

Expanded Learning Opportunities (ELO) Typology	
ELO Required for All Students	
Expanded school day	Formally lengthens the school day for all students beyond the standard 6.5 hours offered in most public schools. <i>(In some cases, mandatory ELO may be targeted to only certain grades in a school.)</i>
Expanded school year	Formally lengthens the school year beyond the standard 180 school days for all students. For example, a revised school calendar may add days and rearrange school “breaks” or intersessions. <i>(In some cases, mandatory ELO may be targeted to only certain grades in a school.)</i>
ELO for Some/All Students to Increase Number of School Days	
Expanded school week (e.g., weekends)	Includes academic and non-academic supports and activities for some to all students on Saturdays and Sundays (either mandatory or voluntary).
Intersessions	Includes academic and non-academic supports and activities for some to all students during weekdays when school is not officially in session. Applies only to schools with an expanded-school-year model.
School breaks	Includes academic and non-academic supports for some to all students during school breaks such as days off for teacher professional development, one-day holidays, winter and spring breaks, and so forth (this does not include summer).
Summer	Includes academic and non-academic supports and activities for some to all students during summer. Does not apply to breaks in extended year models. Those are considered “intersessions.”
ELO for Some/All Students to Increase Time beyond Conventional School Days	
Afterschool	Includes academic and non-academic supports and activities for some to all students after the end of the conventional school day.
Before school	Includes academic and non-academic supports and activities for some to all students before the start of the conventional school day.
ELO for Some/All Students during Conventional School Days	
Expanded learning opportunities during the conventional school day	School partners provide academic and other learning supports (e.g., internships, service learning, linked learning, Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) programs, and so forth) to young people and their families during the conventional school day.

Table 1. Expanded Learning Opportunities (ELO) Typology

