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Schedule Changes Due to SB 328

Late Start Legislation



Background on New Requirements

Starting next year, [SB 328](#) will change Education Code 46148 to state:

“(1) The schoolday for high schools, including high schools operated as charter schools, shall begin no earlier than 8:30 a.m. (2) The schoolday for middle schools, including middle schools operated as charter schools, shall begin no earlier than 8:00 a.m.”.

As such, our Bell Schedules for PHS/CMS will need to be adjusted to be compliant with the updated EdCode requirements.

Turning Mandates into an Opportunity

- The mandates have forced us to re-exam our bell schedules and has allowed us to scaffold our start times amongst elementary, middle, and high schools.
- Thus, we will start our school days for 22-23 as follows:
 - *Elementary Schools @ 8:00 am, Middle School @ 8:15 am, and High School @ 8:30 am*
- This will likely bring down tardy rates for families who need to drive between sites, reduce some traffic caused from the overlapping of start times, and make zero-periods more enticing for some students.

Other Requirements to Consider

- [Instructional Minute Requirements](#) for a comprehensive high schools are mandated to have **64,800 minutes of instruction each year**.
 - *Note: We must calculate the total number of minutes of instruction for every given year, including minimum days of instruction, and not simply divide 64,800 minutes by the 180 instructional days to get an average.*
- Minimum/early release days have to be at least [240 minutes](#) each day as this is the minimum length per Ed Code (for most sites).

Period	Regular Days	Early Release and Minimum Day
0 period	7:40 - 8:24 (44)	7:40 - 8:24 (44)
1	8:30 - 9:28 (58)	8:30 - 9:05 (35)
2	9:34 - 10:32	9:11 - 9:46
3	10:38 - 11:36	9:52 - 10:27
First Lunch Schedule		
4 Lunch	11:36 - 12:11	NA
5	12:17 - 1:15	10:33 - 11:08
Second Lunch Schedule		
4	11:42 - 12:40	10:33 - 11:08
5th Lunch	12:40 - 1:15	NA
6	1:21 - 2:19	11:14 - 11:49
7	2:25 - 3:23	11:55 - 12:33

Patterson High Schedule:

In consultation with PHS administration and teachers, we will alter the current schedule to start at 8:30 am to meet the SB 328. We will reduce the lunch period to 35 minutes, increase the passing period by 1 minute, and remove some minimum days including open house.

PHS Teachers will have a work day of 8:15 am to 4:15 pm (excluding a 30 minute duty free lunch).

Regular Days			Minimum Days		
PERIOD	START	END	PERIOD	START	END
0	7:45 AM	8:30 AM	0	7:45 AM	8:30 AM
1	8:30 AM	9:30 AM	1	8:30 AM	9:05 AM
2	9:33 AM	10:33 AM	2	9:08 AM	9:43 AM
BREAK	10:33 AM	10:43 AM	3	9:46 AM	10:21 AM
3	10:46 AM	11:46 AM	BREAK	10:21 AM	10:26AM
4(ADV)	11:49 AM	12:14 PM	4(ADV)	10:29 AM	10:44 AM
LUNCH	12:14 PM	12:49 PM	5	10:47 AM	11:22 AM
5	12:52 PM	1:52 PM	6	11:25 AM	12:00 PM
6	1:55 PM	2:55 PM	LUNCH	12:00 PM	12:30 PM

Del Puerto High School:

No changes are required at DPHS as they had already started their school day at 8:30 am. EdCode concerning having 240 minutes per day on minimum days does apply to alternative education sites.

DPHS Teachers will have a work day of 8:15 am to 4:15 pm (excluding a 30 minute duty free lunch).

Period	Regular Days	Early Release and Minimum Day
0 period	7:25 - 8:10 (45)	7:35 - 8:10 (35)
Advisory (1)	8:15 - 8:37 (22)	N/A
2	8:42 - 9:35 (53)	8:15 - 8:51 (36)
3	9:40 - 10:33	8:56 - 9:32
4	10:38 - 11:31	9:37 - 10:13
First Lunch Schedule		
5 Lunch	11:31 - 12:07	NA
6	12:11 - 1:04	10:33 - 11:08
Second Lunch Schedule		
5	11:36 - 12:29	10:33 - 11:08
6 Lunch	12:29 - 1:04	NA
7	1:09 - 2:02	10:59 - 11:35
8	2:07 - 3:00	11:39 - 12:15

Creekside Middle Schedule:

In consultation with CMS administration and teachers, we will alter the current schedule to start at 8:15. We will reduce the class periods by 2 minutes and increase the advisory period by 2 minutes.

PHS Teachers will have a work day of 8:00 am to 4:00 pm (excluding a 30 minute duty free lunch).

Period	Regular Days	Early Release
Welcome/ Warmups	8:00 - 8:15	8:00 - 8:15
Math	8:15 - 9:30	8:15 - 9:30
ELA	9:30 - 10:00	9:30 - 10:00
Recess	10:00 - 10:15	10:00 - 10:15
ELA (Continued)	10:15 - 11:30	10:15 - 11:30
ELD Rotation	11:30 - 12:15	11:30 - 12:15
12:15 - 1:00 Lunch		
Writing	1:00 - 1:30	NA
Science/ Social Studies	1:30 - 2:00	1:00 - 1:30
Physical Education	2:00 - 2:40	NA

Sample Elementary School Schedule:

Most elementary schools will not see any changes, but a few will have a five minute shift to create a consistent schedule.

Note schedules vary by grade and by day as we have music, library, technology, and other activities spread into the schedules.

Elementary Teachers will have a work day of 7:45 am to 3:45 pm (excluding a 30 minute duty free lunch).

Next Steps

We will communicate the final changes to site administrators, the bus company, and employees.

Parents will be notified by site administration of the changes (if any).

Any needed classified staff work shift changes will be analyzed and communicated in the coming months.

In end school start and end times on regular days will be as follows:

Elementary: 8:00 - 2:40

Middle School: 8:15 - 3:00

High School: 8:30 - 3:23

Questions?

