



PreKindergarten Education Implementation Committee – Program Quality Considerations Workgroup Meeting

March 18, 2024, 12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

AGENDA

Location:

Microsoft Teams Virtual Meeting

Call In: 1-802-552-8456

Conference ID: 415 704 886#

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Workgroup Members:

- Morgan Crossman, Building Bright Futures
- Korinne Harvey, family representative
- Sharron Harrington, VT Association for the Education of Young Children
- Erica McLaughlin, Vermont Principals' Association
- Theresa Pollner, Vermont Curriculum Leaders Association
- Sheila Quenneville, representative of a prequalified private provider
- Pam Reed, Vermont Council of Special Education Administrators
- Molly Loomis, Facilitator

Agenda:

11:00 a.m.: Welcome, Roll Call, Approval of Agenda, Approval of [Minutes from 2/23/24](#)

11:05 a.m.: Warm up

11:20 a.m.: Best Practices in Program Quality

- Janet McLaughlin, Deputy Commissioner, Child Development Division, Vermont Department for Children & Families
- Meg Porcella, Director, Student Support Services Division, Vermont Agency of Education
- Lori Connors-Tadros, Senior Research Fellow, National Institute for Early Education Research (NIEER)

12:05 p.m.: Workgroup Planning

- Next steps for Consideration 1: Benchmarks and best practices to ensure high quality prek education
- Prepare for Consideration 2: Recommendations for the oversight of the prek system
- Workgroup Commitments

12:20 p.m.: Public to be Heard

12:30 p.m.: Adjourn