

Custodial Scheduling and Staffing Analysis

Your School District

Submitted to:

Director of Operations



March 2, 2025

Director of Operations

Greetings,

Thank you for giving SMA the opportunity to provide a review of the Custodial Operations and develop Custodial Schedules. The findings in this report are not meant to be the final word in understanding your Custodial team but a good initial step to improve your Custodial operations.

We try to seek objective data about the real resources and issues of your Custodial team; however, the fact remains that we won't see all your needs with full clarity. Please realize that Custodial operations will require a more detailed ongoing refinement after the initial program improvements are put in place.

Our goal is to be your support team to help you improve your operations. We look ahead with anticipation to helping you accomplish excellence in this vital part of your District.

Sincerely, Michael Stapleton Service Management Assist, LLC.



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Section 1:

The Service Management Assist Process of Evaluation

Methodology:

Using our facilities assessment processes, we strive to gain an objective view of your Custodial Operations program, provide an improvement plan in collaboration with your team, then produce custodial schedules in our software. The steps of our process include:

Step 1. Interviews:

Web meeting interviews were conducted from June through July 2023. Additional internet form interviews were sent to all custodians. These web meetings and internet forms included patterned interviews that help determine the ratings in this report. Much value is always gained in listening to the improvement suggestions that come from those who do this work along with those who receive custodial services.

The "Other Duties" interview of Custodians is designed to quantify the duties driven by school activities that are beyond cleaning the buildings each day. A typical xxxxx school district of one million square feet will have around 50 custodians, compare that to an office complex of the same square footage requiring around 23 custodians. The difference between an office complex and school are the many duties required beyond cleaning for the school custodians. Quantifying the "Other Duties" task workload is best accomplished by interviewing the custodians. Listed below are some typical tasks quantified in the SMA interviews:

Nutrition Support

Shipping / Receiving

Opening the Campus

Locking the Campus

Directly Assigned Calls (911 type reactive requests typically by radio/text)

Grounds Duties (Snow, mow and trash clean-up)

Maintenance Duties (light maintenance i.e., bulb replacement, desk repairs, etc.)

Double Cleaning (Areas such as restrooms or entrances)

Graffiti Removal

Laundry (mops, rags, etc.)

Playground Inspections

Quality Checks

Recycling

Security

Stocking Materials (i.e., copy paper)

Clerical Work (Work orders, e-mail etc.) Traffic Control

Event Support (Set-up and tear down for athletics, arts, clubs, etc.)

OTHER Duties--min./day gleaned from interviews

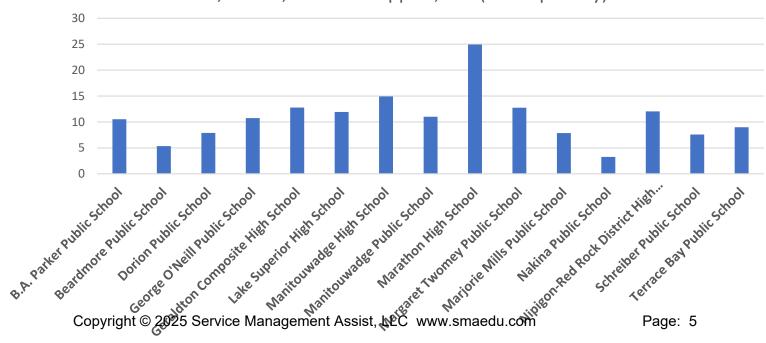
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Other Duties Interviews by School

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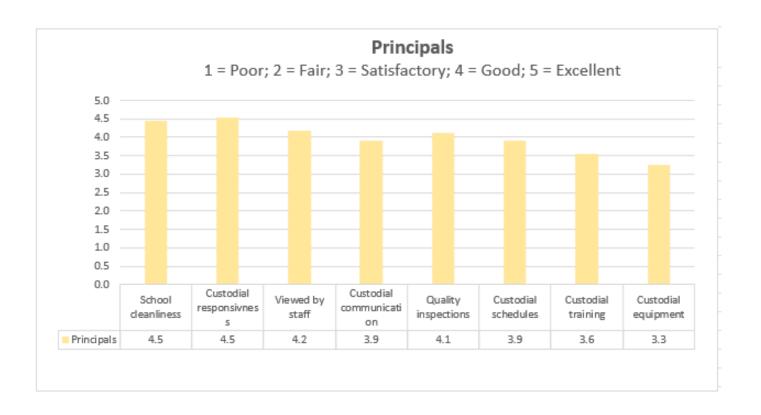


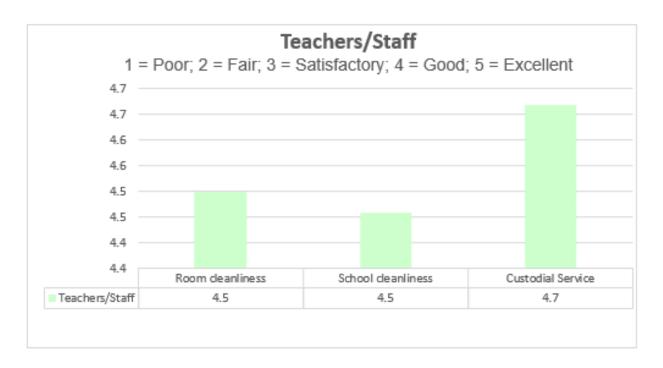
Customer Responses

Principals & Teacher / Staff Response

"Customers" such as principals, teachers and staff members are surveyed via internet questionnaires and web meetings. 38 Principles and Staff participated. Significantly above average responses.

1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Sati	sfactory; 4 = Go	ood; 5 = Excellent
Principals	Avg. Score	Description
School cleanliness	4.5	Excellent to Good
Custodial responsivness	4.5	Excellent to Good
√iewed by staff	4.2	Good
Custodial communicatio	n 3.9	Good
Quality inspections	4.1	Good
Custodial schedules	3.9	Good
Custodial training	3.6	Good to Satisfactory
Custodial equipment	3.3	Good to Satisfactory
	4.0	Good
Teachers/Staff	4.0 Avg. Score	Good Description
Room cleanliness	Avg. Score	Description
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Elements of the custodial program perceived to be in the most need of attention:

The substitute pool and short staffing are mentioned in the appendix comments. Custodial equipment ranked the lowest of all the questions.

Custodial program elements assessment

Custodian interviews on the custodial program elements

The interview questionnaire of custodial employees rates the level of support provided for the elements of your custodial program. 34 custodial gave their opinions of Your School District support of the custodial program.

Custodial Staff Rating the Program

1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent

Custodians	Avg. Score	Description
Daily cleaning supplies	4.1	Good
Floor finish	3.6	Good to Satisfactory
Stripping chemical	3.6	Good to Satisfactory
Carpet cleaning chem.	3.6	Good to Satisfactory
Paper goods	3.7	Good to Satisfactory
Automated equipment	3.1	Satisfactory
Hand tools	3.9	Good
Quality review	3.0	Satisfactory
Custodial schedules	2.7	Satisfactory
Custodial training	3.4	Good to Satisfactory
Custodial recruitment	1.9	Fair
Substitute program	1.6	Fair to Poor
	3.2	Satisfactory

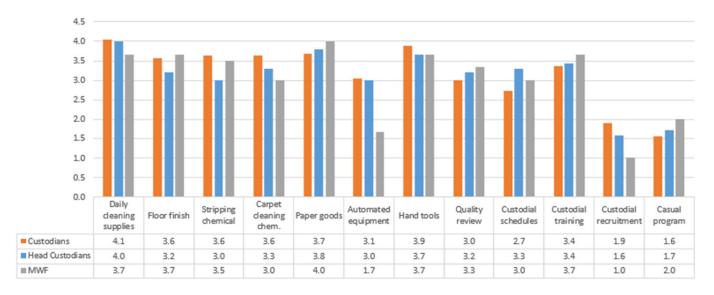
Head Custodians	Avg. Score	Description
Daily cleaning supplies	4.0	Good
Floor finish	3.2	Good to Satisfactory
Stripping chemical	3.0	Satisfactory
Carpet cleaning chem.	3.3	Good to Satisfactory
Paper goods	3.8	Good
Automated equipment	3.0	Satisfactory
Hand tools	3.7	Good to Satisfactory
Quality review	3.2	Good to Satisfactory
Custodial schedules	3.3	Good to Satisfactory
Custodial training	3.4	Good to Satisfactory
Custodial recruitment	1.6	Fair to Poor
Casual program	1.7	Fair
	3.1	Satisfactory

Custodian interviews along with the Maintenance Working Foreman and other Plant Services leadership evaluating custodial program elements

The interview questionnaire rates the level of support provided for the elements of your custodial program. 34 custodial employees and 7 plant services leaders gave their opinions of Your School District support of the custodial program.



1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent



Elements perceived to be in the most need of attention:

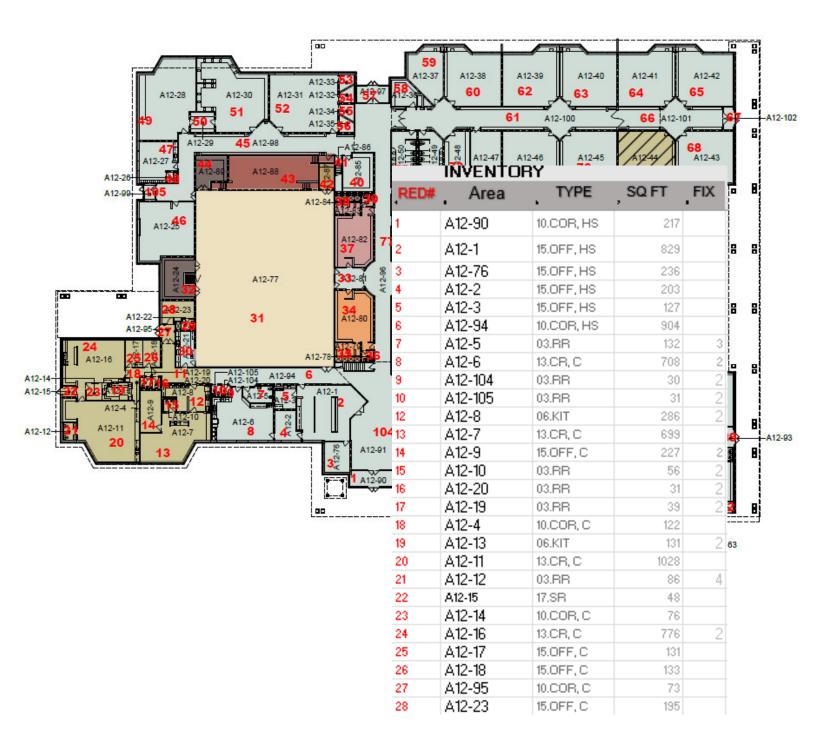
- 1. The substitute custodian pool
- 2. Custodial recruitment
- 3. Automated equipment

Step 2. Inventories:

Inventories provide the data to calculate the cleaning load for your District.

Scaled drawings provided by Your School District were used to form a Room/Area inventory for each school campus. The drawings were measured by individual spaces then categorized by area usage and floor surface then entered in our custodial scheduling software. Each Custodian's area is colored on a site-plan based on District Custodial Load Sheets.

Blueprint example:



Site plan colored by custodial schedule:



Editing sessions:

1,320 room/spaces were measured, categorized, then posted in the custodial scheduling software along with around 550 entries for "Other duties". The inventory data always needs review to verify accuracy, this "scrubbing of the data" has involved numerous web meetings with Your School District personnel to review each school site.

Step 3 Report:

Service Management Assist provides this report with the following goals for your District:

- Your custodial workload is rated based on cleaning levels, the workload includes cleaning and "Other Duties".
- Beyond cleaning assignments "Other Duties" based on custodial interviews.
- Current work distribution between custodians.
- Current work distribution between campuses.
- SMA will work with you to balance the workload and improve efficiency.
- Review of the elements of your custodial program (training, supplies, equipment etc.)

See the following pages for cleaning levels and statistics about Your School District staffing levels.

SMA Education Levels of Cleaning / Custodial Staffing **ESTABLISHING EXPECTATIONS FOR CUSTODIAL EFFORTS**

SMA Custodial Scheduling software is based on these five levels. Our software evaluates your workload using four steps within each level to describe staffing resources more precisely. The 850-sf classroom is used in these examples because of the importance of the classroom environment.

Level 1 should result in **excellent** cleaning, the "spotless" building, as might be found in a hospital environment. This dense staffing is rare in schools, most schools can't afford the numbers of custodians. It is optimal to manage/supervise because simple zone schedules give high accountability and the smaller areas set up the custodians to do high quality cleaning.

At Level 1 in an 850-sf classroom the custodian will have the following minutes per day for steps of cleaning: Level 1: 31 minutes; Level 1.25: 27 minutes; Level 1.5: 24 minutes; Level 1.75: 20 minutes. The average area covered by a custodian in a Level 1 school is 7,000 to 16,000 square feet for a full shift.

Level 2 cleaning is **good** for most school cleaning, 2.5 was the average level for schools we supported before 2009. Many school systems have formed outstanding custodial teams within Level 2. Level 2 is good to manage/supervise because it also allows for simple zone schedules and gives the custodians the pacing for good quality.

At Level 2 in an 850-sf classroom the custodian will have the following minutes per day for steps of cleaning: Level 2: 17 minutes; Level 2.25: 16 minutes; Level 2.5: 15 minutes; Level 2.75: 13 minutes. The average area covered by a custodian in a Level 2 school is 15,000 to 23,000 square feet for a full shift.

Level 3 cleaning has become the norm and is **satisfactory** for most school facilities. It is acceptable to most stakeholders and can be managed to not pose health issues. Level 3 increases the complexity of scheduling and management/supervision because a reduced set of daily cleaning steps are required. Detail cleaning and dusting for areas is often scheduled once per week.

At Level 3 in an 850-sf classroom the custodian will have the following minutes per day for steps of cleaning: Level 3: 11 minutes; Level 3.25: 10 minutes; Level 3.5: 8 minutes; Level 3.75: 7.5 minutes. The average area covered by a custodian in a Level 3 school is 22,000 to 34,000 square feet for a full shift.

Level 4 cleaning expectation should be for fair cleaning. Level 4 results in the loss of basic steps in the daily cleaning routine, some cleaning processes will be weekly, increasing the complexity of scheduling.

Level 4 is difficult to manage/supervise and some custodians with reduced physical abilities will have difficulty with this pace.

At Level 4 in an 850-sf classroom the custodian will have the following minutes per day for steps of cleaning: Level 4: 7 minutes; Level 4.25: 6 minutes; Level 4.5: 5 minutes; Level 4.75: 4 minutes.

The average area covered by a custodian in a Level 4 school is 30,000 to 45,000 square feet for a full shift.

Level 5 cleaning expectation should be for a deficient cleaning result. Level 5 is very difficult to manage/ supervise because typically 20% of many areas, such as classrooms, are cleaned daily with 80% checked and given trash service.

At Level 5 in an 850-sf classroom the custodian will have the following minutes per day for steps of cleaning: Level 5: 3.5 minutes. SMA does not rate custodial programs beyond Level 5.

The average area covered by a custodian in a Level 5 school is 35,000 to 80,000 square feet in a full shift.

The figures above are estimates. The actual number of square feet per shift a custodian can clean will depend on additional variables, including the type of flooring, wall covers, and number of windows. SMA also includes the duties beyond cleaning required to service each school.

Another good set of custodial levels can be found on page 82 of The Planning Guide for Maintaining School Facilities by the ASBO School Facilities Maintenance Task Force: 2003347 PDF (nces.ed.gov) Page: 13

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Association of School Business Officials Custodial Levels

SMA uses the five ASBO levels as a point of reference to determine where your District rates. Listed here are the ASBO levels:

Levels of Cleaning / Density of Staffing

ESTABLISHING EXPECTATIONS FOR CUSTODIAL EFFORTS

Planners, administrators, and community members must agree on what constitutes "cleanliness." While there is not a nationwide standard for describing standards of cleanliness, a five-tiered system of expectations is emerging to help guide decision-making:

Level 1 cleaning results in a "spotless" building, as might normally be found in a hospital environment or corporate suite. At this level, a custodian with proper supplies and tools can clean approximately 10,000 to 11,000 square feet in an 8-hour period.

Level 2 cleaning is the uppermost standard for most school cleaning, and is generally reserved for restrooms, special education areas, kindergarten areas, or food service areas. A custodian can clean approximately 18,000 to 20,000 square feet in an 8-hour shift.

Level 3 cleaning is the norm for most school facilities. It is acceptable to most stakeholders and does not pose any health issues. A custodian can clean approximately 28,000 to 31,000 square feet in 8 hours.

Level 4 cleaning is not normally acceptable in a school environment. Classrooms would be cleaned every other day, carpets would be vacuumed every third day, and dusting would occur once a month. At this level, a custodian can clean 45,000 to 50,000 square feet in 8 hours.

Level 5 cleaning can very rapidly lead to an unhealthy situation. Trash cans might be emptied, and carpets vacuumed on a weekly basis. One custodian can clean 85,000 to 90,000 square feet in an 8-hour period.

The figures above are estimates. The actual number of square feet per shift a custodian can clean will depend on additional variables, including the type of flooring, wall covers, and number of windows, all of which must be taken into account when determining workload expectations. Taken from page 82 of The Planning Guide for Maintaining School Facilities by the School

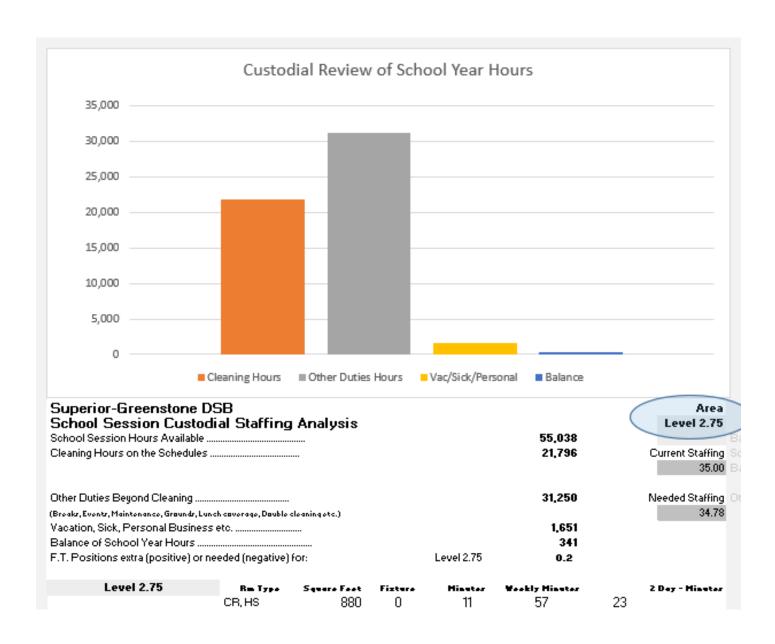
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Custodial program balance

Program balance, inverted from normal custodial operations

This graph normally shows hours for "Cleaning" at about 60% of the total time with "Other Duties" around 35%. Your School District has inverted levels of deployment of custodians.



Statistical review, district-wide and by individual school

Custodial staffing by school describing the individual ASBO Levels, see the ASBO Levels on the next page.

#	School	Sq. Ft.	Cust. FTE	SF/Cust	Clean. Hrs.	Design Oth,	Actual Oth,	Level	FTE +/-	SF/Stud.
1	Beardmore Public School	14,654	1.06	13,840	3.46	5.35	5.50	Level 2.5	0.00	662
2	Dorion Public School	20,714	1.35	15,310	3.40	7.89	8.08	Level 3.5	0.00	537
3	George O'Neill Public School	33,921	2.53	13,411	10.20	10.74	11.42	Level 2	(0.01)	257
4	B.A. Parker Public School	19,348	2.12	9,137	6.26	10.53	11.83	Level 1.75	(0.01)	178
5	Geraldton Composite High Schol	98,291	3.65	26,951	17.90	12.77	14.08	Level 2.5	(0.12)	590
6	Lake Superior High School	59,891	2.35	25,454	7.70	11.93	12.50	Level 3.5	(0.02)	493
7	Manitouwadge High School	70,111	2.59	27,088	6.77	14.92	15.42	Level 2.75	(0.02)	1,263
8	Manitouwadge Public School	26,181	1.76	14,836	4.43	10.99	10.75	Level 2.5	(0.02)	761
9	Marathon High School	89,595	4.94	18,132	16.16	24.94	24.67	Level 2	0.14	527
10	Margaret Twomey Public School	60,715	3.59	16,921	16.37	13.29	14.08	Level 2	0.01	345
11	Marjorie Mills Public School	42,110	1.29	32,540	3.87	7.86	7.25	Level 3.5	(0.01)	544
12	Nakina Public School	18,083	0.71	25,618	3.05	3.26	3.00	Level 1.75	(0.01)	1,391
13	Nipigon-Red Rock District High \$	86,859	3.47	25,027	16.95	12.31	12.17	Level 2.5	0.04	786
14	Schreiber Public School	19,677	1.41	13,938	3.32	7.59	8.58	Level 2	0.01	410
15	Superior Greenstone Learning C	24,819	0.47	52,740	3.14	0.00	0.83	Level 3.75	0.00	0
16	Terrace Bay Public School	27,218	1.71	15,956	5.67	8.99	8.75	Level 2.75	0.01	353

Custodial staffing by school comparing based on the district-wide ASBO Level, the over and under is not too dramatic.

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Balancing to a district standard:

The balance of workload between schools will be flushed out in more detail as schedules are refined. There is definite need for schedule standardization and schedule refinement will most likely show need for small corrections in staffing. However, the greatest need now is closing staffing gaps for lack of casuals.

Step 4 Schedule Writing:

Schedules are developed by statistical data, include breaks, lunch, and duties other than cleaning. They have suggested minutes per area, sequence of duties, steps of cleaning and reference to the colored floorplan. Much of the work is completed for this step but schedules are finalized after the report.

Level 2.75	Aroa		garet Tw	ome/	y PS	Custodian	S2
		Regular Sc	:hedules:			Hrs/D	ay
		Sequence		Min.	Нгв.	10:00 AH 6:30 PH 8.5	
10:00 AH	805	Shift preparation	01.Prep	5	0.1	Daily CR/Office Procedure	es: (5/W)
10:05 AM	617	Event Support	08.OTHER	30	0.6	Empty pencil sharpeners & wa	aste cansi
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11:44 AH	4	A12-2	15.OFF, HS	2	1.8	Align Desks Inspect area	
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11:47 AH	6	A12-94	10.COR, HS	4	1.9	Check/secure all windows and	doors :
11:51 AH	7	A12-5	03.RR	6	2.0	Disinfection Process as neede	ed .
11:57 AM	806	Break	07.Break	15	2.2	Turn off lights. (See Emp. Har	ndbook)
12:12 PM	8	A12-6	13.CR, C	14	2.4		
12:26 PM	29	A12-22	03.RR	4	2.5	Touchpoint Cleaning/Disi	nfection
12:30 PM	34	A12-80	04.LR	- 7	2.6	Door handles and knobs, Desk	
12:37 PM	37	A12-82	04.LR	7	2.7	Cabinets, lockers, and booksh	
12:44 PH	38	A12-83	04.LR	6	2.8	Light switches, Pencil sharper	
12:50 PM	39	A12-84	03.RR	4	2.9	Sinks and Countertops	
12:54 PM	58	A12-36	15.OFF, HS	2	2.9		
12:56 PM	59	A12-37	13.CR, HS	7	3.1	Rest Rooms: (5 X Weekly)	
1:03 PM	60	A12-38	13.CR, HS	12	3.3	Empty waste cans Clean gla	
1:15 PM	62	A12-39	13.CR, HS	12	3.5	Spot clean walls & partitions	
1:27 PM	63	A12-40	13.CR, C	15	3.7	Sanitize sinks & counter areas	:
1:41 PH	807	Lunch	09.Lunch		4.2	Flush all fixtures	r
2:11 PM	64	A12-41	13.CR, C	15	4.4	Sanitize/disinfect toilets & urin	nals
2:26 PM	65	A12-42	13.CR, HS	12	4.6	Wet mop (sanitize) the floor	
2:3 ‡ PM	68	A12-43	13.CR, HS	12	4.8	Refill PT, TP, Soap & Sanitary	
2:50 PM	69	A12-44	13.CR, HS	12	5.0	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	. торини
3:02 PM	70	A12-45	13.CR, HS	12	5.2		
3:14 PH	71	A12-46	13.CR, HS	12	5.4	Locker rooms (5 X Weekly	υÌ
3:25 PM	72	A12-47	13.CR, HS	7	5.5	Empty waste cans; clean glass	
3:32 PM	73	A12-48	15.OFF, HS	4	5.6	Clean walls and partitions	•
3:36 PM	74	A12-49	03.BB	23	6.0		eas
3:59 PM	808	Break	07.Break	15	6.2	Refill paper products and soap	
4:14 PH	75	A12-50	03.RR	23	6.6	Refill sanitary machines and w	
4:36 PM	78	A12-53	10.COR, HS	13	6.8	Sanitizedisinfect toilets and u	
4:50 PM	81	A12-55	03.RR	19		Sanitize the floors	muio
5:09 PM	102	A12-74	03.RR	19	7.5	Remove grafitti (See Emp. Har	odbook)
5:27 PM	104	A12-91	10.COR, HS	7	7.6	Figure grand (See Emp. Fig	(GDOOK)

Step 5 Schedule Adjustment, Refinement and Training:

The 1st set of schedules are revised after several weeks of use, incorporating the feedback from custodians concerning necessary refinements. Included with "Step 5 Schedule Refinement", SMA will provide the district with loaded SMA scheduling software for all the campuses scheduled. SMA will train several district employees in the use of the scheduling software ... training will involve no less than three sessions via web conferences. The district employees will have the loaded SMA software on district computers. SMA is responsible for training several district employees to adjust the schedules so that ongoing refinements are made in district on the delivered custodial schedules.

Instructions for Service Management Assist Custodial Schedules

The schedules are built on the information from the Custodial Scheduling and Staffing Analysis:



Review these items:

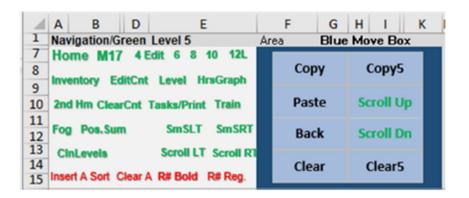
The Cleaning Levels (Page 8).

The Types used drive the time calculations (Page 9).

Structural outline of the scheduling software.

The steps 1 through 7 are the minimum requirements to refine/update the SMA Custodial Schedules:

Navigation around the scheduling software.
 Green font macro links will either take you to a section or scroll around the program.
 Red or Black font macro links will perform some action, you should understand what is going to happen before clicking one of these.



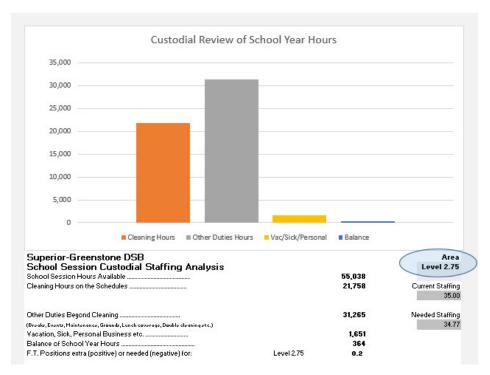
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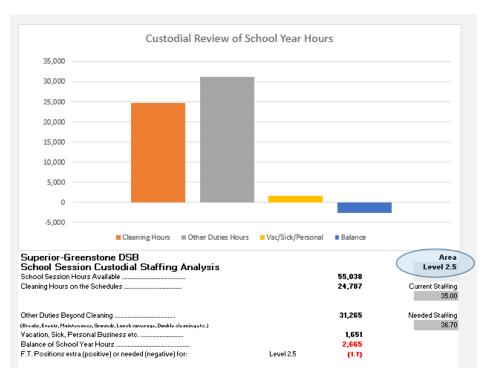
- 1. Solving the substitute pool problem. Page 17
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1. Solving the substitute pool problem.

Your existing level of staffing is close to XXXXX standards if you have staffing levels up to the funded level and a capable substitute pool to fill in absences. Unfortunately, like most districts you do not have an adequate substitute pool. Your real level is most likely 3 or above.



The Level 2.75 is decent but not quite at the 2.5 typically found in XXXXX schools. You are within 2 full time equivalents of the standard Level 2.5.



Recommendation:

We recommend adding a grounds/substitute full-time assistant for each of the Maintenance Working Foreman. These positions will fill in for absences of custodians and address some of the "Other Duties" hours spent by your custodians on grounds work.

Frequent unfilled absences need to be addressed to stay close to the XXXXX custodial staffing standard.

Funding for these positions may be partially found by reducing the substitute custodian budget. Many districts don't fully spend their substitute budget because it's hard to find casuals.

Current custodial staffing challenges

Many districts are struggling to fix custodial absence coverage. They seek to resolve the inadequacies of the current substitute custodian program. Most of the interviews we conduct show very low ratings and numerous negative comments concerning labor relations issues. Missed custodial schedule coverage drives a lower standard of cleaning and support compared to the designed level.

The issues listed here are not necessarily Your School District issues but challenges throughout education:

Labor issues:

- Absenteeism
- Reduced production
- Increased turnover
- Shrinking to nonexistent substitute pools
- Less availability of qualified candidates
- Frustrated employees as wages aren't adjusted to match inflation.
- Union relationship stress
- Annoyed employees as some believe the workload is distributed unfairly.

Human Resource Department issues:

- HR push back, the perception of lack of empathy for facility operations challenges.
- Hiring time frames are longer than ever, time consuming processes.
- Inflexible salary schedules making it difficult to compete for skilled workers.

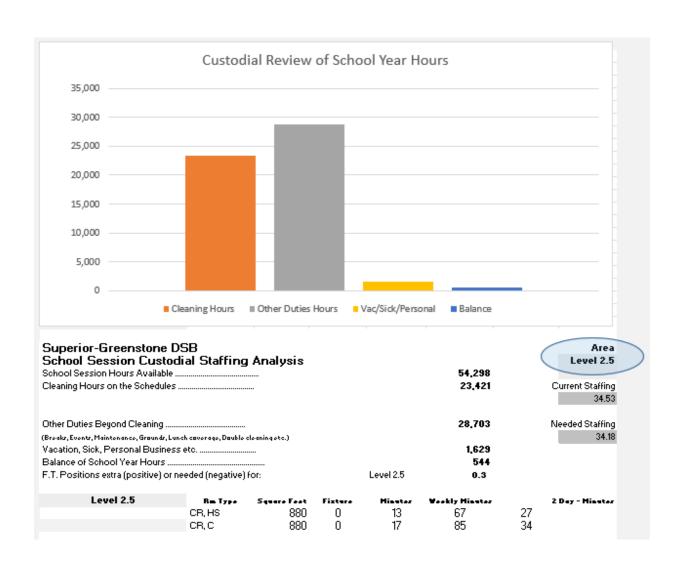
Many of these problems were there before COVID-19, but almost without exception they are significantly worse since the pandemic.

An additional strain is that current annual productive hours per employee are typically lower than pre-pandemic 2019. In our reviews annual productive hours are estimated at more than 8% lower.

2. Addressing inverted balance of custodial work.

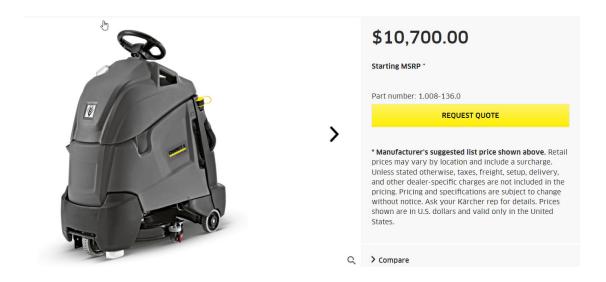
Adding the **recommended grounds/substitute full-time assistant** for each of the Maintenance Working Forman, should be a significant help to balance the custodial program. These positions will help relieve the custodians of most of the grounds work.

The custodial grounds work reduction should help accomplish the XXXXX custodial staffing standard.



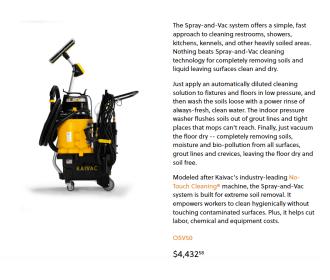
3. Equipment needs

Some typical commercial custodial equipment. Professional quality equipment is expensive, but wasting labor typically is more costly.





Extreme soil removal in a smaller footprint



Custodial equipment and tools should be improved. The feedback suggests that there is a good amount of equipment that is tired; past its life expectancy. See the comments in the appendix. Equipment is a small expense compared to the district investment in labor and benefits. Highly efficient, modernized equipment will leverage a greater result from the payroll investment.

- Quantify the full cost of fully modernized custodial equipment for the complete district.
- Budget 20% of the full cost for a five-year replacement schedule. This formula is used by for-profit contractors providing facility services for education.
- Contract with an equipment expert to assess all major custodial equipment on an annual basis. Receive recommendations for repair and replacement.
- Focus on down-time loss reduction both in equipment failure and in loss of custodial time by injury.

Commercial Custodial Equipment Cost Estimate	CAD
85,000 Square feet / 4.5 custodial employees	
Zamboni (Scrubber)	\$13,910
2 Buffers	\$4,420
2 Wet dry vacuums	\$2,080
4 Backpack vacuums	\$3,120
2 Snow blowers	\$3,900
2 Walk to ind lawn mowers	\$2,600
2 Weed eaters	\$1,040
2 Leaf blowers	\$1,248
1 Carpet extractor	\$910
1 Spot extractor	\$650
5 Mop buckets	\$1,300
5 Custodial carts	\$3,250
2 Large trash bins wheeled	\$1,690
5 Smaller wheeled trash receptacles	\$520
1 Wash room cleaning system	\$5,720
2 Microfiber wipe system (Wall & Table)	\$1,560
1 Disinfection Fogger	\$585
2 Sets Basic maintenance tools: Drill, wrenches, etc	\$910
Total	\$48,503
Cost per square foot:	\$0.571

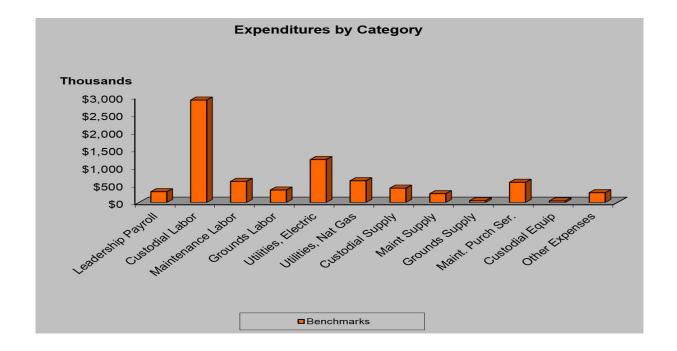
Equipment management

Address custodial and grounds equipment with an aggressive depreciation replacement plan. Determine the complete cost of all new top quality commercial cleaning equipment. Take that complete cost and budget 20% each year for replacement. Most of your equipment should be on a 5-year replacement cycle.

Custodial Equipment Program:

Equipment and tool investments should be considered in the context of this graph. The graph represents the proportion of spending in a typical school district facility operations budget. Note the high percentage allotted to custodial labor and benefits. High quality tools and equipment make the custodians more productive making equipment a tactical use of your significant payroll investment.

Typical budget proportions for a school district facility department



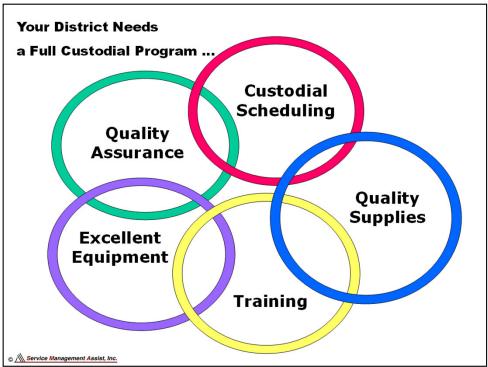
4. Custodial Scheduling

Why Manage Custodial Schedules?

Why go through all the effort of detailed balanced Custodial Schedules?

Quality of cleaning:

Specific assignments of cleaning with clear expectations provide the basis for clean schools. The classic elements of the custodial program include:



Balanced Workload:

Work assignments are balanced between the custodians within each campus and labor resources are balanced between the campuses.

Fiscal responsibility:

Operations & Maintenance is typically 7% to 15% of the total district budget the average custodial payroll and benefits make up 32% of the O&M budget.

Most attempts to manage the expense of O&M will have to deal with custodial payroll and benefits. The scheduling program allows for a statistical basis to determine your custodial assignments.

SMA is committed to custodial schedule writing as part of the current contract.

Custodial schedule development and upkeep as a management system.

Statistically driven custodial schedules are being developed as part of this assessment process.

- Schedules will need revision after the district determines the desired pacing or level of staffing. SMA will work with facility operations leadership to accomplish this.
- Key district employees need to be trained to adjust the scheduling software to capture the many improvements that come from each site.
- Share the schedules with the school principals.
- Train custodians in the logic of the schedule development, ask for feedback to refine the schedules.
- Train substitute custodians in the format and graphics to give them consistent direction when filling absences.
- Share absences with principals, via standardized emails, to keep them in the loop concerning custodial staffing.

Custodial Schedule Example:

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- **5. Quality assurance improvements.** Quality assessment is more important than typically realized. The custodial department needs regular sampling of quality to establish a baseline of cleaning performance, showing value to the district. Custodians should desire to be valued for their continual performance and not devalued out of context antidotally by an incident.
- Teachers may be polled via internet form, a simple three question form arriving a couple times per school year.
- Supervisors should be able to evaluate on routine visits using an internet form on their cell phone.
- Samplings spread out as a small steady stream of information provide a running quality score.
- Internet forms convert to spreadsheets give good roll-up information to monitor quality district-wide.

Supervisors/Leads cell phone inspection form, submitted from the phone.

questions. Answers for the	ng the follo	-					Windows/win				smudges, (cobwebs, v	vindowsills free
								1	2	3	4	5	
Classroom: 1 number or n				/; 4 = Good	d; 5 = Excel	llent. Provide the	Poor	0	\circ	0	0	\circ	Excellent
Your answer													
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baseboards,								1	2	3	4	5	
	1	2	3	4	5		Poor	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	Excellent
Poor	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	Excellent							
							Trash Recept	acles: (Em	ptied daily	, sanitized	appropriat	tely, undan	naged)
Walls/Wall Comaintained,				_		ite boards		1	2	3	4	5	
	1	2	3	4	5		Poor	0	0	0	0	0	Excellent
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	moved cob	owebs, no	burned ou	4 O	0	Excellent light diffusers,	Project Clear	s, reasona	ble floor s	hine, windo	ow coverin	igs clean, e	p, carpets xterior windows
Ceilings: (Re	moved cob	owebs, no	burned ou	4 t lights, no	0		Project Clear without stain clean, gum re	s, reasona	ble floor s	hine, windo	ow coverin	igs clean, e	p, carpets xterior windows

Teacher Interview Example:

Three short que Answers for the t				tisfactory; 4 =	Good; 5 = Exce	ellent;
1. How clean is	your room? (1 = Poor; 2 =	Fair; 3 = Sati	isfactory; 4 =	Good; 5 = Ex	cellent)
	1	2	3	4	5	
Poor	0	0	0	0	0	Excellent
2. How clean is	your school?	(1 = Poor; 2	= Fair; 3 = Sa	atisfactory; 4	= Good; 5 = I	Excellent)
	1	2	3	4	5	
Poor	0	0	0	0	0	Excellent
3. How is the cu	ustodial servi	ce in your sch	ool? (1 = Poo	or; 2 = Fair; 3	= Satisfactor	ry; 4 = Good; 5 =
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Any comments?						
Long answer text						

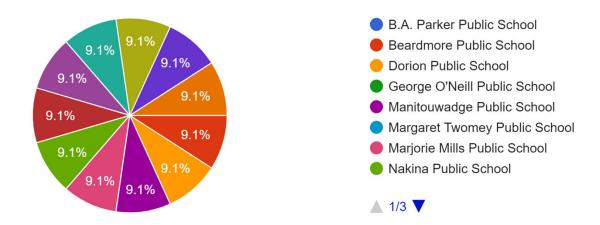
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Customer (Principal) interview details

Please list your School/building:

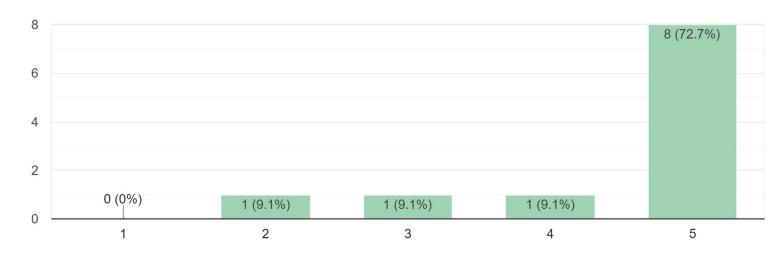
11 responses



Evaluate the custodial program using the following scale: 1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent

Rate the cleanliness of your campus buildings:

11 responses



Comments on cleanliness 9 responses

Our team goes above and beyond

The custodians do a great job of keeping our school clean.

Custodial staff always work hard to ensure our school is clean, safe and presentable.

When you consider how our school looks - it is absolutely clean, and our staff and custodians do a phenomenal job at making it that way. However, when you consider the amount of times a room may be cleaned in a day (once, maybe twice) it's pretty unsanitary.

Excellent - above and beyond

All Areas are very clean

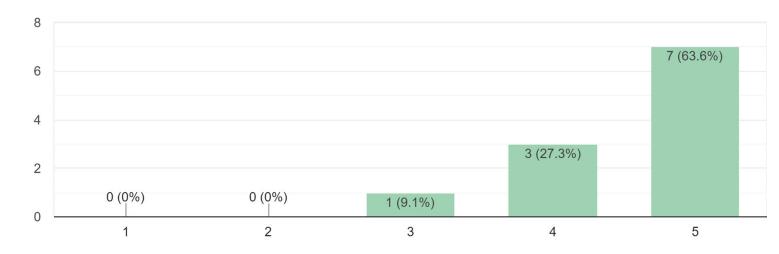
The head custodian takes pride in her work, and it shows on the outside as our school looks immaculate

The school is spotless every morning and greatly appreciated. The only aspects of an aging building that are out of the custodial staff realm are Plant and Operations challenges. Multiple Buckets catching water at various locations (halls, washrooms, changerooms) because of a leaky roof. Locations such as a basement that cannot be accessed due to previous and ongoing water damage. Looking forward to working with everyone to continuously improve the major needs of the physical building. Custodial team works exceptionally hard and exceptionally well to manage cleaning of building.

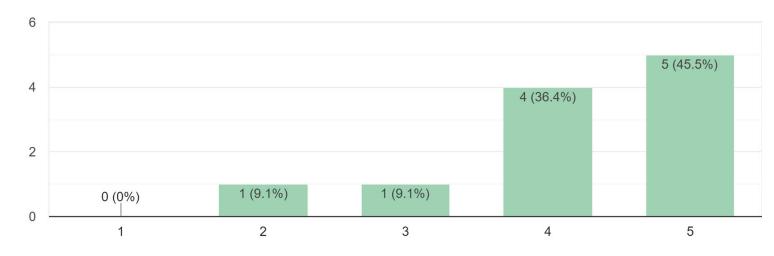
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Is the custodial staff response time to your requests?

11 responses



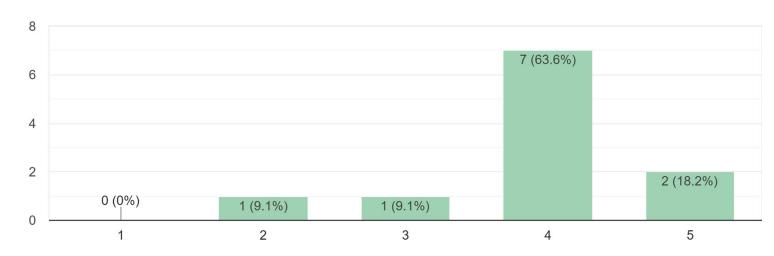
In your opinion, how is the custodial department viewed in your building (by staff and teachers)? 11 responses



Evaluate the custodial program using the following scale: 1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent

Rate the custodial schedules, (workload should be divided equitably between custodians and the schedules should be a good guide for casual custodians):

11 responses



Comments on the custodial schedules: 7 responses

As the building admin I look at the lists of duties and they appear evenly distributed - but I don't have experience to know if the jobs are equal in effort or time.

Due to our custodial communication problems, our school has recently been reviewed by our Plant Department and custodial work schedules were reworked to provide more equitable work loads.

It needs to be clear--shared space expectations can be challenging.

During the winter months our .38 custodian spends most of his time shovelling, there is also lots of paperwork required for the head custodian that impacts how long she has to clean the school.

Schedules are distributed accordingly to the role and the amount of hours per shift.

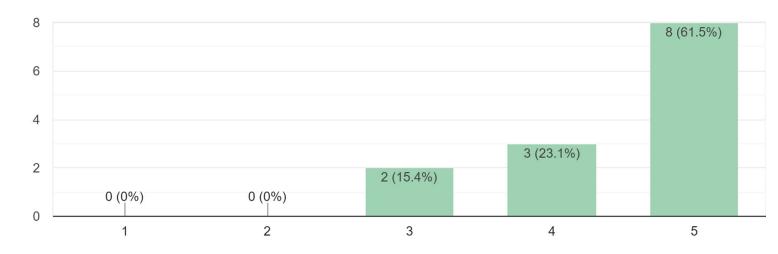
Custodians' workload can increase when they are short a team member. (Daycare, etc.)

There are some challenges with staffing shortages or 4hr (half-time) shifts being able to take vacant 8hr shifts. The collective agreement allows for a lot of movement within the bargaining unit/different facilities based more on seniority and less on skills.

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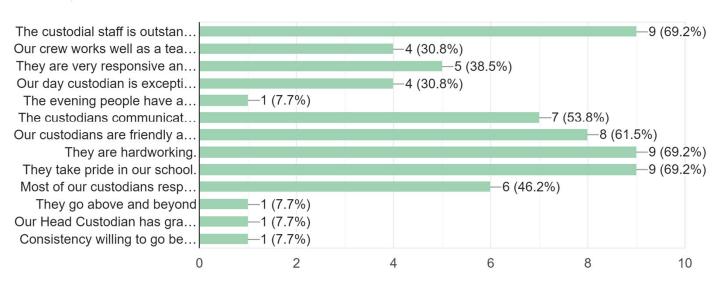
Estimate your % of your total time at work spent on custodial issues: 1 = 0ver 50%; 2 = 30%; 3 = 20%; 4 = 10%; 5 = 0Under 10%

13 responses



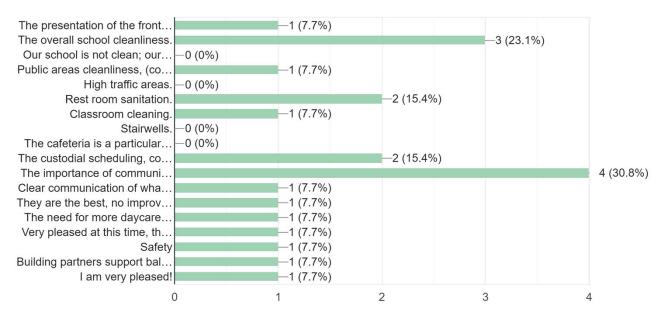
What do you like most about your custodial group?

13 responses

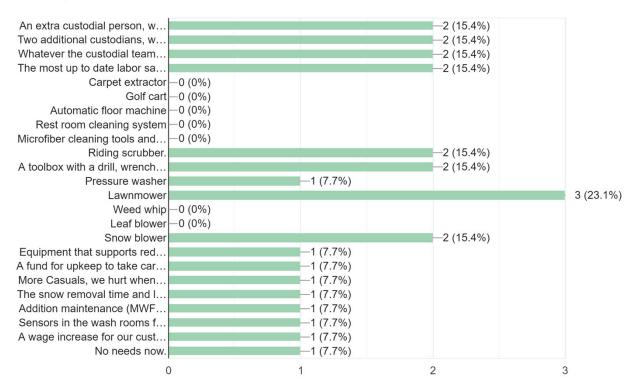


What do you want to emphasize to improve custodial services, (i.e. front entrance, rest rooms, classrooms etc.)?

13 responses



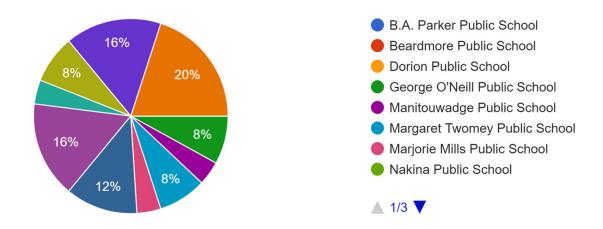
What would you buy for the custodial department if you had an open checkbook? 13 responses



Teacher/staff interview details

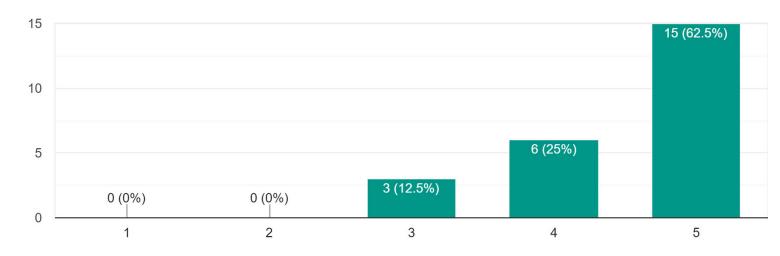
Please select your school/building:

25 responses

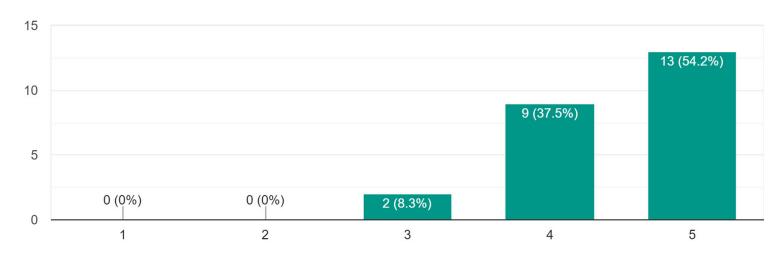


Three short questions plus a comment if you wish.

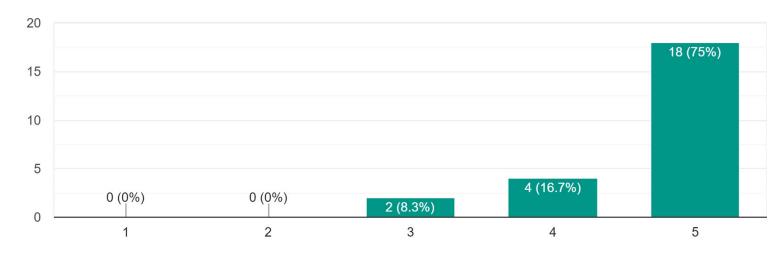
1. How clean is your room? (1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent) 24 responses



2. How clean is your school? (1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent) 24 responses



3. How is your custodial service? (1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent) 24 responses



Any comments? 14 responses

We have a great custodial team! Very friendly and prompt to help out. The custodial staff has managing to maintain cleaning standards in the school and grounds. However, they do this while often short-handed. Staff have tried to contribute where they can and where appropriate but having adequate staffing would improve working and cleanliness standards in the school.

Short staffing is really starting to impact the high standards that we have enjoyed in terms of cleanliness and building and equipment maintenance.

Sometime the bathrooms aren't as clean as they can be the base of the toilets aren't clean, paper towel gets very low sometimes no paper towel.

Our custodians do an amazing job with the time they have allocated, and the time doesn't seem like enough.

The Custodians are very helpful and friendly, the crew does an awesome job keeping our school clean and safe.

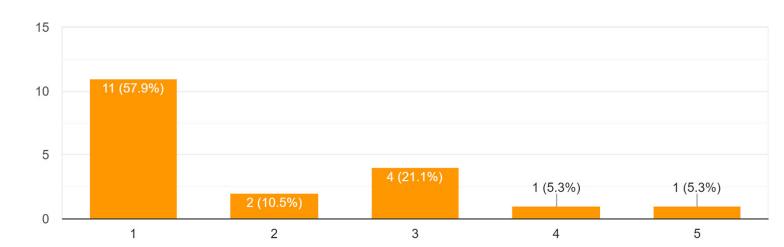
We do not have enough custodians in our building to fairly respond to these questions without putting our hardworking team, who are already struggling at risk. If things are not done, it is because they have too many tasks and not enough people.

Our custodial staff is amazing. They keep the school immaculate. They always go above and beyond for staff, students and the school.

An added area (special education) and added daycare cleaning (not sure if that position has been filled as of yet) has resulted in custodians not having enough time to complete all tasks daily/nightly. Extra areas to clean requires more hours. Snow removal and clearing and sanding of walkways and parking areas cannot be completed before staff arrive due to custodial start times. Many staff arrive around 8:00

Rate your district's success in finding good new custodians when positions become open, (1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent):

19 responses



Comments on success in finding good new custodians: 5 responses

HARD TO FIND

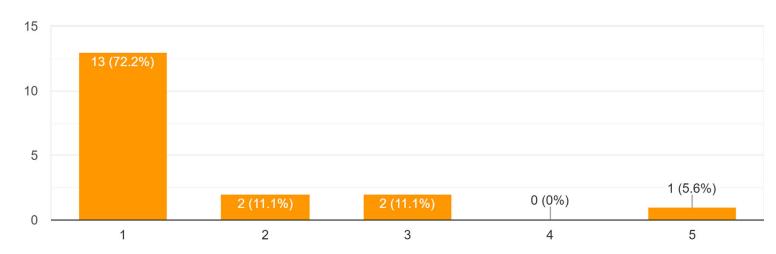
We have no substitute custodian.

Good workers are hard to find

System needs some fixing, application process not user friendly.

Not a lot of people want to work the hours as it's late. It's also a hard job and not alot of people are able to keep up with the stress and schedule. It makes it hard for those that have children or would like to start a family

Rate your district on having a trained casual custodian pool that provides consistent coverage of open schedules and minimal reduction in quality, (1 = ... = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent): 18 responses



Comments on the trained substitute custodian pool: 8 responses

Only have 1 substitute custodian which makes it hard to find coverage all the time

WE CURRENTLY HAVE 1 substitute

No casuals.

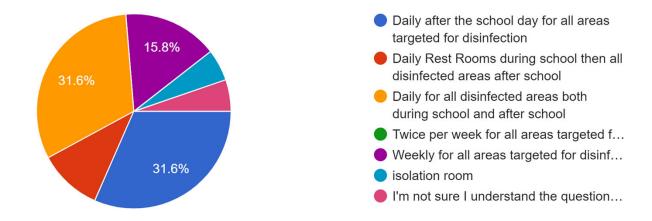
We have no coverage when someone is off most of the time

What pool.

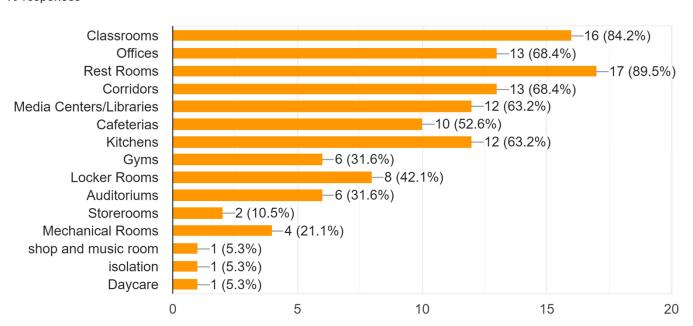
Casuals don't want to work for that much less pay We don't have casuals there is one but they don't want to work at our school right now, only the high school you either get too many hours or none

How frequently do you have to provide additional disinfection?

19 responses



Check the types of areas that are covered by this increased disinfection.



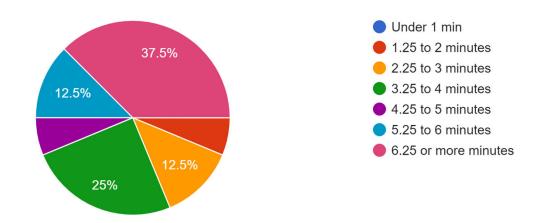
Describe the equipment and process you are using for disinfection. 7 responses

Disinfecting occurs with regular cleaning desks and door and wall switch wiped with disinfectant cleaner and then room is sprayed with clorox 360 Disinfectant Clorox 360

I use N64 on everything I clean everyday Disinfectant

I use Hydrogen peroxide. My coworker likes the N64 disinfection sprays, with rags to wipe all surfaces, Clorox machine for the air., moping floors

Estimate the number of minutes needed to disinfect one typical classroom (about 900 square feet). 16 responses

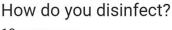


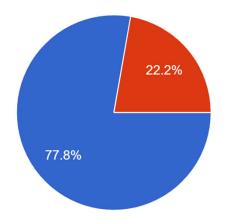
Comments on disinfection time especially if you selected "6.25 or more minutes". 4 responses

Depending on size and what's going on never timed the cleaning depends how many desks etc. are in the classroom !!!!!

Almost each of my rooms in the primary section have their own bathrooms so I have to disinfect countertops sinks tables then washrooms which include sink counter and two toilets all hi-touch areas such as doorknobs light switches. The daycare is more extensive as the small children touch almost everything. Our floor cleaner also is a disinfectant. So all floors are all mopped at the end of the night. Daycare is no exception; every single floor must be mopped every night whether it looks clean or not.

there is lots of surfaces to wipe down. desks, chairs, light switches, door handles, anything that could be touched.

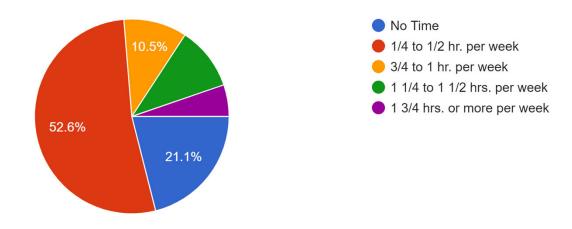




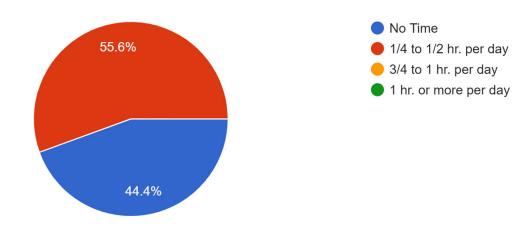
- Custodians disinfect as part of the regular cleaning steps; they disinfect each area as they work through their s...
- Custodians finish the normal steps of cleaning then go back through their areas to disinfect as a separate step.
- A separate crew disinfects the school after the regular custodians are through with regular daily cleaning.
- Other

Estimate how much time do you personally spend cleaning off graffiti each week?

19 responses

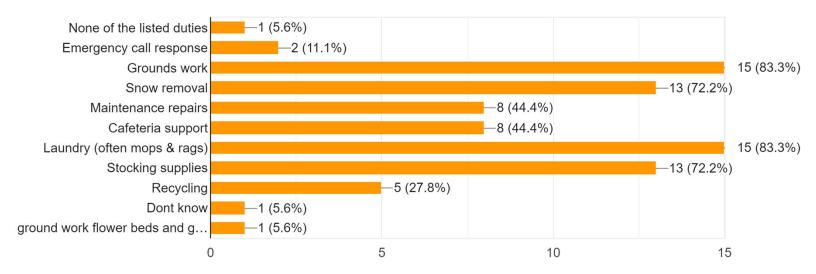


How much time per day do you spend answering email, processing work orders and other clerical duties?



Please check all of these duties that you have to perform:

18 responses



Please provide a combined estimated number of your hours spent per week on all the checked items above.

14 responses

2 hours

on a regular 8 hour shift, there is 2 -15 minute coffee breaks and a half hour lunch break. The rest is spent cleaning This facility office building 50 areas to clean in 4 hours minus 15 coffee break and 15 prep time you have 3 half hours cleaning time plus lawn work

2

4 hrs

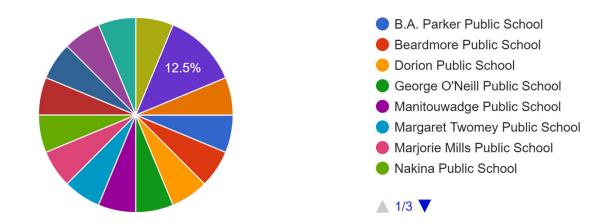
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2 HRS APPROX

Grounds work cutting grass 8-10 hrs every 10 days laundry 2-4 per week. Rest 2 hrs

Please list your School/building:

16 responses



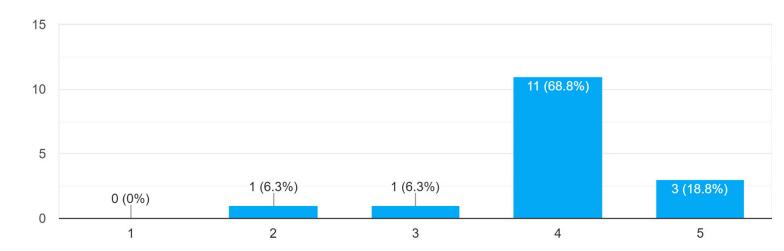
Please provide your name (and direct phone number if possible, we typically need to make a follow-up call after we receive this completed survey): 16 responses

Brenda Major 807 228 3791 Shannon 807-823-0118 Cheryl 8072281894 Sylvie Copetti Michael Palmer Ronda Marchand 8078877094 Donald Alarie (807)854-0130 ext;231 Rita Swanson 1-807-630-9874 Ed Onnis 18078532088 Paula Bellerose 22-2253 Sandra Morrison 807-823-1235 Sandra 807-229-5685 Candace Simmons 807-886-2201 ex 227 David Stiles 226-340-3770 Lise Lavoie. 807 853 1975 Kevin Flaherty 807-229-1800

Head Custodian Reviews

Rate your daily cleaning supplies, general purpose cleaner, glass cleaner, degreaser, etc., (1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent):

16 responses



Comments on daily cleaning supplies: 9 responses

Boreal supplies, ES15 disinfectant spray, es56,es57, es64, vinegar and squeegee for windows

They could be stronger as some marks do not disappear I have changed some of the cleaning supplies since my arrival two years ago and what we use now is mostly enviro brand.

Cleaning supplies are good to work with.

Less is better/glass cleaner/toilet cleaner/all purpose cleaner

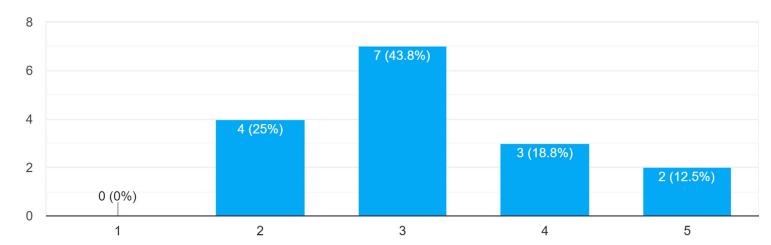
trying to use up ones from covid. Lots of different ones. with the rising costs of everything and not much for a budget it makes it hard

No

we have a good variety of cleaners at our disposal

Rate your floor finish, shine, durability, scuff resistance, easily buffed etc., (1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent):

16 responses



Comments on floor finish: 12 responses

new sheet flooring scuffs easy,

The hallways are ok but classrooms are not as need to be replaced and new flooring scuffs easily.

doesn't last long cause of the sand

I use ES98 enviro soultions Green certified and we get about two full years out of a three layer application when in high traffic we will do a scrub and apply in the middle of the season usually one coat There is no waxing of floors anymore. I just use machines for deep scrubs

We have a wood base flooring and it is required to be waxed. There is alot of wear

tile floor is a lot of work, needs to be stripped/waxed /buffed(we don't have the time to buff) the new floor that was put in, too light, stains easy, gets scratched easy

Sheet flooring is soft and easily damaged. Stains easily.

New floors are hard to keep clean.

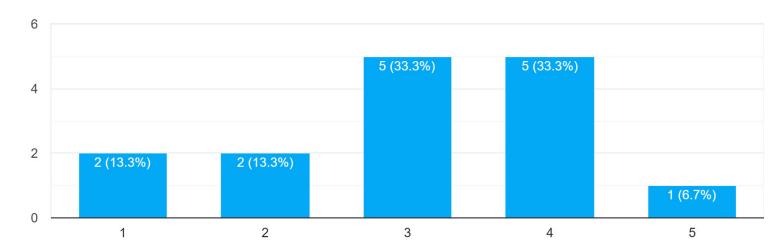
a couple of the classrooms do not like it, it might have a little to do with the weather but its almost like maybe to old

Susceptible to hand sanitizer spills eating into the wax finish.

Good wax

Rate your stripper/shower scrub chemicals, high performance, fast acting, low odor, etc., (1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent):

15 responses



Comments on stripper/shower scrub chemicals: 11 responses

the environmental friendly stripper has no strength takes almost a week for some rooms. The best we have used is Juggernaut

have not used this yet. was told its is good Stripper does not work well at all, more chemicals are required to do the job

need stronger to do a better job

I use a ES90 clean cut concentrate stripper in a one liter bottle works great as it mixes one bottle per 30 liter pail. with this I use a 18" dominator stripper pad its an awesome combination.

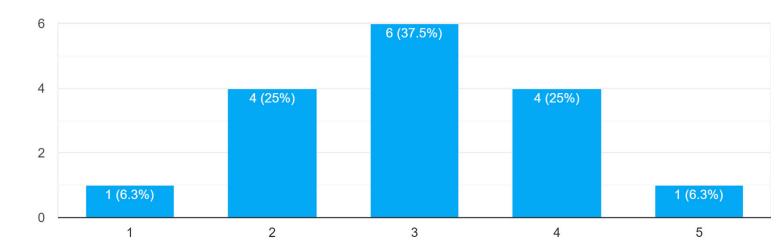
I do not use stripper scrub chemicals, just my regular floor wash

We cannot use stripper on our floors if left on for the amount of time required it works well, but you need to move fast to clean it up works well

New floor stripper doesn't work as good as the old.

Rate your automated equipment such as zamboni, buffers, extractors and vacuum cleaners, (1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent):

16 responses



Comments on automated equipment such as zomboni, buffers, extractors and vacuum cleaners: 15 responses

scrubber is new not a wide enough foot bed and leaves streaks. Vacuum is not very good suction for entrances. Buffers are good

vacuum is old making noises, buffer leaks

All our vacuum cleaners and buffers need to be replaced as very old equipment auto-scrubber is not new. fixing had to be done/changing parts

our floor ride on scrubber is a chariot 2.0 this is an easy machine to run and maintain we have had the same one for a lot of years they don't even produce some of the parts anymore so I am sure it will be replaced before you know it

Finally working better with zomboni, buffers are great, extractor is good, vacuums need better suction

our buffers are old but still work well, our vacuums are old and would need to be updated.

At present Our equipment has some age

when they do work/ but like all equipment it should be maintained

Vacuum cleaners do not suck dirt very well, Buffer is good and the zamboni is in pieces on the floor. Has not worked in a month and is still waiting for parts.

Vacuums don't work well for the price paid.

we do have some older machines, our new stand up floor machine the drain hose is not good and has been replaced and now has a make up plastic piece holding it together

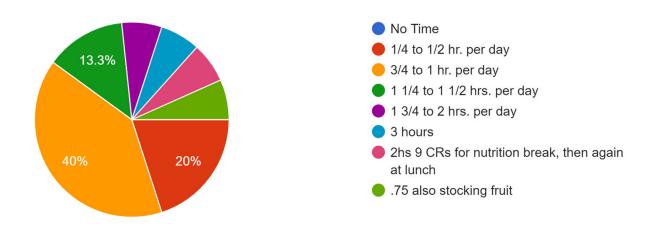
Vacuum and buffer are adequate. The majority of equipment is outdated however.

Ok

We are missing some equipment and some equipment is getting outdated and tired

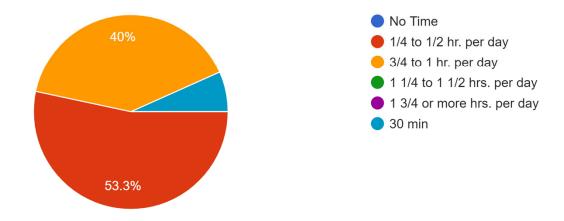
Nutrition Service Support, please select the best time estimate of your school's custodial support per day for food services:

15 responses

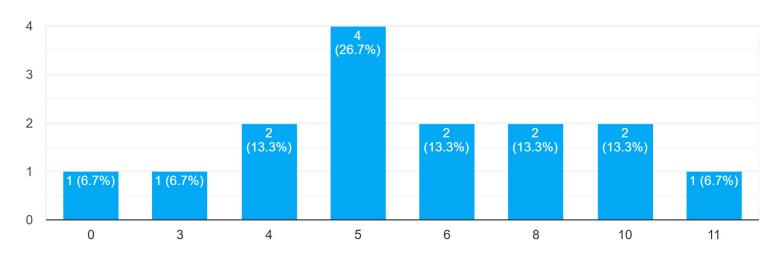


How much time is spent opening your campus each school day (unlocking, turning on lights, security alarm, mechanical check, raising the flag, etc.)?

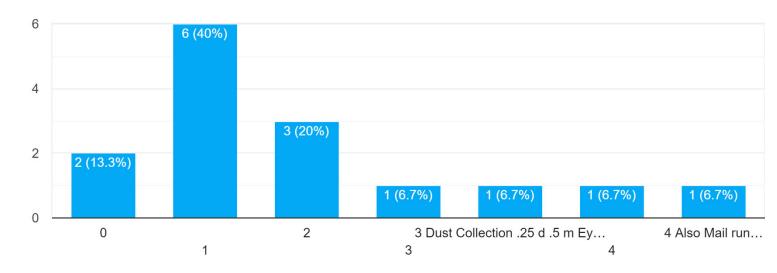




Most custodians receive calls for help which require stopping their current activity and solving emergency problems. Typically these calls are by r...s custodians respond to on a high call volume day? 15 responses

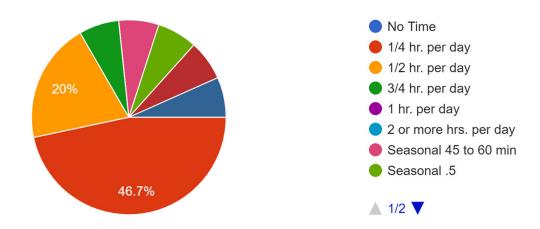


Estimate how many of these emergency calls your custodial team receives and have to take action to resolve on a low call volume day?

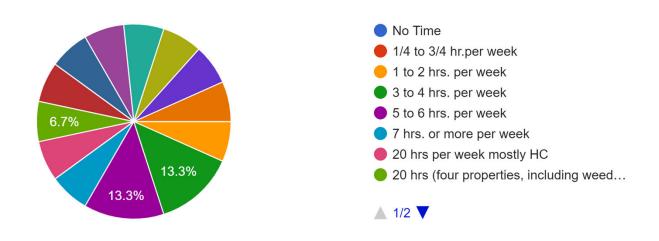


Outside grounds trash pickup, please provide an estimate of your total custodial time spent daily on grounds inspection and trash pickup:

15 responses

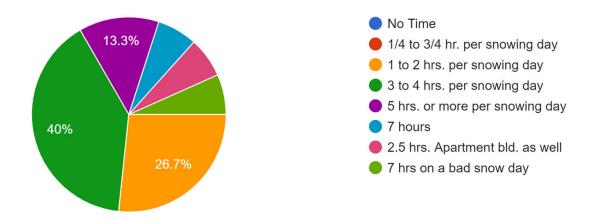


Many custodians are required to do mowing during the growing season, please provide an estimate of your total custodial time spent weekly on mowing and trimming:



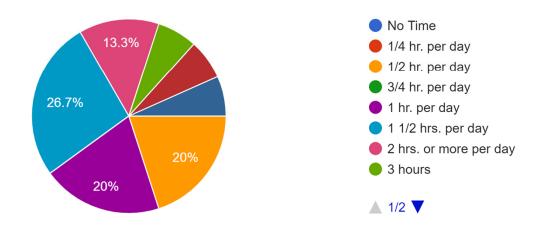
Many custodians are required to do snow removal, please provide an estimate of your school's total custodial time on a day it is snowing yet school is still in session.

15 responses

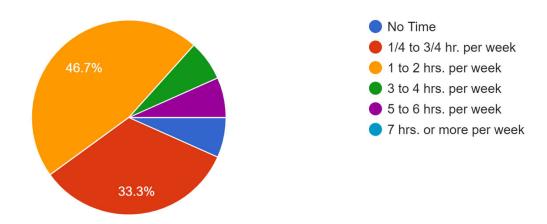


Please provide an estimate of your school's total custodial time for snow removal on a day it isn't snowing but snow is blowing causing entrances & sidewalks to need attention.

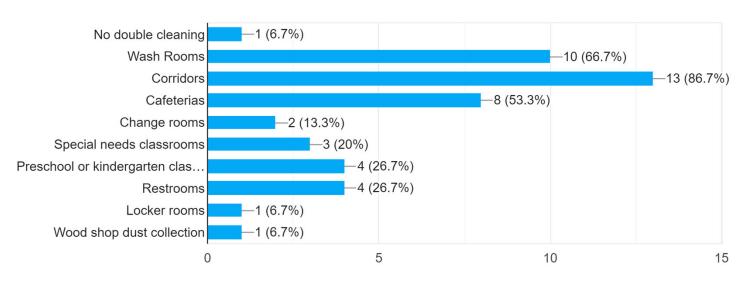
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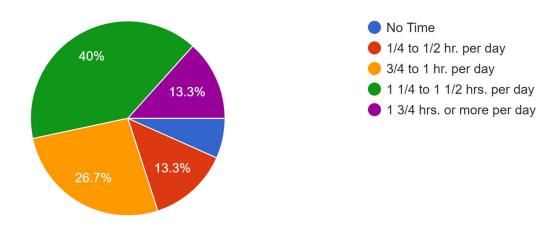
Many custodians are required to do maintenance repairs, (repairing desks, replacing lights, hanging pictures, HVAC rounds, etc.) please provide an est...ustodial time spent weekly on maintenance duties: 15 responses



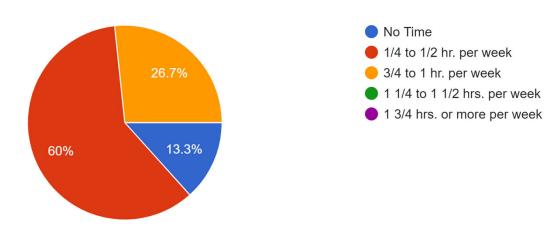
Are you providing double cleaning of areas that have already been fully cleaned in the past 24 hours? Check the types of areas custodians double clean:



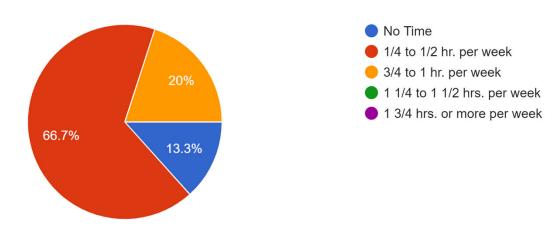
Estimate the total daily time custodians spent on the double clean items you have checked. 15 responses



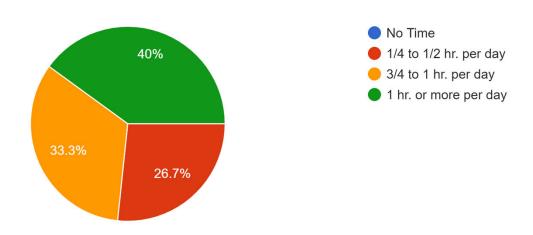
Estimate how much your custodial team spends cleaning off graffiti each week? 15 responses

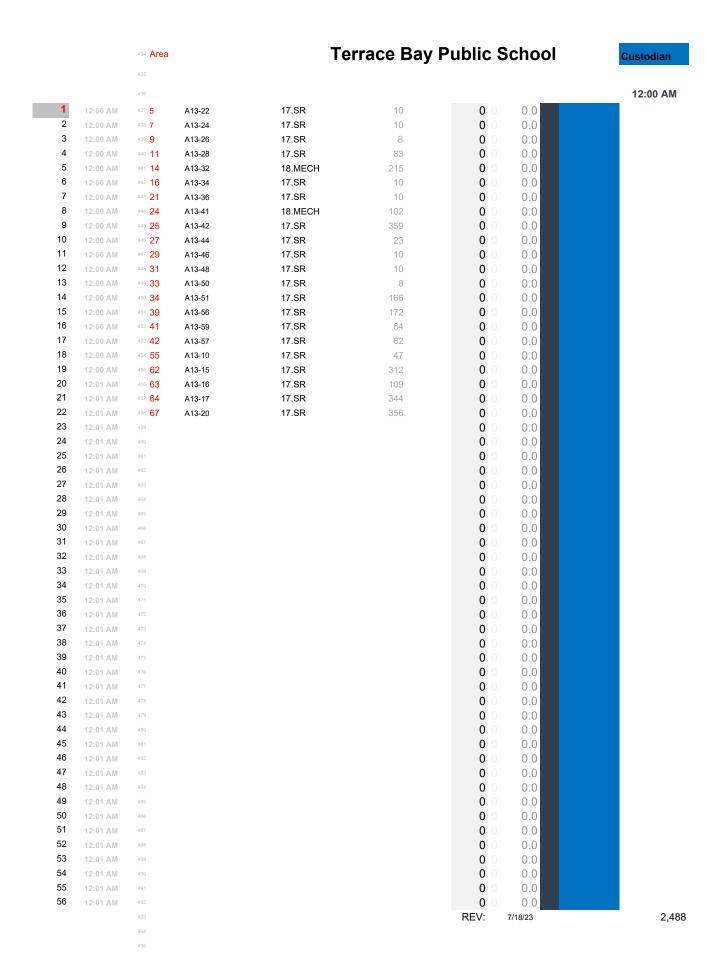


Estimate how much time your custodial team spends on shipping and receiving each week? 15 responses



How much total time per day do custodians spend answering email, processing work orders and other clerical duties?



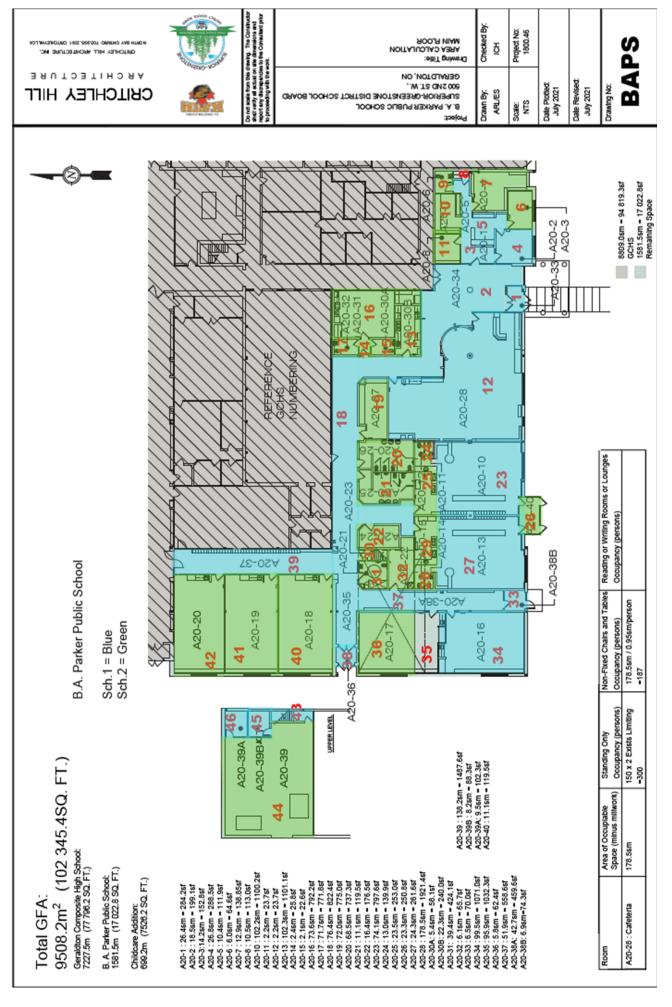


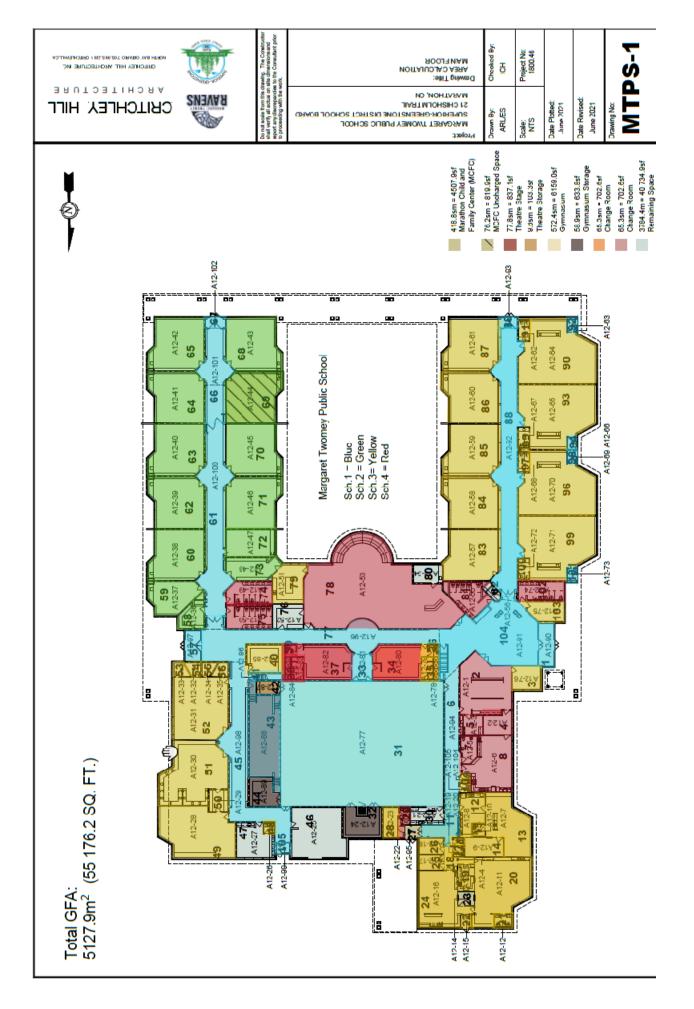
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17	12:14 PM	515 602	Shipping / Receiving	08.OTHER2			10	# 5.4		
18	12:24 PM	516 606	Double Cleaning	08.OTHER2			10	# 5.6		
19	12:34 PM	517 607	Double Cleaning	08.OTHER2			10	# 5.7		
20	12:44 PM	518 610	Open Buildings	08.OTHER2			10	# 5.9		
21	12:54 PM	519 611	Open Buildings	08.OTHER2			10	# 6.1		
22	1:04 PM	520 612	Clerical	08.OTHER2			10	# 6.2		
23	1:14 PM	521 616	Cafeteria Support	08.OTHER2			10	# 6.4		
24	1:24 PM	522 802	Lunch	09.Lunch			30	6.9		
25	1:54 PM	523 802	Lunch	09.Lunch	400		30	7.4		
26	2:24 PM	524 5	A14-33	10.COR, HS	192		1	7.4		
27 28	2:24 PM	525 33	A14-22	12.GYM2	2849		10	7.6		
26 29	2:35 PM	526 12	A14-32	13.CR2, HS	1231		8	8 7.7 4 7.8		
30	2:43 PM	527 14	A14-8	13.CR2, HS	578		4	3 7.8		
31	2:47 PM 2:49 PM	528 16 529 20	A14-31 A14-10	13.CR2, HS 13.CR2, HS	410 1119		7	7 8.0		
32	2:57 PM	530 39	A14-10	13.CR2, HS	928		6	6 8.1		
33	3:03 PM	531 7	A14-1	15.OFF2, HS	136		1	0 8.1		
34	3:03 PM	532 8	A14-2	15.OFF2, HS	151		1	0 8.1		
35	3:04 PM	533 11	A14-44	15.OFF2, HS	242		1	0 8.1		
36	3:05 PM	534 21	A14-45	15.OFF2, HS	90		0	0 8.1		
37	3:06 PM	535 31	A14-21	15.OFF2, HS	153		1	0 8.1		
38	3:07 PM	536 34	A14-24	15.OFF2, HS	79		_	0 8.1		
39	3:07 PM	537 35	A14-23	15.OFF2, HS	138		1	0 8.1		
40	3:08 PM	538 40	A14-28	15.OFF2, HS	186		1	0 8.2		
41	3:09 PM	539 41	A14-29	15.OFF2, HS	136		1	8.2		
42	3:10 PM	540 25	A14-15	17.SR	71		0	8.2		
43	3:10 PM	541 6	A14-34	18.MECH	416		0	0 8.2		
44	3:10 PM	542 804	Clean up	19.End Shift			5	0 8.3		
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		932							7:00 AM	3:30 PM
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1	7:00 AM	933 800	Shift preparation	01.Prep			5 0	0.1		
2	7:05 AM	934 610	Open Buildings	08.OTHER2			10 #	0.3		
4	7:15 AM	935 611	Open Buildings	08.OTHER2	1.11		10 # 2 2	0.4		
5	7:25 AM	936 4	A18-2	15.OFF, C	141			0.5		
6	7:27 AM	937 5	A18-3	10.COR, C	80 213		0 0	0.5		
7	7:27 AM	940 6 941 7	A18-4	10.COR, C	34			0.5		
8	7:28 AM 7:29 AM	938 8	A18-5 A18-6	15.OFF, C 15.OFF, HS	33		1 1 0 0	0.5		
9	7:29 AM	947 9	A18-7	15.OFF, HS	422		5 5	0.6		
10	7:34 AM	939 10	A18-8	15.OFF, HS	33		0 0	0.6		
11	7:34 AM	942 24	A18-60	10.COR, HS	677		3 3	0.6		
12	7:37 AM	943 25	A18-55	10.COR, C	54		0 0	0.6		
13	7:37 AM	944 26	A18-21	06.KIT	305		7 7	0.7		
14	7:44 AM	945 27	A18-22	06.KIT	249		6 6	0.8		
15	7:50 AM	946 28	A18-23	12.GYM	3201		23 #	1.2		
16	8:13 AM	948 30	A18-30	03.RR	36	2	4 2	1.3		
17	8:17 AM	949 32	A18-24	10.COR, HS	154	_	1 1	1.3		
18	8:18 AM	951 33	A18-53	10.COR, HS	683		3 3	1.4		
19	8:21 AM	952 34	A18-27	14.AUD	395		5 5	1.4		
20	8:26 AM	953 36	A18-26	03.RR	36	2	4 2	1.5		
21	8:30 AM	954 37	A18-54	10.COR, C	52	_	0 0	1.5		
22	8:31 AM	955 39	A18-33A	13.CR, HS	156		2 2	1.6		
23	8:33 AM	956 40	A18-34A	13.CR, C	215		4 4	1.6		
24	8:36 AM	957 41	A18-28	03.RR	132	8	17 9	1.9		
25	8:53 AM	958 43	A18-29	03.RR	130	8	17 9	2.2		
26	9:10 AM	959 801	Break	07.Break			15	2.4		
27	9:25 AM	960 44	A18-34B	13.CR, C	229		4 4	2.5		
28	9:29 AM	961 45	A18-64	13.CR, C	152		3 3	2.5		
29	9:31 AM	962 46	A18-65	13.CR, C	211		4 4	2.6		
30	9:35 AM	963 47	A18-35	13.CR, HS	759		10	2.7		
31	9:44 AM	964 48	A18-36	13.CR, HS	811		11 #	2.9		
32	9:55 AM	965 49	A18-56	10.COR, HS	666		3 3	3.0		
33	9:58 AM	966 50,51,	<mark>52</mark> A18-38-41	03.RR	578	20	42	3.7		
34	10:40 AM	967 54	A18-37	13.CR, HS	844		11 #	3.9		
35	10:51 AM	968 55	A18-57	10.COR, HS	598		3 3	3.9		
36	10:53 AM	969 56	A18-58	10.COR, C	70		0	3.9		
37	10:54 AM	970 60	A18-45	13.CR, HS	816		11 #	4.1		
38	11:04 AM	971 61	A18-46	13.CR, HS	816		11 #	4.3		
39	11:15 AM	972 802	Lunch	09.Lunch			30	4.8		
40	11:45 AM	973 615	Cafeteria Support	08.OTHER			30 #	5.3		
41	12:15 PM	974 616	Cafeteria Support	08.OTHER2			10 #	5.4		
42	12:25 PM	975 617	Cafeteria Support	08.OTHER2			10 #	5.6		
43	12:35 PM	976 614	Direct Assign: 911	08.OTHER			30 #	6.1		
44	1:05 PM	977 606	Maintenance Duties	08.OTHER2			10 #	6.3		
45	1:15 PM	978 803	Break	07.Break			15 0	6.5		
46	1:30 PM	979 607	Maintenance Duties	08.OTHER2			10 #	6.7		
47	1:40 PM	980 618	Double Cleaning	08.OTHER			30 #	7.2		
48	2:10 PM	981 622	Grounds(Snow/Mow)	08.OTHER			30 #	7.7		
49 50	2:40 PM	982 623	Grounds(Snow/Mow)	08.OTHER			30 #	8.2		
50 51	3:10 PM	983 602	Security Laundry,Stock (i.e. copy	08.OTHER			10 #	8.3		
51 52	3:20 PM	984 603	nnr)	08.OTHER			30 #	8.8		
52 53	3:50 PM	985 612	Cleanun	08.OTHER2			10 #	9.0		
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		994						3:00 PM	6:00 PM
1	3:00 PM	995 805	Shift preparation	01.Prep		5	0.1	1	
2	3:05 PM	996 600	Recycling, Graffiti Remov			10	0.3		
3	3:15 PM	997 601	Playground	08.OTHER2		10	0.4		
4	3:25 PM	998 621	Inspection Shipping / Grounds(Snow/Mow)	08.OTHER		30	0.9		
5	3:55 PM	999 625	Grounds(Snow/Mow)	08.OTHER2		10	1.1		
6	4:05 PM	1000 604	Event Support	08.OTHER2		10	1.3		
7	4:15 PM	1001 605	Event Support	08.OTHER2		10	1.4		
8	4:25 PM	1002 1	A18-51	10.COR, C	139	10	1.4		
9	4:25 PM	1003 2	A18-52	10.COR, HS	762	3	1.5		
10	4:29 PM	1004 3	A18-1	10.COR, C	292	1 1	1.5		
11	4:30 PM	1005 57	A18-42	13.CR, C	844	14	1.7		
12	4:44 PM	1006 58	A18-43	13.CR, HS	816	11	1.7		
13	4:44 PM	1007 806	Break	07.Break	010	15	2.2		
14	5:10 PM	1008 59	A18-44	13.CR, C	840	14	2.4		
15	5:24 PM	1009 62	A18-47	13.CR, HS	468	6	2.5		
16	5:30 PM	1010 63	A18-49	03.RR	27	2 4 2	2.6		
17	5:34 PM	1011 64	A18-50	03.RR	27	2 4 2	2.6		
18	5:34 PM	1012 65	A18-48	13.CR, C	621	10 #	2.8		
19	5:49 PM	1013 619	Double Cleaning	08.OTHER2	021	10	3.0		
20	5:59 PM	1014 620	Double Cleaning	08.OTHER2		10	3.2		
21	6:09 PM	1015 613	Clerical	08.OTHER2		10	3.3		
22	6:19 PM	1016 608	Lock Buildings	08.OTHER2		10	3.5		
23	6:29 PM	1017 609	Lock Buildings	08.OTHER2		10	3.7		
24	6:39 PM	1018 809	Clean up	19.End Shift		5	3.7		
25	6:44 PM	1019	Clean up	19.End Shint		0	3.7		
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1	12:30 PM	2199 810	Shift preparation	01.Prep			5 0	0.1		0.00
2	12:35 PM	2179 47	A42-63	03.RR	89	2	4 2	0.2		
3	12:39 PM	2180 48	A42-62	03.RR	89	2	4 2	0.2		
4	12:43 PM	2190 16	A42-14A	03.RR	63	2	4 2	0.3		
5	12:47 PM	2191 17	A42-14B	03.RR	65	2	4 2	0.4		
6	12:51 PM	2192 20	A42-13B	03.RR	73	2	4 2	0.4		
7	12:55 PM	2195 95	A42-82	03.RR	168	3	6 3	0.5		
8	1:02 PM	2211 9, 10	A42-7,8	03.RR	53	4	8 4	0.7		
9	1:10 PM	2220 159	A42-116	03.RR	243	8	17 9	1.0		
10	1:27 PM	2222 161	A42-117	03.RR	243	8	17 9	1.2		
11	1:43 PM	2181 85	A42-70A	05.CAFÉ	312		7 7	1.4		
12 13	1:51 PM	2188 14	A42-11	05.CAFÉ	538		12 #	1.6		
14	2:03 PM 2:18 PM	2177 813 2205 811	Break Break	07.Break 07.Break			15 0 15 0	1.8		
15	2:33 PM	2200 633	Event Support	08.OTHER			30 #	2.6		
16	3:03 PM	2201 634	Event Support	08.OTHER			30	3.1		
17	3:33 PM	2202 635	Event Support	08.OTHER			30	3.6		
18	4:03 PM	2203 638	Event Support	08.OTHER			30	4.1		
19	4:33 PM	2204 632	Event Support	08.OTHER			30	4.6		
20	5:03 PM	2206 619	Double Cleaning	08.OTHER			30 #	5.1		
21	5:33 PM	2207 644	Grounds(Snow/Mov	w 08.OTHER			30	5.6		
22	6:03 PM	2186 812	Lunch	09.Lunch			30	6.1		
23	6:33 PM	2187 812	Lunch	09.Lunch			30	6.6		
24	7:03 PM	2176 103	A42-94	10.COR2, HS	1474		3 3	6.6		
25	7:06 PM		, A42-98A-101,103,1		7617		17 #	6.9		
26	7:23 PM	2198 129	A42-90	10.COR2, HS	151		0 0	6.9		
27	7:23 PM	2208 1	A42-96	10.COR2, HS	620		1 1	6.9		
28 29	7:25 PM 7:28 PM	2209 2	A42-95 A42-97	10.COR2, HS	1489 1153		3 3 3 3	7.0 7.0		
30	7:30 PM	2212 11 2218 154	A42-97 A42-151	10.COR2, HS 10.COR2, HS	1290		3 3	7.0		
31	7:33 PM	2225 166	A42-120A	10.COR2, HS	2396		5 5	7.1		
32	7:38 PM	2214 131	A42-92	14.LIB	2894		38 #	7.8		
33	8:16 PM	2184 98	A42-75B	15.OFF, C	142		2 2	7.8		
34	8:18 PM	2173 100	A42-84	15.OFF, HS	89		1 1	7.8		
35	8:19 PM	2183 128	A42-89	15.OFF, HS	316		3 3	7.9		
36	8:23 PM	2185 13	A42-10	15.OFF, HS	443		5 5	8.0		
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38	8:29 PM	2196 96	A42-76	15.OFF, HS	304		3 3	8.0		
39	8:32 PM	2210 3,4,5,6,7		15.OFF, HS	1540		17 #	8.3		
40	8:49 PM	2213 12	A42-9	15.OFF, HS	266		3 3	8.4		
41 42	8:52 PM	2216 145	A42-110	15.OFF, HS	315		3 3	8.4		
42 43	8:55 PM 8:59 PM	2223 162 2224 165	A42-118 A42-120B	15.OFF, HS 15.OFF, HS	339 330		4 4 4 4	8.5 8.5		
44	9:02 PM	2178 123	A42-120B A42-93	15.0FF, HS 16.Detail2	485		1 1	8.6		
45	9:03 PM	2228 814	Clean up	19.End Shift	100		5	8.6		
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Custodial Quality Assurance:

All districts need a regular sampling of quality ... a set pattern of inspections of custodial quality. Ideally giving each building a weekly supervisory visit. These visits may very well be happening on an informal basis already, but quality is not measured systematically. Custodial inspections are a necessary next step to ensure that the department can tract custodial services. The following inspection format can be posted with the automated results to a spreadsheet. This Google form can be posted quickly using a smart phone, shown here is one section of the inspection:

Evaluate using the following scale, make comments at the end of the questions. Answers for the questions 1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Satisfactory; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent;							Windows/wi of dust/debr					cobwebs,	windowsills free
								1	2	3	4	5	
number or na				y; 4 = Goo	d; 5 = Exce	llent. Provide the	Poor	0	0	0	0	\circ	Excellent
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Floorer (A ele	on floor fr	on of dob	io duot m	onnod bioo	uumad du	eto d	Furniture: (F of graffiti, g		s dusted/s	anitized pe	er schedule	e, fixtures/o	computers free
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	1	2	3	4	5		Poor	\circ	0	\circ	\circ	\circ	Excellent
Poor	0	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	Excellent							
							Trash Recep	tacles: (Em	ptied daily	, sanitized	appropria	tely, undan	naged)
Walls/Wall Co						ite boards		1	2	3	4	5	
	1	2	3	4	5		Poor	0	0	0	0	0	Excellent
Poor	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	Excellent							
							Project Clea						p, carpets exterior windows
Ceilings: (Rer damaged tile				t lights, no	damaged	light diffusers,	clean, gum r condition)						
	1	2	3	4	5			1	2	3	4	5	
Poor	0	0	\circ	0	0	Excellent	Poor	0	0	0	0	0	Excellent



Quality Assurance:

All districts need a regular sampling of quality ... a set pattern of inspections of sites. Ideally giving each site a bi-weekly supervisory visit. These visits may very well be happening on an informal basis already, but quality is not measured systematically. Landscape inspections are a necessary next step to ensure that the department can tract the value of grounds services. The following inspection format can be posted into a smart phone with the automated result posting to a spreadsheet. This Google form can be posted in minutes using a smart phone, shown here is one page of the four-page inspection: