



**WINTER 2016-2017
PARENT SURVEY RESULTS**

**Schweitzer
Group: (N = 175)**

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.	175	33.1% (58)	54.3% (95)	9.7% (17)	2.9% (5)	0.0% (0)	87.4%	1.8
My student is encouraged to be curious and to use his/her imagination in class(es).	174	45.4% (79)	42.0% (73)	12.1% (21)	0.6% (1)	0.0% (0)	87.4%	1.7
My student makes an effort to keep learning even when it is difficult.	173	32.9% (57)	44.5% (77)	16.8% (29)	5.2% (9)	0.6% (1)	77.5%	2.0
My student's writing skills improved this year.	175	33.1% (58)	54.3% (95)	9.1% (16)	2.9% (5)	0.6% (1)	87.4%	1.8
My student's speaking and oral communication skills improved this year.	174	32.2% (56)	51.1% (89)	14.9% (26)	1.7% (3)	0.0% (0)	83.3%	1.9
My student's skill at solving large or complex problems improved this year.	174	28.7% (50)	47.7% (83)	18.4% (32)	4.6% (8)	0.6% (1)	76.4%	2.0
My student's skills at using technology to research information has improved this year.	174	31.0% (54)	40.2% (70)	21.8% (38)	6.3% (11)	0.6% (1)	71.3%	2.1
My student's ability to work with other students on problems or projects improved this year.	174	28.7% (50)	48.3% (84)	21.3% (37)	1.7% (3)	0.0% (0)	77.0%	2.0
My student can support his/her judgments with reason and evidence.	174	35.1% (61)	55.7% (97)	6.3% (11)	2.3% (4)	0.6% (1)	90.8%	1.8
My student is encouraged to creatively share his/her knowledge and ideas in class(es).	173	42.2% (73)	45.7% (79)	9.8% (17)	1.7% (3)	0.6% (1)	87.9%	1.7

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.	171	39.8% (68)	45.6% (78)	9.9% (17)	4.1% (7)	0.6% (1)	85.4%	1.8
Concerns about my student's progress are communicated promptly to me.	171	38.6% (66)	40.4% (69)	15.2% (26)	4.1% (7)	1.8% (3)	78.9%	1.9
Online resources (Q parent portal, Naviance) help me monitor my student's progress in the classroom.	170	24.1% (41)	23.5% (40)	39.4% (67)	10.6% (18)	2.4% (4)	47.6%	2.4
My student's teachers are helpful when I come to school or call.	170	57.6% (98)	34.1% (58)	7.1% (12)	1.2% (2)	0.0% (0)	91.8%	1.5
Teachers promptly respond to my phone calls, messages, or e-mails.	171	54.4% (93)	33.3% (57)	9.9% (17)	2.3% (4)	0.0% (0)	87.7%	1.6
The office staff is helpful and welcoming when I come to school or call.	171	60.2% (103)	33.9% (58)	5.3% (9)	0.6% (1)	0.0% (0)	94.2%	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.	171	45.6% (78)	28.7% (49)	24.0% (41)	0.6% (1)	1.2% (2)	74.3%	1.8
The school and I are collaborating partners in promoting positive behavior for my student.	170	42.9% (73)	40.6% (69)	15.3% (26)	1.2% (2)	0.0% (0)	83.5%	1.7
Concerns about my student's safety are addressed in an appropriate and timely manner.	171	42.1% (72)	38.6% (66)	18.1% (31)	1.2% (2)	0.0% (0)	80.7%	1.8
I speak a language other than English and I receive general information from my student's school in my language.	51	52.9% (27)	33.3% (17)	7.8% (4)	3.9% (2)	2.0% (1)	86.3%	1.7
I speak a language other than English and I receive information about my student's performance in my language.	50	52.0% (26)	30.0% (15)	10.0% (5)	6.0% (3)	2.0% (1)	82.0%	1.8
Translated materials (or a translator) for my language are available when I come to school.	51	39.2% (20)	21.6% (11)	31.4% (16)	5.9% (3)	2.0% (1)	60.8%	2.1

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.	172	52.3% (90)	42.4% (73)	4.1% (7)	1.2% (2)	0.0% (0)	94.8%	1.5

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.	174	42.0% (73)	42.5% (74)	12.6% (22)	2.9% (5)	0.0% (0)	84.5%	1.8
The school is addressing my student's talents, gifts, or special needs.	173	28.3% (49)	41.0% (71)	25.4% (44)	4.0% (7)	1.2% (2)	69.4%	2.1
The school provides quality classes/activities that meet my student's interests and talents.	174	29.9% (52)	43.1% (75)	19.5% (34)	7.5% (13)	0.0% (0)	73.0%	2.0
My student is prepared for the next step of his/her educational experience.	173	35.3% (61)	49.1% (85)	8.7% (15)	6.4% (11)	0.6% (1)	84.4%	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?	169	62.7% (106)	31.4% (53)	5.9% (10)
To what degree does your child take responsibility for HIS or HER PHYSICAL WELL-BEING?	168	72.6% (122)	25.6% (43)	1.8% (3)
To what degree does your child take responsibility for HIS or HER OWN BEHAVIOR?	169	81.1% (137)	17.8% (30)	1.2% (2)

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?	169	71.0% (120)	29.0% (49)	0.0% (0)

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.	174	43.1% (75)	42.5% (74)	10.9% (19)	3.4% (6)	0.0% (0)	85.6%	1.7
The school promotes academic success for all children.	174	35.1% (61)	45.4% (79)	17.2% (30)	2.3% (4)	0.0% (0)	80.5%	1.9
The school staff respects cultural, ethnic and gender differences.	171	41.5% (71)	38.6% (66)	18.7% (32)	1.2% (2)	0.0% (0)	80.1%	1.8
The school has a climate that is positive, nurturing and caring.	171	48.5% (83)	41.5% (71)	8.2% (14)	1.8% (3)	0.0% (0)	90.1%	1.6

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).	171	41.5% (71)	39.8% (68)	17.5% (30)	1.2% (2)	0.0% (0)	81.3%	1.8
Teachers provide resources or ideas that help me support my student at home.	171	43.3% (74)	39.8% (68)	15.2% (26)	1.8% (3)	0.0% (0)	83.0%	1.8
The school keeps me well-informed about school activities.	171	52.6% (90)	35.1% (60)	10.5% (18)	1.8% (3)	0.0% (0)	87.7%	1.6
This school offers me opportunities to be involved in school and classroom activities.	171	48.5% (83)	39.2% (67)	11.1% (19)	1.2% (2)	0.0% (0)	87.7%	1.6
This school actively seeks the input of parents before making important decisions.	171	32.7% (56)	36.8% (63)	26.3% (45)	4.1% (7)	0.0% (0)	69.6%	2.0
The school offers me opportunities to have a role in committees, PTA, SSC, ELAC, PTO, etc.	171	48.5% (83)	40.4% (69)	10.5% (18)	0.6% (1)	0.0% (0)	88.9%	1.6
I feel welcome to attend meetings where discussions and decisions occur about school programs and funding.	171	37.4% (64)	42.1% (72)	19.9% (34)	0.0% (0)	0.6% (1)	79.5%	1.8
I am invited to meetings where the school's academic performance is discussed.	171	36.3% (62)	38.6% (66)	23.4% (40)	1.2% (2)	0.6% (1)	74.9%	1.9
This school's Family Resource Center provides useful resources and services.	170	20.0% (34)	25.9% (44)	50.6% (86)	1.8% (3)	1.8% (3)	45.9%	2.4