

NEGOTIATIONS WITH CHENEY EDUCATION ASSOCIATION (CEA)

District Mission:

Cheney Public Schools exists to guarantee a safe and caring environment where ALL students learn at high levels and graduate with options for post-secondary education, careers, and civic engagement.

Completed Sessions: 14

Upcoming Sessions:

- August 20, 2024
- August 26, 2024

UPDATE

- During today's session, CEA provided the district with two financial proposals, both asking for 19.5% over two years.
- The district's three-year counter-proposal increased from 17.2% on 8/16 to 17.5% on 8/19.
- The district withdrew its proposal in Article IV, Section 13 Involuntary Transfers and Reassignments.
- There are many language items and sections that are now included in the financial proposals being exchanged. Some of these include:
 - Professional Development and Supply Allocation Funds
 - Professional Development Days
 - Length of Workday
 - Covering Classes
 - Class Size/Caseload, Overloads, SSS Caseload/Overloads
 - Leaves
- Negotiations will resume Tuesday, August 20th, at 8:30 a.m.

TENTATIVE AGREEMENTS (TA)

New TAs:

- Article IV, Section 12 Voluntary Transfers and Reassignments
- Article IV, Section 25 Least Restrictive Environment (LRE)

Total of 43 Tentative Agreements to date.

SCHOOL BOARD PARAMETERS

- Maintain Fund Balance (5% minimum, goal of 7%)
- Sustainable contract without reductions in staffing levels
- Incorporate feedback from the strategic plan where applicable