Calendar Survey FINAL
Survey Results and Analysis

Newport-Mesa Unified
May 16, 2014
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**Data Source 1:** Public Link  
Responses Received: 3,865  
**Total Number of Responses in This Report:** 3,865

**Data Sources Selected**  
Public Link
Which of the following describe you? Please check all that apply.

(N=3,838)

- Parent of an NMUSD Student: 63%
- Teacher in NMUSD: 19%
- Administrator in NMUSD: 1%
- Classified/Other NMUSD Employee: 9%
- Non-Parent Community Member: 1%
- Student in NMUSD: 11%

Note: Multiple answers per participant possible. Percentages added may exceed 100 since a participant may select more than one answer for this question.
Please select your school level. If you are a parent, please select all school levels that your children attend. If you are an employee, please select the area that you are assigned to.

(N=3,646)

- Elementary School: 55%
- Middle School: 26%
- High School: 42%
- District Office/Bear Street Site: 1%
- Does Not Apply: 3%

Note: Multiple answers per participant possible. Percentages added may exceed 100 since a participant may select more than one answer for this question.
How many of your children are enrolled in the NMUSD?

- 33% 1 child
- 48% 2 children
- 15% 3 children
- 3% 4 or more children

(N=2,334)

Do you understand the proposed calendar options?

- 96% I understand all the options as stated.
- 2% I understand most of the options.
- 0% I understand a few of the options.
- 0% I do not understand the options.

(N=3,727)
Please rank your support for the proposed options in order of preference with “1” being the option you support most strongly and “4” being your least supported option.

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<th>Weighted Score</th>
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<th>Overall Rank</th>
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<td>Option 1 – Status Quo – Don’t make any changes; begin School the day after Labor Day</td>
<td>1,550</td>
<td>623</td>
<td>389</td>
<td>1,157</td>
<td>10004</td>
<td>100</td>
<td>1</td>
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<td>Option 2 – Begin school 2 instructional days early and extend Thanksgiving Break to a full week</td>
<td>654</td>
<td>1,536</td>
<td>1,094</td>
<td>435</td>
<td>9847</td>
<td>98</td>
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<td>Option 3 – Begin school 5 instructional days earlier; end school 5 instructional days earlier</td>
<td>432</td>
<td>1,052</td>
<td>1,711</td>
<td>524</td>
<td>8830</td>
<td>88</td>
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<td>Option 4 – Begin school 7 instructional days earlier, extend Thanksgiving Break to a full week, and end school 5 instructional days earlier</td>
<td>1,086</td>
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<td><strong>Total Responses</strong></td>
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How strongly would you support a change to the school calendar?

(N=3,695)
What concerns do you have about the proposed changes to the school calendar? Please select all that apply.

- Interferes with family plans around the Labor Day holiday: 44%
- Shortens summer vacation: 48%
- Change from tradition: 25%
- Adds too many vacation days: 19%
- Not enough information: 5%
- Other - Please describe: 29%

(N=2,702)

Note: Multiple answers per participant possible. Percentages added may exceed 100 since a participant may select more than one answer for this question.