

# 12TH GRADE EXIT SURVEY

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## Create a Survey

**Online:** We recommend collecting survey responses online. This makes reviewing your results, sharing and using your data easier.

We provide a Google survey that you can copy and save as your own. Your school will need a Google account in order to host the survey. Go to [bit.ly/12thGradeExitSurvey](http://bit.ly/12thGradeExitSurvey) and select "Make a copy." A copy of the survey will be saved to your own Google forms folder.

**Print:** A printable version of the survey is available on pages 2-4.

## Add Custom Questions

You may add custom questions to the survey. Questions should be designed to help your school support your 12th graders in the future, and better prepare current students. Be thoughtful about the number of questions you add so the survey doesn't get too long. To add questions to the online survey, click on the "+" in the right-hand sidebar and choose the type of question you want to add.

## When to Survey

The recommended time to survey is late May and early June, preferably as late as possible but before students finish their coursework. All 12th graders should take the survey during the same day or week.

## Instructions

**Check technology.** If students will take surveys on the schools' computers or tablets (recommended), test the technology to make sure it is equipped with the latest versions of Internet Explorer, Google Chrome, and/or Apple Safari, and that it also works on browser-ready tablets and smartphones.

**Explain surveys to students & teachers.** The purpose of this survey is to learn about students' postsecondary plans and preparations, as well as get their contact information. This allows schools to follow up with graduates and help students achieve their goals after high school. For this reason, surveys are not anonymous, and student-identified information should not be shared with anyone outside the school. Precautions should be taken to protect the confidential nature of student data.

**Launch your school's survey.** You can [share your survey](#) via a link or embedded on your website.

**View survey results.** Survey results can be viewed by selecting the Responses tab when viewing the survey form from within your school's Google account. Results are also available to download in spreadsheet form via the menu option "Download responses (.csv)".

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This survey will ask you about your plans after high school. It also asks for contact information so the high school can follow up with you after you graduate. You can skip any questions you don't want to answer. Thank you!

## Contact Information

First name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last name: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Facebook username: \_\_\_\_\_

Instagram username: \_\_\_\_\_

Twitter username: \_\_\_\_\_

Who are two people (parents, friends, siblings, etc.) that will always know how to get in touch with you?

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Has either of your parents graduated from college?  Yes  No  I don't know.

## College & Financial Aid Applications

	Yes	No	I don't know
Have you submitted any college applications?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, how many? _____			
Did you fill out the FAFSA or ORSAA?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you fill out the OSAC Scholarship Application?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you apply for any other scholarships?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you apply for Oregon Promise?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Future Plans

What are your plans for next fall?

Check **all** that apply and list the name of the college, university, military branch, or employer, if available.

- Attend a 2-year community college: \_\_\_\_\_
- Attend a 4-year college or university: \_\_\_\_\_
- Attend a certificate or trade program: \_\_\_\_\_
- Attend a military academy: \_\_\_\_\_
- Enlist in the military: \_\_\_\_\_
- Work full- or part-time: \_\_\_\_\_
- Missionary work
- I have other plans: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are attending a college or university, your final transcript must be sent to that school. Please list the name and address where you would like your final transcript sent. If you decide to attend a different college after this survey, it is your responsibility to let the high school know where to send the transcript.

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are not planning to pursue education after high school at this time, what is the number one reason?  
Check **one** only.

- I need a break from school.
- I need to work.
- My grades or test scores aren't good enough.
- I don't need more education to be successful in my chosen career.
- I don't need more education to make money.
- I want to start a family.
- I need to take care of a family member. Please specify (e.g. parent, child, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_
- It costs too much.
- I don't know how to enroll.
- Most of my friends are not going on.
- I live too far away from where classes are offered.
- I am not motivated to go.
- I want to stay close to my family.
- Some other reason, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

When deciding what to do after high school, how influential were the following people?

	Not influential	Somewhat influential	Influential	Very influential
Parents or guardians	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Siblings	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other family members	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Friends	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Teacher(s)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
School counselor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Principal	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Someone else from my community or church	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (specify): _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

What is the highest level of education you plan to complete?

- High school diploma
- Some college but no degree
- Apprenticeship
- 1-year certificate or trade program
- 2-year college degree
- 4-year college degree or higher
- I don't know.