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THIRTEEN CLOVIS SCHOOLS TO PARTICIPATE IN SCHOLASTIC FAMILY ENGAGEMENT SURVEY

Families of students at 13 schools in the Clovis Municipal Schools District are being asked to participate in a survey being launched through the Scholastic Family and Community Engagement (FACE) program.

The purpose of the survey is to better understand the family experience as it relates to the education environment and to explore the relationships parents and families have with the schools their student/s attend. Scholastic surveys will also be conducted with school administrators and staff in order to provide a full perspective. Expected to conclude by January 2019, the survey will be available soon.

Access instructions for the online survey will be sent to families via email and Skyward Family Access. Asked to complete one survey for each school where they have an enrolled student, families also have the option of completing a printed survey, available at their school.

Participating schools are:

Arts Academy at Bella Vista
James Bickley Elementary
Parkview Elementary
Marshall Middle School
Clovis High School

Cameo Elementary
La Casita Elementary
Sandia Elementary
Yucca Middle School

Highland Elementary
Lockwood Elementary
Gattis Middle School
CHS Freshman Academy

The information provided by families is a critical part of the District's ongoing efforts to make families feel like welcome participants and ensure the education of our community's children is accomplished through a home and school partnership.

Recently, Clovis Municipal Schools selected education industry leader Scholastic to conduct an in-depth assessment of family engagement at the District's Title I schools. Title I is a designation applied to schools by the federal Title I program, which seeks to enrich opportunities for economically disadvantaged communities. Of the 17 schools in the District, 13 are designated Title I.

Upon completion of the assessment and thorough analysis of the results, Scholastic FACE experts will provide the District with reports of findings and quantitative data establishing a baseline for ongoing improvement measurements. FACE experts will also provide staff, administrators and school Family Engagement Team members three days of professional development to develop intensive understanding of guiding family engagement principles and practices integrated with the District's individual assessment results.

For additional information about our Family Engagement Assessment, please contact Renee Russ, Deputy Director of Federal Programs, 575-769-4328.

The mission of the Clovis Municipal Schools, an alliance highly committed to educational excellence, is to equip each student with the knowledge and skills needed for a productive life of creative thinking, continuous learning, and exemplary character through challenging and engaging learning experiences led by a dedicated, unified team in vital partnership with family, church, and community.