The Black Church Center for Justice and Equality: Educational Justice Initiative

New Jersey Educational Justice

The Black Church Center is partnering with local churches to better understand educational challenges and opportunities for *all* children. Evidence shows that a disproportionate number of black and brown children are not achieving at the level that they can or at the level of white children. The Covid-19 crisis is likely to only exacerbate disparities. Please take a few minutes to answer the following questions. Our goal is to identify specific issues and actions we can take together to reduce all obstacles to learning and expand all opportunities for all children regardless of race, ethnicity, economic status or zip code.

1. Please provide your contact information

Name: Prefix: \_\_\_\_ First: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Last: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City/Town: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

State:\_\_\_\_\_\_ ZIP:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. I have a child/children in:

❏Grammar School (K-8) #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

❏Middle School #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

❏High School) #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

❏Pre-K #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. I send my child to:

❏My local public school

❏A parochial or private school

❏A regional magnet or county public school

❏A private or public charter school

4. Ideally, I want my child’s school experience to prepare him/her:

❏four year college or greater

❏the ability to compete and succeed in today’s economy (a good job)

❏to have self-confidence and self-respect

❏to think critically and independently

❏ have maximum opportunity to achieve his or her full potential

I am satisfied with the school my child attends

❏Yes ❏No

~~I chose this school over other schools~~

~~❏Yes ❏No~~

If I had the option to send my child to a higher performing school I would.

❏Yes

Even if it meant attending a school in a neighboring town.

❏Yes

Even it if meant attending a school with many students who were of a different race ethnicity or economic backroad than my child.

❏Yes

5. My family racially identifies as:

(Make black first and default?)

❏African-American

❏Hispanic

❏Asian

❏Caucasian

❏Native American

❏Mixed Race

❏Other

I'm legally obligated to.

it's a type of free child care.

I need help raising my kids.

I want them to make friends their age.

To gain the skills needed for the career they choose.

I want them to be prepared to go to college.

Question Title

6. If nothing changes about my child's school experience, my child will probably...

Graduate and go to a four year university

Graduate and go to trade school or community college

Graduate and find a job

Drop out and get a GED

Drop out of school

I don't know what will happen

Question Title

7. Provide information about your children

Age Grade School Performance

1st Child

1st Child Age menu

1st Child Grade menu

1st Child School Performance menu

2nd Child

2nd Child Age menu

2nd Child Grade menu

2nd Child School Performance menu

3rd Child

3rd Child Age menu

3rd Child Grade menu

3rd Child School Performance menu

4th Child

4th Child Age menu

4th Child Grade menu

4th Child School Performance menu

5th Child

5th Child Age menu

5th Child Grade menu

5th Child School Performance menu

6th Child

6th Child Age menu

6th Child Grade menu

6th Child School Performance menu

Question Title

8. Is your child reading well?

1st Child 2nd Child 3rd Child 4th Child 5th Child 6th Child

Yes, my child reads all the time

Yes, my child reads all the time 1st Child

Yes, my child reads all the time 2nd Child

Yes, my child reads all the time 3rd Child

Yes, my child reads all the time 4th Child

Yes, my child reads all the time 5th Child

Yes, my child reads all the time 6th Child

Yes, but my child does not enjoy reading

Yes, but my child does not enjoy reading 1st Child

Yes, but my child does not enjoy reading 2nd Child

Yes, but my child does not enjoy reading 3rd Child

Yes, but my child does not enjoy reading 4th Child

Yes, but my child does not enjoy reading 5th Child

Yes, but my child does not enjoy reading 6th Child

No, my child gets tutored for reading

No, my child gets tutored for reading 1st Child

No, my child gets tutored for reading 2nd Child

No, my child gets tutored for reading 3rd Child

No, my child gets tutored for reading 4th Child

No, my child gets tutored for reading 5th Child

No, my child gets tutored for reading 6th Child

No, my child does not know how to read.

No, my child does not know how to read. 1st Child

No, my child does not know how to read. 2nd Child

No, my child does not know how to read. 3rd Child

No, my child does not know how to read. 4th Child

No, my child does not know how to read. 5th Child

No, my child does not know how to read. 6th Child

My child is not in a grade where reading is required

My child is not in a grade where reading is required 1st Child

My child is not in a grade where reading is required 2nd Child

My child is not in a grade where reading is required 3rd Child

My child is not in a grade where reading is required 4th Child

My child is not in a grade where reading is required 5th Child

My child is not in a grade where reading is required 6th Child

I don't know

I don't know 1st Child

I don't know 2nd Child

I don't know 3rd Child

I don't know 4th Child

I don't know 5th Child

I don't know 6th Child

Question Title

9. My child has been disciplined at school for,

1st Child 2nd Child 3rd Child 4th Child 5th Child 6th Child

physical behavior

physical behavior 1st Child

physical behavior 2nd Child

physical behavior 3rd Child

physical behavior 4th Child

physical behavior 5th Child

physical behavior 6th Child

dress code

dress code 1st Child

dress code 2nd Child

dress code 3rd Child

dress code 4th Child

dress code 5th Child

dress code 6th Child

attendance/ditching

attendance/ditching 1st Child

attendance/ditching 2nd Child

attendance/ditching 3rd Child

attendance/ditching 4th Child

attendance/ditching 5th Child

attendance/ditching 6th Child

language

language 1st Child

language 2nd Child

language 3rd Child

language 4th Child

language 5th Child

language 6th Child

my child has not been disciplined

my child has not been disciplined 1st Child

my child has not been disciplined 2nd Child

my child has not been disciplined 3rd Child

my child has not been disciplined 4th Child

my child has not been disciplined 5th Child

my child has not been disciplined 6th Child

Other

Other 1st Child

Other 2nd Child

Other 3rd Child

Other 4th Child

Other 5th Child

Other 6th Child

Question Title

10. My child has experienced discipline in the following ways:

1st Child 2nd Child 3rd Child 4th Child 5th Child 6th Child

Removal from the classroom

Removal from the classroom 1st Child

Removal from the classroom 2nd Child

Removal from the classroom 3rd Child

Removal from the classroom 4th Child

Removal from the classroom 5th Child

Removal from the classroom 6th Child

Sent to the principal's or dean's office

Sent to the principal's or dean's office 1st Child

Sent to the principal's or dean's office 2nd Child

Sent to the principal's or dean's office 3rd Child

Sent to the principal's or dean's office 4th Child

Sent to the principal's or dean's office 5th Child

Sent to the principal's or dean's office 6th Child

After School Detention

After School Detention 1st Child

After School Detention 2nd Child

After School Detention 3rd Child

After School Detention 4th Child

After School Detention 5th Child

After School Detention 6th Child

In School Suspension

In School Suspension 1st Child

In School Suspension 2nd Child

In School Suspension 3rd Child

In School Suspension 4th Child

In School Suspension 5th Child

In School Suspension 6th Child

Out of School Suspension

Out of School Suspension 1st Child

Out of School Suspension 2nd Child

Out of School Suspension 3rd Child

Out of School Suspension 4th Child

Out of School Suspension 5th Child

Out of School Suspension 6th Child

Sent to Alternative School

Sent to Alternative School 1st Child

Sent to Alternative School 2nd Child

Sent to Alternative School 3rd Child

Sent to Alternative School 4th Child

Sent to Alternative School 5th Child

Sent to Alternative School 6th Child

Arrested

Arrested 1st Child

Arrested 2nd Child

Arrested 3rd Child

Arrested 4th Child

Arrested 5th Child

Arrested 6th Child

Expelled

Expelled 1st Child

Expelled 2nd Child

Expelled 3rd Child

Expelled 4th Child

Expelled 5th Child

Expelled 6th Child

Question Title

11. Select the programs that your children are part of

Before COVID During COVID Out of School

Free/Reduced Lunch

Free/Reduced Lunch Before COVID

Free/Reduced Lunch During COVID

Free/Reduced Lunch Out of School

Before School

Before School Before COVID

Before School During COVID

Before School Out of School

After School

After School Before COVID

After School During COVID

After School Out of School

Classroom Aide/IEP

Classroom Aide/IEP Before COVID

Classroom Aide/IEP During COVID

Classroom Aide/IEP Out of School

Tutoring

Tutoring Before COVID

Tutoring During COVID

Tutoring Out of School

Gifted & Talented

Gifted & Talented Before COVID

Gifted & Talented During COVID

Gifted & Talented Out of School

AP/IB Courses

AP/IB Courses Before COVID

AP/IB Courses During COVID

AP/IB Courses Out of School

Sports

Sports Before COVID

Sports During COVID

Sports Out of School

Debate

Debate Before COVID

Debate During COVID

Debate Out of School

Performing Arts

Performing Arts Before COVID

Performing Arts During COVID

Performing Arts Out of School

Band/Orchestra

Band/Orchestra Before COVID

Band/Orchestra During COVID

Band/Orchestra Out of School

Choir

Choir Before COVID

Choir During COVID

Choir Out of School

Foreign Language

Foreign Language Before COVID

Foreign Language During COVID

Foreign Language Out of School

Summer School

Summer School Before COVID

Summer School During COVID

Summer School Out of School

Question Title

12. My child's teacher calls me (check all that apply)...

To brag about how well my child is doing

To tell me about missing class work

To talk about my child's behavior

To invite me to school

Never calls

Question Title

13. By the time my child leaves school, I want them to know how to (check all that apply)

Write

Set a budget

Have a Trade - mechanic, beauty service, cooking, construction

Know how to fill out an application and interview

Get a sports scholarship

Speak in front of large groups

Get admitted into a 4 year college

Get a STEM career

Be employable, have a good work ethic

Other (please specify)

Question Title

14. I would change the following about my child's school experience (check all that apply)

What they learn

Better sports program

Discipline policies

After-School Options

Parent-Teacher Engagement

Standardized Testing

How they are taught

Classroom size

Elect school board that understands my child

Other (please specify)

Question Title

15. How would you like to stay involved with the Black Church Center?

I would like to get more information about upcoming meetings.

I want to share my story about something that happened at school with someone at BCC.

I need help getting assistance for my child.

I want to be trained to be an education advocate in my community.

Question Title

16. How do you want us to contact you in the future?

Text

Email

Both

DONE

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See how easy it is to create a survey.

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~~Question Title~~

~~3. My household income is...~~

~~Below $30,000~~

~~$30,000 to $49,999~~

~~$50,000 to $74,999~~

~~$75,000 to $99,999~~

~~$100,000 to $149,999~~

~~$150,000 to $199,999~~

~~Over $200,000~~

Question Title

~~4. My highest level of education is...~~

~~5. I send my child to the school they attend because (check all that apply)...~~

~~I have no choice. It is the local school she/he is assigned to~~

~~Yes~~

~~I chose this school over other schools~~

~~yes~~