



WINTER 2018-19 PARENT SURVEY RESULTS

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Group: (N = 313)

HIGH EXPECTATIONS/CARING RELATIONSHIPS	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
Overall rating of all questions in this section.	310	41.0% (127)	52.9% (164)	4.8% (15)	1.0% (3)	0.3% (1)	93.9%	4.3
My student makes an effort to keep learning even when it is difficult.	311	39.9% (124)	46.9% (146)	9.6% (30)	3.2% (10)	0.3% (1)	86.8%	4.2
My school has a climate that is positive, nurturing and caring.	313	51.1% (160)	42.5% (133)	4.8% (15)	1.0% (3)	0.6% (2)	93.6%	4.4
The staff at my school promotes academic success for all children.	312	45.5% (142)	46.2% (144)	6.1% (19)	1.6% (5)	0.6% (2)	91.7%	4.3
MEANINGFUL PARTICIPATION	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
Overall rating of all questions in this section.	309	45.6% (141)	45.3% (140)	6.8% (21)	1.9% (6)	0.3% (1)	90.9%	4.3
My student is motivated and engaged in what they are learning.	312	44.9% (140)	47.4% (148)	4.8% (15)	1.6% (5)	1.3% (4)	92.3%	4.3
My student is prepared for the next step of their educational experience.	312	48.4% (151)	37.5% (117)	10.6% (33)	2.6% (8)	1.0% (3)	85.9%	4.3
My school provides quality calsses/activities that meet my student's interests and talents.	311	44.7% (139)	44.4% (138)	8.0% (25)	2.3% (7)	0.6% (2)	89.1%	4.3
SCHOOL CULTURE	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
Overall rating of all questions in this section.	307	46.9% (144)	45.6% (140)	6.5% (20)	1.0% (3)	()	92.5%	4.4
The staff at my school respects cultural, ethnic and gender differences.	313	49.2% (154)	42.5% (133)	7.0% (22)	0.6% (2)	0.6% (2)	91.7%	4.4
My student feels like they are a part of the school community.	313	51.4% (161)	41.5% (130)	6.1% (19)	0.3% (1)	0.6% (2)	93.0%	4.4
People are respectful to others at my student's school.	307	49.5% (152)	37.8% (116)	11.1% (34)	1.6% (5)	()	87.3%	4.4



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SAFETY	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
Overall rating of all questions in this section.	306	44.1% (135)	50.0% (153)	4.9% (15)	1.0% (3)	()	94.1%	4.4
I feel the school is a safe place for my student before and after school.	312	51.9% (162)	39.7% (124)	7.1% (22)	0.6% (2)	0.6% (2)	91.7%	4.4
The adults at this school treat students fairly.	312	49.4% (154)	42.3% (132)	6.7% (21)	1.0% (3)	0.6% (2)	91.7%	4.4
I feel the school is a safe place for my child.	309	59.2% (183)	32.4% (100)	8.1% (25)	0.3% (1)	()	91.6%	4.5
Concerns about my student's safety are addressed in an appropriate and timely manner.	310	44.8% (139)	39.7% (123)	12.3% (38)	2.6% (8)	0.6% (2)	84.5%	4.3
PARENT INVOLVEMENT	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
Overall rating of all questions in this section.	299	50.2% (150)	44.8% (134)	4.3% (13)	0.7% (2)	()	95.0%	4.4
My school offers me opportunities to be involved in school and classroom activities.	313	65.2% (204)	32.3% (101)	1.6% (5)	0.3% (1)	0.6% (2)	97.4%	4.6
My school clearly outlines the parent, student and school responsibilities in educating my child.	312	58.7% (183)	36.2% (113)	4.5% (14)	()	0.6% (2)	94.9%	4.5
My school keeps me well-informed about school activities.	313	60.4% (189)	35.8% (112)	1.9% (6)	1.0% (3)	1.0% (3)	96.2%	4.5
My school and I are partners in promoting positive behavior for my student.	313	57.2% (179)	37.7% (118)	3.8% (12)	0.6% (2)	0.6% (2)	94.9%	4.5
Staff at my school provide resources or ideas that help me support my student at home.	312	43.6% (136)	41.7% (130)	10.9% (34)	2.6% (8)	1.3% (4)	85.3%	4.2
Staff at my school promptly respond to my phone calls, messages, or e-mails.	313	57.2% (179)	35.1% (110)	5.8% (18)	1.3% (4)	0.6% (2)	92.3%	4.5
Concerns about my student's progress are communicated promptly to me.	311	48.2% (150)	43.1% (134)	5.1% (16)	2.3% (7)	1.3% (4)	91.3%	4.3
The staff at my school are helpful and welcoming when I come to school or call.	310	56.5% (175)	36.1% (112)	4.5% (14)	2.3% (7)	0.6% (2)	92.6%	4.5
The staff at my school listen to my concerns about issues.	302	42.1% (127)	40.4% (122)	14.6% (44)	1.7% (5)	1.3% (4)	82.5%	4.2



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SCHOOL DECISION MAKING	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
Overall rating of all questions in this section.	298	36.9% (110)	47.3% (141)	15.8% (47)	()	()	84.2%	4.2
My school offers me opportunities to have a role in committees, PTA/PTO, school site council, etc.	308	56.2% (173)	38.3% (118)	4.2% (13)	()	1.3% (4)	94.5%	4.5
I feel welcome to attend meetings where discussions and decisions occur about school programs and funding.	310	46.5% (144)	41.0% (127)	11.6% (36)	0.3% (1)	0.6% (2)	87.4%	4.3
I am invited to meetings where the school's academic performance is discussed.	308	38.6% (119)	35.7% (110)	22.7% (70)	2.6% (8)	0.3% (1)	74.4%	4.1
My school listens to parent input on important decisions.	313	39.6% (124)	40.9% (128)	17.9% (56)	1.0% (3)	0.6% (2)	80.5%	4.2
My school actively seeks the input of parents before making important decisions.	302	32.1% (97)	35.4% (107)	26.8% (81)	5.3% (16)	0.3% (1)	67.5%	3.9
TRANSLATION	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
Overall rating of all questions in this section.	155	46.5% (72)	31.0% (48)	18.1% (28)	1.9% (3)	2.6% (4)	77.4%	4.2
Translated materials (or a translator) for my language are available when I come to school.	163	58.9% (96)	21.5% (35)	14.7% (24)	2.5% (4)	2.5% (4)	80.4%	4.3
I speak a language other than English and I receive information about my student's performance in my language.	161	59.0% (95)	18.0% (29)	18.0% (29)	2.5% (4)	2.5% (4)	77.0%	4.3
I speak a language other than English and I receive general information from my student's school in my language.	155	48.4% (75)	15.5% (24)	31.0% (48)	1.3% (2)	3.9% (6)	63.9%	4.0



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College and Career	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
I am well-informed about my child's progress in school.	313	53.7% (168)	41.5% (130)	2.2% (7)	1.3% (4)	1.3% (4)	95.2%	4.5
I know the kinds of courses that my student needs to pass to be prepared for college.	308	26.9% (83)	29.2% (90)	33.1% (102)	8.8% (27)	1.9% (6)	56.2%	3.7
I know what classes my student will have to take and pass to graduate high school.	305	22.0% (67)	28.2% (86)	38.0% (116)	8.5% (26)	3.3% (10)	50.2%	3.6
The teachers at my school make my student feel that their schoolwork is important.	307	63.8% (196)	30.9% (95)	4.2% (13)	0.7% (2)	0.3% (1)	94.8%	4.6
I'm informed about the different career pathways and programs available at the middle and high schools.	116	37.9% (44)	33.6% (39)	24.1% (28)	3.4% (4)	0.9% (1)	71.6%	4.0
I'm well informed on the use of Naviance to develop my students course pathway.	113	29.2% (33)	23.0% (26)	37.2% (42)	7.1% (8)	3.5% (4)	52.2%	3.7
My student's teachers provide regular and timely updated to the online gradebook.	115	20.0% (23)	22.6% (26)	40.0% (46)	11.3% (13)	6.1% (7)	42.6%	3.4