

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Longmeadow High School will be conducting our annual school climate survey this spring, beginning on March 18, in compliance with anti-bullying legislation in Massachusetts. Students will be surveyed during Health and Wellness classes. We include questions on a range of health issues, including substance use and mental health, to better inform our prevention programming and health curriculum. Most of the questions are taken from the Youth Risk Behavior Survey used nationally, so that we can compare our results to state and national benchmarks. However, we do customize the survey in response to our identified needs.

Students complete the survey on the Survey Monkey platform, and all responses are completely anonymous. No names or personal identifiers are used or reported. If you wish for your child to NOT participate in this survey, please complete the form below and return it to Longmeadow High School to the attention of Shelly Warren via email or hard copy. If we do not hear from you, we will assume your child has permission to participate.

Please contact Shelly Warren at 565-4220, ext 2456 or [swarren@longmeadow.k12.ma.us](mailto:swarren@longmeadow.k12.ma.us) if you have any questions or would like additional information about the survey.

Sincerely,

Thomas Landers  
Principal, Longmeadow High School

Shelly Warren  
Substance Use Response Coordinator

I, \_\_\_\_\_, **do not give permission**  
for \_\_\_\_\_ to participate in the  
school climate survey at Longmeadow High School in the spring of 2025..

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_