A Day’s Schedule at...

Berks County Jail (CCJ)

TPV inmates in the Berks County Jail are out for yard/indoor recreation for a total of 3 hours each day. The schedule can change between am times and pm times, but generally the times are 0830-1030 hours (8:30 to 10:30 am), 1415-1615 hours (2:15 to 4:15 pm) and 1900-2000 hours (7 to 8 pm).

They have the ability to work if their classification is medium or minimum. However, most reentrants are maximum status and can only work on the units as block workers. Their time out of cell may vary depending if they have a work assignment or not.

Groups are run for 1.5 hours a day 1-3 times per week depending on the group:

- Sex offender groups are one time per week
- BOTI (Back On Track Inside) and AOD (Alcohol/Other Drug) is three times per week
- Batterer’s Intervention is two times per week.

When reentrants are not in a group, work assignment, or recreation, they are locked in their cells.