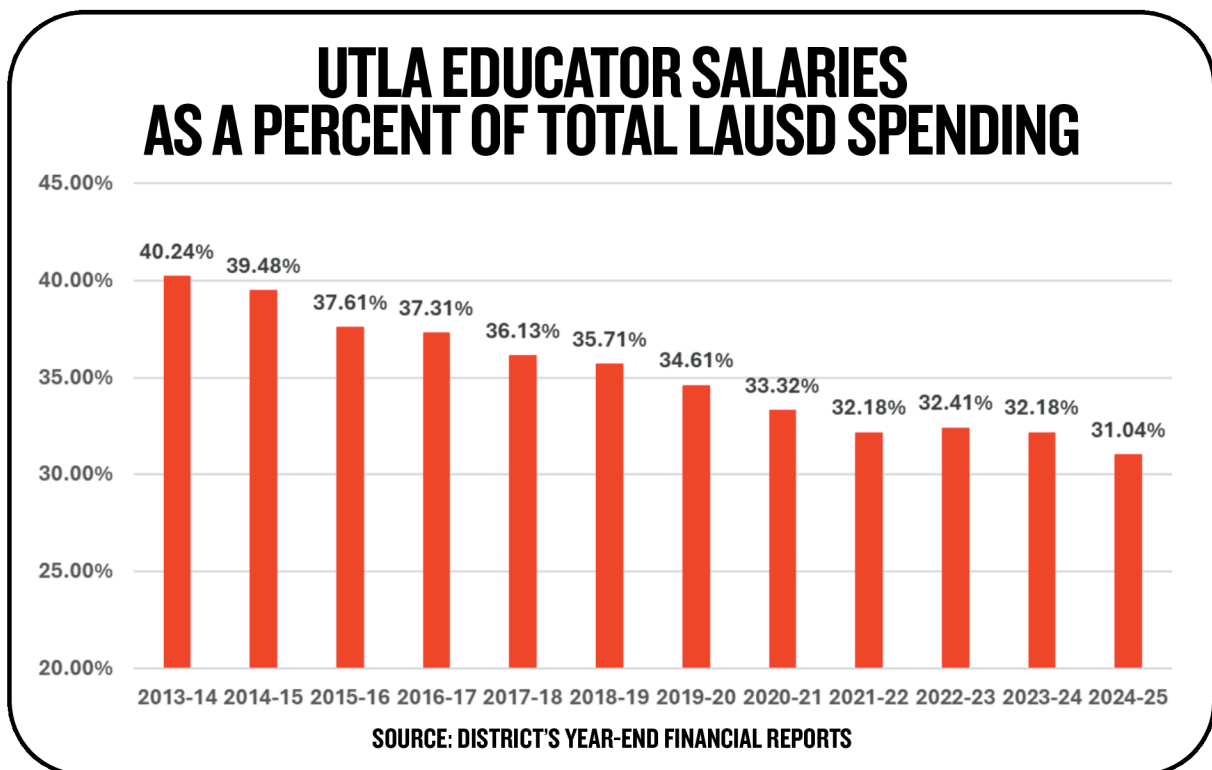


LAUSD'S MISPLACED PRIORITIES: EDUCATORS GET SMALLER SLICE OF THE PIE EVERY YEAR

Over the last ten years, the proportion of LAUSD spending on UTLA educator salaries has dropped from 40% to 31% — even with the raises we won in our last two contract fights.

LAUSD is proportionally spending less on salaries even as they amass \$5.03 billion in reserves.



Over the same period, spending on “Services and Other Operating Costs” (including on outside contracting) has grown at an average annual pace of 10%, based on the district's financial reports.

If LAUSD had kept salaries at 40% of total spending, that would mean an additional \$1 billion would be spent on educator salaries this year — far, far more than the costs of our salary proposal (average 18% increase in year 1).

The money is there to fund our salary demands and other elements of our contract platform.