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GROWTH INDICATOR WORK GROUP MEETS NOV. 9

(FRANKFORT, Ky.) – The Growth Indicator Work Group will meet Friday, Nov. 9, at the Hudson Hollow Office Building, 2 Hudson Hollow Road, Frankfort, in the Suite B, Training Room, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. ET.

Commissioner of Education Wayne Lewis created the group, which includes educators from across the Commonwealth, to review the state's current growth calculation methodology and make recommendations for how to improve it before the release of school accountability data next fall.

The growth factor measures whether Kentucky students are on track to reach the goal of proficient in reading and mathematics. The growth factor is part of the new accountability system that was developed with input from Kentucky educators and residents in 2016 and 2017. It was approved by the Kentucky Board of Education in February 2018.

During the work group's first meeting in October, members discussed the value of growth in accountability and possible options for improving the growth indicator.

A full agenda for the Growth Indicator Work Group follows:

GROWTH INDICATOR WORK GROUP
Nov. 9, 2018
Hudson Hollow Office Building, 2 Hudson Hollow Road
Suite B, Training Room
Frankfort, Kentucky
9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. ET

AGENDA

- I. Welcome, introductions, and review of charge
- II. Review of work from Oct. 24 meeting
- III. Consideration of options for measuring and evaluating growth for accountability
- IV. Lunch
- V. Group discussion of possible recommendations
- VI. Formalize Growth Indicator recommendations to education commissioner
- VII. Adjournment

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