

Rhode Island Early Learning Council Meeting

Wednesday, December 11, 2019

9:00 am – 11:00 am

Save The Bay, 100 Save the Bay Drive, Providence, RI

Agenda

Time	Agenda Item:	
9:00-9:15	Welcome, Opening Remarks, & Introductions	Angélica Infante-Green, RIDE Courtney Hawkins, DHS Elizabeth Burke Bryant, Rhode Island KIDS COUNT
9:15 – 9:30	Policy & Program Update: College credits in early childhood education for Spanish speakers	Leslie Sevey & Susan Zoll, Rhode Island College
9:30 – 9:50	Infant/Toddler Educator Compensation Task Force Report <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Discuss & review recommendations• Request endorsement by Council	Leanne Barrett, Rhode Island KIDS COUNT Lisa Hildebrand Rhode Island Association for the Education of Young Children
9:50 – 10:20	Discussion/Input Requested: Rhode Island Early Learning and Development Standards Review <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Opportunity to provide input on standards• Identify additional groups to gather input from	Lisa Nugent, RIDE
10:20 – 10:50	Policy & Program Updates: Department of Human Services Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Prenatal to 5 System Action Plan• ECEDS/Exceed• Child care licensing• Head Start Collaboration Office	Caitlin Molina, DHS Sam Saltz, DHS Allison Comport, DHS Nicole Chiello, DHS
10:50 – 10:55	Early Learning Council Membership Updates	Cara Harrison
10:55 – 11:00	Announcements, Public Comment & Next Steps	Elizabeth Burke Bryant Courtney Hawkins Angélica Infante-Green

Future Early Learning Council Meetings:

- Tuesday, March 31, 2020, 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. at Save the Bay
- Tuesday, June 23, 2020, 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at Save the Bay
- Wednesday, September 30, 2020, 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at Save the Bay
- Wednesday, December 9, 2020, 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at Save the Bay

See www.earlylearningri.org for meeting handouts, notes, state reports, and Early Learning Advisory Plan, 2016-2020