

## 1.28.21 Written Public Comment-rev1

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1/27/2021 17:37:59	Kate Feutz	<p>Dear BOE and Dr. Moyer, I'd like to start by saying thank you for your efforts, and the recent addition of Wednesdays into the k-5 rotation. This is progress. I have 3 students in the district. My main concern and reason for speaking up tonight is my 6th grader. I am extremely concerned specifically about our MS and HS students. My child's mental health and anxiety has caused us to seek help from Linden Hills as well as therapy. Our child is withdrawn, unmotivated and socially withdrawn. She is not making social connections at Bryan and has been unable to make any new friends. She is extremely anxious at school and says every day feels like the first day. I am pleading with you, please, consider eliminating the C group at the Middle schools so the students have a better opportunity to connect socially and emotionally. We are struggling to hang on, and in speaking to many other parents, I know we aren't alone. Please reconsider the group C. Our children have sacrificed enough and I fear the consequences will be tragic if we don't get them connected soon. Thank you for your time and efforts. Kate</p>
1/27/2021 18:15:07	Janette Lanciloti	<p>Please eliminate the c group at Bryan and follow an a/b schedule like the rest of the schools in the district. Having 3 children in 3 different district schools and not all attending on the same days is extremely difficult for a working parent not to mention my child at Bryan is attending less school days than my other 2 children. The classes at Bryan are not gender balanced. My child only has 1 other girl in 2 of her classes. I feel that this is causing social and emotional issues. I also heard that some parents chose hybrid but are not even sending their children to school and they should be held accountable for taking a seat that is being unused. Please for the social emotional health of the children eliminate the abc schedule.</p>
1/27/2021 19:28:58	Robyn Pretzie	<p>Good evening,  I want to start by sharing with the Board Members tonight my disapproval of the A/B/C schedule at Bryan. My 6th grader went to in person school at Bryan 4 total days in Jan for a total of 20 hours of middle school for 1 whole month. In February my 6th grader will go to in person school at Bryan 6 total days for a total of 30 hours of middle school for 1 month. Thats 50 hours of in person learning in 2 full months. This is unacceptable!!  We are 11 months into this pandemic and we need a plan and a plan NOW!!! My 6th grader goes to school every Wednesday and 1-2 "Bonus" Fridays a month while my 9th grader goes to in person learning at York every Thursday and Friday UNLESS we are off a day then it could be Wed and Thurs that week. This is a nightmare for working parents, esp if you throw a "SNOW DAY" in the mix.  I also have a Junior at ICCP so I can compare children that have been officially Hybrid (Every other day in person /8 hours a day) and this so called hybrid district 205 schedule that is a complete joke. My Junior has never had a better year emotionally and academically. My 6th grader and 9th grader both are struggling with depression and anxiety. This is not fair to these kids!! You have had more than enough time to figure this out and get it done the right way. No More Excuses!!  Lets get these kids back in school everyday or at the very least every other day!!</p>