

# School Board Report October 2023

## **Enrollment (as of October 19)**

2023/2024

Families Pending: 5 Students Pending: 10 **Families Enrolled: 303** Students Enrolled: 501

Total: 308 Total: 511

For comparison purposes:

• October 2022 numbers were 292 families and 479 students

### **FTE Trends**

School Year	FTE
2023/2024	477.38 (anticipated)
2022/2023	455.75
2021/2022	485.36
2020/2021	668.51
2019/2020	318.65
2018/2019	244.00
2017/2018	234.62

Count ends October 27; we will have an official FTE number with state reporting.

The end of the first quarter is Tuesday, October 31. Teachers are working with families to submit grades, as well as supporting those just getting started with their year.

#### **PACE Outreach**

PACE advertising has been deferred at this time. Over the next several months, our marketing team will focus on search engine optimization through reviews and updating the PACE website.

All learning centers have started activity planning for the school year. This month the ALC hosted a field trip to Fire Station 1 and the MLC hosted a meet and greet in the learning center.

### **PACE Staffing**

We continue to look for a part-time administrative assistant in the Anchorage Learning Center. We have moved a promising candidate forward into the background and reference-checks stage and are hopeful to make an offer soon.

## **School Improvement**

Data collection for DIBELS was sent to the state October 1. Individual reading plans were started for students performing well-below benchmark, per the Alaska Reads Act. PACE also completed our MAP testing for families during the second week of October; teachers and families will be getting those reports before the end of the month.

Preparations are under way for the first PACE inservice of the year. This will be held in Anchorage November 7-8.