



**Interim Joint Committee on Education
Meeting 1 Agenda
Tuesday, June 2, 2026
11:00 AM ET / 10:00 AM CT
Annex Room 154**



1. Call to Order and Roll Call

2. Workforce Pell Grant Update

Autumn Rivera, Senior Policy Specialist, Education
National Conference of State Legislatures

Michael Yoder, Commissioner
Kentucky Education and Labor Cabinet

Alisher Burikhanov, Executive Director
Kentucky Workforce Innovation Board

Dr. Ryan Quarles, President
Kentucky Community & Technical College System

Alicia Crouch, Associate Vice President for Research and Policy Analysis
Kentucky Community & Technical College System

Jessie Schook, Vice President for Workforce and Economic Development
Kentucky Community & Technical College System

Leslie Sizemore, Vice President Workforce and Economic Initiatives
Council on Postsecondary Education

3. Extension Office Update

Dr. Laura Stephenson, Dean, Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and
Environment; Vice President, Land Grant Engagement
University of Kentucky

Dr. Jennifer Hunter, Associate Dean for Extension, Martin-Gatton College of
Agriculture, Food and Environment
University of Kentucky

Dr. Marcus Bernard, Dean, College of Agriculture, Health, and Natural Resources
Kentucky State University

4. Kentucky Academic Standards for Social Studies

Micki Ray Marinelli, Chief Academic Officer, Office of Teaching and Learning
Kentucky Department of Education

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Chrystal Rowland, Director of the Division of Program Standards, Office of Teaching and Learning
Kentucky Department of Education

5. Early Literacy Outcomes

Update on 2022 Regular Session SB 9

Micki Ray Marinelli, Chief Academic Officer, Office of Teaching and Learning
Kentucky Department of Education

Christie Biggerstaff, Director of Early Literacy, Office of Teaching and Learning
Kentucky Department of Education

6. Consideration of Referred Administrative Regulations

781 KAR 001:040 Emergency

Provision of Vocational Rehabilitation Services.

781 KAR 001:030 Emergency

Order of selection.

781 KAR 001:020 Emergency

General provisions for operation of the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation.

781 KAR 001:010 Emergency

Office of Vocational Rehabilitation appeal procedures.

781 KAR 001:001 Emergency

Definitions.

704 KAR 003:410 Proposed

Preschool education program for four (4) year old children.

704 KAR 003:370 Proposed

Kentucky Framework for Personnel Evaluation.

702 KAR 003:130 Proposed

Internal accounting.

7. Adjournment