

**TITLE: CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH STUDENTS MAY ATTEND FOR FEWER THAN FOUR FULL YEARS AND/OR MAY BE SCHEDULED FOR COURSES FOR LESS THAN THE INSTRUCTIONAL DAY**

Instructional Day. All students shall be scheduled for the full instructional day for all four years in grades 9-12. Compelling circumstances that may warrant exceptions under which students may attend school for fewer than four full years would allow students to be scheduled for less than the full instructional day are as follows:

- Enrollment in dual credit and/or college courses.
- Enrollment in advanced vocational/technical programs.
- Enrollment in WV Virtual School courses.
- Participation in apprenticeships or internships.
- Participation in Marketing or Cooperative Education programs that require part time employment.
- Existence of a compelling circumstance (i.e., medical condition, etc.). Such cases must be approved by the superintendent.

Review Schedule. This policy shall be reviewed in accordance with the Policy Review Schedule published by the Superintendent.

**Legal Authority:** West Virginia Board of Education Policy 2510

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