

Collective Bargaining Agreement 2024-2027



North Clackamas School District 12
Board of Directors
and
Oregon School Employees Association
Chapter 71

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**AGREEMENT BETWEEN
NORTH CLACKAMAS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 12
AND
OREGON SCHOOL EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION - CHAPTER NO. 71
July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2027**

**ARTICLE 1
STATUS OF AGREEMENT**

1.1 Preamble

- A. This Agreement is entered into this 1st day of July 2024, between the Board of Education on behalf of the North Clackamas School District, herein referred to as the "Board" or "District," and the Oregon School Employees Association and OSEA Chapter 71, herein referred to as the "Association" or "Union".
- B. The intent of this Agreement is to set forth and record the basic and full agreement between the parties on those matters pertaining to wages, hours and conditions of employment for personnel included in the bargaining unit.

1.2 Recognition

- A. The Board recognizes the Association as the exclusive bargaining representative on wages, hours and conditions of employment for all classified personnel (herein referred to as "employees") employed by the District except those excluded in Article 1.2.B.
- B. Supervisory employees, confidential employees, substitute employees, temporary employees, seasonal employees, Parent Teacher Organization_(PTO) funded positions are specifically excluded from the bargaining unit.
- C. Definitions:
 - 1. Substitute employees are defined as personnel used to fill in for employees who may be absent or who work on a short-term assignment of sixty (60) consecutive work days or less during a school year.
 - 2. Temporary employees are defined as personnel hired to fill a short-term assignment for a specified period of more than sixty (60) consecutive work days and no more than one year.
 - a. If a temporary employee, as described below, completed the prior school year as per 1.2.C.2, and is hired back the next school year into the same job assignment, he/she will be considered a permanent employee if hired prior to October 11.

- b. Seniority will be retroactive to the most recent temporary hire date, and the probationary period will start once they become a permanent employee.
- 3. Seasonal employees are defined as personnel employed for positions covered by a Supplemental Services Agreement (coaches, activities, special assignments, etc.).
- D. A permanent employee may be hired into a temporary or grant/bond levy funded position via the transfer process. When a permanent employee is selected for a temporary or grant/bond levy funded position, the permanent employee will retain all benefits of the Agreement. The employee will return to the position or like position at the same wage level previously held in the event of layoff and recall or discontinuance of the position, grant, or bond.
The permanent employee will not retain rights to return to the specific building or unit of the vacated position.
- E. Contracted management of classified employees working in the District shall follow the same Board/OSEA Agreement as District management.

1.3 Board Rights

- A. It is recognized that the Board has and will continue to retain the rights and responsibilities to operate and manage the District and its programs, facilities, properties and activities of its employees except as such rights are modified or waived by the terms of this Agreement or any subsequent agreement.
- B. Without limiting the generality of Section 1.3, it is expressly recognized that the Board's operational and managerial responsibility includes:
 - 1. The right to determine location of the schools and other facilities of the District, including the right to establish new facilities and to relocate or close old facilities;
 - 2. The determination of the financial policies of the District, including the general accounting procedures, inventory of supplies and equipment procedures and public relations;
 - 3. The determination of the management, supervisory or administrative organization of each school or facility in the District and the selection of employees for promotions to supervisory, management or administrative positions;
 - 4. The maintenance of discipline and control and use of the school system property and facilities, including the installation and use of video cameras on district property for the sole purpose of ensuring the safety, health and welfare

of all student, staff, community and visitors to district property, and to safeguard district facilities and equipment following Board policy and Administrative Regulations. Audio may be recorded as part of security video recording only on transportation vehicles;

5. The determination of safety, health and property protection measures where legal responsibility of the Board or other governmental unit is involved;
 6. The right to enforce the policies and standard practices now in effect and to establish new policies and standard practices from time to time not in conflict with this Agreement;
 7. The direction and arrangement of all the working forces in the District, including the right to hire, suspend, dismiss, discipline, or transfer employees, or to relieve employees from duty;
 8. The creation, combination, modification or elimination of any position(s) deemed advisable by the Board;
 9. The determination of the size of the working force, the allocation and assignment of work to employees, the determination of policies affecting the selection of employees, and the establishment of quality standards and judgment of employee performance;
 10. The determination of the layout and the equipment to be used and the right to plan, direct and control school activities; the determination of the processes, techniques, methods and means of the conduct of work;
 11. The right to establish and revise the school calendar, establish hours of employment, and to assign loads;
 12. The right to make assignments for all positions.
 13. The right to determine pay differentials. Job titles (as reflected on the wage schedule) may be subject to a market factor pay differential, in addition to the pay rate. These market factors are subject to review at the discretion of the District not more than once per year. When reviewed, the District will provide a copy of the results to the Association and move forward with the appropriate adjustment. If analysis dictates any market factor is no longer appropriate, the District will provide the Association and affected employees with notice of an adjustment as well as supporting documentation.
- C. Nothing in this Agreement shall limit in any way the District contracting or subcontracting of work or require the District to continue in existence any of its present programs in their present form and/or location or on any other basis.
- D. The Board retains all functions and rights to act not specifically nullified by this

Agreement. Except as otherwise specifically provided by this Agreement, it is recognized that the Board and Administration have and will continue to retain the rights and responsibilities to operate and manage the school system and its programs, facilities and properties, and the work activities of its employees.

1.4 Association Rights

- A. Any employee whose position has been eliminated during the District's initial planning for the following academic year shall be so notified, in writing, as soon as is possible before, but no later than, the last day of school.
- B. The Board shall make available to the Association through the District's website a list of employees by job position and building location. A printed directory shall be made available at the employee or Association's request.
- C. New job openings shall be posted electronically using the district website and displayed a minimum of five work days prior to the closing of the position. The job posting shall include position requirements, job group/pay level, hours per day or week, number of days per year, and unit location. Position descriptions are available upon request.
- D. The District shall send a list of new employees stating job position, FTE, and location to the Association at least monthly. Association representatives will be invited to participate in new employee orientations. OSEA designated representatives shall be allowed an opportunity to meet with new bargaining unit members during regular working hours for a period of up to 60 minutes. For the purpose of this article, "designated representatives" shall include chapter executive board officers and trained designated worksite organizers. Designated representatives will work with their supervisor to identify times that work to meet with new employees.
- E. The Board shall provide the Association with reasonable bulletin board space for Association use in communicating with employees. The Association shall have the right to place appropriate notices, circulars, and other materials on designated school bulletin boards and in classified employee's mailboxes.
At least one section of a bulletin board in any building where employees are working may be used for Association material. Building administrators will work with Association representatives to identify space for a bulletin board if no space is currently available.
- F. The Association President shall be notified and invited along with Association designees to participate with the Superintendent or designee(s) in making recommendations for the adoption or revision of Series G Personnel Policies and Administrative Regulations related to working conditions. A copy of adopted policies shall be posted on the District's website, and hard copies of Series G Personnel Policies and Administrative Regulations will be provided to each work site upon request of the immediate supervisor.
- G. The District agrees to furnish to the Association, upon request, available information concerning programs, departments, and financial resources of

the District, including information that shall assist the Association in preparing materials for professional development, for negotiations, or for processing grievances or complaints.

- H. Up to a full year without pay shall be granted, upon request, for an employee to perform duties of a state or national Association officer without loss of opportunity to participate in benefit programs or seniority status. Extension of the unpaid leave will be considered where state or national office is more than one year.
- I. The Board agrees to make this Agreement available to each classified employee within 30 calendar days following signing of the Agreement. The District and the Association shall mutually agree on the distribution process.

1.5 Savings Clause

- A. If any provision of the Agreement shall be found contrary to law, then such provision or application shall not be deemed valid and subsisting except to the extent permitted by law, but all other provisions or applications shall remain in force.
- B. Should any provision of this Agreement be declared illegal, the parties may enter into negotiations for a replacement provision upon written request by either party.

1.6 Funding

This Agreement is entered into based upon assumption about the amount of revenue to be received by the District in the initial year of this Agreement and on the assumption that revenues in future years will grow sufficiently to fund the economic provisions of this Agreement. If there is any unexpected revenue gain or shortfall which affects the District's ability to fund the economic provisions of this Agreement, either party may elect to reopen this Agreement for further negotiations. The Board will not, however, reopen this agreement for negotiations unless it determines that all other reasonable options of balancing the budget, not impacting employee compensation, have been exhausted.

If either party wishes this agreement to be reopened, notice will be given in writing and bargaining will begin within no more than fourteen (14) days.

ARTICLE 2
ASSOCIATION COMMUNICATIONS/FACILITIES

2.1 Association Communications

- A. Regular inter-District courier service and district email may be used for distribution of Association material upon request of the Association President and/or designee.
- B. The Board shall schedule matters brought to its attention by the Association in the same manner as other matters are scheduled on the Board's agenda, as long as those matters are made known to the Superintendent's office two full weekdays prior to the regular meeting.
- C. Association representatives and officers may use time within their regularly scheduled work day to communicate with unit members and to attend to Association matters, providing this does not interfere with required duties of either party. Association representatives will stop at the unit office to state their business at the unit.
- D. Chapter officers and elected or appointed Association representatives, upon approved application, may be granted time off without pay from their regular duties to attend meetings of interest to the Association. Whenever possible, such meetings will be scheduled so as not to interfere with normal school worksite duties.
- E. The Association President, Vice-President, or designated appointee shall be granted leave to perform the necessary duties of the Association, and to act as liaison between the Association and the District. The District shall be reimbursed for the released time by check from the Association. It is understood that said person(s) shall have no loss of salary, increment, social security, retirement, health plan, or other benefits. Duties of the person(s) for which the District is being reimbursed shall not be assumed by other employees without compensation.
- F. Employees may be granted time off, with the permission of their administrative supervisor, to attend Chapter 71 Association meetings. Such time off shall be made up at a time agreed between the employees and the administrative supervisor.
- G. The Association shall be allowed the use of a direct inward dial (DID) phone line and to install a telephone at no cost to the District at a mutually agreed upon location.
- H. The District shall provide fully-paid release time and pay for substitutes, if needed, for the Association's bargaining team for collective bargaining sessions scheduled during regular work hours when the meeting time is mutually determined by both the District and the Association.

2.2 Association Facility Utilization

- A. District facilities may be used for Association meetings at times during non-duty hours provided the meetings do not interfere with normal school operation. Building

- use shall be scheduled in accordance with District guidelines for facility use.
- B. All Association activities, other than scheduled meetings between Association and administrative representatives, shall occur outside the employees' regular work day.
 - C. The Association shall be allowed use of office and audio-visual equipment as needed to provide information to the employees. The Association shall pay for the cost of all materials and supplies incidental to such use, and for any repairs necessitated as a result.

ARTICLE 3
EMPLOYEE EVALUATION AND PLAN OF ASSISTANCE

3.1 Evaluation Process

The employee evaluation process shall present an opportunity for communication and discussion between evaluator and employee regarding employee work performance.

Each employee shall be evaluated (via the formal or informal process) at least once a year by that employee's unit manager/supervisor or administrative designee. The employee shall acknowledge reading such material by signing the actual copy, or by electronic signature. Such signature signifies reading the material to be filed and does not necessarily indicate agreement with its content.

The judgment of the employee's work performance by the evaluator shall not be the subject of a grievance unless the employee feels that the evaluation was done in an arbitrary and capricious manner.

3.2 Evaluation Observations

Observations of employee work performance shall be conducted openly. The purpose for such observations is not only to observe the employee in the work situation, but also to evaluate and guide the employee in a positive and helpful way. The employee shall have the opportunity, on request, to discuss the results of the evaluator's observation with the unit manager/supervisor or administrative designee. Copies of all written reports on the observation of employee work performance shall be given to the employee. The employee shall sign the evaluator's copy, or by electronic signature, acknowledging receipt of the employee's copy.

3.3 Employee Evaluation Response

The employee may attach a response to the evaluation report to be placed in the employee's personnel file. The response may include a request to meet with the supervisor to discuss the attachment.

The purpose of the meeting is to gain understanding of the accuracy of the comments made on the evaluation that are in question by the employee. The employee may provide evidence or reason that may change the evaluator's opinion regarding the issue in question. The evaluator may choose to change, or not to change the evaluation content. Probationary employees cannot use the grievance procedure for evaluation matters.

3.4 Plan of Assistance

If, in the unit manager/supervisor's opinion, the employee is not meeting job performance standards, a Plan of Assistance will be developed and communicated to the Human Resources Department. A Plan of Assistance is provided to the employee to help improve employee performance in the following manner:

1. The Plan of Assistance will list resources and assistance to the employee that can be accessed to assist the employee in meeting the plan's expectations.
2. Meet with the employee and the employee's OSEA representative to discuss the concerns/deficiencies; discuss the correction(s) needed by the employee with specific expectations for improvement; create a reasonable timeline (no less than 20 working days) to accomplish the plan; and meet and evaluate progress periodically as specified in the plan.
3. On the date specified to the employee at the initial meeting, the employee will again be notified as to the progress that had been required. If the improvement is not satisfactory, a recommendation may be submitted to the Superintendent for additional action, which may include an extension of the plan or dismissal. The supervisor and the employee will meet upon completion of the Plan of Assistance. At that time, the employee will be notified in writing of successful completion, plan extension, or recommendation for termination.

In all cases, the Association shall be notified when an employee is being placed on a Plan of Assistance. The Employee will be given the name and phone number of the OSEA Chapter 71 President and may request an Association representative at any or all meetings related to the Plan of Assistance. Any material, except for evaluations, may be removed from a personnel file after three years by the Superintendent upon request by the employee.

ARTICLE 4 PERSONNEL FILES

4.1 Personnel File Content

- A. The personnel file shall include but not necessarily be limited to the following:
1. Performance evaluation reports (required state form and District form(s), if any);
 2. Academic transcripts;
 3. Completed application for employment;
 4. Records of additional academic work and related growth experience bearing on salary adjustments;
 5. Copies of commendations, complaints, and suggestions relative to professional performance;
 6. Employee certification information;
 7. Any replies, comments, and explanations the employee signs and wishes to append to such data and reports.
- B. There shall be only one official personnel file. Each supervisor may maintain an unofficial working folder to assist in supervisory responsibilities. The employee may request to view the supervisor's working file. The file will be purged no later than June 30 each year except for the following documents: past year's evaluations and documents substantiating verbal warnings that may result in further discipline. However, documents related to verbal warnings will become stale after two years if there have been no further incidents. If an employee begins work on or after December 15, the file will remain intact for up to 18 months, but no later than the end of the following fiscal year, and thereafter will be purged by June 30.
- C. No complaint directed toward any employee shall be placed in the personnel file until it has been processed as specified in Article 9.
- D. No evaluation document, disciplinary document, or complaint will be entered into the employee's Human Resources official district file until a copy has been given to the affected employee. The employee shall acknowledge reading such material by signing the actual copy to be filed, or by electronic signature, with the understanding that such signature signifies reading the material to be filed and does not necessarily indicate agreement with its content. The employee shall have the right to answer any material contained in the files and the answer shall be attached to the file copy. Whenever feasible, reports deemed detrimental to an employee shall be in written form within ten working days of the event leading to the report. An administrative investigation will be conducted, following Standard Practice, prior to entry of complaints in the employee's file.
- E. Privileged information, as defined by state and federal law are specifically

exempted from review and shall not be filed in the personnel file. No copies of privileged information shall be made available to the employee.

4.2 Personnel File Maintenance and Access

- A. All official records of employees shall be kept in the Human Resources Department under adequate protection at all times in accordance with ORS 342.850. Such records may be inspected only by the employee concerned, the Superintendent or designee, or by others authorized in writing by the Superintendent or the employee.
- B. Employees shall have the right, upon request, to review the contents of their personnel files maintained at the employee's unit or at the Human Resources Department, in the presence of a Human Resources administrator or designee.
- C. An Association representative or the employee's attorney may, at the employee's request, accompany the employee in reviewing the employee's file, which shall include all material pertaining to the employee affecting employment status or the conditions of employment.
- D. Copies of any papers including documents, letters, or other written material in the employee's file, or concerning the employee shall be given to the employee or employee's authorized representative upon request. The Human Resources Department may charge the cost of reproduction of the copies requested.
- E. Any material, except for evaluations, may be removed from a file after three years by the Superintendent upon request of the employee.

ARTICLE 5 LAYOFF AND RECALL

5.1 Seniority

- A. District seniority shall be defined as the total length of continuous service, including probationary time, within the District in this bargaining unit. Approved leaves, including OFLA/FMLA leaves, shall not constitute a break in service.

Temporary employees shall be laid off prior to layoff of regular employees. Exceptions may be granted after consultation and agreement between the District and the Association.

- B. Seniority shall continue to accumulate when on approved paid leaves.
- C. Seniority shall be viewed as follows:
1. According to date first worked in a permanent position in the District within this bargaining unit without a break in service;
 2. In case of layoffs, ties in District seniority dates shall be decided once for each tie by drawing lots. The tie breaking procedure will be arranged by a Human Resources administrator and will be presided over by the Association President or their designee.
- D. Upon request by the Association, a Human Resources administrator will provide the Association with a list showing the seniority of District classified employees and will notify the Association of changes in the list. A Human Resources administrator will at all times have a current seniority list in the Human Resources Department. The list will be available for inspection during regular working hours by employees and the Association.

5.2 Layoff

Layoff is the elimination of a position or reduction in an employee's hours sufficient to affect the employee's current benefit level regardless of benefit utilization at the time of layoff. The OSEA Chapter 71 President will be notified whenever an employee's benefit will be affected due to layoff or reduction of hours.

- A. In the event the District determines the need to layoff bargaining unit members, the District will notify the Association President within 15 business days prior to layoff and employees to be affected by layoff will be notified within 10 business days prior to layoff.

Layoff or reduction in hours may be for the following reasons only:

1. A substantial reduction in general fund revenue that impacts the District's ability

to maintain current staffing levels; or

2. Reduction of state/federal funding; or
 3. A substantial reduction in pupil enrollment; or
 4. Reduction, elimination, or change of a District service, program or facility.
- B. Employees shall be laid off in the inverse order in which they were hired into the District.
- C. Employees so notified of an impending layoff who have previously held a position in another job classification may return to the same position (regardless of job title) in that job classification provided they have greater District seniority than employees holding those positions.

Job classification is defined as Administrative, Custodial, Instructional, Maintenance, Nutrition Services, Technology and Transportation.

- D. For the purpose of layoff, the Association President will be deemed to have greater seniority than any other employee, and the Vice-President will be deemed to have seniority second only to that of the President. The OSEA Chapter President and Vice-President shall not lose employment as the result of a layoff during the life of this contract.
- E. The following process will be used and applied when an employee is laid off, with the understanding that the District and Association will have the right to apply the least disruptive process for students:
1. Request to transfer to an open position or combination of open positions.
 2. Combine positions at more than one location to retain hours.
 3. Displace the least senior employee within the current job group in the same classification with the same number of hours in one location.
 4. Displace the least senior employee in a previously held job classification or in the next lowest job group within the job classification.

In all situations, District seniority will determine which employees shall be involuntarily transferred and the order in which transferred employees will be given the opportunity to select from available positions.

- F. If employees transfer into a position within their current job classification, which they have not previously held, the District may require proper licensing, certification, or qualifications required for the position.

In no situation shall an employee gain in hours sufficient to increase their benefit level (regardless of whether or not benefits were accessed) or job group as the result of layoff and recall, except where an employee has the right to return to a previously held job classification.

5.3 Recall

- A. As vacancies within an affected job classification occur, laid off employees shall return to positions for which they are qualified in the inverse order in which they were laid off. Employees who have returned to previously held positions or accepted a lower job group position shall be recalled in the same manner as if they had not retreated.
- B. Recall shall be by a phone call and email on file with the Human Resources Department and shall require that the employee accept or reject recall within five work days after the date. Employees accepting recall shall have two weeks from the receipt of the notice to return to work. Should special circumstances prevent a return to work within ten work days, the employee shall notify the Human Resources Department and arrange a return date acceptable to the District. Failure to return to work within the agreed upon time or refusal to accept a recall shall be considered a voluntary termination.
It shall be the employee's responsibility to keep the Human Resources Department informed of current phone number and email address.
- C. No new employees will be hired into classifications where employees who have served within that classification remain on layoff status. Layoff status shall automatically terminate 27 months after the effective date of such layoff.
- D. Employees who are laid off and who are subsequently reinstated within 27 months shall retain their full seniority. Employees who return to work shall not receive credit for movement on the wage schedule for the layoff period.

5.4 Offers of Similar Positions

- A. Employees on layoff status shall be eligible for recall to their job group. A job group shall be defined as one which falls within the same job classification and has similar job-related skills; and has a daily work schedule that is within the same number of benefit hours regardless of whether or not benefits were accessed as related to the employee's previous schedule (See Article 5.3 A). The employee may elect to waive rights to the same number of benefit hours and accept an available position with less benefit hours.
- B. Callback of employees to their job group shall be in the same manner as designated for recall in Article 5.2, except that employees offered positions in their job group shall have the right to reject those offers twice. If an employee rejects an offer in their job group three times, the third rejection shall be considered a voluntary termination.

5.5 Reduction in Hours

- A. When the District or unit manager/supervisor determines to reduce hours in existing positions, the seniority of employees shall be the most significant factor of consideration for the employees who have hours reduced. Prior to making a decision to reduce hours for specific employees, the unit manager/supervisor will discuss the proposed changes with the employees involved. Alternate plans may be suggested by the employees at the unit level. When the District is unable to reduce hours by a strict seniority system, the situation shall be reviewed with the Association prior to the reduction.

The Association shall be provided with the opportunity to present a plan which would be consistent with the needs of the District, and still utilize a strict seniority system for reducing hours. If the plan presented by the Association is not acceptable, the District shall inform the Association of the reasons why the plan is not consistent with the needs of the District.

- B. Reinstatement of hours, which have been reduced, will be done in a process similar to Article 5.5.A.
- C. When temporary hours have been added to an employee's schedule due to seasonal tasks or conditions of overload, it will be made clear to the employee that those hours will be reduced when the temporary situation is relieved. Seniority does not apply in this situation.
- D. The Association shall be informed as soon as the District becomes aware of any proposed reduction of work hours of employees.
- E. For the purpose of reduction of hours, the Association President will be deemed to have greater seniority than any other employee, and the Vice President will be deemed to have seniority second only to that of the President. The OSEA Chapter President and Vice President shall not suffer a loss of hours without consultation with the OSEA Executive Board.

ARTICLE 6 EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE AND DISMISSAL

In order to protect the professional status and due process rights of employees, all criticisms by supervisors, administrators, parents, and other staff members regarding an employee shall be made in confidence and not in the presence of students, parents, staff, or any public gathering unless immediate intervention is necessary for the safety and welfare of students or employees. In order to protect the professional status and due process rights of supervisors, administrators, and Board members, an employee shall not intentionally use the workstation as an arena to criticize supervisors, administrators, employees, or Board members. Failure to adhere to the expectations expressed here will allow individuals to utilize avenues of relief as outlined in this agreement.

6.1 Discipline and Dismissal Reasons

A. Meeting Notice

Required meetings that could lead to discipline will be held after the employee has been informed that he/she has the right to request the presence of an Association representative at such meetings. The notice to the employee to meet will include the general reason for the meeting and will be in writing (hard copy or email). Except in cases of urgency/emergency, the employee will be notified at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to the scheduled meeting.

B. Progressive Discipline

Whenever work performance or conduct of an employee is such that dismissal, suspension or demotion is being recommended, the supervisor will schedule a conference and notify the employee of the right to Association representation. The notice will state the purpose for the meeting and include the OSEA Chapter 71 President's and field representative's telephone numbers. Such notice will be written (hard copy or email). Except in cases of urgency/emergency, the employee will be given notice at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to the scheduled meeting.

No discipline, dismissal, suspension, or demotion shall be brought against an employee under this provision without just cause. The employee shall have the right to have an Association representative present at any conference resulting from action taken under these provisions. All information forming the basis for action shall be made available to the employee and the employee's representative. Discipline shall be administered in private and shall be progressive. Progressive discipline may include verbal warning, written reprimand, demotion, suspension with or without pay, and termination. The nature of the offense shall determine where progressive discipline is initiated.

- C. Employees shall be held harmless from disciplinary actions for approved protected leaves as recognized by state and federal laws. An employee who is not OFLA/FMLA/PLO eligible, because the employee's work hours do not qualify the employee for OFLA/FMLA/PLO leave, but who provides information and documentation for use of accumulated paid leave due to personal illness or an employee who is the primary caregiver to a family member, as substantiated by a medical practitioner, shall be held harmless from disciplinary actions for approved leave. Use of paid leave under these circumstances shall not exceed 12 weeks, and does not extend to the employee any other benefit. Any misuse of leave under this section will be investigated and if applicable the discipline process will be followed.

- D. Employees shall be held harmless from disciplinary action for paid or unpaid leaves requiring approval and used for the purposes indicated in the leave request. Misuse of approved leave will result in disciplinary action.

ARTICLE 7 TRANSFERS/ASSIGNMENTS

7.1 Internal Applicants

- A. District employees may apply for any posted district positions.
- B. The unit manager/supervisor shall not attempt to discourage an employee or retaliate or coerce an employee for applying for a different district position.
- C. Any assignment to a position not requested by an employee will be considered an involuntary transfer. When an involuntary transfer is necessary, the unit manager/supervisor will initiate the transfer process with a written notice to the employee.

Any involuntary transfer shall be made as long as the classified employee has been offered an opportunity to discuss the transfer with the OSEA Chapter 71 President or designee, the unit manager/supervisor, and upon request, the Human Resource administrator.

The meeting shall be scheduled at a mutually agreeable time between the parties. The meeting will be held as soon as reasonably possible.

7.2 Postings and Interviews

The District will post vacancies on the District's website and send an email to all classified employees with each job posting, and accept applications from District employees, as well as from out-of-District candidates. All in-District employees are encouraged to apply for positions. The District may increase a permanent employee's hours (within their current classification) without posting as long as it does not change their benefit level.

In-district applicants who are interested in openings must submit a full application in accordance with District requirements. They are not required to submit letters of recommendation; however, in-district applicants may submit letters of recommendation if they desire.

The selection of an applicant, whether within or from outside the District, shall be at the discretion of the administrator. However, the administrator will interview in-district employees who meet the minimum qualifications of the posting. Interviews may be held in person, by telephone, virtually or via interview stream platform. Positions re-posted within 30 calendar days after the interview may not require the District to re-interview applicants. Applicants who are not chosen to fill the job opening may make a written request to the supervisor who made the selection, or the Human Resources administrator, for an explanation of the reasons they were not chosen for the position.

7.3 Probationary Period

The first six months of employment, beginning with the first day of service, in a permanent position will be the probationary period the District may not demote, discipline, or dismiss the probationary employee without a showing of just cause, unless such requirement is not provided for in Oregon law, in which case a probationary employee may be demoted, disciplined or dismissed.

For less than 12-month employees, the summer calendar break is not counted towards the probationary period. A dismissed probationary employee shall not have recourse to the grievance procedure for purposes of challenging the dismissal.

The probationary period may be extended by mutual agreement between the employee, the Association and the District. When a probationary employee is promoted to another position, the probationary period may be extended by mutual agreement between the employee, the District and the Association.

During the probationary period, the Association may attend meetings at the request of the probationary employee.

A probationary employee who accepts another position, even if temporary, loses rights to the original position.

Note: If the summer recess period is not part of the employee's regularly-scheduled work year, it will not be counted as part of the probationary period.

ARTICLE 8 WORKING CONDITIONS

8.1 General Working Conditions

- A. The District will provide each employee with a copy of their job description, at the time of orientation and/or upon request.
- B. The Board and Association shall work together to identify those schools in which lounge, lunchroom, restroom, and telephone facilities for use of adults are unavailable and inappropriately furnished. Following identification of inadequate facilities, a planned program to provide such facilities will be mutually agreed upon, allowing reasonable time for appropriation of funds. Provisions for such facilities will be made in future construction.
- C. Only District employees trained by the District Transportation Department as school bus/van drivers shall operate a District-owned school bus/van to transport students.
- D. All Classified staff who assist a student with specialized needs must be provided access to documents related to the staff member's responsibilities.

Staff who are assigned to assist a student with specialized support needs, shall be consulted when the documents related to specialized needs are being developed, reviewed, or revised. Principals/Supervisors will implement a process aligned with District's guidelines to provide the required access and collect input aligned with the law. Confidentiality rights of the student will not be violated.

- E. Any employee may request assistance from their immediate supervisor in establishing or adjusting priorities to carry out the employee's workload. If there are workload concerns, employees will discuss with their supervisor first. If still unresolved employees may reach out to the Human Resources or the Association.

8.2 Calendar

If an employee works 12 months, it shall be interpreted to mean 260 days. Employees will be paid for actual days worked.

8.3 Work Schedules

- A. **Work Week**
The work week shall be defined as beginning at 12:01 AM Monday and ending at 11:59 PM Sunday. Each employee shall be granted two consecutive days off within the work week; normally Saturday and Sunday. Employees who have a regular work schedule that includes Saturday as a normal work day shall work a five consecutive day week that shall include Saturday. When a holiday as indicated in the Agreement

falls within the seven day work week, that holiday shall be considered as though the employee had worked a regular shift for that day and shall be part of the employee's 40 hour work week. If a holiday falls on a Saturday or Sunday, an employee who normally would have it as a work day will have either the Friday before the Saturday holiday or the Monday following the Sunday holiday. Employees who have a regular work schedule that does not include Monday, as a normal work day shall be given Tuesday as a holiday if a national holiday is observed on Monday.

B. Work Hours, Meal Break, Rest Breaks

Regular work hours for employees shall be no more than eight hours per day. Employees shall adhere to the daily normal schedule. Requests for exceptions must be submitted to the unit manager/supervisor or administrative designee prior to the anticipated absence and/or late arrival or early leaving. Wage deduction will be made on a per diem basis or a prorated share of unapproved absence, late arrival or early leaving.

Length of work period*	Number of 15 minute rest breaks required	Number of 30 minute meal periods required
2 hrs or less	0	0
2 hrs and 1 minute – 5 hrs and 59 min	1	0
6 hrs – 6 hrs and 29 min	1	1
6 hrs and 30 min - 10 hrs	2	1
10 hrs and 1 min -13 hrs 59 min	3	1

*Work period is defined as the period between the time an employee begins work and the time the employee ends work, including all rest breaks and any period of one hour or less not designated as a meal period during which the employee is relieved of all duties. Meal periods do not count as part of the work period.

1. Meal Break

Employees who work 6 to 8 hours a day will receive a minimum of one-half hour (30 consecutive minutes) of duty-free unpaid time for a meal break. Meal break should be taken as near to the middle of the work day as possible.

A meal break of greater than one-half hour of unpaid time must be at the

employee's request and with the administrative supervisor's approval. The starting and dismissal times, which may vary from position to position, shall be determined by the unit manager/supervisor.

Employees will check in and out per unit practice when leaving and returning during their scheduled duty-free meal break. If an employee's unpaid meal break is interrupted to perform a duty or responsibility, the employee will be allowed to extend the meal break to compensate for the interruption. If an employee's unpaid meal break is interrupted on a recurring basis, the employee shall inform the unit manager/ supervisor and request a meeting to discuss the schedule and possible changes to provide for an uninterrupted meal break. An Association representative will be included and the employee will be given the name and phone number of the OSEA Chapter 71 President.

2. Rest Breaks

Employees working over 2 and up to 6 hours and 29 minutes per day shall be granted one 15 consecutive minute break. Those working 6.5 to 10 hours per day shall be granted two 15 consecutive minute breaks per day. The time shall be designated by the unit manager/supervisor or administrative designee, together with the employee. Break times shall be taken daily, but need not be scheduled at the same time daily. Breaks will not be used for regular early departure or late arrival nor are they regarded as cumulative if not taken. Employees will remain at their work site during breaks. Breaks will not be scheduled as the first or the last 15 minutes of an employee work day.

C. Overtime, Comp Time

Employees will be compensated with one and one-half times their present pay rate for required work beyond forty hours in the employee's regularly scheduled workweek, or, with supervisor's approval, the employee may elect to receive one and one-half times compensatory time off for the time worked beyond forty hours in the employee's regularly scheduled workweek. Employees shall schedule comp time to be used with supervisor's approval. In all cases, the employee shall not earn/use comp time or earn overtime without the knowledge of the supervisor. The employee may request in writing to carry up to 80 hours into the next fiscal year. Unless the employee has requested in writing to carry over comp time into the next fiscal year, any comp time not used by June 30 of each year shall be paid to the employee at the end of the fiscal year.

D. Flex Time

If an employee has a need to change (flex) their work schedule within a work week, they must request advance approval from their administrator. Flex time cannot be required by an administrator.

Extra hours worked in a day must be used or flexed, hour for hour, on another day within the same work week so that the staff member works their full weekly schedule.

E. Call backs

Call backs are regular work, emergency coverage, or unplanned events outside the work day. Extending an employee's workday is not a call back.

1. Call backs shall be paid a minimum of two hours, at time and one half the employee's rate of pay.
2. Any employee required to work on a weekend non-scheduled work day shall be paid at time and one half their rate of pay for a minimum of two hours.
3. Meetings, communication and training sessions regularly scheduled are not considered to be call backs but will be paid for not less than the full time the meeting or training was scheduled. For example, if the meeting was scheduled for two hours but lasted only one hour, the employee shall be paid for the full two hours the meeting was scheduled to last.

F. On Call

If an employee is required to be available to respond outside of their regular work hours, they will be considered on call.

1. Whoever assumes the on-call responsibilities must be familiar with the work to be covered.
2. The on-call compensation shall apply to each day someone is on-call. The on-call compensation will be for 2 hours each day someone assumes the responsibility. An exception is Facilities on-call, which will be paid 2 hours for evening/night only coverage or 4 hours for full day coverage. The rate will be at the employee's current rate of pay, at time and a half. If an employee has to actually go into the department, or works more than the minimum number of hours paid for being on call, the overtime rate will apply to this time as well, as long as time worked is beyond the 40 hour work week.
3. Departments will provide phones for the on-call purpose so that employees will not have to use their own phones.
4. Inclusion on the on-call rotation will be voluntary.
5. Employees who are on-call need to be able to work, if necessary, within 60 minutes.

G. When employee(s) work hours are reduced, or a substitute is not hired to replace an

absent employee, the administrative supervisor will advise the affected employee(s) of revisions in the priorities of the duties of the position.

- H. The District will inform the Association as soon as possible of its intent to reduce work days and/or hours.
- I. 260 day/8 hour employees are entitled to work and be paid for their full 40 hour week as per their Recommendation for Hire as approved by the Board.

This shall not preclude the District from electing to adjust or modify the length of the work week, however, it shall not require the employee to use paid or unpaid leave to receive payment for the hours for which they have been employed.

For example: Should the District decide to modify the work week to four days, the employee may elect to do one of the following:

1. Work a modified work week of four days at (10) hours a day for their full 40 hours;
 2. Work a modified work week of four days at (9) hours a day and utilize paid/vacation leave for the additional four hours;
 3. Work a modified work week of four days (8) hours a day and utilize paid/vacation leave for the additional eight hours;
 4. Work a modified work week of four days at nine (9) hours a day and utilize unpaid leave for the additional four hours;
 5. Work a modified work week of 4 days at eight (8) hours a day and utilize unpaid leave for the additional eight hours.
- J. Prep time Within Established Work Schedule

Employees will be given a reasonable amount of paid time to prepare for required job duties within the employee's established FTE/schedule. Employees will be given a reasonable amount of paid time to move within the building between job duties. If there are schedule concerns, employees will discuss them with their supervisor first. If still unresolved, employees may reach out to Human Resources or the Association.

- K. Building Staff Development

Recognizing the importance of including classified employees in ongoing building staff development, classified employees will be paid to attend planned building staff meetings, as requested by the supervisor.

L. Athletic or Activities Advisor

For hours worked as athletic or activities advisors, employees will be compensated according to the NCEA collective bargaining agreement's extended responsibility stipend schedule as the only means and amount of compensation for the work performed. This work will not be eligible for overtime pay.

8.4 Transportation Department Working Conditions

A. Procedures for posting, bidding, and assigning routes will follow the Transportation Manual.

B. Work schedules may change due to some schools and/or programs not being in session, or some schools starting late or ending early. Drivers who are required to report to work may choose one of the two options below if they are not needed for other assignments:

1. Drivers may report to work and fulfill the required hours to transport schools and/or programs that are in session in accordance with the "white sheet." Drivers will be paid the actual hours worked if they wish to leave after finishing their assignment; or
2. Drivers may report to work to fulfill the required hours and ask for additional work to fill in up to their normal work schedule hours. Drivers must check in with their supervisor to receive the added work.

Note: Any paid leaves used on this type of a day will only be credited the actual driving hours on the "white sheet."

C. If the time period between a driver's anticipated clock out time and clock in time between assignments is greater than fifteen (15) minutes, the driver must clock out. If the time period between a driver's anticipated clock out time and clock in time between assignments is fifteen (15) minutes or less, the driver must report availability and location to Dispatch. During this time period, the driver may complete any normal job duties or any special assignment given by Dispatch, or take their paid fifteen (15) minute break.

D. Field Trips

1. Field trips are assigned based on the criteria in the *Transportation Manual*.

2. Field trips that are not an extension of a route will be guaranteed a minimum of two hours.
3. Field trips that are not an extension of a route may be canceled due to unforeseen circumstances. In these cases, the staff member will be contacted, and will be placed on the next top position for upcoming field trips, as defined in the *Transportation Manual*.
4. If a staff member reports for a field trip on a nonschool day and it is canceled, they will be paid two hours minimum, or the driver will be placed on the next top position for upcoming field trips, as defined in the *Transportation Manual*.
5. If the trip is canceled after the driver has arrived to the location from which the trip is scheduled, the driver will be paid for the actual time on the clock, or two hours, whichever is greater, or the driver will be placed on the next top position for upcoming field trips, as defined in the *Transportation Manual*.
6. Overnight field trip drivers will be paid for the actual driving hours for the trip, to and from the destination. Additional days of the trip will be paid at a minimum of eight (8) hours per day or for the actual driving hours, whichever is greater.

E. Transportation Manual Committee

The District and the Association recognize the value of participating with the employees and supervisors of the Transportation Department and utilizing the Transportation Manual Committee's expertise to advise and consult with management regarding changes, additions, updates, and implementation of procedures for the department.

The District will follow these procedures in regards to the Transportation Manual Committee:

1. Develop and maintain a Transportation Manual Committee made up of representatives as stipulated in item 2 below.
2. Committee membership will be determined bi-annually at the beginning of the school year and will include:
 - A. OSEA Chapter 71 President will appoint two (2) members to the Committee from the drivers/driver trainers, and

- B. The drivers/driver trainers will elect two at large members from that employee group, and
 - C. The Transportation Department Supervisor will appoint two at large members from the Transportation Department, and
 - D. Transportation Department supervisors will be members of the Committee.
3. The purpose of the Transportation Manual Committee will be to review, consult, and advise on transportation related topics.
 4. The Transportation Manual will be reviewed at least bi-annually by the Transportation Manual Committee and no changes in the Manual will be made without convening the Transportation Manual Committee for review, discussion, and making recommendations to any proposed changes.
 5. Any revision to the Transportation Manual will be reviewed by the OSEA Chapter 71 President, OSEA Executive Board, and a Human Resources administrator prior to implementation.
 6. The Transportation Manual and updates to the Manual will be shared with all transportation employees prior to implementation of changes.

ARTICLE 9
COMPLAINT PROCEDURE

- A. Any complaint or complaints regarding an employee made by a parent, student, citizen, or non-administrative District employee, including co-worker(s), which may influence the evaluation of the employee or which may lead to discipline of the employee will be brought to the attention of the employee within five work days from the time the complaint was made known to the District. If the employee cannot be notified within the five (5) work days about the complaint, the OSEA President and/or Field Representative shall be notified and given an estimated time of meeting with the employee.
- B. The administrator or immediate supervisor shall meet with the employee to apprise the employee of the full nature of the complaint including the name(s) of the complainant. The employee shall be given the opportunity to explain the situation or circumstances from their point of view, after which the administrator or immediate supervisor and the employee shall attempt to resolve the matter informally.
- C. When the complaint has been filed by a co-worker, the administrator or immediate supervisor shall offer facilitated problem-solving as an option to the employees in an effort to work out their differences without fear of reprisal or disciplinary action. Both parties must agree to facilitated problem-solving and be willing participants. Should either party decline the offer of facilitated problem-solving, the complaint will be handled in a manner consistent with this article.
- D. Any disciplinary action against the employee, as a result of the complaint, will be in accordance with Article 6.
- E. The employee shall have the right to be represented by the Association and/or any other person of the employee's choosing at any meetings or conferences regarding such complaint. The complainant may be accompanied by and may be represented by a person of the complainant's choosing at any meeting or conference which the complainant is entitled to attend. When the complaint is between two or more members of the same bargaining unit, all parties shall have a right to their own union representation. When more than one OSEA Field Representative is needed, arrangements shall be made between the District and OSEA to provide for such coverage.
- F. Anonymous complaints, unless further substantiated, shall not be made the basis for any disciplinary action and under no circumstance shall be included in official personnel files. If the name of the complainant is not made known to the employee, the complaint shall not be formalized. Complaints not processed in conformance with this article shall be destroyed.

- G. This article shall be used in conjunction with the District Policy and Administrative Regulations for complaints. In cases where the language of the Collective Bargaining Agreement and District Policy may not agree, the language set forth in this agreement shall prevail.

ARTICLE 10 GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE

10.1 Grievance Procedure Definitions

- A. "Grievant" shall mean either:
 - 1. a member of the bargaining unit; or
 - 2. a group within the bargaining unit; or
 - 3. the Association.

- B. "Grievance" shall mean a claim by a grievant that a dispute or disagreement exist involving interpretation or inequitable application of the terms of this Agreement, administrative rule, or Board policy. A grievance filed solely over Board policy will conclude at Level Two (Superintendent Level), the Superintendent's decision being final.

- C. "Hearing Officer" refers to an individual who shall conduct the procedures and/or rule on the issue presented at Level Two as referred to in Article 10.3.

- D. "Immediate Supervisor" is the one who has direct administrative or supervisory responsibilities over the grievant in the area of grievance.

10.2 Grievance General Procedures

- A. These procedures should be processed as rapidly as possible. The number of days indicated for settlement or appeal at each level should be considered a maximum. The time limits can be extended by written mutual consent of the parties at any level of the procedure.

- B. The District recognizes employees' right to grievance representation by the Association. The District shall notify the Association of a grievance proceeding to Level Two.

- C. There shall be no restraint, interference, discrimination, or reprisal exerted on an employee concerned with the resolution of grievances.

- D. Failure at any level of this procedure by the grievant to appeal a grievance to the next level within the specified time limits shall be deemed to be acceptance of the decision rendered at that level. Failure at any level of this procedure to communicate the decision in writing on a grievance within the specified time limits shall permit the grievant to proceed to the next level.

- E. All documents, communications, and records of a grievance shall be filed separately from the District personnel files. The Human Resources Department will maintain a notebook of these procedures.

- F. Following the Level One informal discussion, grievances may be submitted in writing using the OSEA Grievance Form (Appendix B). All written grievances must include the information required on the form.
- G. There will be no interruption of classes or the work day as a result of using this procedure unless agreed to by the District.
- H. Involvement of students in all phases of the grievance procedure shall be avoided. However, names of students shall be made available when their testimony as witnesses to the event in question becomes essential in the grievance proceedings.
- I. Grievances above Level One will be processed at a time set mutually by the parties.
- J. In the event a grievance is filed at a time when it cannot be processed through all the levels in this grievance procedure by the end of the school year, and if left unresolved until the beginning of the following school year could result in irreparable harm to the parties, the time limits shall be reduced so that the grievance procedure may be exhausted prior to the end of the school year or as soon thereafter as is practical.
- K. Grievants may represent themselves through Level Two of the grievance procedure or may determine their own representative, which may be the Association. The Association shall have the right to be present and to state its view at all levels of the grievance procedure.
- L. All meetings and hearings under this procedure shall be conducted in private unless the grievant, Association, and District otherwise agree, and shall include only such parties and their selected representatives.
- M. Any level of the grievance procedure may be waived or extended with the mutual written agreement of both parties.
- N. An individual acting as a hearing officer shall not have previously been directly involved in the events leading to the grievance.
- O. Both parties shall have the opportunity to present arguments and evidence orally as well as in writing. Both parties shall also have the opportunity to confront and cross-examine witnesses.
- P. The determination of the grievance shall rest solely on the evidence gathered at the hearing or through investigation by the hearing officer. Evidence discovered by the hearing officer's investigation shall be available to the grievant upon request.

10.3 Grievance Levels

Level One (*Unit Level*):

The grievant shall first discuss the grievance with the immediate supervisor individually or accompanied by a grievance representative no later than the 15th work day after occurrence or event which led to the dispute, with the objective of resolving the matter informally. If the grievance arises out of an event that occurs within the last 15 work days of the employee's work year, the time for filing a grievance shall be no more than 21 calendar days following the event. Grievances will be submitted on OSEA Grievance Form Appendix B. The immediate supervisor shall respond to the grievance at the informal meeting or within five work days of the informal meeting. If the grievant is not satisfied with the disposition of the grievance, a written grievance may be filed with the immediate supervisor within five work days, stating the grounds for the grievance, the remedy requested, and bearing the signature of the grievant. The immediate supervisor shall communicate the decision in writing to the grievant within five work days of the receipt of the written grievance or hearing, if held.

Level Two (*Superintendent Level*):

If the grievant is not satisfied with the decision of the immediate supervisor, the grievant may appeal in writing to the Superintendent within 10 work days of the Level One decision. Within ten work days, the Superintendent or designee shall give written notice of the time and place of a hearing, consulting with the grievant, to the grievant and the representative. The Association or the District may tape record the hearing. The Superintendent or designee shall communicate to the aggrieved and the representative the written decision within ten work days of the hearing.

Level Three (*Arbitration*):

There may be differences of opinion as to the interpretation of this Agreement. All parties desire to have these differences of opinion adjusted as quickly and efficiently as possible. Binding arbitration shall be confined to interpretation, meaning, or application of a specific term or provisions of the Agreement.

- A. If the grievant is not satisfied with the disposition of the grievance at Level Two or if no decision has been rendered within ten work days after the grievance was heard by the Superintendent, the grievant may request in writing that the Association submit the grievance to arbitration. If the Association so determines, it may submit the grievance to arbitration within 15 work days after receipt of the Superintendent's decision. The Superintendent or designee and the Association representative shall confer to determine a mutually acceptable arbitrator. If no arbitrator can be mutually agreed upon, either the Superintendent or the Association shall request a list of arbitrators from the Employment Relations Board (ERB). The parties shall then be bound by the rules and procedures of ERB in the selection of an arbitrator.
- B. The arbitrator shall confer with the representatives of the Superintendent and the Association and hold a hearing promptly and shall issue the decision not later than

30 calendar days from the date of the hearing, or, if oral hearings have been waived, then from the date that final statements and proofs on the issues are submitted to the arbitrator. The Superintendent and the Association may present evidence, witnesses, and exhibits at the hearing scheduled by the arbitrator; and each shall have the right to cross-examine. The arbitrator's decision shall be in writing and shall set forth findings of fact, reasoning, and conclusions on the issues submitted. The arbitrator shall be without power or authority to make any decision, which requires the commission of an act prohibited by law or which is in violation of this Agreement. The decision of the arbitrator shall be submitted to the Superintendent and the Association and shall be final and binding on the parties.

- C. The costs for the services of the arbitrator including per diem expenses, shall be equally shared by both parties.

ARTICLE 11 PAY PROVISIONS

11.1 Pay Periods

- A. The District will provide to the employee a copy of the District schedule of pay dates at the beginning of the fiscal year.
- B. Equal pay – Employees with a permanent position regularly scheduled to work the same number of daily hours, five days a week the entire school year will be paid one-twelfth of the annual pay over twelve equal payments.

The employee who is receiving twelve equal payments may elect to receive checks for July and August in June; otherwise, the employee shall be paid monthly.

Employees working less time than his/her regular scheduled hours will submit absences utilizing the District absence management system. Employees who work more time in addition to his/her regular schedule with prior supervisor approval will submit a timecard to payroll on a monthly basis.

11.2 Pay Advances

Employees may, in an emergency situation, be granted a maximum of one payroll advance per year up to 70% of earned wages not to exceed \$500.00 with the following conditions:

- A. The employee must submit a time card to the District Business Office verifying sufficient hours have been worked to cover requested advance. The time card must be signed by the employee's unit manager/supervisor.
- B. Payroll advances will only be granted during the period beginning five work days after and ending five work days before the regularly scheduled payday and will be issued on Fridays.

Exceptions may be considered only in cases of extreme urgency or payroll error, with an application to and approval by the Superintendent or his/her designee.

11.3 Payroll Errors

- A. If there is an error on an employee's check resulting in an underpayment of \$100 or more, not the fault of the employee, the employee must notify payroll within two (2) business days of payday and the correction will be made within two (2) business days after Payroll being notified. Any errors reported below \$100, or any errors reported after two (2) business days of payday, will be paid on the following paycheck.

- B. An error in pay due to an overpayment to the employee may be recovered. The employee may request to meet with a District administrator to discuss and verify the error and make arrangements, if applicable, for repayment to the District.
- C. When an overpayment has occurred, there will not be a deduction prior to written notification and a discussion regarding a repayment plan with the employee. All records pertaining to the overpayment will be made available in a timely manner and copied to the employee prior to discussion of repayment in an effort to inform the employee of the overpayment. The employee may have representation of choice to review materials and records regarding the overpayment. The employee may return the overpayment to the District in the same manner as received monthly, or in a manner agreed upon by both District and employee.

11.4 Payroll Deductions

- A. The District agrees to deduct from employee wages as requested by the employee:
 - 1. Association Dues
The District shall furnish to the Association an electronic spreadsheet of classified employees paying union dues by payroll deduction within five work days after monthly paychecks have been received by employees.

The District agrees to deduct from the wages of each employee for the payment of dues to the Association, pursuant to authorization in writing by each employee on the Association membership form. This amount shall be forwarded to the state office of the Oregon School Employees Association by the 15th of each month following payroll deduction.
 - 2. Premiums for Board approved insurance programs;
 - 3. District approved supplemental retirement programs (see 16.5.E) and/or District approved Political Action Committees (PACs).
 - 4. Contributions to the North Clackamas Education Foundation.
- B. The District will offer an IRS Section 125 plan for employees. All required fees will be paid by the District. This plan will allow employees to "tax shelter" money for such things as childcare, insurance premiums, medical and dental expenses as determined by the District's plan document.
- C. The Association agrees to indemnify and hold the District harmless from and against any and all claims, suits, orders or judgments brought against the District as a result of the District's compliance with the provisions of Article 11.4 B and to reimburse any fees, costs or expenses incurred by the District in connection with the same.

11.5 Pay Rate Data

Employees shall be notified in writing or electronically of salary schedule placement, FTE, number of days of work and assignment annually prior to October 24, with the exception of Transportation employees, who will be notified annually prior to November 24. Changes in an employee's status will be provided in writing after Board action.

11.6 Final Paycheck

Employees who voluntarily resign from the District shall receive their final paycheck on the next regularly scheduled payday.

ARTICLE 12 PAID LEAVE

12.1 Paid Leave Requests

All paid leaves shall be input into the absence management system at least five (5) work days in advance. Leaves are to be approved by the unit manager/administrator prior to the leave date except in an emergency or in the event of a sudden illness. In an emergency or sudden illness, a phone call shall be made or email is required to be sent to the supervisor and/or site timekeeper, or as required by the supervisor.

Employees will receive a response either through the District absence management system or by written confirmation. If the employee does not receive a response within two (2) work days, the employee may request a response from his/her administrator's supervisor.

Supervisors will not require employees to fill out a separate leave form and will not ask for specifics of personal leave.

12.2 Sick Leave

- A. Full-time employees – In accordance with ORS 332.507, bargaining unit members shall accrue sick leave at the rate of ten (10) days per year or one (1) day for each month worked, whichever is greater.

Part-time employees – Part-time employees accrue sick leave on a prorated basis, according to the percentage of a full-time schedule the part-time employee is scheduled to work. The sick leave paid for a day of illness for a part-time employee will be based on the number of hours the employee was scheduled to work that day.

Regular employees who are not 260 day employees, and who are working temporarily during summer months shall accrue sick leave for months worked in summer employment, and may access their sick leave. Bereavement leave and available emergency leave may also be used with the approval of the unit manager/supervisor or designee.

- B. Sick leave shall be used for an employee's mental or physical illness, injury or health condition, need for medical, dental, or vision diagnosis, care or treatment of a mental or physical illness, injury or health condition or need for preventive medical care.

Sick leave may also be used for care of a family member with a mental or physical illness, injury or health condition, care of a family member who needs medical, dental, or vision diagnosis, care, or treatment of a mental or physical illness, injury or health condition or care of a family member who needs preventive medical care.

If an employee has exhausted sick leave, available BEROP leave may be used for personal medical, dental or vision care or for the medical, dental, or vision care of the unit member's family member. Sick leave may be used for the illness/injury of others as provided by Oregon Family Leave Act (OFLA)/Family Medical Leave Act

(FMLA)/Paid Leave Oregon (PLO), guidelines upon application for and approval of OFLA/FMLA leave.

- C. The district will comply with the Oregon Family Leave Act (“OFLA”), the Family Medical Leave Act (“FMLA”), and Paid Leave Oregon (PLO). Employees are entitled to a leave of absence as set forth in those laws. You must choose one of the following options:
 - 1. Use Paid Leave Oregon (PLO):
 - A. You can choose only to be paid by Paid Leave Oregon or
 - B. You can choose to use both your available District accrued paid leave and be paid by PLO. The employee may determine how much available accrued paid leave to use.
 - 2. Do not use PLO and only use your available accrued paid leave.

- D. The unit manager/supervisor may conference with employees if absenteeism begins to interfere with job performance. Per Oregon State law, the District may require an employee who has been absent due to self or family member illness or injury in excess of three (3) consecutive work days or where there is a pattern of use or suspicion of misuse of illness/sick leave to provide a certificate from the employee’s or family member’s attending physician or practitioner, that the illness or injury prevents the employee from working and that verifies that the employee or family member was ill or injured on the dates indicated. The District shall also retain the ability, after an employee’s absence in excess of three (3) consecutive work days or a pattern of illness/sick leave for illness or injury to require a certificate from the employee’s attending physician or practitioner that the employee is fit to resume the employee’s duties.

The District must pay the cost of the verification not covered by insurance or any other benefit plan. The District retains the right to assign a physician of its choice to verify illness.

- E. When an employee is on sick leave and will exhaust all accumulated paid leaves, including vacation, but will be able to return at a future date, the employee may apply for an unpaid leave of absence for the number of additional days needed.

- F. Notice of accumulated sick leave shall be given to the employee on the monthly paycheck stub. The employee shall be responsible for keeping track of depletion of this sick leave.

- G. An employee who is placed on Workers' Compensation benefits may continue to draw on the employee's sick days as long as they last. At the point the employee's sick leave is exhausted, the employee on Workers' Compensation benefits shall apply for unpaid leave which will be granted on the same basis as other unpaid leaves for medical reasons.

- H. Family medical leave will comply with the FMLA/OFLA and PLO, depending on the

qualifiers attached to the specific employee's work hours and work year, which allow the employee situation to fall under the specific law governing family leave. The legally required notice about these laws will be posted at each unit. Absences of 3 consecutive days or more may qualify for OFLA/FMLA/PLO leave.

- I. A unit member who has accumulated sick leave during employment in another Oregon school district, and who was so employed during the preceding year shall be allowed, upon proper verification, to transfer the number of days so accumulated. Twenty (20) days may be transferred in a similar manner from districts outside Oregon.

J. **Sick Leave Bank**

The District will set aside 800 hours into a sick leave bank at the beginning of the contract year, July 1st, for permanent employees. If an employee has exhausted all paid leave due to a catastrophic, life threatening, major illness or injury, the employee may request to receive additional sick leave from the Association's sick leave bank. The Association will establish a process for administering the distribution of the sick leave bank hours. The criteria for requesting additional sick leave and determination of distribution will be the Association's responsibility.

The Association president, or his/her designee, will notify the Human Resources Director when sick leave hours from the bank are approved by the Association for distribution to the employee.

The Sick Leave Bank hours are cumulative up to a base of 800 hours and, if needed, the bank will be replenished annually each July 1st by the District.

If during any contract year the sick leave bank drops to 200 hours, the Association may request members to donate leave to replenish the sick leave bank to the level of 800 hours. Donated leave will be deducted from the member's individual sick leave balance at the time of donation and will not be refundable. Leave donations must be made in hourly increments.

When donations are requested, members can donate up to 40 hours each time a request is made.

12.3 Jury Service

- A. Jury service shall be allowed. Fees paid to the employee for such service shall be payable to the District. Employees must report jury pay to the District. If jury pay exceeds the employee's pay, the employee shall retain the excess. Any expense money paid by the court shall be retained by the employee.
- B. Employees who work an evening or swing shift shall be paid for jury duty for their assigned shift. Their absence needs to be entered in the absence management system as Jury Duty.

- C. If you are not selected for jury duty or are released from jury duty with more than three hours remaining in your shift, the expectation is to contact your supervisor for instructions for the remainder of the day.

12.4 Court Appearance

Appearance before a court, legislative committee or other judicial body as a witness in response to a subpoena shall be allowed. Any notification for appearance other than under compulsion, similar in effect to a subpoena, must be approved by the unit manager/supervisor. Fees paid for such service shall be payable to the District. If pay exceeds the employee's pay, the employee shall retain the excess.

12.5 Business/Emergency/Religious Observance/Personal Leave

- A. At the beginning of an employee's work year, each employee shall be credited with a total of five (5) days of Business/Emergency/Religious Observance/ Personal (BEROP) leave at full pay based on the employee's hours of work. Leaves will be prorated (rounded to the nearest day) for employees who start later in the contract year in the employee's first contract year. This leave shall be non-accumulative. Such leave shall be applied for and can be used for emergency, business, or personal reasons.

- B. Three (3) days are defined as personal leave and two (2) days are defined as business/emergency leave as outlined below. These leaves are non-cumulative.

No more than two (2) consecutive work days may be taken as personal leave. It is agreed that three (3) days can be used for personal purposes and a member is not prohibited from using those two (2) days for the extension of school breaks or holidays. Such leaves may only be taken in full or half day increments if a substitute is required.

Business/Emergency Leave may be accessed prior to applying for state and/or federal family medical leave.

The reason for Business/Emergency Leave must be specified in the notes to administrator box in the absence management system.

The following are the only valid uses of business/emergency leave:

1. Marriage or graduation of unit member or member of unit member's immediate family.
2. PERS appointment.
3. When sick leave has been exhausted, medical/dental appointments which cannot be made outside of the work day.

4. Need to attend to legal or governmental matters which cannot be scheduled outside the school day (e.g. meeting with personal attorney, Internal Revenue appearance, adoption, family domestic relations court appearance).

5. Crisis in the unit member's family.

6. Catastrophes to unit member's personal or real property such as fire or flood damage to home.

7. Return from travel delayed by canceled air flight, transportation strike, or automotive mechanical difficulties.

8. When sick leave has been exhausted, available business/emergency leave may be accessed to care for a unit member's sick child.

9. Religious Observances

10. For personal child care in the event that care provider becomes unexpectedly unavailable.

11. Required business that cannot be conducted outside of the work day.

12. Exceptions to the limitations outlined above may be made with the approval of the building principal or administrator.

C. Regular employees who are not 260 day employees, and who are working temporarily during summer months may use emergency leave with the approval of the unit manager/supervisor or designee.

12.6 Bereavement Leave

Leaves not to exceed three (3) total work days per bereavement will be granted for a death of someone associated with an employee, defined as follows:

- A. All relatives, including step relatives, of self, spouse, or domestic partner
- B. Other persons who have lived in a member's household as family members or in loco parentis.
- C. Close personal friend.

When an employee is required to travel out of state for bereavement purposes, up to two (2) additional days of leave may be granted. Such leave time granted is with full pay of the employee's normal work schedule and is non-accumulative.

Also available are up to 10 work days which may be used for bereavement leave for immediate family as defined by the Oregon Family Leave Act (OFLA). This leave may be

paid based on available leave balances. This protected leave runs concurrent with all paid or unpaid leaves.

The District reserves the right to request written verification of death from employee.

Regular employees who are not 260 day employees, and who are working temporarily during summer months may use bereavement leave with the approval of the unit manager/supervisor or designee.

12.7 Inclement Weather / Emergency Closure Leave

- A. Leaves of absence not to exceed three (3) total days per work year shall be allowed for District-wide school closures caused by inclement weather when staff is instructed not to report to work. Such leave time granted is with full pay of the employee's normal work schedule and is non-accumulative.
- B. On days when all schools are closed due to inclement weather, employees who have previously been instructed to report shall receive double their regular rate of pay for hours worked during the closure with a minimum of two (2) hours. Employees who report to work prior to notification of district closure will contact their immediate supervisor to report their attendance at the work site and will be paid a two hour minimum at double their regular rate of pay. All other employees shall not be expected to report for work. Employees may use their regular inclement weather leave for the balance of their regular day.
- C. If the emergency pertains to an individual school closure, employees will be paid regular rate for the remainder of the closure when staff is instructed not to report to work. If an employee has already reported to work prior to notification of the closure or has been instructed to report to work, they will be paid regular rate for the duration of the closure. The District retains the right to reassign staff or extend the work year.
- D. Employees who are scheduled to work 12 months may choose to use vacation or accumulated compensatory time to offset the loss of work days beyond the three granted for inclement weather or emergency closure when staff is instructed not to report to work. If an employee does not have paid leave available, then the employee will be granted leave without pay and such leave will not be detrimental to the employee's attendance record.
- E. Employees who work less than twelve months and had no loss of pay and are required to work an extended school year shall not be further compensated.
- F. Employees who work less than twelve months and had a loss of pay shall be paid for hours required to work in an extended school year.
- G. In the event of late start or early dismissal, inclement weather/emergency closure will not be deducted from the inclement weather leave balance, and employees will not have a loss of pay for the closure.

- H. Employees who have scheduled a paid leave option prior to an inclement weather day will have up until one-hour prior to their reporting time to cancel their leave request. If an individual does not cancel their scheduled leave, such leave will not be returned to the individual's balance.

In the event the notification of an inclement weather closure is made less than an hour prior to an individual's contractual starting time, employees will be credited the paid leave day back to their individual leave balance.

This does not apply to employees with pre-arranged absences in excess of three consecutive days.

12.8 Workers' Compensation Leave

- A. The District shall, upon request, provide employees injured on the job with information regarding Workers' Compensation. Employees shall be encouraged to utilize District and Association resources for information and assistance regarding their status.
- B. The District will provide the employee who is absent from work by reason of a compensable injury as defined by ORS Chapter 656 (and other applicable laws and regulations) with written information regarding District Workers' Compensation practices and options for the employee, including, but not limited to, information about limited duty as a work option, other employee benefit use options as they relate to medical benefit retention, monetary information regarding Workers' Compensation benefits and/or employee pay while on limited duty, as well as any other information which is reasonable and available for the employee regarding the specific employee situation.
- C. The District will reinstate or re-employ injured workers in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.
- D. The injured employee should first seek information from the Risk Management Division and if employee so desires, may seek information from a Human Resources administrator.

12.9 Denial of Paid Leave Requests

An employee who is denied leave by the unit manager/administrator may appeal the denial to a Human Resources administrator.

12.10 OFLA/FMLA Non-Eligible Employees

An employee who is not OFLA/FMLA eligible, because the employee's work hours do not qualify the employee for OFLA/FMLA leave, but who provides information and documentation for use of paid leave due to personal illness or an employee's family member or parental leave under Paid Leave Oregon (PLO) as substantiated by a medical

practitioner, shall be held harmless from disciplinary actions for approved paid leave. Use of paid leave under these circumstances shall not exceed 12 weeks. Any misuse of leave under this section will be investigated and if applicable, the discipline process will be followed.

ARTICLE 13 UNPAID LEAVE

13.1 Unpaid Leave Requests

An employee may request a short term unpaid leave, approved at the unit administrator's discretion. Unpaid leaves are not automatically approved. Unapproved absences are subject to the disciplinary process.

An employee is responsible for entering all unpaid leave requests into the district absence management system. Planned unpaid leave requests should be entered at least thirty (30) calendar days in advance.

In the event the request for leave is three (3) or more consecutive days, in addition to entering the request in the absence management system, a Leave Without Pay form must be completed and submitted to the unit administrator who will forward the form to a Human Resources administrator.

In the event an employee has taken five (5) unpaid leave days throughout the year, the employee is required to complete and submit a Leave Without Pay form for any leave requests beyond the fifth day taken. The unit administrator will forward the form to a Human Resources administrator.

In an emergency or sudden illness, a phone call or email is required to be sent to the supervisor and/or site timekeeper, or as required by the supervisor. In an emergency, the request must be entered in the absence management system as soon as possible.

Employees will receive a response either through the District's absence management system or by written approval or denial from the unit administrator within five (5) work days from receiving the written request.

In the event the employee has not received a response within five (5) work days the employee may request a response from his/her administrator's supervisor.

An employee must be in a paid status for one of the first five (5) working days of the month, or an approved OFLA/FMLA/PLO leave, in order to be eligible for the District's monthly insurance contribution. If the employee is in an unpaid status for the first five (5) working days of the month, and not on an approved OFLA/FMLA/PLO leave, District benefits for that month will be at the employee's expense should they wish to continue health insurance.

- A. Extension of unpaid leave shall be applied for via the Leave Without Pay form and granted or denied in writing by the unit administrator and a Human Resources administrator.
- B. An employee who is denied unpaid leave by the unit administrator may appeal the denial to Human Resources.
- C. An employee who is denied leave by the unit manager/administrator may appeal the denial to the department or division administrator. The department or division

administrator will consult with a Human Resources administrator prior to making a final decision.

13.2 Unpaid Leave Duration

- A. Except as otherwise provided by state and/or federal law, up to one (1) year of unpaid leave of absence may be granted at the sole discretion of Human Resources and pursuant to the conditions outlined below. It is expressly agreed the District's decision to approve or deny an employee's request for an unpaid leave of absence or to approve or deny an employee's request to modify the duration of an approved unpaid leave of absence pursuant to this article is not subject to the grievance procedure.
- B. An employee requesting unpaid leave for medical reasons or to care for a family member with a serious health condition must submit a physician's statement confirming the employee's inability to perform the duties of the position or the family member's health status. Approved OFLA/FMLA/PLO leave will run concurrently per state and federal law.
- C. Such requests shall not be granted during the first five (5) student days or the last five (5) student days of the year, the day before or the day after winter or spring break, or the day before or the day after any holiday. Exceptions may be made when the leave is approved for a continuous period of time that includes those breaks and/or holidays.
- D. Factors including, but not limited to, impact on students, the school and/or district programs, and the District's ability to mitigate issues related to any such factors will be considered in the District's approval or denial of an employee's request for an unpaid leave of absence.
- E. Unless otherwise required by state and/or federal law, a request for an unpaid leave of absence will be denied if the employee has been granted an unpaid leave of absence at any time during the twelve (12) months preceding the date of the request. An employee may appeal to Human Resources if there are extenuating circumstances.
- F. Other applicable paid leave must be exhausted prior to the District's consideration of an employee's request for an unpaid leave of absence.

13.3 Unpaid Leave Benefits

While on an approved unpaid leave, an employee shall have the option to remain an active participant in the insurance program by contributing the full amount to retain coverage.

13.4 Unpaid Leave Return

- A. An employee on unpaid leave is required to notify a Human Resources administrator of intent to return to work at least 20 work days prior to the end of a leave or by March 1 if the leave is for a full school year. Failure to notify a Human Resources administrator at least 20 work days before the end of a leave or by March 1, may result in a change of assignment or loss of employment. Prior to a change of assignment or loss of employment, the Human Resources Department will provide final notification to the unit member at the last known address on file in the Human Resources Department.
- B. At the expiration of an unpaid leave, the employee shall be reinstated to a position as required by state and/or federal law. The employee's specific position will be held for up to one year from the last day of performing job responsibilities while the employee is on unpaid medical leave to enable the employee to return to the same position. Exceptions to holding the position would only be made if the position were eliminated, modified, or reduced in the employee's absence.

The employee will not be involuntarily terminated until one year from exhaustion of sick leave. If the employee is able to return to work between one year from the last day of performing job responsibilities and one year from exhaustion of sick leave, the employee shall be granted the first available position for which qualified.

13.5 Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA); Oregon Family Leave Act (OFLA) and Paid Leave Oregon (PLO)

- A. The District will comply with the federal Family Medical Leave Act and the Oregon Family Leave Act and Paid Leave Oregon as outlined in District Policy GBJ and Administrative Regulations GBJ-AR and District Policy GCBDF.
- B. Any changes to District Policy GBJ and Administrative Regulations GBJA and GCBDF that are required because of change in the federal or state law will be shared with the Association.

13.6 OFLA/FMLA Non-Eligible Employees

An employee who is not OFLA/FMLA eligible, because the employee's work hours do not qualify the employee for OFLA/FMLA leave, but who provides information and documentation for use of unpaid leave due to personal illness or an employee's family member or parental leave under Paid Leave Oregon (PLO) as substantiated by a medical practitioner, shall be held harmless from disciplinary actions for approved unpaid leave. Use of unpaid leave under these circumstances shall not exceed 12 weeks. Any misuse of leave under this section will be investigated and if applicable, the discipline process will be followed.

ARTICLE 14
EMPLOYEE-INITIATED PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

14.1 Employee-initiated Professional Development Uses

- A. Employee-initiated Professional Development is for requests made by the employee. Employees shall not be required to use Employee-initiated Professional Development Funds for programs for which their attendance is required by the District, Unit or their Supervisor.

- B. Employee-initiated Professional Development uses shall be related to at least one of the following:
 - 1. The employee's professional development plan, including District-related career advancement.
 - 2. Employee's NCSD professional certification/licensure or recertification
 - 3. Majority of the employee's assignment
 - 4. District/school staff development goals
 - 5. Major district/school curriculum emphasis

- C. Employee-initiated Professional Development funds may be used for prepayment or reimbursement of costs for :
 - 1. College classes which are not held during the employee's work day. Funds are not available for textbooks, and supplies.
 - 2. Workshops, seminars, conferences, and/or classes and training resources. These may be in person or online.
 - 3. Employee-initiated Professional Development uses may be credit-granting or not, and may lead to certification or not.
 - 4. Associated expenditures for travel, meals, and lodging associated with the activity and aligned with School Board Policy DLC and Administrative Regulation DLC-AR.

14.2 Employee-initiated Professional Development Days

Two (2) Professional Development Days are available to each employee for Employee-initiated Professional Development. Employee-initiated Professional Development Days are approved by the same criteria as Employee-initiated Professional Development Funds (See 14.4).

14.3 Employee-initiated Professional Development Funds

- A. A maximum of \$1,000 per employee shall be allowed each employee per fiscal year. Funds for employees who work less than full time will be proportionate to the employee's part-time status. If an employee is on an approved unpaid leave of absence, the approval will be based on the benefit to both the district and the employee, on a case-by-case basis.
- B. An additional \$700 per employee per fiscal year is available if those funds are to be used as part of the course requirements of a teacher preparation program. The employee must show verification of acceptance in an accredited program.
- C. Each September the District will provide a written report on Employee-initiated Professional Fund expenditures during the previous fiscal year. The District and Association will review this report together.

14.4 Employee-initiated Professional Development Approval Process

- A. Approval for prepayment or reimbursement must be received from the unit manager/supervisor and a Human Resources administrator prior to enrollment or registration.

A form to request approval of Employee-initiated Professional Development Funds and/or Employee-initiated Professional Development Days can be found on the District website.

- B. Supervisor approval is required to ensure the activity is related to at least one of the following:
 - 1. The employee's professional development plan, including District-related career advancement.
 - 2. Employee's NCSD professional certification/licensure or recertification
 - 3. Majority of the employee's assignment
 - 4. District/school staff development goals
 - 5. Major district/school curriculum emphasis

If a staff member's application for professional development is denied by the supervisor, the employee may appeal the decision to Human Resources.

- C. For all approved Employee-initiated Professional Development uses, funds will be prepaid or reimbursed by the District up to the maximum allowed per employee.

For fees paid by an employee, the employee's fees will be reimbursed up to the maximum allowed per employee, upon presentation of a receipt or canceled check.

If the employee withdraws from or does not successfully complete a prepaid activity, the employee will be expected to repay the district for the full amount prepaid.

- D. Since the District's fiscal year is from July 1 through June 30, all claims for fees shall be submitted on or before June 30 of the fiscal year in which they are earned. Claims coming in after that time will not be approved. If evidence of completing the activity is not available, a Human Resources administrator shall be notified before June 30.

ARTICLE 15 AUTO USAGE

15.1 Auto Requirements

- A. Employees shall not be required to transport students in their private vehicles.
- B. Employees may refuse a request to use their private vehicle in the course of their duties for the District without repercussion regarding their decision.
- C. The District provides liability insurance for employees while operating their personal vehicles when such operation is within the course and scope of their employment. This is excess liability coverage, secondary to the employees' own valid and collectible insurance on their personal vehicles.
Employees must carry their own insurance in order to operate their personal vehicles for District business.

15.2 Mileage Reimbursement

Upon recommendation by their unit manager/supervisor, those employees who use their own vehicles to accomplish their assigned duties shall be reimbursed at the rate approved by the Internal Revenue Service.

**ARTICLE 16
FRINGE BENEFITS**

16.1 Paid Holidays

A. Holidays for employees shall be:

	12 Month Employees	Less Than 12 Month Employees
New Year's Day	X	
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	X	X
President's Day	X	X
Memorial Day	X	X
Independence Day	X	
Labor Day	X	
Veterans Day	X	X
Thanksgiving Day	X	X
Friday after Thanksgiving	X	X
Christmas Day	X	

In addition to the holidays identified by an "X", less than 12-month employees will be paid for any holiday when the employee is scheduled to work and performs the work or is on approved paid leave the day immediately before and day immediately after the holiday.

- B. Employees shall be compensated for the holiday as though they had worked their regular schedule for the day.
- C. When Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve fall on a day the employee would normally be scheduled to work, these days will be treated as a paid non-work day.
- D. Holiday pay shall be available to an employee who is actively employed at the time of the holiday.
- E. When a holiday falls on a work day during an employee's vacation period, the vacation shall be extended accordingly.
- F. An employee on a regular schedule required to work a paid holiday shall receive one and one-half times the present wage for the time worked regardless of total hours worked that week.

16.2 Vacation

- A. Vacation time earned by 12-month employees only shall be as follows:

Years of District Service	Vacation Days
1-5	10
6-10	15
11	16
12	17
13	18
14	19
15-over	20

- B. A regular 12-month employee will be credited with appropriate vacation hours at the end of each month. Probationary employees will be credited with vacation days accrued at the end of the probationary period and will be credited at the end of each month thereafter.

When vacation is used, it will be taken from an employee’s oldest credited vacation first.

Each employee shall develop a tentative vacation plan annually with their unit manager/supervisor.

An employee can only carry over the vacation hours the employee earned and did not use during the previous fiscal year.

Any unused vacation hours above the amount earned from the previous fiscal year will be forfeited. If an employee’s vacation is canceled or the vacation request cannot be accommodated by the District due to District need and cannot be scheduled by an employee and the District by June 30 of the carryover year, then an employee will be paid for the number of hours of canceled or unaccommodated and unused vacation at the previous year’s pay rate on the next regular pay cycle.

- C. Vacation hours after the probationary period shall accrue monthly and shall be reflected on the employee's check stub.
- D. A 12-month employee who terminates before the end of the probationary period will not be paid for any accrued vacation.

- E. An employee who is laid off, retired, or separated from the service of the District for any reason, or their beneficiary, shall be compensated at the current pay rate for all unused vacation time, prorated to the date of separation.
- F. An employee shall enter vacation requests in the district absence management system at least five (5) days in advance, preferably two (2) weeks in advance. If an employee does not receive a response within two (2) work days, the employee may request a response from his/her administrator's supervisor. Use of vacation must have prior approval by each employee's unit manager/supervisor.
- G. Vacation hours will not be accrued when an employee is on Workers' Compensation leave or unpaid leave of absence.
- H. Employees do not accrue vacation for employment in positions of less than 260 days/year. When a less than 260 day/year employee is hired into a 260 day/year position, that employee will receive previous experience credit only for purposes of placement on the vacation schedule of Article 16.2A. The district will calculate previous experience based on seniority date to determine schedule placement.

The above calculation does not result in retroactive vacation accrual since no vacation is earned for less than 260 day/year positions.

16.3 Reimbursement for Physical Examination

If an employee is required to have a medical/physical examination by District and/or state regulations, cost of the examination will be paid by the District if the employee uses District-designated physicians. When an employee presents, in a timely manner (e.g. at least 8 work weeks prior to a Commercial Drivers License (CDL) expiring), information to the immediate supervisor as to the extenuating medical reason(s) the employee is requesting to be granted an exception to have their personal physician perform the required physical, the supervisor will discuss the mitigating circumstances with the employee. The supervisor does not need detailed specific medical information. Examples of "extenuating medical reason(s)" and "mitigating circumstances" are outlined below:

- A. The District's physician requires medical information from the employee's personal physician to complete the exam.
- B. The District's physician does not have the specialized expertise or equipment to conduct the physical without the services of the employee's personal doctor.
- C. In general, requests that include reasons related to convenience, comfort, ease, "my personal doctor knows me better," or complaints about the District's physicians' means, methods or manners will not meet the criteria for "extenuating medical reasons."

The supervisor will provide a written response within 5 work days. With the District's consent, the employee may select a physician to perform the required physical, with the District reimbursing the employee up to the cost paid to the District-designated physician. The District is not required to pay for additional exams or testing required as a result of an employee's personal physical or health issues. The employee will utilize forms provided by the District to be completed by the employee-selected physician.

The employee shall provide a written release to the examining physician for the District's designated representative, allowing the release of medical information pertinent to the performance of the employee's duties.

If the employee's exception request to utilize a personal physician for extenuating medical reason(s) is denied, the employee may appeal the decision to the Director of Human Resources. A written response will be provided from Human Resources within 5 work days.

16.4 Medical Insurance

A. District Contributions

The District and employees will continue to split payments of monthly premiums for medical/dental/vision/life insurance premiums with the same percentages as in the previous contract. The District will keep the District/employee relative percentage split of payments the same even if the rate method changes.

Actual rates for the next benefit year will be provided by the start of open enrollment.

An employee must be in a paid status for one of the first five (5) working days of the month, or an approved OFLA/ FMLA/PLO leave, in order to be eligible for the District's monthly insurance contribution. If the employee is in an unpaid status for the first five (5) working days of the month, and not on an approved OFLA/ FMLA/PLO leave, District benefits for that month will be at the employee's expense should they wish to continue health insurance.

How the District's contribution is calculated:

At least 7.5 hours per day

The District shall contribute monthly on behalf of each employee who works at least 7.5 hours per day during the life of this contract the following percentages of the composite rate for medical/dental/vision/life insurance premiums:

Single Party Coverage	97%
Two-Party Coverage	92%
Full Family Coverage	88%

6 to <7.5 hours per day

For employees who work at least 6 hours per day but less than 7.5 hours per day, the District will contribute the following percentages of the composite rate for the medical/dental/vision/life insurance premiums:

Single Party Coverage	95%
Two-Party Coverage	90%
Full Family Coverage	63%

4 to <6 hours per day

For employees who work at least 4 hours per day but less than 6 hours per day, the District will contribute the following percentages of the composite rate for the medical/dental/vision/life insurance premiums:

Single Party Coverage	95%
Two-Party Coverage	74%
Full Family Coverage	27%

For any employee who wishes only dental insurance or only dental and life insurance, the District will contribute 90% of the monthly premium.

The employee will pay the remaining percentage of the monthly premium amount.

Employees who are spouses/domestic partners of employees

If an employee's spouse/domestic partner is also employed by the District, and if both qualify for District insurance plans, the employee may choose whatever insurance coverage she/he would be eligible for if he/she was not married to an employee of the District.

Or, if both the employee and an employee's spouse/domestic partner are employed by the District, and if both qualify for District insurance plans, the district will contribute the amount necessary to be applied to the costs of one insurance plan for either two-party or full family coverage at 97%.

District contribution to North Clackamas Health Plan 1x monthly payments will be limited to the amount the District would contribute for the next most expensive plan (e.g. Plan V or Kaiser). Employees selecting North Clackamas Health Plan 1x will be responsible for paying the monthly cost above this amount.

B. Insurance Plans

Each employee is required to review, update, and submit the benefits selections during the annual open enrollment period. The District will provide instructions and information prior to the open enrollment window, host an annual information session, and will communicate the need to complete benefit selection at least twice during the open enrollment period.

Eligible employees will have the choice of Kaiser Health Plan, North Clackamas Health Plan V, or North Clackamas Health Plan 1x. District contribution to North Clackamas Health Plan 1x monthly payments will be limited to the amount the District would contribute for the next most expensive plan. Employees selecting North Clackamas Health Plan 1x will be responsible for paying the monthly cost above this amount.

Each January 1 the District will make a HRA/VEBA contribution for each employee who selects North Clackamas Health Plan V. The HRA/VEBA contribution will be \$1,500 for each employee who selects single coverage and \$3,000 for each employee who selects family or two-party coverage. Members may access the full contribution made on their behalf on January 1 of each plan year. Employees hired after January 1 may enroll in Plan V, but will not receive a HRA/VEBA contribution until the following plan year.

- C. Less than twelve-month employees who complete a contract year and who are enrolled in the district's health insurance shall be entitled to continue coverage for July and August at the same level of employee and district contributions. The employee's contributions for July and August will be deducted from the employee's summer paycheck(s).
- D. An employee approved for unpaid leave must make arrangements with the Payroll Department before going on leave to have employee-paid health insurance coverage.
- E. An employee whose salary is extended over 12 months but who works less than 260 days will have continued coverage.
- F. The District will pay health insurance premiums during the summer recess period for employees in accordance with the following conditions:
 - 1. Cost per employee will be based on the employee's benefit level.
 - 2. Eligibility will be based upon the employee's daily hours worked during the previous school year.
- G. The District will extend to the Association the opportunity to review parity between employee groups. If disparity exists the district and Association will identify the disparities and resolve them collaboratively.

16.5 Retirement

- A. Employees who have ten years of continuous services with the District and who are 55 but not older than 65 or who are PERS eligible with 30 years of service in Oregon at the time of retirement may purchase health insurance for self and spouse through the District within the provisions of the insurance carrier. Spouses of employees will be eligible for coverage until the age 65, qualification for Medicare, or death, whichever comes first. Employees must have been covered by the insurance group immediately previous to retirement with the provisions of the insurance carrier.

- B. After 15 years of continuous service with the District, the District will pay \$250 per month toward PERS disability health insurance or District insurance when the employee qualifies for PERS disability. An employee retiring under this provision after 20 years of service shall receive \$350 per month toward PERS disability health insurance or District insurance. Monthly benefits will continue to age 65 or Medicare eligibility.
- C. If a 260 day work year employee is retiring from the District and is PERS eligible, has worked the immediate past five (5) years for the District, completes a full year's work calendar in the District and takes the option of continued health insurance coverage during the months of July and August, the District will contribute for the month of July and August, provided the employee notifies the District by May 1 of their intent to retire.
- D. Early Retirement Option

The Association and the District shall meet by February 1 of each year and determine if an early retirement option will be offered for the current fiscal year. Permanent status employees who meet the eligibility requirements shall be able to access the retirement option.

Eligibility and Service Requirements for Early Retirement Option:

1. Employee who has completed 10 years of service with the district and who is at least 55 years of age and is eligible for PERS retirement, or an employee who has completed 10 years of service with the district and who meets PERS eligibility with 30 years of service and who does not reach age 58 until on or after their effective retirement date with PERS shall be eligible to receive the early retirement option.
2. Employees who have retired during the contract year that the early retirement option is offered will be eligible for the early retirement option.
3. An employee can only receive the early retirement option one time during their employment with the district.
4. Employees who qualify for this early retirement option can receive the early retirement option and, if their supervisor and Human Resources director agree, the employee can remain in his/her position to complete their current contract year through June 30. Retiring employees who are currently enrolled in health benefits and remain to finish their contract year will have their benefits continued through the month their contract ends.
5. Early retirement incentive shall be paid out in one cash payment through the district's Health Reimbursement Account (HRA) to be used for health insurance coverage or medical reimbursements.

6. Employee must submit a notice to retire by completing a *Termination Form* and returning it into the Human Resources Department.

Early Retirement Option Amount

If the retirement option is offered, the early retirement option amount for an employee will be 55% of the employee's annual permanent salary based on the employee's current contract year's annualized pay.

E. Supplemental Retirement

The District shall match up to \$75 of each employee voluntary payroll monthly deduction to specific District-authorized providers of tax sheltered annuities (TSA). If the employee contribution stops, the district match stops.

Employees with existing payroll deductions to these plans are also eligible for this match. See Employee Benefits on the District website for more information.

16.6 Life Insurance

- A. The District will provide a minimum level of life insurance of \$12,000.
- B. An employee has the option to purchase additional life insurance, at employee expense, for employee only, beyond the District-paid limit, up to the maximum allowed by the carrier. The carrier shall make available for employee purchase no less than \$20,000 additional coverage.

16.7 Benefits Committee

The District and the Association will participate in a benefits committee comprised of equal membership from each employee group. The committee will meet no less than annually to explore methods to provide the best value of benefits while containing insurance cost. The committee will serve in an advisory capacity to the Board of Directors through District administration. Association participants will be appointed by the OSEA Chapter 71 president. Plan changes with substantial costs recommended by the Benefits Committee to District administration for consideration by the Board of Directors may require bargaining.

16.8 Tool Allowance

- A. District employees who are required, as a condition of employment, to provide at their expense, personal tools/equipment to accomplish their assigned duties shall receive a tool reimbursement allowance of up to \$1,000 per year. If the employee does not successfully complete one year of employment, ownership of the tools reverts to the District.

- B. The reimbursement allowance shall be credited on July 1st of each year and unused portions can carry-over and accumulate to a maximum of \$3,000. Upon separation of employment, no tool reimbursement funds will be owed or paid to the employee.
- C. Tools purchased with the allowance shall be inventoried and included as part of the tools required to accomplish the assigned duties.
- D. Personal tools/equipment that are lost, broken, or damaged shall be the responsibility of the employee to replace.
- E. Employee-owned personal tools under the District's care, custody, or control will be replaced (up to the full replacement value) by the District provided that:
 - 1. The tools are itemized on an approved inventory of required tools/implements, and the inventory is on file with the unit manager prior to the loss.
 - 2. There is evidence and a police report that the work area or District vehicle was forcibly entered and the tools and equipment had been stored in their proper place.
- F. The following positions require employees to provide, at their own expense, tools/equipment as a condition of employment:

Facility Operations: All job descriptions that are in the Buildings Department (trade) and Utilities Department (trade). These job descriptions also include the building utilities lead workers and apprentices, as well as the mechanics at the Facility Operations Department.

Transportation: Mechanics

Custodial: None – District-provided tools

Technology: Low Voltage Wiring Technician

16.9 Pay for Required Training

- A. If the District requires an employee to maintain a valid Food Handlers Card as a condition of employment, the district will provide up to 1 hour of paid time to complete the preparation and test required to obtain a Food Handlers Card. In addition, the district will reimburse the employee for the cost of the card.
- B. If the District requires an employee to attend other training outside the employee's regular work hours, the district will pay the employee for the time.

ARTICLE 17 COMPENSATION

17.1 Public Employee Retirement System (PERS)

Employees shall assume and pay the six percent (6%) employee contribution/payment required by ORS 238A to PERS. The District shall follow IRS codes to allow a pre-tax deduction of the six percent (6%) employee contribution/payment required by ORS 238. Such deduction shall be made from each employee's pre-tax gross wages.

- A. During the term of this Agreement, the District will participate in the public employee retirement plans as required by ORS Chapter 238 and 238A that are:
 - 1. in effect, as of the execution date of these Agreement; and
 - 2. as applicable to the employees in the bargaining unit.
- B. Any changes in the public employee retirement plans which are enacted during the life of this agreement by statute or administrative rule will apply to the employees covered by those plans.
- C. To the extent allowed by law, retiring employees will receive credit for unused sick leave for the purpose of calculating final average salary for PERS benefits.
- D. The District does not agree to provide employees any particular level or type of retirement benefits, but only to participate in the public employee retirement plans and make contributions as required by law.

17.2 Wage Schedule Placement

- A. Promotion or changes in position for an employee shall be accomplished in the following way:
 - 1. When an employee moves from a higher job group to a lower job group, the employee will remain in the same wage step in the new job group.
 - 2. When an employee moves from a lower job group to a higher job group, the employee will remain at the same step. In no case shall an employee serve another probationary period, except with reference to Article 7.3.
 - 3. The new wage shall be paid to the employee in the check for the pay period in which the change first occurs.
- B. A classified employee who holds a permanent or temporary position and voluntarily accepts a substitute assignment outside of their current assignment in any other job

pay level will be paid at the employee's current step of the job pay level in which the assignment exists for all hours the employee works as a substitute. If overtime applies, it will be one and a half times the higher job pay rate.

- C. An employee whose work hours and/or number of work days increase or decrease shall be provided with additional or less salary, sick leave and other fringe benefits (prorated as appropriate), if appropriate. The adjustments shall be provided to the employee in the check of the pay period in which the increases or decreases in time first occur.
- D. An employee who is requested to replace another employee in a higher job group shall be compensated at the employee's current step rate of the replaced employee's job pay level, beginning with the first day of the higher-paid employee's absence. An employee who is requested to replace another employee in a lower job group will receive their current rate of pay. If overtime applies, it will be one and a half times the higher job pay rate.
- E. New employees will be hired on step 2 of the pay range of the position they are hired for, except when Human Resources determines their unique qualifications, skills, or experience relevant to the job description warrants a different placement. The Association will be notified if any new unit member is placed higher than step 2.
- F. Wage Schedule Placement for Retiree Rehire
An employee who has entered retirement and then wants to return to District employment may be rehired:
 - 1. Temporarily, when the supervisor and Human Resources Director agree, and will remain at the same level of pay as held at the time of retirement. If the retired/rehired position is eligible for health benefits, the individual can remain on the District's health plan until June 30 and receive the commensurate level of contribution,
or
 - 2. To a permanent position upon completing the District's application and hiring process per the Collective Bargaining Agreement and will be given a new seniority date that aligns with the permanent position. Salary placement will comply with Article 17.2.E. Wage Schedule Placement for New Employees.

17.3 Wage Schedules

- A. The wage schedules for 2024-2027 are attached as Appendix A.

Employees shall assume and pay the six percent (6%) employee contribution/payment required by ORS 238A to PERS. The District shall follow IRS codes to allow a pre-tax deduction of the six percent (6%) employee contribution/payment required by ORS 238. Such deduction shall be made from each employee's pre-tax gross wages.

The wage schedules for 2024-25 reflect a 4.75% increase to all wages compared to the 2023-24 wage schedule.

The wage schedules for 2025-26 reflect a 4.75% increase to all wages compared to the 2024-25 wage schedule.

The wage schedules for 2026-27 reflect a 4.75% increase to all wages compared to the 2025-26 wage schedule.

- B. The District will extend to the Association the opportunity to review parity between employee groups. If disparity exists, the District and Association will identify the disparities and resolve them collaboratively.

17.4 Pay Differentials

Custodial, maintenance, and mechanic swing shift (shift beginning work at or after 12 PM) employees shall receive an additional 3% differential per hour. When these swing shift employees work temporarily during the day, including summers, the shift differential shall continue to be paid.

Standby bus drivers shall receive an additional 7.5% differential per hour above their Route Driver pay rate.

Bus drivers who drive after school activity or after school program runs shall receive an additional 3% differential per hour. This differential does not apply to trips. This differential will be applied at the time the after school activity or after school program run begins.

Bilingual Administrative Assistant I and III, Paraeducators and Media Technician employees who work in dual immersion elementary programs and use their language skills at least 50% or more during their work day and have completed and passed the district language assessment test shall receive an additional 6% differential per hour above their pay rate.

TLC/SLC/ATP Paraeducators receive an additional 5.2% differential per hour.

Itinerant (formerly called transitional) Paraeducators receive an additional 7.5% differential per hour.

Groundskeepers who hold and maintain a spray license, specifically IPM or Herbicide licenses through the Oregon Department of Agriculture, shall receive a 10% pay differential above their pay rate. Assignment of staff who perform the spraying work and receive the pay differential is at the discretion of the District.

Custodial Rovers who work the night shift receive an additional 3% differential per hour.

HVAC staff who meet all the minimum requirements and hold the appropriate trade license(s) receive an additional 15% differential per hour.

The District and the Association may add additional differentials during the duration of this agreement.

The District and the Association will explore additional pay for employees with bilingual or multilingual competency when bilingual or multilingual competency is not already required in the job description and already included in the pay.

17.5 Step Movement

Annual advancement on the salary schedule via step movement is recognized as a component of the employee's compensation. Annual step movement, as a part of compensation, will be implemented contingent upon and after final contract agreement on compensation between the parties.

One step movement will be provided to eligible employees (employed on June 30, 2024) effective July 1, 2024.

One step movement will be provided to eligible employees (employed on June 30, 2025) effective July 1, 2025.

One step movement will be provided to eligible employees (employed on June 30, 2026) effective July 1, 2026.

17.6 Release Time for Chapter Officers

The District shall, upon request, grant leave with pay to the OSEA Chapter 71 President and Vice President or designee for one or more days per week to perform necessary duties of the Chapter. Leave will be scheduled as far in advance as possible. The District will pay fringe benefits at the current level provided for the President and Vice President. The cost of wages will be charged to OSEA Chapter 71.

17.7 Compensation Review

The District will commission and pay for a compensation survey by a mutually agreed upon third party that will be completed at least 30 days prior to bargaining a full contract. The District will review the survey results and make decisions regarding compensation adjustments prior to bargaining. The survey results will be available upon request.

Total compensation survey analysis may include, but is not limited to: salary, medical benefit contribution, paid leaves, educational assistance, and retirement benefit cost reviews.

The analysis of the survey may include an evaluation of District job classifications, hourly pay rates, total compensation, salary structure, pay differentials, and pay practice analysis.

Prior to bargaining, The District and OSEA leadership shall meet to determine which positions will be reviewed.

An individual employee may ask Human Resources for a review of his or her specific position if he or she believes the compensation analysis did not address his or her position.

17.8 Career Recognition

Recognizing the commitment and value of long term employees, classified employees who have completed a minimum of ten (10) years of service from their seniority date with the District by December 1 of each year will receive an annual career recognition stipend amount as a separate payment with their December paycheck. Stipend amounts for employees for each year will be as follows:

Years of Service	Stipend
10 -14 years	\$350
15 - 19 years	\$450
20 - 24 years	\$550
25 -29 years	\$650
30 and plus years	\$750

ARTICLE 18
JOB CLASSIFICATION REVIEW PROCESS

18.1 Job Classification Review Process

A. Criteria for Job Classification Review

Review of an employee's position is warranted when the knowledge, skills, major duties (i.e. essential job functions) and/or levels of responsibilities have changed significantly.

B. Factors Not Used in Considering a Job Classification Review Request

1. Workload increases;
2. Personal proficiencies and aptitude;
3. Seniority of employee.

C. The Job Classification Process and Application can be found on the District website, located under Human Resources Classified Documents.
The process will be developed jointly by the District and the Association.

D. The District will email employees information about the job classification review process by September 10th each year.

E. If the process recommends no changes, the District will explain the reason for decision to the applicant.

**ARTICLE 19
DURATION OF AGREEMENT**

This Agreement shall be in effect from July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2027. It shall be the responsibility of the Association to notify the District by January 15, 2027, of its desire to enter into collective bargaining to negotiate a successor Agreement. This Agreement shall be in the form in which it has been written and amended or supplemented during its life unless one party gives written notice to the other party before its current expiration date of its intention to terminate, amend or modify the Agreement. It is intended by the parties that a renewed Agreement shall have the same effect as an original Agreement between the parties.

Jena Bendza

Chair,
NCSD Board of Directors

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President,
Oregon School Employees Association,
Chapter 71

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State Field Representative,
Oregon School Employee Association

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APPENDIX A

CLASSIFIED WAGE SCHEDULES

2024-2025

Effective July 1, 2024

Per Article 17.1, classified staff are responsible for the 6% Public Employee Retirement System (PERS) employee deduction.

Wages include a 4.75% increase to the wage schedule from the 2023-24 wage schedule.

Administrative - District Office		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
8_Administrative Assistant II - District Office	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
20_Interpreter/Translator	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
30_Courier	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
1_Accounts Payable Specialist	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
2_HR Assistant	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
29_Student and Community Engagement Specialist	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
6_Benefits Specialist	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
7_Purchasing Specialist I	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
19_Administrative Assistant III	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
27_Administrative Assistant III - Records	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
31_Warehouse Distribution Center Lead	G	27.42	28.82	30.23	31.73	33.34	34.98	36.74	38.58
23_Communications Specialist	G	27.42	28.82	30.23	31.73	33.34	34.98	36.74	38.58
16_Benefits Lead	G	27.42	28.82	30.23	31.73	33.34	34.98	36.74	38.58
12_Risk Management Claims Specialist	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
24_Communications Lead Technical Specialist	I	31.78	33.37	35.02	36.79	38.60	40.56	42.57	44.70
13_Security and Emergency Management Specialist	J	34.01	35.70	37.47	39.33	41.28	43.38	45.55	47.83
17_Senior Purchasing Specialist	J	34.01	35.70	37.47	39.33	41.28	43.38	45.55	47.83
28_Environmental Health and Safety Specialist	J	34.01	35.70	37.47	39.33	41.28	43.38	45.55	47.83
10_Accountant	J	34.01	35.70	37.47	39.33	41.28	43.38	45.55	47.83
26_Lead Accountant	L	38.91	40.87	42.93	45.06	47.32	49.68	52.16	54.75

Administrative - School Based		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3_Campus Security Specialist	D	20.86	21.89	23.00	24.16	25.37	26.64	27.97	29.36
5_Administrative Assistant I	D	20.86	21.89	23.00	24.16	25.37	26.64	27.97	29.36
25_Health Assistant	D	20.86	21.89	23.00	24.16	25.37	26.64	27.97	29.36
14_Administrative Assistant II - Bookkeeping	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
22_Administrative Assistant II -	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43

	Scheduling								
15_Administrative Assistant III - School Publications	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
9_Administrative Assistant III - School Office	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
29_Athletic Trainer	I	31.78	33.37	35.02	36.79	38.60	40.56	42.57	44.70

Custodial Services		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2_Custodian	C	18.67	19.61	20.58	21.62	22.68	23.84	25.02	26.27
6_Custodial Rover	D	20.86	21.89	23.00	24.16	25.37	26.64	27.97	29.36
7_Head Custodian Support Site	D	20.86	21.89	23.00	24.16	25.37	26.64	27.97	29.36
4_Night Lead Custodian (High School)	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
3_Head Custodian (Elementary)	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
3_Head Custodian (Middle)	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
5_Custodial Specialist	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
3_Head Custodian (High School)	G	27.42	28.82	30.23	31.73	33.34	34.98	36.74	38.58

Instructional		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10_CARE Professional	C	18.67	19.61	20.58	21.62	22.68	23.84	25.02	26.27
27_CARE Inclusion Professional	C	18.67	19.61	20.58	21.62	22.68	23.84	25.02	26.27
1_Paraeducator	D	20.86	21.89	23.00	24.16	25.37	26.64	27.97	29.36
2_Paraeducator II SPED SLC/TLC/ATP	D	20.86	21.89	23.00	24.16	25.37	26.64	27.97	29.36
6_Media Assistant High School	D	20.86	21.89	23.00	24.16	25.37	26.64	27.97	29.36
4_Paraeducator II ELD - Bilingual	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
17_CARE Site Coordinator	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
30_Media Technician - Middle School	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
33_Curriculum Materials Assistant	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
16_Youth Transition Program Specialist	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
23_Media Technician - Elementary	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
26_CARE Inclusion Support Specialist	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
9_Student Family Advocate	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
21_CARE Program Coordinator	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
22_Cmty Outreach Specialist SPED	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
33_Family Services Coordinator	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
24_PACE Childcare Coordinator	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
32_Restorative Practices Coordinator	G	27.42	28.82	30.23	31.73	33.34	34.98	36.74	38.58
7_Licensed Physical Therapy Assistant	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
12_Speech Language Pathologist Assistant	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
5_Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant	I	31.78	33.37	35.02	36.79	38.60	40.56	42.57	44.70
20_Educational Options Coordinator	I	31.78	33.37	35.02	36.79	38.60	40.56	42.57	44.70

Maintenance		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2_Maintenance Worker	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
10_Groundswoker	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
12_Groundswoker Irrigation	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
3_Maintenance Mechanic	G	27.42	28.82	30.23	31.73	33.34	34.98	36.74	38.58
11_Grounds Coordinator	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
1_Maintenance Journeyman	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
5_HVAC Mechanic	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
4_HVAC Apprentice	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
16_Low Voltage Electrician Technician	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
16A_Fire and Security Alarm Technician	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
15_Building Coordinator	I	31.78	33.37	35.02	36.79	38.60	40.56	42.57	44.70
6_Electrician	J	34.01	35.70	37.47	39.33	41.28	43.38	45.55	47.83
17_Chief Electrician	L	38.91	40.87	42.93	45.06	47.32	49.68	52.16	54.75
Nutrition Services		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3_Nutrition Service Assistant	B	17.37	18.24	19.15	20.11	21.12	22.18	23.28	24.45
6_Coffee Shop Lead	B	17.37	18.24	19.15	20.11	21.12	22.18	23.28	24.45
4_Kitchen Lead	C	18.67	19.61	20.58	21.62	22.68	23.84	25.02	26.27
2_Assistant Kitchen Manager	D	20.86	21.89	23.00	24.16	25.37	26.64	27.97	29.36
01_Kitchen Manager	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
5_Rover Trainer	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
Technology		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
9_Purchasing Specialist	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
12_Data & Inventory Specialist	G	27.42	28.82	30.23	31.73	33.34	34.98	36.74	38.58
1_Technology Support Specialist	G	27.42	28.82	30.23	31.73	33.34	34.98	36.74	38.58
7_Digital Communications Specialist	G	27.42	28.82	30.23	31.73	33.34	34.98	36.74	38.58
5_Help Desk Technician	G	27.42	28.82	30.23	31.73	33.34	34.98	36.74	38.58
10_System Support Specialist	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
5_Help Desk Technician (Bilingual)	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
6_Data & Telecommunications Specialist	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
13_Low Voltage Wiring Technician	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
4_Systems Support Analyst	I	31.78	33.37	35.02	36.79	38.60	40.56	42.57	44.70
14_Bond Project Facilitator	I	31.78	33.37	35.02	36.79	38.60	40.56	42.57	44.70
2_Software_Network Analyst	L	38.91	40.87	42.93	45.06	47.32	49.68	52.16	54.75
3_Programmer Analyst	L	38.91	40.87	42.93	45.06	47.32	49.68	52.16	54.75
8_Data Analyst	L	38.91	40.87	42.93	45.06	47.32	49.68	52.16	54.75
11_Systems Analyst	L	38.91	40.87	42.93	45.06	47.32	49.68	52.16	54.75

Transportation		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
14_School	Transportation Assistant	B	17.37	18.24	19.15	20.11	21.12	22.18	23.28	24.45
	8_Van Driver	C	18.67	19.61	20.58	21.62	22.68	23.84	25.02	26.27
	5_Route Driver	E	23.03	24.17	25.39	26.67	28.00	29.41	30.89	32.43
	3_Dispatcher	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
	4_Driver Trainer	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
	15_Driver Trainer Asst	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
	6_Routing Specialist	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
9_Administrative	Assistant III - Shop	F	25.16	26.41	27.76	29.13	30.61	32.13	33.74	35.44
	2_Mechanic	G	27.42	28.82	30.23	31.73	33.34	34.98	36.74	38.58
	10_Training Safety/Lead	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
13_Lead	Routing Specialist/Dispatcher	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
	1_Lead Mechanic	H	29.59	31.09	32.64	34.27	35.98	37.78	39.66	41.64
	12_Foreman Vehicle Maintenance	I	31.78	33.37	35.02	36.79	38.60	40.56	42.57	44.70

APPENDIX A

CLASSIFIED WAGE SCHEDULES

2025-2026

Effective July 1, 2025

Per Article 17.1, classified staff are responsible for the 6% Public Employee Retirement System (PERS) employee deduction.

Wages include a 4.75% increase to the wage schedule from the 2024-25 wage schedule.

Administrative - District Office		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
8_Administrative Assistant II - District Office	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
20_Interpreter/Translator	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
30_Courier	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
1_Accounts Payable Specialist	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
2_HR Assistant	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
29_Student and Community Engagement Specialist	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
6_Benefits Specialist	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
7_Purchasing Specialist I	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
19_Administrative Assistant III	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
27_Administrative Assistant III - Records	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
31_Warehouse Distribution Center Lead	G	28.73	30.19	31.67	33.24	34.93	36.64	38.48	40.41
23_Communications Specialist	G	28.73	30.19	31.67	33.24	34.93	36.64	38.48	40.41
16_Benefits Lead	G	28.73	30.19	31.67	33.24	34.93	36.64	38.48	40.41
12_Risk Management Claims Specialist	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
24_Communications Lead Technical Specialist	I	33.29	34.96	36.68	38.54	40.43	42.49	44.59	46.82
13_Security and Emergency Management Specialist	J	35.63	37.39	39.25	41.20	43.24	45.44	47.71	50.10
17_Senior Purchasing Specialist	J	35.63	37.39	39.25	41.20	43.24	45.44	47.71	50.10
28_Environmental Health and Safety Specialist	J	35.63	37.39	39.25	41.20	43.24	45.44	47.71	50.10
10_Accountant	J	35.63	37.39	39.25	41.20	43.24	45.44	47.71	50.10
26_Lead Accountant	L	40.76	42.81	44.97	47.20	49.56	52.04	54.63	57.35

Administrative - School Based		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3_Campus Security Specialist	D	21.85	22.93	24.10	25.30	26.58	27.90	29.30	30.76
5_Administrative Assistant I	D	21.85	22.93	24.10	25.30	26.58	27.90	29.30	30.76
25_Health Assistant	D	21.85	22.93	24.10	25.30	26.58	27.90	29.30	30.76
14_Administrative Assistant II - Bookkeeping	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
22_Administrative Assistant II - Scheduling	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97

15_Administrative Assistant III - School Publications	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
9_Administrative Assistant III - School Office	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
29_Athletic Trainer	I	33.29	34.96	36.68	38.54	40.43	42.49	44.59	46.82

Custodial Services		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2_Custodian	C	19.55	20.54	21.56	22.65	23.76	24.97	26.21	27.52
6_Custodial Rover	D	21.85	22.93	24.10	25.30	26.58	27.90	29.30	30.76
7_Head Custodian Support Site	D	21.85	22.93	24.10	25.30	26.58	27.90	29.30	30.76
4_Night Lead Custodian (High School)	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
3_Head Custodian (Elementary)	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
3_Head Custodian (Middle)	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
5_Custodial Specialist	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
3_Head Custodian (High School)	G	28.73	30.19	31.67	33.24	34.93	36.64	38.48	40.41

Instructional		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10_CARE Professional	C	19.55	20.54	21.56	22.65	23.76	24.97	26.21	27.52
27_CARE Inclusion Professional	C	19.55	20.54	21.56	22.65	23.76	24.97	26.21	27.52
1_Paraeducator	D	21.85	22.93	24.10	25.30	26.58	27.90	29.30	30.76
2_Paraeducator II SPED SLC/TLC/ATP	D	21.85	22.93	24.10	25.30	26.58	27.90	29.30	30.76
6_Media Assistant High School	D	21.85	22.93	24.10	25.30	26.58	27.90	29.30	30.76
4_Paraeducator II ELD - Bilingual	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
17_CARE Site Coordinator	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
30_Media Technician - Middle School	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
33_Curriculum Materials Assistant	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
16_Youth Transition Program Specialist	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
23_Media Technician - Elementary	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
26_CARE Inclusion Support Specialist	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
9_Student Family Advocate	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
21_CARE Program Coordinator	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
22_Cmty Outreach Specialist SPED	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
33_Family Services Coordinator	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
24_PACE Childcare Coordinator	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
32_Restorative Practices Coordinator	G	28.73	30.19	31.67	33.24	34.93	36.64	38.48	40.41
7_Licensed Physical Therapy Assistant	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
12_Speech Language Pathologist Assistant	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
5_Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant	I	33.29	34.96	36.68	38.54	40.43	42.49	44.59	46.82
20_Educational Options Coordinator	I	33.29	34.96	36.68	38.54	40.43	42.49	44.59	46.82

Maintenance		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2_Maintenance Worker	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
10_Groundswoker	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
12_Groundswoker Irrigation	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
3_Maintenance Mechanic	G	28.73	30.19	31.67	33.24	34.93	36.64	38.48	40.41
11_Grounds Coordinator	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
1_Maintenance Journeyman	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
5_HVAC Mechanic	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
4_HVAC Apprentice	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
16_Low Voltage Electrician Technician	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
16A_Fire and Security Alarm Technician	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
15_Building Coordinator	I	33.29	34.96	36.68	38.54	40.43	42.49	44.59	46.82
6_Electrician	J	35.63	37.39	39.25	41.20	43.24	45.44	47.71	50.10
17_Chief Electrician	L	40.76	42.81	44.97	47.20	49.56	52.04	54.63	57.35

Nutrition Services		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3_Nutrition Service Assistant	B	18.19	19.10	20.06	21.07	22.12	23.23	24.38	25.61
6_Coffee Shop Lead	B	18.19	19.10	20.06	21.07	22.12	23.23	24.38	25.61
4_Kitchen Lead	C	19.55	20.54	21.56	22.65	23.76	24.97	26.21	27.52
2_Assistant Kitchen Manager	D	21.85	22.93	24.10	25.30	26.58	27.90	29.30	30.76
01_Kitchen Manager	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
5_Rover Trainer	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12

Technology		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
9_Purchasing Specialist	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
12_Data & Inventory Specialist	G	28.73	30.19	31.67	33.24	34.93	36.64	38.48	40.41
1_Technology Support Specialist	G	28.73	30.19	31.67	33.24	34.93	36.64	38.48	40.41
7_Digital Communications Specialist	G	28.73	30.19	31.67	33.24	34.93	36.64	38.48	40.41
5_Help Desk Technician	G	28.73	30.19	31.67	33.24	34.93	36.64	38.48	40.41
10_System Support Specialist	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
5_Help Desk Technician (Bilingual)	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
6_Data & Telecommunications Specialist	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
13_Low Voltage Wiring Technician	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
4_Systems Support Analyst	I	33.29	34.96	36.68	38.54	40.43	42.49	44.59	46.82
14_Bond Project Facilitator	I	33.29	34.96	36.68	38.54	40.43	42.49	44.59	46.82
2_Software_Network Analyst	L	40.76	42.81	44.97	47.20	49.56	52.04	54.63	57.35
3_Programmer Analyst	L	40.76	42.81	44.97	47.20	49.56	52.04	54.63	57.35
8_Data Analyst	L	40.76	42.81	44.97	47.20	49.56	52.04	54.63	57.35
11_Systems Analyst	L	40.76	42.81	44.97	47.20	49.56	52.04	54.63	57.35

Transportation		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
14_School	Transportation Assistant	B	18.19	19.10	20.06	21.07	22.12	23.23	24.38	25.61
	8_Van Driver	C	19.55	20.54	21.56	22.65	23.76	24.97	26.21	27.52
	5_Route Driver	E	24.13	25.31	26.60	27.94	29.33	30.81	32.36	33.97
	3_Dispatcher	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
	4_Driver Trainer	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
	15_Driver Trainer Asst	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
	6_Routing Specialist	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
9_Administrative	Assistant III - Shop	F	26.36	27.66	29.08	30.51	32.06	33.65	35.34	37.12
	2_Mechanic	G	28.73	30.19	31.67	33.24	34.93	36.64	38.48	40.41
	10_Training Safety/Lead	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
13_Lead	Routing Specialist/Dispatcher	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
	1_Lead Mechanic	H	31.00	32.57	34.19	35.90	37.69	39.58	41.54	43.62
	12_Foreman Vehicle Maintenance	I	33.29	34.96	36.68	38.54	40.43	42.49	44.59	46.82

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8_Administrative Assistant II - District Office	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
20_Interpreter/Translator	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
30_Courier	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
1_Accounts Payable Specialist	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
2_HR Assistant	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
29_Student and Community Engagement Specialist	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
6_Benefits Specialist	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
7_Purchasing Specialist I	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
19_Administrative Assistant III	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
27_Administrative Assistant III - Records	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
31_Warehouse Distribution Center Lead	G	30.09	31.62	33.17	34.81	36.58	38.38	40.31	42.33
23_Communications Specialist	G	30.09	31.62	33.17	34.81	36.58	38.38	40.31	42.33
16_Benefits Lead	G	30.09	31.62	33.17	34.81	36.58	38.38	40.31	42.33
12_Risk Management Claims Specialist	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
24_Communications Lead Technical Specialist	I	34.87	36.62	38.42	40.37	42.35	44.50	46.71	49.04
13_Security and Emergency Management Specialist	J	37.32	39.17	41.11	43.16	45.30	47.60	49.97	52.48
17_Senior Purchasing Specialist	J	37.32	39.17	41.11	43.16	45.30	47.60	49.97	52.48
28_Environmental Health and Safety Specialist	J	37.32	39.17	41.11	43.16	45.30	47.60	49.97	52.48
10_Accountant	J	37.32	39.17	41.11	43.16	45.30	47.60	49.97	52.48
26_Lead Accountant	L	42.70	44.85	47.10	49.45	51.92	54.51	57.23	60.08

Administrative - School Based		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3_Campus Security Specialist	D	22.88	24.02	25.24	26.50	27.84	29.23	30.69	32.22
5_Administrative Assistant I	D	22.88	24.02	25.24	26.50	27.84	29.23	30.69	32.22
25_Health Assistant	D	22.88	24.02	25.24	26.50	27.84	29.23	30.69	32.22
14_Administrative Assistant II - Bookkeeping	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
22_Administrative Assistant II - Scheduling	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58

15_Administrative Assistant III - School Publications	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
9_Administrative Assistant III - School Office	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
29_Athletic Trainer	I	34.87	36.62	38.42	40.37	42.35	44.50	46.71	49.04

Custodial Services		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2_Custodian	C	20.48	21.52	22.59	23.72	24.88	26.16	27.46	28.83
6_Custodial Rover	D	22.88	24.02	25.24	26.50	27.84	29.23	30.69	32.22
7_Head Custodian Support Site	D	22.88	24.02	25.24	26.50	27.84	29.23	30.69	32.22
4_Night Lead Custodian (High School)	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
3_Head Custodian (Elementary)	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
3_Head Custodian (Middle)	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
5_Custodial Specialist	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
3_Head Custodian (High School)	G	30.09	31.62	33.17	34.81	36.58	38.38	40.31	42.33

Instructional		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10_CARE Professional	C	20.48	21.52	22.59	23.72	24.88	26.16	27.46	28.83
27_CARE Inclusion Professional	C	20.48	21.52	22.59	23.72	24.88	26.16	27.46	28.83
1_Paraeducator	D	22.88	24.02	25.24	26.50	27.84	29.23	30.69	32.22
2_Paraeducator II SPED SLC/TLC/ATP	D	22.88	24.02	25.24	26.50	27.84	29.23	30.69	32.22
6_Media Assistant High School	D	22.88	24.02	25.24	26.50	27.84	29.23	30.69	32.22
4_Paraeducator II ELD - Bilingual	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
17_CARE Site Coordinator	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
30_Media Technician - Middle School	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
33_Curriculum Materials Assistant	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
16_Youth Transition Program Specialist	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
23_Media Technician - Elementary	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
26_CARE Inclusion Support Specialist	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
9_Student Family Advocate	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
21_CARE Program Coordinator	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
22_Cmty Outreach Specialist SPED	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
33_Family Services Coordinator	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
24_PACE Childcare Coordinator	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
32_Restorative Practices Coordinator	G	30.09	31.62	33.17	34.81	36.58	38.38	40.31	42.33
7_Licensed Physical Therapy Assistant	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
12_Speech Language Pathologist Assistant	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
5_Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant	I	34.87	36.62	38.42	40.37	42.35	44.50	46.71	49.04
20_Educational Options Coordinator	I	34.87	36.62	38.42	40.37	42.35	44.50	46.71	49.04

Maintenance		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2_Maintenance Worker	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
10_Groundswoker	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
12_Groundswoker Irrigation	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
3_Maintenance Mechanic	G	30.09	31.62	33.17	34.81	36.58	38.38	40.31	42.33
11_Grounds Coordinator	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
1_Maintenance Journeyman	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
5_HVAC Mechanic	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
4_HVAC Apprentice	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
16_Low Voltage Electrician Technician	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
16A_Fire and Security Alarm Technician	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
15_Building Coordinator	I	34.87	36.62	38.42	40.37	42.35	44.50	46.71	49.04
6_Electrician	J	37.32	39.17	41.11	43.16	45.30	47.60	49.97	52.48
17_Chief Electrician	L	42.70	44.85	47.10	49.45	51.92	54.51	57.23	60.08
Nutrition Services		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3_Nutrition Service Assistant	B	19.06	20.01	21.01	22.07	23.17	24.33	25.54	26.83
6_Coffee Shop Lead	B	19.06	20.01	21.01	22.07	23.17	24.33	25.54	26.83
4_Kitchen Lead	C	20.48	21.52	22.59	23.72	24.88	26.16	27.46	28.83
2_Assistant Kitchen Manager	D	22.88	24.02	25.24	26.50	27.84	29.23	30.69	32.22
01_Kitchen Manager	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
5_Rover Trainer	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
Technology		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
9_Purchasing Specialist	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
12_Data & Inventory Specialist	G	30.09	31.62	33.17	34.81	36.58	38.38	40.31	42.33
1_Technology Support Specialist	G	30.09	31.62	33.17	34.81	36.58	38.38	40.31	42.33
7_Digital Communications Specialist	G	30.09	31.62	33.17	34.81	36.58	38.38	40.31	42.33
5_Help Desk Technician	G	30.09	31.62	33.17	34.81	36.58	38.38	40.31	42.33
10_System Support Specialist	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
5_Help Desk Technician (Bilingual)	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
6_Data & Telecommunications Specialist	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
13_Low Voltage Wiring Technician	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
4_Systems Support Analyst	I	34.87	36.62	38.42	40.37	42.35	44.50	46.71	49.04
14_Bond Project Facilitator	I	34.87	36.62	38.42	40.37	42.35	44.50	46.71	49.04
2_Software_Network Analyst	L	42.70	44.85	47.10	49.45	51.92	54.51	57.23	60.08
3_Programmer Analyst	L	42.70	44.85	47.10	49.45	51.92	54.51	57.23	60.08
8_Data Analyst	L	42.70	44.85	47.10	49.45	51.92	54.51	57.23	60.08
11_Systems Analyst	L	42.70	44.85	47.10	49.45	51.92	54.51	57.23	60.08

Transportation		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
14_School Transportation Assistant	B	19.06	20.01	21.01	22.07	23.17	24.33	25.54	26.83
8_Van Driver	C	20.48	21.52	22.59	23.72	24.88	26.16	27.46	28.83
5_Route Driver	E	25.27	26.52	27.86	29.26	30.72	32.27	33.90	35.58
3_Dispatcher	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
4_Driver Trainer	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
15_Driver Trainer Asst	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
6_Routing Specialist	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
9_Administrative Assistant III - Shop	F	27.61	28.98	30.46	31.96	33.58	35.25	37.02	38.88
2_Mechanic	G	30.09	31.62	33.17	34.81	36.58	38.38	40.31	42.33
10_Training Safety/Lead	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
13_Lead Routing Specialist/Dispatcher	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
1_Lead Mechanic	H	32.47	34.11	35.81	37.61	39.48	41.46	43.52	45.69
12_Foreman Vehicle Maintenance	I	34.87	36.62	38.42	40.37	42.35	44.50	46.71	49.04

APPENDIX B

GRIEVANCE FORM, OSEA CHAPTER 71

“Grievance” shall mean a claim by a grievant that a dispute or disagreement exists involving interpretation or inequitable application of the terms of this Agreement, administrative rule, or Board policy. A grievance filed solely over Board policy will conclude at Level Two (Superintendent Level), the Superintendent’s decision being final.

Grievant's Name	Chapter
Street Address	Home Phone / Work Phone
City, State, Zip	Employer
Classification	Work Location
Department	Supervisor
OSEA Field Representative	Date Filed

List applicable violated Article and Section

Statement of Grievance

Adjustment/Remedy Required

I hereby authorize OSEA to represent me. I also grant my representative (if one has signed below) to have full access to any and all of my personnel files until such time as this grievance is resolved.

Signature of Grievant _____ Date _____

Signature of Representative (optional) _____ Date _____

Received by NCSD _____ Date _____