

Article 8 - Class Size

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2 8.1 When determining the number of unit members to be assigned to a building, the District shall divide the
3 total student enrollment by twenty-nine (29). The resulting quotient shall be raised to the next highest
4 whole number if the quotient contains a decimal which is .5 or above. The number of unit members
5 determined to be assigned to a building shall not include special education teachers, nurses, funded
6 resource teachers, or psychologists.

7 8.1.1 Copies of the monthly attendance report shall be mailed to the Association.

8 8.2 The District shall make reasonable efforts to keep individual class size in grades K, 4, 5, and 6 from
9 exceeding thirty-one (31) pupils. In the event a unit member has a class in excess of thirty-one (31) pupils,
10 the school staff shall meet and participate in a discussion to determine a method to alleviate the problem.
11 Each school staff shall participate in the allocation of numbers of students to each other, in any event.

12 8.3 Any discussion held by the school staff in regard to those classes in excess of thirty-one (31) shall be held
13 within ten (10) days of the unit member's request for such a meeting.

14 8.4 Class size in special education shall not exceed State maximum limitations.

15 8.5 The District shall provide one (1) release day for teachers in any class with student enrollment in excess of
16 twenty-nine (29) in grades K through 6 at the end of the first month's school attendance report and one (1)
17 release day at the end of the fifth month's attendance report for teachers in any class with student
18 enrollment in excess of twenty-nine (29) in grades K through 6. These days shall be for the purpose of
19 administering individual reading assessments, report card preparation, parent-teacher conferences, record
20 keeping and instructional related planning. These days shall be scheduled with the prior consent of the site
21 administrator and the teacher must remain on campus. This provision shall be applicable to Special Day
22 Class teachers.