

***Alaska Close Up Teachers***  
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***Course: Alaska Close Up 2005-06***      Professional Development: ED 593 for one credit  
Fee to UAS: \$75  
Instructor: Linda Kadrlik

Course requirements

***Summary***

*You will be participating in your Alaska Close Up session as a mentor and teacher for your students and other students in the program. You will learn about the student lessons by helping them complete them. Your culminating assignment will be a short journal and evaluation of the session, to be completed within two weeks of the end of the session.*

1. Complete all advance assignments together with your students and comment on them in your journal. (Web site: [www.serrc.org/academy](http://www.serrc.org/academy))
2. Work with your students as they prepare for the regional presentation and local project.
3. Attend and participate as mentor and teacher all the student activities for the session.
4. Complete a journal/evaluation of the Alaska Close Up session, and mail or FAX it to the instructor within two weeks of the end of your session.

**Journal contents:**

- a) Describe the effectiveness of the Alaska Close Up web site and the student assignments in (1) providing general information and (2) preparing students for their Alaska Close Up experience.
- b) For each day, Sunday through Friday, write two or three paragraphs that discuss one or more of the following:
  - Logistics
  - Schedule arrangements
  - Major concepts you learned about state government
  - Effectiveness of learning activities for students
  - Relationship of student activities to Alaska Content Standards
  - Suggestions for improved effectiveness of your teacher/mentor position
  - General evaluation of the positive and negative aspects of the day
- c) Discuss how your overall Alaska Close Up experience has influenced your perception of state government.
- d) Describe how your Alaska Close Up experience has affected or will affect your classroom teaching.

Begin your work now. Register and pay fees the first day of your session. Mail or FAX your Alaska Close Up Journal to your instructor, Linda Kadrlik within two weeks of the end of your session.