



*"Every student will excel, both personally and for the benefit of humanity."*

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Dear Middle and High School Families,

At Marysville Public Schools, we are committed to creating learning environments where every student feels safe, respected, valued, and supported. As part of our ongoing efforts to maintain a positive school climate, students in grades 6-12 will be invited to complete a brief anonymous survey at the end of the first week of school.

The purpose of the survey is to help us better understand students' experiences and perceptions related to identity-based harm. Identity-based harm refers to situations in which someone is treated in a hurtful manner because of who they are or who others perceive them to be. This may include experiences related to race, ethnicity, skin color, culture, language, sexual orientation, or gender identity/expression. The survey also asks about witnessing mistreatment of peers.

Student participation is voluntary. All responses are anonymous, and students may skip any question they do not wish to answer. Individual student responses cannot be identified.

The information gathered will be used only in summary form to help our staff better understand areas of strength and identify opportunities for improvement as we continue working to provide a safe, welcoming, and positive learning environment for every student.

A copy of the survey questions is attached for your review. We encourage you to look through the questions and discuss them with your child if you wish.

If you prefer that your child not participate in this survey, please notify your school's counseling office or building administrator no later than September 9. Students whose families opt them out will not be asked to complete the survey.

Thank you for your partnership and continued support as we work together to ensure that every Marysville student feels safe, respected, and connected at school.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tracie Eschenburg', written in a cursive style.

Tracie Eschenburg  
Superintendent  
Marysville Public Schools

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*"Personalize learning for every student through rigor, relevance and relationships."*