



Chugach School District
Voyage to Excellence



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Saving Money
or
Saving Students

Asking the Right Question

Times are tough

What can we do to save money?

OR

*How do we provide a powerful relevant
Education to our students as efficiently
and effectively as possible?*

Our Ultimate Goal

Preparing our students for their futures by:

Helping ensure students succeed in their education & work

Shape worthwhile and satisfying lives for themselves

Exhibit the best values of society

Improve the character and quality of the world around them

Understandings for Change

Our goal is preparation,
not graduation

Districts get to determine how
students earn credit

Partnerships

- 54 Districts
- Blurring the boundaries
- Maintaining our focus and responsibilities for the students within our own districts

Our Partnership Examples

Copper River- Online classes, Voyage to Excellence

NACTEC- Student for Student

PWCC- Dual Credits, Summer courses/camps

Kodiak

AVTEC

Community

Tribal Corporations

Community Partners

Voyage to Excellence

Statewide Variable Term Residential School

Intensive instruction and life experiences

ETT training

Culinary Arts

Construction Trades

Drivers permits/licenses

SAT prep

Provide opportunities and support to keep up with work from home district

Additional Partnership Opportunities

Anchorage House

Fully furnished

Sleeps 12-20 with chaperones

Cost- comparable to 1 hotel room/night

Office Space/Teaching Space

Do you have staff that you want to keep but don't need to be in district all the time?

In-House Efficiencies

Step 1-Recognize that learning takes place outside the 4 walls of the classroom and school

Step 2-Understanding what we are expecting students to learn to earn a credit

Step 3- Offer credit when students have learned it-no matter where they learned it

Back to the Question

What are we doing to provide a powerful, relevant education to our students as efficiently and effectively as possible?