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In what grade is your child?		
PRt1	Frequency	Percent
6TH	17	28.33
7TH	22	36.67
8TH	21	35.00

Frequency Missing = 1

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	27	45.00
Girl	33	55.00

Frequency Missing = 1

What is your relationship to the child?			
	prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER		52	86.67
FATHER		3	5.00
STEPMOTHER		4	6.67
GRANDMOTHER		1	1.67

Frequency Missing = 1

How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	4	6.67
1	20	33.33
2	36	60.00

Frequency Missing = 1

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How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	10	16.39
5 - 10 YRS	15	24.59
11 - 15 YRS	7	11.48
OVER 15 YRS	29	47.54

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	10	16.39
2 HRS	25	40.98
3 HRS	16	26.23
4 HRS	9	14.75
6 + HRS	1	1.64

Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	12	19.67
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	40	65.57
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	8	13.11
OTHER	1	1.64

Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	53	88.33
AFR. AMERICAN (N-HISPC)	7	11.67

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How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
1	13	23.64
2	23	41.82
3	11	20.00
4	8	14.55

Frequency Missing = 6

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	56	91.80
YES	5	8.20

Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	54	88.52
YES	7	11.48

Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	60	98.36
YES	1	1.64

Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	56	91.80
YES	5	8.20

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Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	1	1.72
30 - 39	22	37.93
40 - 49	29	50.00
50 - 59	6	10.34

Frequency Missing = 3

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	4	7.02
2 YR COLL/TECH	8	14.04
4 YR COLLEGE	42	73.68
OTHER	3	5.26

Frequency Missing = 4

Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
ELEM. SCHOOL	1	1.72
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	2	3.45
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	17	29.31
SOME COLLEGE	11	18.97
COLLEGE GRADUATE	18	31.03
GRADUATE SCHOOL	9	15.52

Frequency Missing = 3

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Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	5	8.62
10,000 - 19,999	6	10.34
20,000 - 29,999	3	5.17
30,000 - 39,999	6	10.34
40,000 - 49,999	4	6.90
50,000 - 59,999	12	20.69
60,000 - 69,999	4	6.90
OVER \$70,000	18	31.03

Frequency Missing = 3

Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	25	40.98
HALF A & B	20	32.79
MOSTLY B	7	11.48
HALF B & C	3	4.92
MOSTLY C	3	4.92
HALF C & D	3	4.92

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	29	49.15
GOTTEN WORSE	4	6.78
STAYED THE SAME	26	44.07

Frequency Missing = 2

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How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	2	3.28
DOESNT DO IT	1	1.64
1/2 HR OR LESS	8	13.11
1 HR	33	54.10
2 HRS	13	21.31
MORE THAN 2 HRS	4	6.56

Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	5	8.20
ONCE/TWICE	27	44.26
3-5 TIMES	15	24.59
5-10 TIMES	8	13.11
11+ TIMES	6	9.84

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	6	9.84
ONCE/TWICE	43	70.49
3-5 TIMES	10	16.39
11+ TIMES	2	3.28

Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	6	9.84
ONCE/TWICE	39	63.93
3-5 TIMES	13	21.31
5-10 TIMES	1	1.64
11+ TIMES	2	3.28

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Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	12	19.67
ONCE/TWICE	17	27.87
3-5 TIMES	19	31.15
5-10 TIMES	6	9.84
11+ TIMES	7	11.48

Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	24	39.34
ONCE/TWICE	13	21.31
3-5 TIMES	15	24.59
5-10 TIMES	6	9.84
11+ TIMES	3	4.92

Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	44	72.13
ONCE/TWICE	11	18.03
3-5 TIMES	2	3.28
5-10 TIMES	1	1.64
11+ TIMES	3	4.92

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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	13	21.67
B	27	45.00
C	15	25.00
D	2	3.33
F	1	1.67
DONT KNOW	2	3.33

Frequency Missing = 1

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	18	29.51
C	21	34.43
D	7	11.48
DONT KNOW	15	24.59

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	2	3.28
YES	59	96.72

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I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	11	18.03
YES	50	81.97

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	15	24.59
YES	46	75.41

I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	3	4.92
YES	58	95.08

I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	2	3.28
YES	59	96.72

My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	8	13.11
YES	53	86.89

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My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	12	19.67
YES	49	80.33

Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
OCCASIONALLY	4	6.56
REGULARLY	57	93.44

Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	6	9.84
RARELY	7	11.48
OCCASIONALLY	34	55.74
REGULARLY	14	22.95

Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
RARELY	7	11.48
OCCASIONALLY	32	52.46
REGULARLY	22	36.07

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.	9	14.8	29	47.5	16	26.2	7	11.5	0	0.0	0
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	18	29.5	29	47.5	11	18.0	2	3.3	1	1.6	0
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	11	18.3	34	56.7	11	18.3	4	6.7	0	0.0	1
26 - My child likes attending this school.	18	29.5	32	52.5	8	13.1	3	4.9	0	0.0	0

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27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	28	45.9	28	45.9	3	4.9	1	1.6	1	1.6	0
28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	18	29.5	30	49.2	11	18.0	2	3.3	0	0.0	0
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	17	27.9	34	55.7	10	16.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	25	41.0	34	55.7	2	3.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	19	31.1	32	52.5	5	8.2	4	6.6	1	1.6	0
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	24	39.3	30	49.2	5	8.2	2	3.3	0	0.0	0
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	18	29.5	32	52.5	10	16.4	0	0.0	1	1.6	0
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	10	16.4	26	42.6	19	31.1	4	6.6	2	3.3	0
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	13	21.3	23	37.7	13	21.3	6	9.8	6	9.8	0
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	4	6.6	7	11.5	7	11.5	25	41.0	18	29.5	0
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	8	13.1	35	57.4	14	23.0	3	4.9	1	1.6	0
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	15	24.6	31	50.8	13	21.3	2	3.3	0	0.0	0
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	9	15.3	24	40.7	24	40.7	1	1.7	1	1.7	2
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	36	60.0	19	31.7	3	5.0	1	1.7	1	1.7	1
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	14	23.0	33	54.1	11	18.0	2	3.3	1	1.6	0
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	25	41.0	30	49.2	6	9.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	9	15.0	27	45.0	23	38.3	1	1.7	0	0.0	1
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	7	11.5	38	62.3	15	24.6	1	1.6	0	0.0	0
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	14	23.0	33	54.1	7	11.5	5	8.2	2	3.3	0
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	11	18.0	32	52.5	13	21.3	4	6.6	1	1.6	0
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	16	26.2	30	49.2	10	16.4	4	6.6	1	1.6	0
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	17	27.9	37	60.7	6	9.8	1	1.6	0	0.0	0
49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	18	29.5	36	59.0	7	11.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	7	11.7	25	41.7	22	36.7	6	10.0	0	0.0	1

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51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	18	29.5	28	45.9	11	18.0	3	4.9	1	1.6	0
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	11	18.3	16	26.7	29	48.3	4	6.7	0	0.0	1
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	14	23.0	28	45.9	16	26.2	2	3.3	1	1.6	0
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	10	16.7	22	36.7	19	31.7	8	13.3	1	1.7	1
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	21	34.4	30	49.2	9	14.8	1	1.6	0	0.0	0
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	13	21.3	27	44.3	14	23.0	6	9.8	1	1.6	0
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	11	18.0	38	62.3	9	14.8	3	4.9	0	0.0	0
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	10	16.4	33	54.1	15	24.6	2	3.3	1	1.6	0
59 - My child has fun learning.	10	16.7	32	53.3	13	21.7	5	8.3	0	0.0	1
60 - The community is proud of this school.	18	29.5	34	55.7	8	13.1	1	1.6	0	0.0	0
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	13	22.0	29	49.2	9	15.3	6	10.2	2	3.4	2
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	36	59.0	24	39.3	1	1.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	20	32.8	33	54.1	6	9.8	1	1.6	1	1.6	0
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	19	31.1	32	52.5	8	13.1	2	3.3	0	0.0	0
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	15	24.6	31	50.8	12	19.7	3	4.9	0	0.0	0
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	22	36.1	37	60.7	2	3.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	16	26.2	31	50.8	10	16.4	4	6.6	0	0.0	0
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	11	18.0	33	54.1	14	23.0	1	1.6	2	3.3	0
69 - I am supportive of academic programs the school has to offer.	22	36.7	30	50.0	7	11.7	1	1.7	0	0.0	1
70 - I help and/or monitor my child's homework.	29	48.3	27	45.0	4	6.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
71 - School is challenging for my child.	11	18.3	35	58.3	8	13.3	6	10.0	0	0.0	1
72 - The school discipline policies are supported at home.	25	41.7	22	36.7	11	18.3	1	1.7	1	1.7	1
73 - The current block schedule is beneficial to my child's education in the middle school or high school.	19	31.7	22	36.7	11	18.3	4	6.7	4	6.7	1
74 - The school addresses the needs of a diverse student population.	5	8.3	32	53.3	19	31.7	3	5.0	1	1.7	1
75 - The school works well with area colleges and community colleges.	12	20.3	25	42.4	19	32.2	2	3.4	1	1.7	2
76 - The school provides me with information to help my child achieve at his/her school.	13	22.0	24	40.7	13	22.0	8	13.6	1	1.7	2

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77 - The school has a positive effect on the community.	12	20.3	38	64.4	8	13.6	1	1.7	0	0.0	2
78 - I see the need for adult education programs within the school district.	6	10.2	23	39.0	29	49.2	1	1.7	0	0.0	2