Superintendent Letter
May 29, 2019

Dear Dexter Families and Staff,

The school year is wrapping up and summer planning is in full swing for families.

- **2019-2020 Calendar** - a copy of the [2019-2020 Parent-Friendly Calendar](#) (pending Board ratification on June 10th) is available.
- **Incredible learning happens every day in DCS classrooms** thanks to our wonderful teachers and staff. We’re working to share our stories in multiple ways. Here’s a quick story that demonstrates the amazing work of our teachers. In addition, we hope to send regular summaries of the [social media posts](#) from our classrooms and buildings.
- **Profile of a DCS Learner** - In the next week or so, every household in DCS will receive a postcard inviting you to participate in an interactive survey helping us answer the question, "What are the most important skills, knowledge and character traits [Dexter Community School graduates need to be successful in their futures](#)?". The interactive survey allows participants to submit their thoughts, rate other submissions, and watch the real-time rankings of thoughts during the Thought Exchange. Please take a few minutes to share what you believe to be the most important skills, knowledge and character traits our graduates need to be successful in their futures. A copy of the postcard is included in this email. The [survey link](#) works from any device and the program is very intuitive to use. To rate other’s submissions, just click on "star" in the bottom left-hand corner. The survey closes on June 21st.

Thank you for your continued support, have a great week, and Go Dreads!!!

Sincerely,
Christopher Timmis
Superintendent, Dexter Community Schools

[www.dexterschools.org](http://www.dexterschools.org)
Please help us create a Profile of a DCS Learner!

Dexter Community Schools is conducting a uniquely interactive community survey to answer this question:

“What are the most important skills, knowledge, and character traits our graduates need to be successful in their futures?”

We need two minutes of your time to answer one important question.

To help us create a Profile of a DCS Learner, use the website link or QR code on this postcard to reach our Thoughtexchange survey. Thoughtexchange allows us to engage the entire community in an interactive conversation. Once you log in, you will be asked one question about the future of our kids. Unlike most surveys, you’ll be able to rate others’ submissions on a 1-5 scale and watch the results in real time as others complete the survey.

All thoughts and ratings shared are confidential. By participating, your thoughts and ratings will be shared but your identity will remain private. You can add and rate thoughts at your own pace until the exchange ends, and discover the results at any time.

Please complete this exchange by Friday, June 21st.

https://my.thoughtexchange.com/#g909063064

For technical help, call Thoughtexchange at 800-365-9007 ext. 4 or email help@thoughtexchange.com

For district questions about this survey, visit dexterschools.org/letslink