



Survey Extended!
Take the survey any time through May 12, 2017
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Dear **School and District Leaders:**

Thank you for your continued leadership in our schools! We are in the fourth week of the **TELL Arizona survey**. As you know, we are encouraging every school-based licensed educator in our public K-12 schools to complete the TELL Arizona Survey. In order to facilitate this goal the **survey window has been extended through May 12, 2017**.

Why Survey Participation is Important:

We need to hear from educators about what supports, policies, and resources they need in order to be most effective with our students. This data (reported at the school level and higher) is an important piece of helping to ensure every educator has the support necessary to provide students the learning environments they need and deserve.

- Schools reaching the minimum response threshold (50% and at least 5 educators) will have data reports posted on the TELL Arizona website along with tools for use in improving teaching and learning conditions for teachers and students in your school.
- The TELL Arizona partners are encouraging participation in the 2017 TELL survey as a baseline for longitudinal data. As we plan for TELL Arizona 2019, make sure your schools have their data this year.

How You Can Help:

Use the "Response Rate" tab on <http://www.tellarizona.org> and make personal contact with educators and school administrators to boost participation particularly in buildings and districts below the 50% minimum response rate threshold.

- For schools above the threshold- congratulate them for being above the minimum and encourage colleagues to complete the survey;
- For schools below the minimum, encourage educators to contact the Help Desk (helpdesk@tellarizona.org or 1-866-301-2454, extension 30) and ask for a confidential access code if they need a replacement code or never received one.

Teachers are inundated with surveys. During this hectic time of year we know your time is precious. Anything you can do to encourage the licensed educators in your building to participate would be greatly appreciated. Many schools are using a portion of their staff meeting or PLC times to complete this confidential and anonymous survey.

Thank you for ensuring your educator's voices are heard!

TELL Arizona Partners

