

TERRELL COUNTY BOARD POLICY
School Day

Descriptive Code: AF
Date: 2/8/2010
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Students

1. The length of the school day for kindergarten through third grades shall not be less than 270 minutes (four and one half hours of instruction).
2. The length of the school day for grades four and five shall not be less than 300 minutes (five hours of instruction).
3. The length of the school day for grades six through 12 shall include not less than 300 minutes (five and one half hours of instruction).

Hours of instruction are defined as all portions of the day when school is in session, with the exception of recesses and lunch periods.

A student must be in attendance for a minimum of one-half of the required instructional day to be counted by the State as present.

Teachers

The minimum workday for teachers is eight hours and the minimum workweek is forty hours.