



CALENDAR PROPOSAL 2020-2021

START TIMES, CALENDAR, SCHEDULE

WHY WE WANT A CHANGE?

- WELLNESS
- SLEEP RESEARCH/HEALTH
- ACADEMIC SUCCESS CORRELATED TO SLEEP
- INSTRUCTIONAL TIME TO GO DEEPER, COLLEGIATE MODEL
- TIME FOR STUDENTS TO MEET WITH TEACHERS

CONTEXT

- STUDENT FOCUSED CULTURE
- LONG DISCUSSIONS/COMMITTEE WORK
- COLLABORATIVE
- FRUSTRATION WITH CONSTRAINTS (SEAT TIME, AGRARIAN CALENDAR, BAY AREA COMMUTE)

COMPLEX PROBLEM

- INSTRUCTIONAL TIME
- EMPHASIS ON BALANCING ACADEMIC RIGOR AND WELLNESS
- LOGISTICS

EXTENSIVE REVIEW

- NATIONAL MODELS
- STATE MODELS
- LOCAL MODELS
- CREATED OUR OWN MVLA MODELS

CONVERSATIONS

- PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL
- NEGOTIATIONS
- STAKEHOLDER INPUT MEETING
- WORKLOAD COMMITTEE
- REP. COUNCIL OUTREACH
- ADMIN TEAM MEETINGS
- CABINET
- SUPERINTENDENT CHECK INS

CONSIDERATIONS

- STUDENT WELLNESS
- SUMMER SCHOOL
- FAMILY CHILD CARE: CHILDREN IN DIFFERENT DISTRICTS
- PARTNER DISTRICTS/SUMMER ALIGNMENT
- INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES
- BALANCING SEMESTER SCHEDULES

AGREEMENTS

- SPIRIT OF CREATIVITY AND OPEN MINDEDNESS
- STUDENTS BENEFIT FROM MORE TIME WITH INSTRUCTORS: TUTORIAL, OFFICE HOURS
- A LATER START IS NEEDED SB 328, WELLNESS-START TIME
- PROFESSIONAL DEV. TEACHER PREP TIME
- CONSIDERATION OF INCREASING BLOCK DAYS WITHIN THE SCHEDULE
- STRATEGIC BREAKS TO ENHANCE WELLNESS

CHALLENGES:

- STUDENT ACCESS TO COURSES
- ATHLETICS
- VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS, FREESTYLE
- CHANGING INSTRUCTION DUE TO BLOCK PERIODS
- LOGISTICS: COMMUTE FOR STAFF AND STUDENTS

NEXT STEPS:

- 1. REVIEW DRAFT CALENDAR
- 2. BRING FORWARD CALENDAR IN JANUARY
- 3. ONGOING OUTREACH WITH STAKEHOLDERS
- 4. PERIODIC EVALUATION OF SCHEDULE

THANK

YOU!

