

Notice is hereby given that the Advisory Council on the Education of Gifted and Talented Children will conduct a meeting at 10:00 am Central Time on Tuesday, December 2, 2014 at the Jefferson State Office Building, Commissioner's Conference Room, 6th floor, 205 Jefferson Street, Jefferson City, MO 65101.

The tentative agenda of this meeting includes (list topics):

AGENDA

I. Call to Order

- Approval of the Agenda
- Approval of Minutes – October 16, 2014
- Chair Comments – Opening on Council, GAMbit (Patty), Lunch & Learn, Other

II. Public Comment

III. Updates

- DESE
- Legislation
- GAM – results from conference session

IV. Action Items - None

V. Old Business – Application now online

VI. Study Items

- Report timeline – optional sequences
- Statewide data – progress, annual cycle for reporting of data to Council
- Recommendations/Rationales
 - Enable online access to State-approved program descriptions (Sally)
 - Eliminate practice of counting AP/IB as gifted services (Beth)
 - Prepare state guidelines for identification of underrepresented gifted students
 - students in poverty (Steve)
 - twice exceptional students (Sally)
 - Acceleration policy adopted by districts (Steve)
 - Require training on gifted
 - Pre-service coursework on gifted education (Lenae & Robin)
 - Professional development for school personnel (Lenae & Robin)
 - Mandate gifted identification and services (Beth)
 - Earmark funding for gifted education (Beth)
- Key Discussion Questions:
 - What does implementation of each recommendation involve?
 - What additional work is needed to ensure success of each recommendation?

VII. Lunch & Learn

- Article Review - Robin

VIII. Study Items (continued)

IX. Planning Upcoming Meeting(s)

- Dates – January 13 (20), February 24 (not 25 for GEW), April 21
- Next Meeting Topics

X. Adjournment