

EXHIBIT D

ARTICLE X

CLASS SIZE

The following are to be the teacher-pupil ratios and class-size maximums:

- A. Grades TK-3: The District and the Association agree to a collectively bargained alternative class size ratio to implement the local control funding formula CSR grade span adjustment program. School site average class sizes shall not exceed a teacher-pupil ratio of 1:28, with individual class maximums for single grade classes in TK-3 at 33, and maximums for split-grade classes in K-3 at 30. The school site average ratio of students to teachers shall be calculated as required by State regulations. The parties agree that this negotiated school site average class size limit meets all requirements of law and fulfills the LCFF collective bargaining exception requirements to obtain funding. If state regulations are modified in a manner that causes the District to incur a CSR (Class size reduction) penalty or to lose CSR funds, then the parties agree to immediately meet and renegotiate this provision. This provision shall remain in effect until renegotiated by the District and the Association or, the State of California no longer provides CSR funding, or CSR funding is changed substantially.

Grades 4-12: ~~For the 2016-17 school year, the overall District teacher-pupil ratio in grades 4-12 shall not exceed 1:30, with individual class maximums of 35 and split/combo class maximums of 33.~~

~~B. For the 2017-18 school year, the overall District teacher-pupil ratio in grades 4-12 shall not exceed 1:31, with individual class maximums of 35 and split/combo class maximums of 33. For the 2018-19 school year, the overall District teacher-pupil ratio in grades 4-12 shall not exceed 1:32, with individual class maximums of 35 and split/combo class maximums of 33.~~

C.B. Classes in physical education, on-line classes, team teaching classes and music classes are exempt from the above restrictions. However, individual class maximums for elementary physical education and music classes are 70 students. If an elementary physical education class exceeds 70 students, an instructional aide will be assigned for that period of time the class is over the 70-student maximum; such aide assignment will be deemed to bring the class size into compliance.

D.C. If it appears necessary to exceed the above-stated maximums for a particular class, the principal (or designee) shall consult with the affected teacher and request the teacher's concurrence. The district will notify the SLCTA President prior to making a final decision regarding exceeding max cap for class size in a particular class. If the teacher consents, the situation shall be deemed resolved. If the teacher does not consent, he or she may utilize the grievance procedure. In order to prevail in such a case, the District must demonstrate an exceptional need for its action, such as space limitations, avoidance of an extensive reorganization of the school, or important instructional needs.

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