

Feb. 6 2017

Next executive committee meeting wed. march. 1st - 4p.m. campus café all are welcome to attend!

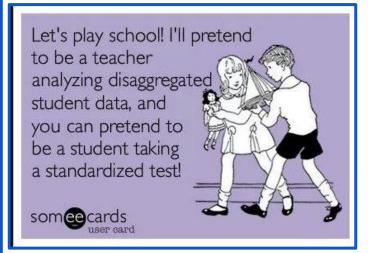


SCHOOL EMAILS & TEXTS

A reminder that copies of school related emails, texts and voicemails can be requested by anyone as they are public record. Thousands of emails have been requested just in the past few weeks. You will be notified if a request has been made for your messages. TAWLS is recommending that we keep our correspondence general without details and use person to person and phone calls as means for discussing sensitive topics. TAWLS will be collecting home email addresses soon to update our list so we have a way of sharing information with our members in a private manner.

HIGH SCHOOL SCHEDULE CONCERNS

Please share concerns and questions regarding schedule changes with your building reps and officers so TAWLS can best represent your interests. There will be many more conversations with administration in the next few weeks and TAWLS wants to make sure everyone's voice is heard. You can also contact Tracy Hovest with your questions as she is compiling a list that will be shared with administration. Thank you Tracy!





ESSA - YOU Have a voice

ESSA is the "new No Child Left Behind". It is politically motivated, but teachers are being given an opportunity to weigh in and have a voice in education policy development, testing and accountability. Take the time to **read and comment on the Draft Framework and Plan at the ODE** webpage, http://education.ohio.gov.

Also learn more and be kept up to date on ESSA at http://getessaright.org.