Gateway Academy – Whitecourt Campus (formerly called Storefront) Hours of Operation Monday – Thursday 9:00 am – 3:30 pm 780-778-5865

Gateway Academy is an alternative school for off campus education located in down town Whitecourt. The idea of Gateway Academy is to meet the needs of students who would prefer to pursue their education in a non-traditional high school setting. Students at Gateway Academy have the opportunity to take a wide range of courses from cores to options. The program is supported with-in house courses as well as distance education through Alberta Distance Learning Centre. Students who register at Gateway Academy can fulfill all Alberta Education requirements for a high school diploma. Students can register for grades 9 through 12 and to age 19 as of September 1st of the registering year.

Gateway Academy Program is designed for students who:

- Are unsuccessful in the regular school setting;
- Need only a few credits to complete their high school diploma;
- Have work commitments or heath issues interfering with regular attendance;
- Are single parents who are unable to commit to a full-time program;
- May have experienced difficulties and dropped out of school;
- Have relocated mid-semester and are unable to register in regular school;
- Wish to upgrade to meet post-secondary requirements;
- Exhibit a desire to improve their education and career options.

## We also offer:

- Flexible time schedule;
- Individualized study program;
- Over 65 Core and Option courses:
- Personal Support;
- Staff mentorship to aid in planning high school courses and school-career transitions.
- Students may enroll in a partial program at the outreach while maintaining enrolment in other courses at their local high school.
- Work Experience, Dual Credit Program, Summer School, Community Care programs, Volunteer opportunities.

Some specialty courses that are offered at Gateway Academy:

- Aboriginal Studies 10 & 20
- Agriculture
- Child Care Level 1
- Learning Strategies 15, 25 & 35
- Forensics 25 & 35
- Experimental Psychology, General Psychology and Abnormal Psychology
- Tourism
- Legal Studies
- Financial Management and Accounting
- World Geography
- Philosophy
- Religious Studies