



**Ipalook Elementary
Home of the Arctic Foxes
November 2025**

Principal: Betty Diana

**Assistant Principals: Kathleen Fisher
Adam Woodward**

SAC Members:

- **Seat 1: Daniel Thomas; expires 10/26**
- **Seat 2: Asisaun Toovak, expires 10/27**
- **Seat 3: Tina Wolgemuth; President, expires 10/27**
- **Seat 4: Stacy Bowen, expires 10/25**
- **Seat 5: Sara Tua’l; expires 10/25**
- **Seat 6: Forrest Olemaun; expires 10/27**
- **Seat 7: Justina Wilhelm; expires 10/25**

Current Total Student Enrollment: 454

ARCTIC FOX STUDENT COUNT										
Grade	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May
K-3	30	30	29							
K-4	51	47	48							
K	50	51	50							
1st	75	74	73							
2nd	55	55	55							
3rd	75	74	73							
4th	64	64	64							
5th	63	62	62							

SY 25/26 Attendance Goal: 90%

Grade	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
K	76.89%	80.37%	79.27%				
1st	78.32%	86.66%	86.74%				
2nd	77.64%	84.58%	83.55%				
3rd	81.09%	86.40%	87.69%				
4th	82.21%	86.80%	87.50%				
5th	86.12%	87.90%	87.90%				

Staff: 54 total

Instructional Staff: 38 (We are fully staffed except for 1 SPED teacher).

Paraprofessional staff:

- **Instructional Paraprofessionals: 11**
- **SPED Paraprofessionals:**
- **Intensive Paraprofessionals: 5**

Counselors: 2

Interventionist: 2

Long Term Subs: 1

Highlights:

- **1st Family night was held September 25th. Great success with over a 100 people in attendance.**
- **Student council officers have been elected for this school year.**
- **5th grade students participated in the Sadie Neakok Court house renaming ceremony.**
- **School attendance at 85% for the last 6 weeks.**

Areas of Growth:

- **Working on more opportunities for parent involvement such as Family nights, volunteering ect.**

- Partnering with the middle and high schools to partner with elementary students in various areas of studies.
- Implementing more project base learning in all classes
- Students and staff with chronic absenteeism

Strategic Plan Goal & Pedagogy Implementation:

Family & Community Collaboration

Goal 1: Prioritize and implement intentional and purposeful partnership:

- Providing once a month family night for student and parents.
- Increasing opportunities for parents to volunteer at IPK
- Administrations provide parents with a monthly newsletter
- Teachers send home a weekly or monthly newsletter.

Culturally Responsive Instruction

Goal 2: All students perform at or above grade level

- Increasing the integrity of the tier 1 instruction.
- Increasing students' proficiency in reading and math
- Celebrate all the wins
- Implementing the CBU (Cultural Base Units)

Goal 3: All students are prepared for their pathway of choice post-high school.

- Develop a career day for all students and invite the community

Goal 4: Graduate bilingual students

- All students are receiving Inupiat language classes 4 times a week
- Immersion classes will be added every year to each grade level

- **Adult Inupiat classes for Immersion parents which is available 2 days a week**
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Student Social & Emotional Wellbeing

Goal 5: Facilitate & maintain culturally, emotionally, & physically safe learning environment

- **New security measure is being added to the school, ie., cameras, security doors, badges for entry to building.**
- **A behavior interventionist was added to work with student and teachers to work on specific behaviors and techniques**
- **Will introduce “Classroom on the Nuna” beginning with 5th grade**

Staff Support & Professional Development

Goal 6: Build and sustain a thriving workforce aligned with the District’s mission of creating students who are empower culturally rooted, bilingual healthy, critical, creative, life-long learners.

- **Developed a common planning time 2 times a week along with a Wednesday when PD is not scheduled from C & I**
- **Collaboration between regular ed and special teachers to align instruction to meet student needs.**
- **Implementing the Lead Teacher program**
- **Develop a professional Development plan for staff**

Financial & Operational Stewardship

Goal 7: Standardize high-functioning, efficient, student-focused Operations

- **Focus on ensuring that all items purchased are in the best interest of students. How will each purchase increase the success of each student.**
- **Clover training for new staff**

- **Using Clover for all transactions from school lunches to ticket sales of at carnivals, ect.**

Current Events:

Cultural Inservice was on held on Saturday, Oct 4

Student Council elections were held Wednesday, Oct. 8

School pictures will be taken on Friday, Oct. 10

Fire Safety Prevention Presentation October 14th and 15th

SOTM K-2 Assembly October 15

Upcoming events:

- **October 17: District Inservice**
- **October 19-21: Principal Retreat**
- **October 22: SOTM 3-5 Assembly**
- **October 24: Fall Carnival**
- **October 31: Halloween Parade**
- **November 6: Inuit Day Celebration**
- **November 6: Family Night (Celebrating all Cultures)**
- **November 7: Inuit Day-No School**

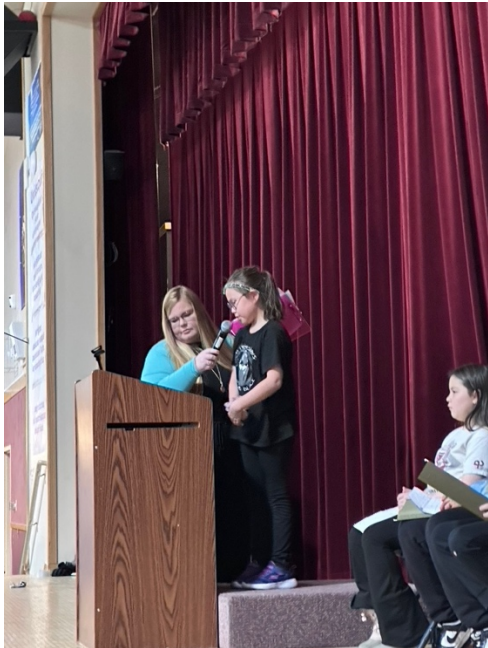
**Photos Gallery
Family Night**







Student Council Elections





Fire Safety Presentation





Sadie Neakok Court House Renaming Ceremony







Ms. Martha's Retirement Celebration



Halloween Parade









Inuit Day







