

Dear Bonita Unified School District Families,

We thank you and your family for being our valued partners as we work together to educate the children in our district. **Bonita USD** values input from our community - and we need to hear from your child(ren)! They are important partners as we work to improve our communication, academic program and overall experience for students and their families.

In order to learn more about student experiences, we will be asking for your student's feedback via an online survey that s/he will be completing at school. The survey shouldn't take more than 20-30 minutes to complete.

We are asking that all grade 3-12 students participate in the surveys, as their feedback will provide invaluable insights into their experiences and how to improve and adapt our district to their needs. If a student doesn't feel like they have enough information to answer a question, they will be able to skip the item altogether. The responses to these surveys will be completely confidential, but will not be anonymous.

The survey will be given twice during this school year. The first survey will be given between November 1 and November 22. The second survey will be given in the spring (March-April). The survey content will ask grade 9-12 students to self reflect on School Safety, Their Sense of Belonging to School, Anxiety: Social/Academic, Emotion Regulation, Sadness, and Growth Mind-set. The full questionnaire can be found at this link: [LINK HERE. http://bit.ly/HighSchoolSEL](http://bit.ly/HighSchoolSEL)

Please return the form below to school to opt your student out of participating in the surveys by filling in your name and your child's name below and returning it to school by November 1, 2019.

We thank you in advance for your thoughtful responses. If you have any questions about the survey administration, please don't hesitate to contact your student's school site.

Sincerely,

Matt Wien
Assistant Superintendent of Educational Services
Bonita Unified School District

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I DO NOT want my student to participate in the surveys on School Safety, Their Sense of Belonging to School, Anxiety: Social/Academic, Joy: School/General, Social Awareness, and School Climate with Bonita USD. ***Students who return this OPT-OUT will not participate in the survey.*** (Surveys given November 2019 and Spring 2020)

Please return to the school front office.

Student Name: _____

School Name: _____

Teacher Name: _____

Grade: _____

Guardian Name: _____

Guardian Signature: _____