



**NOTICE OF OUTCOME OF M.G.L.c. 76, §18 MEETING REGARDING
WHY STUDENT WANTS TO WITHDRAW FROM SCHOOL**

DATE: _____

Dear _____ and Parent/Guardian/Caregiver of _____ :
Student Name Student Name

As you know, a meeting was held on _____, with respect to whether _____ was withdrawing from school without intending to return. The purpose of this meeting was to discuss the reasons why they wanted to leave school and to explore alternative educational and other placements for them prior to formally withdrawing from school. The individuals who attended this meeting were

_____.

At this meeting it was determined that (select appropriate paragraph to insert):

(a) _____ would not be permanently leaving school. Instead, they will be (Describe whether student is returning to school or any alternative educational placement or support services that will be provided to student).

(b) _____ will be permanently leaving school. The reasons for their departure are

_____.

Alternative educational and other placements for _____ were discussed but these alternative educational and/or other placements were not accepted and were declined. This is also to confirm that in accordance with the provisions of M.G.L.c. 76, §18, the determination that _____ would be permanently leaving school shall not be construed as a permanent exclusion of them from school. If there is a wish to do so, _____ may resume educational studies.

Sincerely,

Principal