

New with the 2015-2016 School Year: Extended Learning Time (ELT)

Extended Learning Time, held daily for a 43 minute period, allows the varying needs of students to be addressed in an effective way. Below are some sample uses of the ELT for this coming year.

1. The primary purpose of ELT is to allow time for interdisciplinary work by grade level.
2. Time for specific grade level issues such as skill building and study skills.
3. Support in the areas of math, integrated language arts, and behavior, as mandated by the Connecticut State Department of Education.
4. Twenty minutes will be used for literacy, which includes sustained silent reading.
5. Allows grade-level teaching teams the flexibility to customize instruction based on individual needs of their students.