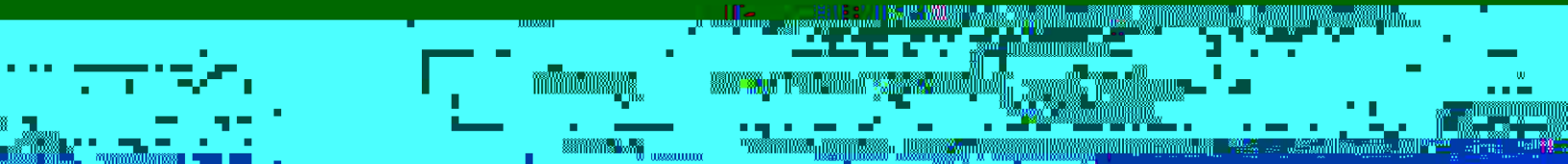




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Alignment with the Alaska Native Success Initiative (ANSI)

The Alaska Native Success Initiative formed a subcommittee under the UAA provost and the executive director for Alaska Native Education and Outreach. Called the Alaska Native Curriculum Development Committee (ANCDC), the committee consists of faculty from Alaska Native Studies in Anchorage, Kenai Peninsula College, and Kodiak College. Dr. Sharon Lind of the College of Business and Public Policy and Dr. Christina Stuive of Kenai Peninsula College co-chair the committee, which has focused on curriculum development that meets student and

community needs and respects the expertise and knowledge of elders and speakers of the languages being taught. The committee also acknowledges the role of Alaska Native communities and organizations in guiding and supporting appropriate and relevant curriculum.

University of Alaska Anchorage Mission and Strategic Plan – UAA 2025

The degree directly aligns with UAA's mission and strategic plan.

The proposed Ahtna certificate directly supports the Mission of UAA and contributes to Aspirations 1, 2, and 3 of UAA 2025. The certificate directly aligns with *Aspiration 1: We put students first by providing multiple opportunities for students to develop and increase*

intercultural fluency, one of UAA's core student learning competencies. It promotes Aspiration

AFFECTED PROGRAMS

Most of the courses also count toward the UAA minor in Alaska Native Studies and the UAA

Associate of Arts (AA) in Alaska Native Studies. The current proposal and any changes to the certificate moving forward would not affect specific requirements within the minor or the AA

This program will be unique in the UA System. It complements Alaska Native language and culture programming at the University of Alaska Fairbanks and the University of Alaska

Southeast. The UAF Associate of Applied Science (AAS) and Undergraduate Certificate (UC) in Native Language Education include concentrations in Athabaskan, Inupiaq Eskimo, and Central Yup'ik Eskimo.

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES AND STUDENT SUCCESS

Creation of this certificate is part of a larger project to develop practices and expectations in

advanced language speakers and teachers will be perpetually committed to teaching the same lower-division courses.

Currently, there are very few Abtne language experts to teach Abtne courses at the college

level. Demand for the courses is increasing. In order to meet the increasing demand for Abtne

language instructors, both MIT and YBC have accepted the need to hire additional faculty members

As noted above, it is advised and anticipated that KPC will eventually need a full-time term or tenure track position to stabilize this, and future programming related to Indigenous language development at Kenai Peninsula College and IIAA

ADEQUACY OF FACILITIES, EQUIPMENT, LIBRARY AND OTHER RESOURCES

KPC has created an Alaska Native Language Lab that is used as a teaching and research space

specifically for Alaska Native Languages. There are library resources related to Alaska Native Studies and Languages and a growing collection of teaching materials.

Undergraduate Certificate in Ahtna Language Instruction Catalog Copy

The Undergraduate Certificate in Ahtna Language Instruction prepares students for applying

knowledge, resources, and skills appropriate for a variety of entry-level jobs that use Ahtna.

- Demonstrate low intermediate speaking proficiency, with conversational speaking skills as prescribed in the Ahtna Athabascan Proficiency Standards

- Read and comprehend basic Ahtna, including words and sentences restricted to

everyday topics, at a level comparable to their speaking proficiency on Ahtna Athabascan Proficiency Standards

- Locate and assess Ahtna Dene language resources and reference materials for diverse situations and proficiency levels.
- Demonstrate knowledge of Ahtna history, culture, arts, and issues in the Ahtna region.
- Examine cross-cultural communication, cultural values, and working with Elders.

• Utilize beginner lessons in Ahtna language



Chickaloon Village Traditional Council

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Phone: (907) 745-0740

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