

***MSIP Advanced Questionnaire
Parent Frequency Distribution Report
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In what grade is your child?		
PRt1	Frequency	Percent
6TH	24	35.29
7TH	19	27.94
8TH	25	36.76

Frequency Missing = 1

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	34	50.00
Girl	34	50.00

Frequency Missing = 1

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	56	82.35
FATHER	5	7.35
STEPMOTHER	5	7.35
GRANDFATHER	2	2.94

Frequency Missing = 1

How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	3	4.35
1	24	34.78
2	39	56.52
3 OR MORE	3	4.35

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How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	14	20.29
5 - 10 YRS	17	24.64
11 - 15 YRS	16	23.19
OVER 15 YRS	22	31.88

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	18	26.09
2 HRS	24	34.78
3 HRS	13	18.84
4 HRS	8	11.59
5 HRS	6	8.70

Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	11	15.94
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	44	63.77
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	12	17.39
OTHER	2	2.90

Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	68	98.55
AFR. AMERICAN (N-HISPC)	1	1.45

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How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
1	15	21.74
2	31	44.93
3	13	18.84
4	6	8.70
5	3	4.35
7 OR MORE	1	1.45

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	62	89.86
YES	7	10.14

Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	60	86.96
YES	9	13.04

Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	67	97.10
YES	2	2.90

Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	65	94.20
YES	4	5.80

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Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	1	1.45
30 - 39	37	53.62
40 - 49	29	42.03
60 OR OVER	2	2.90

What one thing is likely to take the largest share of your child's time in the year after high school?		
prt12	Frequency	Percent
WORKING FULLTIME	5	7.25
2 YR COLL/TECH	14	20.29
4 YR COLLEGE	48	69.57
OTHER	2	2.90

Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	5	7.46
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	21	31.34
SOME COLLEGE	25	37.31
COLLEGE GRADUATE	12	17.91
GRADUATE SCHOOL	4	5.97

Frequency Missing = 2

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Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	1	1.52
10,000 - 19,999	4	6.06
20,000 - 29,999	8	12.12
30,000 - 39,999	9	13.64
40,000 - 49,999	16	24.24
50,000 - 59,999	10	15.15
60,000 - 69,999	8	12.12
OVER \$70,000	10	15.15

Frequency Missing = 3

Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	29	42.65
HALF A & B	16	23.53
MOSTLY B	4	5.88
HALF B & C	15	22.06
MOSTLY C	2	2.94
HALF C & D	1	1.47
GRADE NOT GIVEN	1	1.47

Frequency Missing = 1

Would you say that public schools in this community have improved from, say, five years ago, gotten worse, or stayed the same?		
prt16	Frequency	Percent
IMPROVED	34	50.75
GOTTEN WORSE	6	8.96
STAYED THE SAME	27	40.30

Frequency Missing = 2

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How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
pvt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	3	4.35
DOESNT DO IT	1	1.45
1/2 HR OR LESS	18	26.09
1 HR	30	43.48
2 HRS	16	23.19
MORE THAN 2 HRS	1	1.45

Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
ONCE/TWICE	27	39.13
3-5 TIMES	22	31.88
5-10 TIMES	9	13.04
11+ TIMES	11	15.94

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	10	14.49
ONCE/TWICE	47	68.12
3-5 TIMES	9	13.04
5-10 TIMES	2	2.90
11+ TIMES	1	1.45

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Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	7	10.29
ONCE/TWICE	40	58.82
3-5 TIMES	12	17.65
5-10 TIMES	6	8.82
11+ TIMES	3	4.41

Frequency Missing = 1

Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	5	7.35
ONCE/TWICE	16	23.53
3-5 TIMES	20	29.41
5-10 TIMES	8	11.76
11+ TIMES	19	27.94

Frequency Missing = 1

Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	33	47.83
ONCE/TWICE	21	30.43
3-5 TIMES	5	7.25
5-10 TIMES	5	7.25
11+ TIMES	5	7.25

Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	54	78.26
ONCE/TWICE	7	10.14
3-5 TIMES	3	4.35
5-10 TIMES	2	2.90
11+ TIMES	3	4.35

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Students are often given the grades A, B, C, D, and F to denote the quality of their work. If the public schools in this community were graded the same way, what grade would you give them--A, B, C,D, or F?		
prt19	Frequency	Percent
A	9	13.04
B	31	44.93
C	21	30.43
D	6	8.70
F	1	1.45
DONT KNOW	1	1.45

How about the public schools in the nation as a whole? What grade would you give public schools nationally--A, B, C, D, or F?		
prt20	Frequency	Percent
B	3	4.35
C	47	68.12
D	14	20.29
F	2	2.90
DONT KNOW	3	4.35

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	2	2.90
YES	67	97.10

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I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	8	11.59
YES	61	88.41

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	20	28.99
YES	49	71.01

I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	3	4.35
YES	66	95.65

I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	3	4.35
YES	66	95.65

My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	10	14.49
YES	59	85.51

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My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	24	34.78
YES	45	65.22

Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
RARELY	1	1.45
OCCASIONALLY	5	7.25
REGULARLY	63	91.30

Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	3	4.35
RARELY	6	8.70
OCCASIONALLY	27	39.13
REGULARLY	33	47.83

Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	2	2.90
RARELY	3	4.35
OCCASIONALLY	30	43.48
REGULARLY	34	49.28

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Question	Strongly Agree		Agree		Neutral		Disagree		Strongly Disagree		Number Missing
	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
23 - The way they teach at this school works well for my child.	11	15.9	35	50.7	17	24.6	6	8.7	0	0.0	0
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	11	15.9	50	72.5	6	8.7	2	2.9	0	0.0	0
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	6	8.7	41	59.4	16	23.2	6	8.7	0	0.0	0
26 - My child likes attending this school.	24	34.8	38	55.1	4	5.8	3	4.3	0	0.0	0
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	30	43.5	34	49.3	4	5.8	0	0.0	1	1.4	0
28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	12	17.4	45	65.2	9	13.0	2	2.9	1	1.4	0
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	17	24.6	35	50.7	11	15.9	6	8.7	0	0.0	0
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	25	36.2	35	50.7	5	7.2	4	5.8	0	0.0	0
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	11	15.9	39	56.5	13	18.8	5	7.2	1	1.4	0
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	16	23.5	43	63.2	8	11.8	0	0.0	1	1.5	1
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	12	17.6	27	39.7	15	22.1	11	16.2	3	4.4	1
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	3	4.4	17	25.0	16	23.5	21	30.9	11	16.2	1
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	11	15.9	26	37.7	22	31.9	8	11.6	2	2.9	0
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	7	10.3	5	7.4	14	20.6	23	33.8	19	27.9	1
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	7	10.3	35	51.5	17	25.0	7	10.3	2	2.9	1
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	25	36.2	35	50.7	4	5.8	5	7.2	0	0.0	0
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	8	11.6	26	37.7	19	27.5	8	11.6	8	11.6	0
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	37	53.6	28	40.6	4	5.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	10	14.7	30	44.1	17	25.0	11	16.2	0	0.0	1
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	33	47.8	33	47.8	3	4.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	8	11.8	32	47.1	23	33.8	1	1.5	4	5.9	1
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	11	15.9	32	46.4	16	23.2	8	11.6	2	2.9	0
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	14	20.6	34	50.0	14	20.6	3	4.4	3	4.4	1
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	10	14.5	38	55.1	14	20.3	4	5.8	3	4.3	0
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	13	18.8	42	60.9	11	15.9	3	4.3	0	0.0	0
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	12	17.4	48	69.6	8	11.6	1	1.4	0	0.0	0

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49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	14	20.3	47	68.1	6	8.7	2	2.9	0	0.0	0
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	11	16.2	33	48.5	14	20.6	8	11.8	2	2.9	1
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	9	13.0	39	56.5	9	13.0	7	10.1	5	7.2	0
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	4	6.0	24	35.8	34	50.7	4	6.0	1	1.5	2
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	7	10.1	39	56.5	12	17.4	7	10.1	4	5.8	0
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	7	10.1	34	49.3	22	31.9	5	7.2	1	1.4	0
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	20	29.4	35	51.5	11	16.2	1	1.5	1	1.5	1
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	9	13.2	32	47.1	9	13.2	12	17.6	6	8.8	1
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	13	18.8	38	55.1	12	17.4	6	8.7	0	0.0	0
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	11	15.9	29	42.0	19	27.5	7	10.1	3	4.3	0
59 - My child has fun learning.	12	17.4	46	66.7	8	11.6	3	4.3	0	0.0	0
60 - The community is proud of this school.	12	17.4	30	43.5	15	21.7	11	15.9	1	1.4	0
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	18	26.1	36	52.2	8	11.6	6	8.7	1	1.4	0
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	39	56.5	30	43.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	21	30.4	40	58.0	5	7.2	2	2.9	1	1.4	0
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	18	26.1	33	47.8	13	18.8	1	1.4	4	5.8	0
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	18	26.1	41	59.4	7	10.1	2	2.9	1	1.4	0
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	26	37.7	41	59.4	2	2.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	13	19.1	45	66.2	8	11.8	1	1.5	1	1.5	1
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	11	15.9	29	42.0	15	21.7	11	15.9	3	4.3	0

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