

ANCHORAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

ASD MEMORANDUM #242 (2008-2009)

April 14, 2008

TO: SCHOOL BOARD

FROM: OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

SUBJECT: THIRD QUARTER END-OF-MONTH MEMBERSHIP SUMMARY,
MARCH 31, 2008

ASD Goal: *Ensure public accountability through effective communication with students, staff, parents, community and government at all levels.*

PERTINENT FACTS:

The end-of-month membership report for March 31, 2008 is attached (Attachment A). The total active enrollment at the end of March was 47,894. This enrollment represents a decrease of 563 students when compared to the September 28, 2007 total of 48,457. The membership totals are compared in the following table:

**Comparison of
9/28/2007 Membership vs. 3/31/2008 Membership**

<u>Category</u>	<u>9/28/2007</u>	<u>3/31/2008</u>	<u>Difference</u>
Elementary Schools Kindergarten	3,608	3,631	23
Elementary Schools Grades 1-8	20,815	20,928	113
Middle Schools	7,202	7,130	-72
Senior High Schools	13,354	12,599	-755
Other Secondary Schools and Programs	2,138	2,083	-55
Pre-Elementary, Level 3 Spec. Ed., and Special Services	1,340	1,523	183
Total	48,457	47,894	-563

The end of March membership report, Attachment A, shows the 2008-09 program capacity for each school. Attachment B lists two schools at, or exceeding, 120 percent of program capacity at the end of March.

Attachment C contains the comparison of the DEED capacity and the 2008-09 program capacity. Attachments D1-D6 contains maps showing the percent of program capacity, by attendance area, at the end of March.

Attachments

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