

5.70 – INSTRUCTIONAL TIME SCHEDULES

School Session

The minimum length of school session is regarded as one hundred ninety (190 days) during which school is actually in session one hundred seventy-eight (178) days for instructional programs.

School Day

Pupils: The school day for pupils in grades K-12 will begin by 8:10 a.m. and will be dismissed by 3:10 p.m.

Teachers: All teachers are to arrive at a time determined by the building principal. Teachers may be assigned a duty schedule which requires them to report earlier and stay later than the above times.

Building

Principals: Building Principals should be in their building ahead of both teachers and pupils and should remain in their buildings until pupils and teachers have gone. Principals who leave their buildings for any extended period of time shall secure prior approval of the Superintendent, the Director of Personnel and Student Services, or the Director of Curriculum and Instruction. The school office should know where the principal may be reached when away from the building during the school day.

Legal References: Arkansas Code § 6-10-106 and 6-16-102.

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