NORTH BRUNSWICK TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION AND

NORTH BRUNSWICK TOWNSHIP EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

Contract Agreement

2003-2004 Through 2005-2006

Table of Contents

ARTICLE I	
Recognition	1-3
ARTICLE II	
Negotiation Procedure	4
ARTICLE III	
Medical Insurance	5
ARTICLE IV	
Grievance Procedure	6-9
ARTICLE V	
Rights of Parties	10-12
ARTICLE VI	
Employee Rights	13-14
ARTICLE VII Protection of Employees and	
Property	15
ARTICLE VIII	
School Calendar	16
ARTICLE IX	
Salaries	17
ARTICLE X	
General Terms and Conditions of	
Non Certified Employees	18-22
ARTICLE XI	
Aides	23
ARTICLE XII	
Custodial/Maintenance/Grounds	24-29

ARTICLE XIII	
School Bus Drivers	30-32
ARTICLE XIV	
Secretaries/Clerk-Typists	33-36
ARTICLE XV	
Teachers	37-59
ARTICLE XVI	
Miscellaneous	60-62
ARTICLE VXII Duration of Agreement	63
J	
APPENDIX "A"	(4.40
Sabbatical Leave	64-68
APPENDIX BI	
Aides Salary Guides	69
APPENDIX BII	
	70
Bus Driver Salary Guides	70
APPENDIX BIII	
Custodial/Maintenance/Grounds	74
Salary Guides	71
APPENDIX BIV	
Secretarial/Clerical Salary Guides	72
APPENDIX BV	
Teacher Salary Guide	73
APPENDIX BVI	
Teacher's Guide Placement for	
New Hires	74

APPENDIX BVII

Coaches' Stipends 75

APPENDIX BVIII

Advisors' Stipends 76

APPENDIX IX

Teacher Stipends 77

APPENDIX C

Medical Benefits Description 78-81

Index 82-83

Sidebar Agreements 84

Items for Teachers' Handbook

18A:6-1 (Corporal punishment of pupils)

No person employed or engaged in a school or educational institution, whether public or private, shall inflict or cause to be inflicted corporal punishment upon a pupil attending such school institution; but any such person may, within the scope of his/her employment, use and apply such amounts of force as are reasonable and necessary.

- 1. to quell a disturbance threatening physical injury to others;
- 2. to obtain possession of weapons or other dangerous objects upon the person or within the control of a pupil;
- 3. for the purpose of self-defense; and
- 4. for the protection of persons or property, and such acts, or any of them, shall not be construed to constitute corporal punishment within the meaning and intention of this section. Every resolution, by law, rule, ordinance or other act of authority permitting or authorizing corporal punishment to be inflicted upon a pupil attending a school or educational institution shall be void.

2. 18A:30-2.1 (Payment of sick leave for services connected disability)

Whenever any employee, entitled to sick leave under this chapter, is absent from his/her post of duty as a result of a personal injury caused by an accident arising out of and in the course of his/her employment, his/her employer shall pay to such employee the full salary or wages for the period of such absence for up to one calendar year without having such absence charged to the annual sick leave or the accumulated sick leave provided in sections18A:30-2 and 18A:30-3. Salary or wage payments provided in this section shall be made for absence during the waiting period and during the period employee received or was eligible to receive a temporary disability benefit under Chapter 15 of Title 34, Labor and Worker's Compensation, of the Revised Statutes. Any amount of salary or wages paid or payable to the employee pursuant to this section shall be reduced by the amount of any Worker's Compensation award made for temporary disability.

18A:6-6 (Indemnity of Officers and Employees Against Civil Action)

Whenever any civil action has been or shall be brought against any person holding any office, position or employment under the jurisdiction of any Board of Education, including any student teacher, for any act or omission arising out of and in the course of the performance of the duties as such office, position, employment or student teaching, the Board shall defray fees and expenses, together with the costs of appeal, if any, and shall save harmless and protect such person from any financial loss resulting therefrom; and said Board may arrange for and maintain appropriate insurance to cover all such damages, losses and expenses.

18A:16-6.1 (Indemnity of Officers and Employees in Certain Criminal Actions)

Should any criminal action be instituted against any such person for any such act or omission and should such proceeding be dismissed or result in a final disposition in favor of such person, the Board of Education shall reimburse him/her for the cost of defending such proceeding, including reasonable counsel fees and expenses of the original hearing or trial and all appeals.

APPENDIX B IX

TEACHER STIPENDS

Position	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006
Language Arts Coordinator	1,592	1,666	1,743
Math/Science Coordinator	1,592	1,666	1,743
Coordinator of Gifted/Talented	1,592	1,666	1,743
G/T Elementary Science Coordinator	1,592	1,666	1,743
Subject Area Leaders	1,592	1,666	1,743

Grade Level Leaders (GLL)/Subject Area Leaders (SAL)

- 1.All GLL/SAL stipends shall depend upon the number of teachers (excluding the GLL him/herself) on grade/department
- 2. Where there is only one other teacher on grade/department, the stipends shall be \$948 in 2003-2004, \$992 in 2004-2005, and \$1,038 in 2005-2006
- 3. For every additional teacher on grade/department, the stipend shall increase by \$30 in 2003-2004, \$31 in 2004-2005, and \$33 in 2005-2006

2003 - 2004 SALARY SCHEDULE

Exp/Step	Amount	Longevity Upon completion of:	
А	14.00	opon completion on	
В	15.00	5 years	350
С	15.62	10 years	550
D	16.40	15 years	1,300
Е	17.17	20 years	1,900
F	17.80	25+ years	2,500
AA	18.87	•	
2004 - 2005 SALARY SCHEDULE			
Exp/Step	Amount	Longevity	
_		Upon completion of:	
A	14.30		
В	15.00	5 years	400
С	15.62	10 years	650
D	16.54	15 years	1,500
E _	17.20	20 years	2,200
F	18.34	25+ years	2,900
AA	19.43		
2005- 2006 SALARY SCHEDULE			
Exp/Step	Amount	Longevity	
۸	14.50	Upon completion of:	
A	15.00	F	450
B C		5 years	
D	15.62 16.54	10 years	750 1 700
E E	16.54	15 years	1,700
E F	17.50	20 years	2,500
	18.92	25+ years	3,300
AA	20.02		

NORTH BRUNSWICK BOARD OF EDUCATION

PREFERRED PROVIDER ORGANIZATION BENEFIT SUMMARY

This is a summary of benefits for your PPO plan. All plan deductibles, plan outof-pocket maximums, plan maximum and service specific maximums (dollar and occurrence) cross accumulate between in and out-of-network unless otherwise noted.

Benefits	JE SHIELD OF National Colors of National Colors of Nation The second of the Second of National Colors of	
Donomo	In-Network	Out
Lifetime Maximum:	Unlimited	
Calendar Year Deductible:		
Individual	Not applicable	\$20
Family Maximum		\$40
Aggregate		
Out-of-Pocket Maximum:		
Includes deductible	Not applicable	
Individual		\$1,20
Family Maximum		\$2,4
Aggregate		
Outpatient Doctor's Office Visits:		
For illness/injury	\$10 Copay per Visit	\$80% coinsu
Allergy Treatment		
Preventive Care:		
Routine Preventive Care for	\$10 Copay per Visit	No.
children		
Through age 2 (including		
immunizations)		
Routine Mammogram	\$10 Copay per Visit	80% coinsur
Second Opinions for Surgery	\$10 Copay per Visit	80% coinsur
(Voluntary)		
Outpatient Preadmission Testing:		
Office Visit	In Full – No Copay	80% coinsur
Outpatient Facility		
Inpatient Hospital – Facility	In Full – No Copay	80% coinsur
Services:	Limited to the semi-private negotiated	Limited to t
Semi-private	rate	Limited to t
Private Room	Limited to the semi-private negotiated	Limited to the
Intensive Care Unit	rate	
	Limited to the negotiated rate	
Inpatient Hospital Doctor's	In Full – No Copay	80% coinsur
Visits/Consultations		

Inpatient Hospital Professional Services		
Surgeon	In Full – No Copay	80% coinsur
Radiologist	in the espay	0070 00.110411
Pathologist		
Anesthesiologist		

This is provided as an overview of the plan benefits and does not supersede the plan contract, All benefits are subject to the actual contracted benefits.

NORTH BRUNSWICK BOARD OF EDUCATION

PREFERRED PROVIDER ORGANIZATION BENEFIT SUMMARY

Benefits	HORIZON BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD OF N Preferred Provider Organization-Coinsura	
Benefits	In-Network	Out
Outpatient Surgical Facility		
Services:		
Outpatient Professional Services:		
Surgeon	In Full – No Copay	80% coinsur
Radiologist		
Pathologist		
Anesthesiologist		
Emergency Care:		
Doctor's Office	\$10 Copay per Visit	\$10 C
(Participating/Non-participating)		
Hospital Emergency Room,	\$50 Copay per Visit	\$50 C
Outpatient Facility or other Urgent	que copa, per vien	*except if not a
Care Facility		0,100 pt 11 110 t 0
Ambulance		coinsuran
		Same as
		Em
		Deductible/0
Skilled Nursing Facility		
Up to a max. of 60 days/calendar year	In Full – No Copay	80% coinsur
No prior hospitalization required		
Independent Lab and X-ray Services:		
(Facility and Professional Services)		
Hospital Outpatient		
Lab and X-ray Facility Doctor's Office	In Full – No Copay	80% coinsur
	\$10 Capay par Visit	80% coinsur
Outpatient Short Term Rehabilitation Includes:	\$10 Copay per Visit	60% Comsur
	60 Consecutive Day Maximum Per	60 Consecuti
Physical Therapy Speech Therapy	60 Consecutive Day Maximum Per Condition	OU CONSECUL
Occupational Therapy	Condition	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \

Chiropractic Therapy (includes		
Chiropractors)		
Home Health Care:		
Up to a maximum of 60 visits per	In Full – No Copay	80% coinsur
calendar		
year		
Outpatient Private Duty Nursing	In Full – No Copay	80% coinsur
Maternity:		
Initial visit to determine pregnancy	\$10 Copay per Visit	
All subsequent Prenatal visits,	In Full – No Copay	80% coinsur
Postnatal visits and Delivery		
Hospital/Birthing Center		

NORTH BRUNSWICK BOARD OF EDUCATION

PREFERRED PROVIDER ORGANIZATION BENEFIT SUMMARY

Benefits	HORIZON BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD OF I Preferred Provider Organization-Coinsura	
	In-Network	Out
Owner Transcription (Inc.)		
Organ Transplants: (Includes all	1	
medically	In Eull No Conor	000/ 00:00:00
Appropriate, non-experimental	In Full – No Copay	80% coinsur
transplants)		
Inpatient Facility		
Physician's Services Durable Medical Equipment	\$10 Copay	80% coinsur
External Prosthetic Appliances	\$10 Copay	80% coinsur
Mental Health:	φτο συράν	00 /0 COILISUI
Inpatient		
up to 30 days/calendar year:	100% Coinsurance	80% coinsur
\$50,000 lifetime maximum	100 /0 Odinsulatioe	00 /0 CONTOU
Outpatient:		
up to 60 visits/calendar year; up to	\$25 Copay per Visit	50% coinsur
\$2,500	The copa, por viole	3370 00111001
per calendar year; \$50,000 lifetime		
maximum		
Drug Abuse Rehabilitation:		
<u>Inpatient</u>		
up to 30 days/calendar year:	100% Coinsurance	80% coinsur
\$50,000 lifetime maximum		
Outpatient:		
up to 60 visits/calendar year; up to	\$25 Copay per Visit	50% coinsur
\$2,500		
per calendar year; \$50,000 lifetime		
maximum		

	_	
Dental Care:		
Limited to accidental injury of sound	Not applicable	80% coinsur
and		
natural teeth sustained while		
covered under		
the Medical plan.		
Prescription Drugs:	Effective 11/1/00	
	\$6 copayment: Name Brand	
	\$3 copayment: Generic	
	\$0 copayment: Mail Order	
Preadmission Certification –	Mandatory 20% penalty reduction up to \$500 applied	
Continued Stay Review	contact Contemporary Health Care Manag	gement (CHCM) to
(required for all Inpatient Admissions)	(employee responsible	
(a grant a la premonent)	for contacting CHCM.	
	20% reduction up to \$500 for any admission reviewed 20% reduction up to \$500 (room and board) for any a	