## 2020-2021 District-Wide School Support Staff Survey

#### Welcome

This school year is different but your feedback is still important. As you take the survey, think about what school has been like in the digital environment. For example, when you see "your school," think about all the teachers, administrators, staff, and students you interact with. If you are still unsure how to answer a question, you can leave it blank.

Thank you for participating in this year's survey! Your feedback is invaluable to your school.

The survey should take about 10 minutes to complete.

A few things you should know about this survey:

- 1) Completing it is voluntary.
- 2) Your responses will not be used to evaluate you, your principal, or your school. Rather, they will be combined with other staff responses to help understand your school's strengths and challenges and highlight opportunities for improvement across the District.
- 3) Your responses are confidential. No one in your school will know whether you completed the survey or how you responded. When the data is shared, neither your name, nor any other identifiable information, will ever be connected with your responses.

If you have any questions or concerns about the survey, please contact schoolsurveys@philasd.org.

Sincerely,

Office of Research and Evaluation The School District of Philadelphia

How much do you agree with the following statements?  The principal/school leader at my school:				
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
s committed to shared decision-making.	$\bigcirc$			
Vorks to create a sense of community in this chool.	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	
romotes parent, guardian, and community avolvement in the school.	$\bigcirc$		$\bigcirc$	
reates buy-in among faculty and staff.				
ncourages students to be involved in the school ommunity.	$\bigcirc$		$\bigcirc$	
Il students.				

Neighborhood crime/safety	Not a challenge	A slight challenge	A moderate challenge	A great challenge
Lack of support from parents and guardians				
Cultural differences between home and school				
Students report being hungry				
Student mental health issues		0		
Student chronic illness (asthma, diabetes, etc.)	0	0	0	0
Students frequently transferring in or out of the school	0	0	0	0
Student absenteeism	0	$\circ$	$\circ$	0
Student tardiness				
Student behavior				
Teacher/staff absenteeism		$\bigcirc$		
Lack of translated materials for English Learner (EL) students		$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$
Teacher/staff turnover				

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School Climate					
3. To what extent do you feel respected by:					
	Not at all respected	A little	Somewhat respected	Respected a great deal	Does not apply
The School Board	respected	respected	respected	great deal	Does not apply
District/Charter administrators	0				
Your principal					
Teachers in your school	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$			
Other school staff					
Parents/guardians		0	0	$\circ$	
Students					
Your supervisor (if someone other than your principal)	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$

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How confident are	you in your ability	to do the following	?		
	Not at all confident	Somewhat confident	Mostly confident	Completely confident	N/A
Identify students who have experienced trauma	0	0	0	0	0
Interact with students in a way that does not trigger prior trauma	$\bigcirc$	$\circ$	$\bigcirc$	$\circ$	$\circ$
De-escalate a student who has experienced trauma		$\circ$	0	0	$\circ$
Work with teachers and school leaders to					
support students who have experienced trauma		0		0	0
support students who have experienced				Completely	
support students who have experienced trauma  . How confident are y		to do the following  Somewhat confident	?  Mostly confident	Completely confident	Does not apply
support students who have experienced trauma					Does not apply
support students who have experienced trauma  How confident are yellow what internal (school-based) resources are available					Does not apply
support students who have experienced trauma  . How confident are years are available to support students  Match students to the appropriate internal (school-based)					Does not apply
support students who have experienced trauma  . How confident are yellow the support students to the appropriate internal (school-based) resources/supports  Match students to the appropriate internal (school-based) resources/supports  Know when external resources are needed to					Does not apply

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
l am clear about what the school leader/supervisor expects of me	0		0	
l am clear about what the teachers at my school expect of me	$\circ$	$\bigcirc$		$\bigcirc$
There are clear guidelines/protocols for addressing student issues				
I know how much authority I have in my school	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$
l am clear about my role and responsibilities in my school	0		0	
I have the supplies/materials I need to meet the expectations of my school leader/supervisor				
I receive adequate training and professional development to meet the expectations of my school leader/supervisor				
My caseload of students is manageable				

## 2020-2021 District-Wide School Support Staff Survey

# Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

As part of our commitment to becoming an antiracist organization, the following questions have been designed to assess the diversity, equity, and inclusion practices of our school district. We are asking similar questions of principals, teachers, school support staff, students, and parents/guardians. Your responses to these questions will be used to define areas of strength and opportunities for change.

By *diversity*, we mean differences among groups of people and individuals based on ethnicity, race, socioeconomic status, gender, exceptionalities, language, religion, sexual orientation, and geographical area.

By *equity*, we mean perceptions of the quantity and quality of equity-focused policy, practices, and opportunities available for members of our District community that address issues of disproportionality.

By *inclusion*, we mean the extent to which stakeholder groups feel valued by, connected to, and involved as a member of the school community.

#### 7. How often do the following happen?

	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Most or all of the time	N/A
Staff at my school have important conversations with each other about race, even when the conversation might be uncomfortable	0	0			
My professional development experiences help me explore new ways to promote equity in my practice					

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	N/A
I am comfortable discussing race-related topics with students	0	0	0	0	0
I am comfortable discussing race-related topics with my colleagues		$\circ$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$
When a sensitive issue of diversity arises at school, I can implement strategies to appropriately address the situation					
The equity-focused professional development I have received is valuable		$\circ$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$
Leaders at my school work to advance student equity	0	0	$\circ$	0	$\circ$
I feel like I belong at my school	$\bigcirc$		$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	
I feel connected to other adults at my school					
My colleagues understand me as a person					

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	Thank you for completing the survey!		