



THE LAKE AND PENINSULA SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Date: May 6, 2026
To: LPSD School Board Members
From: Bill Cornell- Director of Personnel
Re: May Personnel Report

FY27 School Calendars

FY27 LPSD School Calendars are included in the board packet, for final approval of the Board. Once approved, they will then go to DEED for approval.

Over the past two months Principals and Head Teachers were able to work with LSACs, staff, and community to shift flexible days in the spring semester to best meet individual site needs. The process of reviewing the calendar this year included input from the School Board, LSACs, students, student government, parents, teachers, staff, and community members. Thank you for all of the input and feedback throughout the process.

Fall Student Teachers

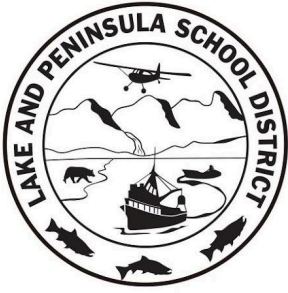
We are looking forward to welcoming a number of student teachers for the fall semester from State University of New York (SUNY) and Kutztown University. Welcome to:

Mitchell Ellsworth- SUNY- Newhalen
Joseph Aquino- SUNY- Newhalen
Jordan Brancap- SUNY- Chignik Lake
Ben Einarsson- SUNY- Kokhanok
Seth Wilsoncroft- SUNY- Meshik
Emma Cypher- SUNY- Chignik Lake
Alli Reed- Kutztown- Port Alsworth
Jasmine Tiedman- Kutztown- Port Alsworth

HB78

HB78 was passed by the Alaska Legislature on April 29, and sent to Governor Dunleavy. Governor Dunleavy has until May 18 to sign or veto the bill. If signed into law, HB78 would re-established a defined

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benefit retirement plan for teachers. This could be a huge win in drawing more teachers to Alaska, and getting them to stay! Since 2006, when the State moved away from a defined benefit retirement plan to a 401(k) style defined contribution plan, there have been increased challenges in recruiting and retaining teachers in the state.

Certified Recruitment and Staffing

We have the following openings posted to our website, Handshake, and AERRC. If you hear of any interested candidates, please feel free to share my contact information with them.

- Newhalen Elementary
- Perryville Elementary
- Perryville Secondary

FY27 STaff Placement List and Organizational Chart

I've attached the FY27 LPSD Staff Placement List, and FY27 LPSD Organizational Chart for your information.

Contract Adjustments:

FY26 contract adjustments, FY27 contracts, and FY27 Contract Adjustments are outlined on the Personnel Approval List.

As always, please reach out to me at bcornell@lpsd.com, or at (907)571-1211 if you have any questions.

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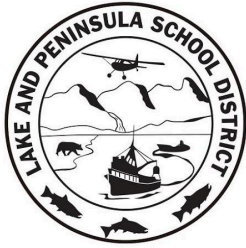
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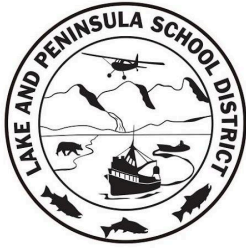


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