



WINTER 2016 PARENT SURVEY RESULTS

**Skycrest
Group: (N = 150)**

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.	150	28.0% (42)	60.7% (91)	7.3% (11)	3.3% (5)	0.7% (1)	88.7%	1.9
My student is encouraged to be curious and to use his/her imagination in class(es).	150	30.0% (45)	58.0% (87)	10.7% (16)		1.3% (2)	88.0%	1.8
My student makes an effort to keep learning even when it is difficult.	150	36.0% (54)	51.3% (77)	8.7% (13)	3.3% (5)	0.7% (1)	87.3%	1.8
My student's writing skills improved this year.	150	27.3% (41)	64.0% (96)	3.3% (5)	4.0% (6)	1.3% (2)	91.3%	1.9
My student's speaking and oral communication skills improved this year.	150	30.7% (46)	56.0% (84)	11.3% (17)	1.3% (2)	0.7% (1)	86.7%	1.9
My student's skill at solving large or complex problems improved this year.	149	18.1% (27)	57.7% (86)	20.8% (31)	3.4% (5)		75.8%	2.1
My student's skills at using technology to research information has improved this year.	149	28.2% (42)	57.7% (86)	12.8% (19)	0.7% (1)	0.7% (1)	85.9%	1.9
My student's ability to work with other students on problems or projects improved this year.	150	26.0% (39)	52.7% (79)	18.0% (27)	2.7% (4)	0.7% (1)	78.7%	2.0
My student can support his/her judgments with reason and evidence.	149	20.8% (31)	55.7% (83)	20.1% (30)	2.0% (3)	1.3% (2)	76.5%	2.1
My student is encouraged to creatively share his/her knowledge and ideas in class(es).	149	30.2% (45)	58.4% (87)	9.4% (14)	0.7% (1)	1.3% (2)	88.6%	1.8

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.	149	43.0% (64)	45.6% (68)	8.7% (13)	1.3% (2)	1.3% (2)	88.6%	1.7
Concerns about my student's progress are communicated promptly to me.	149	33.6% (50)	52.3% (78)	8.7% (13)	4.0% (6)	1.3% (2)	85.9%	1.9
Online resources (Q parent portal, Naviance) help me monitor my student's progress in the classroom.	143	21.7% (31)	37.1% (53)	32.2% (46)	4.9% (7)	4.2% (6)	58.7%	2.3
My student's teachers are helpful when I come to school or call.	147	50.3% (74)	39.5% (58)	8.2% (12)	1.4% (2)	0.7% (1)	89.8%	1.6
Teachers promptly respond to my phone calls, messages, or e-mails.	149	45.0% (67)	38.3% (57)	15.4% (23)	0.7% (1)	0.7% (1)	83.2%	1.7
The office staff is helpful and welcoming when I come to school or call.	149	55.7% (83)	40.9% (61)	0.7% (1)	1.3% (2)	1.3% (2)	96.6%	1.5

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.	149	45.0% (67)	37.6% (56)	13.4% (20)	2.7% (4)	1.3% (2)	82.6%	1.8
The school and I are collaborating partners in promoting positive behavior for my student.	147	34.0% (50)	53.7% (79)	9.5% (14)	0.7% (1)	2.0% (3)	87.8%	1.8
Concerns about my student's safety are addressed in an appropriate and timely manner.	148	34.5% (51)	44.6% (66)	16.9% (25)	0.7% (1)	3.4% (5)	79.1%	1.9
I speak a language other than English and I receive general information from my student's school in my language.	109	61.5% (67)	30.3% (33)	1.8% (2)	3.7% (4)	2.8% (3)	91.7%	1.6
I speak a language other than English and I receive information about my student's performance in my language.	109	62.4% (68)	32.1% (35)	0.9% (1)	1.8% (2)	2.8% (3)	94.5%	1.5
Translated materials (or a translator) for my language are available when I come to school.	107	58.9% (63)	29.0% (31)	7.5% (8)	0.9% (1)	3.7% (4)	87.9%	1.6

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.	147	45.6% (67)	42.9% (63)	7.5% (11)	2.7% (4)	1.4% (2)	88.4%	1.7

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.	150	32.7% (49)	57.3% (86)	8.0% (12)	0.7% (1)	1.3% (2)	90.0%	1.8
The school is addressing my student's talents, gifts, or special needs.	149	28.2% (42)	47.0% (70)	20.1% (30)	2.7% (4)	2.0% (3)	75.2%	2.0
The school provides quality classes/activities that meet my student's interests and talents.	150	26.0% (39)	46.7% (70)	20.7% (31)	4.0% (6)	2.7% (4)	72.7%	2.1
My student is prepared for the next step of his/her educational experience.	150	30.7% (46)	54.0% (81)	12.7% (19)	0.7% (1)	2.0% (3)	84.7%	1.9

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?	140	54.3% (76)	41.4% (58)	4.3% (6)
To what degree does your child take responsibility for HIS or HER PHYSICAL WELL-BEING?	139	63.3% (88)	32.4% (45)	4.3% (6)
To what degree does your child take responsibility for HIS or HER OWN BEHAVIOR?	139	70.5% (98)	27.3% (38)	2.2% (3)

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	64.7% (90)	33.1% (46)	2.2% (3)

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.	150	39.3% (59)	47.3% (71)	8.7% (13)	4.0% (6)	0.7% (1)	86.7%	1.8
The school promotes academic success for all children.	150	34.0% (51)	54.0% (81)	8.0% (12)	2.7% (4)	1.3% (2)	88.0%	1.8
The school staff respects cultural, ethnic and gender differences.	149	46.3% (69)	40.3% (60)	10.1% (15)	1.3% (2)	2.0% (3)	86.6%	1.7
The school has a climate that is positive, nurturing and caring.	149	45.0% (67)	44.3% (66)	6.7% (10)	2.7% (4)	1.3% (2)	89.3%	1.7

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).	147	36.7% (54)	51.7% (76)	9.5% (14)	0.7% (1)	1.4% (2)	88.4%	1.8
Teachers provide resources or ideas that help me support my student at home.	147	40.1% (59)	47.6% (70)	8.2% (12)	3.4% (5)	0.7% (1)	87.8%	1.8
The school keeps me well-informed about school activities.	148	48.0% (71)	43.9% (65)	3.4% (5)	3.4% (5)	1.4% (2)	91.9%	1.7
This school offers me opportunities to be involved in school and classroom activities.	148	42.6% (63)	48.0% (71)	4.7% (7)	4.1% (6)	0.7% (1)	90.5%	1.7
This school actively seeks the input of parents before making important decisions.	148	35.1% (52)	39.9% (59)	20.3% (30)	2.0% (3)	2.7% (4)	75.0%	2.0
The school offers me opportunities to have a role in committees, PTA, SSC, ELAC, PTO, etc.	148	31.8% (47)	52.7% (78)	12.2% (18)	2.0% (3)	1.4% (2)	84.5%	1.9
I feel welcome to attend meetings where discussions and decisions occur about school programs and funding.	148	28.4% (42)	46.6% (69)	19.6% (29)	4.1% (6)	1.4% (2)	75.0%	2.0
I am invited to meetings where the school's academic performance is discussed.	148	30.4% (45)	48.0% (71)	16.9% (25)	3.4% (5)	1.4% (2)	78.4%	2.0
This school's Family Resource Center provides useful resources and services.	148	23.0% (34)	45.3% (67)	26.4% (39)	3.4% (5)	2.0% (3)	68.2%	2.2
