



**School Board Report
Highlighted School Report
November 2024**

Principal Betty Diana

**Assistant Principals: Mr. Adam Woodward
Ms. Michelle Carton**

DISTINGUISHED STUDENTS:



Lucianna Fosi, 5th Grade

Lucianna has great attendance and is always willing to learn. She is kind, caring and a good friend. Lucianna has been a Ilitchipaktuat winner multiple times and has completed multiple skills sets and is ready to do verbal production.



Zion Aikhionbare, 4th Grade

Zion has excellent attendance and he is the current 4th Grade Class President. Zion listen well, does great work, always participates and makes our conversations powerful. He is kind-hearted, brilliant, help others and always take care of our things.



Nolan Walker, Kindergarten

Nolan has good attendance and loves coming to school. He is kind, funny, and always to help his friends. Nolan is very attentive and works hard in class.

DISTINGUISHED STAFF:



Jessica Kalvig, 3rd grade Teacher – Certified Staff

Jessica has been with the NSBSD and Fred Ipalook Elementary for 17 years. She is Student council and year book advisor and has maintained this role for the past 7 years. Jessica and the student council have sponsored the Veterans Day Luncheon for 7 years. Her organizational skills as well as her attention to detail has made this event a success. Her dedications to her student is beyond approach and she ensures that all her students receive the highest quality of education.

Judelynn Protheros, 1st Grade Para- Classifies Staff

Judely has been with NSBSD for 7 years as a paraprofessional for the 1st grade team. She supervises and assists struggling students with their school work and is willing to substitute in classrooms when needed. She is a dedicated to our student at Fred Ipalook Elementary and for that we are grateful.

ENROLLMENT: 497

Pre-K3: 39

Pre-K4Pre: 52

Kinder 71

1st Grade: 53

2nd Grade: 73

3rd Grade: 65

4th Grade: 71

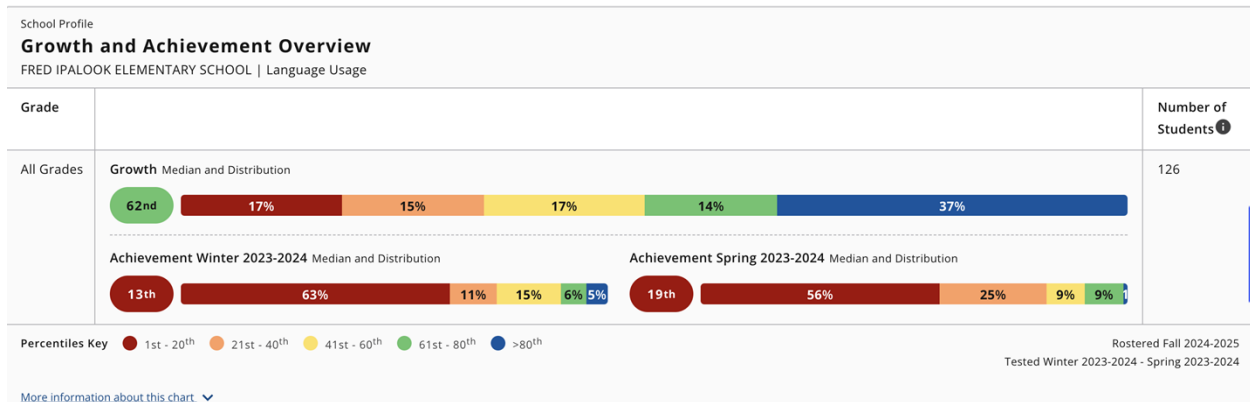
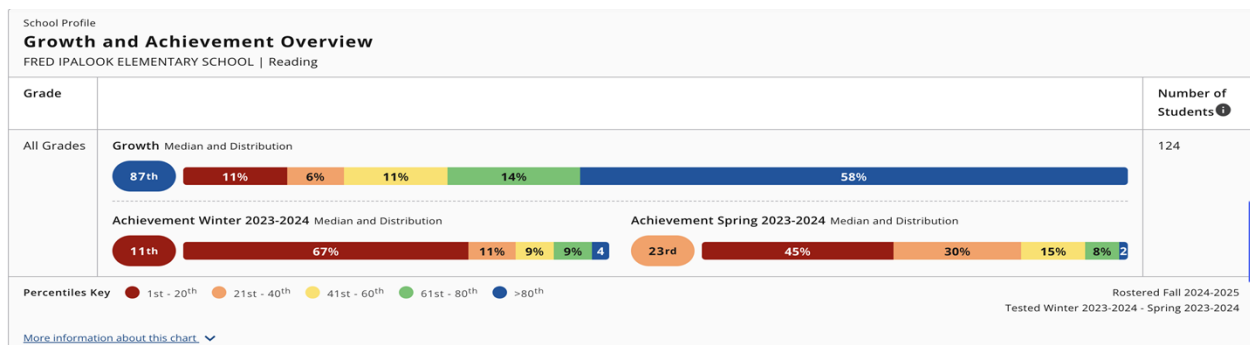
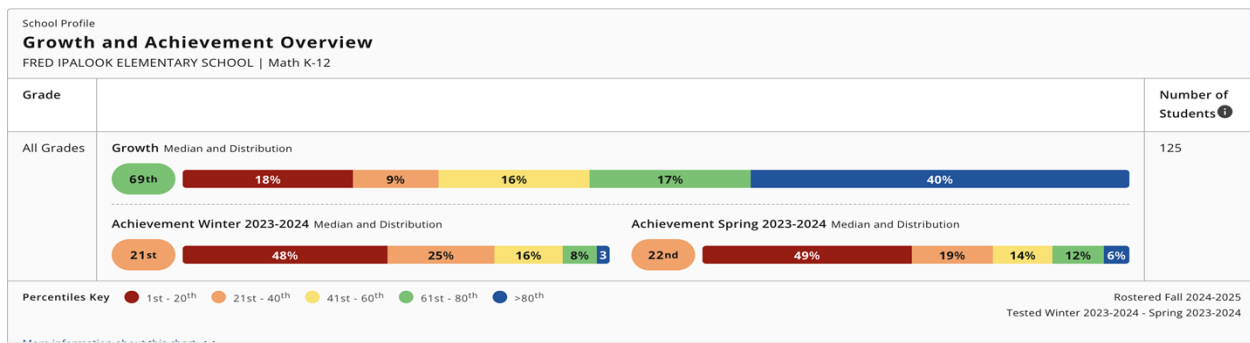
5th Grade: 73

ATTENDANCE:

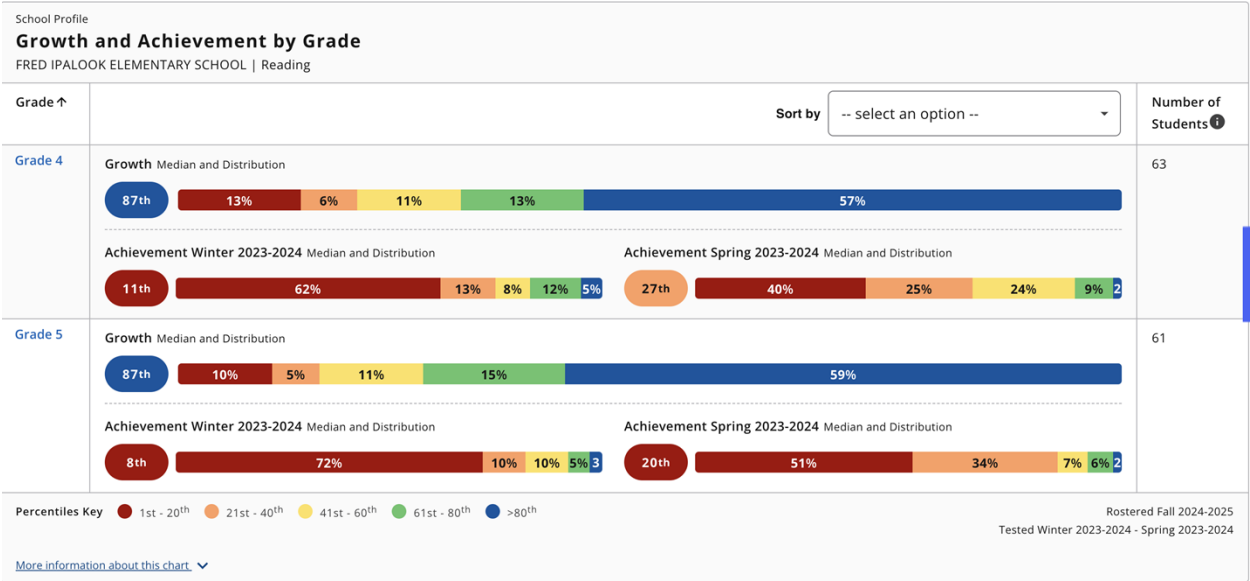
Grade	August	September	October	November	December	90% Goal
K	77.76%	78.85%	73.51%			
1 st	76.89%	79.06%	77.09%			
2 nd	79.22%	77.64%	78.03%			
3 rd	79.25%	83.23%	78.61%			
4 th	84.10	78.51%	80.14%			
5 th	75.11%	78.48%	75.70%			

HIGHLIGHT:

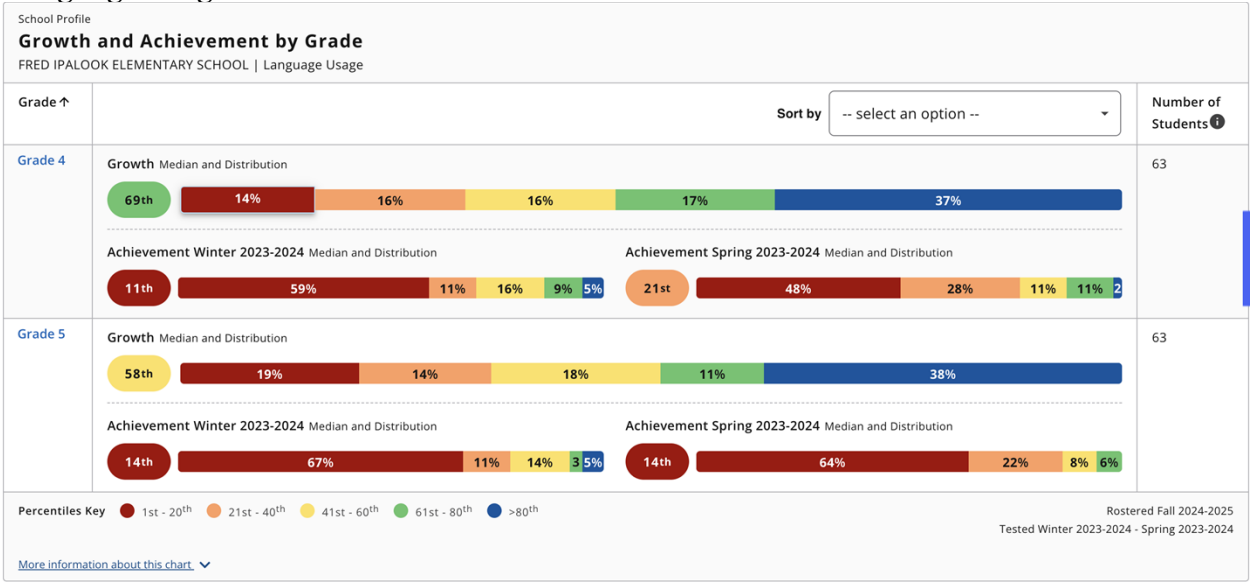
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Growth by Grade:
Reading:



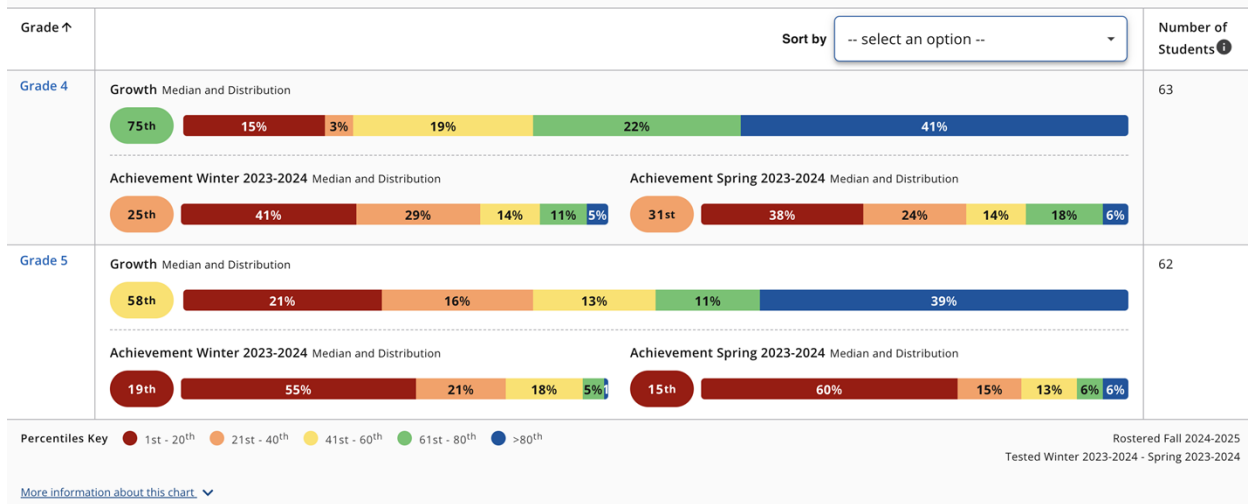
Language Usage:




Math:

Growth and Achievement by Grade

FRED IPALOOK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL | Math K-12

**School Activities:**

- October 16-17 Fire Prevention Week. The North Slope Borough Fire Department came out and provided a presentation to all students, Pre-k to 5th grade on the importance of smoke alarms and fire prevention. Student were able to meet Scout the Fire Dog and were given goodie bags.
- All staff participated in the Cultural Inservice on October 18th. The Inservice provide staff with a field trip to the college in the morning and hands on activities in the afternoon. Staff attended a beading workshop, made pickled maktak, and received training in Ivalu program. It was a day filled with learning and laughter.
- The Halloween Parade was held on October 31st, and it was unbelievable. This being my first time witnessing this spectacular event. We were standing room only and the turnout of students and adults in costumes was awesome. We want to thank the Borough for sponsoring the Halloween Costume Contest and providing prizes.
- Due to icy roads and snow drifts school was cancelled on Wednesday, November 6, 2023. We were scheduled to have our Inuiat Day activities on the day, but we rescheduled for Friday, November 8, 2023. The morning was set up with 6 different sessions which range from Aiggi to Ebson Hopson story. Our students were amazing, and they all looked beautiful in their traditional dress. We finished our day with a potluck of traditional foods which the student could not get enough of. We plan on doing a monthly (if possible) or maybe quarterly potluck of traditional foods to bring our community, students and staff together. We had special guest stop by to join us, Luke and Twig George: siblings to the Whale scientist Craig George. I would like to shout out to the team that made this event a success, the Ilisaurri Uyumgaq, Ilisaurii Anausuk, Ilisaurii Sikkattuaq, Ilisaurii Nanuq, Ilisaurii Jessica and Ilisaurii Robin.
- Also on this day, our 1st Graders invited Mr. Charles Hopson and his wife to do a whaling presentation. We appreciate them taking the time to come and share their knowledge with our first graders.
- November 2024, was Ipalook's Annual Veterans Luncheon. Ipalooks students' council host the Veterans Luncheon every year to honor our Veterans from all branches and their families.



We had approximately 50+ attendees. We were honored to have a guest who is 90 years old and served with the Alaska Territorial Guard. Our kitchen out did their selves with the lunch menu. Our student council catered to our guest in a manner that made us so proud. Ipalook Beginning and Intermediate Choir sang a medley of patriotic songs. A slideshow presentation was presented that showed pictures of all the veterans from the slope past and present. The Borough donated beautiful cakes for dessert and our kitchen staff cook up a meal that all our participants, student and staff enjoyed. A big shout out to Ms. Jessica Kalvig, student council sponsor for being the Mistress of Ceremony. Extra big shoutout to the students of Kiita and Alice Sage for volunteering with our event.

- SSMH-Dental Clinic completed the second fluoride varnish application for the whole school on Tuesday, November 12, 2024.
- School Community Partnership Engagement presented Health/Safety related sessions for grades 3-5 on Friday, November 15, 2024. The topics presented were Truth about Vaping, Bullying Prevention Month, S & R outdoor safety and Oral/Dental Health.
- M & O have installed all the vape detectors in the bathrooms throughout the school

UPCOMING EVENTS:

November 23, 2024 – 8:00 – 1:50 p.m.
Make-up Snow Day

December 2- 13, 2024
mClass window opens

December 10, 2024 – 3:00 p.m.- 7:30 p.m.
IPK Christmas Program

December 11, 2024 – 3:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
IPK Christmas Program