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PUBLIC MEETING ANNOUNCED FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION

Montgomery, AL - The Special Education Advisory Panel (SEAP) and the Alabama State Department of Education (ALSDE) encourage the public to attend the upcoming meeting and offer input regarding special education services. Participation by concerned citizens at this meeting provides an opportunity to identify issues and unmet needs related to educational services for children with disabilities throughout the state.

WHEN: Wednesday, April 12, 2023, 9 a.m. - 12 noon.

WHERE: Alabama Association of School Boards
43 S. Jackson Street, Montgomery, AL 36104

TOPIC: The SEAP will review current issues pertaining to services for students with disabilities.

If you wish to offer public comments, they must be factual and objective and not mention a student, school, or individual by name or other confidential information. A request to offer public comment during the scheduled public comment time period of 10:00 am-10:30 am should be received by the ALSDE, Special Education Services Section either by email at speced@alsde.edu or by mail at:

Alabama State Department of Education
Special Education Services Section
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If interpreter services for non-English speaking individuals and/or individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing are needed, please contact Dr. Ashley Cawley ashley.cawley@alsde.edu or 334-694-4782. Requests should be made as soon as possible, but at least five (5) days prior to the scheduled meeting.