



# Leap Academy

**Where Possibility Meets Reality**

Application for Admission  
2018-2019 School Year

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Thank you for expressing interest in attending the LEAP Academy. The LEAP Academy is for 7<sup>th</sup> grade students who have been previously retained but are currently making good academic progress. It allows those students the opportunity to bypass their 8<sup>th</sup> grade year and LEAP up to ninth grade (at the start of the 18-19 school year).

We are rapidly approaching the process of selecting next year's class of LEAP Academy students. We look forward to learning more about you as we get the process underway.

The LEAP Academy is housed on the campus of the **Alternative Education Center**. Our small campus and small class setting fosters the ideal environment to prepare students by developing responsible study skills and practices that enhance student performance through rigorous coursework and achievement.

We thank you for expressing interest and look forward to meeting you soon.

**APPLICATIONS ARE DUE June 10, 2018**

**LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED**

Applications will be accepted in person at the AEC office, via mail, or via email

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If you have any questions concerning this application, please call (828) 652-1040 or email:

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**McDowell County Alternative Education Center**  
*(To be completed by parent/guardian)*

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Gender** Male Female Age \_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Legal Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

With whom does the student currently reside? \_\_\_\_\_

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

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (Student) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone (Mother) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (Father) \_\_\_\_\_

*\*If any contact information changes, please contact AEC at 828-652-1040*

**Please Circle the McDowell County School You Currently Attend**

East McDowell Middle    Foothills Community School    West McDowell Middle

Home School / Private School

Please include with this application results from previous EOG's along with any reports cards you may have. You also need **two** letters of recommendations from current teachers. The application will not be considered if all the requested information is not submitted.





