

SO... I'M A MEMBER OF AKASL, WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?

AkASL's constitution states that our objectives are:

1. to advance a high standard for the school library profession and the library/information program in the schools of Alaska.
 2. to promote the development of continuing education activities in order to facilitate the development of professional skills and the extension of professional knowledge.
 3. to encourage elected officials, administrators, teachers and library/information specialists to provide the best possible library/media experiences for all students in the state of Alaska.
 4. to promote public understanding of the importance of library/information programs and libraries in the education of all students.
 5. to support the inherent right of the individual to have access to ideas and information.
- You can keep in touch by reading The Puffin, checking out our website <http://www.akla.org/akasl> and communicating with your regional representative (see below and/or <http://www.akla.org/akasl/assoc/regions.html> to determine which region your school district is in).

Your Regional Representative is there for you to bring concerns, ideas and suggestions to the AkASL E-Board. They will also be soliciting information about activities, events, achievements, great lessons and more from you to publish in The Puffin. We love to share the good things Alaska teacher librarians are doing around the state.



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- Alaska Getaway Schools
- Aleutian Region School District
- Aleutians East Borough School District
- Bering Strait Schools
- Bristol Bay Borough Schools
- Copper River Schools
- Delta/Greely Schools
- Denali Borough School District
- Dillingham City Schools
- Fairbanks North Star Borough Schools
- Galena City School District
- Iditarod Area Schools
- Kashunamiut School District
- Kodiak Island Borough Schools
- Kuspuk Schools
- Lake & Peninsula Borough Schools
- Lower Kuskokwim Schools
- Nenana City Schools
- Nome City Schools
- North Slope Borough School District
- Northwest Arctic Borough Schools
- Pribilof Island's School District
- Southwest Region Schools
- St. Mary's School District
- Tanana City Schools
- Unalaska City Schools
- Yukon Flat Schools
- Yukon/Koyukuk Schools
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- Annette Island School
- Chatham Schools
- Chugach Schools
- Cordova City Schools
- Craig City Schools
- Haines Borough School District
- Hoonah
- Hydaburg City Schools
- Juneau Borough Schools
- Kake City Schools
- Ketchikan Gateway Borough Schools
- Klawock City Schools
- Pelican City Schools
- Petersburg City Schools
- Sitka School District
- Skagway City Schools
- Southeast Island Schools
- Valdez City Schools
- Wrangell City Schools
- Yakutat School District

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