# MIDDLE SCHOOL REPORT <br> <br> October 2022 

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## New Business

Knowing your contract - We have received lots of questions about Monday PDs. The Contract states "Meetings may be held for periods up to forty-five (45) minutes beyond the end of the regular Teacher Day on the first three (3) calendar Mondays of each month that school is in session, except that in the month of September, such periods may be scheduled by the Employer on the first three (3) school Mondays. Mondays regular Teacher Day shall be:

Elementary - 6 hrs. 45 mins
Middle School - 7 hrs. 20 mins
Secondary - 7hrs. 10 mins

## Reminders

1) When contacting an officer, please make sure you have all the information about the situation. We are always available to discuss the situation with you. Please having all the facts so that we can best help with the plan of action.
2) Please remember that reps should be holding at least one building meeting per month. Also, please attempt to hold one monthly meeting with your building administration to address building concerns.
3) It is the expectation of the association that building reps are sharing situational information that is happening to our members.
4) Sharing building situations and outcomes from rep to rep is not in violation of HIPPA. It is understood that reps will not pass on information to other members unless they are directly involved.
5) Please remember that members can request specific representation, but administration DOES NOT have to grant that request.

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