MVCSC Student Belonging Survey (Grades 7–12)

Anonymous survey organized around the six MVCSC Belonging Domains.

Response Scale

Strongly Disagree • Disagree • Neutral/Not Sure • Agree • Strongly Agree

Trusted Adult Relationships

- My teachers/adults know me well.
- I have at least one adult I trust at school.
- Adults care about me.
- Adults notice when I need help.
- Adults believe I can succeed.

Peer Relationships

- I have friends at school.
- Students include me.
- I feel accepted.
- Students are kind.
- Students respect differences.

Safety & Respect

- I feel physically safe at school.
- I feel emotionally safe at school.
- Adults are fair.
- Students treat each other with respect.
- I am treated with kindness.

Student Voice

- My ideas matter.
- Adults listen to students.
- I can share my opinions.
- Students help improve our school.
- I have choices in my learning.

Engagement

- I engage appropriately in the classroom.
- I participate (or plan to) in at least one extracurricular activity this school year.
- I feel encouraged by the adults in my school.
- I attend (or plan to attend) at least one school-wide event this year (games, dances, plays, fairs, etc).
- I like helping my school.

School Identity

- I feel like I belong at my school.
- I am proud of my school.
- I enjoy coming to school.
- I feel connected to my school.
- I would recommend my school.

Open Response

What helps you feel like you belong at school?

What could we do to help every student feel like they belong?