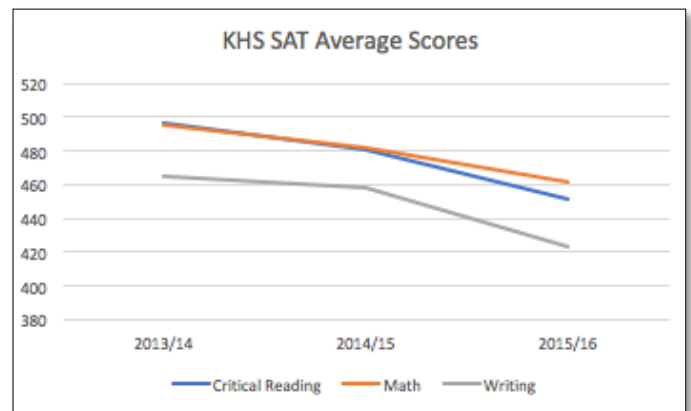
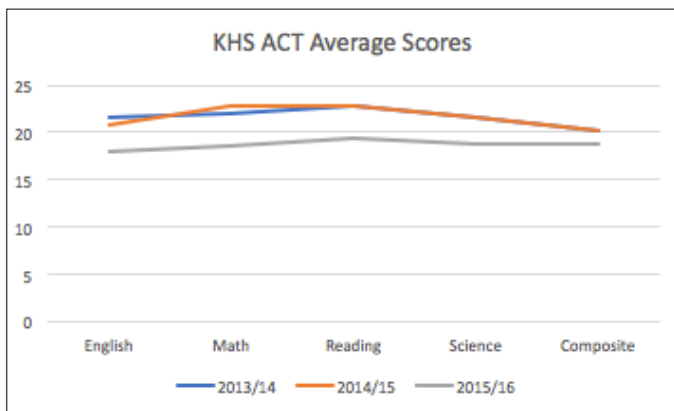




**Alaska Association of Student Governments**  
**Resolution 10 (Passes)**  
**SAT/ ACT Prep Class**  
**Kodiak High School Student Council**  
**Kodiak High School**

**Be it resolved by the Alaska Association of Student Governments;**

1. **Whereas**, the Kodiak Island Borough School District mission statement declares “We are a community of learning sharing responsibility for reaching our full potential, and pursuing lifelong learning with a commitment to excellence”. (1)
2. **Whereas**, juniors and seniors have expressed a desire to enroll in an SAT/ ACT preparation class.
3. **Whereas**, the average for Kodiak High School SAT and ACT scores have been declining over the past 2 years. (2)



ACT Average Scores 2015/16:

English	17.9
Math	18.5
Reading	19.4
Science	18.7
Composite	18.7

ACT Average Scores 2014/15

English	20.8
Math	22.8
Reading	22.8
Science	21.7
Composite	20.2

ACT Average Scores 2013/14:

English	21.6
Math	22.0
Reading	22.8
Science	21.7
Composite	20.2

SAT Average Scores 2015/16

Critical Reading	451
Math	461
Writing	423

SAT Average Scores 2014/15

Critical Reading	481
Math	482
Writing	458

SAT Average Scores 2013/14

Critical Reading	497
Math	495
Writing	465

4. **Whereas**, due to our 7 period day students have the opportunity to earn 28 credits, while graduation only requires 24.5 credits resulting in many students with open hours and would benefit from having an option of a college preparatory class. (5 Freshmen, 6 Sophomores, 33 Juniors, and 147 Seniors). (3,4)
5. **Whereas**, unlike bigger cities Kodiak does not have other out of school options for SAT/ ACT preparation classes.
6. **Whereas**, the course will be available to all grades, however juniors and seniors will have priority.
7. **Whereas**, online SAT/ ACT classes have not been successful for many students due to poor course design and the unengaging nature of online classes.
8. **Whereas**, we currently have qualified staff who have experience teaching ACT/SAT prep courses.

9. **Whereas**, there have been staff who have expressed interest in teaching an ACT/SAT prep class and would require a slight adjustment in the master schedule to facilitate this course offering.
10. **Whereas**, students would have the choice to take the ACT/SAT prep course for a semester for .5 credit or an entire school year for 1 credit.
11. **Whereas**, students would be awarded an elective credit upon successful completion of the course.
12. **Whereas**, the course would be free to all students who chose to take it.
13. **Whereas**, the course would be either pass or fail, rather than graded on the 4 point scale.

**Therefore**, be it resolved by the General Assembly of the Alaska Association of Student Governments that an ACT/SAT preparation course be offered for the 2017/18 school year at Kodiak High School.

**Action Statement:** This resolution, if approved by the General Assembly of the Alaska Association of Student Governments, will be sent to the School Board of the Kodiak Island Borough School District.

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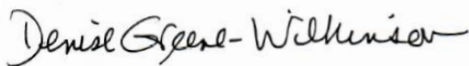
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**Passed by the Alaska Association of Student Governments at the Spring 2017 Conference**



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