This year’s TRiO Day was a wonderful success. Many students attended, served as members of our panel, and gave speeches. Nathan Feemster was nominated to speak about his experience at SSS and study abroad in Thailand, and Georgia Durden participated as the student representative in a TRiO Panel. The panel took questions from the audience and discussed how TRiO works for students, how teachers can work with SSS, and also how to find support for students through TRiO programs. Additional Panel Participants were Sarah Stanley, Director of Composition from the English Department, and Mary Kreta, the Director of Admissions. Todd Sherman, Dean of College of Liberal Arts accepted the TRiO Champion award, in conjunction with the English and Communications departments, for their support of SSS. UAF TRiO programs recognized TRiO Achiever SSS alumni Shery Hart-Elterman (’11), a kindergarten teacher at Ladd Elementary. The day was a great show of support for our program, and with cake for everyone, it was a memorable event!
TRiO Day of Service

The TRiO day of service was a great show of support. SSS students and advisors gathered to help out at the Door, a local, non-profit youth shelter. They helped organize and distribute donations, making it easier for the shelter to help youth in need. If you would like to know more about the Door, or how to help volunteer, call the Door at 907-374-5678, or talk with an SSS advisor.

Fall Registration is here!

Are you all set for next semester? Fall Registration began April 4th, but it’s not too late if you still haven’t registered. Talk to your advisors about getting registered, or set up an appointment with them by talking to the student workers at the front desk! Also make sure that your FAFSA is completely taken care of! After taxes are filed it’s important to remember to go back into your FAFSA and update the information to ensure your funding and application are accurate.

Taking Summer Classes?

Check whether you’re eligible for a summer tuition waiver! Just go to: www.uaf.edu/summer/ and check out their Summer Specific Financial Aid. For courses online, an application for a tuition waiver can be found at: https://elearning.uaf.edu/summer-2016-tuition-award-application/ Finally, SSS also has summer scholarships! Apply online by May 1 at www.uaf.edu/sss/resources/

If you have questions, just talk to an advisor at SSS, or contact UAF Summer Sessions at summer@alaska.edu or 907-474-7021. Contact Elearning at 907-455-2060 or uaf-elearning@alaska.edu
A Trip to the Ice Park!
On March 15th our students attended the annual trip to the Ice Park in Fairbanks! The Ice Park is the home of the BP World Ice Art Championships, and features a wide array of skill and designs. These make for a stunning, if chilly, walk in the park.

Prepping for Grad school?
Make sure you’re in the loop for Grad School Deadlines and requirements. GRE testing dates and Grad school applications can sneak up, so be prepared with a timeline of dates and deadlines. Having trouble tracking down this info? Remember you can schedule an appointment with an advisor to get the ball rolling. We are here to support you as you move toward goals with your best foot forward!

Summer Internships
Looking for something to do this summer? Want to expand your experience in your field, or see what you can do with your degree? A Summer Internship might be the thing for you! Simply search for internships near your hometown or within your major and start applying! These are a great way to fill your summer and buff out your resume!
Recent Adventures at SSS:

March 25th was a busy day at SSS! Students participated in the SSSki Adventure, and SAC hosted a Baked Potato Sale in Signer’s Hall. Luckily for the SSSki adventure we had fresh snow, and clear weather! The Baked Potato Sale successfully sold out of all but 3 potatoes! And these are just some of the exciting things that our brilliant, talented and amazing students have been up to!

Summer @ SSS

SSS is open during regular office hours, between 8 am and 5 pm this summer. Study hall, printing, copying and computer use is available to all SSS students. We also have summer tutors ready to assist with coursework!

New tutors and the office staff!

Our two new tutors this semester are:

Josh Purba -
-Lutfi Lena.

Our friendly student office staff, Ashley, Emily, Gina, and McKenzi are at the front desk and ready to help out with any of your concerns!