

**AGENDA**  
**Senate Committee on Education**  
**House Committee on Education**  
**Meeting Jointly**

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**Tuesday, November 5, 2019**  
**9:00 AM**  
**Room A, MAC**  
**Little Rock, Arkansas**

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Sen. Jane English, Chair  
Sen. Joyce Elliott, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Linda Chesterfield  
Sen. Jim Hendren  
Sen. Eddie Cheatham  
Sen. Lance Eads  
Sen. Mark Johnson  
Sen. James Sturch

Rep. Bruce Cozart, Chair  
Rep. Reginald Murdock, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Stephen Meeks  
Rep. Gary Deffenbaugh  
Rep. Jon S. Eubanks  
Rep. Mark Lowery  
Rep. Jim Dotson  
Rep. Jana Della Rosa  
Rep. Grant Hodges

Rep. Rick Beck  
Rep. Dan Sullivan  
Rep. Nelda Speaks  
Rep. DeAnn Vaught  
Rep. LeAnne Burch  
Rep. Fred Allen  
Rep. Frances Cavenaugh  
Rep. Denise Garner  
Rep. Brian S. Evans

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- A. Call to Order
- B. Opening Remarks by Committee Chairs
- C. Discussion of Issues Related to Enhanced Student Achievement (Poverty) Funding  
**Ms. Nell Smith**, Administrator, Policy Analysis and Research Section, Bureau of Legislative Research
- D. Continued Discussion of Written Testimony Submitted by Various Education Advocacy Organizations Regarding their Concerns about the State's Current System of Funding for Public Education  
**[Exhibits D5-D8]**  
**Mr. Dale Query**, Executive Director, Arkansas Rural Education Association  
**Dr. Tony Prothro**, Executive Director, Arkansas School Boards Association  
**Ms. Jerri Derlikowski**, Research Director, ForwARd Arkansas  
**Ms. Kathy Smith**, Senior Education Advisor, Walton Personal Philanthropy Group
- E. Other Business
- F. Adjournment

**Note: All exhibits for this meeting are available by electronic means and are accessible on the General Assembly's website at [www.arkleg.state.ar.us](http://www.arkleg.state.ar.us)**

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