



**Anchorage School Board**  
**Community Council Report**

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December 2023

1. **Regular School Board Meetings:** Monthly on the **1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays** as follows:
  - **Work Sessions:** 4pm, School Board Meeting Room
  - **Executive Sessions:** 5pm, School Board Conference Room
  - **Regular Meetings:** 6pm, School Board Meeting Room
2. **School Board Committee Meetings:** The **1<sup>st</sup> Thursday** of each month (School Board Conference Room):
  - Governance Committee Meetings @10:45 am
  - Finance Committee Meeting @ Noon
  - Executive Committee Meeting
3. **Special Work Sessions/Meetings:**
  - December 8: Joint ASD/Assembly Meeting, 9-11am (time change)
  - December 9: Budget Planning, 10-12am
  - December 14: Goals & Guardrails, 3-5pm
4. **Public Comment or Testimony on Action Items:**
  - Must Sign-up online to provide in-person, telephonic or written comments:  
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeVWE-wiHua43o2AoMSntvjRU2hOo1Wb1rg1dUJaRK0sD03hQ/viewform> Or, email the Board Directly@  
[schoolboard@asdk12.org](mailto:schoolboard@asdk12.org)
  - Watch Board Meetings on-line: <https://www.youtube.com/user/AnchorageSD>
5. **1-year AEA Agreement Approved:**
  - The Anchorage School District (ASD) and the Anchorage Education Association (AEA) are pleased to announce a [one-year contract](#).
6. **Goals & Guardrails:**
  - Special Work Session on 12/14, 3-5pm to review/revise our Goals & Guardrails--  
<https://www.asdk12.org/Page/18195>
  - **Progress Monitoring Calendar for Goals & Guardrails:**  
<https://www.asdk12.org/cms/lib/AK02207157/Centricity/Domain/1184/Cycles%201-5.pdf>
7. **FY25 Community Budget Survey:**  
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScQYsKOqllm-ddbUCUtrsjcNDXoALjB6VW1jYt4VZ7ZK2GXqw/viewform>



8. **Provide Input on Certificated staff:** ASD welcomes community input regarding our teacher and administrator employees' performance from **December through April 30**. This timeframe allows us to review the input received and take it into consideration during evaluations.  
<https://www.asdk12.org/input>
9. **FY25 Budget Planning:** <https://www.asdk12.org/fy25>
- **Proforma/ CIP & Bond:**  
<https://www.asdk12.org/cms/lib/AK02207157/Centricity/Domain/6127/FY25%20Pro%20Forma%20Budget%20Presentation%205%20December%202023.pdf>
10. **District Initiatives:**
- **Alaska Reads Act:** <https://www.asdk12.org/Page/19823>
  - **Reading for Life:** Learn about the new K-3 Reading Program  
<https://www.asdk12.org/Page/13662>
  - **Six Grade to Middle School Transition** will be phased in beginning in **August 2024**.  
<https://www.asdk12.org/middlemerge>
  - **Student Wellness & Positive Behavioral Interventions & Supports (PBIS):** Supporting students' behavioral, academic, social, emotional, and mental health.  
<https://www.asdk12.org/Page/20026>
  - **24-25 School Start Times:** All grade levels move to new school start times in **August 2024**. The PLC schedule will continue on Mondays. All grade levels move to new school start times. Below is the new schedule starting in **August 2024**. The delayed start of the PLC schedule will continue on Mondays. <https://www.asdk12.org/schoolstarttimes>
  - **Academies of Anchorage:** Transforming how ASD prepares students for life, college & Career  
<https://www.asdk12.org/ccl>
11. **Other:**
- **'Remote Learning Days' vs 'Snow Days':**
    - **Remote Learning Days (RLDs)** are a tool available to districts from DEED. RLDs do not require a waiver or makeup.
    - **Snow Days (SDs)** are limited to two days per school year. Any excess will have to be made up or waived by DEED..
  - **Volunteer Opportunities:** <https://www.asdk12.org/Page/13771>
  - **District Calendars:**
    - **Academic Calendars:** <https://www.asdk12.org/Page/2>
    - **School Board Calendar:** <https://www.asdk12.org/Page/10247>
    - **Sports & Activity Schedules:**  
<https://www.asdk12.org/activities/>