



Academic Policy Committee
November 13, 2025 * 758 N. Shoreline Drive Wasilla, AK

Minutes

The Charter Vision:

Our vision is that our children and youth become life-long learners and are successful in their chosen path.

Our Mission: Our children and youth receive a world-class education through exceptional Alaska Native culture and values-based learning opportunities preparing them for success in their future endeavors.

- Land Acknowledgement & Invocation- *Esther*
- Call to Order 5:03 PM
- Roll Call
 - Esther Shade *Absent*
 - Sara Engen *Present*
 - Nicole Kalmakoff *Present*
 - Geraldine Nicoli-Ayonayon *Present*
 - Emily Pendergast *Present*
 - Hilary - *Present*
- Approval of current Agenda *Sara makes motion to approve agenda with edits, Nikki seconds, motion carried*
- Approval of Minutes for October 9, 2025 *Emily makes motion to approve minutes, Sara seconds, motion carried.*

1. Committee Reports & Updates

A. Principal report

Student Population:

- A. In-person 188*
- B. Blended 20*
- C. Correspondence 30*
- D. Total 238*

Enrollment steadily increasing since school inception

Staffing:

- A. We have 3 tutor advisors and could use 1 more - Need additional in reading and math*
 - a. Tribe Foundations program have kids interested in correspondence*

Upcoming Events and Activities:



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- A. 10/30: Title I event
 - a. First Trunk or Treat over 200 people came from school/community
- B. 11/10: Parent Teacher Conferences - No school
- C. 11/11: Veteran's Day - No school
- D. 11/13: ASVAB testing - Member of Army to Proctor, 13 students participating
- E. 11/27-11/28: Thanksgiving Break
- F. 12/6: Christmas Bazar at Bogard building w/ Santa and photo booth

2. New Business

- A. Graduation - 7 students, maybe some correspondence
 - a. Will be same as last year
 - i. Glenn Masey Center reserved for 5/14/2026 (maybe) 6:30p,
 - ii. Need guest speakers
 - iii. Checking for funding for mocassins
 - iv. Tribe will provide pizza
 - v. School to provide dessert
 - vi. Ethel and Lulu making cowhide sashes
- B. APC training
 - a. Requirement - Carl to provide and need meeting date. Potentially January 8, 2026 after the scheduled APC meeting.
 - b. Jason will announce the selection and will send out invite to selected member

3. Old Business

- A. No old business

4. Persons to be heard & Member Comments

- A. No Persons to be hear

5. Date and time of next meeting and adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Emily, Nikki seconds. Adjourn 5:27 PM. Next meeting December 11th 2025 at 5:00pm.