

Board of Education

Mesa County Valley School District 51

Regular Meeting

April 6, 2010

Minutes & Work Session Summary

A - Diann Rice
 B - Cindy Enos-Martinez
 C - Harry Butler
 D - Leslie Kiesler
 E - Greg Mikolai

Board of Education

Mesa County Valley School District 51

Regular Meeting: April 6, 2010

Adopted: May 25, 2010

	A	B	C	D	E	AGENDA ITEM	ACTION
Present	x	x	x	x	x	A. Call to Order / Roll Call	6:00 pm
Absent							
Motion						B. Month of the Young Child Proclamation	Adopted
Second						➤ Mr. Harry Butler read the Proclamation, honoring early childhood education and encouraging all staff, students, parents and members of our community to join the Board in recognizing the needs of young children in our community.	
Aye	x	x	x	x	x	➤ The Board engaged in discussion, regarding communicating the Proclamation to the community. Mr. Kirtland will prepare a press release, and the Proclamation will be posted on the website.	
No							
Motion		x				C. Board Policy Adoption	Adopted
Second						C-1. Waiver of Board Policy BGB, Suspension of 1 st Reading	
Aye	x	x	x	x	x	C-2. JIC, <i>Dangerous Weapons in the Schools</i> , Policy & Exhibit	
No						It was noted the proposed changes to the policy and the accompanying exhibit were due to a Federal Statue update. The policy aligns with the CASB model.	
						D. 2010-2011 Alternative Calendars	
Motion	x					➤ Superintendent Schultz pointed out the differences in the alternative calendars, compared to the 2010-2011 Traditional School Calendar.	Adopted
Second						➤ Due to the fact that the following three calendars are based on a four-day week, it was the Board's desire to adopt them together.	
Aye	x	x	x	x	x	D-1. Dual Immersion Academy (DIA)	
No						D-2. New Emerson Elementary	
						D-3. Glade Park School	
Motion					x	D-4. The Opportunity Center (TOC)	Adopted
Second						D-5. Mesa Valley Vision Program	
Aye	x	x	x	x	x	D-6. Independence Academy Charter School	
No							
Motion	x					E. Adjourned Business Meeting: 6:08 pm	
Second							
Aye	x	x	x	x	x		
No							
						WORK SESSION SUMMARY:	
						➤ Preschool Report: Mrs. Judy Thornburg, Mrs. Jackie Howard and Ms. Kim Self	
						• Mrs. Judy Thornburg, Executive Director of Student Services, came forward to introduce Mrs. Howard and Ms. Self. With Mrs. Howard's impending retirement, Mrs. Thornburg gave a short overview of Mrs. Howard's work in Early Childhood Education. She announced Ms. Self as the staff recommendation to replace Mrs. Howard in this position.	
						• Mrs. Howard thanked the Board for their years of support. A PowerPoint presentation was given, covering the following areas:	
						○ A review of preschool services including sites, timeline, parental involvement, Child Find, Special Education, Colorado Preschool Project,	

A - Diann Rice
 B - Cindy Enos-Martinez
 C - Harry Butler
 D - Leslie Kiesler
 E - Greg Mikolai

Board of Education

Mesa County Valley School District 51

Regular Meeting: April 6, 2010

Adopted: May 25, 2010

A	B	C	D	E	AGENDA ITEM	ACTION
					Title I, and community sites;	
					<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The critical elements of preschool: hours served, requirements and diverse delivery system; ○ The emphasis on quality and low class size; ○ Monitoring of quality in the classroom, using the quality standards; ○ Comprehensive early learning guidelines; ○ Technical support team from the State. ○ Additional information was provided covering: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The preschool student at-risk factors; ▪ Authentic assessment, longitudinal analysis, family outcomes, program quality and professional learning; ▪ The effect of CPP on closing the achievement gap; ▪ CSAP data and tracking children long-term. ○ Emphasis was placed on the impact of early childhood education in making a significant difference for students. ○ Board members asked questions and engaged in discussion, regarding interaction with daycare providers, sharing information as students transition, state programs, and home visits. ○ Mrs. Thornburg closed the presentation by emphasizing the key-work processes of Professional Learning Communities (PLCs), Response to Intervention (RTI), and Positive Behavior Support (PBS) in making a difference for student learning. ○ The Board and Superintendent extended their appreciation to the Early Childhood Team for their work in this area. <p>➤ Discussion with Elementary Principals: Mrs. Lesley Whitacre, Mr. Andy Laase, Mr. Steve States, Mr. Mark Schmalz, and Ms. Curry Newton</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A PowerPoint presentation was given, covering the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The Investigations Curriculum and elementary math; ○ Background and the key goals; ○ Elementary math proficiency levels and CSAP growth data; ○ The importance of consistency, as less than 36% of district 3rd – 5th graders have been at the same school since kindergarten; ○ The math instructional framework and alignment with the District 51 curriculum and materials; ○ The Investigations Curriculum being high in problem solving, thinking and application skills, which teaches understanding and using math, not just doing math. • Each principal reported on work specific to what is underway at their school, including the math implementation. The areas covered included the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Professional development; ○ The work of the Vertical Alignment Teams; ○ Teachers are coming together to look at lessons and units for Investigations and modeling math conversations with students; ○ Student assessments; ○ Progress monitoring and interventions; 	

A - Diann Rice
 B - Cindy Enos-Martinez
 C - Harry Butler
 D - Leslie Kiesler
 E - Greg Mikolai

Board of Education

Mesa County Valley School District 51

Regular Meeting: April 6, 2010

Adopted: May 25, 2010

A	B	C	D	E	AGENDA ITEM	ACTION
					<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Parent meetings, communication and involvement; ○ Encouraging students to think with multiple solutions to problems; ○ The importance of support from Julie Schmalz and Liz Zitterkopf; 	
					<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Investigations as a complete new direction with a focus on conceptual thinking; ○ Teacher coaches. • Board members discussed their experience and input that has been received, regarding the Investigations Curriculum. Positive comments were made. • Superintendent Schultz and Mr. Laase provided information regarding implementation of the curriculum, noting implementation has gone much faster than initially expected. 21 of 24 elementary schools are involved with Investigations. • The Board and Superintendent thanked the principals for coming to the meeting to share what is happening at their school. <p>➤ Board Open Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mrs. Enos-Martinez reported reading to students at Tope Elementary, and volunteering to sell popcorn at the Dual Immersion Academy (DIA). Mrs. Enos-Martinez and Superintendent Schultz attended a graduation ceremony at the Collbran Job Corps; Mrs. Enos-Martinez was the guest speaker. She reported it was a special time for the students and she enjoyed the experience. Mr. Butler will plan to attend at another time. • Mrs. Rice attended the District Accountability Committee Meeting last week, indicating there was good discussion; Mrs. Terri Smatla and Mr. Ron Roybal presented. Mrs. Rice referred to an impressive overview that Mr. Roybal prepared, which showed the breadth and depth of alternative programs for the District. • Mr. Butler asked if another board member was interested in attending DAC, as he has missed several meetings on Thursdays. Mrs. Kiesler indicated she would be glad to attend in Mr. Butler's absence. • Mrs. Kiesler reported her attendance at the Science Technology Engineering and Math (STEM) luncheon held at Mesa State College, which was in conjunction with a full-day, opportunity for high school students to learn about career options in the STEM field. • Mr. Butler reported that CASB has invited Mrs. Kiesler and himself to be part of planning committee for the annual convention; a telephone conference is planned. • The Board briefly discussed CHSAA budget saving proposals. Mr. Paul Cain, Director of Athletics and Activities, has some information to share with the Board at an upcoming meeting, regarding trips and costs. • Mr. Mikolai reported on attending the Municipalities Dinner; Mr. Butler and Mrs. Kiesler also attended. He indicated it was an interesting opportunity to hear how different entities are addressing budget challenges. • Superintendent Schultz thanked the Board for their involvement in the community. 	

A - Diann Rice B - Cindy Enos-Martinez C - Harry Butler D - Leslie Kiesler E - Greg Mikolai						<h1>Board of Education</h1> <h2>Mesa County Valley School District 51</h2> <h3>Regular Meeting: April 6, 2010</h3> <h3>Adopted: May 25, 2010</h3>	
	A	B	C	D	E	AGENDA ITEM	ACTION
						Work Session Concluded: 7:30 pm	
Present Absent	x x	x x	x x	x x	x x	EXECUTIVE SESSION: 7:32 pm A. Call to Order / Roll Call	Adjourn to Executive Session: 7:32 pm
Motion Second Aye No	x x	x x	x x	x x	x x	B. Negotiations, CRS Section 24-6-402(4)(e) For the purpose of determining positions relative to matters that may be subject to negotiations, developing strategy for negotiations, and/or instructing negotiators. Present: Mr. Butler, Mrs. Enos-Martinez, Mrs. Kiesler, Mr. Mikolai, Mrs. Rice Present: Mr. Schultz, Mrs. Callahan deVita, Mrs. Martin	
Motion Second Aye No	x x	x x	x x	x x	x x	➤ Return to Open Meeting	
Motion Second Aye No	x x	x x	x x	x x	x x	C. Adjourned: 8:47 pm	
						Jamie Sidanycz, Secretary Board of Education	

Board of Education

Regular Meeting: April 6, 2010

Adopted: May 25, 2010

A	B	C	D	E
---	---	---	---	---

						AGENDA ITEM	ACTION
						Work Session Concluded: 7:30 pm	
Present Absent	x	x	x x	x	x	<u>EXECUTIVE SESSION: 7:32 pm</u> A. Call to Order / Roll Call B. Negotiations, CRS Section 24-6-402(4)(e) For the purpose of determining positions relative to matters that may be subject to negotiations, developing strategy for negotiations, and/or instructing negotiators. Present: Mr. Butler, Mrs. Enos-Martinez, Mrs. Kiesler, Mr. Mikolai, Mrs. Rice Present: Mr. Schultz, Mrs. Callahan deVita, Mrs. Martin ➤ Return to Open Meeting	Adjourn to Executive Session: 7:32 pm 8:47 pm
Motion Second Aye No	x	x	x	x	x		
Motion Second Aye No	x	x	x	x	x		
Motion Second Aye No	x	x	x	x	x		
Motion Second Aye No	x	x	x	x	x	C. Adjourned: 8:47 pm	
						_____ Jamie Sidanycz, Secretary Board of Education	

**Proclamation:
Month of the Young Child**

Board of Education Resolution: 9/10: 91

Adopted: April 6, 2010

WHEREAS, the Early Childhood Partnership and other local organizations in conjunction with the National Association for the Education of Young Children are celebrating April as the Month of the Young Child; and

WHEREAS, by calling attention to the need for high quality early childhood services for all children and families within our community, these groups hope to improve the quality and availability of such services; and

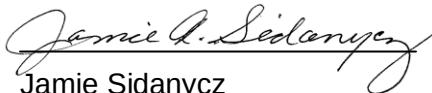
WHEREAS, the future of our community and nation depends on the quality of the early childhood experiences provided to young children today; and

WHEREAS, high-quality early childhood services represent a worthy commitment to our children's future;

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the members of Mesa County Valley School District 51 Board of Education, hereby proclaim April 2010 as the **Month of the Young Child** in Mesa County Valley School District 51.

We encourage all staff, students, parents and members of our community to join us in recognizing and supporting the needs of young children in our community.

I certify that the information contained herein is accurate and was adopted by the Mesa County Valley School District 51 Board of Education on April 6, 2010.


Jamie Sidanycz
Secretary, Board of Education

Section 921 of Title 18, U.S.C. defines "firearm" as:

- a) any weapon (including a starter gun) which will or is designed to or may readily be converted to expel a projectile by the action of an explosive;
- b) the frame or receiver of any weapon described above;
- c) any firearm muffler or firearm silencer; or
- d) any destructive device.

Section 921 of Title 18, U.S.C. defines "destructive device" as:

- a) any explosive, incendiary, or poison gas:
 - 1) bomb;
 - 2) grenade;
 - 3) rocket having a propellant charge of more than four ounces;
 - 4) missile having an explosive or incendiary charge of more than one-quarter ounce;
 - 5) mine; or
 - 6) device similar to the devices described in paragraphs 1-5 of this sub-paragraph a.
- b) any type of weapon which will, or which may be readily converted to, expel a projectile by the action of an explosive or other propellant, and which has any barrel with a bore of more than one-half inch in diameter; and
- c) any combination or parts either designed or intended for use in converting any device into any destructive device described in sub-paragraphs a and b and from which a destructive device may be readily assembled.

DANGEROUS WEAPONS IN THE SCHOOLS

Adopted: November 17, 1987

Revised: October 15, 1996

Revised: October 20, 1998

Policy Manual Review: August 6, 2002

Revised: November 17, 2009

Revised: April 6, 2010

Page 1 of 2

The Board of Education determines that carrying, bringing, possession and/or use of a weapon by students on school property or at school activities is detrimental to the welfare and safety of the students and school personnel within the district.

Mandatory expulsion in accordance with state and federal law

Carrying, bringing, using or possessing a dangerous weapon in any school building, on school grounds, or other district property, when being transported in vehicles owned or dispatched by the district or the district's transportation contractor, at any school-sponsored or district-sponsored activity or event, or off school property when the conduct has a reasonable connection to school or any district curricular or non-curricular event without the authorization of the school or the school district is prohibited. An exception to this policy may be made for students participating in an authorized extra curricular activity or team involving the use of firearms.

As used in this policy, "dangerous weapons" means:

- a. A firearm, whether loaded or unloaded;
- b. Any pellet or "beebee" gun or other device, whether operational or not, designed to propel projectiles by spring action or compressed air;
- c. A fixed blade knife with a blade that measures longer than three inches in length or a spring loaded knife or a pocket knife with a blade longer than three and one-half inches, or
- d. Any object, device, instrument, material, or substance, whether animate or inanimate, used or intended to be used to inflict death or serious bodily injury including, but not limited to a slingshot, bludgeon, brass knuckles or artificial knuckles of any kind.

The principal shall initiate expulsion proceedings for students who carry, bring, possess or use a dangerous weapon in violation of this policy. However, unless expulsion is otherwise required by federal law, expulsion shall not be mandatory if, when the student discovers that he or she has carried, brought or is in possession of a dangerous weapon, the student notifies a teacher, administrator or other authorized person in the district as soon as possible and delivers the dangerous weapon to the teacher, administrator or authorized person, and such action shall be considered when determining appropriate disciplinary action, if any.

In accordance with federal law, expulsion shall be for no less than one full calendar year for a student who is determined to have brought a firearm to school in violation of this policy. The Superintendent may modify the length of this federal requirement for expulsion on a case-by-case basis.

Discretionary Discipline in Accordance with State Law

Carrying, using, actively displaying or threatening with the use of a firearm facsimile that could reasonably be mistaken for an actual firearm on district property, when being transported in vehicles dispatched by the district or one of its schools, during a school-sponsored or district-sponsored activity or event, and off school property when such conduct has a reasonable connection to school or any district curricular or non-curricular event without the authorization of the school or school district is prohibited. Students who violate this policy provision may be subject to disciplinary action including but not limited to suspension and/or expulsion.

A student may seek prior authorization from the building principal to carry, bring, use or possess a firearm facsimile that could reasonably be mistaken for an actual firearm on school property for purposes of a school-related or non-school related activity. A student's failure to obtain such prior authorization is a violation of this policy provision and may result in disciplinary action, including but not limited to suspension and/or expulsion. The principal's decision to deny or permit a student to carry, bring, use or possess a firearm facsimile that could reasonably be mistaken for an actual firearm on school property shall be final.

DANGEROUS WEAPONS IN THE SCHOOLS

Adopted: November 17, 1987

Revised: October 15, 1996

Revised: October 20, 1998

Policy Manual Review: August 6, 2002

Revised: November 17, 2009

Revised: April 6, 2010

Page 2 of 2

School administrators shall consider violations of this policy provision on a case-by-case basis to determine whether suspension, expulsion or any other disciplinary action is appropriate based upon the individual facts and circumstances involved.

Local Restrictions

The Board of Education determines that extra precautions regarding knives are important and necessary to provide for student safety. Therefore, the carrying, bringing, using or possessing of any knife, regardless of the length of the blade, in any school building, on school grounds or other district property, when being transported in vehicles owned or dispatched by the district or the district's transportation contractor, at any school-sponsored or district-sponsored activity or event, or off school property when the conduct has a reasonable connection to school or any district curricular or non-curricular event without the authorization of the school or the school district is prohibited. Students who violate this policy provision shall be subject to appropriate discipline, including suspension or expulsion.

Recordkeeping

The district shall maintain records which describe the circumstances involving expulsions of students who bring dangerous weapons to school, the number of students expelled and the types of weapons involved as required by law.

Referral to law enforcement

In accordance with applicable law, school personnel shall refer any student who brings a firearm or weapon to school without authorization of the school or the district to the appropriate law enforcement agency.

Legal References: 18 U.S.C. §921 (a)(3) (federal definition of "firearm")
 20 U.S.C. §7151 (Gun-Free Schools Act)
 C.R.S. 18-12-105.5(1)
 C.R.S. 22-32-109.1(2)(a)(VII) (policy required as part of safe schools plan)
 C.R.S. 18-1-901(3)(e) (definition of "deadly weapon")
 C.R.S. 22-33-106 (1)(d),(f) (grounds for suspension, expulsion and denial of admission)

Cross References: JKD/JKE, Student Suspension/Expulsion
 JK, Student Discipline
 JICDA, Code of Student Conduct

NOTE: As a condition of receiving federal funds, the Gun-Free Schools Act requires the district to expel for one calendar year students who bring firearms to school. The district is required to include a description of the circumstances surrounding these expulsions, the name of the school concerned, the number of students expelled and the type of weapons. See Exhibit JICI-E for the definition of "firearm" under the Gun-Free Schools Act.

A case-by-case exception to the one-year expulsion requirement must be in writing and may include students with disabilities in order to meet requirements of federal law concerning students with disabilities. It is important to note that federal law requires that educational services must continue for students with disabilities who are properly expelled, although they may be provided in another setting.

August 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	T	T	T	W	W	21
22	23	24	25	26	X	28
29	30	31				

September 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	X	4
5	H	7	8	9	X	11
12	13	14	15	16	E	18
19	20	21	22	23	X	25
26	27	28	29	30		

October 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					X	2
3	4	5	6	7	X	9
10	11	12	13	•	W	16
17	18	19	C	C	X	23
24/31	25	26	27	28	X	30

November 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	E/M	3	4	X	6
7	8	9	10	11	X	13
14	15	16	17	18	X	20
21	22	23	H	H	H	27
28	29	30				

December 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	X	4
5	6	7	8	9	X	11
12	13	14	15	•	X	18
19	H	H	H	H	H	25
26	H	H	H	H	H	

January 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
2	W	4	5	6	X	1/8
9	10	11	12	13	X	15
16	H	18	19	20	X	22
23	24	25	26	27	X	29
30	31					

February 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	E	5
6	7	8	9	10	X	12
13	14	15	16	17	X	19
20	H	22	23	24	X	26
27	28					

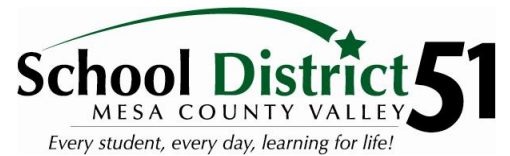
March 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	X	5
6	7	8	9	•	W	12
13	H	H	H	H	H	19
20	21	22	23	24	X	26
27	28	29	30	31		

April 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					E	2
3	4	5	6	7	X	9
10	11	12	13	14	X	16
17	18	19	20	21	X	23
24	25	26	27	28	X	30

May 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	C	C	X	7
8	9	10	11	12	X	14
15	16	17	18	19	X	21
22	23	24	25	26	X	28
29	H	•				

June 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			W	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

July 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30



DUAL IMMERSION ACADEMY CALENDAR **

2010-2011 School Year

Adopted: April 6, 2010

SCHOOLS NOT IN SESSION

All Schools Teacher In-service	All Schools Teacher Workdays
August 16, 17, 18, 2010	August 19, 20, 2010 October 15, 2010 January 3, 2011 March 11, 2011 June 1, 2011
Elementary Schools Only Teacher Planning Days (Secondary Schools are in Session)	DIA Parent/Teacher Conferences
September 17, 2010 November 2, 2010 February 4, 2011 April 1, 2011	October 20, 21, 2010 May 4, 5, 2011

ALL SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

September 6.....	Labor Day
November 24, 25 & 26.....	Thanksgiving
December 20 – January 3.....	Winter Break
January 17	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
February 21.....	President's Day
March 14 - 18	Spring Break
May 30.....	Memorial Day

T	Teacher In-service – All Schools
C	Parent/Teacher Conferences – DIA
E	Teacher Planning – Elementary Schools ONLY Secondary Schools in session
W	Teacher Work Day – All Schools
E/M	Elementary Planning Day/ Middle School In-service Day High Schools in session
H	Holiday – No School
•	End of Quarter
X	No School
	Days Contingent on Budget Process

Statistical Record Data for DIA

Total number of contact days elementary – 138

Classes Begin.....	August 23, 2010
1st Quarter Ends.....	October 14, 2010 (31 ES)
2nd Quarter Ends.....	December 16, 2010 (31 ES)
3rd Quarter Ends.....	March 10, 2011 (37 ES)
4th Quarter Ends.....	May 31, 2011 (39 ES)

General Staff Information

High School Principals' First Day.....	July 19, 2010
Middle School Principals' First Day.....	August 2, 2010
Elementary School Principals' First Day.....	August 2, 2010
Teachers' First Day.....	August 16, 2010
Teachers' Last Day.....	June 1, 2011
Elementary School Principals' Last Day.....	June 14, 2011
Middle School Principals' Last Day.....	June 14, 2011
High School Principals' Last Day.....	June 28, 2011

Draft 3/17/2010

** This calendar is contingent on the 2010-2011 budget process. May 31 & June 1, as noted above, may be adjusted.

August 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	T	T	T	W	W	21
22	23	24	25	26	X	28
29	30	31				

September 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	X	4
5	H	7	8	9	X	11
12	13	14	15	16	E	18
19	20	21	22	23	X	25
26	27	28	29	30		

October 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					X	2
3	4	5	6	7	X	9
10	11	12	13	•	W	16
17	18	19	20	C	C	23
24/31	25	26	27	28	X	30

November 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	E/M	3	4	X	6
7	8	9	10	11	X	13
14	15	16	17	18	X	20
21	22	23	H	H	H	27
28	29	30				

December 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	X	4
5	6	7	8	9	X	11
12	13	14	15	•	X	18
19	H	H	H	H	H	25
26	H	H	H	H	H	

January 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
2	W	4	5	6	X	1/8
9	10	11	12	13	X	15
16	H	18	19	20	X	22
23	24	25	26	27	X	29
30	31					

February 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	E	5
6	7	8	9	10	X	12
13	14	15	16	17	X	19
20	H	22	23	24	X	26
27	28					

March 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	X	5
6	7	8	9	•	W	12
13	H	H	H	H	H	19
20	21	22	23	24	X	26
27	28	29	30	31		

April 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					E	2
3	4	5	6	7	X	9
10	11	12	13	14	X	16
17	18	19	20	21	X	23
24	25	26	27	28	X	30

May 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	C	C	7
8	9	10	11	12	X	14
15	16	17	18	19	X	21
22	23	24	25	26	X	28
29	H	•				

June 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			W	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

July 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30

School District 51

 MESA COUNTY VALLEY

Every student, every day, learning for life!

NEW EMERSON CALENDAR**

2010-2011 School Year

Adopted: April 6, 2010

SCHOOLS NOT IN SESSION	
All Schools Teacher In-service August 16, 17, 18, 2010 Elementary Schools Only Teacher Planning Days (Secondary Schools are in Session) September 17, 2010 November 2, 2010 February 4, 2011 April 1, 2011	All Schools Teacher Workdays August 19, 20, 2010 October 15, 2010 January 3, 2011 March 11, 2011 June 1, 2011 All Schools Parent/Teacher Conferences October 21, 22, 2010 May 5, 6, 2011
ALL SCHOOL HOLIDAYS September 6.....Labor Day November 24, 25 & 26.....Thanksgiving December 20 – January 3.....Winter Break January 17Martin Luther King, Jr. Day February 21.....President's Day March 14 - 18Spring Break May 30.....Memorial Day	

T	Teacher In-service – All Schools
C	Parent/Teacher Conferences – All Schools
E	Teacher Planning – Elementary Schools ONLY Secondary Schools in session
W	Teacher Work Day – All Schools
E/M	Elementary Planning Day/ Middle School In-service Day High Schools in session
H	Holiday – No School
•	End of Quarter
	Days Contingent on Budget Process

Statistical Record Data	
Total number of New Emerson contact days – 140	
Classes Begin.....	August 23, 2010
1st Quarter Ends.....	October 14, 2010..... (31 ES)
2nd Quarter Ends.....	December 16, 2010.....(32 ES)
3rd Quarter Ends.....	March 10, 2011(37 ES)
4th Quarter Ends.....	May 31, 2011(40 ES)

General Staff Information	
High School Principals' First Day.....	July 19, 2010
Middle School Principals' First Day.....	August 2, 2010
Elementary School Principals' First Day.....	August 2, 2010
Teachers' First Day.....	August 16, 2010
Teachers' Last Day.....	June 1, 2011
Elementary School Principals' Last Day.....	June 14, 2011
Middle School Principals' Last Day.....	June 14, 2011
High School Principals' Last Day.....	June 28, 2011

DRAFT: 3/19/10

****This calendar is contingent on the 2010-2011 budget process. May 31 & June 1, as noted above, may be adjusted.**

August 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	T	T	T	W	W	21
22	23	24	25	26	X	28
29	30	31				

September 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	X	4
5	H	7	8	9	X	11
12	13	14	15	16	E	18
19	20	21	22	23	X	25
26	27	28	29	30		

October 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					X	2
3	4	5	6	7	X	9
10	11	12	13	•	W	16
17	18	19	20	C	C	23
24/31	25	26	27	28	X	30

November 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	E/M	3	4	X	6
7	8	9	10	11	X	13
14	15	16	17	18	X	20
21	22	23	H	H	H	27
28	29	30				

December 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	X	4
5	6	7	8	9	X	11
12	13	14	15	•	X	18
19	H	H	H	H	H	25
26	H	H	H	H	H	

January 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
2	W	4	5	6	X	1/8
9	10	11	12	13	X	15
16	H	18	19	20	X	22
23	24	25	26	27	X	29
30	31					

February 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	E	5
6	7	8	9	10	X	12
13	14	15	16	17	X	19
20	H	22	23	24	X	26
27	28					

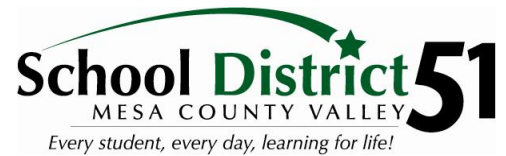
March 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	X	5
6	7	8	9	•	W	12
13	H	H	H	H	H	19
20	21	22	23	24	X	26
27	28	29	30	31		

April 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					E	2
3	4	5	6	7	X	9
10	11	12	13	14	X	16
17	18	19	20	21	X	23
24	25	26	27	28	X	30

May 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	C	C	7
8	9	10	11	12	X	14
15	16	17	18	19	X	21
22	23	24	25	26	X	28
29	H	•				

June 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			W	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

July 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30



GLADE PARK CALENDAR**

2010-2011 School Year

Adopted: April 6, 2010

SCHOOLS NOT IN SESSION

All Schools Teacher In-service	All Schools Teacher Workdays
August 16, 17, 18, 2010	August 19, 20, 2010 October 15, 2010 January 3, 2011 March 11, 2011 June 1, 2011
Elementary Schools Only Teacher Planning Days (Secondary Schools are in Session)	All Schools Parent/Teacher Conferences
September 17, 2010 November 2, 2010 February 4, 2011 April 1, 2011	October 21, 22, 2010 May 5, 6, 2011
ALL SCHOOL HOLIDAYS	
September 6.....Labor Day	
November 24, 25 & 26.....Thanksgiving	
December 20 – January 3.....Winter Break	
January 17Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	
February 21.....President's Day	
March 14 - 18Spring Break	
May 30.....Memorial Day	

T	Teacher In-service – All Schools
C	Parent/Teacher Conferences – All Schools
E	Teacher Planning – Elementary Schools ONLY
W	Teacher Work Day – All Schools
E/M	Elementary Planning Day/ Middle School In-service Day High Schools in session
H	Holiday – No School
•	End of Quarter
	Days Contingent on Budget Process

Statistical Record Data

Total number of Glade Park contact days– 140

Classes Begin.....August 23, 2010
1st Quarter Ends.....October 14, 2010..... (31 ES)
2nd Quarter Ends..... December 16, 2010.....(32 ES)
3rd Quarter Ends.....March 10, 2011(37 ES)
4th Quarter Ends.....May 31, 2011(40 ES)

General Staff Information

High School Principals' First Day..... July 19, 2010
Middle School Principals' First Day.....August 2, 2010
Elementary School Principals' First Day...August 2, 2010
Teachers' First Day.....August 16, 2010
Teachers' Last Day.....June 1, 2011
Elementary School Principals' Last Day.....June 14, 2011
Middle School Principals' Last Day.....June 14, 2011
High School Principals' Last Day.....June 28, 2011

DRAFT: 3/19/2010

**This calendar is contingent on the 2010-2011 budget process. May 31 & June 1, as noted above, may be adjusted.

August 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	T	T	T	W	W	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

February 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	E	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	H	22	23	24	25	26
27	28					

The Opportunity Center School Program**
2010-2011 School Year
Adopted: April 6, 2010



SCHOOLS NOT IN SESSION

All Schools Teacher In-service	All Schools Teacher Workdays
August 16, 17, 18, 2010	August 19, 20, 2010 October 15, 2010 January 3, 2011 March 11, 2011 June 1, 2011
Elementary Schools Only Teacher Planning Days (Secondary Schools are in Session)	All Schools Parent/Teacher Conferences
September 17, 2010 November 2, 2010 February 4, 2011 April 1, 2011	October 21, 22, 2010 May 5, 6, 2011

September 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	H	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	E	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

March 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	•	W	12
13	H	H	H	H	H	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

October 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	•	W	16
17	18	19	20	C	C	23
24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30

April 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					E	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

ALL SCHOOL HOLIDAYS	
September 6.....	Labor Day
November 24, 25 & 26.....	Thanksgiving
December 20 – January 3.....	Winter Break
January 17	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
February 21.....	President's Day
March 14 - 18	Spring Break
May 30.....	Memorial Day

November 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	E	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	H	H	H	27
28	29	30				

May 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	C	C	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	H	•				

T	Teacher In-service – All Schools
C	Parent/Teacher Conferences – All Schools
E	Elementary School Planning – Elementary Schools ONLY Secondary Schools in session
W	Teacher Work Day – All Schools
H	Holiday – No School
•	Days Contingent on Budget Process
•	End of Quarter
	Summer Program-RYS Only

December 2010						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	•	18
19	H	H	H	H	H	25
26	H	H	H	H	H	

June 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			W	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

Statistical Record Data	
Total number of contact days for TOCSP elementary – 169	
Total number of contact days TOCSP middle - 173	
Total number of contact days TOCSP high - 173	
Classes Begin.....	August 23, 2010
1st Quarter Ends.....	October 14, 2010.. (37 ES - 38 MS/HS)
2nd Quarter Ends.....	December 17, 2010 (39 ES - 40 MS/HS)
3rd Quarter Ends.....	March 10, 2011 (45 ES - 46 MS/HS)
4th Quarter Ends.....	May 31, 2011 (48 ES - 49 MS/HS)

January 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
2	W	4	5	6	7	1/8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	H	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

July 2011						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30

General Staff Information

Front Desk 243-0190
 Tami Houston, Principal244-3814
 Mark Young, Achievement Coordinator244-3856
 To Report Attendance.....244-3826



**This calendar is contingent on the 2010-2011 budget process. May 31 & June 1, as noted above, may be adjusted.

July 2010

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				♦	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

January 2011

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
2	♦	4	5	6	7	1/8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

August 2010

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

February 2011

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28					

September 2010

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

March 2011

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

October 2010

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30

April 2011

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

November 2010

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

May 2011

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	♦				

December 2010

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	♦	

June 2011

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		



**MESA VALLEY
VISION**
HOME & COMMUNITY PROGRAM

Adopted: April 6, 2010

CALENDAR 2010-2011 School Year

Key

OEC	Open Enrollment Closed for 2010-11
OEO	Open Enrollment Open for 2011-12
	Available Instruction Days (11 Months or 287 Days)
UI	Unavailable Instruction Days
U	Unpaid Staff Days
P	Paid Staff Days Exclude Saturdays (44 Weeks, or 220 days – 216 days plus 4 paid holidays)
H	Paid Staff Holidays
♦	Semester Beginnings
❖	Semester Endings

School District 51
MESA COUNTY VALLEY
Every student, every day, learning for life!

Draft: 3/17/10

2010-2011 SCHOOL CALENDAR

Adopted: April 6, 2010

	AUGUST '10							SEPTEMBER '10							
	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	
23 First day of School	1	2	3	4	5	6	7				1	2	W	4	6 Labor Day
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	5	H	7	8	9	W	11	
	15	T	T	T	T	T	21	12	13	14	15	16	W	18	
	22	23	24	25	26	W	28	19	20	21	22	23	W	25	
	29	30	31					26	27	28	29	30			

	OCTOBER '10							NOVEMBER '10							
	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	
14 End of 1 st Quarter						W	2		1	2	3	4	W	6	24-26 Thanks-giving Break
	3	4	5	6	7	W	9	7	8	9	10	11	W	13	
	10	11	12	13	•	W	16	14	15	16	17	18	W	20	
	17	18	19	C	C	W	23	21	22	23	H	H	H	27	
	24	25	26	27	28	W	30	28	29	30					
	31														

	DECEMBER '10							JANUARY '11							
	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	
16 End of 2 nd Quarter Dec 20-31 Winter Break				1	2	W	4							1	17 M.L. King Jr. Day Classes resume January 3, 2011
	5	6	7	8	9	W	11	2	3	4	5	6	W	8	
	12	13	14	15	•	W	18	9	10	11	12	13	W	15	
	19	H	H	H	H	H	25	16	H	18	19	20	W	22	
	26	H	H	H	H	H		23	24	25	26	27	W	29	
								30	31						

	FEBRUARY '11							MARCH '11							
	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	
21 President's Day			1	2	3	W	5			1	2	3	W	5	16-17 Parent/Teacher Conferences 10 End of 3 rd Quarter
	6	7	8	9	10	W	12	6	7	8	9	•	W	12	
	13	14	15	16	17	W	19	13	14	15	C	C	W	19	
	20	H	22	23	24	W	26	20	21	22	23	24	W	26	
	27	28						27	28	29	30	31			

	APRIL '11							MAY '11							
	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	
11-15 Spring Break						W	2	1	2	3	4	5	W	7	26 Last Day of School End of 4 th Qtr 30 Memorial Day
	3	4	5	6	7	W	9	8	9	10	11	12	W	14	
	10	H	H	H	H	H	16	15	16	17	18	19	W	21	
	17	18	19	20	21	W	23	22	23	24	25	•	W	28	
	24	25	26	27	28	W	30	29	H	31					

	JUNE '11							JULY '11							
	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	
				1	2	3	4						1	2	
	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
	26	27	28	29	30			24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
								31							

Independence Academy
600 N. 14th St.
Grand Junction, CO 81501
(970) 254-6850
Fax: (970) 241-2064
Damon Lockhart, Director
Tammy Igo, Secretary

Daily Schedule
M-Thu 8:00 am – 3:40 pm
Lunch: 30 minutes

Key

T	Teacher In-service Work Days
W	Teacher Work Day
H	Holiday
C	Parent/Teacher Conferences (Evenings 4-7 pm and/or Friday by appt.) Classes will be in session.
•	End of Quarter

General Information

Classes Begin August 23
Class Ends May 26

Office Opens August 2
Teacher's First Day August 16

Teacher's Last Day May 27

1st Quarter Ends: 10/14/09
2nd Quarter Ends: 12/16/09
3rd Quarter Ends: 03/10/10
4th Quarter Ends: 05/26/10