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Streamline flex periods for teachers and students

Flex periods can help students gain more instructional time during the school day and create opportunities for personalized learning. For today's busy teachers, though, there are barely enough hours in the day to support students' basic academic requirements, let alone create and manage flex period offerings.

While many schools see the value in offering flex periods to their students, implementing them can be a logistical nightmare. Most SIS systems can't provide the scheduling flexibility needed, making it too hard for schools to incorporate flex periods to the degree that they'd like.

Securly Flex is a scheduling tool designed specifically to solve these problems. With Securly Flex, every aspect of flex period implementation—including agenda notifications, capacity management, rostering, and more—is made so much easier. Teachers can easily customize flex period offerings, and students gain voice and choice in their education. With Securly Flex, you can:

- Combat learning loss by providing more opportunities for individualized support

- Give students time to develop their unique talents with personalized learning

- Support social and emotional development with more relaxing offerings, mindfulness activities, or counselor availability

- Prepare students for college and careers by providing opportunities to manage time and develop independence

"Securly Flex has helped us achieve one of our key goals as a school: to make a big school feel small by building positive relationships among teachers and students, and students with their peers. Securly Flex has been a very useful tool to schedule academic enrichment and remediation, as well as a variety of extracurricular and co-curricular clubs."

Ross Wason
Assistant Principal, Liberty Middle School

How Securly Flex works

Teachers offer activities for students to enroll in for each flex period. Enrollment can be open or rosters can be used to require students to attend mandatory activities (like remediation).

Students choose what activity they want to go to during their flex period (or are assigned to a mandatory activity).

Securly Flex helps you handle the rest, so teachers can focus on teaching and students can focus on learning.
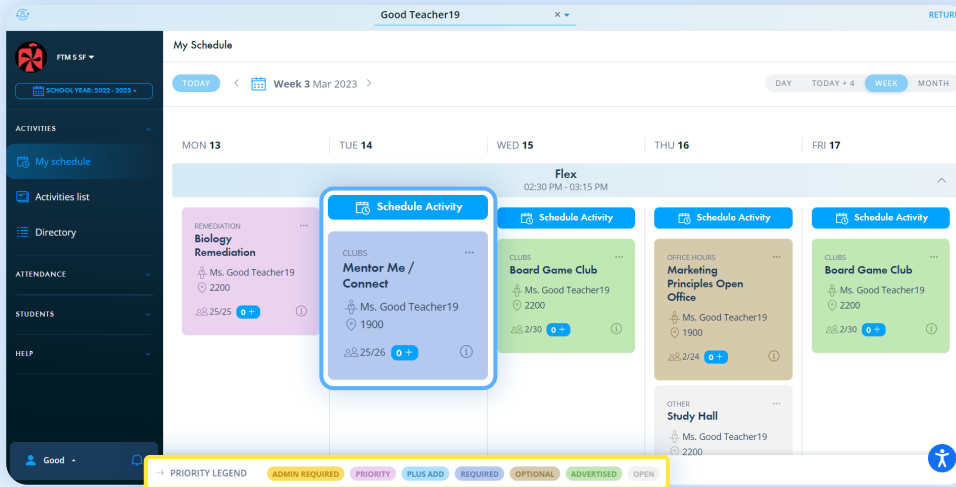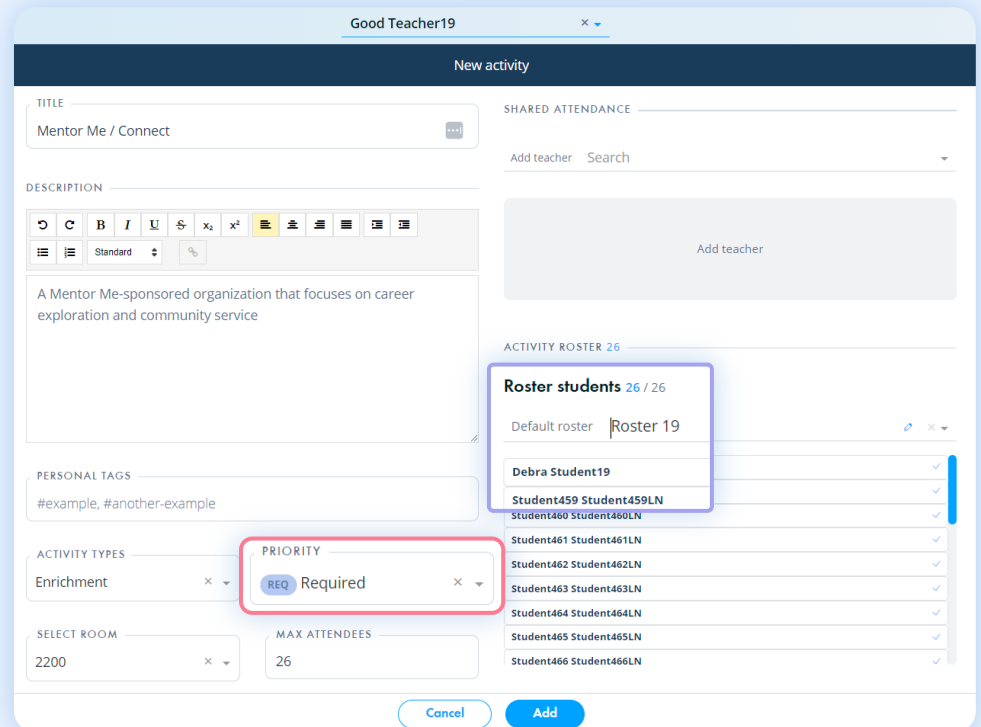
Student View

Students select flex period activities from offerings that teachers set up.

Teacher View

Teachers set up activities for each flex period.

Activities can be given priorities that determine if they are mandatory for students to attend.

Teachers can set the priority, location, maximum attendees, and other relevant information.

Activities that are mandatory or only offered to certain students can have rosters uploaded for them.

Benefits

- Provide students with individualized support to help them stay on track academically

- Give students opportunities to develop independence and explore subjects and activities that interest them

- Improve student engagement and school culture by providing an alternative to traditional rigid schedules

- Reduce administrative workloads and eliminate complex attendance tracking workarounds

Features

Flex Period Customization
- Offer multiple activities during the same flex period (each with different capacity and enrollment options).

Open or Rostered Enrollment
- Leave enrollment open or require students to attend certain periods, like academic remediation or other mandatory activities.

Student App
- Simplify flex period sign-up for students with a convenient mobile app.

Attendance
- Attendance data can be imported and exported for reporting and updating your SIS.

Restriction Rules
- Create student-level rules to restrict access to certain periods.

Student Search
- Quickly locate a student if needed.

Get the most out of your school schedule

With Securly Flex, you can give students agency in their learning — while keeping scheduling easy for teachers.

Ready to see the power of Securly Flex for yourself? Request a personalized demo today.

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