

## Blizzard Bag Spring 2018 Follow-up - Parent Survey

The use of "Blizzard Bags" was instituted this year with the understanding that we would review the process to determine the potential for future use and/or modifications of the program. We'll be using different surveys for staff, students, and parents with the intent to gather information related to our use of "Blizzard Bags" this year and how they may be improved in the future.

These surveys are anonymous but there is an option to leave your contact information should you want the district to be able to follow up with you for any clarification or additional questions. Survey data will only be shared in the aggregate.

The survey will close on May 31st.

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1. Please circle all grade levels that your children currently attend.

Kindergarten to Second Grade

Third Grade to Sixth Grade

2. Rate the following statements regarding preparation of Blizzard Bag Assignments:

Blizzard Bag Assignments took an appropriate amount of time to complete for my children.

Blizzard Bag Assignments appeared to be related to the class curriculum.

3. Rate the following statements related to the implementation of Blizzard Bags:

Blizzard Bag Assignments were in a format that my children could use.

Five school days were sufficient for my children to complete the majority of their work.

The assignment of Blizzard Bag Days for school cancellations were made appropriately.

I support the idea that failure to complete a Blizzard Bag Assignment results in both no credit for the assignment, as well as, an absence for the day.

Over the course of the year, Blizzard Bags became easier to implement and understand.

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
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4. Please rate each of the following statements regarding how the assignments provided for Blizzard Bag days fit with what was happening in your children's classroom.

The assignments provided for Blizzard Bag Days were related to what my children were working on in the classroom.

The assignments provided for Blizzard Bag Days were related to the curriculum rather than to current class activities.

The assignments provided for Blizzard Bag Days were stand-alone assignments.

The assignments provided for Blizzard Bag Days were part of an overall theme or project.

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
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5. Please rate the following statements regarding the overall use of Blizzard Bags.

The amount of time and effort my children put into completing Blizzard Bag Assignments was equal to that required to actually be completed in the classroom.

The amount of time and effort I as a parent expended in helping my children complete their Blizzard Bag Assignments was equal to that I expend for their regular assignments.

My children completed the majority of their Blizzard Bag Assignments.

The amount of work my children did for Blizzard Bag Assignments was appropriate.

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
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6. Please choose the rating that you feel best fits your feelings regarding Blizzard Bags.

The use of Blizzard Bags was appropriate to ensure a reasonable date for the end of the school year.

The use of Blizzard Bags to prevent extending the school year was not worth the loss of actual face time in the classroom.

Disagree	Undecided	Agree
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7. The following open ended questions are provided to 'pick your brain' regarding ideas on how we may improve different aspects of the Blizzard Bag program.

How may we make Blizzard Bags more effective for those students who need additional time or resources to complete the work?

How may we make Blizzard Bag Assignments more creative and yet remain linked to the curriculum?

I believe the most important thing we can do to improve the Blizzard Bag Program is to:

What are your overall feelings about the use of Blizzard Bags this year?

If you would be interested in providing clarification to your answers, please provide your email address.

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Enter your email address.