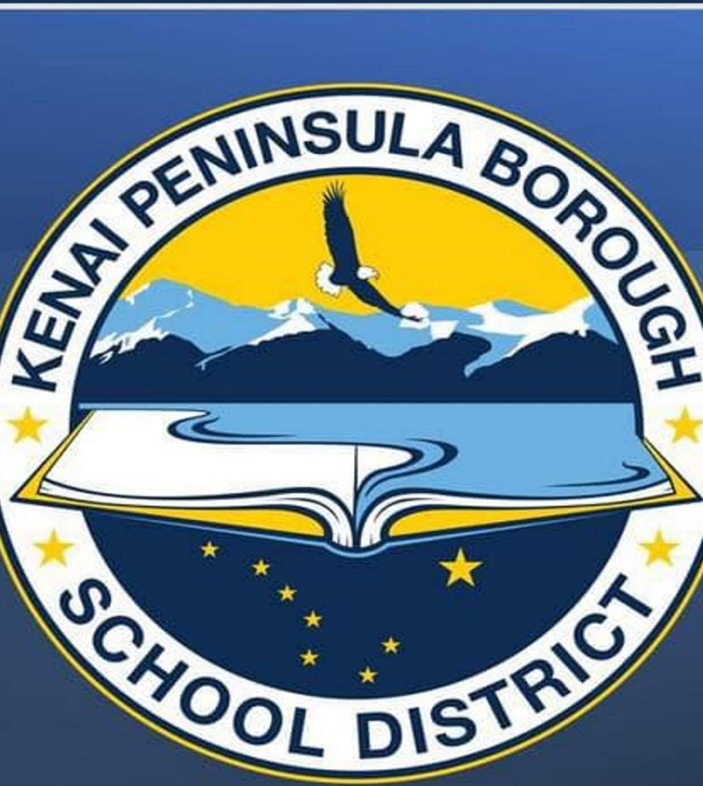


# Kenai Peninsula Borough School District

July 7, 2026

Clayton Holland,  
Superintendent



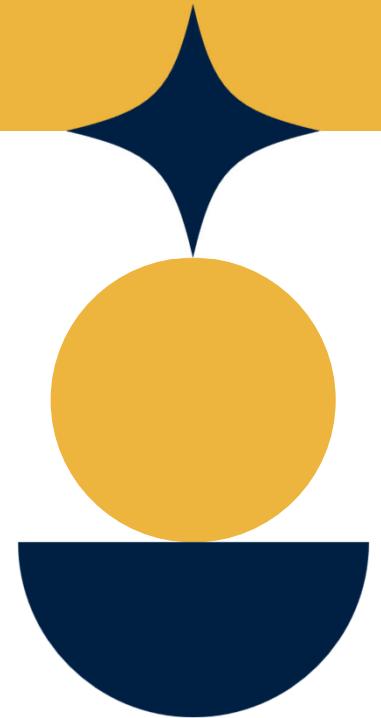
# Student Achievement Highlights

- Increased Industry Certifications (70% over last year)
- Graduation rate increased from 79% to 85% (waiting on the latest data)
- Alaska Native/American Indian Graduation Rates Increased by 20% over the past 4 years and is now 15% higher than state average
- AK STAR growth in reading and mathematics (waiting on the newest results)
- Early literacy growth exceeds state and national averages
- Increased dual enrollment college credit attainment



# KPBSD Core Values

- Community
- Perseverance
- Academic Excellence
- Integrity



# KPBSD Strategic Plan

## 2025- 26 District Priorities

1

### Student Success

Literacy & math growth  
CTE course attainment  
College credits earned

2

### Family & Community Engagement

Strong communication  
Family involvement  
Business partnerships

3

### School Climate & Safety

Sense of belonging  
Safe, secure schools

4

### Workforce Development

Onboarding improvements  
Staff retention focus

5

### Organizational & Resource Management

Align funding to goals  
Train-the-trainer PD  
Grant committee  
Capital improvement process



# Celebrations

*Alan Haskins*  
**AWARD**  
★ *Recipient* ★

*Michael Wojciak*  
Principal of  
Kachemak Selo School  
*and*  
Voznesenka School

-  CHARACTER
-  INTEGRITY
-  EMPATHY
-  SELFLESSNESS
-  STRONG WORK ETHIC

*Thank you* for leading with heart and making



# Alaska State Spelling Bee Champion and Runner-Up



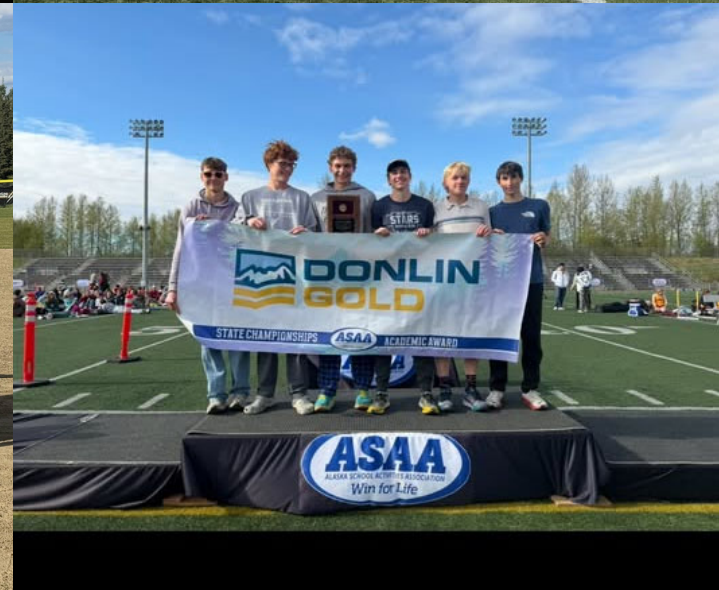


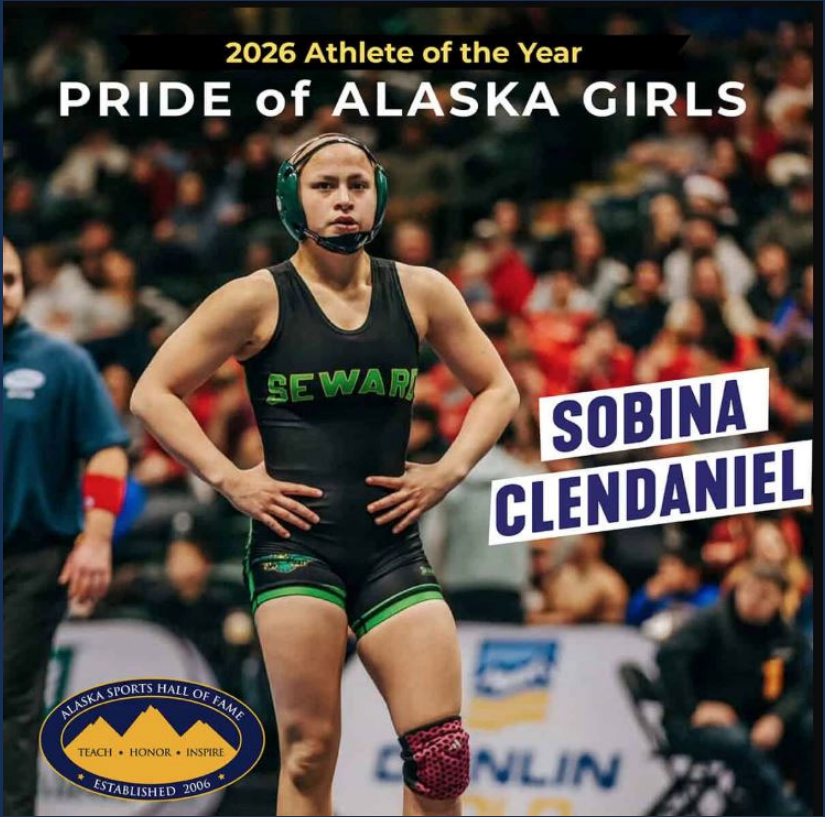
# 2025-2026 KPBSD State Champions

Soldotna Boys Soccer  
Homer Girls Track and Field  
Homer Boys Baseball

# Academic Champions

Soldotna Boys and Girls  
Track and Field,  
Soldotna Softball,  
Soldotna Girls Soccer





2026 Athlete of the Year

# PRIDE of ALASKA GIRLS

**SOBINA  
CLELDANIEL**





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INTERNATIONAL

This Meritorious Budget Award is presented to:

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH  
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

for excellence in the preparation and issuance of its budget  
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The budget adheres to the principles and standards  
of ASBO International's Meritorious Budget Award criteria.



*Ryan S. Stechschulte*  
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*James M. Rowan*  
James M. Rowan, CAE, SFO

Capital and Operating Budget

HB 28: Teacher/State Employee Student Loan Program

SB 23: Civics Education

HB 27: Medical Major Emergencies; CPR Curriculum

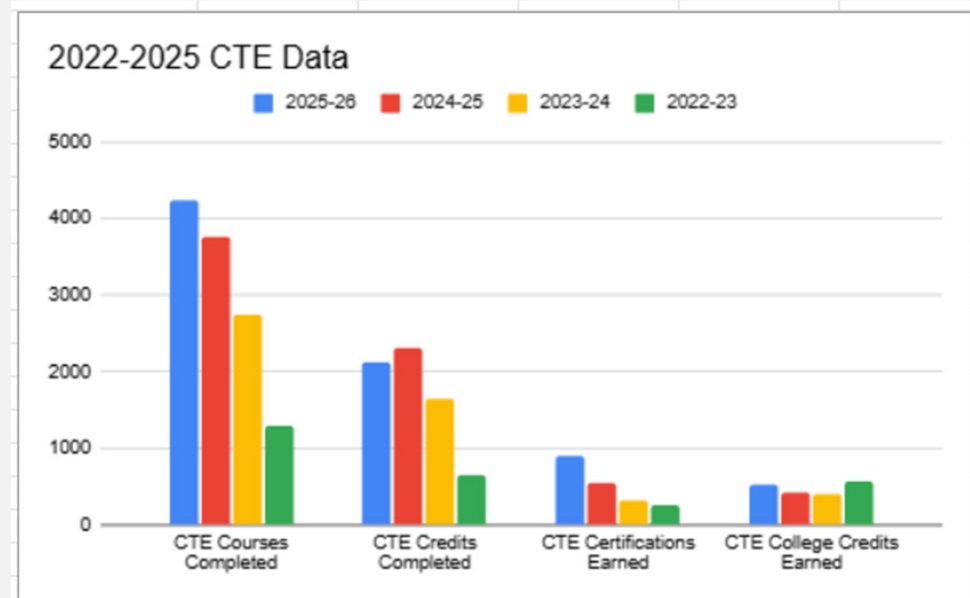
# Legislative Happenings





# Pools and School Consolidation

# KPBSD Career & Technical Education (CTE)



- 900 industry-recognized certifications earned by students, an increase of 70% from 530 certifications in 2024–2025.
- 528 college credits earned through CTE courses, an increase from 428 credits in 2024–2025.





**282 Students Served -23% increase  
to caseload over last year**

**Number of students part of an  
unhoused family unit: 232**

**Number of Homeless,  
Unaccompanied Youth (HUY): 50**



**McKinney-Vento Program  
(Unhoused Youth)**

# Preparing for 2026-2027

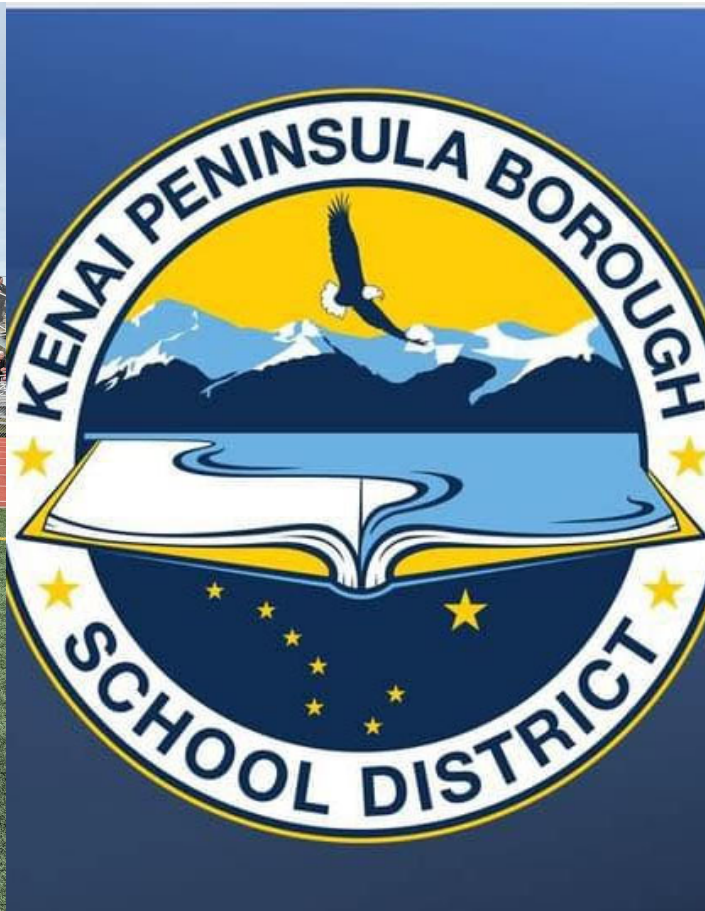
- Staffing and hiring nearly complete
- Summer Maintenance and Facility Projects Underway
- Continued focus on literacy, mathematics, student achievement, and preparing our students for successful post-secondary education outcomes





# Graduations





Thank you!

Questions?