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Greetings Dulles Middle School community,

As you may know, an independent technology and communications firm, *K12Insight*, conducted climate surveys during the 2016 spring semester at all our FBISD campuses. Parents completed the surveys in March and April, and middle and high school students completed the surveys in April and May.

Parents were invited by email to participate using the most current email addresses available in Skyward. Parents could also participate via paper and by accessing the survey via a public link on the District website. Students took the survey online during the school day.

Below are the results and analysis of the campus climate surveys for both our parents and students at Dulles Middle School. We have analyzed our survey data, reflected on our actions to maintain our highest satisfaction levels and are working our plan to improve upon our lowest indicators.

Survey topics include: academic preparation, student support, school leadership, parent engagement, safety and behavior, school operations, and school and district events. The table below lists the highest and lowest ranked indicators from our climate survey along with the percentage of parents or students who strongly agree or disagree with that indicator.

The table below outlines our parent survey results:

Parent Survey Results- Highest and Lowest Ranking Indicators	
Survey Items that are the Highest Ranking Indicators	Percentage Strongly Agree and Agree (%)
Fine Arts program at DMS including band, choir, orchestra, theater and visual arts programs.	94%
I make sure my child does his or her homework assignments	91%
My child has access to the Internet at school for learning purposes.	92%
Survey Items that are the Lowest Ranking Indicators	Percentage Strongly Agree and Agree (%)
Students do not threaten or bully each other at this school.	33%
I feel welcome to use facilities at my child's school such as library, computers, gym or auditorium.	38%
The level of family and community involvement for this campus.	56%

The next table outlines our student survey results:

Student Survey Results- Highest and Lowest Ranking Indicators	
Survey Items that are the Highest Ranking Indicators	Percentage Strongly Agree and Agree (%)
I am aware of the safety procedures at this school, such as fire drills and tornado or hurricane procedures.	94%
I know what will happen if I break school rules.	91%
My parents ask me about my day at school.	90%
Survey Items that are the Lowest Ranking Indicators	Percentage Strongly Agree and Agree (%)
My parents volunteer at school.	23%
I have not seen anyone being threatened or bullies in this school.	34%
Student try to stop bullying when they see it occurring.	38%

Based on the student climate results related to Safety and Behavior, K12*Insight* will be conducting student focus groups in November 2016 to further study the topic of bullying to identify ways we can best support our students. Although we realize that bullying is a state and national issue, it is included as one of the lowest ranking indicators at a district level and we want know more about student perceptions and suggestions to help us continuously improve. We are taking this topic very seriously.

We will also post this document on our campus website on our homepage under “Quick Links” for our community. The overall district composite results and analysis of the 2015-16 Climate surveys were posted in June in the *Your Voice Matters* webpage on our Fort Bend ISD website.

I thank you for taking the time to complete our campus survey and please know that we will be working diligently on maintaining our highest ranked indicators and improving on our lowest ranked indicators.

Looking forward to an excellent 2016-17 school year together,

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