

**WHITIN MIDDLE SCHOOL
SCHOOL CALENDAR - 2009/2010**



SCHOOL OPENING IN SEPTEMBER

The first day of the 2009-2010 school year for students is scheduled for Wednesday, September 2, 2009. The school day for Whitin students is 7:25 AM to 1:40 PM.

SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR FOR 2009-2010

Opening Day for Staff	August 31, 2009
Professional Development Day	September 1, 2009 (No School)
Classes Begin for Students	September 2, 2009
Labor Day	September 7, 2009
Parent's Back to School Night	September 15, 2009
Columbus Day	October 12, 2009
Professional Development Day	October 13, 2009 (No School)
Veteran's Day	November 11, 2009
Thanksgiving Recess	November 26 and 27, 2009
Winter Vacation	Dec. 24, 2009 – Jan. 1, 2010
Martin Luther King Jr. Day	January 18, 2010
Professional Development Day	January 19, 2010 (No School)
February Vacation	February 15-19, 2010
Good Friday	April 2, 2010
Spring Vacation	April 19-23, 2010
Memorial Day	May 31, 2010
Last Day	June 21, 2010

SCHOOL CALENDAR NOTES

School year ends at 182th day for students in grades 1-11.

The day before Thanksgiving, Wednesday, Nov. 25, 2009 is an early-release day.

Curriculum Planning Days – Half day for students: Oct. 2, 2009, Dec. 11, 2009, Mar. 12, 2010, and May 7, 2010.

MCAS Testing - March 22-April 9 and May 10-27.

REPORT CARD SCHEDULE

Marking Periods	Progress Report Dates	Marks Close
1st Quarter	October 5, 2009	November 6, 2009
2nd Quarter	December 14, 2009	January 27, 2010
3rd Quarter	March 8, 2010	April 8, 2010
4th Quarter	May 18, 2010	June 21, 2010

BACK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT

The annual back-to-school night program for parents at the Whitin School is scheduled for Tuesday, September 15, 2009 from 6:00-9:00 PM. Parents are asked to reserve this date on their planning calendar.

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

Parent Teacher Conferences – Half day for students: November 23, 2009 Day & Evening Conferences (half day for students): February 5, 2010 Day Conferences (half day for students).