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## BULLETIN NO. 004-22 STUDENT ENGAGEMENT & SUPPORT

TO: Educational Service District Superintendents

School District Superintendents School District Business Managers

FROM: Chris Reykdal, Superintendent of Public Instruction

RE: The COVID-19 Student Survey; Impacts and Implications on Student Learning

and Well-Being

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## PURPOSE/BACKGROUND

To help schools collect student perspective data pertaining to their students' school and life experiences during the COVID-19 pandemic, the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI) is working with the University of Washington (UW) to administer a free needs assessment to students in grades 6–12.

The COVID-19 Student Survey; Impacts and Implications on Student Learning, will be available for schools to administered at a time that that works best for them from February 1–28.

This voluntary and anonymous survey is administered electronically. It should take students 20–25 minutes to complete and can be administered during a class period.

This survey asks questions pertaining to school experiences during the pandemic, mental and physical health, hope, social support from peers and adults, and COVID-19 precautions. The survey is available in English, Spanish, Russian, Ukrainian, Vietnamese, and Somali.

Participating schools and districts should expect school building level results in April 2022.

The questions on the survey are designed to be actionable, and can help schools understand their student's thoughts, feelings, and behaviors during the pandemic. They can also be used for school improvement plans, reengagement plans, and other future planning.

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Registration for the survey opens Monday, January 10 and goes until February 24.

Registration information, questions that will be asked on the survey, and other details can be found on <u>OSPI's COVID-19 Student Survey</u> website.

## INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE

For questions regarding this bulletin, please contact Emily Maughan, Program Supervisor, at 360-725-6030 or email emily.maughan@k12.wa.us. The OSPI TTY number is 360-664-3631.

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