



HOME LANGUAGE SURVEY

FAIRBANKS NORTH STAR BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

Dear Parents/Guardians:

To make sure that all students receive the education services they need, the law requires us to ask questions about students' language backgrounds. The answers to Part I below will tell us if a student's proficiency in English should be evaluated and help us to ensure that important opportunities to receive programs and services are offered to students who need them. The answer to Part II below will help us communicate with you regarding the student and all school matters in the language you prefer (to the extent practicable).

STUDENT INFORMATION:

Student Name: _____ **Sex:** Female Male
 (Last Name, First Name)

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ **School:** _____ **Grade:** _____
 Month Day Year

Place of Birth: _____ **Participating in a student exchange program?** Yes No

Has the student received formal education outside of the US? Yes No

If yes, circle grades completed outside of the US: K 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

If yes, what was the Language of Instruction? _____

Date first enrolled in a school in the US: _____

PART I: LANGUAGE BACKGROUND

1. What is the primary language used in the home (regardless of the language spoken by the student)? English Other _____
2. What is the language most often spoken by the student? English Other _____
3. What is the first language the student learned to speak? English Other _____

PART II: COMMUNICATION PREFERENCES

Does any parent/guardian of this student prefer to communicate with the school in a language other than English?

No (prefer English) Yes (prefer a language other than English)

If Yes, what language? _____

To the extent practicable, communication from the school will be provided in this language.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Phone: _____

Printed Name: _____ Date: _____

Information about schools' civil rights obligations to English learner students and limited English proficient parents can be found on [USED's Office for Civil Rights webpage](https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/ellresources.html) https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/ellresources.html. If you have questions about this form or about services available to your child, please contact the ELL Program office at (907) 452-2000 ext. 11488.

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