

DEPARTMENT OF PUPIL PERSONNEL

To: Jesse Bacon

From: Steve Smallwood

Date: February 20, 2025

Re: 2024-2025 Amended School Calendar Request for Board Approval

This is a request for the Board to approve to amend the 2024-2025 school calendar.

Due to Early Voting, a flu outbreak, flooding and snow, we have had to make several changes to the school calendar.

Here are the recommendations we would like for the BCPS Board of Education to approve at the Board Meeting on Monday, February 24th.

Early Voting caused us to close schools on October 31 and November 1. We made the decision to move Bullitt Day #4 from November 4th to October 31 and the PD Day on May 20th to November 1st. By doing this, schools were closed on Monday, November 4 and 5 for the Presidential Election, thus causing us to make-up two days of school on May 19 and 20.

In response to the recent closings due to the flooding, snow, and flu outbreak we would like to move the Bullitt Day that was originally scheduled on Monday, March 10th to Friday, May 30th. Monday, March 10th would then be used as an instructional day for students and school will be in session.

We have had 9 school closures this year that we will need to make up to meet the 170 Instructional Day requirement by KDE.

October 31 November 1 January 6, 7, & 8. February 5,6,7, and 19.

We have also had 7 NTI days that count toward our 170 Instructional Day requirement. January 10 & 22.

February 11, 17, 18, 20 and 21.

OUR MISSION IS TO INSPIRE AND EQUIP OUR STUDENTS TO SUCCEED IN LIFE BULLITT COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS IS AN EQUAL EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT INSTITUTION Here are the proposed amendments to the 24-25 school calendar due to school closures we have had due to early voting, the flu and winter weather conditions we have experienced this year:

- Make-up Day #1 will be on Monday, March 10th
- Make-up Day #2 will be on Monday, May 19th
- Make-up Day #3 will be on Tuesday, May 20th
- Make-up Day #4 will be on Wednesday, May 21st
- Make-up Day #5 will be on Thursday, May 22nd
- Make-up Day #6 will be on Friday, May 23rd
- Make-up Day #7 will be on Tuesday, 27th
- Make-up Day #8 will be on Wednesday, May 28th
- Make-up Day #9 will be on Thursday, May 29th
- Bullitt Day #7 will be rescheduled from Monday, March 10th to Friday, May 30th
- Closing Day for Staff will take place on Monday, June 2nd

Respectfully submitted,

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