• Nationally accredited by NCATE (2004)
• Undergraduate programs delivered through distance technologies
  o Elementary Education (BA)
  o Early Childhood Education (AAS)
• Graduate Programs leading to initial certification
  o Elementary Education (MAT)
  o Secondary Education (MAT)
  o Early Childhood Education (MAT)
• Graduate Programs for advanced professionals
  o Reading Specialist (MEd)
  o Educational Technology (MEd)
  o Special Education (MEd)
  o Mathematics Education (Certificate; MEd in process)
• MAT programs offered in a variety of formats
  o MAT in Elementary Education (distance) delivered entirely through distance technologies
  o MAT in Elementary Education (internship) can be completed in one year in Juneau; expanding to Sitka and Ketchikan next year
  o MAT in Secondary Education (internship) can be completed in one year; cohorts in Juneau, Sitka, and in distance sites
  o MAT in Early Childhood offered entirely through distance technologies
• MEd Programs are all offered through distance technologies
• Over 85% of all courses in the School of Education offered through distance delivery
• Special Education program has 36 students completing their practicum experience this semester
• Carnegie Math Grant ($360,000) is providing instruction for teachers and instructional materials for students in rural Alaska
• All students in initial certification programs participate in a rural practicum experience during their internship
• BA program in Elementary Education has grown to over 80 students at various levels in the program in the last two years
• PITAAS program continues to attract Alaska Native students to teaching careers; there are currently 40 students in the program
• At this time in the semester, there are 491 students enrolled in the various programs and courses offered through the School of Education
• The School of Education anticipates that it will recommend approximately 55 students for initial certification
• The School of Education anticipates that it will recommend approximately 70 students for advanced degrees or additional endorsements
• All graduates of initial certification programs who desire employment and are willing to relocate will have jobs in Alaska schools
• Special education has become one of the largest programs in the School of Education