



**WINTER 2016-2017
PARENT SURVEY RESULTS**

**El Camino
Group: (N = 274)**

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.	274	14.2% (39)	56.2% (154)	25.2% (69)	4.0% (11)	0.4% (1)	70.4%	2.2
My student is encouraged to be curious and to use his/her imagination in class(es).	273	14.3% (39)	45.4% (124)	33.7% (92)	5.9% (16)	0.7% (2)	59.7%	2.3
My student makes an effort to keep learning even when it is difficult.	273	28.9% (79)	44.0% (120)	19.8% (54)	5.1% (14)	2.2% (6)	72.9%	2.1
My student's writing skills improved this year.	274	19.0% (52)	51.5% (141)	22.6% (62)	6.2% (17)	0.7% (2)	70.4%	2.2
My student's speaking and oral communication skills improved this year.	273	17.6% (48)	47.3% (129)	31.1% (85)	2.9% (8)	1.1% (3)	64.8%	2.2
My student's skill at solving large or complex problems improved this year.	273	16.5% (45)	49.8% (136)	28.9% (79)	3.7% (10)	1.1% (3)	66.3%	2.2
My student's skills at using technology to research information has improved this year.	272	22.8% (62)	37.5% (102)	30.9% (84)	7.0% (19)	1.8% (5)	60.3%	2.3
My student's ability to work with other students on problems or projects improved this year.	274	22.3% (61)	40.9% (112)	31.0% (85)	4.7% (13)	1.1% (3)	63.1%	2.2
My student can support his/her judgments with reason and evidence.	273	23.4% (64)	53.5% (146)	20.1% (55)	2.6% (7)	0.4% (1)	76.9%	2.0
My student is encouraged to creatively share his/her knowledge and ideas in class(es).	272	15.8% (43)	48.2% (131)	26.5% (72)	8.5% (23)	1.1% (3)	64.0%	2.3

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.	270	27.8% (75)	48.9% (132)	15.6% (42)	6.3% (17)	1.5% (4)	76.7%	2.0
Concerns about my student's progress are communicated promptly to me.	270	17.0% (46)	38.1% (103)	31.5% (85)	10.4% (28)	3.0% (8)	55.2%	2.4
Online resources (Q parent portal, Naviance) help me monitor my student's progress in the classroom.	270	28.5% (77)	46.7% (126)	19.6% (53)	2.6% (7)	2.6% (7)	75.2%	2.0
My student's teachers are helpful when I come to school or call.	270	18.1% (49)	36.3% (98)	40.4% (109)	4.1% (11)	1.1% (3)	54.4%	2.3
Teachers promptly respond to my phone calls, messages, or e-mails.	266	17.7% (47)	37.6% (100)	38.7% (103)	4.9% (13)	1.1% (3)	55.3%	2.3
The office staff is helpful and welcoming when I come to school or call.	269	23.8% (64)	48.0% (129)	23.0% (62)	3.3% (9)	1.9% (5)	71.7%	2.1

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.	268	16.0% (43)	32.5% (87)	43.3% (116)	5.2% (14)	3.0% (8)	48.5%	2.5
The school and I are collaborating partners in promoting positive behavior for my student.	266	14.3% (38)	38.7% (103)	37.6% (100)	6.4% (17)	3.0% (8)	53.0%	2.5
Concerns about my student's safety are addressed in an appropriate and timely manner.	266	13.5% (36)	38.7% (103)	39.8% (106)	4.5% (12)	3.4% (9)	52.3%	2.5
I speak a language other than English and I receive general information from my student's school in my language.	110	33.6% (37)	42.7% (47)	16.4% (18)	3.6% (4)	3.6% (4)	76.4%	2.0
I speak a language other than English and I receive information about my student's performance in my language.	108	28.7% (31)	45.4% (49)	18.5% (20)	4.6% (5)	2.8% (3)	74.1%	2.1
Translated materials (or a translator) for my language are available when I come to school.	107	27.1% (29)	29.9% (32)	35.5% (38)	3.7% (4)	3.7% (4)	57.0%	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.	269	15.6% (42)	44.2% (119)	29.0% (78)	8.2% (22)	3.0% (8)	59.9%	2.4

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.	273	19.8% (54)	49.8% (136)	23.8% (65)	5.9% (16)	0.7% (2)	69.6%	2.2
The school is addressing my student's talents, gifts, or special needs.	273	14.7% (40)	37.4% (102)	36.6% (100)	9.9% (27)	1.5% (4)	52.0%	2.5
The school provides quality classes/activities that meet my student's interests and talents.	273	25.6% (70)	46.5% (127)	19.8% (54)	5.9% (16)	2.2% (6)	72.2%	2.1
My student is prepared for the next step of his/her educational experience.	274	23.0% (63)	54.4% (149)	16.8% (46)	4.7% (13)	1.1% (3)	77.4%	2.1

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?	252	69.8% (176)	25.8% (65)	4.4% (11)
To what degree does your child take responsibility for HIS or HER PHYSICAL WELL-BEING?	250	76.4% (191)	19.2% (48)	4.4% (11)
To what degree does your child take responsibility for HIS or HER OWN BEHAVIOR?	251	80.1% (201)	17.9% (45)	2.0% (5)

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?	251	75.3% (189)	22.3% (56)	2.4% (6)

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.	271	19.6% (53)	48.3% (131)	23.6% (64)	7.0% (19)	1.5% (4)	67.9%	2.2
The school promotes academic success for all children.	272	19.9% (54)	41.9% (114)	28.7% (78)	7.7% (21)	1.8% (5)	61.8%	2.3
The school staff respects cultural, ethnic and gender differences.	266	18.4% (49)	44.4% (118)	31.6% (84)	3.8% (10)	1.9% (5)	62.8%	2.3
The school has a climate that is positive, nurturing and caring.	267	15.0% (40)	34.5% (92)	37.5% (100)	10.9% (29)	2.2% (6)	49.4%	2.5

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).	266	17.3% (46)	54.1% (144)	21.1% (56)	4.9% (13)	2.6% (7)	71.4%	2.2
Teachers provide resources or ideas that help me support my student at home.	268	12.3% (33)	34.3% (92)	41.8% (112)	8.6% (23)	3.0% (8)	46.6%	2.6
The school keeps me well-informed about school activities.	267	23.2% (62)	44.6% (119)	22.1% (59)	7.9% (21)	2.2% (6)	67.8%	2.2
This school offers me opportunities to be involved in school and classroom activities.	265	15.8% (42)	38.9% (103)	31.7% (84)	11.3% (30)	2.3% (6)	54.7%	2.5
This school actively seeks the input of parents before making important decisions.	268	13.1% (35)	34.7% (93)	35.8% (96)	11.9% (32)	4.5% (12)	47.8%	2.6
The school offers me opportunities to have a role in committees, PTA, SSC, ELAC, PTO, etc.	266	20.7% (55)	46.2% (123)	28.6% (76)	3.0% (8)	1.5% (4)	66.9%	2.2
I feel welcome to attend meetings where discussions and decisions occur about school programs and funding.	268	16.8% (45)	42.5% (114)	32.1% (86)	6.3% (17)	2.2% (6)	59.3%	2.3
I am invited to meetings where the school's academic performance is discussed.	266	13.5% (36)	38.3% (102)	32.0% (85)	11.7% (31)	4.5% (12)	51.9%	2.6
This school's Family Resource Center provides useful resources and services.	261	12.3% (32)	23.4% (61)	59.0% (154)	3.8% (10)	1.5% (4)	35.6%	2.6