

Northern Outdoor Studies – Application Form

Name: _____ Age in September: _____

Date Form Completed : _____ Current Grade: _____

Address: _____ Phone #: _____

Why do you want to take the Northern Outdoor Studies course? _____

What do you expect to get out of this program? _____

What do you plan to do once you leave high school? _____

What past or present experience do you have in the Outdoors? I.e. Logging, trapping, camping, canoeing, fishing, fire fighting, etc. _____

Do you have any skills or qualifications that would be useful in this program? I.e. Bronze Cross, NLS _____

Driver's Licence (Yes or No): _____ Class: _____

Current Part - Time employment: _____

School Teams and any other Extra Curriculars you participated in this year: _____

Do you participate in any community activities? I.e. hockey, theatre. Please list. _____

Special Notes:

Swim Test: To participate in water based activities you must be able to pass a swim test without a flotation device. The test includes doing a rolling entry into a pool, swimming 50 meters using any stroke, and treading water for 1 minute.

Peer Mentor or Mentor in Training Programs: Because of how much class time is required to be part of the NOS program students will not be able to join this program.

In the space below and on the back, tell us anything else about yourself, that we should consider when reviewing this application. _____

References

Using the 3 attached reference forms please have 3 teachers you now have, or have had in the past, fill out the form. These teachers will then return it to Guidance, Ms. Gillis or Mr. Pomeroy.

North Hastings High School

Northern Outdoor Studies Program Application

TEACHER REFERENCE FORM

Student Name: (print) _____ **Grade:** _____

Teacher Name: (print) _____

This student is applying for the Northern Outdoor Studies Program. Your comments will assist us to determine the student's readiness for our program. Candidates need to have demonstrated a level of general employability skills to be able to meet expectations similar to those for new employees.

Please rate the student on the following scale

PERFORMANCE CATEGORY	E	G	S	N	Comments
ACADEMIC SKILLS					
Communicates with others					
Ability to work independently					
Listens well; asks questions; follows instructions					
Ability and willingness to learn					
PERSONAL MANAGEMENT SKILLS (Attitude and Responsibility)					
Does personal best					
Organizes time, material and equipment well					
Self-motivated, sets goals, shows initiative					
Shows persistence to get the job done					
Good attendance and punctuality					
TEAMWORK					
Leadership ability					
Accepts instruction and/or criticism well					
Adaptable - works well with groups					

Please identify any other factors that might need consideration in the selection of this student.

Would you recommend this student for the Northern Outdoor Studies program? Yes No
 If NO, please explain:

If necessary, may we contact you about this student's application? Yes No

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