



SPRING 2015 PARENT SURVEY RESULTS

Mission
Group: All (N = 142)

Effective Instructional Strategies

	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-4)
My student's ability to understand difficult text improved this year.	142	40.1% (57)	50.7% (72)	4.2% (6)	3.5% (5)	1.4% (2)	90.8%	1.8
My student is encouraged to be curious and to use his/her imagination in class(es).	142	57.7% (82)	33.8% (48)	5.6% (8)	2.8% (4)	()	91.5%	1.5
My student makes an effort to keep learning even when it is difficult.	142	38.0% (54)	45.1% (64)	12.0% (17)	4.2% (6)	0.7% (1)	83.1%	1.8
My student's writing skills improved this year.	142	45.1% (64)	45.8% (65)	6.3% (9)	1.4% (2)	1.4% (2)	90.8%	1.7
My student's speaking and oral communication skills improved this year.	142	33.8% (48)	52.1% (74)	11.3% (16)	2.1% (3)	0.7% (1)	85.9%	1.8
My student's skill at solving large or complex problems improved this year.	142	32.4% (46)	51.4% (73)	12.0% (17)	2.8% (4)	1.4% (2)	83.8%	1.9
My student's skills at using technology to research information has improved this year.	142	38.7% (55)	49.3% (70)	9.2% (13)	2.8% (4)	()	88.0%	1.8
My student's ability to work with other students on problems or projects improved this year.	142	34.5% (49)	49.3% (70)	14.8% (21)	1.4% (2)	()	83.8%	1.8
My student can support his/her judgments with reason and evidence.	142	33.8% (48)	54.2% (77)	9.2% (13)	2.1% (3)	0.7% (1)	88.0%	1.8
My student is encouraged to creatively share his/her knowledge and ideas in class(es).	142	51.4% (73)	43.0% (61)	4.9% (7)	0.7% (1)	()	94.4%	1.5

Effective Communication

	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.	141	50.4% (71)	39.0% (55)	5.7% (8)	5.0% (7)	()	89.4%	1.7
Concerns about my student's progress are communicated promptly to me.	141	49.6% (70)	33.3% (47)	11.3% (16)	4.3% (6)	1.4% (2)	83.0%	1.7
Online resources (Q parent portal, Naviance) help me monitor my student's progress in the classroom.	138	14.5% (20)	29.7% (41)	42.8% (59)	9.4% (13)	3.6% (5)	44.2%	2.6
My student's teachers are helpful when I come to school or call.	141	70.2% (99)	23.4% (33)	5.0% (7)	1.4% (2)	()	93.6%	1.4
Teachers promptly respond to my phone calls, messages, or e-mails.	141	66.0% (93)	29.1% (41)	4.3% (6)	()	0.7% (1)	95.0%	1.4
The office staff is helpful and welcoming when I come to school or call.	142	48.6% (69)	34.5% (49)	9.2% (13)	4.2% (6)	3.5% (5)	83.1%	1.8

Effective Communication

	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
The principal and staff listen to my concerns about issues.	142	50.7% (72)	28.9% (41)	16.2% (23)	2.1% (3)	2.1% (3)	79.6%	1.8
The school and I are collaborating partners in promoting positive behavior for my student.	140	50.7% (71)	35.7% (50)	10.7% (15)	1.4% (2)	1.4% (2)	86.4%	1.7
Concerns about my student's safety are addressed in an appropriate and timely manner.	139	54.7% (76)	31.7% (44)	10.1% (14)	2.9% (4)	0.7% (1)	86.3%	1.6
I speak a language other than English and I receive general information from my student's school in my language.	44	54.5% (24)	15.9% (7)	15.9% (7)		13.6% (6)	70.5%	2.0
I speak a language other than English and I receive information about my student's performance in my language.	44	50.0% (22)	15.9% (7)	18.2% (8)	2.3% (1)	13.6% (6)	65.9%	2.1
Translated materials (or a translator) for my language are available when I come to school.	43	39.5% (17)	11.6% (5)	39.5% (17)	2.3% (1)	7.0% (3)	51.2%	2.3

School Safety

	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
I feel the school is a safe place for my child.	142	67.6% (96)	26.1% (37)	4.9% (7)	1.4% (2)		93.7%	1.4

Educational Experiences

	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
My student is motivated and engaged in what he/she is learning.	142	45.1% (64)	44.4% (63)	6.3% (9)	3.5% (5)	0.7% (1)	89.4%	1.7
The school is addressing my student's talents, gifts, or special needs.	142	40.1% (57)	36.6% (52)	19.0% (27)	4.2% (6)		76.8%	1.9
The school provides quality classes/activities that meet my student's interests and talents.	142	54.9% (78)	37.3% (53)	6.3% (9)	1.4% (2)		92.3%	1.5
My student is prepared for the next step of his/her educational experience.	142	42.3% (60)	44.4% (63)	7.0% (10)	4.2% (6)	2.1% (3)	86.6%	1.8

Positive Character Traits

High=Most/all of the time Moderate=Some of the time Low=Rarely

	N	High	Moderate	Low
To what degree does your child take responsibility for HIS or HER OWN LEARNING?	139	61.9% (86)	36.0% (50)	2.2% (3)
To what degree does your child take responsibility for HIS or HER PHYSICAL WELL-BEING?	139	76.3% (106)	23.0% (32)	0.7% (1)
To what degree does your child take responsibility for HIS or HER OWN BEHAVIOR?	139	89.2% (124)	10.8% (15)	

Positive Character Traits*High=Most/all of the time Moderate=Some of the time Low=Rarely*

	N	High	Moderate	Low
To what degree does your child take responsibility for HIS or HER TREATMENT OF OTHERS?	139	69.8% (97)	29.5% (41)	0.7% (1)

School Community

	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
My student feels like he/she is part of the school community.	142	57.7% (82)	35.9% (51)	3.5% (5)	2.8% (4)	()	93.7%	1.5
The school promotes academic success for all children.	141	51.1% (72)	34.8% (49)	10.6% (15)	2.8% (4)	0.7% (1)	85.8%	1.7
The school staff respects cultural, ethnic and gender differences.	140	52.9% (74)	32.9% (46)	12.9% (18)	1.4% (2)	()	85.7%	1.6
The school has a climate that is positive, nurturing and caring.	142	64.8% (92)	28.9% (41)	4.2% (6)	1.4% (2)	0.7% (1)	93.7%	1.4

Family Involvement

	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
This school clearly outlines the parent, student and school responsibilities in educating my child (e.g., School Compact).	130	53.1% (69)	36.9% (48)	9.2% (12)	0.8% (1)	()	90.0%	1.6
Teachers provide resources or ideas that help me support my student at home.	130	46.2% (60)	44.6% (58)	4.6% (6)	3.8% (5)	0.8% (1)	90.8%	1.7
The school keeps me well-informed about school activities.	132	59.1% (78)	34.1% (45)	4.5% (6)	2.3% (3)	()	93.2%	1.5
This school offers me opportunities to be involved in school and classroom activities.	132	75.0% (99)	23.5% (31)	1.5% (2)	()	()	98.5%	1.3
This school actively seeks the input of parents before making important decisions.	130	43.1% (56)	40.8% (53)	10.0% (13)	4.6% (6)	1.5% (2)	83.8%	1.8
The school offers me opportunities to have a role in committees, PTA, SSC, ELAC, PTO, etc.	131	64.1% (84)	32.1% (42)	3.8% (5)	()	()	96.2%	1.4
I feel welcome to attend meetings where discussions and decisions occur about school programs and funding.	130	57.7% (75)	32.3% (42)	6.9% (9)	2.3% (3)	0.8% (1)	90.0%	1.6
I am invited to meetings where the school's academic performance is discussed.	129	48.1% (62)	31.8% (41)	17.1% (22)	3.1% (4)	()	79.8%	1.8
This school's Family Resource Center provides useful resources and services.	125	25.6% (32)	22.4% (28)	48.0% (60)	2.4% (3)	1.6% (2)	48.0%	2.3