

Date: October 15, 2025	Time: 4:30-5:30	Location: Virtual
Meeting Topic: School Updates	Special Education Advisory Council Meeting, School updates, changes within school administration Q&A Forum	
Participants:	Committee Members: Chairman, Parents, Educator	

Agenda				
Topic	Facilitator	Process	Discussion	Action/Outcome
Welcome & Opening Remarks	Chairman	Sharing		
Open Discussion	Chairman	Discussion		
New Topic: Increase in behaviors for younger people. Students, students coming in unidentified. We talked about more hands on instruction in Special Education Classroom.	Chairman	Sharing & Discussion	The Committee discussed the number of behaviors coming into school at young ages. Additional services that could be provided to these students. Some students came with no IEPs. Hands on and center-based activities in the special education classrooms, to engage in student learning.	Dean informed team that an order for has been placed and completed and will be in next week.
Connection Activity: Gathering ideas/ looking up activities	Chairman/ Educator	Sharing & Discussion	The committee sat down and viewed ideas and videos on how center rotations work to help our demographic of students.	We will review progress at our next meeting.
Adjourn & Next Meeting	Chairman	Sharing	Next meeting will be in January 12, 2024	

Date: 5/7/ 2026	Time: 4:30-5:30	Location: Virtual
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Connection Activity: Gathering ideas/ looking up activities	Chairman/ Educator	Sharing & Discussion	The committee sat down and discussed school year's progress with the special education department for the school year. We reviewed data, looked at trends of growth and declined data.	We will review progress at our next meeting.
Adjourn & Next Meeting	Chairman	Sharing	Next meeting will be in September of 2026	

Date: 1/12/2026	Time: 4:30-5:30	Location: Virtual
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Connection Activity: Gathering ideas/ looking up activities	Chairman/ Educator	Sharing & Discussion	The committee sat down and researched some possible free online trainings and agreed to look after the meeting	We will discuss our findings
Adjourn & Next Meeting	Chairman	Sharing	Next meeting will be in May 2026	