

# Counsellor Guide

Aldevere runs individually designed programmes for students aged 14 to 18, online and around the school day. This page covers who it suits, what happens when you introduce a family, and the files here.

## Which students it suits

Ready to investigate a specific question of their own

Research Scholar

Wants to study a field seriously, including one their school does not teach

Field Seminars

Needs stronger academic writing, English or source skills

Academic Essentials

It is not the right fit for a student looking mainly for an application credential, or wanting someone else to produce the work. If no programme fits yet, we say so at the interview.

## When you introduce a family

- 1 The family applies at [aldevere.com/apply](https://aldevere.com/apply) and books an interview. The student attends, and parents are welcome to join. It is free, with no obligation.
- 2 We send the recommended programme, its schedule and the fee in writing.
- 3 With the family's consent, we keep you informed of the recommendation, the match and the student's progress.

Please ask the family to name you on their application. Share their details with us only with their permission; for a student under 18, that means a parent's or guardian's. For fees, point families to the brochure. We confirm each fee in writing after the interview.

## In this folder

**Brochure.** Four pages for parents and students, to send as a PDF. The print version is A4: print double-sided, flip on the short edge, then fold.

**Student flyer.** One page for students, A4.

**Poster.** A3, for a print shop.

**Research Question Prize.** A free essay competition for students aged 14 to 18. Entries close on 15 November 2026; anything submitted by 15 October receives written comments.

### AN OPTIONAL INTRODUCTION

If it saves you time, a short note you can adapt for an email or a message.

I thought Aldevere might interest you. They run academic programmes for students aged 14 to 18, including one-to-one research with a doctoral or postdoctoral researcher in the student's field. The brochure is attached, and there is more at [aldevere.com/programmes](https://aldevere.com/programmes). If it looks like a good fit, the first step is a free interview. If you apply, you're welcome to mention my name.