



Carleton Washburne School Extended Day At-a-Glance

What is the rationale for extending the school day at Carleton Washburne School?

Our priorities for the school day have been to uphold the safety of students, staff and families, maximize in-person, in-school learning, and to identify critical curriculum and social emotional needs. With improving health metrics, there is an opportunity to safely increase in person learning and daily core instruction. This shift will require moving from the hybrid model to a modified full day schedule. Added benefits to the new schedule include:

- *Daily core instruction in each subject*
- *Additional in-person learning*
- *Reduction of independent work time*
- *More opportunities for students to connect with peers and adults*
- *Transition to 8th grade and high school*
- *Greater flexibility with Special Education and Support Services*
- *Teacher planning time for lessons and student feedback*

When will the Washburne schedule shift to its Extended Day schedule?

Our targeted date for the launch of the new schedule is Monday, March 15. During the next month, we will be working to finalize the schedule from a logistical and operational perspective.

What is the new schedule?

8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. School Day

- 8:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m. In-Person Day
 - 4 core classes, advisory, resource, world language (also exploring how we might alternate with KW)
- 12:45 p.m.- 1:30 p.m. Lunch at home
- 1:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m. Remote Day
 - Kinetic Wellness, electives, office hours, band/orchestra, special education related services (speech therapy, social work, etc.)

Key Elements

- Core classes = 192 Min daily. 48 Min per class.
- Special Education resource in person
- World Language
- Advisory time in person
- Kinetic Wellness and Related Studies continued to be offered daily during remote of part of day (Exploring periodic Kinetic Wellness in person)
- Remote Office Hours will include a 30 minute period for team office hours (one day math, one day ELA, etc)