

## **PRESCHOOL COUNCIL**

The Superintendent or designee shall appoint a preschool program council, which shall provide assistance and make recommendations in implementing and coordinating a preschool program funded through the Colorado Preschool Program.

### **Membership**

At a minimum, membership on the preschool program council will include to the following:

1. The superintendent or designee
2. Two parents of children in the preschool program appointed by the superintendent
3. Two members of the business community appointed by the superintendent
4. Representatives from the following:
  - a. Weld County Department of Health
  - b. Weld County Department of Social Services
  - c. Employment Services of Weld County
  - d. Publicly funded early childhood education agencies located in the school district, if applicable
  - e. Privately funded childcare centers located in the school district, if applicable

Appointed members will serve for two-year terms. Any vacancy among the appointed members will be filled by appointment by the superintendent for the unexpired term.

### **Officers**

Members of the council will elect a chairperson for a one-year term, who may be elected to a second term.

### **Duties**

The council shall have those duties prescribed by state law.

No action taken by the council will be final unless approved by the Board of Education.

### **Meetings**

The council will meet a minimum of six times per year.

In addition, members of the council will make at least two on-site visits per year to all Head Start agencies and public and private childcare facilities with which the district has contracted to monitor overall program compliance and make recommendations for any needed improvements.

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LEGAL REF.: C.R.S. 22-28-105 (*preschool program council duties*)  
C.R.S. 22-28-107 (*ongoing training available from CDE*)

CROSS REF.: IHBIB, Primary/Pre-Primary Education