

Hoosac Valley Regional School District

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HOME LANGUAGE SURVEY

Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education regulations require that all schools determine the language(s) spoken in each student's home in order to identify their specific language needs. This information is essential in order for schools to provide meaningful instruction for all students. If a language other than English is spoken in the home, the District is required to do further assessment of your child. Please help us meet this important requirement by answering the following questions. Thank you for your assistance.

STUDENT INFORMATION:

First Name _____ Middle Name _____ Last Name _____ Female
 Male
 Non-Binary
Country of Birth _____ Date of Birth _____ Date first enrolled in ANY U.S. School _____

SCHOOL INFORMATION:

Start Date in New School _____ Name of Former School/Town _____ Current Grade _____

QUESTIONS FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS:

1. What is the primary language used in the home, regardless of the language spoken by student? _____
2. What language did your child first understand to speak? _____
3. How many years has the student been in U.S. Schools (not including Pre-k)? _____
4. Which Language(s) are spoken with your child (include relatives: grandparents, uncles, aunts and caregivers)
_____ Circle one: seldom sometimes often always
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5. Which Language do you use most with your child? _____
6. Which Language does your child use?
_____ Circle one: seldom sometimes often always
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7. Will you require written information from school in your native language? Yes No
If Yes, what language? _____
8. Will you require an interpreter/translator at Parent-Teacher meetings? Yes No
If Yes, what language? _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Date _____