



# A School Climate Survey for Parents and Guardians

#### 2016-2017

This survey is an opportunity for you to help improve this school by sharing your opinions about it. Your opinions are important, and the school is interested in hearing them.

We are particularly interested in your thoughts on this school's efforts to promote academic success and well-being for every student; serving students of all races, ethnicities, disabilities, and other characteristics.

If you have children at more than one PPS school, please complete one survey for each school your children attend. Answer all the questions based on your experiences at this school only. Remember, we appreciate your honest opinions.

If you are able to complete this survey online, please do so at: www.pps.net

### **Parent Submission Instructions:**

Please return your completed survey to your school's front office before January 17, 2017. Thank you!

# **School Secretary Submission Instructions:**

Completed parent/guardian surveys should be sent via Pony to April Arevalo, SPP, BESC L2. Thank you!





# Please begin by writing the name of the school your child attends on the line below:

School Name:									
Begin by answering the following questions about yourself and your children who attend this school (Mark one answer.)									
1.   am a									
O Parent of at least one child at this school									
0	Grandparent, other relative, and/or legal guardian of a child at this school								
0	Not applicable, not s	ure, or	decline to answer						
2. Hov	w many years have yo	u had	children attend this	schoo	1?				
O Less than one year O 3 to 5 years O Over 10 years									
0	1 to 2 years	0	6 to 10 years	0	) N	ot applicab	le, not	sure, or dec	line to answer
3. In what grade(s) are your children who attend this school (Mark all that apply)?									
0	Pre- Kindergarten	0	3rd grade	0	7th	grade		O 11th g	grade
0	Kindergarten	0	4th grade	0	8th	grade		O 12th §	grade
0	1st grade	0	5th grade	0	9th	grade		O Other	
0	2nd grade	0	6th grade	0	10t	h grade		O Ungra	aded
Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about this school by marking the phrase that best expresses your view.									
This so	chool	Stron Disag		Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Don't Know/ Not Applicable		
4. promotes academic success for all students. O O O O								0	
	irly tells students in adv reak school rules.	0	)	0	0	0	0		
6. challenges my child/children academically.					)	0	0	0	0
	ourages all students to es regardless of their ra	0	)	0	0	0	0		
_	es all students opportur ping other people, the			0	)	0	0	0	0





Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about this school by marking the phrase that best expresses your view.

This school	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Don't Know/ Not Applicable
9. keeps me well-informed about school activities.	0	0	0	0	0
10. is an inviting place for students to learn.	0	0	0	0	0
11. makes learning enjoyable for my child/children.	0	0	0	0	0
12. welcomes input and suggestions from parents.	0	0	0	0	0
13. provides students with healthy food choices.	0	0	0	0	0
14. provides enough time for my child/children to eat lunch.	0	0	0	0	0
15. communicates the importance of respecting all cultural beliefs and practices.	0	0	0	0	0
16. provides instructional materials that reflect my child's culture, ethnicity and identity.	0	0	0	0	0
17. enforces school rules equally for my child/children and all students.	0	0	0	0	0
18. provides quality activities that meet my child's/ children's interests and talents, such as sports, clubs, and music.	0	0	0	0	0
19. is a safe place for my child/children.	0	0	0	0	0
20. provides my child/children quality counseling for their social or emotional needs.	0	0	0	0	0
21. keeps me well-informed about my child's/children's progress in school.	0	0	0	0	0
22. has a welcoming front office.	0	0	0	0	0
23. has someone I can contact if I have questions or concerns.	0	0	0	0	0
24. promptly responds to my phone calls, messages, or e-mails.	0	0	0	0	0
25. has informed me about the racial equity work in the district.	0	0	0	0	0
26. has given me the opportunity to participate in racial equity work.	0	0	0	0	0





Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about this school by marking the phrase that best expresses your view.

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Don't Know/ Not Applicable
27. My child's teachers effectively support my child's learning needs.	0	0	0	0	0
28. My child's teachers and principals show me specific ways to be an active partner in educating my child.	0	0	0	0	0
29. Teachers at this school treat all students with respect.	0	0	0	0	0
30. The principal at this school treats all students with respect.	0	0	0	0	0
31. Other staff at this school treat all students with respect.	0	0	0	0	0
32. Teachers at this school treat all parents with respect.	0	0	0	0	0
33. The principal at this school treats all parents with respect.	0	0	0	0	0
34. Other staff at this school treat all parents with respect.	0	0	0	0	0

Based on your experience, how much of a problem at this school is (Mark the phrase that best expresses your view)...

		Some-		
Not a Problem	Small Problem	what a problem	Large Problem	Don't Know/ Not Applicable
0	0	0	0	0
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0	0	0	0	0
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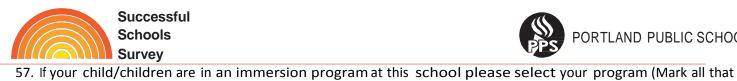


	Not a Problem	Small Problem	Some- what a problem	Large Problem	Don't Know/ Not Applicable
41. students not respecting staff?	0	0	0	0	0
42. gang-related activity?	0	0	0	0	0
43. weapons possession?	0	0	0	0	0
44. vandalism (including graffiti)?	0	0	0	0	0
Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with phrase that best expresses your view.	n the follo	wing state	ements ab	oout this s	chool. Mark the
This school	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Don't Know/ Not Applicable
45. actively seeks and respects the input of parents before making important decisions.	0	0	0	0	0
46. has clean and well-maintained facilities and properties.	0	0	0	0	0
47. motivates students to learn.	0	0	0	0	0
48. has a supportive learning environment for my child.	0	0	0	0	0
49. has adults who really care about students.	0	0	0	0	0
50. Does your child get enough physical activity at so  No, never Yes, some of the time Yes, most of  O  O  51. How much emphasis does this school place on sta	the time	Yes, all o	f the time		recess)?
O Too little O About the right amount	0	Too mu	ch		



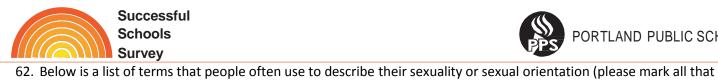


52. l p	refer that my school comr	nunica	ate important information with	me by	y (Mark all that apply):
0	Email	0	Scheduled meetings and events at school	0	Text message
0	Mail	0	Phone call at home	0	More information in my preferred language (other than English), Please specify language:
0	Send information home with my student	0	Phone call at work	0	Other (for example Facebook, Twitter):
0	ParentVUE (the school's electronic gradebook)	0	Phone call on mobile phone		
53. My	y school communicates w	ith me	in my preferred language (M	ark on	e):
No,	never Yes, some of	the tir	me Yes, most of the time	Yes,	all of the time
	0 0		0		0
54. My	y preferred language is:				
55. ls y	our child or children in any c	f these	e programs at this school (Mark	all that	apply)?
0	Migrant Education Program	1			
0	Indian Education				
0	Special Education Program	or has	an Individual Education Plan (II	EP)	
0	English Language Learner (f	or chil	dren learning English)		
0	Talented and Gifted Progra	m			
0	Honors/Advanced Placeme	nt clas	ses		
0	Not applicable, not sure, or	declin	e to answer		
56. Do	oes one or more of your ch	ildren	qualify to receive a free or re	educec	l-price breakfast or lunch at this school?
0	Yes (	) N	0 0	Not apı	olicable, not sure, or decline to answer





appiy)	:									
O	Chinese Immersion									
O	Japanese Immersion									
O	Russian Immersion									
O	Spanish Immersion									
O	Vietnamese Immersion									
O	Other:			_						
58. Is	there anything else you'd like	e to tell us about your	school's immersio	on or focus option program?						
59. Ho	ow can we support your child	's reading/writing skil	ls and help your s	cudent read for fun at home?						
60. Is	there is anything else you'	'd like to tell us abou	ut your school?							
Next,	we would like some backg	round information a	bout you.							
Please	remember the next few que	estions are optional a	nd you do not ha	ve to answer them.						
61. Be	low is a list of terms that pec	ople often use to desc	ribe their gender (	please mark all that apply).						
0	Male (	<b>O</b> Transgender	0	Another gender identity not listed above (Please Specify):						
$\circ$	Female (	Gender fluid/No	n-binarv							





apply)	•							
0	Gay		0	Queer				
0	Lesbia	esbian Questioning/Not sure						
0	Bisexu	al/Pansexual	0	Another sexual orientation (Please specify):		ed above:		
0	Straigh	t/Heterosexual	0	Decline to respond				
63. W	hat race	es/ethnicities do you co	nsidei	yourself? (Mark all that a	pply.)			
0	Africa	n American						
0	Africa	1						
	0	Burundian O E	thiopia	an <b>O</b> Eritrean				
	0	Somali O	ther A	frican:				
0	Other	Black						
	0	Caribbean Island(s):			Other	Black:		
0	Ameri	can Indian/Alaska Native						
	0	Alaska Native	0	Burns Paiute Tribe	0	Confederated Tribes of the Coos, Lower Umpqua & Siuslaw Indians		
	0	Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon	0	Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians	0	Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation Indians		
	0	Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs	0	Coquille Indian Tribe	0	Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians		
	0	Klamath Tribes	0	Other American Indian Tr	ibe/Na	tion:		
0	Nativo	e/Indigenous to Canada (P	lease	describe):				





0	Asi	an										
	0	Asian Indian	0	Burme	se	0	Cambodian	0	Chi	nese	0	Filipino
	0	Hmong	0	Japane	ese	0	Karen	0	Kor	ean	0	Laotian
	0	Mien	0	Nepali		0	Thai	0	Tibe	etan	0	Vietnamese
	0	Other Asian: _										
0	His	spanic/Latino										
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	С	<b>)</b> Mexican			0		th American Intry(s):		0	Other	· Hispar	nic/Latino:
0	Mido	lle Eastern/Nor	th Afr	ican (Ple	ase de	escribo	e):					
0	Pacif	fic Islander										
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	C	Native Ha	waiia	n	0	San	noan		0	Tongar	า	
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0	Whit	e										
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	C	<b>E</b> uropean	Coun	try(s):	0	Oth	er White:					





64. If you would like to share in your own words how you describe you race, origin, ethnicity, ancestry and/or Tribal affiliations, please use this space:
65. If you child/children at this school are of a different race/ethnicity than your own, please describe their race, origin, ethnicity, ancestry and/or Tribal affiliation in this space: