

*Please return this survey by:  
Friday, February 22, 2019*

Dear Parents/Guardians,

We believe education is a partnership and we truly want you to have input regarding your child's education. Please take five minutes to fill out this survey and share your thoughts and ideas about our school. As you fill it out, please think about your experiences during this school year (2018-2019), but most importantly, be honest. We work with a private company on this survey so your answers will be kept confidential. We will use the results to strengthen our partnerships with parents and families.

Thank you for taking part in our survey, and thank you for all you do to help your child succeed!

**Please Note:** You may have also received this survey in an email. If so, you are invited to complete *either* an electronic or hardcopy version. Please only complete one version for each school your K-8 child(ren) attend(s). You should have received a survey for each child who attends an EVSC school. If you have children in more than one school, please complete one survey for each school. If you have multiple K-8 children in the same school, please only complete one survey for that school and base your answers on the oldest child attending that school. A different version of the survey will be distributed to PK parents and should be completed in addition to this version.

1. School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Which best describes your relationship with your child?  Mother/Father  Grandparent  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**I. Please select how much you agree with the following statements about your school and/or child.**

	1 Strongly Disagree	2 Disagree	3 Neither Agree/ Disagree	4 Agree	5 Strongly Agree	? Don't Know
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a. When students are in this school, they feel welcome.	○	○	○	○	○	○
b. When parents (legal guardians) are in this school, they feel welcome.	○	○	○	○	○	○
c. When members of the community are in this school, they feel welcome.	○	○	○	○	○	○
d. This school is a supportive and inviting place to learn.	○	○	○	○	○	○
e. This school is a safe place for students to learn.	○	○	○	○	○	○
f. Students feel safe in this school.	○	○	○	○	○	○
g. This school does a good job of handling student behavior problems.	○	○	○	○	○	○
h. I am very satisfied with the quality of this school.	○	○	○	○	○	○

**II. Please select how much you agree with the following statements about your school and/or child.**  
*(Staff means all adults who work at this school)*

	1 Strongly Disagree	2 Disagree	3 Neither Agree/ Disagree	4 Agree	5 Strongly Agree	? Don't Know
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a. My child completes schoolwork most of the time.	○	○	○	○	○	○
b. My child follows school rules most of the time.	○	○	○	○	○	○
c. My child looks forward to coming to school on most days.	○	○	○	○	○	○
d. My child knows that school staff care about him/her.	○	○	○	○	○	○
e. My child thinks that learning is fun.	○	○	○	○	○	○
f. My child likes school.	○	○	○	○	○	○
g. At this school, students feel challenged to do their best.	○	○	○	○	○	○

*Please complete the other side*

*(Families refer primarily to parents/guardians and may include grandparents or other individuals in a student's life)*

III. Please select how much you agree with the following statements about your school.	1 Strongly Disagree	2 Disagree	3 Neither Agree/ Disagree	4 Agree	5 Strongly Agree	? Don't Know
a. At this school, families are provided with academic and social support.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. At this school, families are well informed about how their child is doing.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. At this school, families are provided with information to help their child at home.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
d. Families have opportunities to provide input into decisions at this school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
e. Families feel ownership in this school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
f. Families know about and are able to get school or community resources for their child.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
g. It is easy for families to contact school staff.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
h. Extra efforts are made to welcome and reach out to all families.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
i. Families of all backgrounds are involved at the school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
j. School staff members are warm and welcoming to all families and visitors.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
k. Parents (legal guardians) play an active role in decision-making in our school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
l. At this school, teachers have good relationships with parents (legal guardians).	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
m. I understand academic information given to me about my child at this school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
n. If I have a concern or problem at this school, I know who to contact to resolve it.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

IV. The following questions relate to how much children are reading outside of school. Please select the best response to the right.	Not at All	Once or Twice	Three to Six Times	Every Day	? Don't Know
a. In the past week, how often did your child read to himself/herself or to others outside of school?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. In a typical week, how often do you or any other family members read books to your child (or encourage your child to read)?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

COMMENT (OPTIONAL): Comments will be provided to the school principal. Please do not list names. Identifying information may be removed to protect confidentiality. \_\_\_\_\_

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**Thank you for participating! Please return this survey using one of the following options:**

- Place the survey in the Confidential My School Survey Return Box located in the school office.
- Return the survey to your child's teacher. You may place the survey in a sealed envelope if you prefer.
- Mail the survey directly to: Diehl Consulting Group, 123 NW Fourth Street, Suite 3, Evansville, IN 47708.

*If you have questions about this survey, please feel free to contact the EVSC Office for Performance, Assessment and Research at (812) 435-0912 or Diehl Consulting Group at (812) 434-6745.*