



BBRCTE Intensive Week 4

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April 26th - May 2nd 2026

Deadline to Apply:
March 29th @ 11:59 AKST



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Crew Class & Setnet Safety Class

This class will combine skill sets that are vital for working on a commercial gillnet fishing boat or a setnet skiff operation. The Crew class will teach all the key skills for a crewmember to immediately hit the deck plates and be an asset to the operation. The Setnet Safety class will give students real-life skills and safety considerations to operate successfully onboard a setnet boat. Both portions of the class will spend significant time in the Naknek pool simulating survival situations and scenarios for either type of fishing operations.



Emergency Trauma Technician

You arrive first at the scene of a hunting accident. Your neighbor has been shot and is bleeding heavily. Help is hours away—what do you do? Whether you want to become a doctor or nurse, practice lifesaving skills, or prepare for a zombie apocalypse, start with ETT training. You'll gain hands-on experience in trauma management, bleeding and shock control, airway and breathing management, patient stabilization, and medical transport. The course also covers medical emergencies, environmental and cold-weather injuries, emergency childbirth, pediatrics, geriatrics, and psychological emergencies. Although zombies aren't real, emergencies are. Be the one who knows what to do.



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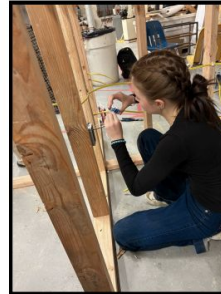
Electrical 40 Hour Wireman Training

The Electrical 40 Hour Wireman Training course delivered by IBEW is a comprehensive program designed to equip students with the fundamental skills and knowledge required for a career as a wireman in the electrical industry. This course covers a wide range of topics, including electrical theory, wiring techniques, safety protocols, and code compliance. Through a combination of classroom instruction and hands-on practical exercises, students will develop the necessary competencies to install, maintain, and troubleshoot electrical wiring systems effectively. Upon completion of the course, students will be well prepared to pursue entry level positions as wiremen and embark on a rewarding career in the electrical field.



Residential Wood Framing (Women in the Trades)

Training covers basics of carpentry and trades math including accurate use of a tape measure with hands on exercise cutting various shapes out of drywall to fit around wood shape on a board. Proper use of hand and power tools. Training covers layout for wood framing using 16-24 in O.C. Constructing a floor, walls with window and door openings. Conventional gable roof framing techniques are also covered for ridge, common rafters, soffit, ceiling joists and fascia rafters. Project includes a small building that can be taken home.



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Path to the Skies, Private Pilot Knowledge Exam Assessment

This intensive continues with preparation for the FAA Private Pilot Knowledge Test and introduces students to foundational skills and knowledge in aviation. The curriculum covers essential topics, including flight planning, navigation, weather analysis, aerodynamics, and federal aviation regulations. Students will engage in practical learning activities, including time in an FAA-approved flight simulator to develop essential piloting skills in a controlled environment. The program incorporates hands-on experiences such as a discovery flight with a certified instructor, allowing students to gain firsthand experience in operating an aircraft. Career exploration is integrated through guided tours of local air taxi services, airport operations, and control tower facilities, offering insights into various professional roles in aviation. This course combines theoretical knowledge, practical application, and industry exposure to provide students with a comprehensive foundation for pursuing a private pilot certificate and exploring careers in aviation.



Iron Workers

Building on the foundational knowledge acquired in the Intensive week three Iron Workers course. This program is designed for students who have completed the initial training and are ready to further enhance their skills in the field of ironworking. This course looks deeper into specialized topics such as advanced welding techniques, complex structural steel fabrication, precision layout and assembly, and project management in ironworking projects. Through hands-on training and real-world simulations, students will refine their ironworking abilities and gain expertise in executing intricate ironworking tasks with precision and efficiency. Upon completion of this program, graduates will be equipped with the advanced skills and knowledge necessary to excel in challenging ironworking projects and advance their careers in the industry.



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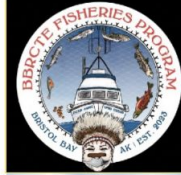
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Education Immersion / Paraprofessional Certification



This course provides an immersive introduction to the field of education and prepares students to earn the certification required to work as a paraeducator. Students will explore essential topics such as confidentiality and ethics, positive communication, child development, behavior support, and professional conduct while learning what it means to serve effectively in a school setting. Throughout the course, they will visit a variety of Anchorage schools to observe different educational environments and gain firsthand insight into the many roles and responsibilities that support student learning. This is a professional preparation course—students are expected to arrive ready to act, communicate, and present themselves as young professionals. By the end of the course, students will leave with both practical experience and the certification needed to begin working as paraeducators in Alaska's schools.

Commercial Fishing Set Net Camp



**COMMERCIAL FISHING
SET NET CAMP
JUNE 14-19, 2026**



Learn what it takes to be a commercial fishing crew member in Bristol Bay. You'll be out **on the water** in a 22-foot aluminum skiff working a 50-fathom net. Experienced **crew members will be right there with you, teaching you** the ropes every step of the way.

As a set netter, you'll live on land in a comfortable building. By the end of the camp, you'll know what it's like to work in the Bristol Bay fishery and **your experience could help you get a job fishing.**

Be ready to work hard, catch fish and have an unforgettable time!

How to Apply: bbrcte.org

How much does it cost? FREE!

Deadline to apply: May 22, 2026

Contact our career guides for help:

BBBSD: amoorcroft@bbrcte.org

SWRSD: nbowe@bbrcte.org,

LPSD: pmccasland@bbrcte.org

DCSD: info@bbrcte.org

More ?'s:

info@bbrcte.org / fisheries@bbrcte.org

Student Celebrations

- Finn (KHK), Analise (PVL), & Courtney (LAK) traveled to Juneau alongside Kasie Luke, Jenny Shryock, & Steve Noonkesser
 - Funded by Alaska Children's Trust Advocacy Grant & LPSD's District Student Government
 - Purpose: To advocate for BBRCTE Residential Funding
- Ari (KHK) was accepted to UAA for their Associates program
- Keisha (NON) & Ivy (LVHS) were accepted to Della Keats this summer
- Ivy (LVHS) was accepted to UAF's RAHI Program

Quyana to all of our wonderful staff and families who encourage and support these efforts!



Bristol Bay

FOUNDATION

Creating Cultural Connections Student Spotlight: Courtney Boskofsky

Courtney Boskofsky is celebrating her heritage by learning the language she remembers her late grandmother speaking.

This 10th grader from Chignik Lake is a student in BBF's virtual Alutiiq language class. It's a challenge she hopes will connect her more closely to her heritage.

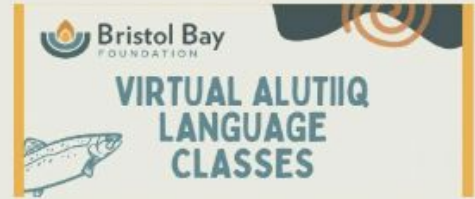
"I chose the Alutiiq language class because it felt like the right opportunity to begin learning my native language and connect more deeply with my culture," said Courtney Boskofsky. "I also realized that if more people besides our elders learn Alutiiq it's more likely that the language will continue and not be lost. That's important to me."

Courtney credits her close-knit community for teaching her the importance of supporting others and being a good leader. She is on the basketball and volleyball teams and serves as school president. She hopes to one day be a teacher. A goal she is currently working toward serving as a preschool aide.



Despite her busy schedule, she has prioritized the Alutiiq language class to honor her late grandmother Mary Boskofsky. The person she first started hearing and learning the language from.

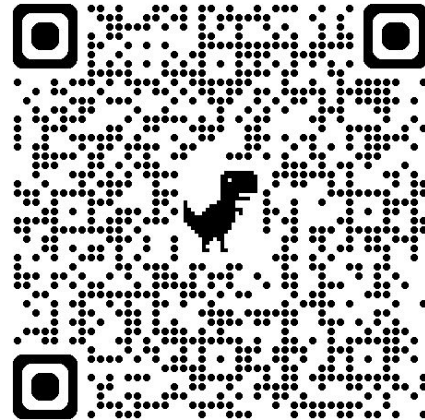
"Through this program I've been able to start speaking it in simple ways and that feels incredibly meaningful to me. Being able to connect my culture and my family through language is something I'm really proud of."



The Virtual Alutiiq Language Class is offered by BBF in collaboration with BBRCTE through support from the Alaska Native Education program.

Scholarships

- In the thick of it with scholarships!
- BBRCTE has a scholarship database where we track and update scholarships as we become aware of them and as they open



Junior Meetings

- Continuing to meet with Juniors to begin thinking about Senior year, academic progress, and post secondary plans

VIRTUAL BRISTOL BAY LANGUAGE CLASSES- HIGH SCHOOL

Are you or do you know a student interested in learning Alaska Peninsula Sugt'stun (Alutiiq) or Yugtun (Yup'ik)?

Join us for 7 weeks of Virtual Language Classes!

WHAT YOU'LL LEARN:

- How to Introduce yourself and family in casual settings
- Develop basic reading skills and learn the alphabet
- Learn how to construct simple sentences
- Be able to express basic haves and wants
- Be able to hold a small conversation
- Play Go Fish! (Iqallugsurten!)

Dates: Feb. 9th - April 3rd (will pause for Spring Break)

Who: **High School Students enrolled in LPSD, DCSD, BBBSD, & SWRS** (available for dual credit through BBRCTE/UAF)

Class Meeting Days/Times: **Mon/Tue/Thu 1:30 - 2:30 PM**

Please email culture@bbrcte.org by January 9th if you're interested in registering . Seats are limited.



VIRTUAL SONG AND DANCE

Please join us for virtual traditional song and dance
Fridays from 12:30pm-1pm
February 6th-April 17th

*Will pause for Spring Break on March 13th



Guest instructors will be highlighting all 3 cultural groups from the Bristol Bay Region

- Alutiiq
- Dena'ina
- Yup'ik

Register ahead of time to receive the zoom link and reminders:



Partner & External Opportunities

Yagheli du! We invite you to join our...

2ND YEAR BEGINNER DENA'INA LANGUAGE CLASS

Tuesdays + Thursdays 2:30 - 3:15 PM on Zoom
January 20th, 2026 - April 2, 2026

This class is available to high school and elementary students of the Bristol Bay region as well as anyone interested in studying Inland and Iliamna dialects of Dena'ina.

Register at:



Instructors:

Michelle Ravenmoon
Bianca Jensen
Ethan Atwater
Danielle Stickman

URL:

<https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/019aff7275a4755895ad76694093decb>



Applications are Open for the 2026 BBNC Culture Camps!

Applications are open for the 2026 Bristol Bay Native Corporation (BBNC) Young Adult and Youth Culture Camps! The culture camps are a great opportunity for BBNC shareholders and descendants to immerse themselves in the cultures, languages, and traditions of the Bristol Bay region. Participants will experience camping and living off the land through a variety of activities and from local knowledge bearers from across the region and state.

Young Adult Culture Camp



Eligibility: BBNC shareholders and descendants
ages 18–26 during camp

Dates: June 10–14, 2026

Location: Alaska (*specific location TBD*)



Youth Culture Camp



Eligibility: BBNC shareholders and descendants
in grades 9–12 in the 2025–26 school year

Dates: July 30 – August 4, 2026

Location: Alaska (*specific location TBD*)



To learn more and apply, scan the QR code for the camp you're interested in attending. The application deadline for both camps is **Thursday, April 16, 2026, at 5:00 p.m. Alaska time**. Space is limited, so we encourage you to apply early. If you have any questions, please contact Rebecca Sedor at rsedor@bbnc.net or (907) 266–1522.



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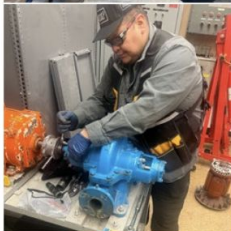


YEARS 1-2

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- Full-time (40hrs/wk) paycheck during training
- Onsite mentorship with industry professionals

Year 1: Hands-on experience in electrical, refrigeration, welding, diesel, and construction trades

Year 2: Specialize in your chosen trade

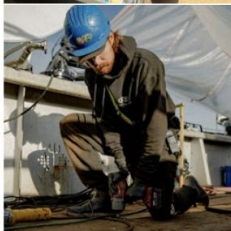


YEARS 3-4

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Questions? Email SkilledTrades@TridentSeafoods.com



Lisa Murkowski Summer Internship:

It's that time of year again to spread the word about a cool opportunity for Alaska's graduating high school seniors. Senator Murkowski is seeking applications for her annual Summer High School Internship Program. More details are available in the attached and at <https://www.murkowski.senate.gov/assistance/students/internships>. But in short:

Who: Alaskan graduating high school seniors may apply for the internship. A total of twenty students will be selected.

What: Graduating high school seniors will have the opportunity to work in a professional office, learn about the United States Congress, attend hearings and briefings, shadow the Senator, perform special projects, and explore Washington, D.C. Interns will be paid a stipend that is intended to help defray the costs of transportation to and from Washington, D.C. and housing.

When: Ten of the twenty selected students will serve in the first session from June 1 to June 26 and the other ten will serve in the second session from July 13 to August 7. Applicants may indicate their preference on the application.

Where: Interns will be housed at the Washington Intern Student Housing dorms on Capitol Hill, two blocks from the Senate Office Buildings. The dorms have a kitchen area and are furnished.

How: The application, which includes additional details, is found at https://www.murkowski.senate.gov/imo/media/doc/2026_high_school_intern_information_and_application_form.pdf.

Deadline: The deadline to apply is 11:59 p.m. Alaska time on Monday, March 23, 2026. Applications should be sent via email to angelina_burney@murkowski.senate.gov to ensure they arrive by the deadline. Although applications may be sent by U.S. Postal Service, FedEx, etc., the Senate's mail screening process will add additional time to the delivery. *No late applications will be considered.*

Questions: If you or any student interested in applying, or a parent has a question, please feel free to contact Angelina Burney at 202-224-9302.



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