



## PSE Grassroots Minutes

April 7, 2021

- **Updates**

- These minutes are fluid and are accurate as of this moment in time. Things can change in an instant.
- All minutes and meeting agendas will be posted on the PSE Grassroots page on the PFT Website (<https://pft400.com/grassroots/special-education-grassroots-pse/>)

- **Review Grassroots Meetings**

- Meeting via Zoom (link will be emailed) on the 1st Wednesday of the month at 4:30 PM

- **PSE Compensation**

- There is no plan at this time for compensation for CCS paperwork. Time was given on the half days to complete.
- Lack of prep pay is approved through principals; you can reach out to your program officer too for clarification.
- The 10 hours of IEP writing form will be posted soon.

- **Cleaning in Hybrid**

- We had a discussion about different cleaning methods we can use.

- **Summer Jobs**

- ESY positions are posted. There is no current date when CCS positions will be posted.
- There was a meeting held today about ESY/CCS – a recording will be posted in the Microsoft Teams District PSE group.

- **Testing**

- Students will be assigned chronologically for when their ER/RR was due.
- Reach out to your building psychologist (or Program Officer) if you have student specific timeline questions.

- **Special Ed Director on Executive Cabinet**
  - We are asking for everyone to write letters to Dr. Hamlet and your school board member – and submit testimony for the Public Hearing requesting that the Executive Director of Special Education have a seat on the Executive Cabinet.
  - Brittany will send out talking points and testimony from a member of the Local Task Force who “spoke” last month.
  - This is so very important that the head of special education has a seat at the table when decisions are being made that directly impact our kids.
- **Any Questions?**
  - Please send to Brittany in advance, so Mindy has time to review and come with answers for us.

**Looking ahead to April:**

Next Meeting: Wednesday, May 5th at 4:30PM.

Send any questions/comments/concerns to Brittany Shoup at [brittanyfmccann@yahoo.com](mailto:brittanyfmccann@yahoo.com) or 412-760-9644

<b>Month</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>
<b>September</b>	<b>9-3-20</b>	<b>Zoom*</b>
<b>October</b>	<b>10-7-20</b>	<b>Zoom*</b>
<b>November</b>	<b>11-4-20</b>	<b>Zoom*</b>
<b>December</b>	<b>12-2-20</b>	<b>Zoom*</b>
<b>January</b>	<b>1-6-21</b>	<b>Zoom*</b>

<b>February</b>	<b>2-3-21</b>	<b>Zoom*</b>
<b>March</b>	<b>3-3-21</b>	<b>Zoom*</b>
<b>April</b>	<b>4-7-21</b>	<b>Zoom*</b>
<b>May</b>	<b>5-5-21</b>	<b>Zoom*</b>

**\*Zoom meetings until it is deemed safe for in person meetings.**

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