



PDAC FINANCIAL SUPPORTS COMMITTEE

Tuesday May 20, 2025

1:00 PM – 2:30 PM

Meeting by Teams

Agenda

Welcome and Introductions

Follow up from Steering in Person Meeting Combined Committee Work

- Work with Higher Education Committee - Funding Prior Learning Assessment (PLA)
- Work with Workforce Development & Pathways – Funding CDA and incorporating it into the pathway

Apprenticeship Model

<https://www.ilgateways.com/smart-start/smart-start-early-childhood-apprenticeship-program>

- SAL Model and Supports (Marcy Mendenhall)

Prior Learning Assessment

<https://www.ilgateways.com/professional-development/prior-learning-assessment-pilot>

- What we learned about PLA from Higher Ed Committee (tri-chairs)
- Looking to confirm Marie Donovan to speak with our committee on PLA

Committee Discussion

Next Steps

Proposed FY26 meeting schedule

Aug 19, Oct 28, Jan 27, March 24, May 19th, July 21
1:00pm – 2:30pm

FY 25 meeting schedule

1:00pm – 2:30pm

~~August 20, October 22, Jan 21, March 18, May 20, July 22~~