PARENT INTERVIEW STARTER PROMPTS

Use these prompts as starters with your year-end conversations with families. Ask your peers for their favorite icebreakers or add your own!

Open-ended Questions to Gauge Well-being

How has your year been going?
How is [your child] doing?
What plans do you have for the summer?
How are you and/or [your child] feeling about next year?

Year-end Feedback

How do you think our communication has been this year?
What information do you need before summer?
What has been a highlight of this year?
How satisfied have you been with the school/district this year? Where could it have been improved?

Student Learning

What’s working well for [your child]? What is causing challenges for [your child]?
Do you think [your child] has been making progress toward the goals on [his/her/their] IEP?
How have you felt facilitating [your child’s learning] at home this year?
Has your child felt supported this year?
Have you felt supported this year?

Light Icebreakers

What’s your favorite color?
Do you miss movies?
If you could travel anywhere, where would it be?
If you could live in a TV show, what would it be?
Tell me a fond memory you’ve had with [your child].

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