



JUST THE FACTS...



The VTA/CTA/NEA 25-26 Bargaining Update

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November 4, 2025

The VUSD and VTA bargaining teams met for 3 hours on November 4, 2025.

VUSD Team Members: David Robertson, Sasha Begell, Ali Eeds, Kelly Burks, Charleston Brown, Cathy Bozzini, Shayla Bowman, and Lynn Benevides

VTA Team Members: Megan Morris, Sofia Calderon, Becky Wylie, Tracy Begley, Jared Ropelato and Brenda Hensley, VTA President

We began the session by looking over our ground rules. After some discussion, they were agreed upon by all team members and signed.

Next, we went over the steps of interest based bargaining: Define the problem, collaboratively list interests in the topic, brainstorm possible solutions to the problem, and finally reach a solution on how to solve the problem.

Then we opened our first article: Article 3: Wages. We spent the remainder of the day listing interests and options around wages. No agreements were made at this time and we will continue this discussion at further bargaining sessions.

Next Dates for Bargaining: Nov 12, Dec 4