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School District

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SISD Student and Board Fly-in

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To: All Staff <allstaff@sisd.org>

Cc: School Board <schoolboard@sisd.org>, Representative.Dan.Ortiz@akleg.gov,
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Staff and community,

Students and school board members recently traveled to Juneau on February 8-13, for leadership training and meetings with Alaska legislators to advocate for public education and SISD.

They addressed concerns such as the shortage of teaching staff, inconsistent mental health services, lack of maintenance funds for school facilities, aging vehicles, and funding for student activities.

The students represented SISD positively, emphasizing the need for [increased funding and investment in our youth](#).

Special thanks to school board members Debbie Fehr, Tony Lovell, and parent chaperone Stephanie Hamby for taking their time out of their very busy schedules.

Additionally, thanks to Representative Rebecca Himschoot and Representative Dan Ortiz for their support for public education and for meeting and listening to our student's concerns.

Gratitude to SISD students Austin Keys, Tia and Megan Christopherson, Anagail Hamby, Nash Lovell, Teagan Taylor, and Bonnie Campbell for their advocacy—truly our future leaders.

Please see the attached pictures.

Warm Regards,

Rod

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"The most valuable resource that we all have is each other. Without collaboration our growth is limited to our own perspectives."

Robert John Meehan

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