

## **Final Minutes**

### **King George County Public Schools Special Education Advisory Committee Tuesday, January 5, 2021 5:00pm Virtual**

**Type of Meeting:** Regular Schedule SEAC

**Meeting Facilitator:** Ann Bueche, consultant

**Attendees:**

General Public, Ms. Jessy Bryant (teacher), Lindsey Rumsey (parent), Kristen Outlaw (parent), Renee Parker (community), Ann Bueche (Supervisor of Special Services-consultant)

**Call to order and Introductions:** 5:02pm

**Housekeeping : Ground Rules**

Respect confidentiality by not referring to families, students, or school employees by name.

Respect each member and differing points of view

Respect people's time and stay on agenda.

Move off topic items will be considered "parking lot" discussions for later.

**Public Comment:** King George Co. SEAC Members, Public Comment Forms/In-Person

**Presentation:** [Supporting Students with Virtual Learning](#)

- "Family Resources and Support" slideshow was presented by Ann Bueche
  - Steps parents can take to support virtual learning include establishing routines; creating a work space; stay in touch with the school; help students "own" their learning; and begin and end the day with checking in.
  - Some reminders that can help include establishing time for quiet reflections; encouraging movement and exercise; managing stress; monitoring on screen time; and connecting safely with friends.
  - Teachers are supporting families through asynchronous times; providing video modeling to parents; working with parents and students side by side; and engaging in consultations. Communication between families and case managers is key.
  - Links to other resources including resources from the VDOE are provided at the end of the presentation.

**Reading and Acceptance of Meeting Minutes:** [December 08, 2020](#)

- Lindsey Rumsey motioned to approve the minutes and Jessy Bryant seconded the motion. Motion was passed unanimously.

**Old business**

- Adoption of [Bylaws](#)

- Jessy Bryant motioned to adopt the bylaws and Renee Parker seconded the motion. Motion was passed unanimously.

### **New business**

- School Board [presentation](#) on behalf of SEAC was given on December 14 to inform the School Board on the purpose of the committee. The presentation included explanations of FAPE (Free and Appropriate Public Education) and the continuum of services in regards to least and most restrictive environments in both pre and post COVID-19 environments. About 50 students across the division are learning face to face or through packets due to their placements. There are about 18 out of 30 students who are attending alternative placements. PPE has been made available since students have been back in the building. Telehealth services have been provided for related services. The post graduate program is working towards virtual job shadowing. Special Education staff have been completing virtual staff training.
- Ann Bueche opened up a discussion on any other new business that attendees wanted to discuss and Lindsey Rumsey expressed that individuals are focused on the new hybrid plan that starts January 19th and what those changes will bring.

**Adjournment**- Lindsey motioned to adjourn and Renee seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously at 5:48.

*Next Meeting is March 2nd*