1 Strict Calendar Presentation
December 15, 2022


## Agenda

1. District Academic Calendar Collaboration Partners
2. District Academic Calendar Development Timeline
3. Calendar Considerations
4. Stakeholder Input
5. Overview of Changes
6. District Academic Calendar Comparison and Considerations
7. Comments \& Questions

## Calendar Development Collaboration Partners

- Executive Administration
- Quality Academy
- Academic Services Team
- Academic Senate
- Staff and Parents through Historical Survey Results
- District Calendar Committee
- Board of Education

2023/2024 District Calendar Presentation

## Proposed Calendar Development Timeline

| EVENT | DATE |
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| Academic Calendar Committee Work | November 9, 2022 <br> November 30, 2022 |
| Proposed Calendar Presented to the <br> Board of Education - Review Only | December 15, 2022 |
| Public Review of Proposed Calendar | December 15, 2022 - January 6, 2023 |
| Presentation to the Board of Education - <br> Approval | January 19, 2023 |
| Communication of 2023/2024 District <br> Calendar (Final) | Immediately Following January 19, 2023 <br> Board of Education Meeting |

## Calendar Considerations

- Student Focus
- Teacher Collaboration \& Professional Development Time
- Family Challenges
- Family Time
- NCC - Sending Schools


## Stakeholder Input

## Parent Input:

- End Before Memorial Day
- Christmas Break - As Long as Possible
- Full Week of Spring Break
- Semester Ending Before Winter Break
- Thanksgiving Break Beginning on Wednesday


## Staff Input:

- Maximize Teacher Preparation Time Before School
- Shorter First Week of School


## The Change... 2-Hour PLC to Full PLD

## Our Current Reality...

- Nine (9) PLC 2-Hour Early Release Wednesdays per Year and Two (2) Inservice Days per Year (not including days at the beginning of the year)


## The Change...

- Six (6) Full Professional Learning Days (PLD) per Year Three (3) Fridays and Three (3) Mondays


## The Change... 2-Hour PLC to Full PLD

## Why the Change?

- More Efficient and Focused Use of Time
- Combining PLC Work and Staff Professional Development Time
- Fewer Evening Meetings
- Reduce the Need for Substitutes
- Family Considerations
- No Need for 2 hours of Child Care on Early Release Days
- Extended Weekends for Families - Two (2) Four Day Weekends and Four (4) Three Day Weekends
- Consistency and Simplicity - No Inservice and PLC Distinctions


2023/2024 District Academic Calendar Comparison and Considerations

## Calendar Comparisons

Teachers are Contracted for 183 Days State Requirement for Student Hours 1044 Hours

| Calendar Detail | $\mathbf{2 0 2 2 / 2 0 2 3}$ Existing Calendar | $\mathbf{2 0 2 3 / 2 0 2 4 ~ D r a f t ~ \# 1 C ~}$ |
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| Student Instructional Hours | 1114 Elementary <br> 1150 Secondary | 1110 Elementary <br> 1145 Secondary |
| Days in 1st / 2nd Semester | $81 / 92$ | $79 / 91$ |
| Teacher Back to School Days | 5 | 5 |
| Inservice Days (during the <br> school year) | 3 | 0 |
| PLC Early Release Days | 9 | 0 |
| PLD Days | 0 | 6 |
| Total PLC/Inservice/PLD Hours <br> (during the school year) | 39 | 42 |



## Comments? Questions?

