



## EDUCATION: Group targets dropouts

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A YorkCounts committee has been formed to study possible solutions to a problem singled out by another one of the group's committees.

The Stay in School Initiative Committee will address the high rate of high school dropouts, which was Metro York's third education recommendation. Metro York is a division of YorkCounts. About 30 community members will serve on the new committee.

The purpose of the Stay in School committee is to "create a system that provides an infrastructure for ongoing implementation and sustainability of proven practices in reducing dropout rates at area high schools," according to YorkCounts.

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