



Special Education Advisory Council (SEAC)

Agenda

Nov 20, 2024

5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

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Meeting Outcomes

- Introduction of SEAC members
- Review iReady Diagnostics
- IEP Instructional Plans & Program Services Overview
- Overview of the High School Application Process in New Orleans

Meeting Norms

- Maintain a safe environment to ask questions, say difficult things, and challenge each other's thinking
- Respect each other
- Intellectually engage in all activities without dominating
- Listen to understand
- Stay focused
- Start and end meeting on time
- Use electronic devices as appropriate
- Use the "raise hand" feature on Zoom to be acknowledged

Agenda Items	Time	Notes
Call to Order	1 min	Ms. Jones called the meeting to order at 5:30.
Meeting Norms Procedures for Public Comment Procedures for SEAC Member Comment	2 min	Ms. Jones reviewed the meeting norms.
Introduction of the 2024-2025 SEAC Members	5 min	Each individual introduced themselves and shared their student's name and school of attendance.
Introduction of ReNEW Schools Team Members	5 min	Each member introduced themselves.
Purpose of the SEAC	5 min	Ms. Jones set the purpose of the meeting and provided a place for parents to give suggestions and feedback regarding special education services at ReNEW. Ms. Jones gave a



		brief overview of the format of the meetings. Floor was open for comments/questions. No comments made.
Presentation 1: iReady Diagnostics by Shantea Pierce, Director of Intervention	15	<p>Ms. Pierce, Director of Interventions, introduced interventions as a network priority. She informed participants that the next round of diagnostics (MOY) starts Dec. 2nd. She shared the attached presentation with participants giving an overview of iReady diagnostics and shared ideas of how parents can support their students such as reminding students to do their best, not to rush, check their work, and read carefully.</p> <p>Floor was open for questions/comments- No questions.</p>
Presentation 2: Diving Into IEPs: Instructional Plans & Program Services by Karlette Jones, Director of Special Education Compliance	15 min	<p>Ms. Jones shared the attached presentation giving participants an overview of IEPs focusing on instructional plans and program services.</p> <p>Floor was open for questions. No questions.</p>
Presentation 3: Navigating the High School Application Process in New Orleans - 2024-2025 by Carroll Feiling, Director of Pupil Appraisal & Mental Health	15 min	<p>Ms. Feiling reviewed the NOLA PS High School application process NCAP. She shared that the Main Round is now open for K-12.</p> <p>She also reviewed additional steps for schools with special requirements. She included tips for parents navigating the application process.</p> <p>She shared that the early Childhood Application opens Jan 6th.</p>
Questions	5 min	<p>No questions.</p> <p>Parents were asked to give input for future topics. No specific future topics requested at this time. Ms. Carter</p>



		noted that tonight's meeting was very informative.
SEAC Future Meeting Dates	2 min	January 29, 2025 5:30-6:30PM March 26, 2024 5:30-6:30PM April 23, 2025 5:30-6:30PM
Adjournment	1 min	Ms. Jones adjointed the meeting at 6:23PM