Memorandum of Understanding Between

Sacramento City Unified School District (SCUSD)

&

Sacramento City Teachers Association (SCTA)

2021-2022 Teacher Work Calendar July 29, 2021

District Counter-Proposal August 24, 2021

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is between the Sacramento City Unified School District ("District" or "SCUSD") and the Sacramento City Teachers Association ("SCTA"), collectively "the Parties", regarding the 2021-2022 Teacher Work Year (G1) Calendar and additional school calendars.

- I. The parties agree to the 2021-2022 Teacher Work Year (G1) Calendar ("Calendar") which is Exhibit A, attached hereto. The additional calendars will be modified to reflect the changes contained, herein, and are attached in Exhibit B.
- II. The 2021-2022 Calendar includes two (2) additional mandatory Professional Development days for all members on the G1 Calendar scheduled for August 31, 2021 and September 1, 2021, as provided on Exhibit A. Staff members at New Joseph Bonnheim Elementary School and New Tech High School on alternative school year calendars will also attend the Professional development trainings, on August 5 and 6, the two days immediately prior to the commencement of student instruction on August 9. Staff at New Joseph Bonnheim Elementary and New Tech High School will be provided a substitute in order to attend the trainings.
- III. The two (2) Professional Development days will be added to teachers' compensation and salary schedules, as an extension to the Calendar from 181 days to 183 days for 2021-2022 and meets the employees' CalSTRS pension credit and obligations. Two additional paid days will also be added to those bargaining unit employees who work a calendar other than the current 181-day calendar.
- IV. The two (2) days of Professional Development will follow the outline/agenda:

A. Day 1 (August 31, 2021)

8:00-8:30	Introductions
8:30-12:00	Overcoming Implicit Bias
	and Culturally Responsive
	Teaching
12:00-12:30	Lunch
12:30-2:30	Site Time with Liaison
	Committee/Special Ed
	Workgroup input

B. Day 2 (September 1, 2021)

8:00-8:30	Introductions
8:30-12:00	Overcoming Implicit Bias
	and Culturally Responsive
	Teaching
12:00-12:30	Lunch
12:30-2:30	Site Time with Liaison
	Committee/Special Ed
	Workgroup input

Day 1	
(8/31)	
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Teacher self-selec	t and self-paced day.
8:00-8:30	"Engage" Session (all)
	Learning Intention: Prioritize building and nurturing relationships of mutual support and high expectations among students, families and staff
8:30-9:30	"Explore" Session
	Learning Intention: Identify the unique social, emotional, mental health, language, and academic needs of every student; develop plans to address those needs
9:45-10:45	"Choose One" Session*
	Learning Intention: Support educators to prioritize equity; racial, cultural, and linguistic relevance; rigor; and the highest priority standards in curriculum and instruction
11:00-12:00	"Choose One" Session and processing
	Learning Intention: Support educators to prioritize equity; racial, cultural, and linguistic relevance; rigor; and the highest priority standards in curriculum and instruction
12:00-12:30	Lunch
12:30-2:30	Site time

(*Session choices designed by segment (elementary, middle, high) and to address <u>High Quality Instruction</u> through <u>UDL</u> and <u>MTSS</u>.)

Day 2				
(9/1)				
EPOCH Led Initial Day for Overcoming Implicit Bias Program				
8:00-12:00	EPOCH module independent study on Compassionate Dialog. See https://epochacademy.thinkific.com/			
12:00-12:30	Lunch			
12:30-2:30	Reflection Time			
	SCTA Recommended Readings:			
	a. Article on <u>Characteristics of white supremacy culture</u> by Tema Okun.			
	b. A <u>presentation on WSC Characteristics</u> Melanie Bean worked on that could be used with staff.			
	c. Gholdy Muhammad <u>"5 pursuits":</u> where does identity, skills, intellect, criticality, joy show up in our teaching?			
	d. The HILL model Equity framework			

The SCTA Equity Committee, along with a representative of the Black Parallel School Board, will meet with Dr. Nancy Dome of EPOCH Education and representatives from the District to reach agreement on the content of the two days of training to overcome implicit bias and to enhance culturally responsive teaching. The subcommittee, outlined in the previous sentence, will also discuss the development of additional trainings throughout the remainder of the school year to continue this important work. Additional training, including content and scheduling, shall be subject to mutual agreement between SCTA and SCUSD.

V. Expiration Date. This Agreement shall expire on the last day of the 2021-2022 Calendar. This Agreement is limited specifically to the 2021-2022 Calendar and is non-precedent setting. The Calendar will revert back to 181 days for the 2021-2022 school year, unless otherwise agreed to by the parties.

For the District:	For SCTA:
Superintendent	President
Jorge A. Aguilar	David Fisher
Date:	Date: