

**SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUZEKA-STEUBEN****SCHOOL CALENDAR**

Per Wisconsin State Statute § Section 119.18 (6), the School District of Wauzeke-Steuben Board of Education may determine the school calendar and vacation periods for each school year for the regular day school, summer school, social centers, and playgrounds. The Board may close any school or dismiss any class in the event of an emergency, fire or other casualty, quarantine, or epidemic.

Per Wisconsin State Statute § Section 121.02 (f), the Board shall annually schedule at least 437 hours of direct pupil instruction in kindergarten, at least 1,050 hours of direct pupil instruction in grades 1 through 6, and at least 1,137 hours of direct pupil instruction in grades 7 to 12. Scheduled hours under this subdivision include recess and time for pupils to transfer between classes but to not include the lunch period. Scheduled hours under this paragraph do not include hours of direct pupil instruction offered during an interim session. Scheduled hours under this paragraph may include hours on Saturdays. A school board operating a 4-yr-old kindergarten program may use up to 87.5 of the scheduled hours for outreach activities.

The Department of Public Instruction may still waive the requirement for scheduling at least the minimum number of hours of direct pupil instruction if school is closed (1) by order of a local health officer or the department of health services, or (2) by order of the district administrator because of a threat to the health or safety of pupils or school personnel, but not including any school closure due to inclement weather.

**Legal References:** Wisconsin State Statutes §§ Sections 119.18 (6), 121.02 (f), 2013 Wisconsin Act 257

**Cross References:**

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