

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
CONNECTICUT EDUCATOR PREPARATION AND CERTIFICATION BOARD

Monday, April 21, 2025-1:00-4:00pm
450 Columbus Blvd.
Plaza North Conference Room C and D

Public Viewing Link: <https://youtube.com/live/43zCONFO930>

AGENDA

The Board's Purpose:

Pursuant to Public Act 24-41 Section 10, there is established the Connecticut Educator Preparation and Certification Board. The board shall be responsible for modernizing and aligning educator preparation and certification to ensure that policies are optimized to attract and retain effective and diverse professionals for employment in the state's public schools.

The Board's Three Statutory Priorities for 2025:

- Review/reporting on educator preparation and certification/content knowledge (Jan.31, 2025) (Sec. 13(a))
- Review/reporting on endorsement areas/ARC programs (July 1, 2025) (Sec. 13(b))
- Develop standards/proposals for regulations and legislation (July 1, 2025) (Sec. 12(a))

I. Call to Order

II. Review and Approval of Minutes

- A. March 10, 2025, Regular Meeting

III. Announcements

- A. Administrator Hiring Process Update – *Chloe Cummings*
- B. Proposal Update (SBE) – *Jen Rodriguez*

IV. Presentations/Q&A:

- A. Performance Office: Data Update on Bridges Pilot
- B. Praxis Representative: Overview of the Bridge Program

V. Updates from Ad Hoc Committees

- A. Public Act No. 24-41 Sec. 12(a) (1–6): Standards and Proposals for Regulations and Legislation – *Kristen Basiaga*
- B. Public Act Sec. 13(a)(3): Review and Reporting on Educator Preparation and Certification – *Jen Rodriguez & CPRL Representatives*

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VI. Next Steps: Timeline of Tasks – Jen Rodriguez

- A. Review/Update of timeline for Sec. 13(b)
- B. Reviewing Aims/Wish lists for each organization

VII. Items Requiring Action

- B. Actions Stemming from Ad Hoc Committee Updates

VIII. Public Participation

IX. Adjournment

Parking

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Access to Building

All visitors must sign in and provide a photo ID to the attendant at the Plaza lobby security desk.

Public Participation – via E-mail Submission

Submit written communication via email no later than Tuesday, March 4th, at 12:00 p.m. Written communications should be sent to the following email address sde.certificationboard@ct.gov. All emails submitted to the CSDE at sde.certificationboard@ct.gov for public participation will be shared with Board members and filed in the Official File of the meeting in the Board Office. If you intend for your email to be considered public participation, please identify so in the subject of the email. Anonymous emails will not be shared. Please indicate your name and affiliation.

Public Participation

If you wish to speak during public participation and would like the Board to receive a copy of your prepared remarks, please bring 20 copies to the meeting. The sign-up sheet will be available at the entrance of the meeting room until 1:00pm. Each speaker will be limited to three minutes.