

To: Uniontown Elementary Parents

From: Mr. Burns

Lake Local Schools Adjusting Start and End Times for 2011-2012

In order to reduce staff costs Lake Local Schools will adjust start and end times for the next school year. Currently the students arrive at 8:15 with announcements at 8:25. This change will take place upon the start of the new school year in August. For the 2011-2012 school year, kindergarten through grade five will commence at 8:35 next year, twenty minutes later than this year's starting time. The K-5 ending times will remain the same. Time allotted for core subjects will not be altered, as the twenty minutes will be appropriated from non-core areas from the schedule. By adjusting the schedule we will be able to reduce staff and continue to provide teachers with common planning time each day. Common planning has proven to be essential for the outstanding academic achievement demonstrated by our students.

Lake High School and Lake Middle School will observe only modest adjustments for their starting and ending times. The high school and middle school will begin five minutes later {7:24 – 7:29} and end five minutes later {2:25 for the middle school and 2:33 for the high school}. The high school and middle school adjustments were necessary to accommodate the elementary school bus runs.

2011-2012 Uniontown Elementary Student Day

8:35 - Arrival

8:45 - Start of the school day-Must be in classroom or marked tardy at this time

3:10 – Dismissal-Parent Pick-up

3:25 - Buses Depart

The website will be available in August to check for bus pick-up and drop-off times. Parents in need of alternate stops other than their home address must complete an alternate stop form. The form is available at the bus garage. They can be reached at 330-877-4275.

If you have questions and/or concerns please feel free to email or call me at 330-877-4298 or burnsphil@lakelocal.org.

As always, thank you for your continued support.

Phil Burns, Principal