



Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board
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November 4, 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Re: Catholic Safe Schools Survey

The Ministry of Education for the Province of Ontario requires each school district in the province to conduct a survey concerning students' feelings of safety and security at school, once every two years.

The Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board uses a 30 minute on-line survey format conducted at your child's school to obtain this information from our students.

The information which your child provides is anonymous and completely confidential and will help to identify additional measures to keep all of our schools safe and secure for students and staff members.

While participation in this survey is voluntary, we strongly encourage our students to complete the survey because the information they provide is so helpful.

However, if you do **not** wish to have your child participate in the survey, I would ask you to complete the form on the reverse side of this letter and return it to your child's teacher.

If you have any questions or concerns about the survey, please contact your school principal.

Sincerely,

Clinton Davis, Ph.D., C. Psych.

Chair

Research Advisory Committee, Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board

HAMILTON-WENTWORTH CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

CATHOLIC SAFE SCHOOLS SURVEY

STUDENT'S NAME: _____

SCHOOL: _____

DATE: _____

I (we) do not give permission for my (our) child to complete the Catholic Safe Schools Survey.

Father's Signature: _____

Mother's Signature: _____

Guardian's Signature: _____