

2018 Iowa Youth Survey

Hello,

Registration for the 2018 Iowa Youth Survey (IYS) is now open! To register your district to participate, or to opt out of participation, please visit [the registration site](#) by May 11, 2018. The Superintendent must electronically sign the participation form; once signed this form can be saved or printed.

All districts should complete the “Agreement to Participate” form whether your district intends to participate or not in the 2018 Iowa Youth Survey. If this form is not completed, you will receive follow-up messages.

Detailed instructions on the registration process are on the [“Help Page”](#) of the registration website. Directions on how to initially login to the IYS Registration System are found below.

If you have requested a merged report in the past or are worried your data may be redacted due to small numbers and are thinking about a merged report, see the Merged FAQ section near the bottom of the Help Page.

Your assistance requested: We are currently looking for ways to improve the Iowa Youth Survey. We want to know which features of IYS reports you find most useful. Your feedback will help us make improvements to the survey and prioritize our efforts. Please spend approximately three minutes completing the “IYS Utilization Survey” found on the main page of [the registration site](#).

General information about the 2018 IYS: The general [IYS website](#) has a section titled [2018 IYS Announcements](#) that will include information about the 2018 survey including training information, forms, and directions. Currently this section contains copies of the survey instrument in both English and Spanish.

The 2018 IYS will be taken through online survey software following much the same procedure as in 2016. Dates of administration are October 1-November 9, 2018, and, as always, the invitation to participate includes all public and non-public students in grades 6, 8, and 11.

Please follow the steps below to gain access to the IYS Registration System:

1. Click on "Registration Tools".
2. Enter the e-mail address to which you received this letter in the "User Name" field.
3. Click "Forgot My Password" to obtain a password to the system.
4. You will receive an e-mail from "Iowa Consortium" containing your password.
5. Enter the password you received in the "Password" field.

If you did not receive an e-mail from "Iowa Consortium" after clicking "Forgot My Password?", then please check your e-mail "junk" or "spam" folder. If you still cannot locate the e-mail, then contact icsa-support-center@uiowa.edu.

If you want to know who has access to your school/district's IYS account, click "What's My User Name"? Then answer the questions on the screen (school/district private/public status, county, and name).

For additional help: Please direct questions about the 2018 IYS registration system to icsa-support-center@uiowa.edu and general IYS questions to iowayouthsurvey@idph.iowa.gov. Thank you for your interest and participation in the Iowa Youth Survey.

Sincerely,

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