

September 27th, 2024

Dear Parent(s) / Legal Guardian(s) of Clarence Sansom Students:

## Re: OurSCHOOL Student Survey Administration

Clarence Sansom School will be participating in an online school perception survey for students called the OurSCHOOL Student Survey. This anonymous survey is completely voluntary for all CBE students. Please find the details of the survey implementation below.

CBE's Education Plan prioritizes student voice and well-being in our decision-making processes. Responses from this survey are used at the system and school level to recognize and improve what is necessary for students to feel safe, welcome, and cared for when at school.

Grades 4-12 students provide feedback on:

- sense of belonging
- positive relationships
- anxiety
- feeling safe at school
- life satisfaction

- general health
- orientation to well-being
- goal-oriented
- self-regulation
- cultural awareness of others

Additionally, Grades 6-12 students provide feedback on:

- depression
- self-esteem

- cultural awareness of self
- Demographic questions are also asked on this survey for norming purposes as follows:

## Grades 4-12 general

age, gender, Indigenous status, immigrant status, home language.

## Grades 6-12 specific

 grade repeater, reasons for changing schools, disability or medical conditions that limits participation in school activities or learning.

At Clarence Sansom School, our OurSCHOOL Student Survey administration plan is as follows:

Who: Grade 7-9 students; When: Oct. 1st to Oct. 15th 2024; Where: In classrooms

If you have questions or would like to request more information about Clarence Sansom's upcoming implementation of the OurSCHOOL Student Survey, please contact Lumbesi Amanwi (luamanwi@cbe.ab.ca).

Yours truly,

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