

**Release Time**

**Code #537.04**

Release time for Tri-County Area School District teachers shall constitute time away from their assigned duty as a teacher for professional growth and development, for curriculum and assessment writing, and/or a specified purpose directly related to the performance of their job. Such release time shall not substitute for leave time.

Release time shall be approved by the Principal or District Administrator. Teacher release time shall not cause undue educational hardship to the students.

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