

# Reagan Middle School

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## Attention RMS Families!

The purpose of this letter is to inform you of two new social emotional screening tools our teachers and students will be using during the 2023-2024 school year.

The **FastBridge Social, Academic, and Emotional Risk Screener (SAEBRS)** is a 19-item assessment of students social, emotional and academic behaviors. This short survey is completed by each classroom teacher 6-8 weeks into the school year and repeated several times throughout the year.

**MySAEBRS** is the Social, Academic, and Emotional Behavior Risk Screener. It is an evidence-based assessment that allows students to self-assess their social, academic, and emotional behavior competencies. Students complete the self-assessment by rating the frequency of their behaviors in the previous month using a rating scale of "Never", "Sometimes", "Often" and "Almost Always".

WHO
<b>SAEBRS</b> - All students grade K-12 <b>MySAEBRS</b> - Students grades 2-12
WHERE
<b>SAEBRS</b> -Teachers will be completing the student rating scales individually for each student in their room. Teachers will be provided with time to collaborate with students spending time with multiple teachers across their school day.
<b>MySAEBRS</b> - Students will complete the mySAEBERS risk screener within their classrooms on individual devices.
WHEN
All Screening will begin the week of September 18, 2023, and will be held 3 times annually.
WHY
SAEBRS and mySAEBRS data is useful to educators for overall program evaluation in classrooms and determining how each student can be best supported for academic success. This data will be used to determine what supports need to be in place for students through our Second Step social emotional curriculum. The data can be reviewed at parent teacher conferences.

If you would like to have your child opt out of participating in the **mySAEBRS** self-assessment, please contact the office or email administration no later than **September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023**.

Teachers will begin administration of the **mySAEBRS** during the week of **September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023**.