                                  |
| March 7           | Large School Principals Meeting                     |
| March 21-25       | Spring Vacation                                     |
| April 1           | Third Quarter Ends                                  |

### FOURTH QUARTER                      April 4 – June 8                      46 Instructional Days

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|----------------|---|
| April 4        | Fourth Quarter Begins   |
| April 4        | Teacher Self-Assessment Form Due in Office                    |
| April 8        | WWVA – Academy Day  |
| April 11-15    | Math Camp – Camp MiVoden                                      |
| April 12       | UCA Academy Day   |
| April 18       | Teacher In-service with Elizabeth Talbot– Spokane (No School) |
| April 18-23    | Outdoor School – Camp MiVoden Grades 5-6                      |
| April 25-29    | Small School Outdoor School – Camp MiVoden Grades 5-8         |
| May 16         | Principals'/Head Teachers' Council                            |
| May 20-22      | Pathfinder Fair   |
| May 30         | Memorial Day (No School)                                      |
| June 4         | CCA Graduation  |
| June 5         | UCA Graduation  |
| June 5         | WWVA Graduation   |
| June 8         | Last Day of School  |
| June 12        | WWU Graduation  |
| June 14        | Teacher End of Year Evaluation Due in Office                  |
| <b>June 14</b> | <b>Last Day of Contract</b>                                   |
| June 20        | WWU - Summer School Begins                                    |

### 180 Instructional Days

\* Date to be set by local school

\*\* May test anytime during these dates

\*\*\* **Planned by local school - may not use this day to shorten school year**

The school calendar shall contain a **minimum of 180 days** and comply with state law.

Schools must make up snow days.

Schools may not use Professional Development Day to shorten school year.

Individual schools, **with board approval**, may change the dates listed on this calendar **with permission** from the Upper Columbia Conference Office of Education. The form to be completed is in the Staff Handbook, page 4.