



**Overall School Experience Survey  
Parental Consent Letter**

Dear Parent or Guardian,

We are writing to let you know that as part of the goal in our Strategic Plan to gather information on the Climate and Culture of our schools, we are asking your child to participate in the YouthTruth Student Survey in the coming weeks. The YouthTruth Student Survey is a nationally recognized survey used in hundreds of schools and districts across the country, surveying hundreds of thousands of students. The anonymous survey asks students about their experiences in the school and with their teachers, including how engaged they are at school, the rigor of their coursework, and their preparedness for the future. Our school, other schools, and researchers may use such information for developing plans to help schools and teachers improve. For information about this survey, please visit <http://youthtruthsurvey.org>, or speak to a school administrator.

Although we want to hear from all students, participation in this survey is voluntary.

Your child's ratings will not be identified in any reports because results are shared at the group level. Personally identifiable information will not be released to any third party.

Please be aware that under federal law and Board Policy 8330, you have the right to review a copy of the questions asked of your child. If you would like to do so, you can view a copy of the survey at school.

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**Opt-Out**

**Please complete this form only if you would like your child to be excluded from the survey. Please return to your child's principal if you are opting your student out of this survey.**

**I do not give my permission for my child to participate in this survey.**

Parent/Guardian signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_