

McFarland School District

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Greetings, McFarland Families!

The School District of McFarland is proud of the collaborative partnership between and among our educators and families — a partnership that supports a comprehensive approach to our Human Growth and Development (HGD) curriculum. Our HGD Mission Statement (see the 4K-12 Curriculum Guide, located on the District website) underscores our shared commitment to providing students and their families with accurate, age-appropriate information and support for responsible decision-making and positive choices within a respectful learning environment.

The HGD Curriculum Guide includes a wealth of resources for families, including definitions, a list of relevant websites, the guidelines to which our staff refer when responding to student questions, and grade-level objectives and outcomes. We hope you will find a moment to review the contents of this document and that you feel welcome to contact either your student's principal or me with any questions you may have.

If after reviewing this information you wish to have your student exempted from portions of the curriculum, please follow the instructions on the Student Opt-Out Form found on page 33 of the HGD Curriculum Guide. Thank you for your partnership with us in educating your child.

Best wishes for a healthy and happy school year,

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