

Student Climate Survey

The U.S. Department of Education encourages all public schools to monitor each student's civil rights.

Using the following definition*, please rate the following three statements by circling your preference.

** Bullying is defined as any written or verbal expression, or physical or electronic act or gesture, or a pattern thereof, that is intended to coerce, intimidate, or cause any physical, mental, or emotional harm to any student.*

1a. TCA promotes an environment free of bullying.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

1b. During the last school year, I have been bullied at TCA.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

1c. During the last school year, I have witnessed bullying at TCA.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

Comments:

Using the following definitions, please rate the following statements by circling your preference.**

*** Discrimination is defined as physical or verbal conduct resulting in negative treatment based upon an individual's race, color, sex, sexual orientation, religion, national origin, age, marital status, disability, or other legally protected class. Discrimination includes any activity, including the use of technology (cell phones and the Internet), which intimidates, demeans, or threatens individuals including but not limited to name calling, inappropriate jokes or offensive language.*

*** Harassment is defined as any unwelcome, hostile and offensive verbal written or physical conduct based or directed at a person's protected class that (1) results in physical, emotional or mental harm or damage to property; (2) is sufficiently severe, persistent, that it interferes with an individual's ability to participate or in or benefit from an educational program or activity; or (3) substantially disrupts the orderly operation of the school. (Note: Sexual harassment is addressed in the last section, below.)*

2a. TCA promotes an environment free of discrimination/harassment based on race, color, or national origin.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

2b. During the last school year, I have experienced discrimination/harassment at TCA based race, color, or national origin.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

Comments:

3a. TCA promotes an environment free of discrimination/harassment based on religion.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

3b. During the last school year, I have experienced discrimination/harassment at TCA based on religion.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

Comments:

*Definition is from State of Colorado CRS 22-32-109.1.1 (b).

** Definition is from TCA Policy AC-TCA which is based on Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Title II of the Equal Opportunities Act of 1974, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and Americans with Disabilities Act.

***U.S. Department of Education updated its definition of sexual harassment under Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 as of August 14, 2020.

4a. TCA promotes an environment free of discrimination/harassment based on gender or sexual orientation.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

4b. During the last school year, I have experienced discrimination/harassment at TCA based on gender or sexual orientation.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

Comments:

5a. TCA promotes an environment free of discrimination/harassment based on disabilities.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

5b. During the last school year, I have experienced discrimination/harassment at TCA based on disabilities.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

Comments:

Using the following definitions*, please rate the following statements by circling your preference.**

*** Sexual harassment means conduct on the basis of sex that satisfies one or more of the following: (1) A school staff member conditioning education benefits on participation in unwelcome sexual conduct (i.e., quid pro quo); (2) Unwelcome conduct that a reasonable person would determine so severe, pervasive, and objectively offensive that it effectively denies a person equal access to the school's education program or activity; or (3) Sexual assault, dating violence, domestic violence, or stalking.

6a. TCA promotes an environment free from sexual harassment.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

6b. During the last school year, I have experienced sexual harassment at TCA.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

Comments:

7. I know I can report any discrimination or harassment to any teacher, counselor, nurse, or administrator.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

Comments:

8. If you answered strongly agree or agree to having experienced or witnessed bullying, discrimination, or harassment, have you reported it to a teacher, counselor, nurse, or administrator?

Yes No Not Applicable

Comments:

Circle Classifications: TCA Campus: Junior High High School College Pathways

Student Gender: Male Female **Grade Level of Student:** 7th 8th Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

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