



A Joint Communique from the LaBUFA and LBUSD Bargaining Teams

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Summary:

The teams met for day four of negotiations. The entire contract is open except for compensation and benefits. The 2023-24 school year was agreed upon last spring with any benefits increases being passed onto employees along with a 5% raise in salary. We took a deeper look into the background and narrative regarding the article, interests, and options for the following topics:

Article 7: Hours

We agreed in concept to several language modifications with the hours related to preparatory periods and added clarifying language in 7.8.1.

The teams continue to work collaboratively utilizing the Interest Based Bargaining process. Our next meeting will be May 12, 2023. As a reminder, compensation for the 2023-24 school year was agreed upon last spring with any benefits increases being passed onto employees and a 5% raise in salary. Feel free to contact any of the above negotiation team members if you have any questions.

