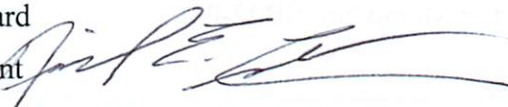




NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

MEMORANDUM

TO: Qaiyaan Harcharek, President
Members of the School Board

THROUGH: Rich Carlson, Superintendent 

THROUGH: Liz Noble, Director of Curriculum & Instruction LN

FROM: Ian Acuna, Data Specialist IA

DATE: September 9, 2021

SUBJECT: FY22 School Calendar Change **Memo No. SB22-038**
(Action Item)

NSBSD Strategic Plan Goal:

- 1.1 Student Well Being: Support the physical, nutritional, mental, and social-emotional health of all students.
- 2.3 SAC: Evolve the role of the School Advisory Council (SAC) as community leaders and advocates for education.
- 4.1 Facilities: Establish safe, modern and high-performing learning facilities.

Recommendation:

The administration recommends the School Board approve the revised FY22 Ałak school calendar as proposed by the Ałak Staff and School Advisory Council.

Issue Summary:

Calendar revision is due to maintenance and contractor challenges, which occurred before and during the initial day of school and Covid restrictions. The opening of school needed to be delayed one week from August 12th to August 19th.

Revision reflects the following: Proposed site In-Service days are 08/11, 08/16, 08/17, and 08/18. Initial In-service dates were 11/24, 01/05, and 03/11. In addition, 2 Saturday School Days, November 6 and November 20 are identified in the proposed calendar to align with 182 instructional days as per BP 6111: School Calendar.

The attached calendar revision aligns Ałak's calendar with both State and NSBSD School Board policy as follows:

- Total Teacher Days: 193
- Total Student Days: 173
- Total In-service Days remain at 9
- Total School Days add up to 182 (173 Student days + 9 In-service Days)
- Ałak Cultural In-service date remains 09/18/21

Note: All Staff, teachers, cooks, bus driver, paras, custodians, etc... will be compensated 2 additional days in the proposed calendar.

Background:

NSBSD School Board approved Alak's initial school calendar May 20, 2021.

Proposed Motion:

"I move that the NSBSD Board of Education approve the revised Alak School Calendar as presented in Memo No. SB22-038."

Motion by _____ Seconded by _____

Advisory Vote _____ Vote _____

Encl.

FY22 Alak Calendar (Revised)