

Sample Student Water Survey Questions



What do the students think about the water at their school? Ask them! Use a simple survey to see what they think about water access and availability and to get their suggestions for ways to improve. Here are some sample questions to get you started!

Baseline questions might include some of the following:

What grade are you in?

What building do you attend?

Do you bring a water bottle to school? Yes No

Do you use the drinking fountains at school? Yes No

If no, why not? (they don't work; water is not safe; they are dirty; not convenient; line is too long/not enough time between classes; water is not cold; water does not taste good; I bring my own; I don't drink water; etc.)

How many 8oz glasses of water do you drink per day? 0-1; 2-3; 4-5; 6-7; 8 or more

What would help you drink more water during the day? (ie: fix the drinking fountains; allow more time; encourage water breaks; add water to the _____ area; provide cups; allow water bottles; etc.)

Other suggestions about water access at school?

After making water access changes such as cleaning, fixing, adding:

What grade are you in?

What building do you attend?

Have you used the new (water bottle filling station? Water station? Water cooler?)

Would you say the new (see above) has helped increase your consumption and access to water during the school day? Yes, a lot Yes, some No

If no, why not? (ie: water is not safe; water is not cold; not enough time; I bring my own water from home; water does not taste good; etc.)

Other suggestions about water access at school?