

# Creative ways of finding time .....

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Using PED days more effectively

Using school council more effectively

Using staff meeting time more effectively (reserve time for pedagogical issues)

Lengthening school day (add teaching minutes each day thereby creating ½ day / week for meetings)

Shorten recess or lunch hour to increase daily teaching time

Release teachers - Reform money  
Innovative Grants  
P.I.C. (individual and school project)  
School Success  
Discretionary supply  
Pay for supervision (and create meeting time)

Noon hour meeting where principal provides lunch

Using PED day time as compensation for regular meetings (redistribution of hours)

Compensate teachers financially (overtime)

Reduce teacher's workload

Schedule teams to have a "free" block together

Using supervision/remediation time in teacher's workload

Free teachers by : "double" grouping (combining classes where possible)  
Using parent volunteers  
During student activity days  
During exam sessions