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Spouse Parents Grandparents Brothers Sisters Sons-in-law Grandchildren children
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brothers-in-law
sisters-in-law
daughters-in-law

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		District (OR1 2016-2	2017 Sala	ry Sched	ule			
			4% x 4%	35,700	Base				
Step	BA	BA+9	BA+18	BA+27	MA	MA+9	MA+18	MA+27	MA+36
1	35,700	37,128	38,556	39,984	41,412	42,840	44,268	45,696	47,124
1	1.00	1.04	1.08	1.12	1.16	1.20	1.24	1.28	1.32
2	37,128	38,556	39,984	41,412	42,840	44,268	45,696	47,124	48,552
	1.04	1.08	1.12	1.16	1.20	1.24	1.28	1.32	1.36
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	1.00	1.12	1.10	1.20	1,2,7	1.20	1.02	1.00	11-10
4	39,984	41,412	42,840	44,268	45,696	47,124	48,552	49,980	51,408
-	1.12	1.16	1.20	1.24	1.28	1.32	1.36	1.40	1.44
-	44.440	40.040	44.000	4F 000	47.404	40 EEO	40.000	E1 100	E2 926
5	41,412	42,840	44,268	45,696 1.28	47,124	48,552	49,980 1.40	51,408 1.44	52,836 1.48
	1.16	1.20	1.24	1.28	1.32	1.36	1.40	1.44	1.40
6		44,268	45,696	47,124	48,552	49,980	51,408	52,836	54,264
		1.24	1.28	1.32	1.36	1.40	1.44	1.48	1.52
7		45,696	47,124	48,552	49,980	51,408	52,836	54,264	55,692
		1.28	1.32	1.36	1.40	1.44	1.48	1.52	1.56
8			48,552	49,980	51,408	52,836	54,264	55,692	57,120
			1.36	1.40	1.44	1.48	1.52	1.56	1.60
			1.00	1.40	1,	1.40	1.02	1.00	1100
9				51,408	52,836	54,264	55,692	57,120	58,548
				1.44	1.48	1.52	1.56	1.60	1.64
10				52,836	54,264	55,692	57,120	58,548	59,976
				1.48	1.52	1.56	1.60	1.64	1.68
44				E4 264	EE 602	57 120	E0 E10	50.076	61,404
11				54,264 1.52	55,692 1.56	57,120 1.60	58,548 1.64	59,976 1.68	1.72
				1.32	1.56	1.00	1.04	1.00	1,74
12			-	55,692	57,120	58,548	59,976	61,404	62,832
				1.56	1.60	1.64	1.68	1.72	1.76
13							61,404	62,832	64,260
							1.72	1.76	1.80
14							-	64,260	65,688
17								1.80	1.84
15									67,116
	***								1.88

District OR-1 2016-2017 Extra Duty Assignments Base: \$35,700.

SPONSORS	% of Base	Extra-Curricular Salaries
Morning 7-12 Supervision	0.02	\$714.00
Eleventh Grade Sponsor (1 of 2)	0.015	\$535.50
Eleventh Grade Sponsor (2 of 2)	0.015	\$535.50
Twelfth Grade Sponsor	0.005	\$178.50
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Musical	0.05	\$1,785.00
Musical Assistant	0.035	\$1,249.50
One-Act	0.035	\$1,249.50
Speech	0.035	\$1,249.50
Concession Sponsor	0.05	\$1,785.00
Student Council	0.01	\$357.00
Yearbook	0.03	\$1,071.00
Cheerleader	0.07	\$2,499.00
JH Quiz Bowl	0.0075	\$267.75
HS Quiz Bowl	0.01	\$357.00
Party Group Sponsor (1 of 3)	0.01	\$357.00
Party Group Sponsor (2 of 3)	0.01	\$357.00
Party Group Sponsor (3 of 3)	0.01	\$357.00
HEAD COACHES		
HS Football	0.1	\$3,570.00
HS Boys Basketball	0.12	\$4,284.00
HS Girls Basketball	0.12	\$4,284.00
HS Wrestling	0.12	\$4,284.00
HS Boys Track	0.07	\$2,499.00
HS Girls Track	0.07	\$2,499.00
HS Volleyball	0.1	\$3,570.00
Cross Country	0.07	\$2,499.00
Boys Golf	0.07	\$2,499.00
Girls Golf	0.07	\$2,499.00
Assistant HS Coaches		
Assistant HS Football (1of 3)	0.07	\$2,499.00
Assistant HS Football (2 of 3)	0.07	\$2,499.00
Assistant HS Boys Basketball	0.1	\$3,570.00
Assistant HS Girls Basketball	0.1	\$3,570.00
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Assistant HS Track	0.05	\$1,785.00
Assistant HS Volleyball #1	0.07	\$2,499.00
Assistant HS Volleyball #2	0.07	\$2,499.00

Junior High Coaches

JH Boys Basketball JH Girls Basketball JH Wrestling JH Volleyball JH Track 1	0.0525 0.0525 0.0525 0.0525 0.04	\$1,874.25 \$1,874.25 \$1,874.25 \$1,874.25 \$1,428.00
JH Track 2	0.04	\$1,428.00
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JH Ass't Football	0.03	\$1,071.00
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Other Extra Duties		
Vocal Music	0.06	\$2,142.00
Instrumental Music/summer	0.1	\$3,570.00
FCCLA Sponsor	0.035	\$1,249.50
FFA Sponsor+10th Month	0.06	\$2,142.00
Weight Program	0.06	\$2,142.00
Other Unassigned Duties	0.15	\$5,355.00
TOTAL	2.97	\$103,530.00

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children
parents-in-law
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This contract shall be effective as of the beginning of the 2017-2018 contract year and shall continue in effect until the end of the contract year. If a new or substitute contract has not been duly entered into prior to the end of the 2017-2018 school year, the terms of this contract shall continue in full force and effect until such substitute contract is agreed upon through negotiations between the Association and the District.

District OR1 2017-2018 Salary Schedule									
			4% x 4%	36,450	Base				
Step	BA	BA+9	BA+18	BA+27	MA	MA+9	MA+18	MA+27	MA+36
	00.450	07.000	20.000	10.00.1					
1	36,450	37,908	39,366	40,824	42,282	43,740	45,198	46,656	48,114
	1.00	1.04	1.08	1.12	1.16	1.20	1.24	1.28	1.32
2	37,908	39,366	40,824	42,282	42.740	45 400	40 0E0	40 444	40 E70
	1.04	1.08	1.12	1.16	43,740 1.20	45,198 1.24	46,656 1.28	48,114 1.32	49,572 1.36
	1,07	1.00	1.12	1,10	1.20	1.24	1.20	1.32	1.30
3	39,366	40,824	42,282	43,740	45,198	46,656	48,114	49,572	51,030
	1.08	1.12	1.16	1.20	1.24	1.28	1.32	1.36	1.40
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4	40,824	42,282	43,740	45,198	46,656	48,114	49,572	51,030	52,488
	1.12	1.16	1.20	1.24	1.28	1.32	1.36	1.40	1.44
5	42,282	43,740	45,198	46,656	48,114	49,572	51,030	52,488	53,946
	1.16	1.20	1.24	1.28	1.32	1.36	1.40	1.44	1.48
		45.400	40.050	10 111	10.750				
6		45,198	46,656	48,114	49,572	51,030	52,488	53,946	55,404
		1.24	1.28	1.32	1.36	1.40	1.44	1.48	1.52
7		46,656	48,114	49,572	51,030	52,488	53,946	55,404	56 962
•		1.28	1.32	1.36	1.40	1.44	1.48	1.52	56,862 1.56
		71.25	1.02	7,00	1.10	1,77	1.70	1.02	1.00
8			49,572	51,030	52,488	53,946	55,404	56,862	58,320
			1.36	1.40	1.44	1.48	1.52	1.56	1.60
9				52,488	53,946	55,404	56,862	58,320	59,778
				1.44	1.48	1.52	1.56	1.60	1.64
40									
10				53,946	55,404	56,862	58,320	59,778	61,236
				1.48	1.52	1.56	1.60	1.64	1.68
11				55,404	56,862	58,320	59,778	61,236	62,694
•••				1.52	1.56	1.60	1.64	1.68	1.72
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12				56,862	58,320	59,778	61,236	62,694	64,152
				1.56	1.60	1.64	1.68	1.72	1.76
13							62,694	64,152	65,610
							1.72	1.76	1.80
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14								65,610	67,068
			-					1.80	1.84
4.5				-					
15									68,526
									1.88

District OR-1 2017-2018 Extra Duty Assignments Base: \$36,450

SPONSORS	% of Base	Extra-Curricular Salaries
Morning 7-12 Supervision	0.02	\$729.00
Eleventh Grade Sponsor (1 of 2)	0.015	\$546.75
Eleventh Grade Sponsor (2 of 2)	0.015	\$546.75
Twelfth Grade Sponsor	0.005	\$182.25
Twelfth Grade Sponsor	0.005	\$182.25
Musical	0.05	\$1,822.50
Musical Assistant	0.035	\$1,275.75
One-Act	0.035	\$1,275.75
Speech	0.035	\$1,275.75
Concession Sponsor	0.05	\$1,822.50
Student Council	0.01	\$364.50
Yearbook	0.03	\$1,093.50
Cheerleader	0.07	\$2,551.50
JH Quiz Bowl	0.0075	\$273.38
HS Quiz Bowl	0.01	\$364.50
Party Group Sponsor (1 of 3)	0.01	\$364.50
Party Group Sponsor (2 of 3)	0.01	\$364.50
Party Group Sponsor (3 of 3)	0.01	\$364.50
HEAD COACHES		
HS Football	0.1	\$3,645.00
HS Boys Basketball	0.12	\$4,374.00
HS Girls Basketball	0.12	\$4,374.00
HS Wrestling	0.12	\$4,374.00
HS Boys Track	0.07	\$2,551.50
HS Girls Track	0.07	\$2,551.50
HS Volleyball	0.1	\$3,645.00
Cross Country	0.07	\$2,551.50
Boys Golf	0.07	\$2,551.50
Girls Golf	0.07	\$2,551.50
Assistant HS Coaches		
Assistant HS Football (1of 3)	0.07	\$2,551.50
Assistant HS Football (2 of 3)	0.07	\$2,551.50
Assistant HS Boys Basketball	0.1	\$3,645.00
Assistant HS Girls Basketball	0.1	\$3,645.00
Assistant HS Wrestling	0.1	\$3,645.00
Assistant HS Track	0.05	\$1,822.50
Assistant HS Volleyball #1	0.07	\$2,551.50
Assistant HS Volleyball #2	0.07	\$2,551.50

Junior High Coaches

JH Boys Basketball JH Girls Basketball JH Wrestling JH Volleyball JH Track 1 JH Track 2 JH Football	0.0525 0.0525 0.0525 0.0525 0.04 0.04 0.0525	\$1,913.63 \$1,913.63 \$1,913.63 \$1,913.63 \$1,458.00 \$1,458.00 \$1,913.63
Junior High Assistant Coaches		
JH Ass't Football JH Ass't Boys Basketball JH Ass't Girls Basketball JH Ass't Volleyball JH Ass't Wrestling Other Extra Duties	0.03 0.03 0.03 0.03 0.03	\$1,093.50 \$1,093.50 \$1,093.50 \$1,093.50 \$1,093.50
Vocal Music Instrumental Music/summer FCCLA Sponsor FFA Sponsor+10th Month Weight Program Other Unassigned Duties	0.06 0.1 0.035 0.06 0.06 0.15	\$2,187.00 \$3,645.00 \$1,275.75 \$2,187.00 \$2,187.00 \$5,467.50
TOTAL	2.97	\$105,705.00

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