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Abstract: Prohibits middle schools from starting earlier than 8:00 a.m. and high schools from starting earlier than 8:30 a.m. beginning with the 2026-2027 school year.

Present law provides for minimum instructional minutes in a school day and minimum school days in a school year. Proposed law, beginning with the 2026-2027 school year, prohibits the instructional day for middle schools from beginning prior to 8:00 a.m. and the instructional day for high schools from beginning prior to 8:30 a.m.

(Adds R.S. 17:154.1(D) and 3996(B)(82))