

**Teacher Resource Center
Mini Survey for Teachers**
Background and Directions for Site Administrator

Background Information Introducing Survey Purpose

Monterey County Office of Education is working to bring a Teacher Resource Center, like the RAFT in San Jose, in order to provide teachers access to materials and equipment to create instructional materials, participate in professional development related to hands-on learning, shop for classroom supplies, and access free or low cost recyclable materials for the classroom.

We need your input as we work with the business community and foundations to fund this resource center for teachers. Please provide your input on the following questions to guide our effort. The video tour of the San Jose RAFT Center is located on the MCOE Website address: www.montereycoe.org

Survey return directions - Please take the following steps:

1. Paper clip/rubber band the surveys and put in a large envelope
2. Label school name and district on the envelope
3. Send/deliver to , Executive Assistant, Educational Services,
Monterey County Office of Education, 901 Blanco Circle, Salinas, CA 93901
4. Option to return surveys by scanning to email address: gfrindt@monterey.k12.ca.us

Date Due: January 30, 2012

The survey can be accessed through the MCOE Home Page under “Spotlight.” There is a RAFT icon there. Clicking on the icon will take you to a pdf version of the mini-survey for paper pencil completion or a link to the longer online version of a teacher survey.

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Directions: Please complete the three questions below and indicate the grade level which you teach in the last question.

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 Yes No

2. When using a teacher resource center, what are your top three priorities? **Check your top 3 priorities.**
 - Teacher training on how to use materials for hands-on learning
 - A resource room to create/copy and package lesson materials
 - Use existing prepackaged standards-based, hands-on lesson kits from RAFT
 - Lesson plan templates with supplies lists

3. If the resource center charged an **annual** nominal fee, such as \$40, would you join?
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