



27J Schools

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

We would like to invite your child to participate in the 2018 Adams County Student Survey. The survey is voluntary, anonymous, and your child will have the opportunity to agree or decline participation. It will be given to 3rd–12th grade students in Adams County Districts 12, 14, 27J, Westminster Public Schools, and Mapleton between September and October of 2019.

Purpose

The survey asks about students' safety, wellness, and similar factors that impact school achievement. Results from the survey will help schools create and sustain safe, respectful, drug-free school environments, and promote positive social skills. The results will also help Adams County school districts and agency partners improve services which support youth.

Procedure

The Adams County Student Survey is online, in English and Spanish, and will be given at your child's school. The survey will take approximately 45-55 minutes to complete.

About the Survey

Your child will respond to questions about his or her experiences with bullying, gangs, substance use, physical activity, nutrition, mental health, adult support, and future goals. Your child may choose not to answer any question (or the whole survey) at any time.

Confidentiality

The survey is **completely anonymous**. Your child will not be identified in any way. The multi-district survey is coordinated with assistance from the Adams County Youth Initiative. You may view the survey online at www.ACYI.org/numbers/adams-county-student-survey/. If you would like a paper copy of the survey, please request it using the contact information below. All individual responses will be treated as confidential. County results will be publicly available on the same website.

If you do NOT want your child to participate in the survey, please call 303-655-2926 and leave a message including your child's name and the name of their school prior to September 27, 2019.

Please address survey-related questions or concerns regarding participation in the 2019 Adams County Student Survey to Jaime White, Director of Intervention Services, 27J Schools, at 303-655-2816.