

# Gifted Advisory Council Meeting Agenda

State Library of Ohio

Oct. 2, 2024, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Time	Agenda Item	Presenters
9:00-9:30 a.m.	<b>New Member Orientation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Council Purpose</li> <li>• Council Overview and History                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Gifted Education in Ohio</li> <li>○ State Plan</li> <li>○ Workgroups</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<b>Sherry Birchem</b> <i>Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i> <b>Maria Lohr</b> <i>Assistant Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i> <b>Maggie Gunnerson</b> <i>Gifted Advisory Council Chair</i> <b>TK Kuykendall</b> <i>Gifted Advisory Council Chair-elect</i> <b>Deborah Glynn</b> <i>Gifted Advisory Council Past Chair</i> <b>Abbie Sigmon</b> <i>Executive Director, Ohio Association for Gifted Children</i>
9:40-10:00 a.m.	<b>Call to Order</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductions</li> <li>• Roll Call</li> <li>• Overview and Reminders                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Meeting Norms</li> <li>○ Member Expectations</li> <li>○ Andrea Open Office Hours</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Approve April Minutes</li> </ul>	<b>Sherry Birchem</b> <i>Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i> <b>Maria Lohr</b> <i>Assistant Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i> <b>Maggie Gunnerson</b> <i>Gifted Advisory Council Chair</i> <b>TK Kuykendall</b> <i>Gifted Advisory Council Chair-elect</i>
10:00-10:30 a.m.	<b>State Priorities</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bylaws</li> <li>• Gifted Rule Updates</li> <li>• State Plan Progress                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Stakeholder Survey Preliminary Data</li> <li>○ Plan Outline</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<b>Sherry Birchem</b> <i>Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i> <b>Maria Lohr</b> <i>Assistant Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i>
10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	<b>Vision Setting</b> <i>Activity: What is the vision for Gifted Education in Ohio?</i>	<b>Teresa Castellaneta</b> <i>Assistant Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i> <b>Maria Lohr</b> <i>Assistant Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i>
12:00 a.m.-1:15 p.m.	<b>Lunch On Your Own</b>	

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<b>1:15-1:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Vision Setting, Cont.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vision Setting Wrap-Up</li> </ul>	<b>Teresa Castellaneta</b> <i>Assistant Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i> <b>Maria Lohr</b> <i>Assistant Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i>
<b>1:30-3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Workgroup Next Steps</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Checklist Overview</li> <li>Work Time</li> </ul>	<b>Maria Lohr</b> <i>Assistant Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i> <b>Megan Vermillion</b> <i>Education Program Specialist, Office of Academic Success</i> <b>Michael Demczyk</b> <i>Education Program Specialist, Office of Academic Success</i> <b>Jeffrey Shoemaker</b> <i>Education Program Specialist, Office of Academic Success</i>
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Debrief, Next Steps, Closing Comments</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Next Meeting Date: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dec. 11</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <b>Adjourn</b>	<b>Sherry Birchem,</b> <i>Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i> <b>Maria Lohr</b> <i>Assistant Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i> <b>Andrea Mallory</b> <i>Program Administrator, Office of Academic Success</i> <b>Maggie Gunnerson</b> <i>Gifted Advisory Council Chair</i>

**Council Purpose:**

Gifted Advisory Council:

The Director of the Department of Education and Workforce shall establish a gifted advisory council.

The council shall:

- (1) Represent a variety of stakeholders from diverse regions of the state, including parents, general and gifted educators, administrators and others as determined by the Director;
- (2) Assist in the development and updating of a department-approved plan for gifted education in Ohio;
- (3) Advise on policy recommendations;
- (4) Serve as advisors in establishing criteria for review of proposals to implement innovative gifted services; and
- (5) Establish criteria for identifying and recognizing schools, districts, and other educational providers

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