Executive Summary

Prepared for Board of Trustees Meeting February 24, 2009 Overview of Extended School Day Program

Purpose of Report

- The purpose of this report is to provide updated information on Denton ISD's extended school day program.
- Provide the DISD Board of Trustees with a brief history of the DISD Extended School Day (ESD) program.
 - Initial February 28, 2003 Board Workshop regarding Extended School Day Pilot Program.
 - Enrichment Activities via sample newsletter.
 - 2007-2008 Overview Report.
- Provide DISD Board of Trustees with current principal feedback regarding DISD ESD program.
- Provide DISD Board of Trustees the opportunity to discuss the enhancements to the ESD program.

Objectives

- Helping students attain the skills necessary to show academic success.
- Providing enrichment and academic programs that challenge all students attending extended school day activities.
- Working to improve students' academic performances through "tutorials" and "instructional enrichment" programs.
- Continue providing a flexible program that is designed to fit the needs of students at each particular school and those of today's busy parents.
- Continue to provide a safe haven for students whose busy or working parents cannot be available immediately after school.

Operational Impact

• There is no operational impact as presented.

Results

In the Extended School Day programs students participate in academic enrichment, recreational activities and homework study/tutoring time.

Other Options

- ESD Scholarships
- Late transportation for students in need of assistance

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- Increased tutoring partnerships with local universities
- Increased community volunteerism via adopters.
- Other?

Recommendations

None at this time