

ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP  
INSTITUTE

Return to:

Academic Leadership Institute  
Dennis-Yarmouth Regional High School  
210 Station Avenue  
South Yarmouth, MA 02664

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

T-shirt size (adult): \_\_\_\_\_

Approximate Grade Average: \_\_\_\_\_

School and Outside Activities:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Interested students should:

1. Complete this application and include your essay. This must be postmarked by **June 1** to participate in ALI.
2. Write a well-organized and thoughtful 3-paragraph essay responding to one of these prompts. Your essay should have an introduction, a body, and a conclusion paragraph.

*What leadership skills have you gained during your middle school experience that will prepare you for success at DYRHS?*

**OR**

*What leadership skills do you hope to gain during ALI in order to be successful at DYRHS? Be specific as to why you believe these skills are important.*

3. Provide the names of three adults as references (include phone numbers):

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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Student enrollment may be limited to accommodate the activities within the program. Final decisions will be made by the DYRHS Administration and A.L.I. staff. Applications will be reviewed in the order they are received.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

DENNIS-YARMOUTH  
REGIONAL  
HIGH SCHOOL



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Kayak, bike, boat and hike  
as you connect with other students  
and join together as members of the  
class of 2023

Dennis-Yarmouth Regional  
High School's

Academic Leadership Institute

is designed for the student who...

- has a spirit of adventure.
- can work alone, but enjoys being a member of a team.
- welcomes personal growth.
- has a strong desire to learn new or interesting things.
- appreciates fun and excitement.
- has the confidence to take action.
- is willing to accept responsibility and leadership.

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For additional information  
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### ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Academic Leadership Institute is open to incoming 8<sup>th</sup> graders.

The goal of A.L.I. is to develop student leaders who are willing to take on positive, cooperative challenges. Participants will continue to develop their individual and group skills by working as facilitators with other students and assuming leadership roles in the educational community.

A.L.I. creates an atmosphere that allows for healthy risk-taking which results in more confident and resilient students.

Significant time will be devoted to field-based endeavors using the rich, natural, historical, and human resources of Dennis and Yarmouth. Past field trips have included walking tours, bike tours, kayaking, theatre, and a Bass River tour. Additionally, students will become familiar with the layout of the high school, academic offerings, culture, and co-curriculars.

Everyone will be given the opportunities, support, and experiences to lead and to excel!

### DATES AND TIMES

Monday June 25 – Friday June 29  
Monday July 2 – Tuesday July 3  
Monday July 9 – Friday July 13

The “home” sessions are at D-Y from 8:00 a.m. to noon. However, due to numerous field-based experiences, times are flexible and often subject to change. A calendar of events, places and times will be furnished upon request and at the start of the program.

### TUITION AND FEES

The fee for A.L.I. is \$160.00 per student, payable to Dennis-Yarmouth Regional High School at the first session. The fee covers all activities, admissions, and ticket costs.

### ATTENDANCE POLICY

Once a student has successfully completed the program, it can be listed on their official resume as having participated in A.L.I. A maximum of two excused absences will be allowed for the official acknowledgment of participation.

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