

**Agenda**  
**Wednesday, March 6, 2013**  
**Time: 1:30 – Room 126**

1. Adoption of Committee Rules
2. Oversight Hearing on Common Core State Standards (CCSS)

Panel #1: Common Core 101

- Common Core State Standards (CCSS)—what they are, timeline for implementation, next steps
  - Tom Adams, Director, Curriculum Frameworks & Instructional Resources Division, CDE; and Executive Director, Instructional Quality Commission (formerly Curriculum Commission)
- Assessments (SMARTER Balanced Assessment Consortium)—how they differ from current assessments, advantages/disadvantages, timeline for implementation, next steps
  - Deb Sigman, Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction; District, School & Innovation Branch, CDE

Panel #2: Implementation Issues

- Developing CCSS-aligned Curricula
  - Dr. Linda Darling-Hammond, Charles E. Ducommun Professor of Education at Stanford University and Chair, California Commission on Teacher Credentialing
- Professional Development Needs
  - Holly Jacobson, Executive Director, Center for the Future of Teaching and Learning, WestEd
- Technical Capacity
  - Jose Ortega, Education Technology Office, CDE
- Instructional Materials
  - Tom Adams, CDE

Panel #3: Local Perspective

- Daly Jordan-Koch, 4<sup>th</sup> grade teacher, Widenmann Elementary School, Vallejo and Chair, State Council of Education Curriculum and Instruction Committee, CTA
- Steve Ladd, Superintendent, Elk Grove Unified School District
- Xilonin Cruz-Gonzales, Trustee, Azusa Unified School District and President, California Latino School Board Members Association

Public Testimony