

Item of Information: 2026 Parent Climate Survey Results

1. Background

The Southwest ISD 2026 Parent Climate Survey was conducted to gather feedback from families regarding school safety, campus climate, communication, student services, and district operations. A total of 1,354 parents and guardians participated in the survey. Results indicate strong parent confidence in school safety, communication efforts, staff relationships, and overall campus experiences, while also identifying opportunities for improvement in transportation, child nutrition services, and awareness of district programs. This is the third year in a row the survey has been conducted.

2. Process

District administration reviewed survey responses collected through the 2026 Parent Climate Survey, which was open for six weeks. Families were encouraged to participate through multiple communication channels, including text messages, district and campus newsletters, and social media platforms. The survey gathered parent feedback on a variety of topics, including school safety, campus climate, communication effectiveness, family engagement opportunities, staff accessibility, transportation services, child nutrition, technology resources, student support services, extracurricular programs, fine arts, college and career readiness initiatives, and awareness of district programs and after-school opportunities. The survey results provide valuable insight into parent perceptions and will help guide future planning, communication strategies, and continuous improvement efforts across the district.

3. Fiscal Impact:

N/A

4. Recommendation:

N/A.

5. Required:

N/A