

Bilingual Multicultural Equity/Education Conference (BMEEC)
April 25-27th, 2012
Application Form

A donation from Cultural Survival, Inc. is making it possible for a group of Elders, adults, and high school students to attend and present at the BMEEC conference in Anchorage this April 25-27th, 2012. Two students who fill out and turn in this application will be chosen to attend based on merit. Three adults and two Elders will also attend. All who attend the BMEEC will apply to present a roundtable workshop for other conference participants from around Alaska. The topic of the presentation will be Alutiiq language activities, opportunities, and collaboration in Kodiak.

Applicants for the two High School spots will be chosen based on the following criteria: 1) participation in Alutiiq language/cultural classes and activities, 2) quality of answers to essay questions, and 3) willingness to present to others about Alutiiq language learning.

To apply for the workshop, please complete both sides of this form (front and back) and return it to April Counciller or Alisha Drabek by February 8th. If you have any questions about this project, please call the April at (907) 486-1276.

Full Name (as it appears on your state ID) _____

Birth Date (Month/Day/year) _____

Mailing Address _____
Street/PO Box *City* *State* *Zip code*

Email Address _____ Phone _____

Are you a current student in the High School Language class? **YES / NO**

Please list other Alutiiq language learning projects/opportunities you have participated in:

Please list any other Alutiiq or cultural activities you have been involved in.

Do you have any grade or attendance issues that might interfere or affect your participation in this conference?

YES / NO

Why do you want to go to the BMEEC conference?

Why is it important to share our language learning experiences and to learn from others?

Please write any additional comments or questions below (optional)

BMEEC Conference Consent/Assent Form

Please complete the following consent information required for participation and travel to Anchorage for the BMEEC, if chosen. *Participants under age 18 must include a signature by a parent or guardian approving the consent agreement.*

I, _____, release the use of my image/video taken during the *BMEEC* to the Alutiiq Museum, Cultural Survival, and its language partners for non-commercial uses, including, but not limited to, publication and distribution in newsletters, brochures, website pages, educational materials, exhibit materials, video productions and marketing materials. The museum will not reproduce my image or use my footage for commercial purposes without first gaining my permission to do so.

I understand that I will be under the supervision of the Alutiiq Museum staff and volunteer chaperones, and will be expected to act in a responsible and courteous manner. If under 18, I will not be allowed to leave the conference site without a chaperone, unless signed permission is provided by a parent or guardian.

I release the Alutiiq Museum & Archaeological Repository, its staff and volunteers, and the conference site owner from any and all liabilities, responsibilities and claims resulting from activities that are not under the Museum's direct control or supervision during this project.

I understand that the travel and conference may be physically demanding and that I must to be able to participate actively in all aspects of the *BMEEC*.

I agree to comply with the Alutiiq Museum, KHS, and all relevant state and federal drug and alcohol policies and laws; none of the aforementioned substances can be bought, sold or used during this travel opportunity.

The Alutiiq Museum makes no guarantee of absolute security. I expressly waive any claims or rights against the Alutiiq Museum, its employees, and volunteers for loss, damage, theft, or personal injury sustained while participating.

I give permission for Museum staff or volunteers to transport me in the event of an emergency to the closest medical facility, either by personal vehicle or ambulance. I agree that the Museum is not responsible for the cost of the transportation or the cost of the medical services or any cost involved therein.

Signature _____ Printed Name _____ Date _____

Guardian Assent (*If under age 18*)

I understand and agree to the above consent and waiver information for my student.

Signature _____ Printed Name _____ Date _____