

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION



Connecticut State Advisory Council for Special Education

Wednesday, November 18, 2020

***** 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. *****

Virtual Meeting (Conference Call Information included below)

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order and Welcome (9:00 -11:30 am.)
- II. Introductions/Roles/Welcome
- III. Council Purpose and Function
- IV. Public Comment (9:10 am.)

SAC meetings are public meetings; members of the public may participate by calling in:

• Call-In Number: 1-866-880-0098

• Participant Passcode: 89689633

Old Business

- V. Consent Agenda:
 - a. September Minutes (Full Council).
- VI. Executive Committee Report
 - a. Meeting Updates
 - i. Meeting every other week through the spring of 2021from, 12:15-1:00 pm. (cancel meetings if needed).
 - b. Annual Report
 - i. Assignments by section
 - c. Finalized Committees
- VII. Membership Committee Report
 - a. Vacancies
 - b. Recommendations for At-Large Vote:
 - i. Governor's Appointment Parent or Individual

New Business

VIII. State Advisory Council Priorities 2020-21

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- a. Special Education Policies and Procedures Related to COVID-19
- b. Best Practice Strategies Related to Remote Learning
- c. Least Restrictive Environment
- **IX.** Agency Updates
- X. Parent Updates
- **XI.** Break (10/15min break)
- XII. Special Education Division Director Report
 - a. Due Process Hearings (Summary) Trends
 - b. Complaints (Summary) Topics/Findings
 - c. SPP/APR: New OSEP Indicator/Data collection
 - i. APR "Supplementary Tool"
 - d. Bureau of Special Education Update
- XIII. Action Items
- **XIV.** Adjourn/Break (11:30 am. 12:30 pm.)
- XV. Priority Break Out: (12:30 pm.) Not a Public Meeting
 - i. Special Education Policies and Procedures related to COVID-19
 - ii. Best Practice Strategies Remote Learning
 - iii. Least Restrictive Environment

State Advisory Council Meeting Dates/Locations:

Meeting	Date	Time	Location
1.	September 30, 2020	1:00-4:00	Virtual Meeting
2.	November 18, 2020 (Snow Date: Nov 25)	9:00-2:30	Virtual Meeting
3.	January 13, 2021 (Snow Date: Jan 20)	9:00-3:00	TBD
4.	March 10, 2021 (Snow Date: March 17)	9:00-3:00	TBD
5.	May 12, 2021	1:00-5:00	TBD