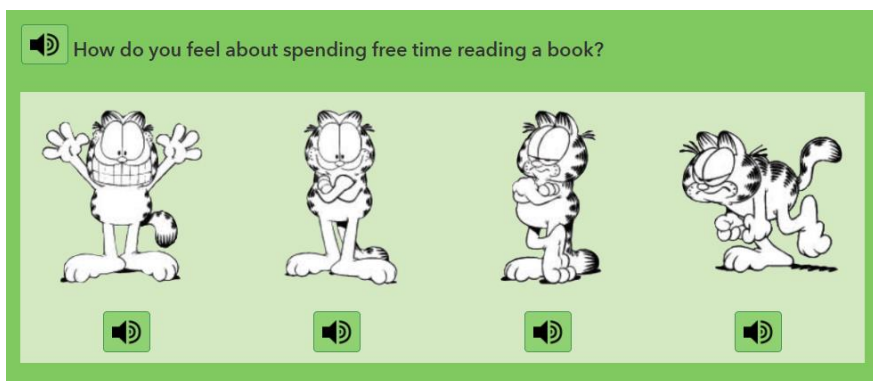


Dear parent/guardian.

The school uses a web-based self-evaluation system called Skólapúlsinn to monitor its operations and improve the school. One important part of that self-evaluation is asking children aged in Grades 1 through 5 about enjoyment of reading in the school, wellbeing in school and attitude towards school using a 13-item survey. An example of a question about enjoyment of reading is: „How do you feel about reading in school“, an example of a question about wellbeing in school is: „When I’m in school I am happy“ and an example about student attitude towards school is: „There are many things in school that I find interesting“.



Students answer the survey online with a text-to-speech support in Icelandic and English by selecting the appropriate image (see graphic above). Each student takes part in April each year and it takes 10 minutes to complete the survey. Results are only displayed as means and ratios for groups. No personal information is collected in Skólapúlsinn so it is not possible to see how any particular student answers.

The purpose of this letter is to inform you of the school’s intention administer this survey. If you do not want your child to take part, please contact the school’s office or write your child’s name below and turn it in to the school.

Further information on the self-evaluation system can be found here: www.skolapulsinn.is/um. You can also contact Skólapúlsinn by phone at 583-0700 and by email: skolapulsinn@skolapulsinn.is for more information about all the survey items.

I do not want my child to participate in the Skólapúlsinn survey

School: _____

Student name: _____

Parents/guardians signature: _____