

Denver Public Schools
Teacher and SSP Step and Grade Schedule 2026-2027 - Effective Aug 1, 2026

Grades	BA	BA+18	BA+36/MA	MA+18	MA+36	MA+54	Doctorate
Step	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	\$58,667	\$61,151	\$64,246	\$67,621	\$70,997	\$74,370	\$77,747
2	\$59,980	\$63,209	\$66,304	\$69,759	\$73,134	\$76,510	\$80,214
3	\$61,899	\$65,267	\$68,360	\$71,896	\$75,272	\$78,645	\$82,682
4	\$63,822	\$67,323	\$70,418	\$74,034	\$77,407	\$80,782	\$85,149
5	\$65,744	\$69,381	\$72,476	\$76,172	\$79,547	\$82,923	\$87,616
6	\$67,664	\$71,439	\$74,532	\$78,306	\$81,682	\$85,059	\$90,085
7	\$69,586	\$73,498	\$76,592	\$80,447	\$83,824	\$87,197	\$92,551
8	\$71,507	\$75,553	\$78,650	\$82,585	\$85,959	\$89,334	\$95,018
9	\$73,430	\$77,611	\$80,709	\$84,721	\$88,096	\$91,469	\$97,486
10	\$75,351	\$79,669	\$82,764	\$86,858	\$90,234	\$93,610	\$99,955
11	\$77,272	\$81,728	\$84,820	\$88,997	\$92,371	\$95,747	\$102,419
12	\$79,194	\$83,783	\$86,881	\$91,134	\$94,510	\$97,885	\$104,889
13	\$81,115	\$85,843	\$88,938	\$93,271	\$96,649	\$100,022	\$107,358
14	\$83,036	\$87,901	\$90,994	\$95,411	\$98,784	\$102,162	\$109,822
15	\$84,959	\$89,959	\$93,052	\$97,550	\$100,924	\$104,300	\$112,292
16	\$86,881	\$92,019	\$95,113	\$99,684	\$103,062	\$106,435	\$114,756
17	\$88,802	\$94,074	\$97,169	\$101,825	\$105,197	\$108,575	\$117,226
18	\$90,722	\$96,132	\$99,224	\$103,962	\$107,335	\$110,713	\$119,693
19	\$92,644	\$98,192	\$101,284	\$106,097	\$109,475	\$112,848	\$122,160
20	\$94,565	\$100,250	\$103,342	\$108,236	\$111,612	\$114,988	\$125,235

Note: Associate Teachers' annual salary is \$51,333 for BA, \$56,215 for MA, and \$68,028 for PhD. Annual salaries based on a 1,488 hour (186 day) schedule.

"GHOST GRADES"			
6-1	6-2	7-1	7-2
\$76,370	\$78,370	\$79,747	\$81,747
\$78,510	\$80,510	\$82,214	\$84,214
\$80,645	\$82,645	\$84,682	\$86,682
\$82,782	\$84,782	\$87,149	\$89,149
\$84,923	\$86,923	\$89,616	\$91,616
\$87,059	\$89,059	\$92,085	\$94,085
\$89,197	\$91,197	\$94,551	\$96,551
\$91,334	\$93,334	\$97,018	\$99,018
\$93,469	\$95,469	\$99,486	\$101,486
\$95,610	\$97,610	\$101,955	\$103,955
\$97,747	\$99,747	\$104,419	\$106,419
\$99,885	\$101,885	\$106,889	\$108,889
\$102,022	\$104,022	\$109,358	\$111,358
\$104,162	\$106,162	\$111,822	\$113,822
\$106,300	\$108,300	\$114,292	\$116,292
\$108,435	\$110,435	\$116,756	\$118,756
\$110,575	\$112,575	\$119,226	\$121,226
\$112,713	\$114,713	\$121,693	\$123,693
\$114,848	\$116,848	\$124,160	\$126,160
\$116,988	\$118,988	\$127,235	\$129,235

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