

School Culture *Triage* Survey

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Instructions: Please rate each survey item relative to its PRESENCE in your school. For each item, circle the appropriate response.

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1. Teachers and staff discuss instructional strategies and curriculum issues

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2. Teachers and staff work together to develop the school schedule.

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3. Teachers and staff are involved in the decision-making process with regard to materials and resources.

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4. The student behavior code is a result of collaboration and consensus among staff.

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5. The planning and organizational time allotted to teachers and staff is used to plan as collective unites/teams rather than as separate individuals.

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6. Teachers and staff tell stories of celebrations that support the school's values.

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7. Teachers and staff visit/talk/meet outside of the school to enjoy each other's company.

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8. Out school reflects a true "sense" of community.

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9. Our school schedule reflects frequent communication opportunities for teachers and staff.

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10. Our school supports and appreciates the sharing of new ideas by members of our school.

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11. There is a rich and robust tradition of rituals and celebrations, including holidays, special events, and recognition of goal attainment.

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12. Teachers and staff value and appreciate each other's specific talents.

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13.	When something is not working in our school, the faculty and staff predict and prevent rather than react and repair.	1	2	3	4	5
14.	School members are interdependent and value each other.	1	2	3	4	5
15.	Members of our school community seek alternative solutions to problems/issues rather than repeating what we have always done.	1	2	3	4	5
16.	Members of our school community seek to define the problem/issue rather than to blame others.	1	2	3	4	5
17.	The school staff is empowered to make instructional decisions rather than waiting for administrators to tell them what to do.	1	2	3	4	5
18.	People work here because they enjoy it and choose to be here.	1	2	3	4	5

Instructions:

Please respond to each demographic item. Please circle the appropriate response.

19.	Your years teaching at current school	2 or less	3-9	10-14	15 or more	
20.	Your years total teaching experience	2 or less	3-9	10-14	15 or more	
21.	Your area of certification					
22.	Are you currently teaching in field?	Yes		No		
23.	Your race	Black	Hispanic	White	Asian	Other
24.	Your gender	Male		Female		

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Thank you for completing this survey.