



Welcome the SDoL Student Survey. Your voice is important!

- School District of Lancaster is giving this survey to students in grades 3 to 12.
- The survey takes about 10 minutes.
- We use your answers to help make our schools better.
- You do not have to take the survey. You may stop at any time or skip survey questions you do not want to answer.
- We hope you will take it because your thoughts, ideas, and feelings are important.
- We ask for your student number, but it is kept private and used only to understand general background information.
- Your name is not shared, and your teachers, principals, and other adults will not know how you answered.
- Please read each question carefully and answer as honestly as you can.
- Thank you for sharing your thoughts.

Before you begin, please enter your student ID number.

Please select your grade.

Click the arrow to begin the survey.

School Climate

Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

My school wants me to do well.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

I am treated fairly by my teachers.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

My school has clear rules for behavior.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

There is a teacher or some other adult from school who really cares about me.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

There is a teacher or some other adult from school who I can talk to if I have a problem.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

I feel safe at this school.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

Having a School Resource Officer in my school makes me feel safer.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

Students get along well with each other.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

Most teachers make learning interesting.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

The music, arts, athletics and other programs at my school improve my experience.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

I like school.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

How important do you believe coming to school every day is for your success?

- Very important
- Kind of important
- Not very important
- Not important at all

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? My school building is well maintained

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement?
Students in my class behave so teachers can teach and students can learn.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

How many days per week do you eat school breakfast?

- 0 days
- 1 day
- 2 days
- 3 days
- 4 days
- 5 days

How good are the school breakfasts?

- Excellent
- Very good
- Fair
- Poor
- Terrible

How many days per week do you eat school lunch?

- 0 days
- 1 day
- 2 days
- 3 days
- 4 days
- 5 days

How good are the school lunches?

- Excellent
- Very good
- Fair
- Poor
- Terrible

Were you a member of a SDoL sports team this school year?

- Yes
- No

Do you agree or disagree that participating in district sports been a positive experience for you?

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

Do you agree or disagree that your school provides many opportunities for students to participate on sports teams?

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

Do you agree or disagree that sports teams at your school are open to students of all backgrounds and ability levels?

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

So far this year, have you received mean or nasty messages from someone?

- No
- Yes, once or twice
- Yes, once in a while
- Yes, all the time

So far this year, have you received messages that made you afraid for your safety?

- No
- Yes, once or twice
- Yes, once in a while
- Yes, all the time

So far this year, have you had someone send or post gossip, rumors, or other hurtful materials about you?

- No
- Yes, once or twice
- Yes, once in a while
- Yes, all the time

So far this year, have you had someone share your personal secrets or pictures online without your permission?

- No
- Yes, once or twice
- Yes, once in a while
- Yes, all the time

How often have you felt you were treated unfairly at school because of your race, ethnicity, cultural background, gender, religion or disability status?

- Always
- Most of the time
- Sometimes
- Never

Was the unfair treatment from ...

- an adult?
- another student?
- both?

Which of the following do you feel you were treated unfairly for? (Check all that apply.)

- Race
- Ethnicity or cultural background
- Gender or gender identity
- Religion
- Disability
- Other
- I don't know

Learning and Student Engagement

Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

I work hard in school.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

The topics I learn about in school give me skills I can use beyond school.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

The topics I learn about in school are connected to each other.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

I see my culture, community or experience reflected in what we learn.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

My teachers make learning fun.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

I try to do my best on tests like STAR or IXL.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

I try to do my best on Keystones.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

How excited are you about what you are learning in school?

- Very excited
- Kind of excited
- Slightly excited
- Not excited

This school year, how often do you get work from your teacher that makes you work hard?

- Every day
- Most days
- Some days
- Never

This school year, how often does your teacher use technology, for example, activities on the iPad or educational apps, to actively involve you in lessons?

- Every day
- Most days
- Some days
- Never

This school year, how often do you meet with your teacher to review your personal learning goals or assessment results?

- Often
- Sometimes
- Rarely
- Never

How important do you believe getting a college education is to your future success?

- Very important
- Somewhat important
- Not very important
- Not important at all

What are your current plans after you graduate from high school?

- Enlist in the military
- Enroll in an apprenticeship or short-term training program
- Enroll in a 2-yr or 4-yr college

- Get a job
- I don't know

Social & Emotional Learning

Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

I am able to identify and describe my feelings.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

If I work hard, I will be successful.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

I can control my behaviors.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

I am able to set goals and achieve them.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

I know where to find help if I need it.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

I have at least one good friend that I trust.

- Really agree

- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

I can solve problems without fighting.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

I understand how my behavior affects others.

- Really agree
- Kind of agree
- Kind of disagree
- Really disagree

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