

School Readiness Council Meeting AGENDA

Tuesday, March 12, 2019 (9:30 AM – 10:30 AM) Raymond Library, 840 Main St. East Hartford

Mission

To promote high-quality inclusive school readiness pre-kindergarten programs, thus increasing all children's chances of achieving future educational success and becoming productive members of society.

Vision Children First

To ensure a comprehensive and integrated early learning system for all families and their children, birth to 5 years, ensuring high-quality programs so children enter school ready to learn and succeed in life.

Agenda Item	Quality Components / Collaborations
Welcome	
Review and Approval of previous meetings' minutes	
Introductions	
Eat and Educate WORK SESSION- March 19 BRING YOUR DOTS DATA COLLECTION	• Develop a plan for professional development for staff
EH SR QE RFP	 Supporting and engaging families Meeting the needs of all children – social emotional development Language and literacy
East Hartford School Readiness Residency policy VOTE	• Develop admission policies that promote enrollment of children from different racial, ethnic and economic backgrounds and from other communities;
Communication with families and community – Nancy Testa will demonstrate how to navigate the EH SR webpage	• Encourage family involvement, parenting education and outreach;
PreK to K transition & parent information update	 Encourage family involvement, parenting education and outreach; Develop a transition plan for children moving from the School Readiness program to kindergarten. This includes provisions for the transfer of records from the program to the kindergarten program;
School Readiness RFP update review of document readers	 Public Notice issued last week Deadlines for Community RFPs APRIL 1, 2019 RFPs will be sent immediately to READERS/Scorers

timelines	 ALL RFPs will have been read and scored by 3 readers each by the April 16 meeting Council will need to make decisions on funding and final EH RFP can be approved by the Council and summitted to OEC by deadline 5/17
NEXT EHSR Council meeting	March 12 Conference room 1
NEW DATES due to RFP deadlines	April 16 Conference room 2A
	May 7 Conference room 1

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