

Attachment B-The Academies at Westinghouse, Education Committee Update

Young Men's Academy and Young Women's Academy

Schedule 2010-2011

Term I

Intersession for grades 6-10	August 22-25
Intersession for grades 11-12	August 29-September 1
First day of term	September 6
Intensives and Student Conferences	December 6-9
Student Vacation Days	December 10-January 1
Professional Development	December 12-16
Teacher Vacation Days	December 17-January 1

Totals:

Days of instruction	60 days (480 hours)
Days of support / enrichment	8 days (64 hours)

Term II

First day of term	January 2
Intensives and Student Conferences	March 27-30
Student Vacation Days	March 31-April 22
Professional Development Days	April 2 - 4
Teacher Vacation Days	April 5 - 22
Intersession	April 23-27

Totals:

Days of instruction	60 days (480 hours)
Days of support / enrichment	8 days (64 hours)

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Term III for Scholars grades 6-10

First day of term	April 30
Intensives and Student Conferences	July 25-27
Last day of school	July 27
Professional Development	July 30 – August 2

Totals:

Days of instruction	60 (480 hours)
Days of support / enrichment	3 (24 hours)

Yearly Totals for Scholars 6-10:

200 Student Days / 1,600 hours:

- 180 days of instruction; 1,440 hours
- 11 days of support (intensives / student led conferences); 88 hours
- 9 days of enrichment (intersession); 72 hours

Term III for Scholars grades 11 and 12 for 2010-2011

First day of term	April 30
Last day of school for Seniors	June 1
Last day of school for Juniors	June 8

Totals:

Days of instruction for seniors	23 (184 hours)
Days of instruction for juniors	28 (224 hours)

Yearly Totals for Seniors:

161 Student Days / 1,280 hours:

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- 143 days of instruction; 1,144 hours
- 8 days of support (intensives / student led conferences); 64hours
- 9 days of enrichment (intersession); 72 hours

Yearly Totals for Juniors:

166 Student Days / 1,320 hours:

- 148 days of instruction; 1,184 hours
- 8 days of support (intensives / student led conferences); 64hours
- 9 days of enrichment (intersession); 72 hours

Comparison Data:

Students attending a comprehensive Pittsburgh Public School high school, attend 180 days of school for roughly 7 hours a day. That equates to 1,260 hours that students spend in school.

Scholars at the Young Men's Academy and Young Women's Academy will engage in learning:

Grades 6-10: 1,608 hours

Grade 11: 1,328 hours

Grade 12: 1,288 hours