

House Bill 2853

Sponsored by Representative WHISNANT

SUMMARY

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Specifies minimum number of instructional days that class schedule adopted by district school board must provide.

Takes effect July 1, 2016.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to a required number of instructional days; and prescribing an effective date.

3 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

4 **SECTION 1. (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, each district school**
5 **board shall adopt a class schedule that provides no fewer than 180 instructional days each**
6 **school year to students who attend a school of the school district.**

7 **(2) If a school district has a four-day school week, a district school board may adopt a**
8 **class schedule that provides fewer than 180 instructional days each school year.**

9 **(3) The State Board of Education shall adopt rules that establish the standards of an in-**
10 **structional day. Rules adopted under this subsection may require different minimum and**
11 **maximum numbers of hours in an instructional day according to:**

12 **(a) The grade level of the student.**

13 **(b) Whether the school district has a four-day school week or a five-day school week.**

14 **SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2015 Act first applies to the 2016-2017 school year.**

15 **SECTION 3. This 2015 Act takes effect on July 1, 2016.**

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NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.