



Dear Parent or Guardian,

We are writing to let you know that we are asking your child to participate in the YouthTruth Student Survey starting March 1. 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 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.

Please be aware that under federal law, you have the right to review a copy of the questions asked of your child. Questions may be determined by some families to be controversial or sensitive in nature such as sexual behavior or attitudes, racial relations, or mental health status. You can find the exact survey your student will be taking on our district webpage under resources for parents – student surveys ([linked here](#)).

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.

Opt-Out

Please complete this form only if you would like your child to be excluded from the survey.

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

Parent/Guardian signature: _____ Date: _____

Child's Full Name: _____