

Education Meet Important

The State Board of Education meeting in Anchorage on January 24 this month is regarded as an important gathering by the native people in that many native leaders will be invited to take part.

The conference was requested by the executive committee of the education meeting in Sitka last month that was conducted by the members of the Alaska congressional delegation and which was co-chaired by Congressman Howard W. Pollock and Sen. Mike Gravel.

The State Board of Education was requested to meet with the native leaders to discuss the regional high school concept prior to 1969 state legislative session.

One of the reasons for holding the conference at that time is that many of the legislators will be traveling through Anchorage and would be able to attend the conference.

The Bureau of Indian Affairs is also holding an education workshop during the week of the conference.

All representatives of native associations who attended the Sitka conference have been included in the invitations.

The conference will be held at the Captain Cook Hotel on January 24 at 9:30 a.m.