

# Early Learning & Literacy Grant Report: March 2023

## Early Childhood Updates

- **Monthly Audio:** Mar. 5th @ 12:30
- **Teaching Strategies Gold - Checkpoint #2-** Feb. 23rd (PreK Standards Progress)
- **AAEYC Conference:** Feb. 29- Mar. 2- Building Relationships with Families, Culturally Based Assessments, Cultivating Empathy, Building Resilience, Building a Community of Play, Challenging Behaviors Turned Calm, Refocusing on Quality in Early Childhood
- **Last Day of PreK:** April 25th or 26th

## Project Update

**Literacy Games:** (1) Soaring Syllables, (2) Mimicking Movements: A Matching Alliteration Game

### Summer Backpacks:

May- Growing & Learning

June- Soaring into Summer

July- Fishing with Family

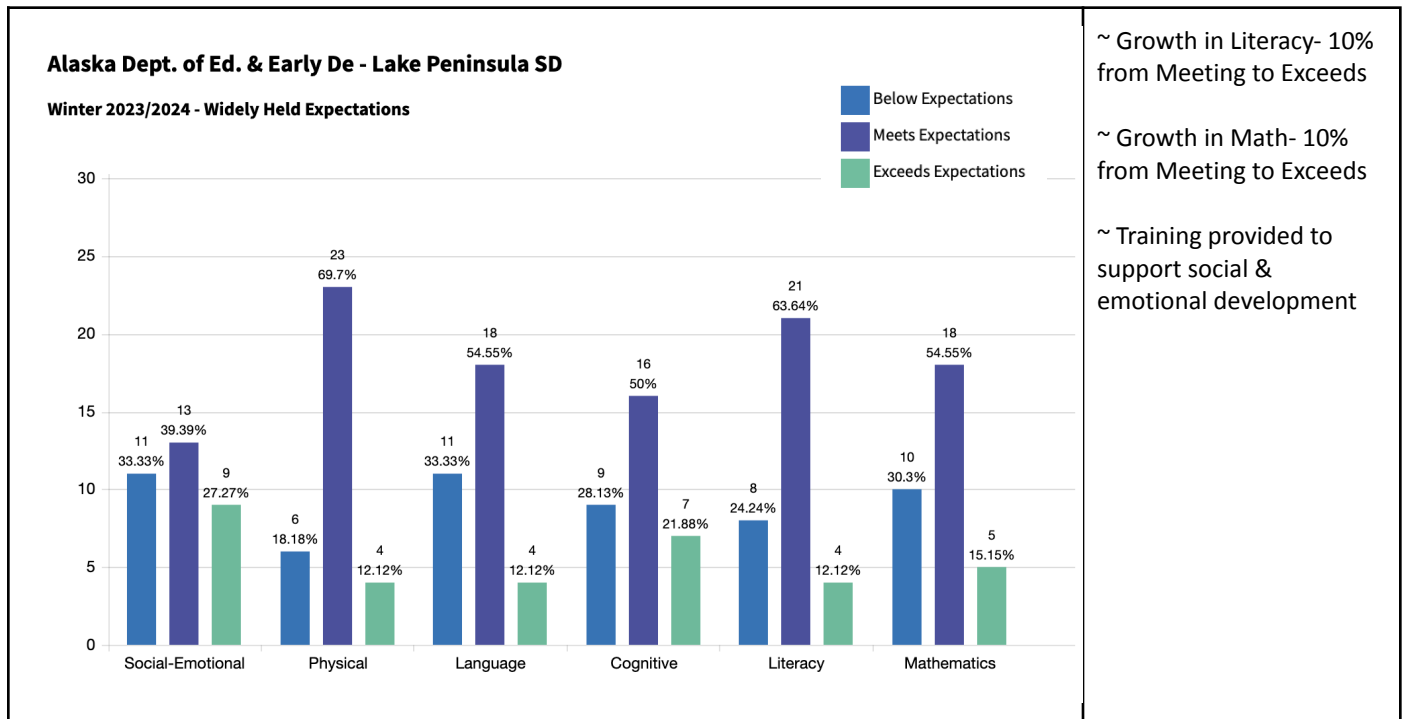
August-A Journey into Kindergarten

~ Packed full of monthly activity guides, themed scavenger hunts, and opportunities to learn through meaningful play and family interactions all summer long!

## Thoughtful Thursdays: Alphabreaths



## PreK Standards- Checkpoint #2



## Student Learning in Action!



Tanalian  
Game Time & Taking Turns



Chignik Lagoon  
Exploring Magnets



Perryville  
Pajama Party with Math  
& Literacy



Newhalen  
Cooperative Learning &  
Teamwork

## Community Little Ones



As of Feb. 2024:

- PK 3-5: 45 children
- Age 3: 9 children
- Age 2: 14 children
- Age 1: 17 children
- Baby: 10 children

Early Literacy Bags Distributed:  
March 7th!