

District Educational Improvement Committee Troy ISD Administration Building

January 13, 2020

Notes

Agenda

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Informational Items:
 - a. TEA Safety and Security Grant
 - b. Facilities/Construction Update
- 3. 2020-2021 District Calendar Options
- 4. Next Meeting: TBD

Calendar Feedback Themes:

- Like half-days; students getting unique learning/service opportunities (and students seem to enjoy these experiences), but concerned about attendance, loss of regular instruction and the difficulty of planning both student and staff activities on the same day. Attendance: average of -3.8 percentage points. Best: -.8%, worst: -8.7% (compounded by illness).
- Combine four half-days to two PD days.
- Day off (or parent conferences) between Labor Day and Thanksgiving
- Don't touch: Thanksgiving or Fair Days
- Reduce number of PD days (either overall or at least before first day of school)

Feedback for further consideration: