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# Central Office District mid-year

OVERVIEW Superintendent Vadiveloo



## HIGHLIGHTS for the first half of SY24/25

- Strong Winter to winter student academic growth
- Immersion year 2
- Social & emotional wellbeing partnerships with the NSB
- CTE and Voc Ed program in full operation
- FY24 clean audit (second clean audit in a row)
- Security and deferred maintenance being addressed on all sites
- Kaktovik school rebuild on schedule
- Recruiting for FY26 has begun
- FY25-29 Strategic Plan is locked in
- Stability in governance, leadership and administration





### CHALLENGES

- Teacher recruiting nationally remains challenging and impacts program initiatives like interventions & voc-ed
- Local community recruiting remains challenging and impacts departments & initiatives eg. immersion, language teaching K-12, paraprofessionals, kitchens, bus drivers
- Deferred maintenance and aging infrastructure
- Compensation comparisons with NSB and other local entities





## PRIORITIES OF FOCUS

- Increase reading interventionist services at all sites wherever possible
- Review and add supports to math & science programs
- Recruit more language speakers and embed the ILF
- Expand teacher coaching and culturally responsive practice
- Further strengthen SEL partnerships and supports for students
- Expand and refine CTE and Voc-Ed programs
- Roll-out Tumitchiat Sivunmun plans for all students
- Make calendars, attendance and behavior, topics for community discussion as part of authentic partnerships





#### **PRIORITIES OF FOCUS**



