

GREENWICH PUBIC SCHOOLS
Greenwich, CT

June 2017
Changing School Bell Times Update

GREENWICH PUBLIC SCHOOLS BELL TIMES ARE CHANGING

The Board of Education's [School Start Time Ad Hoc Committee](#) is working with GPS administration and School Bus Consultants (SBC) to plan for changing school bell times and to address potential impacts that changing school bell times may have in a variety of areas.

New Bell Times effective for the 2017-2018 School Year:

	Preschool	Elementary	Middle	High
Start	8:30 a.m. (NSS, PKW, OGS) 8:15 a.m. (HAS)	8:15 a.m. (HAS, JCS, NLS) 8:45 a.m. (CCS, GLV, ISD, NMS, NSS, OGS, PKW, RIV)	8:00 a.m.	8:30 a.m.
Dismissal	1:30 p.m. (NSS, PKW, OGS) 2:30 p.m. (HAS)	2:45 p.m. (HAS, JCS, NLS) 3:15 p.m. (CCS, GLV, ISD, NMS, NSS, OGS, PKW, RIV)	2:50 p.m.	3:15 p.m.
Change from current times	No Change	No Change	15 minutes later	60 minutes later

GENERAL

Public School Bus Schedules for 2017-2018 will be released to families on July 5th, following the holiday. This is a month earlier than typically distributed. Schedules will be released via Parent Link and will be available at all school offices.

Questions and Comments regarding transportation for the 2017-2018 school year can be voiced by utilizing the "Report Bus Issue" tool, found in the "Quick Links" header on www.greenwickschools.org. Additionally, please contact the Transportation Department at 203-625-7443.

The Bell Time Schedule, to include start, dismissal, early release, and late bus times for each school has been posted to the GPS website

HIGH SCHOOL

Athletics. Greenwich High School athletic program offerings (i.e. sports/teams at all levels of play) for 2017-18 will remain consistent with current offerings; practice schedules and game/contest times may require adjustments.

Doors at the High School will open at 6:00 AM for all students during the 2017-2018 school year.

MIDDLE SCHOOLS

Doors at the Middle Schools will open at 7:15 AM for all students during the 2017-2018 school year.

COMMUNICATIONS

- **We encourage you** to send your questions to the Office of the Superintendent at salvatore_corda@greenwich.k12.ct.us.
- *Bell Time Updates* are posted to the [GPS website](#)
- [Frequently Asked Questions](#) on Changing School Bell Times
- Follow the [BOE Ad Hoc Committee's](#) work