

SSPRPA Early Childhood Committee Meeting
Thursday, October 27th, 2022, 1:00pm
Zoom Meeting

1. **Call to Order:** SSPRPA Early Childhood Zoom Meeting on Thursday, October 27th at 1:05pm

a. Present:

- i. Kelly Matson – New Lenox Park District (Co-Chair)
- ii. Teresa Chapman – LaGrange Park District (Co-Chair)
- iii. Sue Beardsley- Oak Forest Park District
- iv. Rebecca Perkaus – Alsip Park District
- v. Debbie Maloney – Tinley Park District

2. **Committee Discussion**

a. Assessments & Teacher Conferences

- i. New Lenox
 - 1. Does mid-year and end of year assessments
 - 2. Sent example assessment sheets out to group
 - 3. Offers Parent Teacher Conferences in December
- ii. LaGrange
 - 1. Does mid-year and end of year assessments
 - 2. Sent example assessment sheets out to group

b. Discussed the Early Childhood Workshop held on August 18th in Oak Lawn

- i. Consensus was that everyone enjoyed it and learned a lot from it
- ii. Liked the central location.
- iii. Thought the speakers were knowledgeable and information was relevant
- iv. Would like to add lunch next time to encourage more to stay for round table discussion.

c. Student Issues

- i. Behavioral Problems
- ii. Three strike policy
- iii. Speech Issues
- iv. Utilizing Special Rec & ABA Services

d. Other Areas Discussed

- i. Staffing shortages
- ii. Staff not getting along and being the mediator

3. **Adjournment:** 1:45pm

Upcoming Zoom Meeting: Thursday, November 10th at 1:00pm Join Zoom Meeting

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