

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Special Education Advisory Panel

Pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Special Education Advisory Panel, and to the general public that the Special Education Advisory Panel will hold a meeting, open to the public, as specified below. The Special Education Advisory Panel reserves the right to change the order of items on the agenda, with the exception of public hearings. One or more members of the Special Education Advisory Panel may participate telephonically.

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.02 (H), the Special Education Advisory Panel may discuss and take action concerning any matter listed on the agenda.

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03 (A) (3), the Special Education Advisory Panel may vote to go into Executive Session, which will not be open to the public, for legal advice concerning any item on this agenda.

Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation such as a sign language interpreter, by contacting Maria Durazo, Exceptional Student Services, (602) 542-5446 (voice phone), (602) 542-1410 (TDD). Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

DATED AND POSTED this 1st day of March.

By _____


Dr. Karol Schmidt
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AGENDA

Special Education Advisory Panel
March 7, 2017
9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Arizona Department of Education
3300 N. Central Ave
Room 16-104
Phoenix, Arizona

Contact Information

Special Education Advisory Panel

Title	Name and Phone Number
Co-Chairperson	Nancy Williams, M.Ed. (602) 818-4650
Co-Chairperson	Christopher Tiffany (602) 242-4366, ext. 208

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Title	Name and Phone Number
Deputy Associate Superintendent	Alissa Trollinger (602) 542-5446
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Agenda

Agenda Item	Responsible Person
Call to Order	Chris Tiffany, SEAP Co-Chairperson
Approval of January 24, 2016 minutes	Chris Tiffany, SEAP Co-Chairperson
Call to the Public Guidelines: Comment on agenda items as panel goes through them. Those wishing to address the panel need not request permission in advance. Action taken as a result of public comment will be limited to directing staff to study the matter or rescheduling the matter for further consideration and decision at a later date.	Leanne Murrillo, SEAP Vice-Chairperson
Reports from the Field (30 min.)	SEAP Members

Agenda Item	Responsible Person
Early Childhood Education (25 min.) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updates • Kindergarten Developmental Inventory/K-3 Formative Assessment 	Lauren Zbyszinski, Ph.D. Director of Professional Learning and Sustainability, Early Childhood Arizona Department of Education
Early Childhood Special Education (20 min.) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report from ICC • AzEIP Part C to Part B 	Suzanne Perry Director of Early Childhood Special Education
Dyslexia Presentation Part 1 (45 min) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Definition • Prevalence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Impact on Language and Literacy 	Mary Wennersten (SEAP Member) Certified Dyslexia Therapist
Lunch Break approx. 11:30 a.m. -12:00 p.m.	
State Performance Plan, Annual Performance Report (60 min.) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review of function and purpose • Looking at data submitted 	Cathy Sproul, Director of Federal Initiatives
Exceptional Student Services (60 min.) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updates • Capacity Building Plan 	Alissa Trollinger, Deputy Associate Superintendent, ESS Tracey Sridharan, Ed.S., NCSP Director of Professional Learning and Sustainability, ESS
Special Education Advisory Panel (30 min.) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consideration of Items for Advisement (Action Item) • Consideration of Committee work needed • Membership • Key Points from Meeting • Suggested future agenda items 	SEAP Panel Members
Next Meeting Date	Leanne Murrillo, SEAP Vice Chair

Panel Functions:

- Advise the state education agency (SEA) of unmet needs within the State in the education of children with disabilities.
- Comment publicly on any rules or regulations proposed by the State regarding the education of children with disabilities.

- Advise the SEA in developing evaluations and reporting on data to the Secretary under 618.
- Advise the SEA in developing corrective action plans to address findings identified in federal monitoring reports.
- Advise the SEA in developing and implementing policies relating to the coordination of services for children with disabilities.
- Review and comment on completed due process hearing findings.