ALASKA FAMILY ENGAGEMENT CENTER

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The Alaska Family Engagement Center aims to improve school-family partnerships across the state by working with fifteen school districts to develop training, resources, and activities for schools and families which are built on the Stronger Together Framework. All school districts, community partners, and families will have access to the materials.

PARTNERS

- Aleutians East School District
- Anchorage School District
- Bering Strait School District
- Craig City Schools
- Dillingham City Schools
- Fairbanks School District
- Juneau School District
- Kodiak Island Borough School District
- Lower Kuskokwim School District
- Lower Yukon School District
- Kushunamiut School District
- Nome Public Schools
- North Slope Borough School District
- Northwest Arctic School District

SHORT-TERM OUTCOMES

School staff have skills and strategies to work effectively with families; Families have skills and confidence to work effectively with schools; Families are engaged in state and local decision-making; Families have skills, knowledge, confidence to support their child's academic and developmental learning.

MID-TERM OUTCOMES

Improved attendance; Improved school climate

LONG-TERM OUTCOMES

Sustained and integrated state supports; Family-School-Community engagement statewide policies; Improved academic outcomes of underserved students; Improved social-emotional outcomes of underserved students.



CORE ACTIVITIES

FAMILY ACTIVITIES

School districts can choose different paths or themes which unlock funding and access to a suite of family engagement activities.

Bridging to the Future
Postsecondary Transitions

Transforming Schools
Trauma-Engaged

Alaska Strong
Culturally Responsive

Alaskan Families Read
Early Literacy

Structures to Success
Communication & Decision-Making

STATEWIDE ACTIVITIES

- AK FAM statewide coalition
- Family Advisory Board (FAB)
- DEED training and partnership

DISTRICT-LEVEL ACTIVITIES

- Planning & Coordination
- Coaching & Training
- Family Activities

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