

POLICY

SOMERSET COUNTY
BOARD OF EDUCATION

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1. PURPOSE

To establish a policy to determine regular school hours.

2. GUIDELINES

- A. All secondary Schools (Academies, 10-12 High Schools, Career and Tech Center will start the school instructional day at 7:45 A.M. and conclude regular classes at 2:30 P.M.
- B. The Intermediate School will start the school instructional day at 7:45 a.m. and conclude regular classes at 2:30 p.m.
- C. Elementary schools will start the school day at approximately 8:30 a.m. and close at approximately 3:30 p.m.
- D. All schools will conduct both instructional intervention and co-curricular programs periodically throughout the calendar year before and/or after regular program hours.
- E. Teachers are required to be at school seven and one-half hours (7½). Arrival and dismissal times for teachers will be established by school principals. Faculty meetings and conferences will require a later staff departure time.