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**Alameda County Child Care Planning Council  
Early Care and Education Committee Agenda  
Alameda County Office of Education  
March 26 2015  
Agenda**

**Committee Mission and Purpose:** To improve the quality of early care and education of children, birth to school age, by considering issues and making recommendations on programs impacting children in early education; and to ensure that the Council is aware and involved in promoting best practice in all ECE programs.

- 1. Welcome/Introductions/Announcements - Mirella Almaraz (10 minutes)**
- 2. Transitional Kindergarten Discussion- Neva Bandelow**
  - Jane Danbold, San Mateo County Office of Ed (35 Minutes)
  - Other guests visitors (10 min)
- 3. Dual Language Learners- Mirella Almaraz**
  - Soodie Ansari, San Mateo County Office of Education (35 minutes)
- 4. Overview and Approval of AB212 Plan and TK Block Grant- Neva Bandelow (15 minutes)**
- 5. QRIS Updates- Tanya Smith (5 minutes)**
- 6. Other- Mirella Almaraz (5 minutes)**
- 7. Set Next Agenda- Mirella Almaraz (5 minutes)**

ECE Committee will begin meeting every other month on the following Thursdays: January 22nd, March 26th, May 28th, July 23rd, September 24th, November 19 (due to holidays).

**Next Meeting is May 28, 2015, 1-3pm  
Alameda County Office of Education  
313 W. Winton Avenue  
Conference Room L-1  
Hayward**