## **POLICY:** Newburgh Board of Education

## School Calendar

The Superintendent shall be responsible for the preparation, in consultation with appropriate staff organizations, of a school calendar to be presented to the Board for adoption no later than the public meeting of the Board in April preceding the school year of its implementation.

The calendar shall indicate the dates for opening and closing of the school year and when the schools are closed for legal or religious holidays, vacations, etc. It shall in any case meet but not be limited to, the requirements of the State Education Law for the minimum number of days when schools must be in session, where possible.

The Board reserves the right to alter the school calendar when feasible and advisable in the best interests of the children of the District and in consultation with the staff.