

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT 159

2008-09 CALENDAR

August 18-20, 2008	New Teacher Orientation	8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
August 21-22, 2008	Teacher Institute Days - No Student Attendance	Teacher Attendance 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
August 25, 2008	SCHOOL OPENS – <u>First day of Pupil Attendance</u>	Early Dismissal for Students 7:55 a.m. – 10:55 a.m. (6-8) 8:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. (K-5)
September 1, 2008	Holiday – Labor Day – No School	
September 24, 2008	Mid-quarter Cut off	
October 1, 2008	Mid-quarter Notices Sent Home	
October 10, 2008	Teacher Institute Day	Teacher Attendance 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
October 13, 2008	Holiday-Columbus Day – No School	
October 28, 2008	FIRST QUARTER ENDS (44 Days)	
November 4, 2008	Presidential Elections – No School	
November 6, 2008	Half-Day Student Attendance 7:55 a.m. – 11:10 a.m. (6-8) 8:45 a.m. -12:00 p.m. (K-5) Parent/Teacher Conferences	*SIP Teacher Attendance 11:25 a.m.-1:25 p.m. (6-8) *SIP Teacher Attendance 12:15 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. (K-5) Report Cards Issued 5:00-8:00 p.m. (6-8) 6:00-9:00 p.m. (K-5)
November 7, 2008	Parent/Teacher Conferences-No Student Attendance	Report Cards Issued 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
November 11, 2008	Holiday - Veterans' Day – No School	
November 26, 2008	Early Dismissal for Students 7:55 a.m. – 12:55 p.m. (6-8) 8:45 a.m. – 1:45 p.m. (K-5)	Early Dismissal for Teachers 1:10 p.m. (6-8) Early Dismissal for Teachers 2:00 p.m. (K-5)
November 27-28, 2008	Holiday – Thanksgiving Recess – No School	
December 3, 2008	Mid-quarter Cut off	
December 10, 2008	Mid-quarter Notices Sent Home	
December 19, 2008	Snow Day – No School	
December 22-31, 2008 and January 1-2, 2009	WINTER RECESS – NO SCHOOL	
January 5, 2009	SCHOOL RESUMES	
January 15, 2009	Snow Day – No School	
January 16, 2009	Snow Day – No School	

January 19, 2009	Holiday - Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday - No School	
January 22, 2009	SECOND QUARTER ENDS (43 Days)	
January 28, 2009	Report Cards Issued	
February 13, 2009	Teacher Institute Day	Teacher Attendance 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
February 16, 2009	Holiday – President's Day – No School	
February 20, 2009	Mid-quarter Cut off	
February 27, 2009	Mid-quarter Notices Sent Home	
March 2, 2009	Casimir Pulaski's Birthday – No School	
March 2-13, 2009	ISAT Testing District wide	
March 26, 2009	THIRD QUARTER ENDS (45 Days)	
April 2, 2009	Half-Day Student Attendance 7:55 a.m. – 11:10 a.m. (6-8) 8:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (K-5) Parent/Teacher Conferences	*SIP Teacher Attendance 11:25 a.m. – 1:25 p.m. (6-8) *SIP Teacher Attendance 12:15 p.m. - 2:15 p.m. (K-5) Report Cards Issued 5:00-8:00 p.m. (6-8) 6:00-9:00 p.m. (K-5)
April 3, 2009	Parent/Teacher Conferences-No Student Attendance	Report Cards Issued 8:00 - 11:00 a.m.
April 9, 2009	Early Dismissal for Students 7:55 a.m. – 12:55 p.m. (6-8) 8:45 a.m. – 1:45 p.m. (K-5)	Early Dismissal for Teachers 1:10 p.m. (6-8) Early Dismissal for Teachers 2:00 p.m. (K-5)
April 10, 2009 and April 13-17, 2009	SPRING RECESS – NO SCHOOL	
May 5, 2009	Mid-quarter Cut off	
May 12, 2009	Mid-quarter Notices Sent Home	
May 22, 2009	Early Dismissal for Students 7:55 a.m. – 12:10 p.m. (6-8) 8:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. (K-5)	*SIP Teacher Attendance 12:25 p.m. – 2:25 p.m. (6-8) *SIP Teacher Attendance 1:15 p.m. – 3:10 p.m. (K-5)
May 25, 2009	Holiday - Memorial Day - No School	
May 29, 2009	Eighth Grade Graduation	Victory Apostolic Church 5:00 p.m.
June 8, 2009	Early Dismissal for Students 7:55 a.m. – 12:55 p.m. (6-8) 8:45 a.m. - 1:45 p.m. (K-5)	Early Dismissal for Teachers 1:10 p.m. (6-8) Early Dismissal for Teachers 2:00 p.m. (K-5)
June 9, 2009	SCHOOL CLOSES - <u>Last Day of Pupil Attendance</u>	Early Dismissal for Students 7:55 – 9:25 a.m. (6-8) Early Dismissal for Students 8:45 – 10:15 a.m. (K-5)
(3 snow days used)	Report Cards Issued	