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Problem: As most clubs/activities do not want to meet on Friday after school, there are 4 afternoons which must be shared for all clubs/activities. (As a little background for you, Professor Dunlop, 2 years ago there were no clubs/activities outside of athletics after school. We now have a wonderful selection of clubs/activities now being offered but the students and faculty do not know how to coordinate this.)

How can we improve the conflict with after school activities?

Which clubs/activities would be best suited to share a day if we have more than one club meet on any one day?

How can we insure that the students will attend the meetings for a mandatory amount of time?

Interview questions

Having the time constraints available for after school activities, what suggestions do you have to make enough available for the students to maximize their high school experience and give them a diversity of choices.

How would you divide up the clubs/activities to avoid conflicts – for instance put student council with Catholic Club? Leave student council on its own day so that we can have as many participants as possible? Or offer SC on one day, Catholic Club on another and Interact on a third?

Should we hold club meetings every other week or mandate once a week? Which clubs should we have once a week versus every other week?

