

Dear Southeast Island Community Members,

On May 8-9, 2019, a group of community members and staff met to update the Southeast Island School District Strategic Plan with the help of outside facilitators from the Association of Alaska School Boards.

Members of the Planning Team worked together to review district wide information and identified the critical issues facing the SISD. Building on the strengths of our community and schools, the planning team revised the mission and vision statements as well as goals and objectives. In May an Action Team was appointed and they will continue to work on strategies and actions.

The planning process was truly a collaborative effort and we sincerely appreciate everyone who contributed to the success of the update.

Sincerely,

Heidi Young, Board President and Sherry Becker,



Southeast Island School District Strategic Plan 2019-2024

Goals

Prepare students for post-secondary life.

Provide Sufficient/ Effective Staff Support.

Improve Communication District and Community Wide.

Increase Visibility to Share Lifestyle and Increase Enrollment. Vision: Students are equipped to realize their dreams and aspirations.

Mission: Together we will foster student skills to achieve their goals and thrive in an everchanging world.

We believe...

- in a unique and powerful educational experience.
- students will be provided a challenging education unique to their individual needs.
- students are valued and honored.
- in mutual respect.
- early childhood education is essential to later success of students.
- in establishing relationships with community agencies to provide resources for whole family wellness.
- students will be provided a safe learning environment.
- ongoing relevant staff development is vital.
- in mutual accountability and communication among students, staff, parents, and community leads to students' success.
- in building resiliency.
- In responsible academic freedom.

Members of the Committee were:

Sherry Becker – Donna Lacour – Amanda Blankenship – Airica Tripple – Laura Anania – Kara McCoy Janet Stout – Brian Krosschell – Mark Gunkel – John Stevens – Andy Cook – Gregg Cook Danel Winrod – Nick Higson – Molly Kimsey – Amy McDonald - Shimon Kransy – Rebecca Saffold

*Session was facilitated by Timi Tullis from the Association of Alaska School Boards

