



Commissioner's Teacher Advisory Council (TAC)

March 11, 2025

10:00 a.m. ET/ 11:00 a.m. CT

300 Sower Blvd., 5th, room 516, Frankfort, KY

and virtually via Microsoft Teams

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Purpose: The Commissioner's Teachers Advisory Council (TAC) is designed to improve the educational landscape of Kentucky by providing Kentucky's Commissioner of Education with direct input from Kentucky's classrooms. Bridging the gap between policy and practice, the TAC was created to advise the commissioner on educational priorities so that Kentucky's students are well-prepared for any career they choose. The ultimate goal is to have effective teaching in every school, every classroom, every day.

AGENDA

- I. Welcome**
Robbie Fletcher, Commissioner of Education, Kentucky Department of Education
- II. Roll Call of Members**
Melanie Callahan, TAC Chairperson, South Laurel Middle School, Laurel County
- III. Approve Agenda**
Melanie Callahan, TAC Chairperson, South Laurel Middle School, Laurel County
- IV. Approve Minutes from Last Meeting**
Melanie Callahan, TAC Chairperson, South Laurel Middle School, Laurel County
- V. Every Story Matters**
Jennifer Montgomery, Kentucky Teacher of the Year

VI. Kentucky Board of Education (KBE) Non-voting Teacher Member Applications and Selection

GlyptusAnn Jones, Director of Education Policy, Office of the Commissioner

VII. Positive Behavior Intervention Strategies Report

Cristy Tomes, Program Consultant, KDE Division of Student Success

VIII. Legislative Update

Brian Perry, KDE Director of Government Relations (Cassie Trueblood, Office of Legal Services on standby for Brian Perry)

IX. Adjournment

Melanie Callahan, TAC Chairperson, South Laurel Middle School, Laurel County

Future Meetings:

June 10, 2025