

## 2008-2009 Unity West Calendar

*Please attempt to schedule family vacations during the days we have off from school.*

August 20	First Day of School for Grades 1-5 (8:15-10:20 a.m.)
August 20 or 21	Conferences for Parents & Students with Kindergarten Teachers
August 22	First Day of School for Kindergarteners (8:15 a.m.-2:50 p.m.)
August 26	First Day for Pre-K Students (already accepted into the program) <b>3-year-olds:</b> 8:30 a.m.-11:00 p.m. <b>4-year-olds:</b> 12:00-2:30 p.m.
September 1	No School: Labor Day
September 4	PTO Open House (5:30-7:30 p.m.)
September 26	11:20 a.m. dismissal: School Improvement Day (1:00-3:00 p.m.) (and Homecoming)
October 1	Picture Day
October 13	No School: Columbus Day
October 23	11:20 a.m. dismissal: School Improvement Day (1:00-3:00 p.m.) Parent-Teacher Conferences from 3:00-9:30 p.m.
October 24	No School
November 11	No School: Veteran's Day
November 27-28	No School: Thanksgiving Holiday
Dec. 20-Jan. 4	No School: Winter Break
January 16	No School: Teachers' Institute
January 19	No School: Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday observed
February 16	No School: President's Day observed
March 2	No School: Casimir Pulaski Day observed
March 3-6	Illinois Standards Achievement Test (ISAT) given
March 19	11:20 a.m. dismissal: School Improvement Day (1:00-3:00 p.m.) Parent-Teacher Conferences from 3:00-9:30 p.m.
April 4-13	No School: Spring Break
April 22	11:20 a.m. dismissal: Half-Day Teacher's Institute
May 25	No School: Memorial Day observed
May 28*	No School: Teachers' Institute Day (8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.)
May 29*	Report Card Pick-Up, if we have no snow days
June 1-5*	Attendance days, if we use snow days

**\*Subject to change, if snow days are used.**