## **School Calendar and Daily Schedule**

The school year calendar for Columbia Public Schools is established in the spring of each year. The calendar is presented to the Board of Education prior to publication to district stakeholders. Ridgeway Elementary will plan a yearly calendar based on the approved school district calendar. The Ridgeway Elementary SAS Board may choose to make certain modifications to the calendar based on the needs of the school. Examples of calendar modifications might include:

Altered start/stop times for the school day.

Implementation of cost saving measures.

Inclusion of professional development time for staff.

Recommendations to alter the school calendar will be made by the SAS Board to Superintendent of Elementary Education and the Director of Transportation. Modifications will be made after approval.