

Instruction

SCHOOL DAY

BP 6112

Note: Pursuant to AS 14.03.040, the school board may approve Saturday as a day in session.

The School Board shall fix the length of the school day subject to the provisions of law.

The school day shall be arranged and scheduled by the administration so as to offer the greatest return educationally for the time spent, within the limitations of school facilities and requirements of state law and regulations.

A school that offers kindergarten shall provide a kindergarten day in session that consists of at least two hours of instructional time. A kindergarten student who attends school for less than four hours per day, exclusive of intermissions, will be counted for funding purposes under 4 AAC 09.040, *Counting of correspondence students and part-time public school students.*

~~The minimum day for students is defined in state law as follows:~~

~~Grades K-3: four hours of instructional time; lunch and recess not included in the four hours;~~

~~Grades 4-12: five hours of instructional time; lunch and recess not included in the five hours.~~

Legal Reference:

ALASKA STATUTES

14.03.40 Day in session

ALASKA REGULATIONS

4 AAC 05.100 Kindergarten day in session

4 AAC 09.040 Counting of correspondence students and part-time public school students

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