



Ascension Special Education Advisory Council

October 25, 2023 AGENDA

6:00 p.m.

In-PERSON Meeting:

LeBlanc Special Services

611 N. Burnside Avenue

Gonzales, LA 70737

VIRTUAL Option:

[Join Zoom Meeting](#)

Location:

<https://apsb.zoom.us/j/82278583551?pwd=TnFtNWw5N3lweIVkaXMwNF1b0t0dz09>

The Ascension Special Education Advisory Council (Ascension SEAC) is an opportunity for parents, district staff, and community stakeholders to provide advice and feedback regarding special education policies, procedures, and resources. The members of Ascension SEAC shall engage in outreach activities in the community to increase the level of knowledge, support, and collaboration in regard to special education. The council will consist of at least eight members, 2 shall be parents of a child who receives special education services, one shall be an Ascension Parish Principal, Teacher or Paraprofessional, and one shall be a special education stakeholder. Each member will be appointed for a one school year term and will act as an advisory council to the superintendent and/or the school board. The Ascension SEAC will meet three times per school year.

Please NOTE that SEAC meetings are conducted similar to board meetings. Council members discuss agenda items and make recommendations. Robert's Rules of Order are followed. Attendees can make public comment on agenda items by making a request at the start of the meeting.

SEAC Members:

1. Savannah Veron -parent
2. Darla Capello - parent
3. Nathalia Dickson - parent
4. Adrienne Kelly - parent
5. Raven LaBiche - community stakeholder
6. Jodie Landry - parent

7. Kheri Monks - parent
8. Jacqueline Paige - Special Education Teacher
9. Iesha Sims - parent
10. Lakeshia Taylor - parent

Chair: Lynn Hathaway, Director of Special Education

- Call to Order
- Roll Call
- Public comment procedures
- SEAC Purpose & Process
- Robert's Rules of Order

OLD Business -

- 1. a. Approval of minutes from August 23, 2023 SEAC meeting

NEW Business -

- - District Agenda Items -
 - 2.a. Parent Resource Fair
 - 2.b. By-laws for SEAC

- - Parent Agenda Items -
 - ◆ 3.a. Focus Areas for 2023-24 - Inclusive opportunities for students, April Dunn, Transition, Jumpstart Opportunities, literacy screeners (DIBELS), social connections & concerns, curriculum(Unique), interdiction tutorship, additional resources for parents

Next APS SEAC Meetings: Wednesday, December 13, 2023 at 12:00 p.m. (NOON)

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2023-24 SEAC Meeting Dates:

August 23, 2023 @ NOON
October 25, 2023 @ 6:00 p.m.
December 13, 2023 @ NOON
February 21, 2024 @ 6:00 p.m.
April 24, 2024 @ NOON
June 26, 2023 @ 6:00p.m.