## **Seaford Head School**

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Dear Parent/Carer,

We are writing to inform you that in Term 6, Year 10 will be completing the My Health, My School Survey, a survey created, developed and managed by the Health & Wellbeing Service (Leeds City Council). The survey asks children and young people questions about their health and wellbeing and about their school/education setting, in order to gather their honest views and opinions on these significant topics. This data can then be used to target specific interventions to improve areas of life for these children and young people. It can also be used to highlight where they are performing well. We use the information gained to inform our Personal Development and PSHE Curriculum along with the existing extensive school wellbeing support services. For further details, please visit the links below:

## **PSHE**

https://seafordhead.org/parents/safeguarding/

https://seafordhead.org/parents/supporting-your-child/

https://seafordhead.org/students/student-wellbeing/

The survey will be completed by students in class on individual computers and they will be supported by a member of school staff who can answer any questions they may have.

As the survey is confidential and anonymous, this means your child will not be asked to give their name, date of birth or address at any stage during the survey. This also means that it will not be possible for anybody, including any member of the school or Leeds City Council, to know which pupil gave which answers.

How will the results be used?

Individual school results can be used by the school (schools will only have access to their own data), School Nursing Service and Leeds City Council. In addition, the survey may also be shared with organisations, such as the University of Leeds and Leeds Beckett University. Local authority wide data (an average of all schools in a particular local authority) may also be shared between these organisations, which does not link any individual school to the data.

Will my child's survey results be secure?

The Health & Wellbeing Service will comply fully with all data protection legislation. This means they will keep your child's data safe and secure, now and in the future.

## **Seaford Learning Trust**

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If you do not want your child to take part in this survey, then please email health@seafordhead.org.

If you have any further questions about the survey please email health@seafordhead.org or visit https://www.myhealthmyschoolsurvey.org.uk/pages/parents

Yours faithfully,

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