

Dear Parents/Guardians:

The purpose of this questionnaire is to gather information on how well Abraham Lincoln Elementary School communicates with parents/guardians. Please take a few minutes to complete this questionnaire. Your feedback will be used to improve parent engagement activities. Suggestions on how we can better help our students at home or at school are welcome. This questionnaire is also available online at <https://forms.gle/RYea1QpE6Nckz5946>



You are welcome to complete it on this paper copy and return to Abraham Lincoln Elementary School with your child OR you may complete it online. Please complete the survey by **Friday, April 26**.

Thank you for taking the time to answer these questions.

Please **circle Yes or No** at the end of each question. A limited amount of space has been provided after the question if you would like to answer more than just yes or no.

- 1) Did you receive a copy of the school Parent Involvement Policy (located in the school handbook)? **YES NO**
- 2) Did you receive a copy of the School-Parent Compact (located in the school handbook)?
YES NO
- 3) If YES on #2, were you able to talk to a teacher about the Compact? **YES NO**
(leave blank if you answered NO on #2)
- 4) Have you been asked how the school could improve or increase parent involvement? **YES NO**
- 5) Have you been given the opportunity to become involved in the school's School Based Decision Making (SBDM) Council or an SBDM Committee? **YES NO**
- 6) Are you notified (by calendar, agenda books, newspaper, school messenger, etc.) when the school SBDM council holds its meetings? **YES NO**
- 7) Are meetings (council meetings, committee meetings, parent-teacher conferences) held at a convenient time of the day? **YES NO**
- 8) Have you been invited to a parent-teacher conference to discuss your student's progress?
YES NO
- 9) Have you received clear, easy to understand, student progress reports (ie. report cards, progress reports, behavior reports) in a reasonable amount of time when requested?
YES NO
- 10) Have you been given the opportunity to attend a meeting or workshop that would assist you in helping your child succeed in school? **YES NO**
- 11) Does the school staff demonstrate an understanding that strong relationships with parents contribute to effective teaching and learning? **YES NO**

- 12) In general, has your child’s experience at school been positive? **YES NO**
- 13) Do you feel comfortable and welcome in the school? **YES NO**
- 14) Do you feel comfortable volunteering at the school? **YES NO**
- 15) Has the school staff been supportive and willing to help? **YES NO**
- 16) Do you feel comfortable communicating with the principal and other administrative staff?
YES NO
- 17) Do you feel confident the school is preparing your child for middle school? **YES NO**
- 18) A. Have you used Infinite Campus Parent Portal to check your student’s grades?
(This option is not available in IC for K-2; leave all items for 16 blank if your student(s) are in K-2 grades)
YES NO
- B. If “NO”, is lack of easy internet access the reason? **YES NO**
- C. If “NO” on both A and B, please explain how else we can help with Parent Portal:
- D. Have you accessed (or are you aware of) the available application for mobile electronic devices (i phone or i pad) that will allow you to access parent portal? **YES NO**
- 19) **Circle all below** that would make it easier for you to attend parent-teacher conferences, parent meetings, and training sessions.

Child Care	Transportation	Time of meeting	Phone Conference	Someone to read materials	Advocate or Mentor to attend with you	Interpreter (List language)	Disability accessibility	Food
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- 20) Which way is the best for you to receive information about your school? **Circle all that apply.**

Newspaper	School newsletter/ Monthly calendar	Your child	Student Agenda Book	Principal	Classroom teacher	Telephone/ “School Messenger”	Email	School Social Media
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Other Comments:

Thank you so much for taking the time to answer these questions so we can improve the programs for your child!