

Early Learning Board Meeting
Thursday, February 8, 2024
AGENDA

1:30 pm – 4:00 pm

Main Site: CEED Center, KCAA
2707 South King Street, Honolulu, HI 96826

The public may attend the meeting in person or remotely via the ZOOM link (see below)

Meeting Chair will preside at the CEED Center, KCAA Location

Early Learning Board Mission: *To support children’s academic and lifelong well-being by directing and supporting the EOEL for an effective, coordinated, high quality early learning system from prenatal to kindergarten entry.*

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| I. | Welcome/Mission/Announcements – Bob Peters | 1:30 – 1:35 |
| II. | Review and Approve Minutes -- Bob Peters
<i>Outcome: Action, Approve 01/19/24 Meeting Minutes</i> | 1:35 – 1:40 |
| III. | Public Comment* -- Bob Peters
<i>Please Note: 2-minute time limit per speaker for comments related to agenda items.</i> | 1:40 – 1:50 |
| IV. | Executive Office on Early Learning – Director Arikawa-Cross & Staff
EOEL Updates Focus: Pre-K Expansion & Roadmap
PDG- B5 Grant
Stipend Program
Legislative Bill Tracking
<i>Outcome: Information/Discussion as needed</i> | 1:50 – 2:30 |
| V. | ELB Legislative Advocacy: Policy Priorities Framework – Bob Peters
<i>Outcome: Discussion</i>
<i>Action: Approval of Framework</i> | 2:30 – 2:50 |
| VI. | Public Pre-K: Toilet Training – Bob Peters
<i>Outcome: Discussion</i>
<i>Action: Recommendation to EOEL</i> | 2:50 – 3:20 |
| VII. | Maui Early Childhood Status/Updates – Bob Peters
<i>Outcome: Information/Discussion</i> | 3:20– 3:30 |
| VIII. | Public Comment* -- Bob Peters
<i>Please Note: 2-minute time limit per speaker for comments related to agenda item</i> | 3:30 – 3:40 |
| IX. | Member Updates – Bob Peters | 3:40– 3:50 |
| X. | Review Agenda Outcomes/Announcements/Closing – Bob Peters/Kerrie Urosevich | 3:50 – 4:00 |

*Public comments must address items listed on the published agenda.
Next meeting is tentatively scheduled for March 14, 1:30 – 4:00 pm.

Public Written Testimony addressing items on the agenda should be submitted via email to jordana.ferreira@eoel.hawaii.gov marked TESTIMONY in the title no later than 9:00 am on Feb. 8, 2024, or mailed to Jordana Ferreira, Executive Office on Early Learning, Prince Jonah Kuhio Elementary, 2759 S. King Street, Room C8, Honolulu, HI, 96826.

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