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Good afternoon, CTE team!

I have received quite a few inquiries about CTE minutes for next year, and I am sure you are, as well. The proposed 2023-24 SAAH has not yet been released, so this is the guidance that we have been providing to districts. Please use as you see fit:

The proposed language for the SAAH is a minimum of a 45-minute CTE class period with enough days to reach 8,100 CTE minutes over the school year. The 2022-23 waiver for not meeting 8000 minutes (grace given for 100 minutes) was only in effect for the 2022-23 school year. Districts who are currently planning their schedules for next year, including DOIs, should plan on meeting the minimum of 45-minute periods for a total of 8,100 CTE minutes to be eligible to receive CTE weighted funding.

Stakeholders will have an opportunity to make public comments regarding the proposed content of the 2023-24 SAAH. Once the proposed SAAH is posted, I encourage you to review it and submit any questions or concerns so they may be addressed. If changes are made to the SAAH, based on public comments, districts could review their bell and calendar schedules at that time.

In the meantime, please let me know if I may be of assistance. Have a wonderful rest of your week!

Sincerely,

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