

MIDDLE SCHOOL SCHEDULE OPTIONS

DPMS School Community Council
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WHICH SCHEDULES ARE
BEING USED BY MIDDLE
SCHOOLS AROUND UTAH?



NEIGHBORING DISTRICTS

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/16Tp3F84W593qsAAkZV0BUq9Y_SBm5d2xiLYphMHsaa0/edit?pli=1#gid=1418616101&range=A1:F25



With the extra periods in their schedules, what additional class options are students choosing?



UTAH MIDDLE SCHOOL COURSE OPTIONS

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WHICH COURSES ARE
OFFERED AT DPMS WITH
THE CURRENT SCHEDULE?



DRAPER PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL COURSE OPTIONS

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How do additional course options affect these other Utah Middle Schools?

Are students more satisfied?

Do they still perform well on testing?

Does it prepare them for high school, college, and future careers?

Are they more interested in school and learning?

How do parents feel?



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MIDDLE SCHOOL RANKINGS

Schools included in table are
Public Middle Schools of Utah with similar school
population size and similar grades: 6, 7, 8 & 9
Ranking is based on test scores
and parent/student satisfaction

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LAST YEAR WHEN WE LOOKED AT SCHOOL SCHEDULES, SEAT TIME WAS A BIG FACTOR.

Does daily seat time directly affect test scores?

Do more class periods and course options negatively affect test scores?

IN UTAH, WHAT ARE THE TEST SCORES IN CORRELATION TO CLASS PERIODS PER DAY AND SEAT TIME?



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WHAT CAN WE DO TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF DR. BRISCOE'S NEW DISTRICT POLICY?

As a School Community Council we have the power to activate change in our class schedule.

OUR DEADLINE IS NOVEMBER 1ST

Land Trust Funds are used to improve the academic plan for EVERY STUDENT.

More options translate to students who are passionate about school, academically strong, happy, and more well rounded for their future.

LET'S BUILD UPON THE STRONG FOUNDATION HERE AT DRAPER PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL.

WHAT ARE THE NEXT STEPS?

1. Vote as an SCC for 2 alternative schedules.
2. Form a subcommittee to study 2 new proposed schedules. Include pro/con, comparison with current schedule as per Canyons District Policy 700.10 (Due by October 5th)
3. Principal Anderson meets with DBA to bring back a Fiscal Impact Report regarding these 2 potential schedules. (due October 13)
4. Present the 2 schedule options in a school-wide parent meeting. (week of October 16)
5. Conduct a parent survey via Survey Monkey (week of October 16)
6. Vote as an SCC and submit a new schedule by November 1.

