

AGENDA
House K-12 and Vocational/Technical Institutions Permanent Subcommittee of Education

Monday, March 14, 2016
10:00 AM
Room 138, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Rep. Charlotte V. Douglas, Chair
Rep. Mark D. McElroy, Vice-Chair
Rep. Reginald Murdock
Rep. Gary Deffenbaugh

Rep. Justin T. Harris
Rep. Warwick Sabin
Rep. Sheilla E. Lampkin, ex-officio
Rep. Bruce Cozart, ex-officio

- A. Call to Order – 10:00 A.M.
- B. Remarks by the Chair and Vice Chair
- C. Approval of the Minutes of the September 15, 2015 Meeting [**Exhibit C**]
- D. Discussion of Development of an Omnibus Bill to Review Arkansas’s Public Education Statutes
Mr. David Wooley, Superintendent, Alma School District
Mr. Ed Thicksten, Former Member, Arkansas House of Representatives
- E. Update on the Implementation of Next Generation Science Standards
Ms. Michele Snyder, Science Specialist for Curriculum and Instruction, Division of Learning Services, Arkansas Department of Education
- F. Discussion of School-Based Behavioral Health Services
Ms. Rene Foster, Principal, Westwood Elementary School, Greenwood School District
Dr. Betsy Kindall, School-Based Mental Health Specialist, OUR Education Service Cooperative, Arkansas Department of Education
- G. Update on Issues Related to Alternative Learning Environments (ALEs)
Ms. Lori Lamb, Alternative Education Director, Division of Learning Services, Arkansas Department of Education
- H. Initial Discussion of Social Emotional Learning (SEL) and its Implementation in the State’s Public Schools
- I. Other Business
- J. Adjournment

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