



# Gifted Advisory Meeting Committee

September 2023

# Agenda



1. **Welcome & Introductions**
2. **Gifted General Status**
3. **Advisory Committees**
4. **Gifted Calendar of events**
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# Welcome & Introductions



## Gifted Advisory Council Board Member

- Chair - **Alex Domenech**, [BrowardCountyGAC@gmail.com](mailto:BrowardCountyGAC@gmail.com)
- Vice Chair - **Alan Bushkin**,
- Secretary - **Erin Kirkland**, [erinkirkland.gac@gmail.com](mailto:erinkirkland.gac@gmail.com)
- Secretary - **Miguel Sosa**, [gacsecretarybcps@gmail.com](mailto:gacsecretarybcps@gmail.com)
- Recording Secretary - **Diego Britto**, [diegobritto.gac@gmail.com](mailto:diegobritto.gac@gmail.com)

## Others

- Parents
- District Personnel
- Advisory Members
- Educator

# Advisory Committees



## **Gifted Advisory Council (GAC)**

- The Broward Gifted Advisory Council (GAC) is comprised of a group of parents, educators and others who assist in developing, identifying and assessing the educational needs, systemic issues, and priorities of gifted students and programs.

## **District Advisory Committee (DAC)**

- The District Advisory Council (DAC) fosters and promotes communication among School Advisory Forums, School Advisory Councils (SAC), Area Advisory Councils, the District Advisory Council, the Superintendent of Broward County Schools, and the Broward County School Board. The DAC acts as a forum for Area Advisory Councils and others to propose recommendations and discuss issues that are relevant to the District.

## **ESE Advisory**

- The Exceptional Student Education (ESE) Advisory Council is a parent-led volunteer body that fosters advocacy for students with disabilities and provides recommendations to the School Board and Superintendent on systemic issues relating to exceptional student education.

## **Other Advisories...**

**10,000+ gifted kids**

**245 schools**

with at least one gifted child identified (76% of schools) \*

**100s of teachers**

trained to work with gifted children \*

**Many great resources and classes**

available for gifted children throughout county

# Calendar



| Month    | Location                    | Topic   |
|----------|-----------------------------|---|
| October  | Eagle Point                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• By-Laws</li></ul>   |
| November | Discovery & Teams (virtual) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• EP Training</li></ul>   |
| December | Teams (virtual)             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• AP, IP, Dual Enrollment AICE</li></ul>  |
| January  | Pompano                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Gifted Academics</li><li>• Gifted Summer Camp</li></ul>                         |
| February | MSO                         |   |
| March    | FTL High School             |   |
| April    | Apollo                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Summer for Gifted</li><li>• Gifted Teacher Awards (volunteers needed)</li></ul> |
| May      | Plantation High             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Board Election</li></ul>  |

## 1. Gifted Advisory B-laws

## 2. Motion from 2023 (North Area)

- *We move that Broward County Schools require all ESE Specialist, gifted coordinators, gifted endorsed teachers, and those staff that serve the gifted population of students, be required to take a minimum of 2 hour annual training courses that address, but not limited to, proper procedure and completion of gifted educational plans, progress reports, and writing of SMART goals based on student strengths and areas for enrichment, and additionally create a committee of stakeholders to review educational plan processes.*

# Comments & Feedback



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