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Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Bergenfield Public Schools are embarking on an exciting initiative which will hopefully lead to validating the high quality education taking place in the District. We are participating in a process prescribed by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools. We will be examining key facets of our district including our mission, goals, objectives, resources, instructional programs and much more. At the end of the process, we hope to renew accreditation with the Middle States Association.

One step in the process toward renewing accreditation is to elicit feedback from key stakeholders in the district including our community members and parents who play such a crucial role in the education of our children. Your input and feedback is very important to us. We ask you to take some time to complete an on-line survey by following the steps below. The survey will ask your opinion on a range of issues relative to the Bergenfield Public Schools. The survey will take approximately 20 minutes to complete. Your responses will help guide our further steps and will be utilized to evaluate the effectiveness of our schools when we are visited by the Middle States Association's accreditation team. Please know that the survey is completely anonymous and confidential. In order to complete the survey, please complete the following steps:

1. The survey must be completed in the order it is presented
2. The scale ranges from 1-4 with one representing "DOES NOT MEET" and four representing "EXCEEDS". The radial buttons go from left to right with one being on the left and four on the right.
3. There is no button for "N/A", non-applicable. If there is an indicator that you have had no experience with, please simply leave that indicator blank.
4. Please feel free to write in any personal comments. A comment box is provided at the end of each section. All comments are important and will be read.
5. There is a bar across the top of the survey that will let you know on how much progress you have made. When the bar is filled with color, you have completed the survey.

We wish to thank you in advance for your participation in this survey. It is important to understand that all information received will in turn be used to benefit the educational process for the students of Bergenfield. Kindly complete the survey by March 15, 2012. Here is the link to the survey: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/bergenfieldcommunity>

"Si usted le gustaria recibir copia de esta perspectiva/reporte en Espanol,por favor comuniquese con el Sr.Jose Suarez electronicamente usando:jsuarez@bergenfield.org "
Gracias,

Sincerely,

Jackie Frangis and Thomas Lawrence

District Middle States Coordinators
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"One Common Goal: Student Learning"