

Alternative Learning Programs and Schools



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Educational Equity
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for **All Students***

Welcoming Inclusion Activity

“In the chat window, please share your name, where you are from, your role, and something you are wondering as we share this time together.”

Introductions



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Alternative Learning Programs & Schools (ALPS) Support Plan

Next Steps by Audience

District Primary Alternative Learning Contact

- Add Alternative Learning Contact to EDDIE
- Complete Survey
- Forward Survey to school-level leader(s) of ALPS

School ALPS Administrator

- Complete Survey
- Forward Survey to your staff (email example provided)

ALPS Staff

- Complete Survey

ALPS Initial Support Plan Descriptions

Event	Description and Dates
Office Hours	<p>Who attends: District Primary Alternative Learning Contact and School-Level ALPS Leader</p> <p>Office hours will be used to engage in sharing pertinent information and seeking district and school input. Initial office hours will be hosted in January, and participation is optional. Interested attendees only need to attend <u>one</u> initial office hours session. Additional dates will be determined based on level of participation and data from survey results.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Thursday, January 19, 4:00-5:00 pm https://uncg.zoom.us/j/92073769604?pwd=S1VUYzMDI25yMGdlUUFdCO29Mh2x5Uj09 - Tuesday, January 31, 9:30-10:30 am https://uncg.zoom.us/j/92494073618?pwd=YUNSSnhTRzjeDVaEVvUjAyYXp0Qj09
Administrator Community of Practice (CoP)	<p>Who attends: ALPS Administrators</p> <p>Administrator community of practice (CoP) will create a space for administrators to build bonds and bridges, collaborate, explore challenges (e.g., instructional, operational, etc.) and successes, and problem solve. Dates TBD based on survey results.</p>
Staff Community of Practice (CoP)	<p>Who attends: ALPS Staff</p> <p>Staff community of practice (CoP) will create a space for instructional and support staff to build bonds and bridges, collaborate, explore challenges (e.g., instructional, operational, etc.) and successes, and problem solve. Dates TBD based on survey results.</p>
Professional Development Sessions	<p>Who attends: ALPS Administrators and Staff</p> <p>Professional Development sessions will be provided leveraging problems of practice and/or ALPS exemplary practices. Dates TBD based on survey results.</p>
North Carolina Association of Alternative Educators (NCAAE)	<p>The North Carolina Association of Alternative Educators (NCAAE) supports ALPS with organizational support, educators with resources, provides peer support and conferences, and advocates with NCDPI to connect practice with policy. Monthly work sessions throughout SY22-23 are designed for rebuilding the organization post-COVID.</p>

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Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) Document



Discipline and ALPS Data Reporting

[GS § 115C-12\(27\)](#) Reporting Dropout Rates, Suspensions, Expulsions, and Alternative Placements

[Office of Civil Rights' Civil Rights Data Collection](#) (CRDC) requires PSUs and schools to submit a variety of data bi-annually including ALPS enrollment and removals for disciplinary purposes.

Discipline and ALPS Data Reporting Resources

[North Carolina Discipline Data Reporting and Procedures Manual](#)

[ALPS Data Reporting Canvas Course](#)

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Webpage



Resources

ALPS educators and advocates are currently meeting monthly to redesign The North Carolina Association of Alternative Educators (NCAAE) to best meet the need of its membership. Additional programming will kick off summer 2023. To join the monthly work sessions or if you have questions email fnash@rti.org.

North Carolina will be networking with other states in the southeast region, and we will share upcoming conference opportunities. Here is the first Save the Date, from the Georgia Association for Alternative Education (GAAE):

- **2023 GAAE Annual Conference** is scheduled for September 27th-29, 2023 at Hilton Hotel and Conference Center, Peachtree City, Ga. You can learn more about GAAE <https://gaaae.org/>.

Optimistic Closure

What is your greatest hope for alternative education in North Carolina?

Thank you for participating!

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