

Student Advisory Board Meeting

January 14, 2025

Virtual Meeting

Advisory Board Members (Virtual): Tenaj Williams, Razvan Verde, Kainat Ali, Izabella Piatkowski, Landrie Bell, Clint Wilson, Nicole Ballagh

Governor's Office in Attendance: Deputy Secretary of Education Emily Anne Gullickson, Senior Policy Analyst Aly Buckner, Policy Assistant Ethan Good

Meeting Minutes:

- 5:02 p.m. Call to Order
Minutes from December meeting approved
- 5:05 p.m. Deputy Secretary Gullickson presented details on the Board presentation, including the day in Richmond and multiple presentations to the Governor, Cabinet Secretaries, the Board of Education, and an interview at the Library of Virginia. Senior Policy Analyst Buckner noted a change in the final presentation date from June 26 to June 18.
- 5:20 p.m. Senior Policy Analyst Buckner walked Board members through the overview of upcoming meetings, including the Policy Presentation series and preparation materials.
- 5:31 p.m. Deputy Secretary Gullickson led the discussion on policy topics, including a thorough description of each proposed topic. Members provided feedback and input on the intersection of topics.
- 5:54 p.m. Senior Policy Analyst Buckner presented the Policy Presentation 1 on Policy Research and Problem Statements.
- 6:03 p.m. Members took a poll to decide on final policy topics, including discussion of where topics overlap. Members decided on (i) Civics Learning and Civics Readiness; (ii) Dual Enrollment and Work-Based Learning; and (iii) School Counseling on Pathways and Student Input.