

## The Public Schools of Brookline

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

As part of our continuing efforts to work together with families to strengthen our schools, we will distribute the annual online Family Feedback Survey starting on Tuesday, January 22. This confidential survey will help us continue to learn more about the climate and culture in our schools and across the district. We will launch the survey on Tuesday, January 22, and it will be open until Friday, February 8.

Please think of this survey as a way for you to provide valuable and helpful feedback about the climate and culture at your child's school and in the district. It is my hope that the results of the survey will confirm the many strengths of each school and point out areas to be addressed in future School and District Improvement Plans.

On January 22, all parents and guardians for whom we have an email address will receive an email from Panorama Education with a link to the survey. We are working with Panorama again this year to help us administer the survey and provide detailed reports about the results. If you have a child in more than one school, you will receive a survey about each school. The survey will be available in a variety of languages.

As we do every year, we will ensure confidentiality of all responses by only reporting the results of the survey in the aggregate for each school and the district as a whole. No one will be able to see individual responses from any parent or guardian.

Each school will share their survey results as part of the annual School Improvement Planning process. I know that Principals, teachers, and district leaders all look forward to using this data as one important piece of information when developing and implementing School and District Improvement Plans. For survey results from previous years, please go to: <a href="https://www.brookline.k12.ma.us/PSBDistrictReports">https://www.brookline.k12.ma.us/PSBDistrictReports</a>

If you have any questions about the survey, please reach out to your school Principal, or Erin Cooley, our Director of Data Analysis and Information Management, at <a href="mailto:psbsurveys@psbma.org">psbsurveys@psbma.org</a>.

Sincerely

Andrew J. Bott Superintendent

## **Translated Versions of this Letter**

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