

KANSAS EARLY CHILDHOOD RECOMMENDATIONS PANEL

Meeting Agenda

Friday, October 15, 2021 | 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.



This meeting will be livestreamed [on YouTube](#). To view the meeting materials, visit the Children's Cabinet website: kschildrencabinet.org/panel-meetings

AGENDA

8:40 a.m.

(Optional) Virtual coffee chat

Panel members can join the meeting Zoom at 8:40 to connect informally and build relationships with fellow Panel members. Panel members will not discuss Panel business during this time.

9:00 a.m.

- 1. Welcome / Introduction of new member, Kate Roggenbaum**
- 2. Approval of the October agenda**
- 3. Approval of the September minutes**
- 4. Kansans' Open Forum**

Kansans may email Debbie Deere (ddeere@ksde.org) by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 14, to share written comments or to sign up to share verbal comments with the Panel during this time.

- Each speaker will be allowed to speak for 3 minutes.*
- Panel members may ask clarifying questions of the person making the presentation.*
- Information may be submitted to the Panel in written and electronic form to be included in the meeting minutes.*

9:05 a.m.

- 5. Follow up discussion from the October 1st Children's Cabinet Meeting**

Get feedback from Panel members on their use of the [Kindergarten Transitions Toolkit](#).

Discussion on what targeted work they are doing in this area, and share success stories and highlights.

9:15 a.m.

- 6. Making Panel recommendations / Discussion**

A review of the process for making Panel recommendations (as outlined in the [Panel Role, Norms, and Procedures](#)), and discussion on how that can help the current work groups as they develop their next steps.

9:25 a.m.

7. Member poll

Members will respond to a poll for the purpose of providing feedback on the current meeting and work group format. Discussion to follow as needed.

9:30 a.m.

8. Work Group breakout sessions

The Panel will divide into three Work Groups:

- *Work Group 1: Child Care Recruitment & Retention*
- *Work Group 2: Family Partnerships*
- *Work Group 3: Quality & Environments*

10:00 a.m.

Break (10 minutes)

10:10 a.m.

Work Groups resume

10:50 a.m.

9. Work Group reports

10. Future agenda items

11. Bright spots

Panel members can share bright spots and updates at this time.

12. Upcoming meetings (all meetings scheduled via Zoom)

Early Childhood Recommendations Panel meeting - Friday, November 17, 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.

- *Third Fridays of the month, beginning at 9:00 a.m.*
- *All scheduled meetings will be posted at kschildrenscabinet.org/panel-meetings/*

Children's Cabinet and Trust Fund meeting - Friday, December 3, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Early Childhood Stakeholders meeting - Friday, December 3, 1:30 - 3:00 p.m.

11:20 a.m.

13. Adjourn