

Marion County Board of Education

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Due to the importance of student instruction, interruptions of instructional time shall be kept to a minimum.

Interruption of class time because of any sports, choral or band activity shall occur only once per activity classification each school year. The following rules shall apply:

- There will be only one of the above activities allowed in any week.
- Students participation in the above activities will be allowed out of class early for the one day.
- Events dealing with TSSAA play off will be an exception under administration of policy.
- All of the above activities must be presented to the full board for approval.
- Each class period or the day of the activity be shortened by ten minutes.
- The activities are to start no earlier than 2:00 p.m.
- The last period of each day is to be used as a class period and not a preparation time for other activities.
- Elementary school programs should be closely examined for their educational benefits.