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# Algoma District School Board Alliance Academy

# **Football Information Package 2026-2027**

#### Vision

The Vision of the Algoma District School Board Alliance Academy is that learners in ADSB engage in innovative experiences that maximize achievement, build confidence, and develop responsible citizens.

The Alliance Football Academy is open to all students in grades 9 and 10 at each Sault Ste. Marie secondary school.

The ADSB Alliance Football Academy will help student athletes learn and improve advanced individual skills and tactics, while developing a lifestyle in and away from their sport that emphasizes building character through achieving both athletic and educational success.

Purposeful practices led by highly trained staff, strength and conditioning designed to maximize physical attributes, and a focus on leadership, character and confidence will all position the student to achieve their individual goals in an engaging environment.

#### High School Program (grades 9 and 10) – Second Semester Only

- Paired programming for success: PAL 10/20, (Physical Education large group activities) and ENL 1W (Grade 9 destreamed English) **OR** IDC 30 (grade 10 Football curriculum course)
- ➤ 60 hours of indoor and outdoor turf time dedicated to skill development, 2-3 times a week.
- > 50 hours of sport specific training (gym and weight room)
- ➤ 110 hours of grade 9 destreamed English or grade 10 Football curriculum course.
- Instruction from a qualified teacher and community skills expert.













### **Fee Structure**

The fee for this program is \$400.00. A **\$100.00 deposit is due with a completed registration form**. The remaining \$300.00 is due on or **before September 11, 2026** (School Cash On-line is the preferred method of payment, or by credit card)

Included with the fee:

- 110 hours of Football instruction on turf, in the gym, and in the weightroom.
- 110 hours of instruction from a Football qualified teacher or community skills instructor
- Regular morning transportation by school bus to Superior Heights or the NCC. Lunch time transportation to students' home school.
- Football Ontario workout T- shirt and shorts.

Financial assistance is available and will be reviewed on a case by case basis by request.

#### **Transportation**

High school students will access eligible bus routes each morning from their home, arriving at Superior Heights no later than 8:30 AM. Transportation will be provided by the Algoma District School Board for students to return to their home schools at lunch time. High school students will attend afternoon classes at their home schools each day.

#### **Equipment**

Students are responsible for their own footwear. The Alliance Academy will supply students with a T-shirt and shorts that they should wear for workouts on the field, in the gym, and in the weight room. Footballs and all other training equipment will be provided for students. We encourage students to have proper Football training shoes/cleats as well as a pair of running shoes dedicated for use in the academy.

## **Admission Requirements**

Enrolment in this program is limited thus, we cannot guarantee a spot for all applicants. Acceptance will be based on: work habits, consistent learning skills and regular attendance. Once program selection has been made by committee, a waiting list will be generated.













## Example of a typical day for a student

Grade 9	Arrive at Superior	8:30 to 9:45 AM Group	9:50 to 11:05 AM	11:05 AM
(Group 1)	Heights by 8:30 AM	1 on the turf, in the	Group 1 in Grade 9	Transportation to
(Mon to Fri)		gym, or in the weight	destreamed English	home school
		room.		
Grade 10	Arrive at Superior	8:30 to 9:45 AM Group	9:50to 11:05 AM	11:05 AM
(Group 2)	Heights by 8:30 AM	2 in Football	Group 2 on the turf,	Transportation to
(Mon to Fri)		curriculum course.	in the gym, or in the	home school
			weight room	

#### Registration

Current Grade 9 ADSB students will select the ADSB Alliance Football Academy during the course selection process.

For any current Grade 8 students or Grade 9 students from other boards, please choose the ADSB Alliance Football Academy on your option selection sheet when registering at your home school or choose in My Blueprint.

Use School Cash On-line to pay the \$100.00 deposit when you apply. Balance of \$300.00 to be paid through School Cash On-line by the end of the first week of school in September.

The selection committee will review applications and confirm registration prior to the start of the school year.

#### **Our Staff**

#### Mr. Seth Cond

- 30 years experience in various football roles
- Former Sault Steelers quarterback and tight end
- Coaching experience includes time with Bawating and Superior Heights high schools, Sault Minor, Sault Sabercats, and Sault Steelers.
- Coach with The Sault Steelers during their 2010 Canadian National Championship win.
- Level 2 officiating qualification and 5 years officiating experience in high school football.













#### Mr. Noah Rushon

- High school football player at White Pines
- Former Sault Sabercats and Sault Steelers player
- Wilfred Laurier varsity football player at the receiver position

#### Mr. Michael Reid

- Captain with Superior Heights and Sault Sabercats football teams
- League all-star in high school and OSFL at tight end position
- Part of OFSAA championship team at Superior Heights
- University of Waterloo varsity football player and team captain
- Three time defensive player of the year in U sports
- University athletics league all star at line backer and special teams
- Attended CFL Ontario Regional Combine in 2020 and CFL tryout camps with Edmonton Elks, Winnipeg Blue Bombers, and Montreal Alouettes.

#### Mr. Marco Bernabucci

- Athletic Director Korah Collegiate
- Head coach Korah Jr. Football
- 4 consecutive NOSSA championships and 10 of the last 13 local championships
- Inaugural head coach of the Sault Sabercats Junior Varsity Football Program
- Played post secondary football in Thunder Bay
- Football Canada's Northern Ontario Rep for Safe Contact
- "Heads up Contact" by OFC certified/instructor
- First Aid, CPR, and AED certified

### Paul Orazietti - Community Partner

- Sault College varsity men's football head coach
- Current Sault College Director of Athletics
- Former assistant coach University of British Columbia
- Former head coach Victoria Rebels Canadian Junior Football, B.C.
- Guest coach with CFL Calgary Stampeders and BC Lions
- Running backs coach for Canada's Junior National Team in 2016













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# **Contact Us**

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