

ANCHORAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT  
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

ASD MEMORANDUM #97 (2004-2005)

November 15, 2004

TO: SCHOOL BOARD

FROM: OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

SUBJECT: RESOLUTION FOR AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK AND ALL  
SCHOOL EMPLOYEES

RECOMMENDATION:

It is the Administration's recommendation that the School Board adopt the attached resolution designating November 14-20, 2004, as American Education Week for all employees in the Anchorage School District.

PERTINENT FACTS:

American Education Week provides an opportunity to increase public understanding and appreciation of our schools, to strengthen the connection between schools and community and to instill community pride and support for education.

This year's theme, "*Celebrating the American Dream*" reflects our commitment to all students. The success of all of our students requires commitment from parents, community members, business leaders, educators, administrators and the School Board.

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**ANCHORAGE SCHOOL BOARD**  
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**RESOLUTION FOR AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK AND ALL SCHOOL EMPLOYEES**

**WHEREAS**, public schools are the backbone of our democracy, providing students with the tools they need to maintain freedom, civility and equality; and

**WHEREAS**, our public schools work to nurture and cultivate our nation's future leaders; and

**WHEREAS**, equipping Anchorage students with knowledge, skills and confidence gives them hope for a productive and successful future; and

**WHEREAS**, public education employees strive to serve our children and communities with dedication, care and professionalism; and

**WHEREAS**, schools are community cornerstones which bring together students and parents, educators and volunteers, community leaders and elected officials; and

**WHEREAS**, providing the best education for our students is one of the greatest legacies of our community;

**NOW THEREFORE**, be it resolved that the Anchorage School Board designates November 14-20, 2004, as American Education Week for all school employees in the Anchorage School District.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 15th day of November 2004.

ANCHORAGE SCHOOL BOARD

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