



May 8, 2023

Families,

You've been sharing, and we've been listening!

Last week we let you know about some upcoming changes to address significant growth pressures in the Millwood High Family of Schools (FOS). To review those changes, [click here](#).

Thanks to those who have taken the time to share their thoughts with us. Since last week, we have heard from 280 participants who shared almost 200 thoughts and offered over 5,400 ratings on *ThoughtExchange*. We are excited to see this level of community engagement!

What have we heard so far?

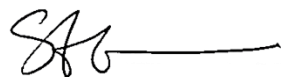
Many have asked why families weren't consulted before these changes were made. Families have also asked about our EXCEL program. You can find the answer to these questions and others on our [frequently-asked questions webpage](#).

Reminder: We Want Your Input

Don't forget, *ThoughtExchange* is open until **May 9, 2023 at 4:00 p.m.** If you haven't participated yet, or would like to contribute more ideas through *ThoughtExchange*, [click here](#).

As a reminder, your perspective will help schools develop strong and meaningful transition plans that reflect the needs of each student. Thank you for taking the time to share your thoughts.

All the best,



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