

**Virginia Advisory Committee for the Education of the Gifted  
Appomattox Regional Governor's School  
March 10, 2006  
Meeting Summary**

J. Green called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

Following the adoption of the agenda and the acceptance of the minutes from the November 18, 2005 meeting with minor revisions, the chair suggested that the *Reference Guide for the Development and Evaluation of Local Plans for the Education of the Gifted* be dedicated to Dr. Robert Turner, who has been a leader in the initial development of gifted programs in the commonwealth. The dedication was approved.

Additional work on the *Reference Guide* included adding a statement that the suggested definitions do not supplant the regulations, and the consolidation of some definitions.

Department of Education reports included an update on the new Mountain Vista Regional Governor's School, the status of the summer regional Governor's School applications, Project PROMISE, and on the status of the local plans submitted by divisions for departmental approval.

B. McGonagill presented an overview of the legislative process for updating the *Regulations for Gifted Education*. Following a tour of the Appomattox Regional Governor's School, the committee opened discussion on the *Regulations*.

No public comment was offered at this meeting.

The meeting was adjourned by J. Green at 2:30 p.m.