

Logic Model: 2024 Youth Engagement Outdoor Summer School Program

Inputs/Resources		Activities		Outputs		Outcomes		Impact
<p>Anchorage Park Foundation and existing model programs, Youth Employment in Parks and Outdoor School in Parks</p> <p>Anchorage School District: Support and Resources</p> <p>Anchorage Cooperative Extension Service, 4-H: Youth Curriculum, Trainer/Facilitator Training Sessions, Faculty support</p> <p>Anchorage Soil and Water Conservation District: Resources and information</p> <p>USDA Farm to School Program with RurAL CAP and Anchorage School District</p> <p>Alaska Master Gardeners Anchorage: Expertise, knowledge, guidance and advices</p>	→	<p>Educational Classes on nutrition & food systems Gardening Hiking Biking Fishing Geocaching Leave No Trace Outdoor Leadership Training</p> <p>Embedded skill-building lessons including teamwork, problem solving, communication and leadership</p> <p>Evaluation Criteria Number of students enrolled attendance rate Time spent outdoor learning % of students that enjoyed the activity Time spent in community service projects # of gardens assisted # of lessons in skill-building Surveys to measure students' reaction and learning levels</p>	→	<p>Increased student participation</p> <p>Parents' awareness</p> <p>Students' increased knowledge and skills</p> <p>Increased number of students interested in community service projects serving as community student leaders</p>	→	<p>Short Term Impact:</p> <p>Expresses joy</p> <p>Collaborates with others on a variety of projects</p> <p>Demonstrates self-confidence</p> <p>Tries new foods</p> <p>Demonstrates comfort with being outdoors and with physical activity</p> <p>Demonstrates the ability to grow & harvest plants</p> <p>Demonstrates curiosity & wonder</p> <p>Long Term Impact:</p> <p>Students have strong connections to community, healthy food, the natural world, and community.</p> <p>Happy, healthy children</p>	→	<p>Increased knowledge, student recruitment and retention</p> <p>Students experiential learning will increase</p> <p>Community has skilled youth workforce</p> <p>Students become more understanding of food insecurity</p> <p>Development of health conscious community</p>