

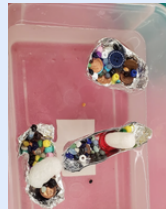
Photos: Chignik Lagoon, Chignik Lake, Kokhanok, Newhalen, Tanalian



Letter Work



Will it Sink or Float?



Taking Turns



Exploring Shadows



Literacy Stations



Cookie Party



Teamwork



Impressions

Preschool Enrollment

- Chignik Lagoon- 2
- Chignik Lake- 4
- Kokhanok- 5
- Nondalton- 2
- Newhalen- 11
- Perryville- 3
- Port Alsworth- 2

- Port Heiden- Need Staff
- Igiugig- Need Staff
- Levelock- Need Staff

Early Learning Programs



Professional Development

- Upcoming Site Visits Feb. 24-28
- Monthly PLC- **Implementing Pyramid Model & Inclusive Practices in Early Childhood**
- Themes- Nurturing & Responsive Relationships, Targeted SEL Support, Understanding Inclusion, Implicit Bias, Reducing Challenging Behaviors, Implementing MTSS within EC classrooms
- Alaska Association for the Education of Young Children (AAEYC)- Feb. 20-22

Cultural Curriculum Themes- 1st Semester

- Subsistence Calendar, Alaskan Skies, AK Mammals, Blubber, Traditional Foods, Investigating Ice, Around Our Communities

Teaching Strategies- Checkpoint #1

- PreK Progress Monitoring Tool & Objectives of Development Milestones
- Examining data with families, Sharing targeted resources, and Creating individualized learning plans

Literacy Grants

Fully Grant Funded- CLSD Grantee

- Winter Convening- Jan. 9th (virtual)
- Collecting & analyzing data for final grant reporting (May)
- New CLSD grant opportunity soon to open (Feb. 2025)!
- Considerations: Bolster LPSD Mentor Program, Updated Literacy Curriculum, Support for In-Person Professional Development, Design & Implement District-Wide Family Engagement
- Monthly Mentor Mtg- Jan. 15th: Supporting Mentees
- Mentors (7) & Mentees (14)

Safer Communities & Stronger Connections Grant

- Newly Awarded- Dec. 2024!
- Supports LPSD Mentor & Mentee Program
- Provides site visits for on-the-ground support
- Development of Place-Based Learning Opportunities
- Jan 24th Inservice: Place-Based Learning Session
- Some ideas: Water sampling, Animal identification & tracking, Exploring shorelines, Interviews from the Community, Traditions from Elders (canning, skin sewing, recipes, storytelling)

