1. PURPOSE

1.1. Exit surveys completed by educators leaving their employment with Spectrum Academy (the School) may provide data for use by the School and by the Utah State Board of Education (USBE). Utah Code Ann. § 53G-11-304 requires the School to create an exit survey for educators leaving the School’s employment and to make an attempt to administer the survey to educators before their employment ends.

1.2. Engagement surveys periodically completed by educators may provide data for use by the School and by the USBE. Utah Admin. Code R277-325-4 requires the School to request its educators to complete a public education survey at least every other year.

2. POLICY

2.1 The School shall administer public educator exit and engagement surveys to educators as required by Utah law. The Human Resource Department shall determine the format and questions on the survey.

2.2 The School shall protect personally identifiable information (PII) of School employees, which may be sensitive, private, or protected under the Government Records Access and Management Act (GRAMA) (Utah Code Ann. § 63G-2-101. et seq.).

2.3 The School will use secure methods of survey administration, data collection, and data transfer.

2.4 The intervals for administration of surveys will be in accordance with USBE rules. All required data shall be transferred to USBE in accordance with USBE rules.

3. SURVEY REQUIREMENTS

3.1. Surveys shall allow educators to remain anonymous.

3.2. Surveys may not request the educator’s CACTUS ID number.

3.3. Surveys shall ask educators to identify the educator’s local education agency.

3.4. Surveys may ask educators to voluntarily identify the educator’s school.

3.5. A survey may ask educators to provide basic non-identifying demographic data as requested by USBE.

3.6. The School shall restrict access to survey results to personnel it deems appropriate.
3.7. The School shall prevent the identification of educators who complete the survey.

3.8. The School may include additional questions along with the required survey questions at the time the District administers the surveys.

4. FREQUENCY

4.1. The School shall request that educators complete the public education engagement survey at least every other year through a USBE approved online provider or a provider approved by the School.

4.2. The School shall administer the public education engagement survey in the opposite years from those in which it administers the school climate survey described in Utah Admin. Code R277-623, except as provided in paragraph 4.3.

4.3. The School shall request a new educator complete the public education engagement survey every year for the first three years the educator is in the profession.

4.4. The School shall request that an educator leaving the School complete the public education exit survey at the time of the educator’s separation from employment. The survey should be completed through a USBE approved online provider or a provider approved by the School.

4.5. If the School administers the survey through a provider other than a USBE approved online provider, the School shall provide the data from the surveys to the USBE by June 30 annually in a manner prescribed by the USBE.

DEFINITIONS

REFERENCES
Utah Code Ann. § 53G-11-304 - Licensed employee requirements
Utah Code Ann. § 63G-2-101, et seq. – Government Records Access and Management Act
Utah Administrative Code R277-325 – Public Education Exit and Engagement Surveys
Utah Administrative Code R277-533 – Educator Evaluation Systems
Utah Administrative Code R277-623 – School Climate Survey
District Policy 10CR-101 – Government Records Access and Management Act

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