



Expression of Interest Requirements:

- Briefing notes completed
- Completed and signed expression of interest form
- Current report card or transcript
- One acceptable Learning Profile for prospective students (from school preferably)
- Two Reference names and emails (or number) of people we can contact

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____ (Month/Day/Year)

Age: _____

Address: _____ Postal Code: _____

Student's Email: _____ Tel: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____ Tel: (Home) _____

Parent's Email: _____ Tel: (Business) _____

Parent/Guardian: _____ Tel: (Home) _____

Parent's Email: _____ Tel: (Business) _____

School Currently Attending/Most Recently Attended: _____

Current Grade: _____ IPP ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unsure

School Contact: _____ Tel: _____

Expression of Interest to AHS ☐ 1st time ☐ 2nd time ☐ 3rd time

Learner Profile for Prospective Student

Your Learner Profile should be submitted directly to us from an adult (not related to you) who has known you in some supervisory capacity and who is in a position to make a fair assessment of you at school/work/sports/club or volunteer activities. A school/teacher is strongly recommended.

References for Prospective Student

Email addresses or phone numbers for references should be from adults who are in a position to make a fair assessment of you at school/work/sports/club or volunteer activities. A school reference is strongly recommended

Please take time to answer the questions on the following pages thoughtfully and completely. Your expression of interest form will be screened and, if approved, you will be called for an interview. The interview will be conducted by 2 staff members and potentially an observer.

The information provided by you in this questionnaire is collected in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (FOIP) Act for the purposes of assessing whether you meet the requirements for AHS and are able to be successful at this school. Information from any part of your expression of interest may be discussed at the interview* and, as necessary, shared with other staff members. I consent to the use of this information for the purposes described.

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Student signature required: _____

Parent signature required (unless applicant is 18 or older): _____

* (Student interviewers and observers agree to keep information confidential)

1. Why do you want to come to Alternative High School/ What do you know about how the school works?

2. Where did you hear about Alternative?

3. What are your strengths as a learner? (Be as specific as possible)

5. What kinds of support do you need from school/teachers/administration in order to be a successful learner?

6. Describe any health concerns that might impact your learning (eg. asthma, migraines, ADHD, anxiety, depression, etc).

7. Who do you live with and how long have you been living in this situation?



8. Have you received any of the following Mental Health interventions? Is so, please indicate:

Type of intervention	Yes	No	Type of intervention	Yes	No
Counselling support			Hospitalization		
Psychology support			Residential treatment		
Psychiatrist support			Day Program Intervention		
Prescribed medication					

If there is anything else you would like to tell us about these interventions please do so here:

9 a) Do you consume drugs or alcohol? Yes ____ No ____

b) Has your drug use ever impacted your school performance? Yes ____ No ____

10. What areas/subjects at school interest you the most and why?

11. What is the biggest challenge for you in school? Why is it a challenge?

What are some techniques you have developed to lessen the negative impacts of this?



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12. Has attendance been an issue for you in the past? Why? What is your readiness to attend school regularly?

13. What are your feelings about joining in on our community activities and field trips?

14. List some activities, interests and hobbies that you enjoy.

15. List two references and their email or phone number. Please include their relationship to you.

Name	Contact Phone and/or email	Relationship to you

If you are granted an interview, you can expect to be asked questions that concern some of the following:

- ♦ Circle of Courage
- ♦ Respect for Space
- ♦ How you handle conflicts
- ♦ Your past experiences in school
- ♦ Your strengths as a learner
- ♦ How you organize yourself
- ♦ Supports that you need to be successful
- ♦ Willingness to join in the community

