

School Counseling Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) Survey Opt-Out Form



The School Counseling Department gathers input on how students are doing with Life Skills, Student Success Skills, and Social & Emotional Learning (SEL). Students are asked to reflect on their competencies in the areas of self-awareness, self-management, decision making, and interpersonal skills that are vital for school, work, and life success to plan effective SEL instruction. The data from these brief surveys, which will include the student's name, date of birth, gender, race, ethnicity, grade level, school location, identification number, course assignments, Special Education classification, English for Speakers of Other Languages, and student rosters, will solely be used by authorized BCPS staff and partners to direct school activities and provide SEL services to students.

The SEL sample surveys for 4th- 12th grade and instructional materials can be viewed by scheduling an appointment with your school's SEL Liaison. Additional parent/guardian information can be found on the [School Counseling website](#). Other resources and strategies on how to incorporate SEL at home can be found in our [SEL & Mindfulness Toolkit for Families and Students](#).

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE PARENT/GUARDIAN

Your student's input on social, emotional learning skills will be gathered using the SEL Surveys. To opt-out of the SEL Surveys, please check the box, complete the information below, sign the form, and return it to your child's school within 10 days from the first day of enrollment in the school.

I do NOT want my child to participate in any SEL Surveys.

Printed Student Name: _____

1st Period or Homeroom Teacher _____

Date of Birth: _____ Grade Level: _____ Student #: _____

School Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____