



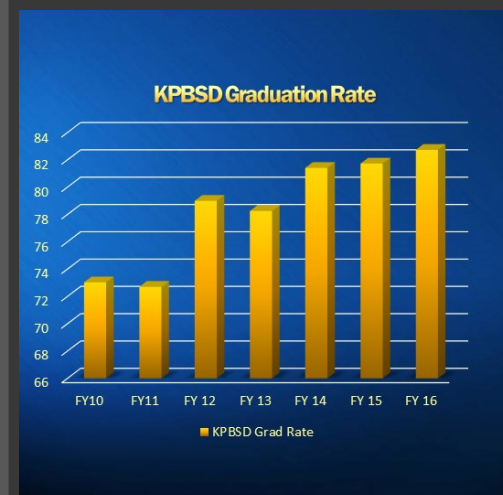
# 2017 Legislative Priorities



**WE NEED A FISCAL PLAN!**



1. **Provide sustained, reliable and adequate educational funding for Alaska's students** : KPBSD is working with the Legislature to find the right solutions for solving today's fiscal crisis.
2. **Control health care costs to school districts** : KPBSD will work with the Legislature to explore all options to control the increase of health care costs to all districts.
3. **Develop an efficient and effective educational accountability system** : KPBSD will work closely with DEED to redefine the state accountability system. We believe that local control should be honored in this process and that any state-wide assessments should provide timely and relevant information to positively impact instruction.

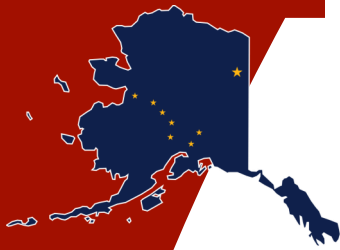


## **ONE DISTRICT: 44 DIVERSE SCHOOLS**

Our diverse school district includes **Neighborhood Schools**, a **Homeschool program**, village schools, K-12 schools, Russian Old Believer schools, four **Charter Schools**, two **Alternative Schools**, and a **Performance-Based School**.

*The mission of the Kenai Peninsula Borough School District is to develop productive, responsible citizens who are prepared to be successful in a dynamic world.*

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## EFFICIENCIES

- ◇ Professional Development (PD) and collaboration
- ◇ Distance delivery
- ◇ Operational reorganization: warehouse, student nutrition, pools, district administration
- ◇ Transportation – single tier to double tier busing
- ◇ Health care



## INNOVATIONS

- **Distance Delivery** – Digital parallel (Canvas), Personalization
- **Videoconferencing** - Classroom Without Walls – CWOW
- **ConnectedED Initiative** with Apple, Nanwalek and Port Graham schools
- **DTi grant** – Digital Teaching Initiative three year grant
- **Hybrid High School** in Seward
- **Innovation with drones** – partnerships with state agencies and local businesses
- **Jumpstart and college dual-credit courses**, UAA partnership
- **Communications** - timely response in critical situations, and #golden school news
- **Effective leadership and calibration**
- **Effective instruction and collaboration**
- **Project Aware** – behavioral and mental health awareness
- **Project Search** workplace immersion program for students with disabilities
- **Career and Technical Education (CTE)** Academies
- **Project Grad**, Kenai Peninsula Native Youth Leadership (KPNYL) Native Education partnerships
- **Caring for the Kenai** – nationally recognized program incorporating service learning