

Sample State-required Home Language Survey Questions

Dear Parent or Guardian:

The state requires the District to collect a *Home Language Survey* for every **new student**. This information is used to identify students who may need English language instruction. Students whose primary or first language is not English must be screened to determine eligibility.

Please answer the questions below to help us identify if your child may need to be assessed for English Language proficiency. Thank You.

Student Name (required): _____

Home Language Survey Questions (required):

1. Which language does your child best understand and speak?

2. Which language does your child most frequently speak at home?

3. Which language do adults in your home most frequently use when speaking with your child?

Signature of Parent/Guardian/Other (required)

Date (required)

In addition, the state requires the district to collect your family's preferred language for school communication. Thank you for indicating this below.

Household Preferred Language for School Communication:

In which language would you prefer to receive school information? _____