## INFORMATION ABOUT THE STORM-STUDY

Dear Parent(s)/Caregiver(s),

Your child's school is taking part in a study called STORM. STORM studies how best to prevent young people from feeling down. Because some young people experience a lot of stress, or may experience feeling low. With some help, these adolescents can continue to develop, learn, and grow.

We will administer a questionnaire to students in the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade (specific **dates can be found** in the information letter). We ask your permission to do this. Please read this information carefully.

Your child will receive information about the questionnaire as well. We also need his/her permission. You can discuss this at home.

We administer the questionnaire to see how your child is feeling. It is most likely that there is nothing to worry about. But if it seems that your child may be feeling low, we will provide you with more information about part 2 of the STORM study and your child will be invited to participate in it. Very occasionally, an adolescent tells us that they are feeling really bad. In such cases, we can offer advice to you and your child and explore whether professional help may be needed.

Additional information via school (optional): With your permission, we would like to inquire three things from school: Why does your child attend this school, since when, and what is his or her intelligence score?

Would you please **fill in the digital consent form as soon as possible**? Thank you in advance. Permission of parents and the adolescent are necessary.

We hope to see your child at the questionnaire!

Yours sincerely,

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