



PreKindergarten Education Implementation Committee

October 24, 2023, 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

AGENDA

Location:

Microsoft Teams Virtual Meeting

Call In: 1-802-552-8456

Conference ID: 852 995 676#

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Per [Act 76, Section 2\(a\)](#), a PreKindergarten Education Implementation Committee is created. The purpose is to assist the AOE in improving and expanding accessible, affordable, and high-quality prekindergarten education for children on a full-day basis on or before July 1, 2026.

Members: **Heather Bouchey**, co-Chair, AOE, Interim Secretary of Education; **Janet McLaughlin**, co-Chair, AHS, DCF Deputy Commissioner; **Erica McLaughlin**, Vermont Principals' Association; **Jeff Francis**, Vermont Superintendents Association; **Sandra Cameron**, Vermont School Board Association; **Colin Robinson**, Vermont National Education Association; **Pam Reed**, Vermont Council of Special Education Administrators; **Theresa Pollner**, Vermont Curriculum Leaders Association; **Morgan Crossman**, Building Bright Futures; **Renee Kelly**, Head Start Collaboration Office; **Sherry Carlson**, Let's Grow Kids; **Nicole Miller**, Vermont Afterschool, Inc.; **Sharron Harrington**, Vermont Association for the Education of Young Children; **Korinne Harvey**, Building Bright Futures Appointee; **Chris Wells**, Building Bright Futures Appointee; **Sheila Quenneville**, Prequalified Private Provider; **Rebecca Webb**, Regional Prekindergarten Coordinator

Missing appointments:

1. a representative of a prequalified private provider as defined in 16 V.S.A. § 829, operating a licensed center-based child care and preschool program, appointed by the Speaker of the House - TBD
2. a member of the School Construction Aid Task Force, appointed by the Secretary of Education - TBD

10:30 a.m.: **Welcome, introductions/attendance, agenda review, and [approval of the September 26 meeting minutes](#)**

10:40 a.m.: **Public Comment**

10:50 a.m.: **Overview: Vermont's current Universal Prekindergarten Program**

11:40 a.m.: **Updates and Future Meetings**

12:00 p.m.: **Adjourn**