

BLOCK SCHEDULING TO END AT CENTRAL

DAVENPORT SCHOOL BOARD PASSES 5-YEAR BUDGET THAT WILL ELIMINATE BLOCK SCHEDULE BEGINNING 2020/2021

by **Laure Attisso**

Central students, did you know that the school board passed a five-year budget that eliminates block schedules beginning in 2020/2021 school year? The budget was passed at the October 2018 school board meeting.

"The district wants to change it to save money. There will be benefits, but we still have a lot to do to make sure our graduation credits are on track," said Central Principal Mr. Flynn.

Mr. Flynn also mentioned that this has been on the radar for years. The schedule is still a work in progress, and has not been set yet for

the 20/21 school year.

Students believe the schedule change will make their lives more difficult.

Freshman Zoie Frees said, "There will be more homework. There will also be shorter classes that led to the homework."

Another student looks on the bright side. Freshman Kaitlynn Gobb said, "I feel happy and sad about the schedule change. Happy because I'll have more chances to have classes with friends, and I also won't be in one class for about an hour and a half. I'm sad

because it's more classes."

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