

NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
COMMISSION ON PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS IN EDUCATION
Wednesday, May 15, 2024
9:00 A.M.

Office	Address	City	Meeting Room
Department of Education	2080 E. Flamingo Rd.	Las Vegas	Suite 114
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AGENDA

1. Call to Order; Roll Call; Pledge of Allegiance

2. Public Comment #1

Public comment will be taken during this agenda item regarding any item appearing on the agenda. No action may be taken on a matter discussed under this item until the matter is included on an agenda as an item on which action may be taken. The President of the Commission on Professional Standards in Education will impose a time limit of three minutes. Public Comment #2 will provide an opportunity for public comment on any matter within the Commission’s jurisdiction, control, or advisory power.

3. President’s Report

- Amy Rozar, President

4. Secretary’s Report

- Jeff Briske, Secretary

5. Approval of Minutes (Information/Discussion/For possible action)

- April 17, 2024

9:00 A.M.

6. **Public Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Amendments to NAC Chapter 391.XXX – Special License for Apprenticeship (*Information/Discussion/For possible action*).** The Commission will consider a regulation relation to educational personnel, revising the current Student Teaching license into an Apprenticeship license and defining the educational requirements and employment opportunities for this license. This is an optional license. The Commission may approve or not approve moving this regulation to a Public Hearing.
 - Jeff Briske, Director, EDLiFE
7. **Approval of Current and New Alternative Route to Licensure Program Areas for Nevada Teacher Corps/The New Teacher Project (*Information/Discussion/For possible action*).** The Commission will hear Department recommendations and consider approval of Elementary revisions and new program areas for Early Childhood and Secondary Mathematics offered by Nevada Teacher Corps/The New Teacher Project. The Commission may approve or not approve these new program areas.
 - Jeff Briske, Director, EDLiFE
8. **Approval of New Alternative Route to Licensure Program Areas for Washoe County School District (*Information/Discussion/For possible action*).** The Commission will hear Department recommendations and consider approval of new program areas for Special Education Hearing Impairment, Secondary Music, and Secondary Physical Education offered by Washoe County School District. The Commission may approve or not approve these new program areas.
 - Jeff Briske, Director, EDLiFE
9. **Approval of Elementary Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) exam. (*Information/Discussion/For possible action*).** The Commission will consider adopting the Elementary Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) exam offered by Educational Testing Services (ETS) and set the passing score. The Commission may adopt or not adopt this exam.
 - Jeff Briske, Director, EDLiFE

10. Future Agenda Items

11. Public Comment #2

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12. Adjournment