

**Durham PreK Governance Committee Meeting
August 14, 2020**

Zoom Meeting Link:

<https://childcareservices.zoom.us/j/94253136400?pwd=NVNsam5zbFhDK0c5YnY5TGs1MUFXZz09>

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1:30pm – 2:45pm

Agenda

- Welcome, Introductions and Meeting Protocols 5 min (1:35)
- Share Plan for Reopening 5 min (1:40)
- Review NCDCEE Guidance for NC Pre-K and Child Care Payments* Available at [https://ncchildcare.ncdhhs.gov/Portals/0/documents/pdf/C/COVID-19 Interim Reopening Policies for NC Pre-K Programs.pdf?ver=2020-08-03-164819-793](https://ncchildcare.ncdhhs.gov/Portals/0/documents/pdf/C/COVID-19%20Interim%20Reopening%20Policies%20for%20NC%20Pre-K%20Programs.pdf?ver=2020-08-03-164819-793) 10 min (1:50)
- Review and Vote on Durham PreK SY20-21 Payment Policies and Parent Fees* *Handout attached to e-mail* 25 min (2:15)
- Review and Vote on Durham PreK Budget Guiding Principles 25 min (2:40)
- Summary and Adjournment 5 min (2:45)

* Agenda items with handouts

A Point of Information:

The longer this pandemic lasts, without adequate public support, nearly 4.5 million child care seats nationally are at risk of disappearing. In North Carolina, the Center for American Progress estimates that 44% (143,946 seats) in licensed child care could be lost¹.

¹ <https://www.americanprogress.org/issues/early-childhood/news/2020/04/24/483817/coronavirus-pandemic-lead-permanent-loss-nearly-4-5-million-child-care-slots/>