



Maryland State Advisory Council on Gifted and Talented Education
Nancy S. Grasmick State Education Building
Maryland State Department of Education, 200 W. Baltimore Street, Baltimore, MD 21201
September 28, 2017 – 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Welcome, Introductions, Announcements, and Updates

- Introduction of New Officers and Members
- Council Meetings, Mission, and 2017-2018 Goals
- Council & Sub-committee Structure for 2017-2018
- Criteria for Excellence Revision (ad-hoc Committee)
- MEGS Update
- MCGATE Update
- MSDE Updates
 - ESSA and Javits Grant
 - MD Summer Centers
 - EGATE Update
- Sub-committee Work
 - Programs, Services, and Professional Learning
 - Awards and Recognition
 - Program Improvement
 - Public and Community Awareness

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NAGC's Strategic Framework: Changing Minds, Policies, and Practice M. Rene' Islas
Executive Director, NAGC

2017 - 2018 G/T Advisory Council Meetings @ MSDE:

- November 29, 2017 (Time: 10:00 - 1:00)
- January 31, 2018 (Time: 10:00 - 1:00) (SNOW DATE: February 6, 2018 10:00-1:00)
- April 19, 2018 (Time: 10:00 - 1:00)

Other Important Dates for Your Information (Other dates will be added, as needed):

- September 29, 2017 EGATE Intent to Apply Letters DUE
- October 20, 2017 MD State Conference on Gifted and Talented Education (North Co. HS, AACPS)
- November 9 - 12, 2017 NAGC National Convention (Charlotte, NC)
- December 1, 2017 EGATE Applications and Binders DUE to MSDE by 4:00PM
- February 2018 Gifted and Talented Education Month & MD Summer Center registration opens
- February 21, 2018 Celebrating Gifted and Talented Education in MD Awards (North Co. HS, AACPS)
- March EGATE Showcase (Date and location TBD)
- March - April: EGATE School Visitations/Celebrations
- April 29 - May 1, 2018 Wallace Research Symposium (JHU Mt. Washington Conference Center, Baltimore)
- June-August: MD Summer Centers for Gifted and Talented Students
- September: State Board EGATE Schools Recognition (TBA)