



SCHOOL START TIME COMMITTEE

Committee Charge

1. Review and distill medical/psychological research and evidence on student well-being in relation to high school start times for dissemination to parents and staff.
2. Determine impact and potential solutions concerning athletics, after-school activities and childcare.
3. Survey parents and high school students concerning aspects of changing school start times including timing of implementation; conduct at least one focus group of students and one of parents at each high school on the topic of later high school start time.
4. Review relevant District contracts to determine any potential financial impact of changing school start times.
5. Develop, with the assistance of School Bus Consultants, a cost neutral solution for school start time adjustments and a preferred solution (if they are not the same).
6. Keep stakeholders (parents, students and staff) apprised of the Committee's work and pending recommendations.
7. Make specific recommendations to the Board of Education regarding school start time adjustments including transportation and timing of implementation.