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District/School Operations

**SUBJECT:                    OPENING AND CLOSING HOURS AND EXCEPTIONS TO OPENING  
AND CLOSING HOURS OF SCHOOLS FOR THE 2009-2010 SCHOOL  
YEAR**

**COMMITTEE:                INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

**LINK TO DISTRICT**

**STRATEGIC GOAL:        ENSURE SCHOOL INFRASTRUCTURE AND SCHEDULES MEET THE  
NEEDS OF STUDENTS AND TEACHERS AND LEARNING**

Pursuant to School Board Rule 6Gx13- 6A-1.03, School Day, the Superintendent of Schools is required to report changes in opening and closing hours of schools to the Board in open session sixty (60) days prior to the effective date.

No changes are recommended for the opening and closing hours for Pre-K-12 schools, including exceptional student education centers, for the 2009-2010 school year. The school hours are as follows:

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| Elementary Schools | Grades Pre-K, K, 1 | 8:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. |
|                    | Grades 2 – 5/6     | 8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. |
| K - 8 Centers      | Grades Pre-K, K, 1 | 8:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. |
|                    | Grades 2 – 8       | 8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. |

***On Wednesdays, all elementary and K-8 students are dismissed at 2:00 p.m.***

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| Middle Schools      | Grades 6 – 8  | 9:00 a.m. – 3:40 p.m. |
| Senior High Schools | Grades 9 – 12 | 7:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. |

Staff in the Department of Transportation has reviewed requests for exceptions to the opening and closing hours, and recommend that the following exceptions may be implemented without additional funds:

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## NORTH REGIONAL CENTER

| REGIONAL CENTER | SCHOOL                                 | OPERATING HOURS                                      | GRADE LEVELS AFFECTED |
|-----------------|--|--|-----------------------|
| N               | North Dade Center for Modern Languages | 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.<br>8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.       | 1<br>2-5              |
| N               | Bob Graham Education Center            | 8:15 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.                                | PK-K in PLC           |
| N               | Miami Lakes K-8 Center                 | 8:45 a.m. - 3:25 p.m.<br>8:45 a.m. - 2:25 p.m. (Wed) | 6-8                   |
| N               | Carol City Middle                      | 7:30 a.m. - 2:20 p.m.                                | 6-8                   |
| N               | Lake Stevens Middle                    | 7:30 a.m. - 2:20 p.m.                                | 6-8                   |
| N               | Dr. Michael M. Krop Senior High        | 7:25 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.                                | 9-12                  |
| N               | YMAACD @ MacArthur North Senior High   | 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.                                | 6-12                  |
| N               | YWAACD @ Jan Mann Opportunity          | 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.                                | 6-12                  |

## NORTH CENTRAL REGIONAL CENTER

| REGIONAL CENTER | SCHOOL                           | OPERATING HOURS  | GRADE LEVELS AFFECTED |
|-----------------|----------------------------------|--|-----------------------|
| NC              | Ben Sheppard Elementary          | 8:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.<br>8:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.                                 | PK-1 & PLC<br>2-5     |
| NC              | Lillie C. Evans Elementary       | 9:10 a.m. - 2:40 p.m.<br>9:10 a.m. - 2:40 p.m. (Wed.)<br>9:10 a.m. - 3:40 p.m. | PK<br>PK-6<br>K-6     |
| NC              | Allapattah Middle                | 8:50 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.  | 6-8                   |
| NC              | Charles R. Drew Middle           | 8:00 a.m. - 2:40 p.m.  | 6-8                   |
| NC              | Hialeah Gardens Middle           | 7:30 a.m. - 2:20 p.m.  | 6-8                   |
| NC              | Horace Mann Middle               | 8:55 a.m. - 3:40 p.m.  | 6-8                   |
| NC              | Miami Edison Middle              | 7:50 a.m. - 2:40 p.m.<br>7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.                                 | 6-8<br>9              |
| NC              | Westview Middle                  | 7:50 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.<br>7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.                                 | 6-8<br>9              |
| NC              | William H. Turner Technical Arts | 7:25 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.  | 9-12                  |

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| NC | The 500 Role Models Academy | 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. | 6-8  |
| NC | C.O.P.E. Center North       | 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. | 6-12 |
| NC | Corporate Academy North     | 7:25 a.m. - 2:25 p.m. | 9-12 |
| NC | Juvenile Justice Center     | 7:50 a.m. - 2:40 p.m. | 6-12 |

## SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL CENTER

| REGIONAL CENTER | SCHOOL                                   | OPERATING HOURS  | GRADE LEVELS AFFECTED  |
|-----------------|--|--|------------------------|
| SC              | Bowman Foster Ashe Elementary            | 8:15 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.  | PK-K in PLC            |
| SC              | Marjory Stoneman Douglas Elementary      | 8:15 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.  | PK-K in PLC            |
| SC              | Sunset Elementary                        | 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.<br>8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.                                 | Magnet 1<br>Magnet 2-5 |
| SC              | Wesley Matthews Elementary               | 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  | Gifted-1               |
| SC              | Henry S. West Laboratory                 | 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  | 1                      |
| SC              | Zora Neale Hurston Elementary            | 8:15 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.<br>8:15 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.<br>8:15 a.m. - 1:45 p.m. (Wed.) | PK-1<br>2-5<br>PK-5    |
| SC              | Coral Way K-8 Center                     | 8:15 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.  | PK-K                   |
| SC              | Key Biscayne Community (K-8 Center)      | 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  | Gifted -1              |
| SC              | Citrus Grove Middle                      | 8:00 a.m. -2:40 p.m.   | 6-8                    |
| SC              | George Washington Carver Middle          | 9:00 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.  | 6-8                    |
| SC              | Kinloch Park Middle                      | 7:40 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.  | 6-8                    |
| SC              | Riviera Middle                           | 8:20 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  | 6-8                    |
| SC              | Shenandoah Middle                        | 8:00 a.m. - 2:40 p.m.  | 6-8                    |
| SC              | South Miami Middle                       | 8:20 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  | 6-8                    |
| SC              | Booker T. Washington Senior High         | 7:30 a.m. - 2:35 p.m.  | 9-12                   |
| SC              | Coral Gables Senior High                 | 7:25 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.  | 9-12                   |
| SC              | Design & Architecture Senior High (DASH) | 7:40 a.m. - 3:35 p.m.  | 9-12                   |
| SC              | G. Holmes Braddock Senior High           | 7:25 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.  | 9-12                   |

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| SC | John A. Ferguson Senior High                 | 7:25 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. | 9-12 |
| SC | Maritime & Science Technology Academy (MAST) | 8:00 a.m. - 3:15 p.m. | 9-12 |
| SC | Miami Coral Park Senior High                 | 7:25 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. | 9-12 |
| SC | New World School of the Arts                 | 7:30 a.m. - 3:45 p.m. | 9-12 |
| SC | Young Women's Preparatory Academy            | 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. | 6-10 |
| SC | Academy for Community Education              | 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. | 9-12 |
| SC | School for Applied Technology                | 8:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. | 9-12 |

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| REGIONAL CENTER | SCHOOL                               | OPERATING HOURS                                       | GRADE LEVELS AFFECTED |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------|---|-----------------------|
| S               | Air Base Elementary                  | 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.                                 | K-5                   |
| S               | Cutler Ridge Elementary              | 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.                                 | Gifted-1              |
| S               | Dr. Gilbert L. Porter Elementary     | 8:15 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.                                 | PK-K in PLC           |
| S               | Norma Butler Bossard Elementary      | 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.                                 | Gifted -1             |
| S               | Oliver Hoover Elementary             | 8:15 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.                                 | PK-K in PLC           |
| S               | Whispering Pines Elementary          | 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.                                 | Gifted -1             |
| S               | South Dade Middle                    | 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.<br>9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. (Wed.) | 4-8                   |
| S               | Homestead Middle                     | 7:50 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.                                 | 6-8                   |
| S               | School for Advanced Studies South    | 8:40 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.                                 | 11-12                 |
| S               | Dorothy M. Wallace COPE Center South | 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.                                 | 6-12                  |
| S               | YMAACD @ MacArthur South Senior High | 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.                                 | 6-12                  |
| S               | YWAACD @ JRE Lee Opportunity         | 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.                                 | 6-12                  |

## SPECIAL EDUCATION (SPED) CENTERS

| SPED CENTER  | OPERATING HOURS                                | GRADE LEVELS AFFECTED |
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| Children's Rehabilitation Network (No Buses)         | 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.                          | K-12                  |
| Children's Rehabilitation Network-North (No Buses)   | 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.                          | K-12                  |
| Easter Seals South Florida, Inc., Culinary           | 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.                          | 9-12                  |
| Exceptional Development Corporation of South Florida | 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.                          | 9-12                  |
| Florida Club Care Center (No Buses)                  | 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.                          | K-12                  |
| Goodwill Industries                                  | 8:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.                          | 9-12                  |
| Jackson Pediatric Center (No Buses)                  | 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.                          | K-12                  |
| Mailman Center                                       | 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.                          | K-2                   |
| Merrick Educational Center                           | 8:00 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.                          | K-12                  |
| Neva King Cooper Educational Center                  | 8:15 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.                          | K-12                  |
| PATCHES (No Buses)                                   | 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.                          | K-12                  |
| Pedi PEC (No Buses)                                  | 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.                          | K-12                  |
| Project ACCEPT                                       | 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.                          | 12                    |
| Project BRIDGE                                       | 7:45 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.                          | 12                    |
| Project SEARCH – City of Miami (No Buses)            | 8:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.                          | 12                    |
| Project SEARCH – Metro Zoo (No Buses)                | 8:15 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.                          | 12                    |
| Prescribed Pediatric Extended Care (No Buses)        | 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.                          | K-12                  |
| Robert Renick Educational Center                     | 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.<br>9:40 a.m. - 3:40 p.m. | K-5<br>6-12           |
| Ruth Owens Kruse Educational Center                  | 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.<br>9:40 a.m. - 3:40 p.m. | K-5<br>6-12           |
| Sunrise Community Services - Doral                   | 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.                          | 9-12                  |
| United Cerebral Palsy - Baby House (No Buses)        | 8:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.                          | K-12                  |

## EDUCATIONAL ALTERNATIVE OUTREACH CENTERS

| OUTREACH CENTER  | OPERATING HOURS       | GRADE LEVELS AFFECTED |
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| Bay Point Schools-Kendall (No Buses)                                     | 8:00 a.m. - 2:10 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Bay Point Schools-North (No Buses)                                       | 8:00 a.m. - 2:10 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Boystown (No Buses)  | 8:00 a.m. - 2:55 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Citrus Health-Crisis Unit (No Buses)                                     | 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Citrus Health-Lou Panci Educational Center (No Buses)                    | 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Citrus Health-SIPP (No Buses)  | 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Dade Juvenile Residential Facility (No Buses)                            | 7:25 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Dade Marine Institute – North  | 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Dade Marine Institute – South  | 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Here’s Help – North (No Buses)   | 8:00 a.m. - 2:55 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Hialeah Institute  | 9:00 a.m. - 3:10 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Highland Park Child & Adolescent Psychiatric In-Patient (No Buses)       | 7:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Highland Park Statewide In-Patient Psychiatric Program (SIPP) (No Buses) | 7:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Little Havana Institute  | 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Miami Behavioral JARF (No Buses)   | 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Miami Bridge, Inc. North (No Buses)                                      | 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Miami Bridge, Inc. South (No Buses)                                      | 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Miami Children's Hospital (No Buses)                                     | 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Open Arms International (No Buses)                                       | 7:15 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. | All Grades            |
| Richmond-Perrine Optimist-LEAP   | 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. | All Grades            |
| The Village - Boys (No Buses)  | 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | All Grades            |

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| The Village - Girls (No Buses)                 | 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | All Grades |
| Troy Community Academy (No Buses)              | 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. | All Grades |
| Turner Guilford Knight Correctional (No Buses) | 7:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. | All Grades |
| Wings For Life South Florida (No Buses)        | 7:30 a.m. - 2:20 p.m. | All Grades |
| Women's Detention Center (No Buses)            | 8:45 a.m. - 2:45 p.m. | All Grades |

**RECOMMENDED:** That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve the opening and closing hours of Pre-K-12 schools for the 2009-2010 school year.

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