Anchorage School District
2021–26 Board Goals and Guardrails

Goals

Reading Proficiency
Beginning September 2020, the percentage of third-grade students proficient in reading on the state summative test (currently PEAKS) will increase from 40% to 80% by May 2026.

Math Proficiency
Beginning September 2020, the percentage of students in grades 3–9 proficient in mathematics on the state summative assessment (currently PEAKS) will increase from 40% to 55% by May 2026.

Life, College, Career Ready
Beginning with the Freshman Class in September 2020, the percentage of high school students Life Ready and College and/or Career Ready will increase from Spring 2021 to Spring 2026.

Guardrails

Guardrails are based on the community’s values and are aligned with the vision and goals. A guardrail is an operational action or class of actions, usually strategic not tactical, which the Superintendent may not use or allow in pursuit of the District’s student outcome goals.

- Superintendent will not leave student groups underrepresented in lottery/application-based programs.
- Superintendent will not operate without a diverse or culturally responsive workforce.
- Superintendent will not allow unsatisfactory employee performance to go unidentified or unaddressed.
- Superintendent will not operate elementary schools without mental health services.

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