

2016 Alaska RTI Conference Logistics

Schedule at A Glance	<p>Friday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pre-conference for Rural Schools: 8:30 a.m.- 4:00 p.m. (Third floor) Coffee, tea and lunch provided. <i>Sold out.</i> • Early Conference Registration: 3:30-5:00 p.m. (First floor) <p>Saturday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registration: 7:30-8:30 a.m. (First floor) • Keynote: 8:30-9:15 a.m., Tricia McKale Skyles (First floor) • Full Day Sessions: 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. (Second and third floors) • Lunch: Box lunches are provided on the third floor from 12:30-1:30 p.m. <p>Sunday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AM Topical Session: 9:00-11:30 a.m. • Lunch: Box lunches are provided on the third floor from 11:30-12:30 p.m. • PM Topical Session: 12:30-3:00 p.m. <p>The sessions you registered for are listed on your namebadge. Note: If you changed your sessions after January 7 your old schedule will be printed on the namebadge. Attend your new sessions.</p>
University Credit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One 500-level university credit will be available from UAA for participants who attend the entire conference and complete a short follow-up paper. • Credit registration will take place online or at the conference on Saturday and Sunday. • UAA will have a credit registration table near the conference registration desk. The credit cost is \$109. • Pre-conference hours can also be used to meet the credit hour requirement.
Coffee and Lunch	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coffee and tea will be provided on Saturday and Sunday morning in the second and third floor foyers until noon. Coffee is included in your registration fee. • Box lunches will be provided on Saturday and Sunday in the third floor foyer. Lunch is included in your registration fee. There is no extra charge. • Gluten free lunches will be available. • Wear your namebadge. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Saturday - Choice of: Cajun Chicken Wrap, Mesquite Turkey and Smoked Bacon Sandwich, Ham and Swiss Sandwich, Classic Italian Combo Sandwich, Thai Cobb Salad (Flank Steak) or Grilled Vegetable Wrap - Sunday - Choice of: Chicken Cobb Ciabatta, Classic Roast Beef Sandwich, Mesquite Turkey and Smoked Bacon Sandwich, Thai Cobb Salad (Flank Steak) or Grilled Vegetable Wrap

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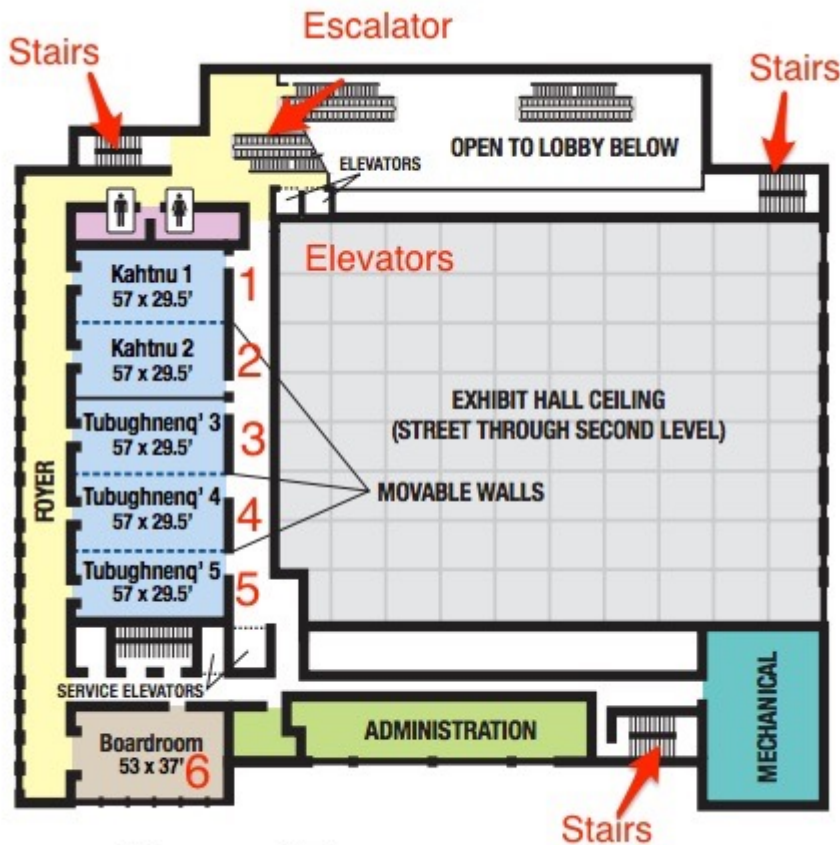
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Conference Resource Page / Handouts	Copies of the handouts will be provided at the breakout sessions. Handouts will also be posted on the conference website: www.asdn.org/2016-alaska-rti-conference-resources
Contacts	<p>Kathy Blanc Alaska Staff Development Network Email: asdn@alaskaacsa.org or kblanc@alaskaacsa.org</p> <p>Jennifer Knutson Anchorage School District Email: knutson_jennifer@asdk12.org</p>
Evaluation	<p>The Fifth Annual Alaska RTI Conference is co-sponsored by the Alaska Staff Development Network and the Anchorage School District.</p> <p>We need your honest feedback to evaluate this conference and to plan for next year.</p> <p>Last year's evaluation drove the design of this year's program. We need your comments and ideas to build a conference that meets your needs in 2017.</p> <p>We will send you an email with a link to the online evaluation. Please fill out a brief online form to tell us what you thought of your sessions and the overall conference.</p> <p><i>Everyone who completes the online conference evaluation will automatically be entered into a drawing for a FREE registration for the 2017 Alaska RTI Conference, value up to \$495. Five names will be selected.</i></p>
Exhibitors	Please visit our exhibitors on the third floor! All exhibitors are listed in this packet.
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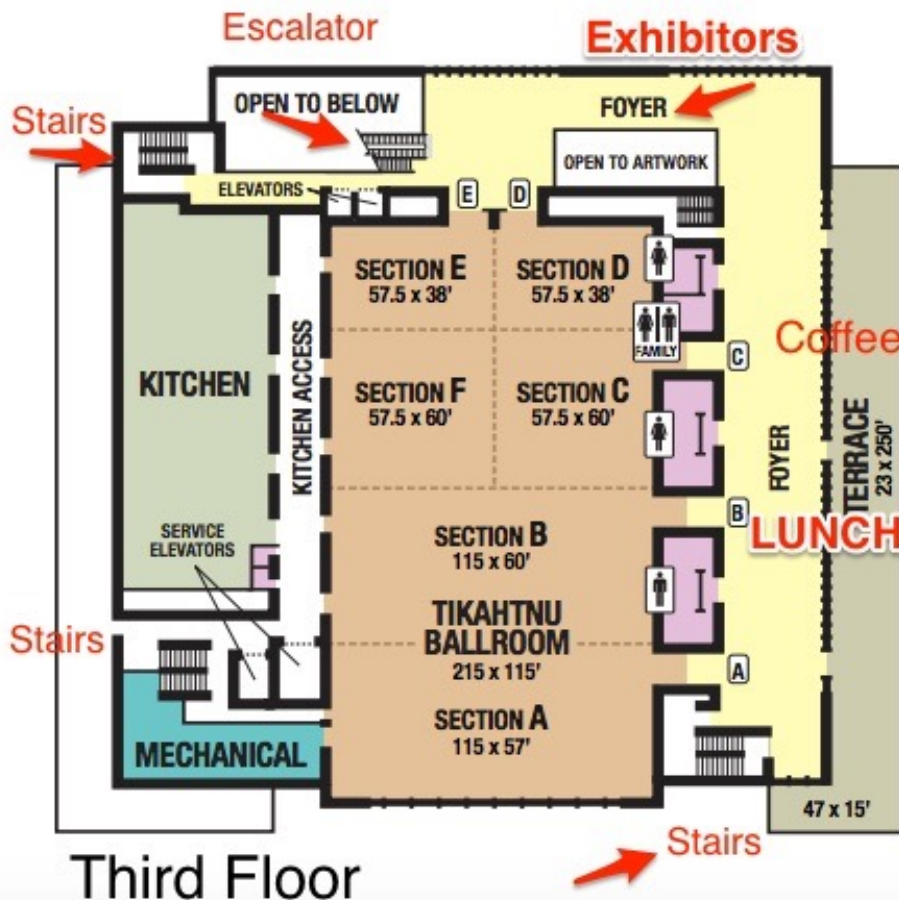
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Denaina Center Floor Map



Second Floor

- 1) All numbered rooms (Rooms 1-6) are on the second floor.
- 2) All ballrooms are on the third floor.
- 3) Coffee stations are on the second floor by the elevator and on the third floor foyer.
- 4) Lunch is on the third floor foyer.
- 5) There are restrooms on each level.
- 6) **Note the location of the stairs.** In case of an emergency please exit down the stairs —do not take the escalator or elevator.



Third Floor

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Exhibitor	Products and Services	Representative	Contact Email
Curriculum Associates	Curriculum Associates is an education company committed to making classrooms better places for teachers and students. Our research-based, award-winning products, including i-Ready®, Ready®, BRIGANCE® and other programs provide teachers and administrators with flexible resources that deliver meaningful assessments and data-driven, differentiated instruction for children.	Kathy Walsh	kwalsh@cainc.com
Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt provides innovative K-12 Educational materials and services to change people's lives by fostering passionate, curious learners.	Debra White	debra.white@hnhco.com
Lexia Learning	Over two million students use Lexia's research-proven approach to explicit, personalized learning of fundamental reading skills. This scalable, technology-based system predicts students' year-end performance, delivers norm-referenced performance data without interrupting the flow of instruction to administer a test, and provides teachers data-driven action plans to help differentiate instruction.	Gale O'Connell-Smith	oconnellsmith@yahoo.com
McGraw-Hill Education	McGraw-Hill Education focuses on RTI solutions. Working with schools and teachers to combine the right content with the right technology and instruction. Programs include Direct Instruction, SRA, Alternative Core Reading, Supplemental and Early Childhood Education.	Jill Martin	jill.martin@mheducation.com

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McGraw-Hill Education	McGraw-Hill Education is a learning science company and a publisher of print and digital resource. MHE partners with schools to deliver comprehensive curriculum that includes explicit RTI and differentiated materials.	Chris Meier and Molly Hull	chris.meier@mheducation.com
National Geographic Learning	National Geographic Learning, a part of Cengage Learning, provides quality PreK-12, Academic, and Adult Education instructional solutions for reading, science, social studies, mathematics, ESL/ELD, Advanced, Honors, & Electives, Career and Technical Education, and Professional Development. See our new catalog at NGL.Cengage.com/catalogs .	Jim Patneaude	jim.patneaude@cengage.com
Pearson	Pearson partners with educators to deliver new personalized ways of learning through effective scalable assessments, instructional tools, services, and technologies.	Shawn Ward	shawn.ward@pearson.com
Silverback Learning Solutions	Silverback Learning Solutions is a company with a mission to help fellow educators accelerate achievement in all students. Silverback's flagship product, Mileposts, helps users create and connect personalized learning plans and RtI interventions to all of the instructional and assessment resources already available in schools, and to the millions of Open Educational Resources available on the web via the Gooru Learning Navigator.	Jim Lewis	jlewis@silverbacklearning.com

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Voyager Sopris Learning	Voyager Sopris Learning™ is committed to partnering with school districts to meet and surpass their goals for student achievement. The suite of instructional and service solutions we provide is not only research based, but also evidence based—proven to increase student achievement and educator effectiveness. Our solutions have been fully tested in the classroom, ensuring that they are easy to implement and teacher friendly. They are innovative, both in overall instructional approach and in the strategic use of technology in blended and 100 percent online solutions, and they are supported by an unparalleled commitment to build local capacity for sustained success.	Patricia Sak	patricia.sak@voyagerlearning.com
Whizz Education	Whizz Education works with teachers, principals and district administrators to raise standards in math for grades K-8. We do this through adaptive tutoring, whole class training tools and application of best practices.	Nicholas Bright	nick.bright@whizz.com
Wonkitz	Wonkitz provides hands-on STEM learning kits to aid teachers in helping their class develop critical thinking and communication skills. The kits include STEM based projects that children can take home and share with their parents as well as exercises that connect to the appropriate language arts and math common core standards.	Amy Johnson	amy.johnson@wonkitz.com

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