ACT Government
Education

Disability Education Reference Group

Tuesday 10 March 2020
12:30pm – 2:00 pm
Hedley Beare Centre for Teaching and Learning, Room 11
51 Fremantle Drive, Stirling ACT 2611

Communiqué

In attendance were representatives from the ACT Education Directorate (ED); Community Services Directorate, Office for Disability; ACT Council of Parents and Citizens Associations; Carers ACT; Australian Association of Special Education; Advocacy for Inclusion and Imagine More. Apologies were received from Australian Association of Special Education and Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA).

Topics discussed included, but were not limited to the following:

- Transitions and Careers
- Professional Learning for Teachers and Learning Support Assistants.
- ED Review of Physical Education and Sport
- The Chief Minister's Inclusion Award finalists and winners
- A broad-ranging brainstorming activity around identifying work and cooperative linkages required to ensure '(all) schools are places where (all) kids love to learn'
- Imagine More NDIS Information, Linkages and Capacity Building (ILC) grant and workshop to support families submitting to the Disability Royal Commission
- ACT Council of Parents and Citizens Associations requested that DERG investigate the DXC Dandelion work experience program.

Next Meeting: Tuesday 26 May 2020, 12:30 – 2:00 pm
Venue: Hedley Beare Centre for Teaching and Learning