



Indiana Department of Education

Dr. Katie Jenner, Secretary of Education

Agenda

Indiana State Advisory Council on the Education of Children with Disabilities

<http://www.doe.in.gov/specialed/state-advisory-council>

Friday, December 19, 2025

Central Indiana Educational Service Center, Horizon Room- P2

3500 Depaw Blvd, Indianapolis, IN 46268

9:30 A.M. Eastern Time

YouTube Link: <https://youtube.com/live/xmYkuhqKtJ0?feature=share>

Meeting Agenda

- A. Call to Order
 - a. Welcome and Opening Remarks
- B. Action Items:
 - a.
- C. Informational Items:
 - a. IC 5-14-1.5-3.5: Public meeting statute
 - b. Reimbursement for SAC-related expenses
 - c. Dr. Penny Gregory: NEW State Personnel Development Grant- SPDG
 - d. 1% Waiver Extension Request
- D. Discussion Items:
 - a.
- E. Public Comments
- F. Date of next SAC meeting and important reminders:
 - a. Next SAC Meeting: March 20, 2026
 - b. Upcoming SAC meeting dates and approved meeting summaries can be found at:
<https://www.in.gov/doe/students/special-education/state-advisory-council/>
 - c. Sign up for Dr. Jenner's Weekly Email:
https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/INDOE/subscriber/new?qsp=INDOE_1 and view past newsletters:
<https://www.in.gov/doe/about/news/newsletters/>
 - d. Sign up for the Office of Special Education newsletter by using the sign up box in the upper right hand corner of the June newsletter:
<https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/INDOE/bulletins/3a39f13> and view past newsletters: <https://www.in.gov/doe/newsletters/>
- G. Adjourn

Council Members

Name	Role	Appointment Dates
Dr. Dawn McGrath, INSource (PTI)	Parent	11/8/24-11/7/28
Paloma Garza, parent	Parent	10/30/22-10/31/26
Donald Koors, Indiana School for the Blind School Board	Indiana School for the Blind Representative/ Individual with disabilities	No term limit
Michelle Robinson, Assistant Director-MSD of Lawrence Township	Local education official	12/30/22-12/31/26
Dr. Nancy Holsapple, State Director of Special Education	State education official/ Secretary	No term limit
Patricia Hartman, Director of Special Education Southwest Allen County Schools	Administrator of a program for children with disabilities	7/1/25-7/1/29
Kristi Linson, Children's Special Health Care Services	Commissioner of the Indiana Department of Health designee	No term limit
Jonathan Kraeszig, Vocational Rehabilitation Services	Disability and Rehabilitative Services designee	No term limit
Bethany Goetz, Division of Mental Health & Addiction	Division of Mental Health & Addiction Representative	No term limit
David Reed/Alicia Cooper	Department of Child Services designee	No term limit
Sarah Watson, Archdiocese of Indianapolis	Non-Public Representative	7/1/25-7/1/29

Katie Bustamante, VP of Education- Goodwill of Central and Southern Indiana	Representative of vocational, community, or business organizations concerned with the provision of transitional services	10/15/25-10/15/29
Kim Dodson, Arc of Indiana	Chair/ Arc Representative	No term limit
Christopher Stillwell, Indiana Department of Corrections	Department of Corrections Representative	No term limit
Lucy Witte, Indiana School for the Deaf School Board	Indiana School for the Deaf Representative	No term limit

State advisory council members are appointed by the state superintendent.