



**Tikiġaq School  
Highlighted School Report  
September 2024**



**Principal Brent Hammer  
Assistant Principal Larry Cobb**

**Enrollment: 235**

Pre-K3: 8	Pre-K4: 9	K: 14	1 <sup>st</sup> Grade: 16	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade: 11
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade: 24	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade: 13	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade: 19	6 <sup>th</sup> Grade: 7	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade: 21
8 <sup>th</sup> Grade: 29	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade: 11	10 <sup>th</sup> Grade: 22	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade: 10	12 <sup>th</sup> Grade: 22

**Attendance: 74%**

**Highlights:**

Start of the school year has been relatively smooth. Some longstanding teachers have said this is the best start they remember in all their years at Tikiġaq School.

Behavior & Attendance Incentives with elementary and secondary students.

PBIS Matrix in place with teachers explicitly teaching students our school expectations.

Golden Ticket Drawing each Friday morning.

Some of our students attending Alaska EXCEL Program in Anchorage

Meeting with all our high school students to review the credit process so they understand the importance of attending and passing their classes at this level.

Partnering with Maniilaq Health Care to support our students.

Open House was a great success with a good number of students and their families coming out.

ASNA came out for a couple well-attended evening events.

Fun Run sponsored by ASRC Construction

Lunch with the principal

Our students – we have some incredible students at our school

**Upcoming Events:**

Student & Family Bonfire on the Beach

Susan Hope coming our way in November

Monthly celebrations focused on attendance

Volleyball & Basketball Tournaments

**Distinguished Students**

**Mekana Ivanhoff** – her teachers shared that Makenna is quick to follow instructions and encourage others to do their best, is a super math student, always in a happy mood, maintains good behavior even when frustrated, and is always staying on top of her work

**Graciana Frankson** – her teachers shared that she always works hard and is a great role model, plays drums really well and she sings too, comes to class on time and is ready to work, is always on task in her work and her projects, and rarely needs to be told what to do twice.

**Adrienne Vincent** – our only student who had perfect attendance last school year. On top of her perfect attendance, she is kind to everyone around her (at least at school), works diligently on her school work, never is a behavior problem (at least at school), is quick to volunteer, and gets along with pretty much everybody.

### **Distinguished Staff**

**Stephanie Brock, Elementary Special Education Teacher** – selected by their peers. Hard working teacher who gives her best to the students every day. I have seen significant growth in our students under her watch and has developed a good team to best help our students who need extra support.

**Daisy Lane, Elementary 1-to-1 Special Education Paraprofessional (and currently our ILT elementary sub)** – has done a remarkable job with the students she has worked with. Has stepped in to sub in our ILT elementary class and is doing a good job with our students. Always positive and upbeat. Did an incredible job with prom last year and graduation. Has an immense amount of energy and just a kind spirit about her.

### **Distinguished Volunteers**

Our staff who go above and beyond for our students with the extracurricular activities that are offered throughout the school year.

### **Words of Wisdom Speaker: Morris Sage**

