



**Kali School
SAC Report
January 2024**

Principal Cindy Granatir

SAC Members: (Reorganization will happen in January.)

Perry Pikok, Seat 1

Hubert Long, Seat 4

Calvin Lane, Seat 2

Nathan Henry, Sr., Seat 5

Gwendolyn (Apple) Pikok, Seat 3

Total Enrollment: 89

Pre-K3/4: 9	Kindergarten: 9	1 st Grade: 5	2 nd Grade: 2	3 rd Grade: 6
4 th Grade: 7	5 th Grade: 5	6 th Grade: 9	7 th Grade: 7	8 th Grade: 5
9 th Grade: 8	10 th Grade: 5	11 th Grade: 6	12 th Grade: 6	

Attendance:

September 89.23%

October 91.9%

November 87.3%

Staff:

Teachers: 13	Substitute Full-Time: 0
Counselor: Vacant	Substitute Part-Time: 0
Special Education: 1 teacher	M&O (Facilities/Custodial/Kitchen): 6
Para Professionals: 1 permanent	Vacancies: 5 (1 kitchen, 1 maintenance, 1 counselor, 1 SpEd para, 1 para)

Highlights:

- Student attendance for September, October, and November was excellent.
 - We have two trained and certified lifeguards. The pool will be ready to open in January.
 - All teaching positions are filled.
 - Middle of the Year assessments are completed except for students who were absent.
 - Winter MAP assessment scores improved from the fall assessment
 - 65% of students who were tested schoolwide improved in math
- Notable Class Achievements:
- 100% of 3rd graders improved in math

- 86% of 4th graders improved in math
- 80% of 5th graders improved in math (one was absent)
- 75% of 6th graders improved in math (one was absent; one stayed the same)
- 57% of students who were tested schoolwide improved in language usage
- 40% of students who were tested schoolwide improved in reading

Strategic Plan Goals / Pedagogy Implementation:

Strategic Plan Goal 1.0 Student Success:

- Plans for third quarter include the reading interventionist pushing into two elementary classrooms for structured literacy blocks five days/week and mentoring elementary teachers in explicit, balanced literacy instruction. We will be implementing an intensive, targeted instructional plan in grades 2-6, focusing specifically on the skills of reading.
- The math interventionist will expand services to include the entire 7th grade class five days/week for second semester.
- Preliminary plans are being developed for Kali secondary students to reach out to our cohort schools and create PSAs about the importance of mental health and the need for mental health professionals in our rural communities.
- Two students attended Alaska Excel in November and earned credit in career exploration as well as aviation.
- One senior completed all graduation requirements and, with his parent's support, graduated in December 2023. He will attend the graduation ceremony with his classmates in May.
- Five students completed credit recovery first semester.

*Tutoring is underway.

*The senior class sponsored a free volleyball clinic for elementary students and plans to host additional sessions.

*Distiller and Water Filters are being utilized at school to ensure there is potable water at school when the community is on boil water notice. We have also placed water containers in classrooms, so students do not have to leave the classroom to get water—maximizing instruction time.

Strategic Plan Goal 2.0 Community Engagement

- Halloween Parade –Native Village of Point Lay provided cash prizes for first, second, and third place costumes for each grade level, babies/toddlers, adults, and elders; the Mayor's office also provided gift bag prizes for students.
- Thanksgiving feast was held at school. Officer Grubbs volunteered his off time on Nov. 23-24 to help prepare food with the school's Plant Manager, bus driver, and principal. Several teachers decorated the gym, and everyone worked together to create a festive holiday.
- Several parents and community members frequently come to the school to volunteer in classes and eat lunch with their students.
- On multiple occasions, when the community has not had a senior van driver, the local police officer has coordinated with the school to deliver elder meals.
- ASRC will be hosting Inupiat Days for students and the community in February.

- Ilisagvik College has visited to share information about their programs with our students and provided HAZWOPR training for the community.
- Three college students spent first semester working as temporary para professionals in our school, gaining experience in the classrooms. While they will be returning to their studies in January, we are grateful for the time they spent with our students and wish them the best as they complete their degrees. We look forward to them returning to the district in the future as professional educators.

Upcoming Events:

Christmas Program Dec. 14

Basketball Season—Home Tournament Feb. 16-17; Regionals Feb. 29-March 2; Prom March 2