

Randolph College
Educator Preparation Program Advisory Board

December 1, 2021

3:30pm-4:30pm

Google Meet joining info

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Agenda/Meeting Minutes

- I. Introductions
- II. Advisory Board on Teacher Education and Licensure (ABTEL) updates
 - A. Changes that have/will take place
 1. Joan Johnson - Assistant Superintendent
 2. Grant Coordinator
 3. Teacher Education Coordinator
 4. Engagement SpecialistThese positions will be filled and updated soon
- III. Listening session: The teacher shortage and its effects on your settings
 - A. Professional Development Discussion
 1. School districts have a classroom at a school in house where students can have academic course as well as placement for practicum hours for more hands on experience
 - a) Challenge brought to attention: finding building space
- IV. Provisional licensure policies and procedures
 - A. Workload
 1. Discussion held in regards to the expectations for those with a provisional license and course work
 2. Suggested solution: develop a document that serves as a guide for students, schools, and the college to better understand what is required academically vs what is required by school district of employment
- V. Other Discussion Points
 - A. Randolph College is working to bring more diversity to the field of education
 1. New minor in education being offered starting Fall 2022 (still currently in development)
 - a) Minor in Race, Culture, & Equity in Education
 - B. Changes to Praxis
 1. Cut scores are changing for the following
 - a) Middle School Math - 150
 - b) Math - 153
 - c) Chemistry - still processing change
 - C. VDOE Possible Changes (in the process - more information to come)

1. Implementation of history course - African American History - for pre-service teachers
2. All teachers must take courses directly related to culturally relevant pedagogy

D. Local Division Needs

1. EL Teachers
2. DD Teachers
3. Lynchburg City Specific Needs
 - a) Special Education
 - b) P.E
 - c) Elementary Ed.
 - d) Biology
 - e) Math
 - f) English
 - g) History
 - h) MS Endorsed

VI. Adjourn

- A. Next meeting TBD