 SEAC

# Special Education Advisory Council

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# NOTICE OF MEETING

**Special Education Advisory Council (SEAC) Meeting**

March 8, 2024 \* 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

AGENDA

The Special Education Advisory Council will be meeting virtually using interactive conference technology. The public is welcome to participate as follows:

Participate Virtually via Zoom  
Click on the link below or copy and paste it into your browser window:

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Public In-Person Meeting Location   
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Public Testimony/Input from the Public

Written Testimony/comments - To ensure the public as well as SEAC members receive testimony in a timely manner, written testimony/ comments should be submitted 24 hours prior to the scheduled meeting date and time. Any written testimony/comments submitted after this time cannot be guaranteed to be distributed in time for the meeting.

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*Mandated by the* ***Individuals with Disabilities Education Act***

**AGENDA**

9:00 a.m. A. Call to Order/Welcome/Introductions

9:10 a.m. B. Input from the Public

9:25 a.m. C. Announcements

9:35 a.m. D. Discussion on Graduation and Drop Out Rates (APR Indicators 1 & 2) by   
 Lori Morimoto from the Monitoring and Compliance Branch and Casey   
 Agena from the Office of Curriculum and Instructional Design  
 *The focus of discussion includes new data for the FFY 2023 SPP/APR  
 and initiatives to improve graduation rates and decrease dropout rates.*

10:35 a.m. E. Updates from Maui by Helen Kaniho, Exceptional Support Branch  
 *The updates will include the opening of the new King Kamehameha III   
 campus, public access to school emergency action plans, the status of the   
 ESSA waiver request to forgo posting assessment data for Maui schools for   
 one year and the delivery of related services to Maui students.*

10:45 a.m. F. Feedback on Questions Raised at February Agenda Setting by Helen Kaniho

1. Information sharing procedures when students transfer from one public school to another
2. Digital access permissions for confidential student records

10:55 a.m. G. Legislative Update by SEAC Legislative Committee

11:10 a.m. H. Review of Draft Minutes for the February 9, 2024 Meeting\*

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11:20 a.m. I. Agenda Setting for the April 12, 2024 Meeting\*

11:30 a.m. J. Work Groups for Infographics and SEAC Video on Positions and Interests

12:00 p.m. K. Adjournment

\*Action Required

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