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**ANSEP Middle School Academy**  
***Student Application Form***  
***Bristol Bay Native Corporation***  
***May 26 – June 6, 2020***

***What is the ANSEP Middle School Academy?***

The Alaska Native Science & Engineering Program (ANSEP) Middle School Academy is an academic and residential program that emphasizes increasing students' mathematics and science knowledge and skills while introducing them to college life. ANSEP promotes science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) education and supports historically underserved and underrepresented students with limited opportunities. Each day students will participate in activities that include problem solving, research, critical thinking and communication skills incorporated with many STEM areas. Sessions will be led by industry professionals, university faculty and ANSEP staff. This spring session offering is sponsored and in partnership with the Bristol Bay Native Corporation (BBNC) and the Bristol Bay Borough School District, Dillingham City School District, Lake & Peninsula Borough School District and Southwest Region School District. Students attend the ANSEP Middle School Academy free of charge.

***When and where will the ANSEP Middle School Academy occur?***

The Academy will be held on the University of Alaska Anchorage (UAA) campus and hosted by the ANSEP. Students will be housed on the UAA campus during the program. It is mandatory for all participants to stay in the provided housing for the duration of the Academy. Transportation will be provided between the Bristol Bay region and Anchorage.

***Who should apply to the ANSEP Middle School Academy?***

Students currently in grade 6, 7 or 8, and are in either the Bristol Bay Borough School District, Dillingham City School District, Lake & Peninsula Borough School District or Southwest Region School District who:

- Are interested in science and mathematics,
- Have at least a B average in science and mathematics courses,
- Have not attended a previous ANSEP Middle School Academy,
- Have passing scores on the state's standardized science and mathematics tests, and
- Are on track (or have the ability to get on-track) to complete Algebra 1 *before* entering high school **OR** students currently in grade 8 demonstrate minimum math course placement into Math 105 – Intermediate Algebra through UAA's ALEKS test. A score between 30 – 54 is the minimum placement.

***How do I apply to the ANSEP Middle School Academy?***

- Student (and Parent/Guardian) completes the attached student application form (*pages 2-4*).
- Parent/Guardian signs request for records and ***obtains*** grades and standardized test scores from student's school registrar (*page 5*).
- Student requests and ***obtains*** recommendations from their current math and science teacher (*use forms on pages 6 & 7*).
- Student writes a 250-500 word essay. Essay should include WHY you should be selected, WHAT you hope to gain from this experience, HOW this experience can help your future and any other info that might relate to the selection process (*see directions on the bottom of page 3*).
- ONLY** students currently in grade 8, submit a printed copy of you UAA Math ALEKS placement test score.





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**The complete application packet should be turned into your school front office by March 2, 2020.** Include all application documents together in one packet. Only complete applications will be considered.

When will I know if I have been accepted to attend the ANSEP Middle School Academy?  
Selections for the Academy will be made by March 20. You will receive notification, via email and mail, on acceptance status.

Who should I contact if I have any questions regarding the ANSEP Middle School Academy?  
If you have questions about the application process or need additional information in regards to the Middle School Academy, contact ANSEP at (907) 786-0905 or ANSEP\_MSA@uaa.alaska.edu.

If you have questions about where to submit your application, if there is anyone who can help you complete your application, or travel arrangements once you've been accepted, you can contact the following from your school district.

Bristol Bay Borough School District  
Patricia Edel  
Email: [pedel@bbbsd.net](mailto:pedel@bbbsd.net)  
Phone: (907) 246-4225

Dillingham City School District  
Alex Ting  
Email: [yting@dlgsd.org](mailto:yting@dlgsd.org)  
Phone: (907) 842-6783

Lake & Peninsula Borough School District  
Bill Cornell  
Email: [bcornell@lpsd.com](mailto:bcornell@lpsd.com)  
Phone: (907) 246-4280

Southwest Region School District  
Audra Finkenbinder  
Email: [afinkenbinder@swrsd.org](mailto:afinkenbinder@swrsd.org)  
Phone: (907) 842-5287





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Type or clearly print in blue or black ink. Please provide all requested information.

**The application deadline is March 2, 2020.**

First Name:	Last Name:	Birthdate:	
Mailing Address:	Grade Level:	Gender:	Adult T-Shirt Size:
City:	State:	Zip Code:	

**Ethnicity (Check all that apply):**

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|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aleut      | <input type="checkbox"/> Alaska Native – Southeast                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Haida      | <input type="checkbox"/> Alaska Native – Other/Unspecified         | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tsimshian  | <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American                 | <input type="checkbox"/> White           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tlingit    | <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian – Not Alaska Native       | <input type="checkbox"/> Other : _____   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yupik      | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | <input type="checkbox"/> Not Specified   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Inupiaq    |  |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Athabascan |  |  |

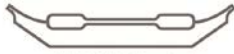
**Alaska Native Regional Corporation Shareholder/Descendant (Check all that apply):**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Ahtna, Inc.                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Calista Corp.           | <input type="checkbox"/> NANA Regional Corp.             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Aleut Corp.             | <input type="checkbox"/> Chugach Alaska Corp.    | <input type="checkbox"/> Sealaska Corp.                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arctic Slope Regional Corp. | <input type="checkbox"/> Cook Inlet Region, Inc. | <input type="checkbox"/> 13 <sup>th</sup> Regional Corp. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bering Straits Native Corp. | <input type="checkbox"/> Doyon, Limited          | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bristol Bay Native Corp.    | <input type="checkbox"/> Koniag, Inc.            |  |

Village Corporation and/or Tribal Affiliation:

School Name:	
Type of School:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Elementary (K -5)	<input type="checkbox"/> K – 8
<input type="checkbox"/> Middle (Grades 6 – 8)	<input type="checkbox"/> Religious
<input type="checkbox"/> Private	<input type="checkbox"/> Charter
Math and science courses currently enrolled in for the <b>2019-2020</b> academic year:	Math and science courses planned to enroll in for the <b>2020-2021</b> academic year:
Mathematics:	Mathematics:
Science:	Science:





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**Name of Student:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any science and/or mathematics activities you have participated in the past 3 years (science fair, math club, robotics, etc.). Include awards received and/or offices held. You may attach a separate sheet, if needed.

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Please list any school programs, community activities and/or community groups that you have been a part of.

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Please list any other activity or achievement that you would like to share with the selection committee.

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A **student-written essay** must be included with this application. The student essay is to be typed or neatly hand written. The essay should be between 250-500 words. In your essay, tell the selection committee **WHY** you are interested in attending the ANSEP Middle School Academy. Include in your essay **WHAT** you hope to gain from this experience, **HOW** you think it will help you in the future and **WHY** you think you should be selected to attend this camp. ***Be sure to include your name and current grade level at the top of your essay.***

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature of Student**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**



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Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Information**

Instructions: Please complete the following information for at least one custodial parent or guardian, both, if available.

<b>Name of Parent or Guardian #1:</b>		<b>Highest Education Level:</b>
Employer:		
Occupation:		
Home Phone:	Daytime Phone:	Cell Phone:
Email Address:		
<b>Signature of Parent or Guardian #1:</b>		<b>Date:</b>

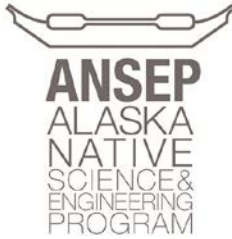
<b>Name of Parent or Guardian #2:</b>		<b>Highest Education Level:</b>
Employer:		
Occupation:		
Home Phone:	Daytime Phone:	Cell Phone:
Email Address:		
<b>Signature of Parent or Guardian #1:</b>		<b>Date:</b>

Number of People in the Household: \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Family Income Level (Check one):

- |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Under \$15,000       | <input type="checkbox"/> \$30,001 to \$45,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$60,001 to \$75,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$15,001 to \$30,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$45,001 to \$60,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Over \$75,000        |





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### REQUEST FOR RECORDS

Turn this form in to the registrar at your school. A parent or guardian must sign this request so that the registrar can release your records. **Collect the request form and records from the registrar and include with your application.**

Dear Registrar:

Please provide a copy of official records for this student. The records should include:

Final grades for the past two years (include most recent)

Standardized test scores for the past two years (include most recent)

Please return this form and the records to the student or parent.

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Student Name:	Date of Birth:	Grade:
School Name:	Student ID Number:	
Student Signature:	Date:	

**I hereby grant permission to the release of the information that this form is requested on my child.**

Name of Parent or Guardian (Print):	Signature of Parent or Guardian:	Date:
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**Registrar to fill this section:**

Does this child receive **FREE** or **REDUCED** lunch?

**Free Lunch**

**Reduced Lunch**

**Neither**





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**ANSEP Middle School Academy  
Recommendation from Current MATHEMATICS Teacher**

Name of Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Mathematics Teacher,

The student who gave you this form is applying to attend the ANSEP Middle School Academy, a 2-week district sponsored STEM residential program. Please complete the recommendation below. **When you finish, put this form and recommendation into an envelope, seal it, and write your name across the sealed flap, so that your comments will be private.** Please return the sealed envelope to the student or parent as soon as possible.

**The application deadline is March 2, 2020.**

Name of student \_\_\_\_\_

Course taken with this teacher: Subject \_\_\_\_\_ Year 2019-2020

Please mark the appropriate column for each of the following statements:

	Very Much	Often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never
This student was eager to learn.					
This student cared about other students.					
This student was late to class.					
This student skipped classes.					
This student turned in homework and projects on time.					
This student participated in class and group activities.					
This student worked independently and as a team member.					
This student was an asset to the class.					
This student participated in co-curricular activities (math fair, math Olympiad, etc.).					

Is this student on an *academic track* to enroll in Algebra I by their 8<sup>th</sup> grade year?

Yes, definitely       Definitely not. Please explain. \_\_\_\_\_

Do you recommend this student to the ANSEP Middle School Academy? Please include 2-3 sentences explaining why or why not.





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**ANSEP Middle School Academy  
Recommendation from Current SCIENCE Teacher**

Name of Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Science Teacher,

The student who gave you this form is applying to attend the ANSEP Middle School Academy, a 2-week district sponsored STEM residential program. Please complete the recommendation below. **When you finish, put this form and recommendation into an envelope, seal it, and write your name across the sealed flap, so that your comments will be private.** Please return the sealed envelope to the student or parent as soon as possible.

**The application deadline is March 2, 2020.**

Name of student \_\_\_\_\_

Course taken with this teacher: Subject \_\_\_\_\_ Year 2019-2020

Please mark the appropriate column for each of the following statements:

	Very Much	Often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never
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Do you recommend this student to the ANSEP Middle School Academy? Please include 2-3 sentences explaining why or why not.

