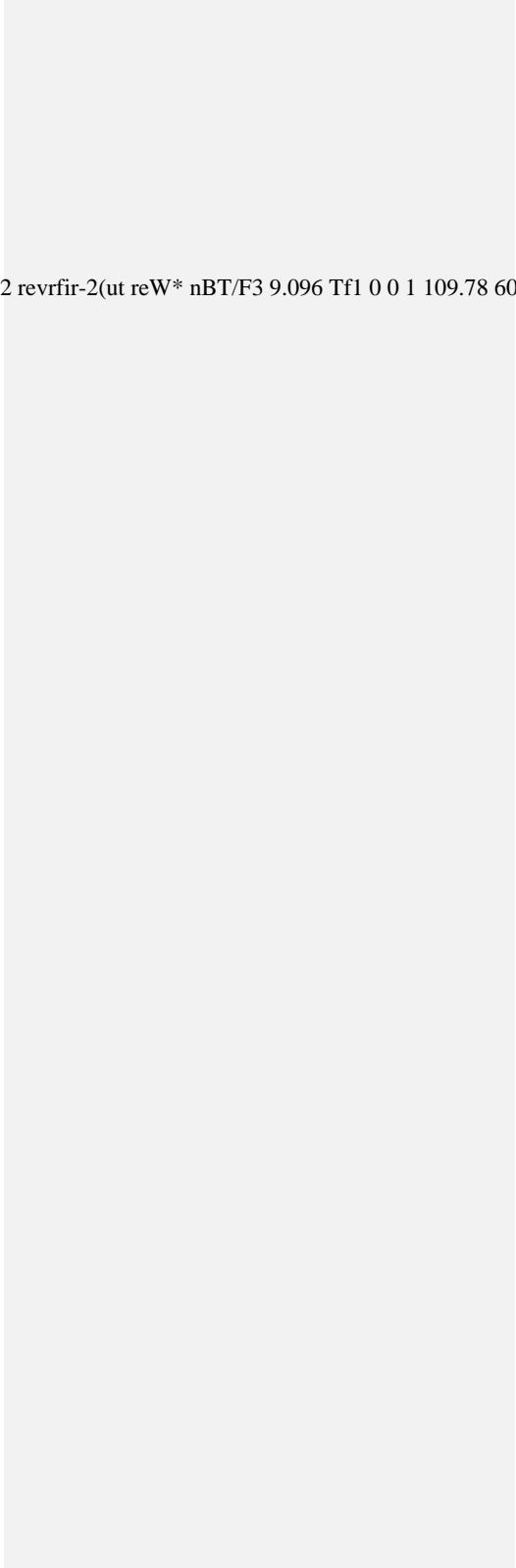


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ARTICLE 17 - CLASS SIZE

17.a The District's goal is that all class size maximums will be met by the end of the 2023-24 school year.



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17.2.1 Special subject teachers shall provide release preparation time for no more than ~~-fifteen (15) seventeen (17)~~ qualifying teachers per week excluding him or herself. Qualifying teachers means grades 1 through 6 classroom teachers, including special day class teachers (which shall include aide support).

17.2.2 The maximum teacher load for special subject teachers shall not exceed 190 students per day. [OK]

17.3 Secondary Class Staffing Formula

17.3.1 7th and 8th Grades

One (1) teacher per ~~twenty-four (24) thirty-one (31)~~ students enrolled; which shall be computed on third-month projected enrollment. ~~add a~~ One (1) teacher shall be added for all fractional remainders over 0.50.

17.3.2 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th Grades

One (1) teacher per ~~thirty-two (32) twenty-four (24)~~ students enrolled; which shall be computed on third-month projected enrollment. ~~add a~~ One (1) teacher shall be added for all fractional remainders over 0.50.

~~17.3.3 Secondary staffing shall be based upon third month projections. [OK]~~

17.3.4 The student/counselor* workload will be one (1) full-time counselor for each 375 students enrolled, based upon the projected third-month enrollment. Additional counseling service shall be provided on the basis of one (1) counseling hour for each sixty (60) students in excess of the 375/1 ratio, also based on the third-month projected enrollment. No more than fifty-nine (59) additional students shall be assigned to the total counseling staff at a school before additional counseling hours ~~shall be~~ are provided, except by mutual agreement between the site administrator and the counselor(s).

17.3.5 The student/counselor* workload in continuation high schools, ~~independence~~^{12 0 6S7(y)393.65ETQq0.00000912 0 612 792 reW* nBT/F1 9T}

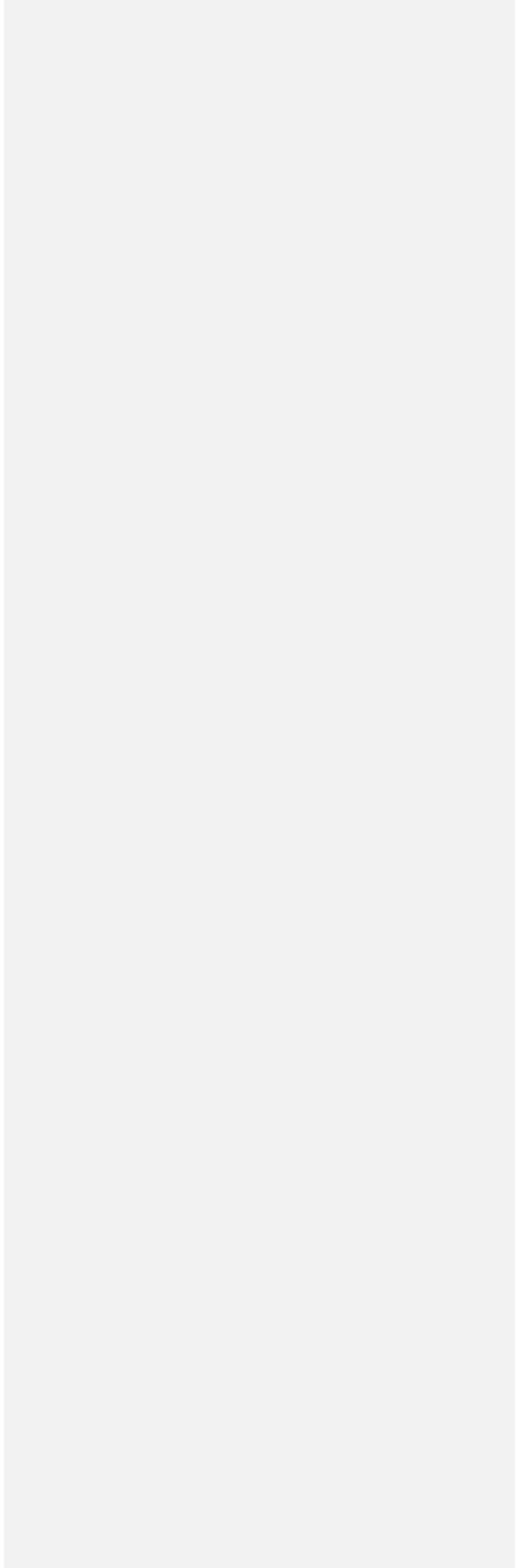
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~~exceeded for ten (10) consecutive days, after which the District has an additional 10-day period to take whatever action is necessary to alleviate the excess. Thereafter, in those instances where a class size still exceeds the maximum, certificated staff shall be paid ninety dollars (\$90) per day for every day the class exceeds the maximum.~~

- 17.4.2 When two (2) or more sections of classes having the same course content are scheduled to meet during the same period, the enrollment difference between the smallest and the largest classes will not exceed ~~three (3) five (5)~~, except by a mutual agreement of the site administrator and the teacher(s) with a class(es) having an enrollment difference in excess of ~~three (3) five (5)~~. [OK]
- 17.4.3 ~~Unless specified elsewhere in this Article, M~~maximum secondary class size ~~in the areas of English, social studies, mathematics and science shall be~~ twenty-eight (28) thirty-five (35) students per period.
- 17.4.4 Maximum class size for proficiency and developmental classes shall be twenty (20) students per period. Staff allocation for proficiency classes shall be computed separately from the ratios shown in Sections 17.2.1 and 17.2.2 of this Article.
- 17.4.5 Class size maximums and/or maximum pupil loads shall be proportionate for teachers assigned to subject areas with and without maximums and/or with differing maximums.
- 17.4.6 The maximum teacher load in the secondary schools shall be limited to 170 pupil contacts per day. Exceptions to this maximum are permissible with mutual agreement between the teacher and principal. The requirements of this section ~~are waived for Kit Carson International Academy are subject to the MOU (June 2015) between the parties, Middle School because of special program requirements.~~
- 17.4.6.1 The maximum student load for physical education and music teachers ~~beginning with the third school month~~ will be 220. Class sizes for physical education teachers in middle and high schools will be based on a proportional level of 44 as maximum per period. Physical education teachers with fewer than five (5) periods will have the maximum student load total (220) reduced by the proportional level. (Example: 44 x 5 = 220. If teacher has only four (4) classes the total student load would be 44 x 4 = 176). The parties agree that the actual number of students in any particular class may fluctuate slightly but that no single class will have more than forty-eight (48) students with the single exception of pre-designated PE Athletic classes only during sixth period (and if absolutely necessary, fifth period) at High Schools which may have no more than fifty-five (55) students.
- ~~17.4.6.2 The maximum student load for teachers of performance-based music classes shall be 220. [OK]~~
- 17.4.7 ~~The maximum District average class size ratio for secondary ELL classes shall be 20:1 for levels I and II and 27:1 for other levels. Reasonable effort will be made to balance classes within the school. The maximum site class size ratio for secondary ELD I, II, and III courses as well as ELD content-area courses shall be 20:1. The District will share ELD~~ class size information with SCTA.
- 17.4.8 The student/counselor* workload will be one (1) full-

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one (1)



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e. The maximum case load for teachers participating at John Morse Therapeutic Center in all grades shall be 10 to 1.

f. For teachers/providers with “pending” initial status student assessments (attached plans on SEIS), these pending cases will be considered to be part of the teacher/providers’ caseloads for purposes of this article. If eligibility is not found, the student will be dropped from his/her caseload the day of the IEP non qualification.

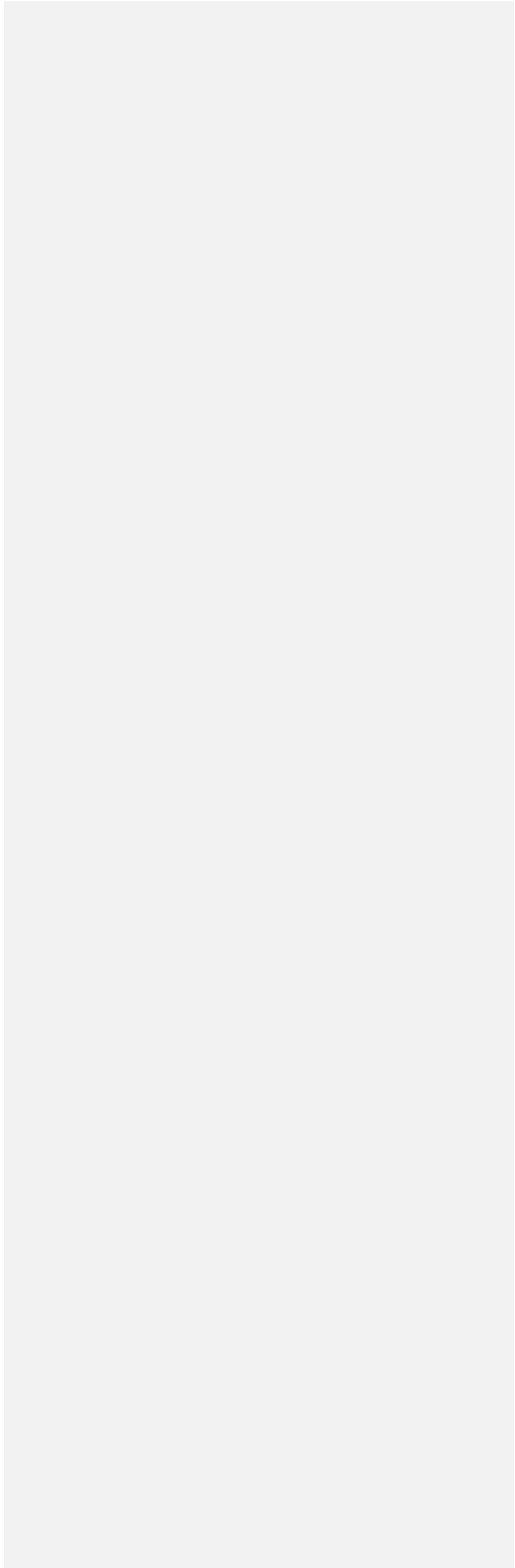
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"grace" periods for more than thirty (30) school days. Under no circumstances shall there be more than five (5) students over the maximum.

- o. Specialized Health Care: Specialized health care (e.g., catheterizations, gavage feeding suctioning) should be provided by qualified designated

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