

**SD 42 POLICY: 8220****SCHOOL DAY**

PHILOSOPHY

Hours established for schools of the district shall meet the requirements of the School Act and its regulations.

SCHOOL OPENING TIME

The Board requires the schools of the district to be open to pupils, regardless of the weather conditions, no later than 15 minutes before school opening time in the morning or at the time of the arrival of the first school bus, whichever is earlier. Teachers should be in their classrooms before the start of classes in the morning and in the afternoon.

School opening and closing times will be set by the Board of Education within the process of establishing school calendars and shall meet the requirements of the School Act and its regulations.

AUTHORITY

The Board assigns the responsibility for the implementation of the School Day policy to the Superintendent of Schools and authorizes the Superintendent of Schools to establish procedures that will guide the implementation of this policy.

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PROPOSED TO BE RETIRED