



**WINTER 2016-2017
STUDENT SURVEY**

**Arlington Heights
Group: (N = 43)**

<i>Effective Instructional Strategies</i>	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
My ability to read and understand difficult text improved this year.	43	23.3% (10)	51.2% (22)	23.3% (10)	2.3% (1)	0.0% (0)	74.4%	2.0
My writing skills improved this year.	43	27.9% (12)	44.2% (19)	18.6% (8)	7.0% (3)	2.3% (1)	72.1%	2.1
My speaking and oral communication skills improved this year.	43	32.6% (14)	32.6% (14)	25.6% (11)	7.0% (3)	2.3% (1)	65.1%	2.1
My skill at solving large or complex problems improved this year.	43	27.9% (12)	41.9% (18)	23.3% (10)	4.7% (2)	2.3% (1)	69.8%	2.1
My skills at using technology to research information have improved this year.	42	45.2% (19)	31.0% (13)	14.3% (6)	2.4% (1)	7.1% (3)	76.2%	2.0
My ability to work together with other students on problems or projects improved this year.	43	32.6% (14)	32.6% (14)	18.6% (8)	7.0% (3)	9.3% (4)	65.1%	2.3
I can support my judgments with reason and evidence.	43	23.3% (10)	58.1% (25)	9.3% (4)	9.3% (4)	0.0% (0)	81.4%	2.0
I am encouraged to creatively share my knowledge and ideas in class(es).	43	32.6% (14)	39.5% (17)	16.3% (7)	4.7% (2)	7.0% (3)	72.1%	2.1
I am encouraged to be curious and to use my imagination in class(es).	42	28.6% (12)	38.1% (16)	28.6% (12)	2.4% (1)	2.4% (1)	66.7%	2.1
I am encouraged to continue learning even when it is difficult for me.	43	46.5% (20)	41.9% (18)	4.7% (2)	2.3% (1)	4.7% (2)	88.4%	1.8
<i>Effective Communication</i>	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
I know how I am doing (grades) in my classes.	43	30.2% (13)	37.2% (16)	23.3% (10)	9.3% (4)	0.0% (0)	67.4%	2.1
The adults in the office are helpful when I have questions.	43	41.9% (18)	27.9% (12)	20.9% (9)	2.3% (1)	7.0% (3)	69.8%	2.0
<i>School Safety</i>	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
I feel safe at this school during the day.	43	51.2% (22)	27.9% (12)	11.6% (5)	4.7% (2)	4.7% (2)	79.1%	1.8
I feel safe at this school before and after school.	42	40.5% (17)	28.6% (12)	19.0% (8)	7.1% (3)	4.8% (2)	69.0%	2.1
The school addresses safety issues immediately.	42	45.2% (19)	31.0% (13)	11.9% (5)	4.8% (2)	7.1% (3)	76.2%	2.0



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Educational Experiences								
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I am prepared for the next step of my educational experience.	43	41.9% (18)	34.9% (15)	14.0% (6)	4.7% (2)	4.7% (2)	76.7%	2.0
I am motivated and engaged in what I am learning.	42	31.0% (13)	40.5% (17)	11.9% (5)	9.5% (4)	7.1% (3)	71.4%	2.2
At this school, my talents, gifts and/or special needs are addressed.	42	35.7% (15)	26.2% (11)	21.4% (9)	7.1% (3)	9.5% (4)	61.9%	2.3
This school provides quality classes/activities that meet my interests and talents.	43	60.5% (26)	25.6% (11)	2.3% (1)	2.3% (1)	9.3% (4)	86.0%	1.7
School Community								
	N	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Pct Strongly Agree/ Agree	Mean (1-5)
I feel like I am a part of the school community.	43	46.5% (20)	30.2% (13)	4.7% (2)	4.7% (2)	14.0% (6)	76.7%	2.1
At this school, there is a teacher or other adult who believes I will be a success.	42	59.5% (25)	21.4% (9)	4.8% (2)	2.4% (1)	11.9% (5)	81.0%	1.9
The school encourages positive behavior from all students.	43	37.2% (16)	34.9% (15)	20.9% (9)	4.7% (2)	2.3% (1)	72.1%	2.0
The adults at my school respect cultural, ethnic and gender differences.	43	67.4% (29)	23.3% (10)	2.3% (1)	2.3% (1)	4.7% (2)	90.7%	1.5
My school is positive, nurturing and caring.	43	44.2% (19)	25.6% (11)	23.3% (10)	2.3% (1)	4.7% (2)	69.8%	2.0
The school listens to student input on important decisions.	42	45.2% (19)	38.1% (16)	4.8% (2)	4.8% (2)	7.1% (3)	83.3%	1.9
<p>I have set a learning goal(s) with teacher(s) or a counselor..... 76.7%</p> <p>I have a job or career I am interested in..... 85.4%</p> <p>Next year, I plan on taking some honors courses..... 71.4%</p> <p>Which of the following are a part of your plans beyond high school? (percent is of all responses - students may have made more than one choice)</p> <p>2/4 year college/university..... 59.1%</p> <p>Trade or technical school..... 13.6%</p> <p>Military.....13.6%</p> <p>None of these..... 22.7%</p> <p>I haven't decided..... 15.9%</p>								



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Positive Character Traits <i>High is most/all of the time, Moder. is some of the time, Low is rarely</i>	N	High	Moder.	Low
To what degree do you take responsibility for YOUR LEARNING?	42	47.6% (20)	47.6% (20)	4.8% (2)
To what degree do you take responsibility for YOUR BEHAVIOR?	43	44.2% (19)	46.5% (20)	9.3% (4)
To what degree do you take responsibility for YOUR TREATMENT OF OTHERS?	42	64.3% (27)	31.0% (13)	4.8% (2)
To what degree do you take responsibility for YOUR PHYSICAL WELL-BEING?	41	58.5% (24)	34.1% (14)	7.3% (3)