

Baldwin Community Schools

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"Preparing Students for the Promise of Tomorrow"

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Dear Baldwin Family and Friends,

As you are well aware, we had an intense year of weather, going all the way back to our tornado in August. Overall, we have 16 days in which we had to cancel school. The State of Michigan forgives six of those days, and we submitted for a waiver to have three additional days forgiven. That leaves us with a balance of seven days we may have to make up. There is also *pending* legislation that would forgive two additional days from the week when Michigan was under a State of Emergency. It is likely that we will have to make up five days, and possible that we will have to make up seven. Below, we will share two scenarios. Please help us in making sure that our students attend school on the make-up days. Attendance is so important in our students' lives!

Five Make Up Days Scenario

1. Friday, April 19 (Good Friday) - 1/2 day
2. Friday, May 24 - 1/2 day
3. Tuesday, May 28 - full day
4. Wednesday, June 19 - 1/2 day
5. Thursday, June 20 - 1/2 day

(Monday, June 17 and Tuesday, June 18, would become **full days** of school and exams would be moved to Wednesday and Thursday. In the seven-day model, we have not determined when exams would be scheduled.

Seven Make Up Days Scenario

1. Friday, April 19 (Good Friday) - 1/2 day
2. Friday, May 24 - 1/2 day
3. Tuesday, May 28 - full day
4. Wednesday, June 19 - 1/2 day (PD in the afternoon)
5. Thursday, June 20 - day to be determined
6. Friday, June 21 - day to be determined
7. Monday, June 24 - day to be determined.

As you can see, the first five days are the same in BOTH scenarios. Thank you for your understanding and for supporting Baldwin Community Schools!

Thanks!

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