

SALARY ADMINISTRATION Human Resource Manual

Experience Increments - Teachers Section 1402 (a)

EXPERIENCE INCREMENTS - TEACHERS

PURPOSE

1. Experience increments are granted to teachers in recognition of service.

APPLICATION

2. These guidelines and procedures apply to all teachers.

DEFINITIONS

3. **Experience Increment** means a one step increase within a pay level for one year of teaching experience, to the maximum within the pay level.

PROVISIONS

- 4. The experience increment date is based on the anniversary date of the employee's appointment as a teacher. That date is normally the start of a school year.
- 5. The experience increment date is not affected by a demotion.
- 6. The experience increment date of a teacher who is transferred does not normally change.
- 7. A teacher on loan to another agency for teaching duties will be given experience credit for the period of the assignment.
- 8. A teacher is granted no more than one experience increment on the basis of credit granted for educational leave.
- 9. Increment dates are postponed by:
 - maternity leave;
 - adoption leave; or
 - leave of absence with or without pay greater than 25 working days.
- 10. An increment postponed by a leave of absence, as mentioned in paragraph #10, is due when the teacher completes a year of teaching experience. This includes the periods of service before and after the absence, starting from the last experience increment date.



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AUTHORITIES AND REFERENCES

11. NTA Collective Agreement Article A3 - Experience Increments

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