

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. The meeting of the Panel will be held in-person and electronically.

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.

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If you wish to participate in-person and are not a SEAP member, please email Rebekah Arrowsmith at rebekah.arrowsmith@azed.gov.

The March 29, 2023 Special Education Advisory Panel meeting will be held in-person at 1400 W Washington St, Phoenix AZ 85007 and telephonically via Zoom.

DATED AND POSTED this 10 day of March 2023

By



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Special Education Advisory Panel

March 29, 2023

9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Arizona Department of Education

1400 W Washington St, Phoenix AZ 85007 / Via Zoom

Arizona Special Education Advisory Panel (SEAP) Agenda

Date March 29, 2023

Time: 9:30 am

Location: 1400 W Washington St, Phoenix, AZ / Zoom

SEAP Webpage: <https://www.azed.gov/specialeducation/seap/>

SEAP Calendar: [FY 2022-2023 Calendar](#)

Panel Members: [SEAP Membership 2022-2023](#)

Bylaws: [Arizona Special Education Advisory Panel Bylaws \(2/1/2022\)](#)

SEAP Leadership

Co-Chairs: Heidi Sinkovic and Susan Voirol

Vice Chair: Leanne Murrillo

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Function/Purpose of the SEAP	Outcomes/Objectives for Today's Meeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advise the State Education Agency (SEA) of unmet needs within the state in the education of students 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 Section 618 of the IDEA Advise the SEA in developing corrective action plans to address findings identified in Federal Monitoring reports under Part of the IDEA 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 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Indicators 4, 9 and 10 Receive information on Dispute Resolution Activities (State Complaints) Receive information on Arizona State Board of Education presentation and discussion Receive information special education funding

Agenda Item Category: RT-Regular Standing Topic ST-Special Topic AI-Action Item DI-Discussion Item AN-Advice Needed II-Information Item			
Time	Category	Agenda Item	Presenter
9:30 AM	RT	Call to Order - Panel Roll Call - Reports from the Field	SEAP Co-Chairs
9:45 AM	ST, DI, II	Dispute Resolution/State Complaints Trends	Jeff Studer, ADE
10:30 AM	DI, ST	Arizona State Board of Education Presentation and Discussion	Alissa Trollinger, ADE Heidi Sinkovic, SEAP Co-Chair
11:00 AM	RT, DI, II	Special Education Data Review: Indicator 4 (Suspension/Expulsion): incidents of discipline in excess of 10 days among students with disabilities across different races/ethnicities Indicator 9 (Disproportionate Representation): comparison of race/ethnicities of students with disabilities to races/ethnicities of students without disabilities Indicator 10 (Disproportionate Representation in Specific Disability Categories): review of different disability categories, compared against race/ethnicities of students	Chris Brown, ADE Heather Dunphy, ADE
11:45 AM		Lunch	
12:15 PM	II, DI	Special Education Funding Overview	Alissa Trollinger, ADE Chris Brown, ADE
12:45 PM	RT, II	ADE Updates	Alissa Trollinger, ADE
1:00 PM	RT, AI	Wrap Up Approval of 2023-2024 Calendar Review of Meeting Outcomes	SEAP Co-Chairs
1:30 PM	RT, AI	Adjourn	SEAP Co-Chairs

Next Regularly Scheduled Meeting: June 13, 2023

Location: 1400 W Washington St, Phoenix, AZ 85007 / Zoom