

**Sacramento City Unified School District
Initial Proposal to Sacramento City Teachers Association
Article 17, Class Size**

ARTICLE 17 - CLASS SIZE

~~17.a~~ The District's goal is that all class size maximums will be met by the end of the first week of school with students in order to enhance the educational process. Schools unable to meet maximums by this time are not subject to any grievances. School administrators must communicate the reason(s) to their supervisors for inability to meet maximums.

The parties may agree to discuss other issues.

17.1 Elementary Class Size Limitations

17.1.1 At the kindergarten level, the maximum class size shall not exceed twenty-four (24) students per teacher, so long as LCFF Class Size Grade Span Adjustment (GSA) funds are in effect. If LCFF ~~Class Size Grade Span Adjustment (GSA)~~ funds are not continued, the class size maximum shall not exceed twenty-nine (29).

17.1.2 At grades 1-3, the average maximum class size at each school site shall not exceed twenty-four (24) students per teacher so long as LCFF Class Size ~~Grade Span Adjustment (GSA)~~ funds are in effect. If LCFF Class Size ~~Grade Span Adjustment (GSA)~~ funds are not continued, the class size maximum shall not exceed twenty-eight (28).

17.1.3 At grades 4-6, the maximum class size shall not exceed thirty-three (33) students per teacher.

17.1.4 Instrumental music teachers will not be included in determining the staffing ratio in the eIMC /P <<62.8 80.5(IMC

17.1.6 The District shall have 15 school days at the beginning of each school year to adjust classes to meet the maximums established in 17.1.1 through 17.1.3. Thereafter, maximums in any class may be exceeded by no more than three (3) students ~~and only for a cumulative total of five (5) school days~~ during any school year as required to meet student needs, except in those classrooms where the mandates set forth by the state do not allow for larger class sizes. In those instances where a class size exceeds the maximum, certificated staff shall be paid ~~ninety~~ thirty dollars (\$~~90~~30) per ~~day~~ student for every day the class exceeds the maximum.

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7th and 8th Grades

The staffing levels for grades 7-8 shall be:

One (1) teacher per thirty-one (31) students enrolled; which shall be computed on third-month projected enrollment. ~~add~~ ~~One~~ (1) teacher shall be added for all fractional remainders over 0.50.

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9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th Grades

The staffing levels for grades 9-12 shall be:

One (1) teacher per thirty-two (32) students enrolled; which shall be computed on 1 5.735 0 (s)06 Tc -0285.73h0.02 Tw

17.4.6.1 The maximum student load for physical education and music teachers beginning with the third school month will be 220. Class sizes for physical education teachers in middle and high schools will be based on a proportional level of 44 as maximum per period. Physical education teachers with fewer than five (5) periods will have the maximum student load total (220) reduced by the proportional level. (Example: $44 \times 5 = 220$. If teacher has only four (4) classes the total student load would be $44 \times 4 = 176$). The par

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17.7 — ESOL and Basic Education Class Size Limitations

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17.142 **Program Specialist**

17.142.1 There shall be one Program Specialist for each 1100 special education students with an IEP . c 0 Tw 28.434 5.807