SUPPORT MASTER CONTRACT 10/16/2025

ARTICLE XII SICK LEAVE BANK

The Support Personnel may participate, on a voluntary basis, in any sick leave bank, which is established by the Board. The Sick Leave Bank Committee shall meet semi-annually to review the operations of the Sick Leave Bank. The Citrus County School Board will develop a memorandum to all employees indicating whether they are in the Sick Leave Bank or not. The procedures for the Sick Leave Bank will be attached to the memorandum.

After all Sick Leave Bank policy guidelines & Procedures have been met including medical verifications the Sick Leave Bank will commence to pay the individual.

Payment will be made for the days drawn from the Sick Leave Bank in the next pay period.

Re-application to the Sick Leave Bank including medical verification shall be required for each 20-day increment.

In no instance may individuals draw more than 60 days from the Sick-Leave Bank for a single illness.

DROP and the Sick Leave Bank

If an employee who is entering the Deferred Retirement Option Plan (DROP) is a current member of the Sick Leave Bank, and they wish to continue their membership, they must keep a total of at least nine (9) sick days accumulated on record. If at the time they join DROP they have less than a total of nine (9) accumulated sick days, they must keep all of what they have accumulated on record. If an employee is not a current member of the Sick Leave Bank, they must accrue a minimum of nine (9) sick days to be eligible for the Sick Leave Bank.

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