

REQUEST FOR A SHORTENED SCHOOL DAY

BACKGROUND AND RATIONALE:

A shortened school day is being requested for students with disabilities. These requests represent the recommendation of an Admission and Release Committee (ARC) based on data from the current Individual Education Program and a physician's recommendation for each student. A plan has been developed to address each student's return to a full school day. The ARC will continue to address this possibility with input from the physician.

PROPOSAL:

1. There has been a recommendation for a shortened school day due to multiple diagnoses. The physician has recommended gradual transition back into school. This student's day will be from 7:45 to 1:35.

<u>Item</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Funding Source</u>	<u>Recurring/ Nonrecurring</u>	<u>Measurable Expected Impact and Timeline</u>
Shortened School Day	None	Not applicable	Not applicable	Educational programming will continue to the extent the students' medical condition will allow

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KRS REFERENCE: 158.060 (3)

KAR REFERENCE: 707 KAR 1:350

POLICY REFERENCE: Procedures for Exceptional Children Chapter 8 Placement Decisions Section I

RECOMMENDATION: A motion is in order to:

“approve the request for a shortened school day for these students.”