



**NEWPORT PUBLIC SCHOOLS
NEWPORT, RHODE ISLAND
Office of the Superintendent**

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Since 1950, Congress has provided financial assistance to military-impacted local school districts through the U.S. Department of Education Impact Aid Program (Public Law 81-874). Impact Aid was designed to assist school districts that have lost property tax revenue due to the presence of tax-exempt federal property.

To qualify for these funds, all federally-connected school districts must submit an application to the United States Department of Education to determine eligibility. One of the requirements under the application is to survey each child within the school district. Please be assured that all information collected is confidential and only used for the stated purpose. The Impact Aid application provides only collective information on the numbers and locations of federally-connected students attending our schools.

We greatly appreciate your assistance in completing and signing the survey form on the reverse side of this letter. Additional information on the Impact Aid Program can be found at <http://www2.ed.gov/programs/8003/index.html>.

If your address is located in one of the following communities, please check in the appropriate box and write the name of the federal property in the STUDENT INFORMATION section on the reverse side of this letter.

Fort Adams _____ Farragut Field _____ Chapel Terrace _____ Newport Heights _____
Hart Field _____ On Base _____ Park Holm _____

Using a ball point pen (preferably black or blue ink):

Please verify the information provided in the STUDENT INFORMATION section of each form. If any of the pre-populated information is incorrect, please make corrections and complete the remainder of the form as follows:

- Fill in the parent/guardian last name in the STUDENT INFORMATION section.
- Please fill out **Block 1** if you are a **Civilian working on Federal Property** (*be sure to include employer name and address, as well as name and address of federal property*), or
- Please fill out **Block 2** if you are **Active Military** (*be sure to include Branch of Service and Rank*), or
- Please fill out **Block 3** if you are in the **Foreign Military** (*be sure to include Branch of Service, Rank, AND Name of Foreign Government*), or
- If none of the above applies, please check off **Block 4**.
- Please **sign and date** each survey (one per child) and return to the school **no later than October 31, 2019.**
A form must be completed for each child in our school system.

Thank you again for your assistance in completing our student surveys.

**Colleen Burns Jermain, Ed. D.
Superintendent of Newport Public Schools**

Impact Aid Program Survey Form

The survey date is ~ Wednesday ~ October 16, 2019

All boxes must be filled in with complete information if applicable

STUDENT INFORMATION		Teacher:				Homeroom:		
Student's Last Name	First Name	M.I.	Date of Birth	Grade	School Name			
Address		City			State	Zip Code		
If the above property is a federal property, enter the name of the property.		Name of federal property			Parent/Guardian Last Name			

Fill in the above boxes with complete and accurate information

BLOCK 1 PARENT/GUARDIAN EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: CIVILIAN LIVING OR WORKING ON FEDERAL PROPERTY

Enter information in this section regarding the parent/guardian if 1) neither parent/guardian with whom the student resided was on active duty in the Uniformed Services of the United States and 2) either parent/guardian with whom the student resided was employed on federal property, or 3) either the parent/guardian reported to work on federal property *on the survey date*. Enter the parent/guardian's name as it appears on the employer's payroll record.

Parent/Guardian's Last Name	First Name and M.I.	<u>Name of Parent/Guardian's Employer</u>			
<u>Address of Parent/Guardian's Employer</u>		<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Zip Code</u>	
<u>Name of federal property</u>					
<u>Address of federal property</u>		<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Zip Code</u>	

Fill in the above boxes with complete and accurate information

BLOCK 2 PARENT/GUARDIAN EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: UNIFORMED SERVICES

Enter information in this section regarding the parent/guardian if either person was on active duty in the Uniformed Services of the United States *on the survey date*.

Parent/Guardian's Last Name	First Name and M.I.	<u>Branch of Service</u>	<u>Rank</u>
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Fill in the above boxes with complete and accurate information

BLOCK 3 PARENT/GUARDIAN EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: FOREIGN MILITARY

Enter information in this section regarding the parent/guardian if either person was both an accredited foreign government official and a foreign military officer *on the survey date*.

Parent/Guardian's Last Name	First Name and M.I.	<u>Branch of Service</u>	<u>Rank</u>
<u>Name of Foreign Government</u>			

Fill in the above boxes with complete and accurate information

BLOCK 4 DO NOT WORK ON FEDERAL PROPERTY FOR ANY COMPANY OR AGENCY check here →

This information is the basis for payment to your school district of federal funds under the Impact Aid Program (Title VIII of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act), and *may* be provided to the U.S. Department of Education *if* your school district's application for payment is audited. This form *must* be signed and dated for your school district to receive funds based on this information.

*** By signing this form, I am certifying that all typed and written information on this form is accurate and complete as of the survey date. (*Please sign with a ballpoint pen.*)**

→Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ →Date _____