

Elementary School Classroom Schedule: 6.5 hours (390 minutes)
 Grades 3-5, Tier II
 (Tier II, those students needing increased, focused academic time)

	DAILY TIME ALLOTMENT	
English Language Arts, including Science, Social Studies*	120 minutes	2 hours
<u>Added Tier II</u>	30 minutes	½ hour
Mathematics*	90 minutes	1 ½ hours
<u>Added Tier II</u>	30 minutes	½ hour
Lunch	30 minutes	½ hour
Recess	30 minutes	½ hour
Special Area Classes:** Physical Education, Music, Art, Technology, Library, Guidance	60 minutes (in combination throughout the week)	1 hour
TOTAL:	390 minutes	6 hours, 30 minutes (Tier II)

*Tennessee Department of Education/State Board of Education
 Guidelines/Recommendations

**Special Area Classes (1 hour per day, providing block planning time for teachers)

<u>Hours per week:</u> Physical education	1 hour
Music	1 hour
Art	1 hour
Technology	1 hour
Library/Media	30 minutes
Guidance	30 minutes

Footnote 1: The above schedule for Tier II includes all the highly recommended guidelines from the State Board of Education/Department of Education. The classroom schedule (Tier II) provides the recommended time for all academic disciplines as well as special area classes.

Footnote 2: Daily recess and/or physical activity breaks are included in the above schedule and calculated in the total minutes.