

Superintendent's District Advisory Panel for ESE
Family Engagement Sub-Committee Meeting

December 15, 2020 & Jan 14, 2021 Minutes

Present at least at one of the two meetings:

Hermine Wilson-Lang, Maria Ratti, Elias Seife, Dr. Angel Rodriguez, Enrique Escallon, Beverly Heller, Ernie Martinez, Ally Walford

1) Discussion of the 2020 -2022 Goals:

- a. Three goals were drafted. See below.
- b. These goals should remain through 2022.
- c. The actions steps will be finalized at the next Subcommittee meeting (Feb 16, 2021)

Goal 1: The ESE Family Engagement Subcommittee will help create and maintain a one-page up-to-date ESE/Gifted resource guide/flyer to be shared with schools, families, and other pertinent entities.

Goal #2: The ESE Family Engagement Subcommittee will collaborate with district offices and other pertinent entities to develop and implement a parent leadership program to educate, engage and empower parents/caregivers of students in ESE/Gifted programs.

Goal 3: Members of the ESE Family Engagement Subcommittee and knowledgeable, trained parent leaders will reach out to schools, parent organizations, and other entities to introduce and provide insight regarding the Panel and its role as an additional resource for parents.

2) Next Parent/Family Subcommittee Meeting: February 16, 2021 at 3 PM via Zoom