

Hamilton Community Schools

K-4 Elementary Instructional Minutes

The following document outlines recommendations for instructional minute allocation for Kindergarten, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th grade classrooms.

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2018-2019						
Activity	Kindergarten		1st & 2nd grade		3rd & 4th grade	
	daily average	weekly average	daily average	weekly average	daily average	weekly average
Specials/Enrichment	41.5	207.5	41.5	207.5	41.5	207.5
Lunch/Recess	55	275	55	275	55	275
Reading	90	450	90	450	90	450
Reading Tier 2 (4 days per week)	24	120	24	120	24	120
Writing (with an additional 15 minutes embedded daily in other content areas)	30	150	45-60	262.5	45-60	262.5
Math Tier 2 (2 days per week)	12	60	12	60	12	60
Extra Recess (3 times per week)	9	45-75	9	45-75	9	45-75
Snack	10	50	10	50	10	50
Math	45-60	262.5	45-60	262.5	55-60	287.5
Science/Social Studies	30-45	187.5	30-45	187.5	30-45	187.5
Transitions	15-30	112.5	15-25	100	15-20	87.5
Community Building	10-15	62.5	10-15	62.5	10-15	62.5
TOTALS	396.5	1937.5	416.5	2037.5	419	2050

School Begins	8:50 am
Dismissal	3:50 pm
<i>total daily minutes (from beginning to dismissal, including lunch and recesses)</i>	420 daily minutes
<i>total weekly minutes</i>	2100 weekly minutes