

Mahtomedi Public Schools Survey Information Update to the School Board October 10, 2019

Exit Surveys for Families

Mahtomedi Public Schools collects feedback from families when they leave the school district via an online survey tool. Administrative Assistants from each school building send the survey link to families when they receive a request for records. For 2018-19, 34 surveys were received from September 2018-September 2019. The main themes for leaving were student conflict, social emotional/academic stress, and moving. Exit surveys are reviewed by the Superintendent and the Principal for the school building in which the students left. District and school practice and program learnings and implementations are influenced by survey input. If a family indicates they wish to be contacted regarding the information included in their survey, the Superintendent will email or call the family.

Annual Family Surveys

Mahtomedi Public Schools collects feedback annually from families via an online survey tool. Surveys are sent to Wildwood Elementary, O.H. Anderson Elementary, Mahtomedi Middle School, and Mahtomedi High School families. The 2018-19 survey was revised from previous years to reflect themes from strategic planning. The 2018-19 surveys were open from May 28 until June 18. There are four main themes of information gathered from the annual family survey: Communication and Connection (overall impression of information sharing and engagement), School Climate (overall impression of school climate including belonging, the relevance of school, relationships, and stress management), Areas of Excellence (overall impression of the quality of education, learning programs, and personal excellence); and Overall Educational Experience (overall impression of school and district including areas of strength and opportunities for growth). Survey response themes are shared with staff and district and school practice and program learnings and implementations are influenced by survey input.

Wildwood Elementary School:

- 67 questions, 241 responses, 77% completion rate, and typical time spent on the survey: 7 minutes 10 seconds.

O.H. Anderson Elementary School:

- 67 questions, 203 responses, 80% completion rate, and typical time spent on the survey: 7 minutes 31 seconds.

Mahtomedi Middle School:

- 68 questions, 207 responses, 80% completion rate, and typical time spent on the survey: 9 minutes 4 seconds.

Mahtomedi High School:

- 73 questions, 317 responses, 69% completion rate, and typical time spent on the survey: 9 minutes 20 seconds.