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- Policy editing
- Including all populations
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1. Board members advocate.
2. Pushing kids can contribute to divide.
3. Board—don't make it worse.
4. Do policies reflect that all students succeed?
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INVEST IN Programs, devices, etc. that affect change/use equit

ADVOCATE FOR STATE TO BRING AK Students BACK as AK Teachers
- incentivize
- loan forgiveness
- etc

Family + Community Engagement

Review of Cultural Integration in Curriculum and Course Options

Allocate Funds to implement change that supports equity

Hold superintendent accountable for hiring diverse staff

Support culture and language immersion
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- Creating opportunities for all students to succeed
  ↳ Allocating resources for students who are not reaching their potential within the system

- Representation Matters
  ↳ Board, admin, teachers, student leaders

- Empathy, appreciation of students diversity; safe & caring environments
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Identify disparities - where do we need to focus?

Boards ask/direct admin to provide/report information

Budgets/personnel need to be dedicated to erase disparities

Do policies = barriers?
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Consistently review and evaluate

Upholding the responsibilities for health, safety, and positive relations

Create policies that encompass all and making sure everyone is representing
As School board members, what should you consider as your role in equity?

What are some of the ways you can help your board address equity?

Stop the silence
Say what you feel
Listen
Bring the culture to the table

School House Rock

ROLE MODEL
Behavior culturally sensitive

Unify board
One vision
Developing understanding

Putting yourself in others' shoes
Educate families/community/students/staff
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Explicitly call out inequities in your strategic plans

Hold superintendent responsible for goals around inequities

Provide support to make progress on your plans to address inequities
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- Listen to the students
- Closer student adult partnership
- Student influence in a concrete manner
- Encouragement
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- Equity as a board goal - tied to Supt. performance eval
  - Through policy review & change
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Stay informed and open to transformative practices.

Be Present and communicate effectively.

LISTEN.

Appropriate Policy

Do your job happily and with joy.

Getting info out more public, easily accessible info

being willing to get uncomfortable
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Advocate for all kids!
- funding

Districts working together
Listening to all stakeholders/community needs
Open/Growth mindset

Board members have to be educated in the issues that schools face concerning equity