

Rio Norte Bell Schedules

THE BLOCK SCHEDULE

TIME	A1 DAY	B4 DAY	A2 DAY	B5 DAY	A3 DAY	B6 DAY
7:45 AM - 9:20 AM	Per 1	Per 4	Per 2	Per 5	Per 3	Per 6
9:25 AM - 9:45 AM	Advisory	Advisory	Advisory	Advisory	Advisory	Advisory
9:45 AM - 10:05 AM	Brunch	Brunch	Brunch	Brunch	Brunch	Brunch
10:10 AM - 11:45 AM	Per 2	Per 5	Per 3	Per 6	Per 1	Per 4
11:45 AM - 12:20 PM	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
12:25 PM - 2:00 PM	Per 3	Per 6	Per 1	Per 4	Per 2	Per 5

Rio Norte has a rotating block schedule. Rotating gives both students and staff an opportunity to be at their best for all classes. Classes are split into "A" days and "B" days, with students taking half their classes on each day. "A1" means that students take their "A" classes that day (Periods 1 through 3), and begin the day with Period 1; "B4" means that students take their "B" classes that day (Periods 4 through 6), beginning with Period 4 – and so on. Whether you do your best work in the early morning, in the middle of the day, or after lunch, the rotating schedule means that you will have the chance to do different things at different times each day. On full 7-period days (six classes plus advisory), the day will always begin with Period 1.

Advisory is a time for students to check in with and make contact with the same teacher on a daily basis. Advisory, more commonly called "Homeroom," is a time for morning announcements, special video presentations, and sustained silent reading.

SPECIAL SCHEDULE DAYS

“BLOCK” MINIMUM DAY - *Minimum Days are necessary for a variety of reasons: Back-to-School Night, Open House, staff development days, and testing data review days. To minimize the disruption that minimum days cause, to give even more quality teaching and learning time, and because we believe in the success of block scheduling, Rio Norte has grouped many of its minimum days in two-day blocks. Whenever you see two minimum days back-to-back, they are likely designated as “Minimum Block Days.” Periods 1-3 (A) will be on one block minimum day, and Periods 4-6 (B) on the other.*

Minimum A-Block - BACK TO BACK WITH -Minimum B-Block

<u>TIME</u>	<u>PERIOD</u>
7:45 AM - 8:48 AM	Per 1
8:53 AM - 9:04 AM	Advisory
9:04 AM - 9:19 AM	Brunch
9:24 AM - 10:27 AM	Per 2
10:32 AM- 11:35 AM	Per 3

<u>TIME</u>	<u>PERIOD</u>
7:45 AM - 8:48 AM	Per 4
8:53 AM - 9:04 AM	Advisory
9:04 AM - 9:19 AM	Brunch
9:24 AM - 10:27 AM	Per 5
10:32 AM- 11:35 AM	Per 6

C- Day (attend each class)

<u>TIME</u>	<u>PERIOD</u>
7:45 AM - 8:32 AM	Per 1
8:37 AM - 9:24 AM	Per 2
9:29 AM - 9:42 AM	Advisory
9:42 AM - 9:57 AM	Brunch
10:02 AM - 10:49 AM	Per 3
10:54 AM - 11:41 AM	Per 4
11:41 AM - 12:16 PM	Lunch
12:21 PM - 1:08 PM	Per 5
1:13 PM - 2:00 PM	Per 6

Minimum Day (stand-alone)

<u>TIME</u>	<u>PERIOD</u>
7:45 AM - 8:14 AM	Per 1
8:19 AM - 8:48 AM	Per 2
8:53 AM - 9:22 AM	Per 3
9:27 AM - 9:37 AM	Advisory
9:37 AM - 9:52 AM	Brunch
9:57 AM - 10:26 AM	Per 4
10:31 AM - 11:00 AM	Per 5
11:05 AM - 11:35 AM	Per 6

