



Success, Achievement, Together . . . for All Students

Polk Local Interagency Coordinating Council

Minutes

October 16, 2019

Present: Robin Simmons, Cheryl Cisneros, Jennifer McMullen

Welcome

- Introductions
- Community updates
- LICC Goals

Program Evaluation

- WESD is conducting a program evaluation of ECSE to gather feedback on how to improve
- Feedback will come from surveys and focus groups from community partners, stakeholders, districts, staff and parents
- Recommendations will be made on how to best utilize funding for ECSE
- WESD hired a Bilingual Family Support Advocate with social work experience. They will work with community partners to support families in all counties.
- Program Evaluation to be completed by next spring

ECSE Updates

- Hiring new SLP to serve as Yamhill and Polk speech group teacher
- Short staffed on SLP support at the moment
- Hoping to see what additional positions we can have once we have estimate on additional funding

Parent Involvement

- Have not had consistent parent involvement at Polk or Yamhill LICC meetings
- Consider creating a flyer to promote LICC meetings to families
- Offer childcare to parents attending

Next Meeting: January 15