



Board Member Application

Name:

Email Address and Phone Number:

Board Seat Applying For: Parent/Teacher/Community Member

Please answer the following questions considering the Board's committees and strategic goals, citing specific examples where possible. Candidate experience may be drawn from charter school experience or other related business or personal experience. You may use additional paper if necessary. Please be advised that your answers will be shared with the school community in order to inform them about the candidate choices, and you may be contacted with questions via email by voters.

What is your connection to Aspen Academy?

Why do you want to join the Board of Aspen Academy?

What is it about a charter school that appeals to you?

What do you believe is the Board's role regarding school governance?

How would you help Aspen meet its strategic goals set forth by the mission and vision statement and annual report?

What professional, leadership, or other board experience can you bring to the Board?

What do you see as the most significant issue(s) facing charter schools today?



BOARD CANDIDATE CONFLICT OF INTEREST FORM

Several times per year Aspen board members need to certify that they have no conflicts of interest which would prohibit them from serving on the board. This is important for our annual audit, our annual lease aid application, etc. Feel free to contact Stephanie Smitley at Stephanie.smitley@aspenacademymn.org with any questions.

1. Have you, or any related party of yours, had any material interest, direct or indirect, in any of the following transactions or pending transactions to which Aspen Academy was or is to be a party:

	Yes	No
Sale, purchase, exchange or leasing of property?	___	___
Receiving or furnishing of goods, services or facilities?	___	___
Transfer or receipt of income or assets?	___	___
Maintenance of bank balances as compensating balances for the benefit of another?	___	___
Other transactions?	___	___

If yes, please explain: _____

2. Have you or any related party of yours been indebted to or had a receivable from Aspen Academy at any time? Yes ___ No ___ If yes, please explain: _____.

3. Have you or any related party of yours had any material interest, direct or indirect, in any transactions, or in any pending or incomplete transactions to which any pension, retirement savings, or similar plan provided by Aspen Academy was, or is to be, a party? Do not include payments to a plan or payments by the plan made pursuant to the terms of the plan.

Yes ___ No ___ If yes, please explain: _____.

4. I am employed by _____.

My job function with my employer is: _____.

My spouse's name is _____.

My spouse is employed by _____.

My spouse's job function with his/her employer is _____.

The answers above are correctly stated to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date: _____ Print Name: _____

Signature: _____