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News Statement

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Los Angeles Unified Schools Open Providing Safe and Welcoming Learning Environment

Los Angeles Unified schools will be open providing every student with a safe and welcoming learning environment. Elementary, middle and high schools will be open, instruction will continue, and meals will be served tomorrow and throughout the UTLA strike. Early education centers will only be open to special-needs students and state preschool sites will be closed.

Los Angeles Unified has set up a Family Hotline for parents and families offering information about schools. Parents and families are encouraged to call the Hotline at (213) 443-1300 with any questions. Updates about labor negotiations are available at LAUSD.net.

Los Angeles Unified did not want a strike and offered UTLA leaders a \$565 million package to significantly reduce class sizes, add nearly 1,200 educators in schools, and provide all UTLA members with 6% salary raises.

Los Angeles Unified remains committed to contract negotiations and will continue to work around the clock to find solutions to end the strike which will hurt students, families and communities most in need throughout Los Angeles.

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