

Kansas Elementary and Secondary Education Act Advisory Council (ESEA)

Orientation, July 2018

ESEA Notebook Contents – Jordan Christian

- 18-19 Meeting Dates
- Member Information
- KSDE staff and responsibilities
- Reimbursement Forms and procedures



Kansas ESEA Membership

- English Learners
- Indian Tribes
- Large Local Education Organization (LEA)
- Mid-size LEA
- Small LEA
- Private Schools
- Elementary Teachers
- Secondary Teachers
- Early Childhood Teachers
- Para Educator

- Special Education
- Special Education Schools
- Kansas School Boards
- Kansas School Administrators
- Parents/Families
- Communities
- Librarians
- Higher Education
- Music Education
- Kansas Educators
- Specialized Support-School Psychologists
- Specialized Support-Counselors



Representation

 One of the most significant contributions each Council member makes is that of representing their stakeholder group.



Advocacy

• There is a place for advocacy at Council meetings. During discussions you might take sides, favor a position or support a position. However, in the final analysis, hopefully the Council can come to consensus and provide meaningful advice that leads to change for children and youth with disabilities.



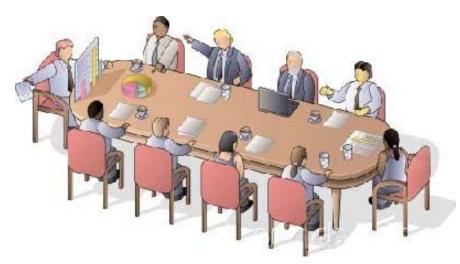
Special Interest Advocacy

- There are special groups in the State that are advocacy in nature
 - Protection and Advocacy
 - 2. Disability Organizations
 - 3. Professional Organizations





Advisory



A Council's ROLE

- To give advice
- To inform
- To counsel
- To recommend
- To suggest
- To guide



Exercising Advisory Responsibilities

Issue/Priority

Member Perspective/Experience

Stakeholder Input

Member Discussion

Resource/Information

Objective Advice

Change

Improved services for children and youth with disabilities



Advisory Council Procedures

Adhere to State Open Meeting laws. All advisory Council meetings and agenda items must be announced far enough in advance of the meeting to afford interested parties a reasonable opportunity to attend. Meetings must be open to the public.



 If possible, provide meals or refreshments at Panel meetings.



Guests



It is important to have a separate seating section for guests and non-council individuals.



Recommendations for Advisory Panels

- Close working relationship with the State Director
- Membership orientation
- Understand council functions
- Advisory, not advocacy in nature
- Discuss current issues and trends



Kansas ESEA Advisory

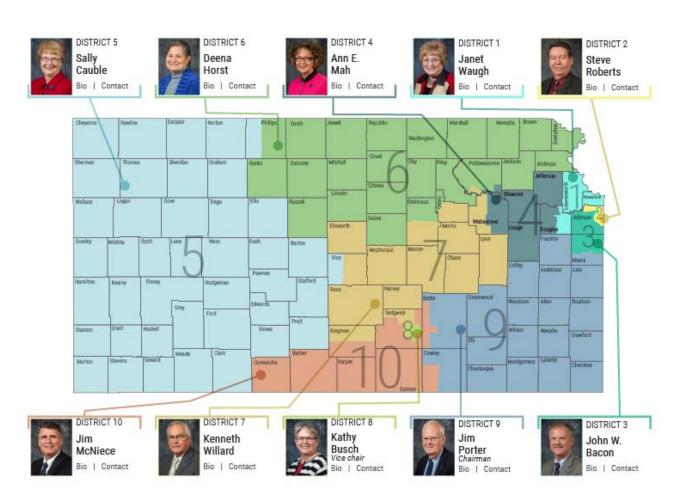
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VISION FOR KANSAS

Kansas leads the world in the success of each student.

MISSION

The Mission of the Kansas State Board of Education and the State Department of Education (KSDE) is one and the same:

To prepare Kansas students for lifelong success through rigorous, quality academic instruction, career training and character development according to each student's gifts and talents.

KSDE operationalized the Kansas Vision and Mission by identifying our purpose and values which are the foundation of all of work to make the vision a reality.

KSDE PURPOSE

We are an agency of Kansans serving Kansans by inspiring, coaching and leading to create the conditions for each student's success.

Resources

- Brad's DLS Monthly Newsletter & Bi-Weekly Hot Topics Update
- http://www.ksde.org/Agency/Division-of-Learning-Services
- Monthly Title I Directors/Coordinators Webinars
- https://ksde-tasn-webinar.adobeconnect.com/ks-title1-director-webmeeting/
- Monthly IDEA Directors/Coordinators Webinars
- http://ksde-tasn.adobeconnect.com/ks_admin-web-meeting
- TASN Monthly Newsletter
- www.ksdetasn.org



Roberts Rules of Order

Handout



Kansas Technical Assistance System Framework Update

Crystal Davis



Kansas Technical Assistance System Network (TASN) – Crystal Davis

TASN Projects & Providers serve the entire state of Kansas

- Professional learning
- Services
- Resources

Specially designed to support educators and families to improve student outcomes

- Confidence that all supports and services are evidence-based
- Meets required technical assistance for federal programs
- Easily accessible to all at <u>www.ksdetasn.org</u>

Kansas Learning Network Update

Michele Hayes



ESEA Updates- Tate Todeman

- State Plan
- AMOSS
- ESSA



Evidence-Based Practices

- ESSA
- K.S.A 72-5153

- EBP website
- Wednesday, 12:45, Maple Room



Supplement Not Supplant

General

- Title I new requirement
- Title IV, Part A



Title IV, Part A

 Student Support and Academic Enrichment website

Allocations

Wednesday, 2:15, Cedar Room



Non-Public Schools

- Timely and Meaningful Consultation
- REAP-FLEX and Transferability
- Title Services for Non-Public Schools
- Allocations



McKinney-Vento PD

- Liaison required training
- All staff required training
- EHCY website
- Wednesday, 12:45, Maple



ESSA requirements

 Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI) schools

 Targeted Support and Improvement (TSI) schools

Report Card



ESSA Requirements

State Plan updates



Title conference

Put link to flyer or ad here

- ESEA national conference Kansas City
- January 30th to February 2nd, 2019



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Public Comment

Guests



Council Member Updates



KSDE: Technical Assistance Systems Network









A Solid Foundation for Family Engagement in Kansas: National Family School-Partnership Standards

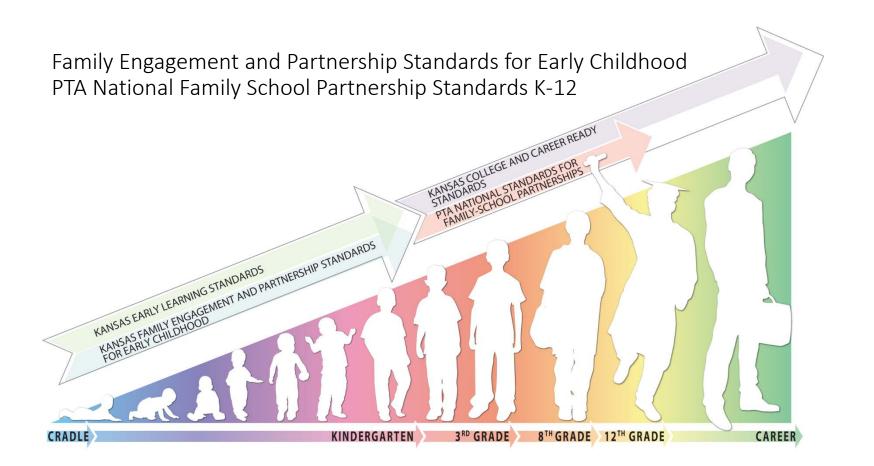


Kansas Family Engagement and Partnership Standards for Early Childhood



Families as...

- Foundation
- Communicators
- Advocates
- Partners
- Community Members



Statewide Family Engagement Survey

How well do we engage families in their children's learning?

DistrictTools.org is a free resource that Kansas school districts can use to administer the Family Engagement Survey (Noonan, Gaumer Erickson, & Groff, 2015).

This brief, 15-item survey is aligned with the PTA National Family School Partnership Standards. Survey items are grouped into five key categories addressing the PTA standards:

- Welcoming All Families into the School Community
- Communicating Effectively
- Supporting Student Success
- Sharing Power and Speaking Up for Every Child
- Collaborating with the Community



The website homepage includes complete instructions for administering the Family Engagement Survey and viewing real-time summaries.

Results are graphed automatically and PDF reports of both district-level and building-level data are available for download.

Participant responses are confidential and your district/building-level results will not be shared with anyone other than users that you invite to view your district dashboard.





Visit DistrictTools.org today to request access



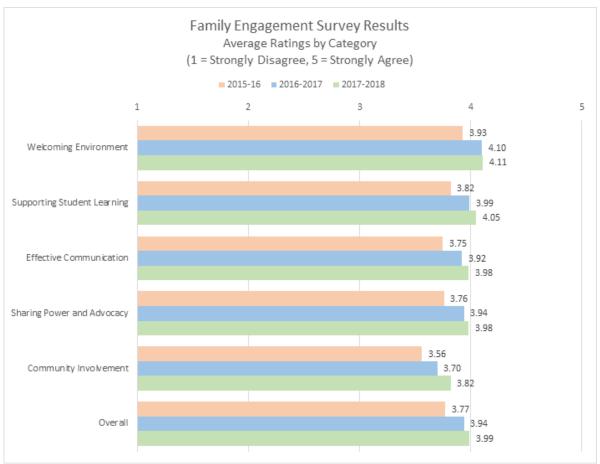
Family Engagement Survey

Directions: Please CHECK ONE response that best describes your child's school. If an item is not applicable to you, please leave it blank. The information will be used to help your school better engage families in their children's learning.

| District School | | | | | | |
|-----------------|--|----------------------|---|---|----------|-------------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | | | — | Strongly Agree |
| | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. | In this school, staff (e.g., administrators, teachers, counselors) build positive relationships with families. | | | | | |
| 2. | When I walk into this school, I feel welcome. | | | | | |
| 3. | I am invited to a variety of events about student learning (e.g., open house, new family orientation, back to school nights, or literacy/math nights). | | | | | |
| 4. | The school offers an easy-to-navigate website with meaningful information. | | | | | |
| 5. | School staff listen to my concerns. | | | | | |
| 6. | I'm provided understandable data on my child's progress. | | | | | |
| 7. | In this school, staff regularly communicates with mc (e.g., communication notebook, letters, postcards, email, phone calls, texts, website, or newsletters). | | | | | |
| 8. | I'm provided clear information about policies, programs, improvement efforts and events. | | | | | |
| 9. | School staff consult me before making important decisions about my child's education. | | | | | |
| 10. | If my child receives additional supports, I am provided with information about these supports. | | | | | |
| 11. | School staff keep me well informed about how my child is doing in school. | | | | | |
| 12. | I have a good working relationship with school staff in which we solve problems together. | | | | | |
| 13. | I'm provided useful information about how to support my child's learning. | | | | | |
| 14. | The school partners with businesses and community organizations in a variety of ways (e.g. volunteer opportunities, field trips, guest speakers, mentoring, tutoring, or leadership team participation). | | | | | |
| 15. | The school helps my family connect with community resources that we | П | П | П | П | П |

Noonan, P.M., Gaumer Erickson, A.S., Groff, J. (2015). Family Engagement Survey. Kansas Technical Assistance System Network (TASN). Adapted from Family Engagement: A critical component to building an empowering culture in Kansas Multi-Tier System of Supports (MTSS). Topeka, KS: TASN. Available from http://ksdetasn.org/resources/403

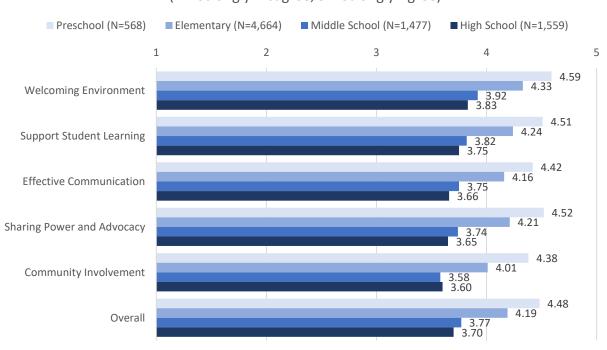
3 Year Survey Data



Survey Results Across Grade Levels 2017-18

Statewide Family Engagement Survey Results

2017-18 Average Ratings by Category (1 = Strongly Disagree, 5 = Strongly Agree)



Kansas Education Systems Accreditation

A systems approach to K-12 accreditation

Framework: The Five Rs

The Five Rs are equivalent to each other in their importance to the quality of a system and that they encompass every concept contained in the ideas of quality education and continual improvement. *Everything* that educational professionals and stakeholders do, say, believe, model, teach, expect, and desire about education can be classified in *at least one* of the Five Rs.KESA supports the belief that the work within the first four Rs leads to improvement, or growth, in the data, evidence, and artifacts that make up the fifth R (Results).

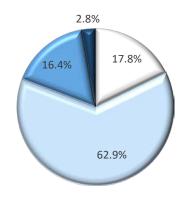
RELATIONSHIPS RELEVANCE RESULTS RESPONSIVE RIGOR CULTURE Defining Relationships: Defining Relevance: Defining Results: Defining Responsive Defining Rigor: "a state of interconnectedness "the power and ability of witnessable evidence of Culture: a relentless pursuit of that - among people, curricula, specific information to meet growth and learning - allows one that readily reacts to which challenges and programs, projects, and the needs of its user curriculum and instruction to suggestions, influences, provides opportunity to strengthens learner motivation communities - is critical in be delivered in a timely demonstrate growth and appeals, efforts, or establishing connections that and allows learning to become fashion based on the needs opportunities - empowers all learning - is essential in result in high performing more engaging, empowering, and desires of the individual stake holders to become addressing the needs of our learner." (KSDE, 2010, p. learning environments" (KSDE. connected, applicable to the respectful of, responsible for, rapidly expanding society 2010, p. 40) real world, and socially and involved in learning the and world" (KSDE, 2010, p. significant" (KSDE, 2010, p. learning process, and the 44) learning community" (KSDE, 2010, p. 48). COMPONENTS: COMPONENTS: COMPONENTS: COMPONENTS: COMPONENTS: Staff Curriculum Leadership Career & Technical Ed Social-Emotional Factors Students Instruction Early Childhood Professional Learning Kindergarten Readiness Student Engagement District Climate Resources Families Individual Plans of Study Community Technology Nutrition and Wellness Data High School Graduation Postsecondary Completion/Attendance

KESA Family Engagement Rubric Ratings

All Categories for Public Districts

Public School Districts' KESA Family Engagement Rubric Ratings

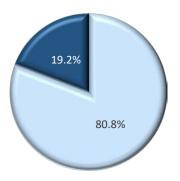
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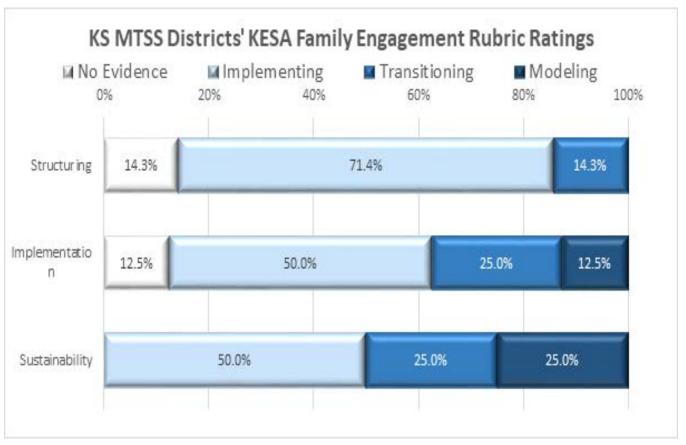
Combined Lowest Two Categories for Districts

Public School Districts' KESA Family Engagement Rubric Ratings

■ No Evidence or Implementing
■ Transitioning or Modeling



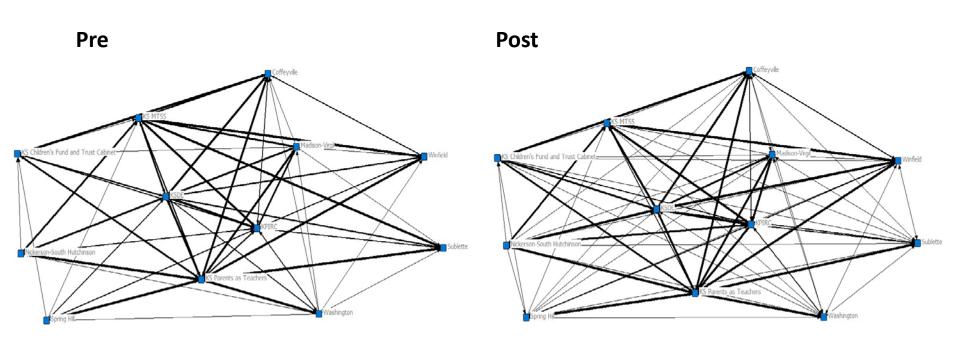
Family Engagement Rubric Ratings



Accreditation Confidence Timeline



Collaborative Scale (Measuring Increased Collaboration)



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