

TYLER COUNTY POLICY: GAX

STAFF MEETINGS / FACULTY SENATE

Staff meetings are essential to efficient and effective school operation and often provide a mechanism for problem solving and input to the decision-making process. Employees are expected to participate in staff meetings and committee work as requested by the principal or supervisors.

Meetings shall be scheduled by the principal or supervisor as needed. Sufficient notice of such meetings should be given to the employees, unless emergency circumstances prevent pre-planning. Such meetings shall not exceed an eight-hour work day nor more than forty hours per week, unless compensation is agreed to between the principal and employee.

Staff shall attend staff meetings unless excused by their principal or supervisor.

FACULTY SENATE

The Board shall provide a two-hour block of non-instructional time for all professional personnel within each school to meet as a faculty senate. The faculty senate shall be comprised of all permanent, full-time professional educators employed at the school. All teachers and the principal(s) must attend faculty senate meetings. However, at the teacher's request, the principal may occasionally excuse an individual from a Faculty Senate meeting for another assignment.

Specific purposes of Faculty Senate are delineated in State Code 18-5A-5.

REFERENCE: School Laws of West Virginia 18-5A-5; 18-5-45;  
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