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PEARL CITY HIGH SCHOOL
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SUBJECT: Upcoming Student Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) Survey

Dear Pearl City High School Families,

It is our goal at Pearl City High School to ensure that every student is safe and supported as they transition back to school. We thank you for being our cherished partners as we work together to educate our students this school year. We value the input of our students as they are important partners in the work to improve the overall school experience and to support their needs.

In order to learn more about student experiences, we will be asking for your child's feedback via an online Social Emotional Learning (SEL) survey at three points this school year: fall, winter, and spring. The survey should not take more than 20-30 minutes to complete.

We are asking that all of our students participate in the surveys, as their feedback will provide invaluable insights into their experiences and how to improve and adapt our school to their needs. If a student does not feel like they have enough information to answer a question, they will be able to skip the item altogether.

The survey content will ask students to self reflect on their own social emotional learning skills like self-management and self-efficacy. Should you prefer your child not participate in the upcoming SEL surveys please notify us by emailing Ernell Hallaman at Ernell.Hallaman@k12.hi.us.

We thank you in advance for your support. If you have any questions about the survey, please contact Ernell Hallaman at Ernell.Hallaman@k12.hi.us.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joe H.", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Joseph Halfmann
Principal

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