

Welcome

Thank you for participating in this year's survey! To take the survey, please enter your child's School District of Philadelphia Student ID number in the box below. Your child's School District of Philadelphia Student ID number is provided by The School District of Philadelphia for every student in a District or Charter school. If you are the parent of a child in a District school you can find your child's School District of Philadelphia Student ID number on his or her report card. If you are the parent of a child in a Charter school you can get your child's School District of Philadelphia Student ID number from his or her school.

NOTE FOR CHARTER SCHOOL PARENTS

Charter Student ID numbers may NOT be the same as School District of Philadelphia Student ID numbers. You must enter your child's School District of Philadelphia Student ID number to take the survey. Please contact your child's school to obtain your child's School District of Philadelphia Student ID number.

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Thank you for participating in this year's survey. Your feedback is important to your child's school! Please note that your responses to the following items are CONFIDENTIAL. They will only be presented in aggregate. You and your child's name will NOT be included in any results.

Please answer the following items thinking about the child whose ID you entered and his or her school during 2015-2016 school year.

There will be a space at the end of the survey for additional comments.

Sincerely,

Office of Research and Evaluation
The School District of Philadelphia

1. School District of Philadelphia Student ID Number

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Parent/Guardian Community Ties

2. Please mark the extent to which you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Agree (3)	Strongly Agree (4)	Don't Know
Parent activities are scheduled at times that I can attend.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I know how to contact my child's teacher(s).	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am treated with respect in my child's school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am satisfied with the response I get when I contact my child's school with questions or concerns.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The principal or school leader is accessible to me.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I feel welcome in my child's school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

School Environment

3. How much do you agree with the following statements?

	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Most or all of the time	Does not apply
Adults at my child's school treat my child with respect.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child has been bullied at school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child is treated badly at school because of his/her race or background.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child is treated badly at school because he/she is learning to speak English.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child is treated badly at school because he/she is dealing with a disability.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child feels safe going to and from school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child feels safe at school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child's school is clean.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Parent/Guardian-Community Ties

4. Please mark the extent to which you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Agree (3)	Strongly Agree (4)	Don't Know
My child's school communicates with me in a language I understand.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child's school communicates with me in a manner that is clear and timely.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child's school gives me information about how I can help my child be successful in school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child's school gives me information about what my child is expected to learn.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child's school does a good job of letting me know about school rules and policies.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child's school lets me know about meetings and special school events.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child's school invites me to be included in decisions that affect my child's education.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Parent/Guardian-Community Ties

5. How often does someone from your child's school do the following:

	Never	1-4 times a year	5-7 times a year	Monthly or about monthly (8-9 times a year)	Weekly or about weekly	Daily or almost daily	Does not apply
Contact me about my child's achievements and successes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Provide me with regular feedback about my child's progress	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Send emails, newsletters, or notes home telling me what students have been learning and doing in school	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Contact me if my child is struggling academically	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Contact me if my child misbehaves or breaks school rules	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Homework/Reading

6. How often do you do the following:

	Never	1-4 times a year	5-7 times a year	Monthly or about monthly (8-9 times a year)	Weekly or about weekly	Daily or almost daily
Help your child with his or her school work	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Check or monitor your child's homework	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Read with your child	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Encourage your child to read	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

School Environment

7. How much do you agree with the following statements about your child's school?

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Agree (3)	Strongly Agree (4)	Don't Know
My child's school has high expectations for my child's learning.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child's school meets the specific academic needs of my child.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My child's school meets the specific non-academic needs of my child (for example, behavioral and social-emotional needs).	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Teachers at my child's school encourage my child to work hard.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Teachers at my child's school give helpful comments on homework, classwork, and tests.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am pleased with the quality of education my child's school is providing for my child.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

8. If you have any additional feedback you would like to provide about your child's school, please write it in the box below.

Technology

9. Do you have paid internet access at home (other than a data plan for your phone or tablet)?

- Yes
- No
- Don't Know

10. How do you access the internet? (Please check all that apply.)

- I don't access the internet
- At a library
- At my child's school
- At a community center
- At a local computer lab
- On a smartphone or tablet
- From a computer in my home
- Other

11. How do people in your home access the internet? (Please check all that apply.)

- Desktop Computer
- Laptop
- iPhone, Blackberry or other smartphone
- Tablet (for example, an iPad, Kindle Fire or Nook)
- Game Console (for example, Wii, Xbox, PS2, etc.)

Technology

12. How often is the internet accessed in your home?

- Every day
- Almost every day
- A few times a week
- Once a week or less
- Don't know

13. What do people in your household use the internet for? (Please check all that apply.)

- Completing assigned homework
- Checking student grades
- Finding educational resources (for example, Khan Academy)
- Communicating with your child's school
- Accessing the School District of Philadelphia Parent Portal
- Finding information about schools in Philadelphia
- Social networking (for example, Facebook)
- Email
- Entertainment
- Exploring job opportunities

14. Comcast offers a \$9.95 per month internet program called Internet Essentials to families in Philadelphia. Are you aware of this program?

- Yes, I have Internet Essentials in my home.
- Yes, I have heard of it, but I do not have it.
- No