

MARATHON COUNTY CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES EDUCATION BOARD
October 21, 2021, Highlights

- Board members present Gary Gunderson, Lori Haines, Jackie Hanke, Scott Johnson, Gary Lewis, Carol Schulz, and Kelly Kapitz, PhD., Director of Special Education.
- Also present at the meeting: Kristin Jacobson, Assistant Director of Special Education; Jason Haluska, Assistant Director of Special Education; Tonia Carter, Manager of Birth to 3; Nimisha Patel, Finance Manager; Sandy Dobeck, Finance; Kari Forsythe, Board Recorder.
- Chairperson Johnson called the meeting to order at 12:14 p.m.
- September 16, 2021, minutes approved.
- Director Dr. Kelly Kapitz reviewed the Upcoming Board Events.
- The Finance Packet was presented and approved.
- Dr. Kapitz shared a document containing the Transfer of Service Amounts for 2021-2022.
- The Board approved the Budget for 2021-22.
- Tonia Carter, Manager, Birth to 3, shared program updates with the Board.
- October Administrator Meeting highlights shared with the Board.
- The Board discussed the paraprofessional shortage and MCSE's training program for new and experienced paraprofessionals.
- The Board discussed the new health insurance provider for MCSE.
- Upcoming Events reviewed with the Board.
- In Personnel, the Board approved;
 - Hiring of Julie Kaufmann, Insurance Coordinator for Birth to 3
 - Hiring of Lizette Garcia, Secretary in Abbotsford
 - Resignation of Jonathan Piva, Cross-categorical teacher in Abbotsford
 - Resignation Chelsea Stuttgen, Paraprofessional in Abbotsford
 - Resignation of Stephanie Bushman, Paraprofessional in Athens
 - Leave request from Cassandra Newman, Cross-categorical teacher in Edgar
- Meeting adjourned at 2:43 p.m.