

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Our district will be administering the mySAEBRS universal screener through FastBridge three times this year - fall, winter, and spring. mySAEBRS is taken by students in grades 3-12 and takes approximately five minutes to complete. mySAEBRS (my Social, Academic, and Emotional Behavior Risk Screener) is a brief, norm-referenced tool for screening students.

USD 489 believes this survey is a valuable tool in that it can be used to identify students who are at risk for social, academic, and emotional behaviors. By evaluating in which of the three specific domains a student may be at risk, schools can determine what type of supports are most appropriate and which problem behaviors should be prioritized through intervention and/or the application of social-emotional learning (SEL) programs.

Other Important Items to note:

1. Participation is important. This data is extremely helpful in identifying needs and providing timely support and resources that often impact the academic success of students.
2. mySAEBRS ratings correspond to the frequency of various behaviors in the previous month (Never, Sometimes, Often, Almost Always).
3. Participation is voluntary and your child may decline to participate.

More information about mySAEBRS can be found at:

<https://www.illuminateed.com/products/fastbridge/social-emotional-behavior-assessment/mysaebars/>

A copy of the mySAEBRS questions can be found at:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1DNNsOVjITzZ2t1xtmsoxfaC74vGtkaWw/view>

Please complete the form below for each child who attends USD 489 in grades 3-12. The information you provide will be shared with your child's school.

Please check one and complete one form per child:

- ☐ **Yes, I give permission** for my child to participate in mySAEBRS.
- ☐ **No, I do not** give permission for my child to participate in mySAEBRS.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Printed Parent/Guardian Name

Printed Name and Grade of Child

Date