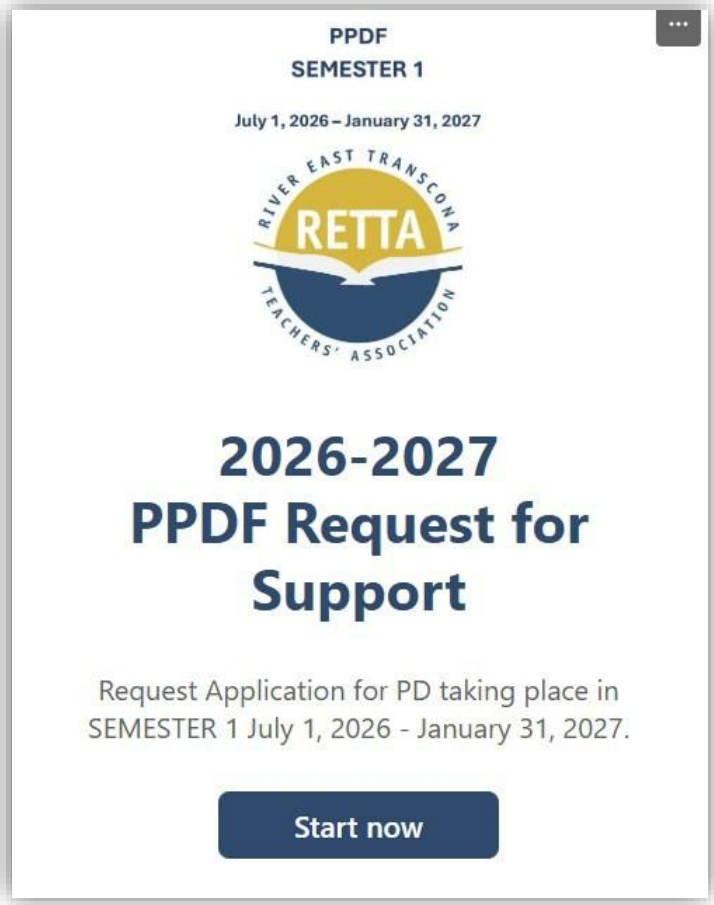
IMPORTANT NOTE:

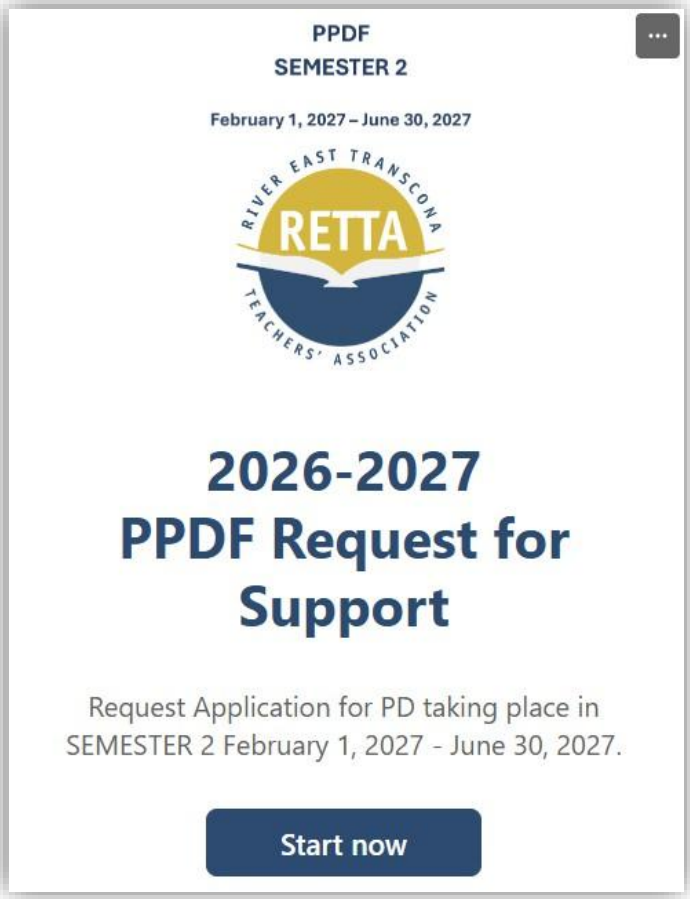
This document is **a preview** of the questions within the application form.

This document **can not be used to apply for PPDF** and is intended to be used as a **preview** of the application questions to aid members in preparing their responses, ahead of the opening time.

Submissions can only be made through the linked application form located on the website or here:

- 2026-2027 PPDF Request for Support SEM1
- 2026-2027 PPDF Request for Support SEM 2 (link will be added on October 1)





All funding for **SEMESTER 1** has been allocated, but members can still be added to a **wait list**. Contact the RETTA office for details.

SEMESTER 2 OPENS TO ACCEPT REGISTRATIONS: 6:30am, October 1, 2026

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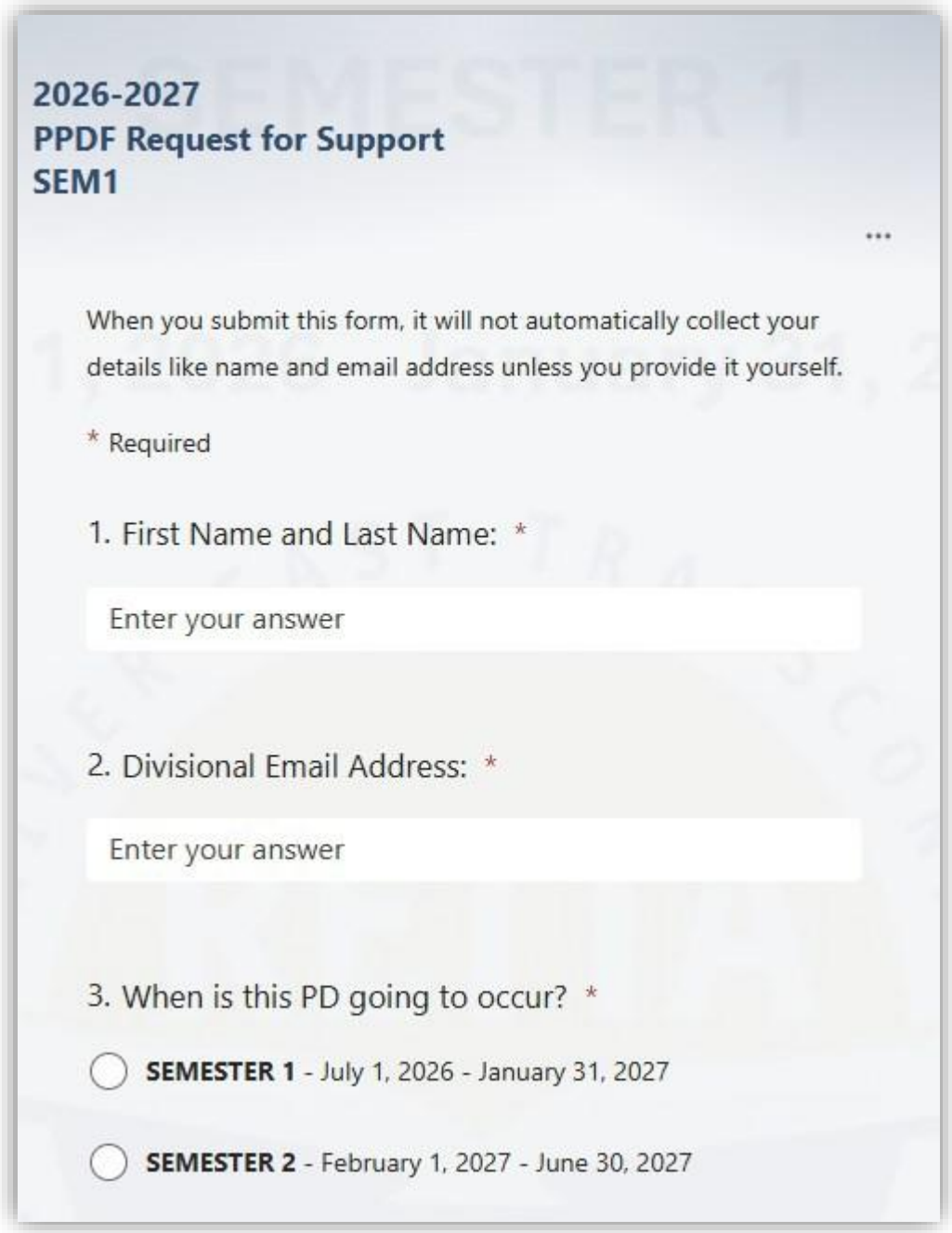
This link will go live Oct. 1, 2026 at 6:30 AM



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When you submit this form, it will not automatically collect your details like name and email address unless you provide it yourself.

* Required

1. First Name and Last Name: *

Enter your answer

2. Divisional Email Address: *

Enter your answer

3. When is this PD going to occur? *

- **SEMESTER 1** - July 1, 2026 - January 31, 2027
- **SEMESTER 2** - February 1, 2027 - June 30, 2027

4. Your Worksite:
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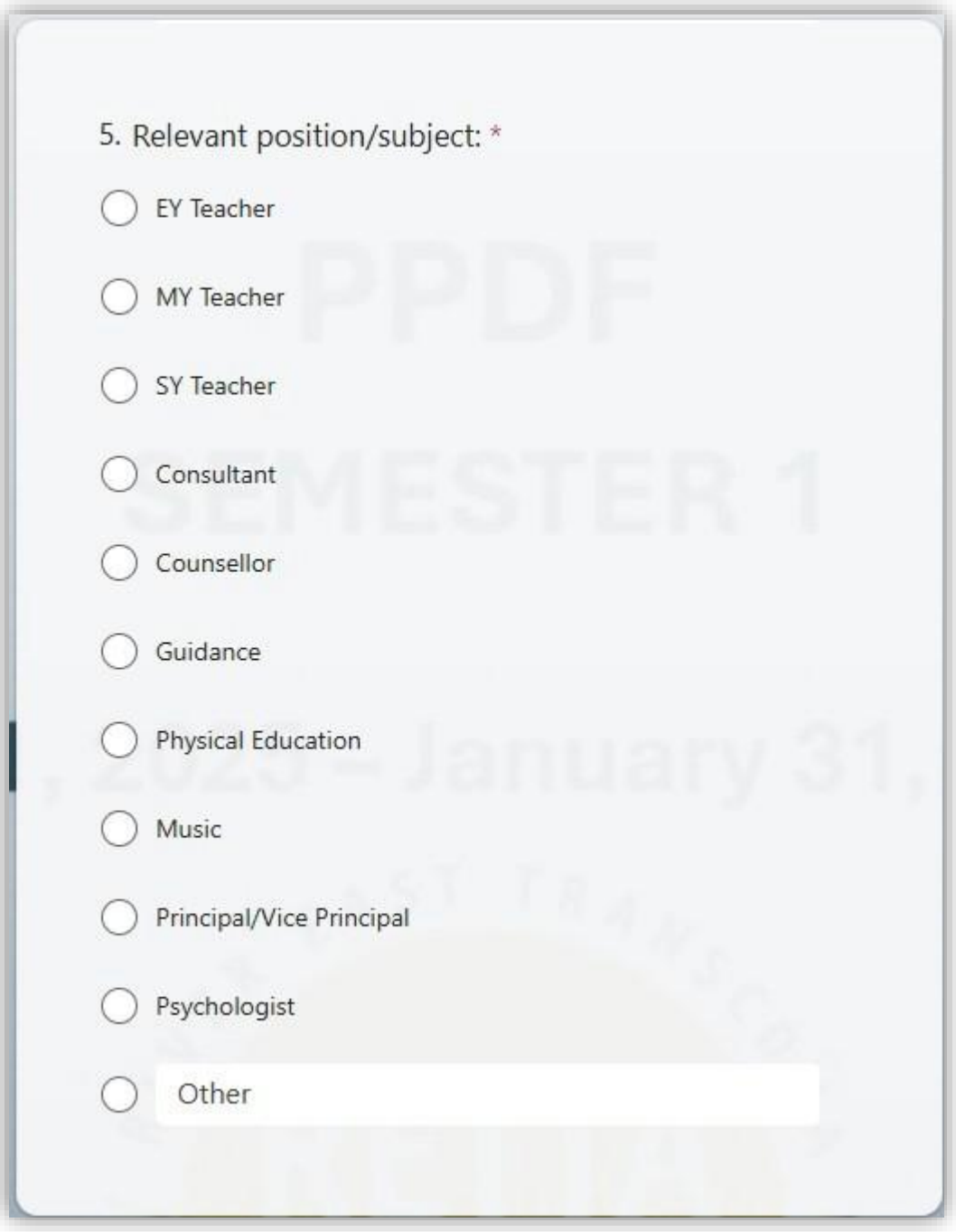
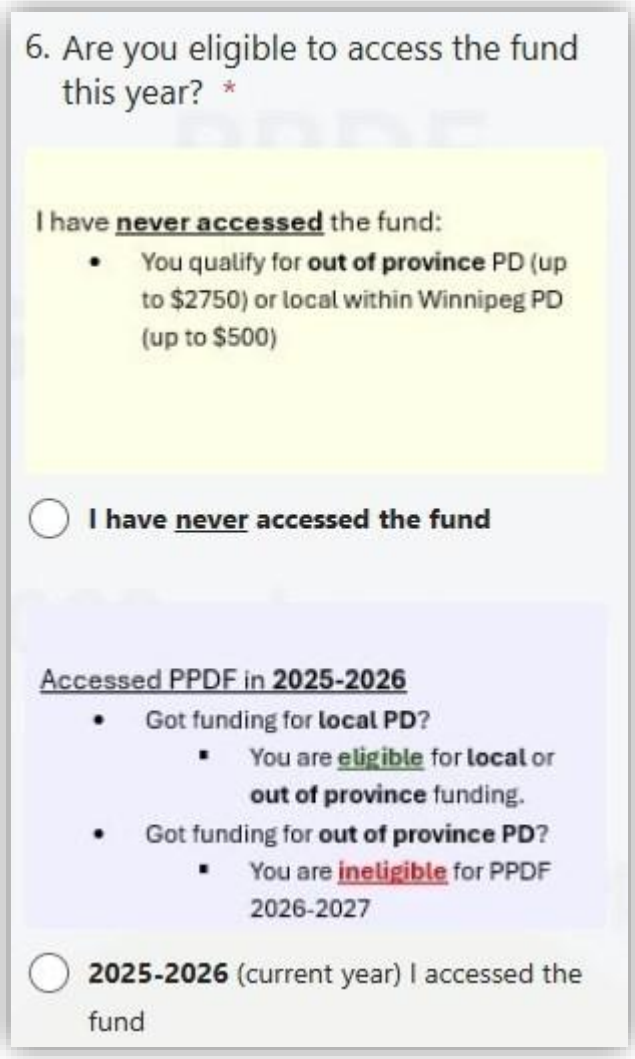
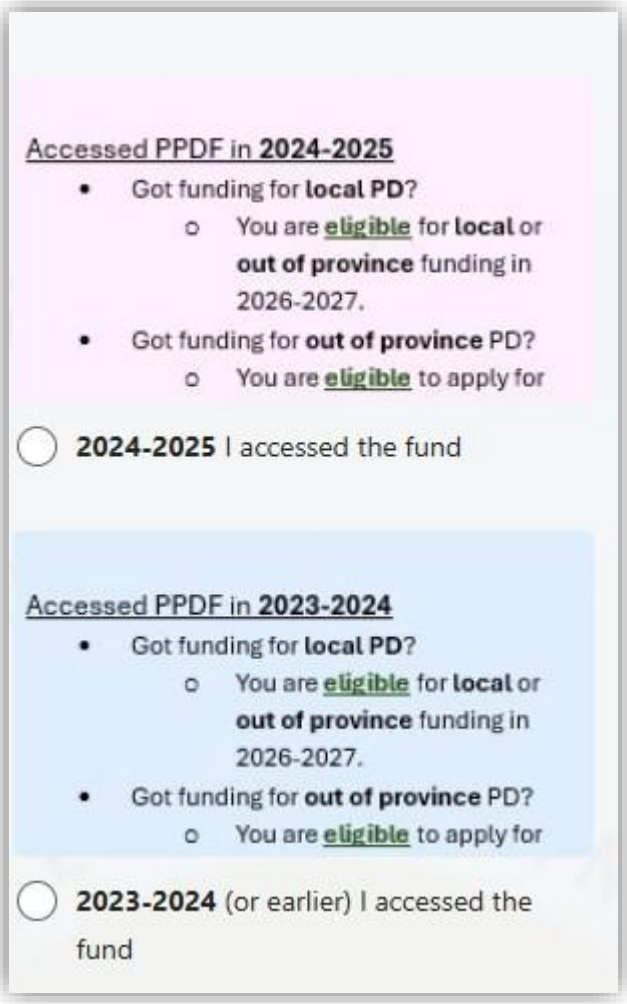


5. Relevant position/subject: *

- EY Teacher
- MY Teacher
- SY Teacher
- Consultant
- Counsellor
- Guidance
- Physical Education
- Music
- Principal/Vice Principal
- Psychologist
- Other

*If you work at 2 worksites, please select the worksite that pertains to your PD selection.





Options are:

I have never accessed the fund:

- You qualify for **out of province** PD (up to $2750) or local **withing Winnipeg** PD (up to $500)

I accessed the fund in 2025-2026 (current year)

- Got funding for **local PD**? Eligible to apply for local or out of province money in **2026-2027**.
- Got funding for **out of province PD**? Ineligible to apply for **2026-2027**.

I accessed the fund in 2024-2025

- Got funding for **local PD**? Eligible to apply for local or out of province money in **2026-2027**.
- Got funding for **out of province PD**? Eligible to apply for local money **only** in **2026-2027**.

I accessed the fund in 2023-2024 (or earlier)

- Got funding for **local PD**? Eligible to apply for local or out of province money in **2026-2027**.
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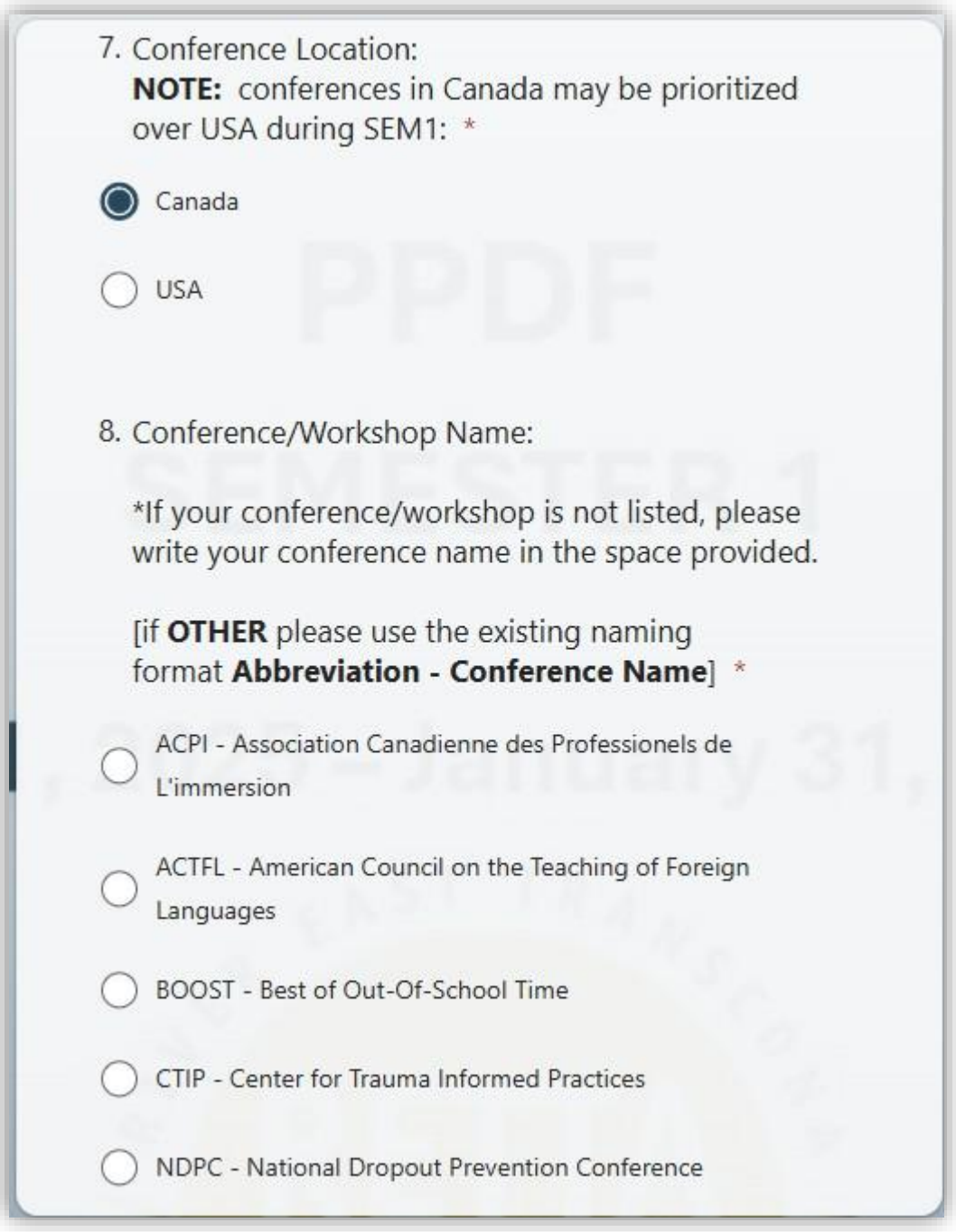
7. Conference Location:
NOTE: conferences in Canada may be prioritized over USA during SEM1: *

- (●) Canada
- ( ) USA

8. Conference/Workshop Name:

*If your conference/workshop is not listed, please write your conference name in the space provided.

[if **OTHER** please use the existing naming format **Abbreviation - Conference Name**] *

- ( ) ACPI - Association Canadienne des Professionels de L'immersion
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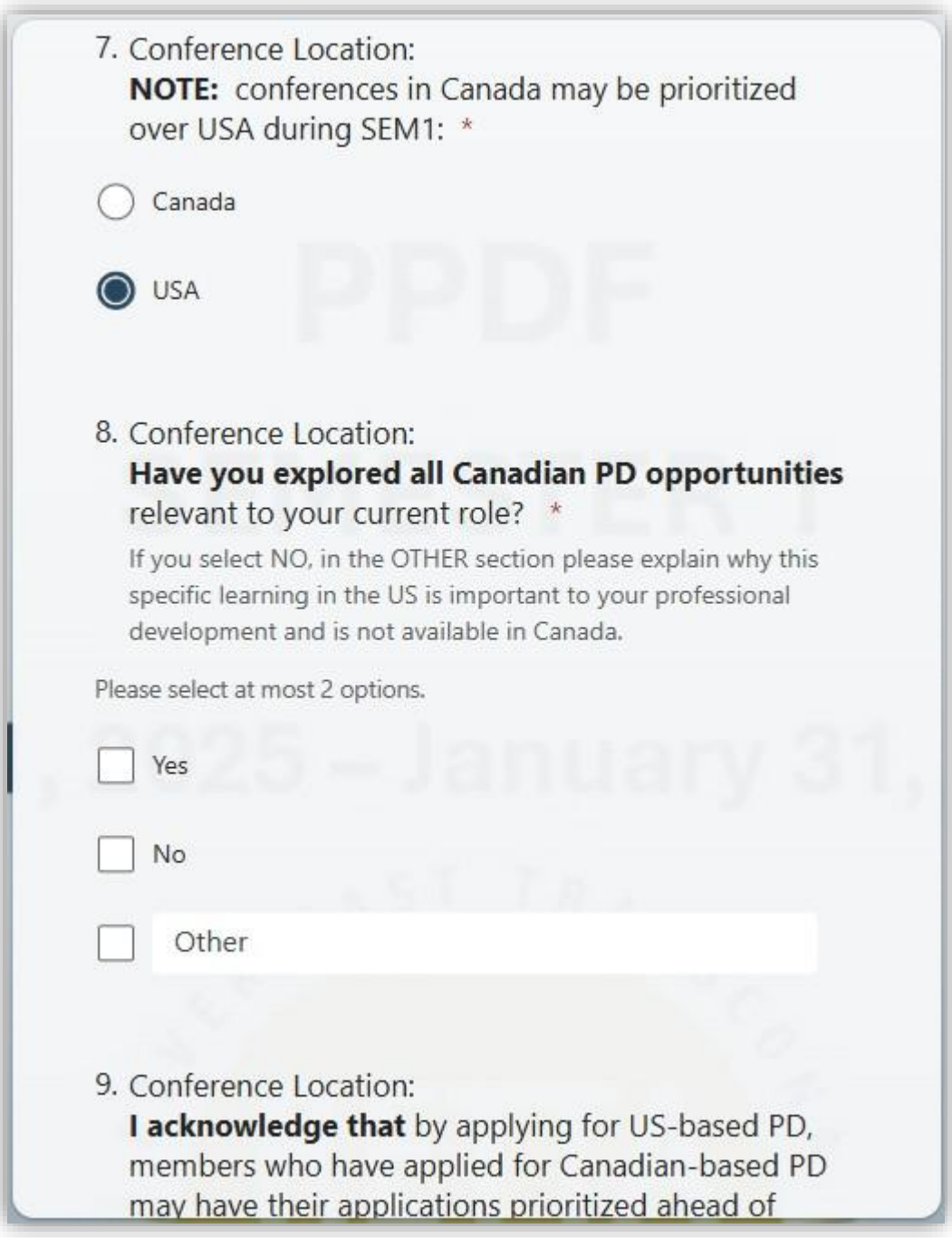
- ( ) NDPC - National Dropout Prevention Conference

*__Question 7__, based on your choice, your selection will direct you to the next related question.



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8. Conference Location:
Have you explored all Canadian PD opportunities relevant to your current role? *

If you select NO, in the OTHER section please explain why this specific learning in the US is important to your professional development and is not available in Canada.

Please select at most 2 options.

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Other

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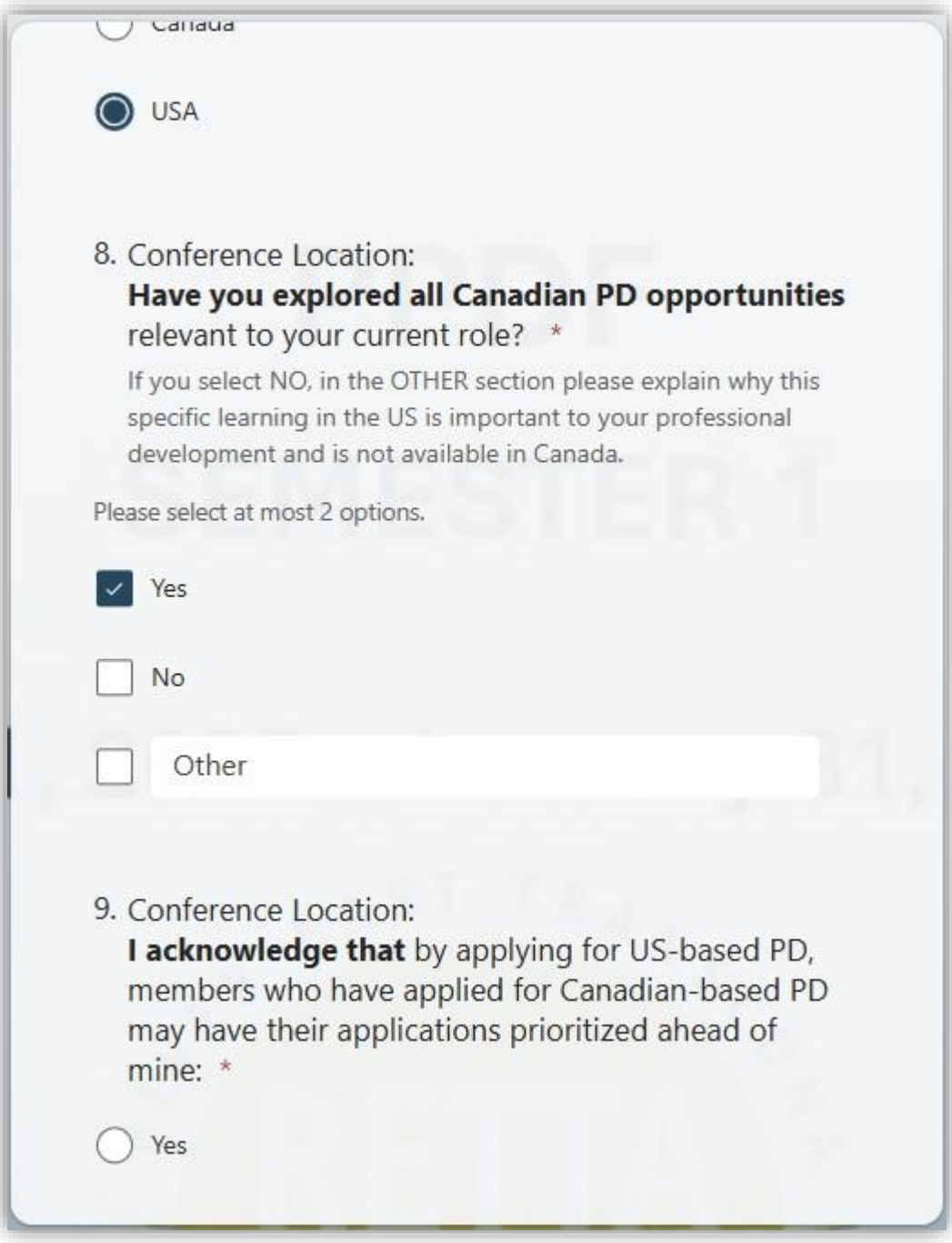
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Yes
No
Other
9. Conference Location:
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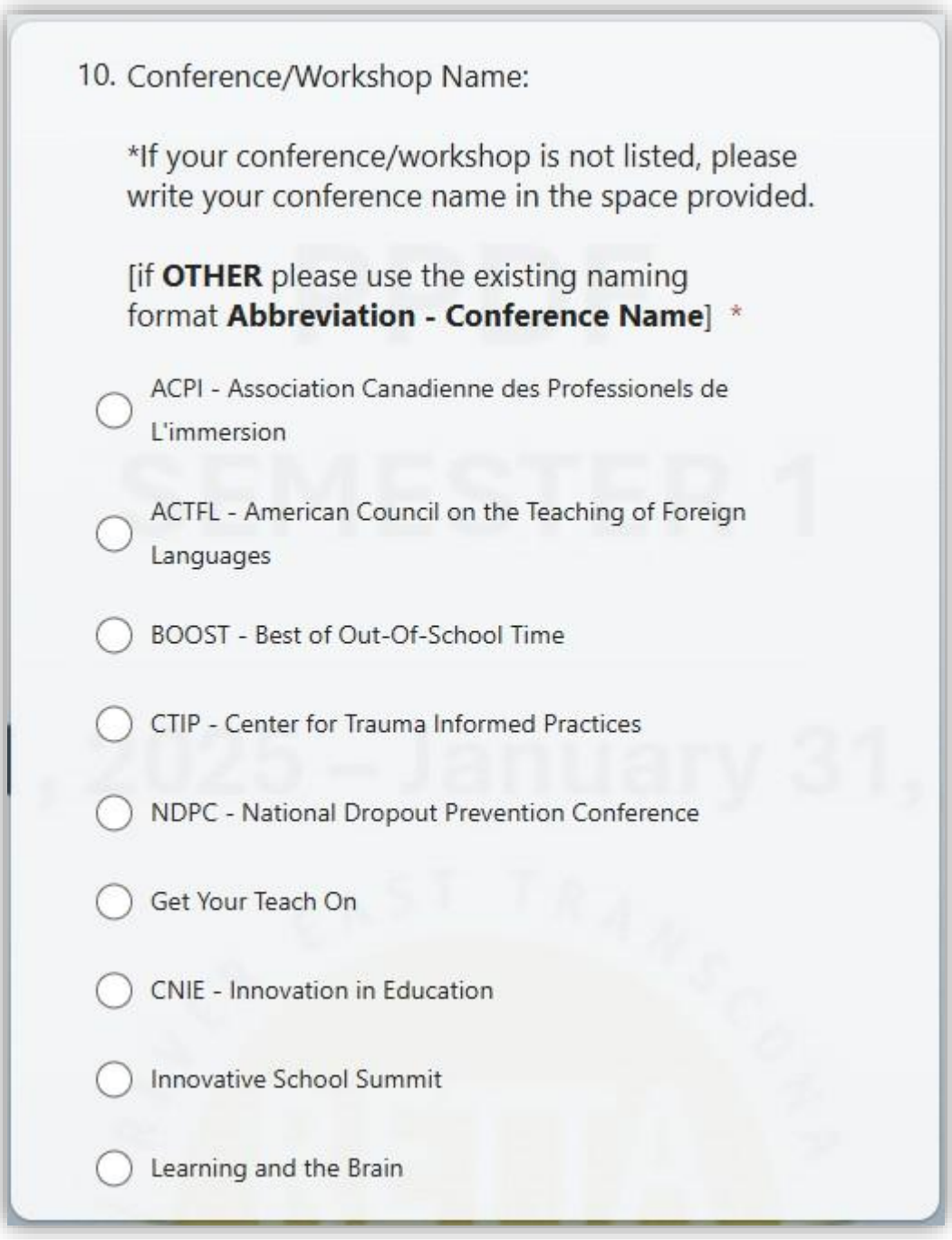
Yes



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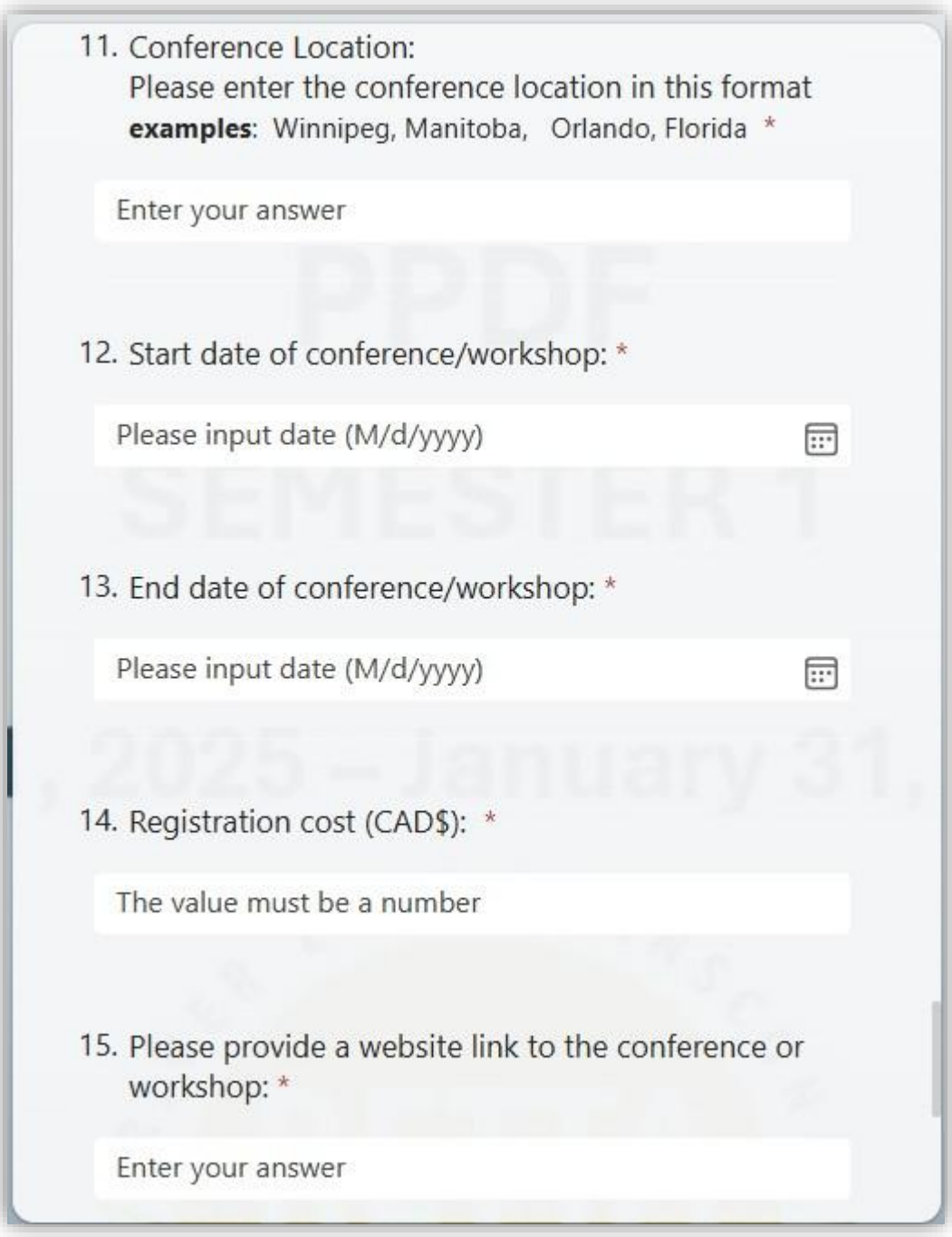
- Get Your Teach On
- CNIE - Innovation in Education
- Innovative School Summit
- Learning and the Brain



11. Conference Location:
Please enter the conference location in this format
examples: Winnipeg, Manitoba, Orlando, Florida *

Enter your answer

12. Start date of conference/workshop: *

Please input date (M/d/yyyy)

13. End date of conference/workshop: *

Please input date (M/d/yyyy)

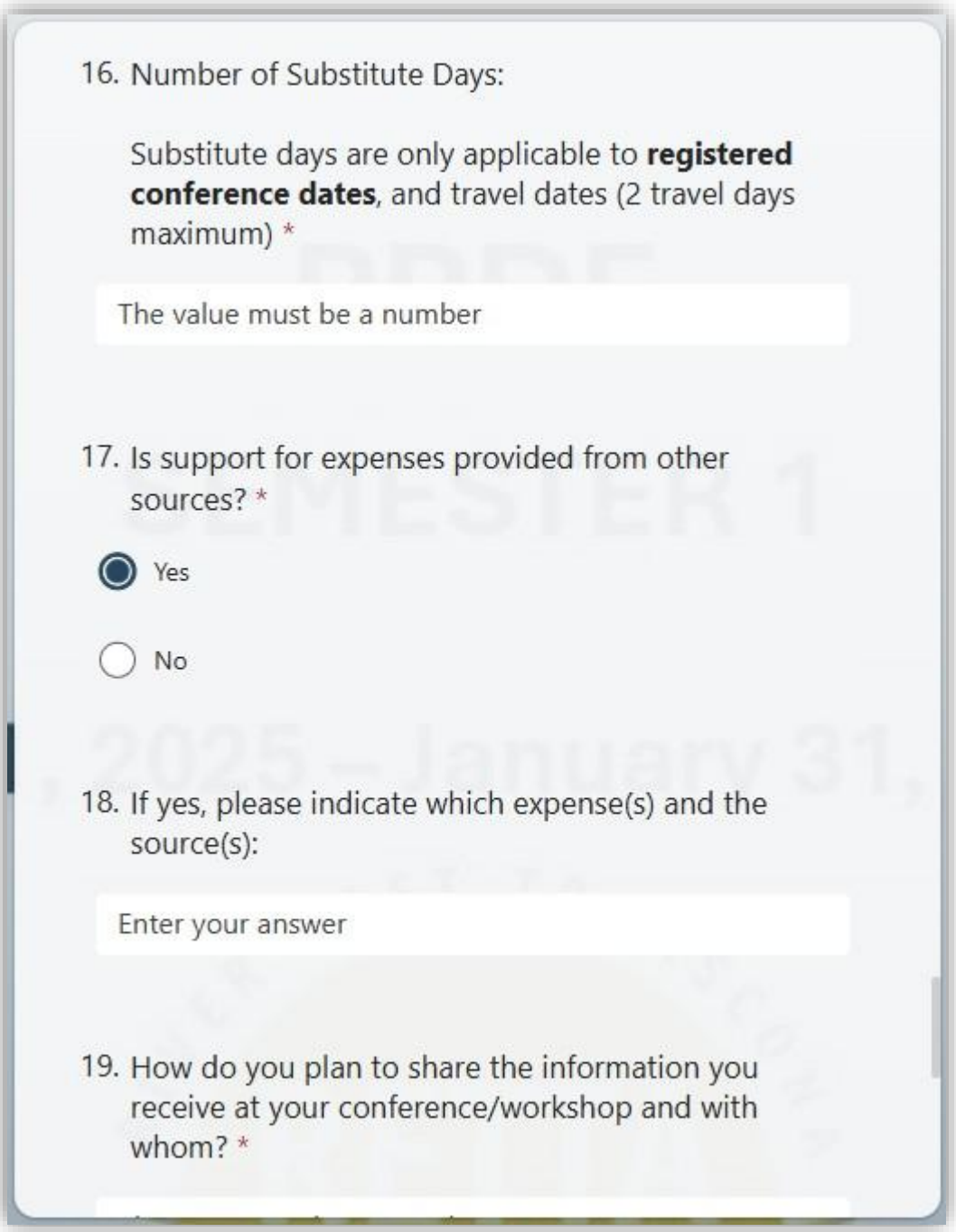
14. Registration cost (CAD$): *

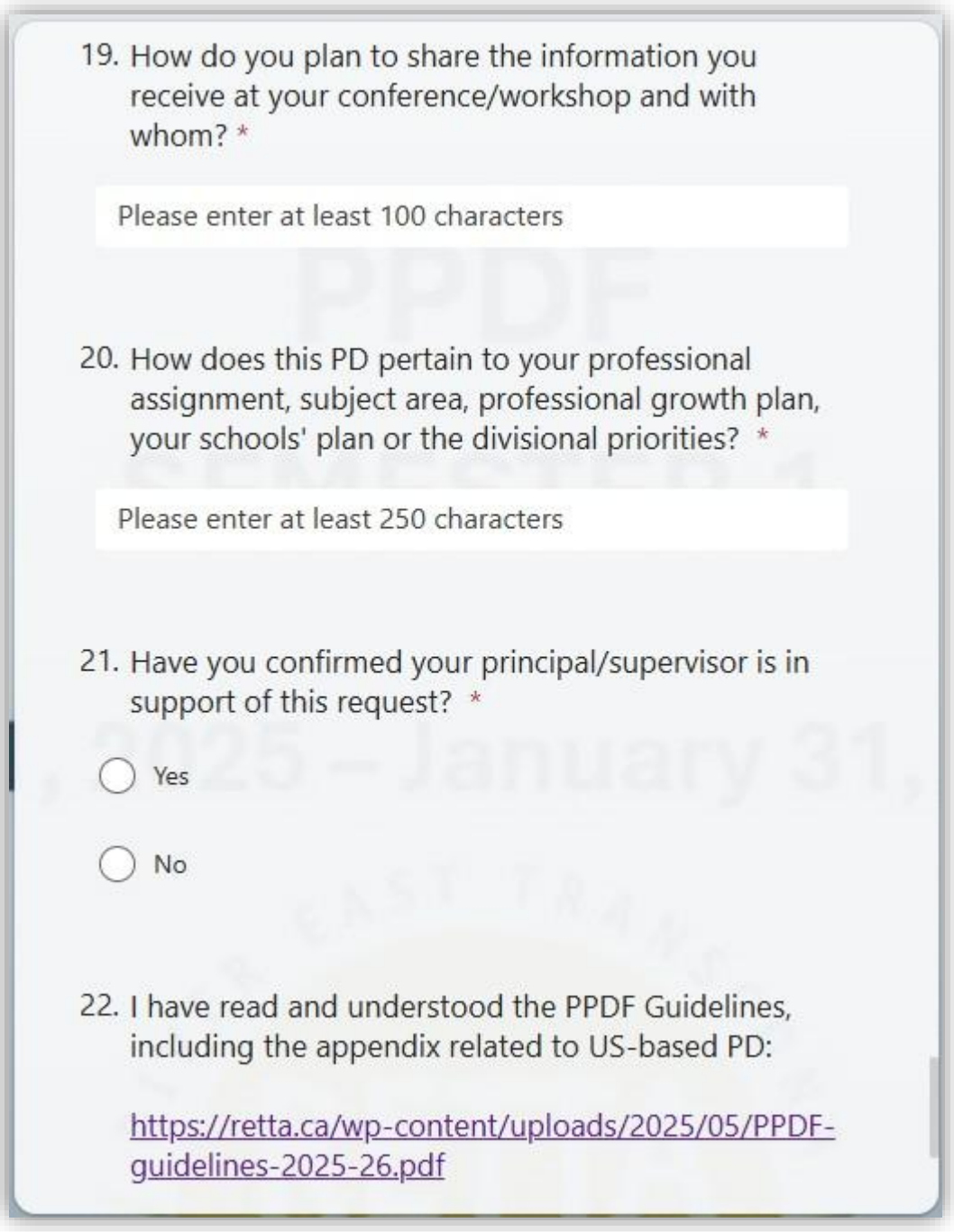
The value must be a number

15. Please provide a website link to the conference or workshop: *

Enter your answer

*__Question 17__, a drop down will only appear if you select YES, indicating you have support for this expense.





19. How do you plan to share the information you receive at your conference/workshop and with whom? *

Please enter at least 100 characters

20. How does this PD pertain to your professional assignment, subject area, professional growth plan, your schools' plan or the divisional priorities? *

Please enter at least 250 characters

21. Have you confirmed your principal/supervisor is in support of this request? *

- ◯ Yes
- ◯ No

22. I have read and understood the PPDF Guidelines, including the appendix related to US-based PD:

https://retta.ca/wp-content/uploads/2025/05/PPDF-guidelines-2025-26.pdf

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