

NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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AGENDA

1. CALL TO ORDER

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 Department will impose a time limit of three minutes. Please hold comments specific to a given workshop until public comment is called upon for that workshop specifically.

3. 1:05 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED CHANGES TO NEVADA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE (NAC) CHAPTER 390.XXX – REGULATIONS LIMITING TIME TAKEN FROM INSTRUCTION TO CONDUCT, AND NUMBER OF, ASSESSMENTS; WAIVER.

(For possible action)

The proposed changes seek to incorporate comments from a year of engagement with districts and draft language.

- Peter Zutz, Administrator, Office of Assessment Data, and Accountability Management

4. 1:10 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED CHANGES TO NEVADA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE (NAC) CHAPTER 387.013- 153; NAC CHAPTER 387.XXX; NAC CHAPTER 389.034-040; NAC 389.445-700; AND NAC CHAPTER 389.XXX – RELATING TO SCHOOL CALENDARS, CREDIT HOURS, INSTRUCTIONAL TIME AND RELATED MEASURES. (For possible action)

The proposed changes seek to open to comment for amendments related to school calendars, credit hours, instructional time, and related measures.

- Amelia Thibault, Director, Office of Division Compliance

5. 1:15 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO NAC CHAPTER 389.800 – GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CTE PROGRAM. (For possible action)

The proposed changes seek to make CTE more inclusive and accessible.

- Craig Statucki, Director, Office of Career Readiness, Adult Learning, and Education Options

6. 1:20 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED CHANGES TO NAC CHAPTER 388.141 - VISUAL IMPAIRMENT ELIBILITY CRITERIA; NAC CHAPTER 388.395; AND NAC CHAPTER 388. XXX – LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT FOR CHILDREN WHO ARE DEAF, HARD OF HEARING, BLIND, OR VISUALLY IMPAIRED. (For possible action)

The proposed changes seek to update visual impairment eligibility.

- Christi Hines-Coates, Education Programs Supervisor, Office of Inclusive Learning

7. 1:25 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED CHANGES TO NAC CHAPTER 389.488 – EXEMPTION AND CREDIT OPTIONS FOR PHYSICAL EDUCATION. (For possible action)

The proposed changes seek improve credit options for physical education.

- Cindi Chang, Director, Office of Teaching and Learning

8. 1:30 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED CHANGES TO NAC CHAPTER 389.445 – REQUIREMENTS FOR PROMOTION TO HIGH SCHOOL AND CHAPTER 390.320 – PLACEMENT OF PUPILS IN MORE RIGOROUS COURSES. (For possible action)

The proposed changes seek to change requirements for promotion to high school and to improve criterion-referenced examinations based on contents standards pursuant to NRS 389.520.

- Cindi Chang, Director, Office of Teaching and Learning

9. 1:35 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED CHANGES TO NAC 389.672 – ACADEMIC CREDIT FOR COURSES OF STUDY IN CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION: PERIODIC REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF EACH COURSE; NAC 389.672 ACADEMIC CREDIT FOR A COURSE OF STUDY IN CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION: LIMITATIONS AND PREREQUISTIES. (For possible action)

The proposed changes seek to modify the language to align with state academic standards.

- Cindi Chang, Director, Office of Teaching and Learning

10. 1:40 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO NAC CHAPTER 389.555 – EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS FOR CAREER READINESS. (For possible action)

The proposed changes seek to remove certain language and add language regarding the Board of Education.

- Craig Statucki, Director, Office of Career Readiness, Adult Learning, and Education Options

11. 1:45 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO NAC CHAPTER 391.XXX – WORK-BASED LEARNING. (For possible action)

The proposed changes seek to be more inclusive of industries for work-based learning.

- Craig Statucki, Director, Office of Career Readiness, Adult Learning, and Education Options

12. 1:50 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO DRAFT REGULATION R099-23 – ADULT AND REGULAR HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA. *(For possible action)*

The proposed changes revise certain eligibility and course requirements for graduation from public high school.

- Craig Statucki, Director, Office of Career Readiness, Adult Learning, and Education Options

13. 2:00 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED CHANGES TO NAC CHAPTER 388.XXX– TEACHER ACADEMY COLLEGE PATHWAY PROGRAM CURRICULUM. *(For possible action)*

The proposed changes concern the curriculum for the Teacher Academy College Pathway Program.

- Craig Statucki, Director, Office of Career Readiness, Adult Learning, and Education Options

14. 2:05 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED CHANGES TO NAC CHAPTER 390.117– ATTENDANCE AT ADULT HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM FOR TEST PREPARATION. *(For possible action)*

The proposed changes seek to clarify the language concerning when a person under the age of 18 passes the high school equivalency and when they can attend an adult high school program.

- Nancy Olsen, Education Programs Supervisor, Office of Career Readiness, Adult Learning, and Education Options.

15. 2:10 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED CHANGES TO NAC CHAPTER 390.135– PRESCRIBED ASSESSMENTS; MINIMUM PASSING SCORES; HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY. *(For possible action)*

The proposed changes seek to clarify the language concerning minimum passing scores.

- Nancy Olsen, Education Programs Supervisor, Office of Career Readiness, Adult Learning, and Education Options.

16. 2:20 P.M. WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED CHANGES TO NAC 391A.300 – PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF TEACHERS AND ADMINISTRATORS. *(For possible action)*

The proposed changes seek to improve professional development standards for teachers and administrators.

- Kathleen Galland-Collins, Education Programs Supervisor, Office of Educator Development, Licensure, and Family Engagement.
- Anabel Sanchez, Education Programs Professional, Office of Educator Development, Licensure, and Family Engagement.

17. PUBLIC COMMENT #2

Public comment will be taken during this agenda item on any matter within the jurisdiction, control, or advisory power of the Department. No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item until the matter is included on an agenda as an item on which action may be taken. The Department will impose a time limit of three minutes.

18. ADJOURNMENT