

Middlesex League School Start Times

District	Elementary School		Middle School		High School		Notes
	Current Time	Proposed Time	Current Time	Proposed Time	Current Time	Proposed Time	
Arlington	8:10am	TBD	8:00 AM	8:30 AM	8:00 AM	8:30 AM	School Committee and teachers' union have an agreement to recommend change to middle school and high school start times; to date no committee has been formed yet and hours will remain the same in 2018-2019.
Belmont	8:40 AM / 8:30 AM	TBD	7:55 AM	TBD	7:35 AM	TBD	School start times policy subcommittee in early stages of discussion. No changes will be made for 2018-2019.
Burlington	8:10 AM - 8:35 AM	7:55 AM / 8:20 AM	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	8:35 AM	School Committee approved this change November 2017. HS will end at 3:05pm.
Lexington	8:45 AM	TBD	8:00 AM	TBD	7:45 AM	TBD	Task Force currently in process; parents, students, and staff have been surveyed; presentations to School Committee and Public Hearing Spring, 2018.
Melrose	8:15 AM	8:03 AM	7:45 AM	8:15 AM	7:45 AM	8:15 AM	8:15 AM start time begins in 2018-2019 school year; an Implementation Committee has been created to handle any lingering issues of changing the start time
Reading							No formalized discussions have begun.
Stoneham	8:30 AM	8:30 AM	7:58 AM	7:58 AM	7:50 AM	8:15 AM	Elementary reorganization in 2018-2019 will likely affect middle and high school start times which are not expected to be later than 8:15 AM. 2018-2019 only high school start time has changed.
Wakefield	8:40 AM	TBD	7:50 AM	TBD	7:30 AM	TBD	There have been some preliminary discussions, but no formal committee has been formed.
Watertown	8:15 AM / 8:30 AM	8:15 AM	7:40 AM	8:30 AM	7:55 AM	8:30 AM	School Committee approved change in October 2017 for September 2018 implementation. MS will be 8:30 AM start as well; Elementary at 8:15 AM. Bus impacts, worst case scenario is about \$185k.
Weston	8:10 AM - 2:20 PM	8:00 AM - 2:20 PM	7:40 AM - 2:45 PM	8:45 AM - 3:15 PM	7:30 AM - 2:50 PM	8:45 AM - 3:15 PM	The School Committee approved the new school schedule for 2018-2019 at its meeting on Monday, February 26.
Winchester	8:30 AM / 8:45 AM	8:10 AM	7:45 AM	8:30 AM	7:45 AM	8:30 AM	Voted 2/6/18 to implement an 8:30 AM start time for middle and high school in 2018-2019 school year. Winchester shifted elementary start time from proposed time of 8:00 AM to 8:10 AM due to considerable feedback.
Woburn							December 2017: School Committee recognized the need to delve more deeply into plans for a later start of school.