



EXCEPTIONAL NEWS

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Professional organizations must respond to the needs of the membership. In order to address specific membership concerns, last spring KYCEC disseminated a Membership Survey and a Special Education Personnel Survey (completed by non-members). Specific activities for the upcoming year are being planned as a direct result of the findings of these surveys.

Sixty percent (60%) of the survey respondents were classroom teachers. Teachers in every region of the state selected workshops as the most needed service CEC could provide. Teachers in Eastern, Southeastern, Northern, and Western areas of the state indicated consultation collaboration as the most critical topic. Teachers in Central Kentucky selected student portfolios as most needed. Therefore, teacher workshops in consultation collaboration will be held in the fall. These workshops will be free and open to all teachers, and details are included in this newsletter. A three hour workshop on student portfolios will be conducted at the annual KYCEC Convention in Lexington.

Administrators also felt that teacher in-services were the most critical service provided by CEC. This finding was followed closely by attending regular meetings with Kentucky Department of Education officials to discuss state special education issues. Regular meetings such as these were the primary concern of Higher Education Personnel. During the last school year the KYCEC President met with the director of the Division of Exceptional Children Services on a regular basis. Through these meetings, CEC provided input on a variety of issues. Dialogue of this type will continue this year. CEC members are encouraged to express concerns that can be appropriately addressed by our forum. Issues of concern should be directed to Teresa Howard Wasson, KYCEC President.

Of the surveys completed by non-members, two areas of concern were predominant. First, was the cost of belonging to CEC. Second, was the lack of information about the nature and function of CEC as an organization. This year CEC will address both of these concerns. CEC membership tables will be operated at the KDE Conference, November 22-24, 1993 in Louisville, and at the CEC Convention, March 3-5, 1994 in Lexington. Anyone joining CEC during these conferences will receive a \$10.00 discount when paying by check.

In order to inform special educators about our organization, CEC will implement several strategies. For example, this newsletter is being sent to every special education teacher in the state. This is being done in an effort to better publicize CEC activities for the coming year. This action will also provide the names of officers available to answer specific

questions.

Additionally, CEC will host an Open House at the KDE Conference in November and at the CEC Convention in March. This will allow an informal opportunity for members and others interested in CEC to meet our officers. Please look for details in the programs you receive at these conferences.

CEC General Board Meetings are open to the public. At the beginning of each General Board Meeting an Open Forum will be held. Time will be allotted for individuals to bring concerns before the General Board. Dates of General Board Meetings are provided in this newsletter. To confirm or request additional information contact your local chapter or state officers.

The Kentucky Council for Exceptional Children is dedicated to striving for a quality education for children and youth with disabilities. CEC is involved from the local to the state level in working toward this goal. We need input and support from parents, teachers, administrators, advocates, and anyone else involved with the education of students with disabilities. Please join us.

Teresa Howard Wasson
KYCEC President

KYCEC General Board Meetings

General Board Meetings are open to the public. Please attend if you wish to bring an issue before this body. An OPEN FORUM will be held at the beginning of each Board Meeting. For additional information call your local chapter, Member-At-Large, or state officer.

September 18, 1:00 p.m.
Franklin County Board of Education, Frankfort

November 23, 7:00 p.m.
Galt House East, Louisville
KDE Conference on Programs for Exceptional Children
(See Conference Program for room assignment)

March 3-5
Hyatt Regency, Lexington
KYCEC Annual Convention
(See Convention Program for details)

June 17-18
KYCEC Executive and General Board Retreat
(Information to be provided as available)

1993-94 KYCEC Calendar of Events

July 17	Executive Board Retreat, Marriot, Lexington, KY	
July 22-23	KAGE, Marriott, Lexington, KY	
August 10-12	KDE/RTC Early Childhood Conference, Radisson, Lexington, KY	502/586-8877
September 18	KYCEC Executive & General Meeting	
September 14-16	Bluegrass Conference, Hyatt Regency, Lexington, KY	606/281-0187
October 20-22	State Advisory Panel for Exceptional Children, Louisville, KY	502/564-4970
October 21-22	LDA, Radisson, Louisville, KY	
October 23	Kentucky Disabilities Coalition Board Meeting, Louisville, KY	502/875-1871
November 22-24	KDE Conference on Programs for Exceptional Children, Galt House East, Louisville, KY	502/564-3775
November 23	KYCEC OPEN HOUSE - 4:45 - 5:30	
November 23	KYCEC Executive Meeting - 5:30 & General Board Meeting - 7:00	
November 24	KYCEC Legislative Forum - 10:15 am	
January 1994	Legislative Session Opens	
February 19	KYCEC Executive Board Meeting (walk through), Hyatt Regency, Lexington, KY	
March 3-5	1994 KYCEC Convention, Hyatt Regency, Lexington, KY	
	KYCEC General Board Meeting	
April 6-10	CEC Annual Convention, Denver, Colorado	1-800-845-6232
June 17-18	KYCEC Executive & General Board Retreat, Owensboro, KY	
July	Leadership Seminar for Federation Officers, Reston, Virginia	1-800-845-6232

KYCEC AWARD NOMINATIONS REQUESTED

Linda Alford, Past President of the Kentucky Federation of the Council for Exceptional Children requests that all CEC members take note of the following awards and guidelines and make nominations for those deserving recognition in these categories:

1. Outstanding Kentucky Teacher of the Year Award
2. Mary May Wyman Outstanding Kentucky CEC Member of the Year Award
3. Carl Perkins Contributor to Special Education Award
4. Outstanding Special Education Administrator of the Year Award (CEC Member)
5. Outstanding Kentucky Student CEC Member of the Year Award
6. Certificates of Appreciation

The granting of awards to deserving colleagues is an important activity undertaken by the Kentucky Federation. Awards should be very special. They should symbolize a level of achievement that we all would set as a standard of excellence. With this in mind the following award guidelines are offered for each award:

The Outstanding Kentucky Teacher of the Year Award is intended to honor a classroom teacher or other related specialist. The name of the person selected for this award will be forwarded to International CEC for consideration for the Clarissa Hug Teacher of the Year Award. **Minimum Criteria:** The nominee should be currently involved in direct teaching provision of speech/language or other related services to handicapped and/or gifted and talented students. The nominee should have demonstrated exemplary performance over a period of time as a teacher (provider of direct services) involving such qualities as: innovation, imagination, creativity, and ability to inspire as indicated by members of the profession and others knowledgeable of the candidate. The nominee must be a KYCEC member in good standing with a minimum tenure of continued membership during the previous five years, and should be an appropriately certified teacher or related services specialist as recognized by state and professional authorities.

The purpose of the Mary May Wyman Outstanding Kentucky CEC Member of the Year Award is to allow the Kentucky Federation to honor the member who has shown consistently unselfish service in promoting the education and welfare of exceptional children.

Minimum Criteria: The nominee must be a Kentucky CEC member in good standing with a minimum tenure of continuous membership for the previous three years. The nominee should have contributed to the education of and welfare of exceptional children in a number of areas - legislation, recreation, curriculum, etc. The nominee should have devoted much time and effort to the local chapter, subdivision(s), and the Kentucky Federation. The nominee should have provided leadership in the community, with the local schools, and with parents.

The Carl Perkins Contributor to Special Education Award is given to individuals for their

distinguished leadership and service in the interest of exceptional children. **Minimum Criteria:** The nominee need not be working in the field of special education nor be a member of CEC. The nominee should have significantly contributed to the education and welfare of exceptional children in Kentucky.

The **Outstanding Special Education Administrator of the Year Award** is given to a school administrator whose primary responsibility is special education. The award is for distinguished leadership and support for special education and/or gifted and talented programs in Kentucky. **Minimum Criteria:** The nominee must be a special education administrator in Kentucky and a member of CEC. The nominee must have demonstrated outstanding leadership and developed innovative programming for exceptional individuals.

The award for the **Outstanding Kentucky Student CEC Member of the Year** is given to a student CEC member. It pays the highest tribute Kentucky CEC can give to a student member. The student may be a member of a student chapter or the Federation. **Minimum Criteria:** The nominee must be a student member of CEC in Kentucky. The nominee should have demonstrated outstanding service and leadership to the federation, the chapter, and to exceptional children in Kentucky. The nominee must be in special education training.

Certificates of Appreciation are available to agencies, organizations, media, and others outside of education who have contributed to the advancement of education for exceptional children. Each chapter or subdivision may submit the one name. A certificate of appreciation will be signed by the chapter or subdivision president and the president of the federation and sent to the nominated party.

PLEASE FORWARD NOMINATIONS TO:

Linda Alford
Campbell County Board of Education
101 Orchard Lane
Alexandria, KY 41001

All nominations must include the name, address, and telephone number of the person making the nomination; the name, address, and telephone number of the nominee, the award category and a detailed description of the outstanding professional contributions of the nominee and your reason for making the nomination. Be sure to keep in mind the criteria and requirements for each category as you provide your rationale. Also, please include the nominee's current vita.

Nominations must be received by December 10, 1993. Awards will be presented at the KYCEC annual business meeting at the convention in March.



CALL FOR PAPERS

KENTUCKY FEDERATION OF THE COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN 1994 CONVENTION

March 3, 4, & 5 - Lexington, Kentucky

All interested persons are invited to submit proposals for presentation at the 1994 KYCEC Convention. Potential participants and presenters include teachers, administrators, parents, teacher educators, college and university students, researchers, and related service personnel, educational diagnosticians, social workers, and psychologists.

Selection Process: The Program Chairperson, with the Program Advisory Committee, is responsible for the selection of conference presentations. Selections are made on the basis of relevancy, audience appeal, soundness, innovation to the field, organization, and clarity. Possible strands include: special education trends nationally and in Kentucky, KERA issues related to special education, technology in the field, post-secondary transition, community-based services, early childhood special education, family issues involving the education and care of children with disabilities, consultation and collaboration, curriculum and program delivery (instructional methods), low incidence disabilities, and certification issues. A special emphasis is being placed on teaching techniques and practices to be used with special education students.

Proposal Format:

Submit (a) a presentation summary (approximately 250-300 words) and (b) a brief presentation abstract (approximately 50 words). The abstract must be included for your proposal to be considered. Also submit the following information: your name, position, address and telephone number for yourself and all presenters. All proposals are to be accompanied by two self-addressed, stamped envelopes.

Selection Time Frame: Proposals must be submitted no later than October 30, 1993. Authors will be notified by November 15, 1993, regarding the status of their proposal.

Title of Presentation: _____

Presenter(s): _____

Position: _____

Business Address _____

Telephone: _____ (work) _____ (home)

If more than one presenter, please submit additional names and information attached to this form.

Length of Presentation: _____ 60 min. _____ 90 min. _____ 3 hr. workshop

Audio-Visuals Needed: Circle one: Overhead Cassette Recorder 16 mm projector

Screen Filmstrip Projector

Other Audio-Visuals are the responsibility of the presenter.

Send Proposal by October 30, 1993 to:

Dr. John Schuster
229 Taylor Education Building
Department of Special Education
University of Kentucky
Lexington, KY 40506-0001

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

THE COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN



1920 Association Drive
Reston, Virginia 22091-1589
VOICE and TDD 1-800-8456-CEC
FAX 703/264-9494

CHAPTER # _____

(If chapter number is not known, please leave blank. CEC will inform you of your local chapter number.)

Name _____
First (Please Print) Initial Last

Address _____
Street

_____ () _____
City State or Province Zip/Postal Code Phone work home

CEC is authorized to make available, at an appropriate charge, the full or partial list of its members to certain carefully selected companies or organizations serving the fields of regular and special education. If you do not want your name included, please check this box:

Please Check Your Combined CEC International and State/Province Dues

MAILING ADDRESS	Regular	Student*
US States		
GA, MD, ME, TX	\$67.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$29.50 <input type="checkbox"/>
FL	67.50 <input type="checkbox"/>	29.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
AK, DE, KS, NV, VT, WA ..	68.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	29.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
CT	68.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	29.50 <input type="checkbox"/>
MT, NC, PA, RI	69.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	29.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
MI	70.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	29.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
CO, IL, MN, NE, NY, OH ..	71.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	29.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
SC, VA, WI, WY	71.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	29.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
CA	74.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	29.50 <input type="checkbox"/>
All Other States	66.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	29.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Canadian Provinces	66.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	29.00 <input type="checkbox"/>

*Student Discount Requirement. To be eligible for student membership, your advisor must complete the following:

I certify that the above named person is a college or university student and is not engaged in full-time employment in the education profession.

Advisor's Signature _____

Expected Graduation Date _____

Special Paraprofessional, Parent, Retired, and Joint Memberships: Call CEC 1-800-8456-CEC for dues information.

Please Check All Divisions You Wish To Join

DIVISIONS	Regular	Student
Division for Learning Disabilities (DLD)	F \$15.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 8.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Council for Children with Behavioral Disorders (CCBD)	C 22.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	12.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Division for Early Childhood (DEC)	J 20.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	10.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Division on Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities (MRDD)	D 12.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	6.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Council of Administrators of Special Education (CASE)	B 40.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	20.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Teacher Education Division (TED)	I 15.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	5.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Division for Children with Communication Disorders (DCCD)	E 15.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	5.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
The Association for the Gifted (TAG)	H 15.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	7.50 <input type="checkbox"/>
Council for Educational Diagnostic Services (CEDS)	K 20.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	12.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Division for Physical and Health Disabilities (DPHD)	A 12.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	6.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Division on Career Development and Transition (DCDT)	M 15.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	7.50 <input type="checkbox"/>
Technology and Media Division (TAM)	L 10.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	10.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Division for Research (CEC-DR)	N 20.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	12.50 <input type="checkbox"/>
Division for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Exceptional Learners (DDEL)	Q 15.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	5.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Division on Visual Handicaps (DVH)	G 12.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	5.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Division of International Special Education and Services (DISES)	R 15.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	7.50 <input type="checkbox"/>
CEC Pioneers Division (CEC-PD)	P 20.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	

Only CEC members qualify for membership in CEC Divisions.

Compute Total Dues Here

CEC International and State/Province Dues \$ _____

Certificate (\$3.00) (Optional*) \$ _____

Dues For Divisions You Wish To Join \$ _____

Total Dues Payment \$ _____ U.S.

*An attractive Certificate of Membership is available with your name printed exactly as on this application. To order, enter \$3.00 above. Allow up to 6 weeks for delivery.

All dues subject to change after June 30, 1994

Indicate Method of Payment

Payment is by: Check (in U.S. Dollars)  

Card No. _____ Expiration Date _____

Signature _____ Daytime Telephone Number _____

CEC will complete: Auth. # _____ Ref. # _____

Please send this form and your payment to:

The Council for Exceptional Children
P.O. Box 79026
Baltimore, MD 21279-0026

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HELP KYCEC IDENTIFY KEY ISSUES IN SPECIAL EDUCATION IN KENTUCKY

KYCEC will conduct a session, at the 1993 Conference on Programs for Exceptional Children and Youth, that is designed to identify key issues that may need the attention of the political action network (PAN). Leaders of various chapters and divisions will present views from their perspective regarding what they consider to be critical matters requiring attention. Special educators are invited to express their concerns related to the changing status of exceptional child education within the Kentucky Education Reform Act. This session will help form the foundation of the platform for the KYCEC Political Action Network for 1993-94. With the General Assembly back in Frankfort in January, this is a very important year. KYCEC intends to be a force in working to maintain and improve services for exceptional children. Help us by providing your input on issues of concern to you. The meeting will be at the Galt House East, Louisville, from 10:15 - 11:45 on Wednesday, November 24. Check the conference program for exact location.

EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN REGULATIONS REVIEWED

The Exceptional Children Regulations are still being discussed and must again go before the State Board at a later date. The Administrative Regulations Review Subcommittee will meet to discuss the Exceptional Children Regulations on September 3, 1993 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 131 of the Capitol Annex, Frankfort. If planning to attend, you may wish to verify this information a few days prior to the meeting by contacting LRC directly at 502-564-8100, and asking for the Regulations Compiler's Office.

PUBLIC HEARING ON EARLY CHILDHOOD CERTIFICATION

A public hearing on the Interdisciplinary Early Childhood Education Birth To Primary (IECE) Certification will be held on September 21, 10:00 a.m., State Board Room 1st floor, Capitol Plaza Tower, Frankfort. For further information and a copy of the full regulation as adopted contact:

Dr. Roland Goddu, Executive Secretary
Education Professional Standards Board
Office of Teacher Education and Certification
18th Floor, Capitol Plaza Tower
500 Mero Street
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

502-564-4606

CEC ANNOUNCES FREE TEACHER WORKSHOP

TOPIC: CONSULTATION COLLABORATION

These workshops are open to any teacher in the State that wishes to participate. If you are unable to attend the workshop in your area, please feel free to attend a workshop at one of the other locations. For teachers in Central Kentucky, the travel time to the Northern or Eastern Kentucky workshops is approximately 1 1/2 hours. Please RSVP to the area Member-At-Large. If you do not need additional information you may simply leave a message indicating the number of participants.

NORTHERN KENTUCKY

Saturday, October 9

8:30 a.m. Registration/Coffee & Doughnuts

9 - 12:00 Workshop

Scott High School, Taylor Mill

RSVP by October 1:

Chris Jennings 606-356-3142

EASTERN KENTUCKY

Saturday, October 16

8:30 a.m. Registration/Coffee & Doughnuts

9 - 12:00 Workshop

Jenny Wiley State Park Convention Center

RSVP by October 8:

Coleman House 606-546-3192

WESTERN KENTUCKY

Saturday, October 23

8:30 a.m. Registration/Coffee & Doughnuts

9 - 12:00 Workshop

Owensboro Middle School, Media Center

1300 Booth, Owensboro

RSVP by October 16:

Elaine Downing 502-926-1810

PLEASE NOTE:

**A 3-HOUR WORKSHOP ON STUDENT PORTFOLIOS
WILL BE PROVIDED AT THE ANNUAL CEC
CONVENTION IN LEXINGTON.**

WITH REGRETS...

With great regrets, KYCEC mourns the passing of one of Kentucky's CEC long-time, active members. Alice Taylor passed away in June. Her assistance and dedication will be greatly missed.

For those of you who knew Alice, and wish to express your condolence, you may do so by making a contribution to the Kentucky Special Olympics in her memory. KYCEC is making a \$500 donation to the KSO in Alice's memory.

Contributions can be sent to Mr. Kevin O'Neil, Kentucky Special Olympics, 214 West Main Street, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

**\$300.00 Minigrants Available
5 for Chapters and Subdivisions
10 for CEC member teachers**

Kentucky Federation CEC Chapters, Subdivisions and teachers have the opportunity to apply for Federation Funded Minigrants. Monies have been budgeted which will permit a total of 15 Minigrants (5 for Chapter/Subdivisions, 10 for CEC member teachers) to be awarded up to a maximum amount of \$300 each. One proposal may be submitted per chapter, subdivision or teacher that would assist them in meeting their goals and objectives. However, the suggested areas of the Federation for awarding Minigrants are: membership, services to children, public awareness, newsletter, improving your organization, professional growth and advocacy for teachers.

A copy of the form for submitting a proposal is attached. Please be sure to use this form when applying for a Minigrant. A copy of the evaluation is also included so that you can see how a committee will review your proposal.

All proposals are to be mailed to Bill Porter at the address given below and must be postmarked no later than November 24, 1993. You will receive notification by return mail indicating that your proposal has been received. Written notice of the approval or disapproval (and reasons thereof) will be sent to the teacher or Chapter/Subdivision contact person by December 17, 1993. Among the considerations for reviewing and awarding the Minigrants will be those which adequately show how other funds, if appropriate, may be used to supplement this grant.

Grant awards will be competitive. Therefore, close adherence to the format, written communication skills, and the specifics of the proposal's content will all be factors considered by the review committee.

All teachers, Chapters and Subdivisions that are awarded Minigrants must agree to fulfill the following requirements:

1. Attend in person or send a representative to the general board meeting at the annual conference to give a progress report.
2. Submit a written report regarding their Minigrant no later than July 1, 1994.
3. Submit receipts for reimbursement at anytime but no later than July 1, 1994.

If there are questions regarding the Minigrants please do not hesitate to contact me at the address below:

Bill Porter
CEC Minigrant Chairperson
Simpson County Board of Education
P.O. Box 467
Franklin, KY 42135-0467
Phone: (502) 586-8877
Fax: (502) 586-2011

DEADLINE: NOVEMBER 24, 1993

MINIGRANT PROPOSAL FORM
THE KENTUCKY FEDERATION OF THE COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN

POSTMARKED DEADLINE : NOVEMBER 24, 1993

TEACHER GRANT _____ CHAPTER/SUBDIVISION GRANT _____

NAME OF CHAPTER/SUBDIVISION OR TEACHER _____ # _____

NAME OF CONTACT PERSON _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

HOME PHONE (____) _____ BUSINESS PHONE (____) _____

PROPOSAL ADDRESSES THE FOLLOWING AREA :

____ MEMBERSHIP ____ SERVICES TO CHILDREN ____ PUBLIC AWARENESS ____ NEWSLETTER
____ IMPROVING YOUR ORGANIZATION ____ PROFESSIONAL GROWTH ____ ADVOCACY FOR TEACHERS

PROPOSAL GOALS :

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED PROJECT (250 WORDS OR LESS) :

ESTIMATED BUDGET :

WILL OTHER FUNDS BE USED TO SUPPLEMENT THIS GRANT? YES ____ (EXPLAIN BRIEFLY) NO ____

I understand that should the CEC Chapter/Subdivision or teacher be awarded a Minigrant, that on or before July 1, 1994 I will :

1. Attend in person or send a representative to the general board meeting at the annual conference to give a progress report
2. Submit a written report regarding Minigrant
3. Submit receipts for reimbursement at anytime but no later than July 1, 1994

SIGNATURE _____ TITLE _____ DATE _____

**KYCEC MINIGRANT
 PROPOSAL EVALUATION FORM**

Name of Chapter/Subdivision or Teacher _____ # _____

I. SCORING PROCEDURES

- A. Check YES/NO columns for items A - H in Section II
- B. Designate a numerical rating (1 is poorest, 5 is best) for items A - H in Section II
- C. Total numerical column
- D. State comments in Section II as needed

II. EVALUATIVE CRITERIA	YES	NO	1-5	COMMENTS
A. The proposal addressed one or more of the designated areas.				
B. Goals are stated with clarity.				
C. Description clearly and concisely summarizes the request.				
D. Proposal presents a reasonable scope of activities that can be conducted within the time and resources available.				
E. Budget estimate is \$300 or less.				
F. Proposal indicates how other funds, if appropriate, may be used to supplement the grant.				
G. Proposal form was signed, dated and postmarked by the deadline.				
Total Numerical Rating				

III. PREVIOUS AWARDS

- A. Chapter/Subdivision/Teacher has previously received a minigrant? YES ____ NO ____
- B. If so, what years? _____

IV. RECOMMENDATION (check)

- A. Approval - Amount _____/_____
- B. Conditional Approval - Amount _____/_____
 Condition(s) :
- C. Not Approved at this time _____
 Reason(s):

KYSCEC

What an exciting year we will have in the Student Council for Exceptional Children of the Kentucky Federation! We have a full slate of officers, and we will be active in KYCEC functions. Most important, we will make participation in KYSCEC relevant and beneficial. Get ready, students, join our organization, bring friends, and make KYSCEC fun and vital!

We plan to have a Student Strand in the 1994 Kentucky Federation of the Council for Exceptional Children Convention. We will have presentations by students for students (and significant others). Several students are already developing proposals for presentation. We encourage you, too, to submit proposals to share ideas and experiences. The Strand will feature a Multicultural Education Showcase where teachers will display and demonstrate a wide variety of exciting materials and methods. Gifts for multicultural educational activities will be given to all participants.

Other KYSCEC plans include a survey among Kentucky Special Education majors with regard to their preparation for the KERA classrooms. The officers will have either a telephone conference or an officers' meeting during the November conference on Programs for Exceptional Children hosted by the Kentucky Department of Education, to refine organization and planning for the 1993-94 activities.

If you have suggestions and recommendations for KYSCEC, please contact the officers. They are:

- Co-Presidents: Anne Brumleve
Tracey Godsey
- Vice-President: Jennifer Fritsch
- Governor: Amy Steffan
- Secretary/Treasurer: Michelle Mudd
- Faculty Advisor: Dr. Esther Leung

KYCEC OPEN HOUSE!

The KYCEC will host an open house at the KDE Conference on Programs for Exceptional Children at the Galt House East in Louisville on Tuesday, November 23rd, from 4:45-5:30pm. All CEC members and those individuals interested in finding out more about the organization are invited to meet the state officers. Please join us for a glass of wine or soft drink, hors d'oeuvres, and enlightening conversation. See the conference program for the room.

A KYCEC General Board Meeting will also occur on the same day from 7:00-8:30pm. Please see the conference program for room assignment of the meeting.

CEC PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

- **Two Journals:** **TEACHING** Exceptional Children, four issues each year, and **Exceptional Children**, six issues each year.
- **Automatic Membership** in local, state/provincial, and international CEC.
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