SOCIAL, EMOTIONAL AND BULLYING BEHAVIOR SURVEY

GRADES 6-9

INSTRUCTIONS

A few things you should know about the survey:
1. All of your responses are completely confidential and anonymous.
2. There are no right or wrong answers on the survey. Mark the response that best describes your situation.
3. Do not fold, staple, paper clip or otherwise alter this form.

I. PERSONAL AND FAMILY INFORMATION

I am:
- White
- African American
- Hispanic/Latino
- Asian/Pacific Islander
- Native American
- Mixed Origin
- Other

I am:
- Male
- Female

I am:
- 10 yrs old or less
- 11
- 12
- 13
- 14
- 15 years or older

I am:
- 6th grade
- 7th grade
- 8th grade
- 9th grade

I live with:
- Both parents
- Mother only
- Father only
- Mother and stepfather
- Father and stepmother
- Grandparents
- Foster parents
- Other

II. SOCIAL SKILLS (Part 1)

How true are these statements for you?

1. I am confident in my ability to talk out problems with people.
2. Coming up with lots of different ideas of what to do helps me solve problems.
3. I'm good at thinking of many possible solutions to problems.
4. When I'm trying to solve a problem, I think about what would happen with each solution I find.
5. I am able to solve problems with people without using violence or aggression.
6. I can listen to others.
7. I am sensitive to other people's feelings, even if they are not my friends.
8. I get concerned when I hear about other people's problems.
9. I try to imagine how other people would feel in situations.
10. I try to look at everybody's side of a disagreement.
11. When I lose my temper, I take my anger out on other people.
12. I get carried away by my feelings.
13. My emotions make me do things I regret later.
14. I think about other people's feelings before I do something.
15. Before I do something, I think about how it will affect the people around me.
16. I say the first thing that comes into my mind without thinking enough about it.
17. I stop and think things through before I act.
18. People would describe me as impulsive.
19. Sometimes I can't stop myself from doing something, even if I know it is wrong.

II. SOCIAL SKILLS (Part 2)

How true are these statements for you?

20. I try to talk out a problem instead of fighting.
21. I have told other students how I felt when they upset me.
22. I have helped other students solve a personal problem.
23. It is easy for me to make friends.
24. I know how to stand up for myself without being mean.
25. I can tell the difference between being assertive, passive, and aggressive.

III. RELATIONSHIPS (Part 1)

How many times did these things happen in the LAST 30 DAYS:

1. Other students shoved or hit you.
2. Other students left you out of things on purpose.
3. Other students called you mean names.
4. Other students made fun of or teased you in a hurtful way.
5. Other students told lies or spread false rumors about you.
6. Other students used the Internet or cell phone to tell lies about you, embarrass you, or threaten you.
7. I encouraged students to tease, push, or shove other students.
8. I joined in when students told lies about other students.
9. I stood by and watched other students getting teased, pushed, or shoved.
III. RELATIONSHIPS (Part 2)

Think about whether the following things are problems at your school.

10. Students picking fights with other students.
11. Students shoving, hitting, or teasing weaker students.
12. Students saying mean things to other students.
13. Students spreading rumors or lies about students they are mad at or don’t like.
14. Students telling lies about, embarrassing, or threatening other students using the Internet or a cell phone.

IV. ALCOHOL AND DRUG USE (Part 2)

How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to:

17. Have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?
18. Smoke tobacco?
19. Smoke marijuana?
20. Use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?

V. SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT

How true are these statements for you?

15. In the cafeteria (lunchroom).
16. In the halls.
17. In the bathroom.
18. In the gym.
20. At school events (ballgames, etc.).
21. In the parking lot.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION

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