DMS 2017-2018

Proposed Schedule

Current DMS Schedule

- Band/Chorus Before School
- Morning Time Management
- Homeroom/Locker Time Use
- Stationary Classes
- No Passing Time
- No student choice

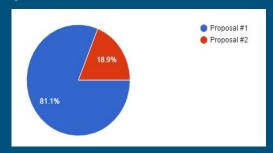
Grade 6						
BLOCK	STANDARD DAY		ADVISORY DAY			
	TIME	PERIOD	TIME	PERIOD		
Homeroom	8:05	Students at lockers	8:05	Students at lockers		
	8:10-8:15	Homeroom Attendance	8:10-8:15	Homeroom Attendance		
	8:12	Announcements/Silent Reading	8:15-8:45	Advisory Time		
1	8:29-9:17	Block 1	8:45 - 9:30	Block 1		
2	9:17-10:05	Block 2	9:30 - 10:15	Block 2		
3	10:05-10:53	Block 3	10:15 - 11:00	Block 3		
	10:53 - 11:23	FIRST LUNCH	11:00 - 11:30	FIRST LUNCH		
4	11:23-12:11	Block 4	11:30-12:15	Block 4		
5	12:11 - 12:59	Block 5	12:15 - 12:59	Block 5		
6	1:00 - 1:47	Block 6	1:00 - 1:47	Block 6		
7	1:47 - 2:35	Block 7	1:47 - 2:35	Block 7		

Grade 7						
BLOCK	STANDARD DAY		ADVISORY DAY			
	TIME	PERIOD	TIME	PERIOD		
Homeroom	8:05	Students at lockers	8:05	Students at lockers		
	8:10-8:15	Homeroom Attendance	8:10-8:15	Homeroom Attendance		
	8:12	Announcements/Silent Reading	8:15-8:45	Advisory Time		
1	8:29-9:17	Block 1	8:45 - 9:30	Block 1		
2	9:17-10:05	Block 2	9:30 - 10:15	Block 2		
3	10:05-10:53	Block 3	10:15 - 11:00	Block 3		
4	10:53 - 11:41	Block 4	11:00 - 11:45	Block 4		
5	11:41 - 12:30	Block 5	11:45 - 12:30	Block 5		
	12:30-1:00	THIRD LUNCH	12:30 - 1:00	THIRD LUNCH		
6	1:00 - 1:47	Block 6	1:00 - 1:47	Block 6		
7	1:47 - 2:35	Block 7	1:47 - 2:35	Block 7		

Grade 8						
BLOCK	STANDARD DAY		ADVISORY DAY			
	TIME	PERIOD	TIME	PERIOD		
Homeroom	8:05	Students at lockers	8:05	Students at lockers		
	8:10-8:15	Homeroom Attendance	8:10-8:15	Homeroom Attendance		
	8:12	Announcements/Silent Reading	8:15-8:45	Advisory Time		
1	8:29-9:17	Block 1	8:45 - 9:30	Block 1		
2	9:17-10:05	Block 2	9:30 - 10:15	Block 2		
3	10:05-10:53	Block 3	10:15 - 11:00	Block 3		
4	10:53 - 11:41	Block 4	11:00 - 11:45	Block 4		
	11:41 - 12:11	SECOND LUNCH	11:45 - 12:15	SECOND LUNCH		
5	12:11 - 12:59	Block 5	12:15 - 12:59	Block 5		
6	1:001:47	Block 6	1:00 - 1:47	Block 6		
7	1:47 - 2:35 Page	Block 7	⊕ 1:47 - 2:35	Block 7		

The Development Process

- Staff survey and discussion about what improvements needed.
 - Rotates
 - Passing time
 - Student choice
 - Band/Chorus in Schedule
- Committee formed
- School visits, collaboration with other districts, discussion
- Committee researched student focused scheduling components
- Several proposals are developed.
- Discussion (variety of formats)
- Staff has voted for the proposed schedule



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Schedule Link

- Rotates
- Trimesters
- Passing time is included- class instructional time remains the same
- Class size remains the same
- Band/Chorus part of school day reduced unstructured before school time
- Student choice during FLEX block
- Opportunities for individualized student support
- Team time replaces homeroom

Next Steps

- CORE subject teams will develop "team time".
- Specialist teams will create FLEX time classes.
- Technology department will need to reconfigure grade 6 & 7 special classes and develop grade 8 technology choices.
- Guidance will determine number of sections of FLEX needed for all three grades.
- Work with superintendent's office to determine coaches role during FLEX and any additional staffing needs.