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Survey seeks community input about high school academic program options

The community is invited to take a brief survey this month to help educators determine interest in academic programs that could be offered as an alternative to the traditional comprehensive high school experience.

Students, parents, employees, and community members throughout the Puyallup School District are encouraged to take the online survey by Friday, October 31. The survey is estimated to take five minutes to complete.

A link to the survey is on the school district website at www.puyallup.k12.wa.us. Printed copies are also available in each of the district's 32 schools.

The survey asks participants to rate their interest in academic programs such as arts and creative technologies, international studies, and Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM).

Survey results will be compiled by a 17-member High School Academic Options Lead Team, which has been meeting since last spring, and included in the team's progress report to the Puyallup School Board on December 1.

“Community input is essential as the lead team works to present the school board with quality information regarding high school options,” said Brian Lowney, chief academic officer of Regional Learning Community #3. Lowney is also a district representative on the High School Academic Options Lead Team.

Read more about the High School Academic Options Lead Team on the district website.