



# Louisiana Developmental Disabilities Council



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## Act 833 Leadership Steering Committee Meeting

October 1, 2014, 1:00 – 4:30 p.m.

North Dakota Room (1-155)

Claiborne Conference Center, Baton Rouge

### AGENDA

- I. Welcome and introduction of new members
- II. Approve Summary of September 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting
- III. Review purpose of Act 833 Leadership Steering Committee
- IV. Discussion and consideration of:
  - a. Recommendation that policy and guidance documents indicate eligible students may earn regular high school diplomas by meeting alternative performance requirements established by their IEP teams.
  - b. Recommendation of allowance of applied or modified course work to be accepted for Carnegie credit, with indication on student transcript of course work level.
  - c. Recommendations for student access to highly qualified teachers
  - d. Recommendation for process of developing and distributing guidance documents produced by the Louisiana Department of Education (LDE) to ensure adequate vetting by stakeholders prior to distribution.
  - e. Recommendation related to training, technical assistance, and support provided by the LDE, School districts, and parent support organizations.
  - f. Recommendations for changes to the LDE's Special Education Records / Individualized Education Program (SER/IEP) forms, user guides and related documents.
  - g. Recommendations related to possible expansion of LAA-1 criteria
  - h. Recommendations for considerations of 'non-diploma' bound status.
  - i. Recommendations for monitoring considerations

### Act 833 Leadership Steering Committee Meeting Schedule

Meetings will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. on the following dates in the North Dakota (1-155) Room at the Claiborne Conference Center, 1201 North Third St., Baton Rouge, La 70802:

October 1, 2014

November 12, 2014

December 10, 2014

January 7, 2015

Additional meetings will be scheduled as necessary.