

**March 24, 2022**

Dear SAC Members,

***We're looking for your input!***

We're always looking for ways to enhance communications and improve our service to HRCE families. As members of the SAC, you play an important role in supporting students success at the school community level. We know that you're strongly connected to your community and that you have valuable insight to offer. That's why we're asking for your input over the coming months on a number of important topics, using ***ThoughtExchange***. We want to draw on your wisdom and your lived experiences and learn what's most important to you, your family and your community.

***What will we do with the information we collect?***

Our goal is to use this insight to make decisions that reflect the current realities of our school communities, support the work of our learning teams, and ultimately, ensure that students (and their achievement and well-being) are at the heart of all we do.

***What do you need to know?***

Over the coming months, we'll ask for your wisdom on different topics. We encourage you to share your thoughts and then rate at least 20-30 of the thoughts that others have shared. Your participation is confidential, so no one will know who shared or rated which thoughts. We encourage you to check back often to rate thoughts. The more you engage in the ***ThoughtExchange***, the more accurate the information will be for us.

***Are you ready to get started?***

Our first ***ThoughtExchange*** is ready! We want your input on **how to best welcome and support families as they navigate the public school system.**

You can get started by [clicking here](#).

**This exchange will be open until April 7, 2022.**

Thank you for your time. Your feedback is valued and deeply appreciated!

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