

LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
BARGAINING PROPOSAL TO UNITED TEACHERS LOS ANGELES

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ARTICLE XIX
SUBSTITUTE EMPLOYEES

1.0 Salary and Benefit Provisions: ~~The following substitute salary and benefit provisions are in effect for the 2004-05 school year only; salaries for 2005-06 are subject to reopener negotiations pursuant to Article XXXII. Substitute service salaries, including base rate, incentive plan rate, continuity rate, Summer School/Intersession rate, Early Education & Development rate and Adult Education rate, shall paid according to Appendix E of this Agreement.~~

~~a. — The rates for substitutes who serve in place of employees paid on the Preparation Salary Table reflect a fold-in of the previous 11364 accrual rate factor for paid non-working days described in Section 2.0 and the 3% longer days factor.~~

~~b. — Base Rate: The base pay rate for substitutes who serve in place of employees in the K-12 program allocated to the Preparation Salary Table shall be \$159.26 per day effective July 1, 2004, and if the substitute serves in an extended status under Section 4.0, the daily rate shall be \$214.93 per day effective July 1, 2004. The rates set forth in the previous sentence shall also be the sole rates available to contract teachers serving as substitutes during unassigned periods.~~

~~e. — Incentive Plan Rate: Substitutes who are accepted for and continue to meet the requirements for the Incentive Plan (see Section 3.0.) shall be \$214.93 per day effective July 1, 2004.~~

~~d. — Continuity Rate Increase: Substitutes who serve in place of employees paid on the preparation Salary Table shall have their rates of pay increased by \$10 per day effective the first day following the completion of service equivalent to 130 days during the school year.~~

~~e. — Inter-session/Summer/Winter Session Rate: Substitutes serving in summer school (see Section 5.4 below) shall be paid \$115.96 effective July 1, 2004, for a normal summer school day of four hours, their regular substitute pay rates notwithstanding. If in extended status pursuant to Section 4.0, the extended rate shall be \$156.51 per day for a normal summer school day. NOTE: Employees may have assignments of varying hours per day. Daily rates may be derived by dividing the rates above by four and multiplying by the assigned hours per day.~~

~~f. — Non-Preparation Table Substitutes (Excluding Adult Education): Substitutes serving in place of employees who are not paid on the Preparation Salary table shall be allocated to the first step of the minimum schedule for the class. Such employees shall be entitled to step~~

advancement on that schedule if qualified, but substitutes serving in place of employees paid on the ~~Children's Center/Development Center Salary Table~~ shall be paid not more than \$139.37 per day effective July 1, 2004, except as provided in Section 2.0b.

~~g. As of July 1, 2001, Adult Education employees hired prior to July 1, 2001 serving as substitutes will be paid at the rate (Step 1) of the Adult Hourly Rate Schedule. Employees hired on or after July 1, 2001 serving as substitutes will be paid at the flat rate (Step A) of the Adult Hourly Rate Schedule. The accrual rate previously paid is eliminated effective June 30, 2001.~~

5.0 Assignment Procedures for Non-Incentive Plan Substitutes: Day-to-day substitutes may apply to only one of the service areas (~~North, South and Central~~) (North - 1, 2, 3, 4; South 1, 2, 3; Central 1, 2, 3) for assignment. Day-to-day substitutes will be placed, upon request, on a calling list within the Service Calling Area but are subject to assignment to any school within the Service Calling Area and also, when necessary, may be assigned to any school in an adjacent calling area. Also, substitutes must be available for at least two consecutive days per week. (Friday/Monday meets the consecutive days requirement.) Substitutes who are unable to comply with the consecutive days availability requirement because they are also serving part-time as categorical limited contract teachers are exempt from the consecutive days requirement. Substitutes in the Incentive Plan are assigned pursuant to Section 3.0.

5.1 Accepting Assignments: All initial assignments of substitute teachers, including those who are name-requested, must come from the substitute calling unit. Extension or reduction of initial assignments will be directed by the school administrator or designee to the substitute. However, any change in the duration of the initial assignment must be reported immediately by the administrator or designee to the substitute calling unit. Substitutes are not to report changes in the initial assignment to the substitute calling unit.

A substitute who should have been assigned, but was not assigned due to a clerical verifiable District error, shall be granted one of the following remedies, at the employee's option:

- a. a make-up assignment on a day the employee would not normally be called, such as during periods of traditional school calendar recess; or during the summer session; or
- b. cancellation of an "unavailable" charged against the employee.
- c. A substitute who was physically injured during an act or acts of violence related to and during the performance of assignment duties may specify a "Do Not Send" designation for that school without being charged with an "unavailable."

6.0 Late Arrival: A substitute who cannot reasonably expect to reach a school before class begins must attempt to call the school upon accepting the assignment in order that appropriate interim coverage arrangements can be made at the school. A substitute shall not be

considered late if their arrival time does not exceed one hour from the time the substitute accepted the assignment. If a regular teacher in a secondary school is doing replacement service for the class of a late arrival substitute, the regular teacher may complete the period of replacement service if one-half of the period has already been completed. See also Section 7.1.

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10.0 Information: Substitutes shall be provided with the information needed to perform the duties of the position including, but not limited to, student attendance information, lesson plans, class roster, appropriate keys, seating chart(s), IEP and 504 Plan information, and security and emergency plans.

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13.0 Remote Telephone Call Forwarding Service Toll Free Calling: ~~Additional telephone lines will be established for the North Service Area and South Area with remote call forwarding service to the Central Substitute Assignment Unit in order to minimize employee telephone charges.~~ The District shall maintain toll free telephone line.

14.0 Reorganization/Redesign of the Substitute Unit: The UTLA Article XXX Substitute Committee shall be permitted to give input to the District prior to any reorganization or redesign of the Substitute Assignment Unit or to the automated calling system.