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1. Are you currently attending school? [ ] Yes [ ] No What grade are you in? ________
   Are you in the Migrant program? [ ] Yes [ ] No Since when? ________________
   When do you plan to graduate from High School? ____________

2. Please name the THREE most challenging problems that you consider migrant students face to succeed in school.
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   __________________________________________________________
   __________________________________________________________

3. Please provide THREE suggestions on how you believe this challenges can be overcome?
   __________________________________________________________
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4. Which do you think are the two most important obstacles that a migrant student needs to overcome when he/she moves to a new school within the school-year?
   __________________________________________________________
   __________________________________________________________

5. Do you have any problems understanding the content of your classes? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   If so, what do you do to solve this problem?
   __________________________________________________________
   __________________________________________________________

6. How many months did you attend school during the last school year? ________________

7. How do you get to school most of the time? ________________

8. How long does it take you to get from your home to school? ________________

9. Thinking about the future, do you expect to attend a college or university after graduating from High School?
   [ ] Yes [ ] No If not, why? ______________________________________________________________________

10. Have you received any information about financial aid or grants to attend college? [ ] Yes [ ] No

11. What is the first language spoken at your home? ______________________________________________________________________

12. How does your school help you improve your English language proficiency?
   [ ] Bilingual Programs [ ] Instructions given in your language
   [ ] ESL Classes [ ] None

13. Do you receive any help from your teachers/counselors in improving your academic achievement? [ ] Yes [ ] No
    If so, please specify ______________________________________________________________________
14. Do you participate in one or more extra-curricular activity(ies) sponsored by your school?  [ ] Yes  [ ] No
   If so, which one(s) ________________________________

15. Do you feel your school is safe?  [ ] Yes  [ ] No
   If not, why? ________________________________

16. Do you know what the rules of the school where you attend are?  [ ] Yes  [ ] No

17. Have you been involved in physical fights at school?  [ ] Yes  [ ] No
   If so, how many times? ________________________________

18. Have you been bullied at school?  [ ] Yes  [ ] No
   If so, please describe ________________________________

19. Do you feel accepted at your school by your…
   teachers?  [ ] Yes  [ ] No
   peers?  [ ] Yes  [ ] No
   staff?  [ ] Yes  [ ] No
   administrators?  [ ] Yes  [ ] No

20. During the school year, across all subjects, have you gotten mostly…?  [ ] A’s  [ ] B’s  [ ] C’s  [ ] Other

21. Please give us your comments on what do you think can be done to improve the services for migrant students in schools.
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1. Are you a… [ ] Teacher? [ ] Teacher Assistant?
   Do you work with migrant children? [ ] Yes [ ] No If yes… [ ] All year long [ ] Summer school

2. Please name the THREE most challenging problems that you consider migrant students face to succeed in school.


3. Please provide THREE suggestions on how do you believe this challenges can be overcome?


4. Are there any special programs offered by the school? Please mark with “1” if there are migrant students in those programs, “2” if only non-migrant children have access to them, or “3” if you don’t know.

   Bilingual Education _________ English as a Second Language _________ Gifted and Talented _________
   Special Education _________ Advanced Placement Courses _________ Tech/Prep Programs _________
   Extended Day _________ After School _________ Summer _________
   Discipline or adjustment problems counseling _________ Credit accrual from sending school _________
   Other (Please specify) _________

5. What criterion is used to determine if a migrant student takes the state standardized tests or not?


6. Do you consider that migrant students represent a major problem in the school? If answering yes, please detail which are those problems and how the school is handling them.


7. Are migrant students enthusiastic about learning? [ ] Always [ ] Sometimes [ ] Seldom [ ] Never

8. How do migrant students, in average, perform in school? (VG=Very Good; G=Good; R=Regular; P=Poor)
   English Reading _________ Reading in their native language _________ Math _________
   English Writing _________ Writing in their native language _________
9. Do you feel there is a lack of parental involvement among the migrant students? If so, how do you think parents can get involved?

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10. In which of the following activities are migrant parents involved?

Open House □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ Teacher-Parent Conferences □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ Volunteer □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□
Visiting with teachers □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ Members of the Advisory Council □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ Members of the PTA □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□

11. Are you bilingual? [ ] Yes [ ] No

12. Do you have a Bilingual/ESL endorsement? [ ] Yes [ ] No

13. Are there bilingual… (In the school)

… counselors? [ ] Yes [ ] No
… social-workers? [ ] Yes [ ] No
… nurses? [ ] Yes [ ] No
… coaches? [ ] Yes [ ] No
… staff? [ ] Yes [ ] No

14. Are there bilingual materials in the school library? [ ] Yes [ ] No

Please specify: _____________________________________________________________________________________________________________

15. What are the services offered by the school to the English Language Learners?

__________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________

16. Are there academic standards appropriate to the unique needs of migrant students? [ ] Yes [ ] No

17. How much time do you dedicate in your day for reading instructions to migrant students?

At the… Elementary Level □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ Middle School □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ High School □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□

18. Do you think migrant children get a good education as mainstream children in your community, or not? [ ] Yes [ ] No

Why? ______________________________________________________________________________________________________________________

19. Are there any migrant students with disabilities in the school? If yes, how does the school help them?

__________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________

20. Do you consider you have complete information about the migrant education program? [ ] Yes [ ] No

Please Explain: ____________________________________________________________________________________________________________

__________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________

21. Has there been offered in your school/district professional development to work with migrant students? Please mark all that apply. Use an “S” if more than twice; an “I” if only once; and with an “N” if none has been offered.

Teachers working with migrant students □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ All Teachers □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ Paraprofessionals □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□
Administrators □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ Counselors □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ Librarians □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□
Secretaries □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ Cafeteria Staff □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ Janitors □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□
Other (specify) □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□

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22. Teachers at your school or yourself provide migrant students with books and materials they can take home to read with their families?

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23. Please give us your comments on how to improve high-school graduation rate of migrant students.

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24. Any additional input you would like to provide us referring the migrant students’ academic achievement with be greatly appreciated.

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1. What is your position in the school?

2. Please name the THREE most challenging problems that you consider migrant students face to succeed in school.

3. Please provide THREE suggestions on how do you believe this challenges can be overcome?

4. What do you think are the two most important problems facing the migrant program in your school/district?

5. How many migrant students were enrolled in the district in each of the grade levels during this school year?
   - Pre-K: 2
   - K: 3
   - 1: 4
   - 2: 5
   - 3: 6
   - 4: 7
   - 5: 8
   - 6: 9
   - 7: 10
   - 8: 11
   - 9: 12

6. How many teachers/paraprofessionals are employed by the district to work with migrant students?
   - Full-time Teachers
   - Non-Full-time Teachers
   - Paraprofessionals
   - Temporary Teachers

7. Are there more boys than girls in the migrant program? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   If yes, please specify

8. Are there any additional or special program offered to migrant students in the district/school? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   If yes, please specify

9. Has the school/district implemented academic intercessions or summer school activities for students seeking academic advancement or acceleration? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   Please Describe,

10. What is the criterion to determine if a migrant student presents the State mandated standardized test?
11. Do you think migrant students represent a major problem in your district/school? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   If yes, why? ___________________________________________________________

12. Does the school provide parental training to improve parent’s participation in their child education? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   Please describe the type of training offered,

13. What type of activities does the district or school promote to improve parental literacy?

14. Are you bilingual? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   Do you support the students to use their native language to meet their needs? [ ] Yes [ ] No

15. Are migrant parents volunteering in the schools? [ ] Yes [ ] No
16. Is there any migrant parents involved in the school governance? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   What portion of parents participates? ________________

17. Are there bilingual materials in the school library? [ ] Yes [ ] No
18. How many English Language Learners migrant students have been identified in the district/school? ________________
19. What are the services offered to the English language learners district-wide?

20. Does the district/school provide service for parents with limited English skills as interpreters for meetings, or parent-teacher conferences, translation of printed materials as newsletters, school rules, etc.? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   If yes, please describe, _______________________________________________

21. Does the district/school have special requirements for admission other than proof of immunization, age, or residence? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   If yes, please describe, _______________________________________________

22. Are migrant students’ part of the Free Lunch program? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   If yes, what percentage? ____________________%

23. Does the district/school offer nutrition workshops for families? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   Please describe __________________________________________________________

24. Does the district/school have disaggregated performance reports that include migrant student…

   …attendance rates? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   …graduation rates? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   …drop-out rates? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   …student mobility? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   …postsecondary placements? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   …employment placement of graduating seniors? [ ] Yes [ ] No
25. Do you feel you have a good understanding of the migrant students on issues related to…

   ...academic Performance? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   ...adaptation Problems? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   ...health? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   ...English Language? [ ] Yes [ ] No

26. Please describe your expectations for the migrant students in your district/school.

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27. Please give us comments on how to improve high-school graduation are of migrant students.

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Los Padres

Fecha: _______________________


1. Es usted un(a) trabajador(a) migrante? [ ] Sí [ ] No
   Si usted contesta “Sí”, ¿Cuántas veces se muda durante el año escolar? ________________
   ¿Cuántos niños(as) tiene usted en la escuela? _______ ¿En qué grados? _______________________________

2. ¿Usted considera que sus hijos(as) están recibiendo una educación de calidad? [ ] Sí [ ] No
   Si contesta “No”, explique por favor ____________________________________________________________

3. ¿Ayuda usted a sus hijos con sus tareas? [ ] Siempre [ ] A veces [ ] Casi Nunca [ ] Nunca
4. ¿Usted visita al (a la) maestro(a) de sus hijos(as)? [ ] Siempre [ ] A veces [ ] Casi Nunca [ ] Nunca
5. ¿Usted considera que los maestros de sus hijos entienden los obstáculos con que los niños migrantes tienen que enfrentar para tener éxito en la escuela? [ ] Sí [ ] No
   ¿Por qué? ____________________________________________________________

6. ¿Espera usted que su hijo asista a la universidad? [ ] Sí [ ] No
   ¿Cómo lo apoya? __________________________________________________________________________

7. ¿Usted entiende lo que las escuelas públicas esperan de usted y de su(s) hijos(as)? [ ] Sí [ ] No
   Por favor explique lo que piensa sobre esto ____________________________________________________________________

8. ¿Cree usted que los padres influencien en la educación de los hijos? [ ] Sí [ ] No
   ¿Cómo? ________________________________________________________________________________

9. ¿Cree usted que los maestros influencien en la educación de los hijos? [ ] Sí [ ] No
   ¿Cómo? ________________________________________________________________________________

10. Si hay otra cosa que usted puede proveernos de la educación de los hijos de este programa, la aceptaremos con gratitud. Su opinión vale mucho.

Agradecemos mucho su tiempo y su cooperación en este proyecto.

NOTA: Por favor utilice hojas adicionales si es necesario para completar sus comentarios.
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1. Are you a migrant worker? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   If so, how many times do you move within a school year? ______________________
   How many children do you have in school? _____ In what grades? ______________________

2. Do you believe your children are receiving a high quality education? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   If no, please detail why ______________________

3. Do you help your children with homework? [ ] Always [ ] Sometimes [ ] Almost Never [ ] Never

4. Do you visit with your childre n’s teacher? [ ] Always [ ] Sometimes [ ] Almost Never [ ] Never

5. Do you feel your children’s teachers have a good understanding of the challenges the migrant child needs to overcome to succeed in school? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   Please detail ______________________

6. Do you expect your child to go to college? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   What do you do to support him/her? ______________________

7. Do you understand what is required of you and your children in public schools? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   Please explain your beliefs ______________________

8. Do you believe you influence your child’s education? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   How? ______________________

9. Do you think teachers influence your child’s education? [ ] Yes [ ] No
   How? ______________________

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