Supporting Transitions and Educational Promise Southeast Alaska (STEPS) Promise Neighborhoods Grant

Kake School District

Partnering on solutions in Kake

Mission: The Kake City School District, in partnership with the parents and the community, will provide an educational environment that prepares students to be successful, respectful, confident, skilled learners and responsible, contributing citizens within the local culture and universal society.

Lead

K-12 & Post-Secondary:
- STEM/STEAM/Place-Based Learning
- Professional Development
- Course Alignment
- College Experience
- Equity Audit
- Culturally Responsive Schools
- Dual Credit Path
- Post-Secondary Mentoring

Engage & Prevent:
- Obesity & Nutrition
- Family Support Teams

Partner

Early Childhood:
- Headstart

K-12 & Post Secondary:
- Afterschool
- Trauma Informed
- Summer Programs
- Vocational Track

Engage & Prevent:
- Boys Run
- Girls On The Run
- Navigators Wrap
- Post-Secondary Ted Talks

Committees

➤ SE Early Coordination
➤ SE K-12 Schools & PS
➤ SE Family Alliance
➤ Creating Conditions
➤ Intervention-Prevention
➤ Steering & CI Committee
➤ Data Coordination

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STEPS is a data-driven collective impact focusing on cradle to career solutions and strategies in Angoon, Hoonah, Hydaburg, Juneau, Kake, Klukwan, and Sitka.
STEPS Results and Indicators

Partners are working collaboratively to achieve results as measured by the following indicators

**Kindergarteners are Ready to Succeed**
- Children entering kindergarten with age appropriate functioning
- Families that have equitable access to quality early childhood care

**Students are Proficient in Core Academic Subjects**
- Students who are at or above grade level according to state math assessments
- Students who are at or above grade level according to English language arts assessments
- Students who are enrolled in college and career readiness preparation courses

**Students Transition from Middle to High School**
- Attendance rate of students in 6-9th grade as defined by average daily attendance
- Chronic absenteeism rate of students in 6-9th grades

**Students Graduate from High School**
- Four-year adjusted cohort graduation rate

**High School Graduates Obtain Post-Secondary Degree or Credential**
- Alaska Native or mixed race students who are enrolled in a two or four-year college after graduation
- Alaska Native or mixed race students who graduate from a 2-4 year college
- Students who report they would like to pursue post-secondary education

**Students are Healthy**
- Children who consume five or more daily servings of fruits and vegetables
- Children who participate in 60 minutes of physical activity daily

**Students Feel Safe at School and in Their Communities**
- Children who do not go to school because they do not feel safe

**Communities are Stable**
- Students who change schools or communities

**Communities are Drug-Free**
- Students using substances

**Schools are Culturally Responsive**
- Students reporting culturally responsive schools

**Students Have Access to 21st Century Tools**
- Students who have school and home access to broadband internet & devices
- Students who have STEM and STEAM opportunities

**Communities are Low Violence**
- Lifetime domestic violence or sexual assault rates of women
- Students who consider suicide
- Students who attempt suicide

**Families and Community Members Support Learning**
- Family members reading to or encouraging their children to read three or more times a week
- Family members talking about the importance of college and career
- Adults who support local schools

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