



**SPRING 2015 STAFF
SURVEY RESULTS**

**La Vista
Group: All (N = 34)**

<i>Effective Instructional Strategies</i>	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-4)
Students' ability to read and understand difficult text improved this year.	30	10.0% (3)	63.3% (19)	23.3% (7)	3.3% (1)	()	73.3%	2.2
Students' written communication skills improved this year.	30	3.3% (1)	60.0% (18)	26.7% (8)	10.0% (3)	()	63.3%	2.4
Students' speaking and oral communication skills improved this year.	31	6.5% (2)	58.1% (18)	29.0% (9)	6.5% (2)	()	64.5%	2.4
Students' ability to solve large or complex problems improved this year.	30	()	50.0% (15)	43.3% (13)	3.3% (1)	3.3% (1)	50.0%	2.6
Students' skills at using technology to research information have improved this year.	30	20.0% (6)	36.7% (11)	33.3% (10)	6.7% (2)	3.3% (1)	56.7%	2.4
Students' ability to work together with other students on problems or projects has improved this year.	32	9.4% (3)	59.4% (19)	25.0% (8)	6.3% (2)	()	68.8%	2.3
Students can support their judgments with reason and evidence.	31	()	48.4% (15)	32.3% (10)	16.1% (5)	3.2% (1)	48.4%	2.7
I encourage my students to share knowledge and ideas in a creative way.	31	58.1% (18)	38.7% (12)	3.2% (1)	()	()	96.8%	1.5
I foster the curiosity and imagination of students.	31	48.4% (15)	48.4% (15)	3.2% (1)	()	()	96.8%	1.5
I challenge students to continue learning even when it is difficult.	31	64.5% (20)	35.5% (11)	()	()	()	100.0%	1.4
<i>Effective Communication</i>								
	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
I keep parents well-informed about their student's progress.	21	28.6% (6)	71.4% (15)	()	()	()	100.0%	1.7
I promptly contact parents when I am concerned about their child's progress.	21	47.6% (10)	52.4% (11)	()	()	()	100.0%	1.5
Online resources (Q parent portal, Naviance) are tools I use to help parents monitor their student's progress in the classroom.	22	9.1% (2)	45.5% (10)	36.4% (8)	9.1% (2)	()	54.5%	2.5
I am helpful to parents when they come to school or call.	28	57.1% (16)	39.3% (11)	3.6% (1)	()	()	96.4%	1.5
I promptly respond to parents' phone calls, messages and emails.	24	66.7% (16)	29.2% (7)	4.2% (1)	()	()	95.8%	1.4

Effective Communication		Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
	N							
The principal and staff listen to parent concerns about issues.	30	40.0% (12)	46.7% (14)	10.0% (3)	3.3% (1)	()	86.7%	1.8
The principal and staff listen to concerns of other staff members about issues.	31	32.3% (10)	38.7% (12)	19.4% (6)	6.5% (2)	3.2% (1)	71.0%	2.1
The principal and staff collaborate with parents in promoting positive behavior for their students.	30	43.3% (13)	43.3% (13)	10.0% (3)	3.3% (1)	()	86.7%	1.7
This school is a safe place for all staff.	33	15.2% (5)	39.4% (13)	18.2% (6)	24.2% (8)	3.0% (1)	54.5%	2.6
Concerns about student safety are addressed in an appropriate and timely manner.	33	42.4% (14)	33.3% (11)	12.1% (4)	6.1% (2)	6.1% (2)	75.8%	2.0
Concerns about staff safety are addressed in an appropriate and timely manner.	32	28.1% (9)	34.4% (11)	12.5% (4)	18.8% (6)	6.3% (2)	62.5%	2.4
I am able to provide information about a child's performance to parents who speak a language other than English.	21	19.0% (4)	52.4% (11)	23.8% (5)		4.8% (1)	71.4%	2.2
I feel welcome to attend meetings where discussions and decisions occur about school programs and funding.	32	21.9% (7)	59.4% (19)	6.3% (2)	9.4% (3)	3.1% (1)	81.3%	2.1
I receive information about upcoming events and important information about the school.	32	31.3% (10)	46.9% (15)	15.6% (5)		6.3% (2)	78.1%	2.0
I receive information about upcoming events and important information about the school district.	32	43.8% (14)	46.9% (15)	9.4% (3)			90.6%	1.7
School Safety		Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
	N							
This school is a safe place for all students.	33	15.2% (5)	48.5% (16)	21.2% (7)	12.1% (4)	3.0% (1)	63.6%	2.4
Educational Experiences		Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
	N							
Students are prepared for the next step of their educational experience.	32		50.0% (16)	21.9% (7)	21.9% (7)	6.3% (2)	50.0%	2.8
I encourage my students to be motivated and engaged in what they are learning.	30	66.7% (20)	30.0% (9)	3.3% (1)			96.7%	1.4
The school sets high standards for academic performance for all students.	34		44.1% (15)	35.3% (12)	14.7% (5)	5.9% (2)	44.1%	2.8
This school provides enough resources to help each student do his/her best.	34	29.4% (10)	44.1% (15)	2.9% (1)	14.7% (5)	8.8% (3)	73.5%	2.3

Educational Experiences		Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
	N							
The school addresses students' talents, gifts and special needs.	34	23.5% (8)	41.2% (14)	20.6% (7)	11.8% (4)	2.9% (1)	64.7%	2.3
This school provides quality classes/activities that address most students' interests and talents.	33	9.1% (3)	39.4% (13)	18.2% (6)	24.2% (8)	9.1% (3)	48.5%	2.8
Positive Character Traits		High	Moderate	Low				
<i>High=Most/all of the time Moderate=Some of the time Low=Rarely</i>								
	N							
To what degree do students take responsibility for their OWN LEARNING?	32	6.3% (2)	75.0% (24)	18.8% (6)				
To what degree do students take responsibility for their OWN BEHAVIOR?	32	3.1% (1)	78.1% (25)	18.8% (6)				
To what degree do students take responsibility for their OWN TREATMENT OF OTHERS?	32	3.1% (1)	84.4% (27)	12.5% (4)				
To what degree do students take responsibility for their OWN PHYSICAL WELL-BEING?	32	6.3% (2)	75.0% (24)	18.8% (6)				
School Community		Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
	N							
The students at this school feel like they are part of the school community.	34	17.6% (6)	44.1% (15)	23.5% (8)	11.8% (4)	2.9% (1)	61.8%	2.4
This school promotes academic success for all students.	34	29.4% (10)	55.9% (19)	11.8% (4)	2.9% (1)	()	85.3%	1.9
The school fosters an appreciation of student diversity and respect for each other.	33	33.3% (11)	54.5% (18)	6.1% (2)	6.1% (2)	()	87.9%	1.8
The school has a climate that is positive, nurturing and caring.	33	33.3% (11)	48.5% (16)	6.1% (2)	12.1% (4)	()	81.8%	2.0
Family Involvement		Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
	N							
This school clearly outlines the parent, student and school responsibilities in educating my child (e.g., School Compact).	29	20.7% (6)	58.6% (17)	17.2% (5)	3.4% (1)	()	79.3%	2.0
I send home work or ideas that help parents support their students at home.	17	11.8% (2)	52.9% (9)	29.4% (5)	5.9% (1)	()	64.7%	2.3
This school offers parents opportunities to be involved in school and classroom activities.	29	6.9% (2)	48.3% (14)	34.5% (10)	10.3% (3)	()	55.2%	2.5
This school offers me opportunities to have a role in leadership, committees, SSC, etc.	30	36.7% (11)	46.7% (14)	10.0% (3)	3.3% (1)	3.3% (1)	83.3%	1.9