



ALTERNATIVE LEARNING EXPERIENCE Release Notes - 2022.2.11

The laptop screen displays the ALE (Alternative Learning Experience) interface. The top navigation bar includes the ALE logo, a user profile for Alan Alderton, and a 'DATABANK' link. The main content area is titled 'Student Learning Plan Details' and includes a sidebar with navigation options like 'Home', 'All Not Students', 'Monitor', 'Student Learning Plans', 'Courses/Courses', 'Progress By Course', 'Reference Data', and 'Last'. The main form area is divided into two main sections: 'Essentials' and 'Time Commitment'. The 'Essentials' section includes fields for 'Certified Teacher' (selected as 'Jenny Smith'), 'Student' (selected as 'John Alderton'), 'Grade Level' (selected as '7th Grade'), and 'Additional Services' (selected as 'Integrated Education'). The 'Time Commitment' section includes fields for 'School Year' (selected as '2019/20'), 'Enrollment Percentage' (selected as '100 Percent'), 'PTE Exam' (selected as 'PTE Exam'), 'Start Date' (selected as '7th Grade'), 'End Date' (selected as '2020'), 'Certified Teacher' (selected as 'Jenny Smith'), and 'Student' (selected as 'John Alderton').

Introduction

The following document will highlight the various improvements we have made to our application Alternative Learning Experience (ALE), located in our application bundle “Alternative Learning”.

<https://schooldata.net/suite/applications/alternative-learning-experience/>

Overview

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Featured Highlights

ALE-2289

Library: On “Checked Out Copies” in the left nav, parents will now see any items they themselves have checked out, as well as any items checked out by any students they are associated with

ALE PARENT
Checked out Copies

Ale Parent Checked Out Copies (4 records)

Library Title Copy	Title Bar	Cost	Order Number	Condition	Check Out Date	Due Date	Person	Role	Location	Subdomain
Getting to Know the World's Greatest Artist - ...	123456				2022-0...	2022-0...	Carisma*, Elijah	student	library	v2dev
Getting to Know the World's Greatest Artist - ...	234567				2022-0...	2022-0...	Carisma*, Elijah	student	art room	v2dev
Deidra's Book 1	345678				2022-0...	2022-0...	Carisma*, Waylon	parent	art room	v2dev
Deidra's Book 1	456789				2022-0...	2022-0...	Carisma*, Waylon	parent	art room	v2dev

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ALE-2301

Library: Update Search Functionality to include both a simple and advanced search. On the simple search, text entered will be searched against title, keywords, and descriptors and any matches will be returned. Also, typing in the simple Search and hitting the “enter” key will result in the search being executed. The Advanced Search will allow the user to search by any combination of the available fields but will require clicking “Set” to execute.

Parent Library Title Search

✓ Set ✕

Simple Search

Each word will be searched across all
Titles, Keywords, and Descriptions

Search (optional)

Advanced Search

Please make at least 1 selection

Title (optional)

Location (optional)

.....Select

Identifier (optional)

Barcode (optional)

Author (optional)

Keywords (optional)

Subject (optional)

.....Select

Media Type (optional)

.....Select

ALE-2300

Library: Add the ability for Users to Request Available Library Items. After searching, users now see a row action that allows them to “Request Title.” Requests are surfaced to the Librarian Role on the “Title Requests” Data Table until the request is fulfilled when it will no longer display.

Parent Library Title Search (8 records)

Title	Author	Publisher	Published Date	Identifier	Keywords	Description	Composer
Getting to Know the ...	Venezia, Mike	Childrens Press	September 1, 1988	9780516422725			

Copies (4 records) Filtered

Barcode	Cost	Purchase Order Num	Condition Comments	Library Location	Subdomain	Is Available
123456				library	v2dev	No
234567				art room	v2dev	No
				library	v2dev	Yes
				library	v2dev	Yes

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ALE - Library Title Requests (5 records)

Requested Title	Requesting Person	Date Requested	Request Fulfilled
Getting to Know the World's Greatest A...	corey.tomlinson corey.tomlinson*	2/3/2022	No
Deidra's Book 1	Yasuko Schlotman*	2/4/2022	No
Reading Book	Yasuko Schlotman*	2/4/2022	No
Big Math Book	Yasuko Schlotman*	2/4/2022	No
Getting to Know the World's Greatest A...	Waylon Carlisma*	2/7/2022	No

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New Features

ALE-2300

Library: Add the ability for Users to Request Available Library Items

ALE-2297

Library: Add the ability for Librarian Role to view the check-out history of items

ALE-1687

Add toggle on ALE Class for “Allows Parent Input for Progress” yes/no

Improvements

ALE-1772

Added new optional fields for monthly progress view including:

- Instructional Materials Needed
- Learning Activities Selections
- Learning Standards Text
- Methods Of Evaluation Selections
- Timeline
- Weekly Contact Records
- Courses Completed
- History of Monthly Parent Input by Course

ALE-2301

Library: Update Search to allow for Simple Search or Advanced Search

ALE-2298

Library: For each Title Copy, add source field, a selectable status field, notes box, & date

ALE-2292

Library: Add Ability to Add Title Copies Immediately after Creating Title

ALE-2282

Library: Add Verify Barcodes Feature to Check-In page (formerly only on Check Out)

ALE-1683

Add Text Box to record notes/reason for Student Learning Plan Approval or ReApproval

ALE-1489

Add Ability to Divide Learning Credit Charge Among Selected Students

Tasks

ALE-2304

New Library Report: Checked out items

ALE-2295

Library: Give Librarian the Ability to Limit the Number of Items that can be Checked Out by Each User

ALE-2294

Library: Add Ability to Click Title and View Details after Searching Library Titles

ALE-2293

Library: Add "Check In" and "Check Out" Left Nav Pages from Librarian Role to the Cert Teacher Role

ALE-2287

Rename ALE CourseType on Create Course Interface to ALE CourseCategory

ALE-1703

Give Support Staff Ability to send SMS Text to Students

Configurations

ALE-2296

Library: Associate a subdomain to each Library Copy, and surface subdomain anywhere copy record displayed

ALE-2289

Library: Update Parent Data Table for “Checked out Copies” to also display library items checked out to any associated student

ALE-2224

Library: Add "Location" column to Ale Librarian Title Copies Data Table