

**State Advisory Panel for Exceptional Children (SAPEC)  
March 25, 2021  
Virtual Meeting**

**Agenda**

	<p><b>Virtual Meeting Protocol</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For attendance, type your name (last name, first name) in the chat box when you enter the meeting.</li> <li>• Microphones will be muted by the moderator.</li> <li>• You may type your question in the chat box or click the “hand” icon to raise your hand.</li> <li>• Please state your name before sharing your comments and wait until the speaker has completed their comments.</li> <li>• Please turn off your camera if you are not speaking.</li> </ul>	
9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	<p align="center"><b>Call to Order</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction</li> <li>• Welcome and acknowledgements</li> </ul>	<p align="center">Jo Hannah Ward, Director <i>Office for Exceptional Children</i></p> <p align="center">Paolo DeMaria, Superintendent <i>Ohio Department of Education</i></p>
9:30 a.m. – 9:40 a.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Roll Call</li> <li>• Acknowledge guests and review their responsibilities.</li> </ul>	<p align="center">Ron Rogers, <i>SAPEC Chairperson</i></p> <p align="center">Sandy Kaufman, <i>Education Program Specialist, Office for Exceptional Children</i></p>
9:40 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.	<p align="center"><b>Panel Business</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Approval of SAPEC Meeting Minutes – February 18, 2021</li> <li>• Public Comments and Unmet needs<sup>3</sup></li> </ul>	<p align="center">Ron Rogers, <i>SAPEC Chairperson</i></p>
9:50 a.m. – 10:05a.m.	<p><b>Office for Early Learning and School Readiness</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ELSR Town Hall</li> <li>• InspirED</li> <li>• Learning Aid Ohio</li> <li>• Data Insights: How the Pandemic is Affecting the 2020-2021 School Year</li> </ul>	<p align="center">Ron Rogers, <i>SAPEC Chairperson</i></p> <p align="center">Jody Beall, Assistant Director <i>Office for Early Learning and School Readiness</i></p>
10:05 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	<p align="center"><b>SAPEC Learning or Information Items<sup>1</sup></b></p> <p align="center"><b>Surrogate Parent Professional Learning Modules</b> ODE staff will briefly review purpose, objectives, expected outcomes of the modules.</p>	<p align="center">Monica Drvota, Associate Director, <i>Office for Exceptional Children</i></p> <p align="center">Heidi Kleinman, Assistant Director, <i>Office for Exceptional Children</i></p>

10:15 a.m. – 11:05 a.m.	<p align="center"><b>Breakout Discussions</b></p> <p>SAPEC members will review the modules, answer the guiding questions and share questions or concerns that were discussed.</p>	OEC staff Facilitators
11:05 a.m.– 11:15 a.m.	<b>Break</b>	
11:15 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.	<p align="center"><b>Group Sharing</b></p> <p>Each group will share highlights of the small group discussion and identify questions.</p>	<p align="center">Monica Drvota, <i>Associate Director,</i> <i>Office for Exceptional Children</i></p> <p align="center">Heidi Kleinman, <i>Assistant Director,</i> <i>Office for Exceptional Children</i></p>
11:25 a.m.– 11:55 a.m.	<p><b>Office for Exceptional Children Updates</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Operating Standards for the Education of Children with Disabilities update</li> <li>• Each Child Means Each Child update</li> <li>• Fiscal Updates</li> </ul>	<p align="center">Ron Rogers, <i>SAPEC Chairperson</i></p> <p align="center">Monica Drvota, <i>Associate Director,</i> <i>Office for Exceptional Children</i></p> <p align="center">Sarah James, <i>Assistant Director,</i> <i>Office for Exceptional Children</i></p>
11:55 a.m. – 12:55 p.m.	<p align="center"><b>SAPEC Learning<sup>2</sup></b></p> <p align="center"><b>Indicator 8 Special Education Family Survey and Target Setting</b></p> <p>OEC staff will provide an overview of Indicator 8, expectations for setting new target and the timeline for these recommendations.</p>	<p align="center">Ron Rogers, <i>SAPEC Chairperson</i></p> <p align="center">Center on Education and Training for Employment; Ohio Statewide Family Engagement Center <i>The Ohio State University</i></p> <p align="center">Kara Waldron, <i>Program Administrator,</i> <i>Office for Exceptional Children</i></p>
12:55 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	<p align="center"><b>Closing Comments</b> <b>Motion to Adjourn</b></p> <p>Complete and submit meeting evaluation, including agency announcements or updates.</p> <p align="center"><a href="#"><u>SAPEC Meeting Evaluation</u></a></p> <p align="center"><b>Next SAPEC Meeting: May 6, 2021</b></p>	<p align="center">Ron Rogers, <i>SAPEC Chairperson</i></p> <p align="center">Monica Drvota, <i>Associate Director,</i> <i>Office for Exceptional Children</i></p>

<sup>1</sup> Information sharing and discussion of background information on new issues presented by OEC staff and/or other resource persons.

<sup>2</sup> Presentation of items introduced during a previous meeting that require action by SAPEC members.

<sup>3</sup> Informal discussion where SAPEC members identify and present “unmet needs and emerging issues” for discussion during SAPEC meetings.