

Early Learning Advisory Council (ELAC) Meeting Agenda

August 10, 2015 – 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Lacey Community Center

PURPOSE	COMMUNITY AGREEMENTS
<p>To build a comprehensive system of early learning services, ELAC will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advise DEL, and as requested the Washington Early Learning Partnership Commit to open dialogue to bring up timely issues and diverse priorities Deliberate and influence state/local policies and programs Actively engage to support state/local connections 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose to be present and engaged as a representative of your constituencies. Listen actively to understand and be open to all voices, perspectives and outcomes. Tell the truth and assume good intentions. Be willing to have brave and sometimes messy conversations. Respect different learning, engagement and communication styles.

Time	Activity	Early Learning Plan Strategy
8:30-9:00	Check-In, Coffee and Refreshments	
9:00-9:30 <i>UQ*</i>	Welcome & Feedback Loop Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parent Advisory Group Birth-3 Subcommittee 	
9:30-9:45 <i>UQ</i>	Q&A on State Agency/Partner, Coalition Updates	
9:45-10:15 <i>UQ & D</i>	Advancing Racial Equity <u>Description:</u> ELAC will discuss and consider adopting the Racial Equity work group's recommendations for ELAC's implementation plan.	
10:15-10:25	BREAK	
10:25-12:10 <i>P, UQ & RD</i>	Early Start Act (ESA) Child Care Development Fund (45 minutes) <u>Description:</u> ELAC will provide input on the CCDF Plan and how to implement the new requirements of the CCDBG Act of 2014. ESA Overview (40 minutes) <u>Description:</u> ELAC will receive an overview of the ESA and ELAC's role in implementing the law, including the Early Achievers Review Subcommittee and ESA Annual Report. Early Achievers Review Subcommittee (20 minutes) <u>Description:</u> ELAC will provide guidance on establishing the Early Achievers Review subcommittee.	<p>Children (#4) Parents, Families & Caregivers (#14, 15, 17, 20, 21) Professionals (#22, 23, 24, 25) Schools (#26) Systems & Communities (#31, 32, 33, 34)</p>
12:10-12:45 <i>DN</i>	LUNCH	

12:45-2:45 RD	<p>Early Start Act Continued Early Achievers (90 minutes) <u>Description:</u> ELAC will learn about how Early Achievers implementation is going across the state and recommend possible solutions to current challenges.</p> <p>2016 DEL Request Legislation (30 minutes) <u>Description:</u> ELAC will discuss the 2015 legislative session and provide feedback and guidance in shaping the 2016 DEL legislative agenda.</p>	<p>Children (#4) Parents, Families & Caregivers (#14, 15, 17, 20, 21) Professionals (#22, 23, 24, 25) Schools (#26) Systems & Communities (#31, 32, 33, 34)</p>
2:45-3:30 RD	<p>2016 ELAC Work Plan <u>Description:</u> ELAC will generate ideas on topics to provide guidance, take action and receive updates and briefings on for the 2016 Work Plan.</p>	
3:30	Meeting Follow Up/Closing Remarks/Adjourn	

*P=Presentation UQ=Update and Questions RD=Request for Recommendations and Discussion D=Discussion N=Networking

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