

Gifted Advisory Council Meeting

Ohio Department of Education and Workforce

Feb. 19, 2025

9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Agenda

I. Call to Order (9-9:45 a.m.)

Facilitators: Sherry Birchem, Maria Lohr, Maggie Gunnerson, TK Kuykendall

- Welcome
- Roll Call
- Reminders
- Meeting Norms
- Approve Dec. Minutes
- Connection Before Content

II. Department Updates (9:45-10 a.m.)

Facilitators: Sherry Birchem, Maria Lohr

- Gifted Plan Progress

III. Whole Group Discussion (10-11 a.m.)

Facilitators: Sherry Birchem, Maria Lohr, Megan Vermillion, Jeffrey Shoemaker, Michael Demczyk

- Vision Statement
- Theory of Action

IV. Breakout Workgroups (11 a.m.-Noon)

Facilitators: Megan Vermillion, Jeffrey Shoemaker, Michael Demczyk

- Workgroup Tasks

V. LUNCH (Noon-1:15 p.m.)

VI. Breakout Workgroups, Continued (1:15-2:45 p.m.)

Facilitators: Megan Vermillion, Jeffrey Shoemaker, Michael Demczyk

- Continue Workgroup Tasks

VII. Debrief, Next Steps, and Closing Comments (2:45-3 p.m.)

Facilitators: Sherry Birchem, Maria Lohr, Maggie Gunnerson

- Next meeting: April 30, 2025
- Adjourn