

MSIP Advanced Questionnaire
Parent Frequency Distribution Report
LAFAYETTE CO. MIDDLE, LAFAYETTE CO. C-1 School District

In what grade is your child?		
PRt1	Frequency	Percent
6TH	61	44.53
7TH	37	27.01
8TH	39	28.47

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	56	41.79
Girl	78	58.21

Frequency Missing = 3

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	112	83.58
FATHER	18	13.43
STEPFATHER	1	0.75
GRANDMOTHER	3	2.24

Frequency Missing = 3

How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	6	4.38
1	47	34.31
2	81	59.12
3 OR MORE	3	2.19

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How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	27	19.71
5 - 10 YRS	20	14.60
11 - 15 YRS	20	14.60
OVER 15 YRS	70	51.09

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	37	27.61
2 HRS	54	40.30
3 HRS	27	20.15
4 HRS	14	10.45
5 HRS	2	1.49

Frequency Missing = 3

Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	23	16.79
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	88	64.23
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	20	14.60
OTHER	6	4.38

Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	130	95.59
AFR. AMERICAN (N-HISPC)	1	0.74
AMERICAN INDIAN	3	2.21
HISPANIC	1	0.74
MULTI-RACIAL	1	0.74

Frequency Missing = 1

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How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
1	26	18.98
2	65	47.45
3	27	19.71
4	14	10.22
5	4	2.92
6	1	0.73

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	131	95.62
YES	6	4.38

Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	122	89.05
YES	15	10.95

Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	130	94.89
YES	7	5.11

Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	124	90.51
YES	13	9.49

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Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	2	1.46
30 - 39	66	48.18
40 - 49	60	43.80
50 - 59	7	5.11
60 OR OVER	2	1.46

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	11	8.33
2 YR COLL/TECH	14	10.61
4 YR COLLEGE	97	73.48
OTHER	10	7.58

Frequency Missing = 5

Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
ELEM. SCHOOL	3	2.19
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	7	5.11
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	53	38.69
SOME COLLEGE	42	30.66
COLLEGE GRADUATE	21	15.33
GRADUATE SCHOOL	11	8.03

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Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	8	6.11
10,000 - 19,999	15	11.45
20,000 - 29,999	14	10.69
30,000 - 39,999	12	9.16
40,000 - 49,999	21	16.03
50,000 - 59,999	22	16.79
60,000 - 69,999	12	9.16
OVER \$70,000	27	20.61

Frequency Missing = 6

Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	51	37.50
HALF A & B	46	33.82
MOSTLY B	16	11.76
HALF B & C	14	10.29
MOSTLY C	2	1.47
HALF C & D	7	5.15

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	53	41.09
GOTTEN WORSE	14	10.85
STAYED THE SAME	62	48.06

Frequency Missing = 8

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How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	2	1.47
DOESNT DO IT	1	0.74
1/2 HR OR LESS	15	11.03
1 HR	59	43.38
2 HRS	42	30.88
MORE THAN 2 HRS	17	12.50

Frequency Missing = 1

Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	5	3.76
ONCE/TWICE	72	54.14
3-5 TIMES	37	27.82
5-10 TIMES	9	6.77
11+ TIMES	10	7.52

Frequency Missing = 4

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	12	8.89
ONCE/TWICE	90	66.67
3-5 TIMES	27	20.00
5-10 TIMES	4	2.96
11+ TIMES	2	1.48

Frequency Missing = 2

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Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	8	5.88
ONCE/TWICE	91	66.91
3-5 TIMES	32	23.53
5-10 TIMES	3	2.21
11+ TIMES	2	1.47

Frequency Missing = 1

Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	37	27.41
ONCE/TWICE	48	35.56
3-5 TIMES	30	22.22
5-10 TIMES	9	6.67
11+ TIMES	11	8.15

Frequency Missing = 2

Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	67	49.63
ONCE/TWICE	39	28.89
3-5 TIMES	15	11.11
5-10 TIMES	4	2.96
11+ TIMES	10	7.41

Frequency Missing = 2

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Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	102	75.56
ONCE/TWICE	20	14.81
3-5 TIMES	6	4.44
5-10 TIMES	4	2.96
11+ TIMES	3	2.22

Frequency Missing = 2

<p style="text-align: center;">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?</p>		
prt19	Frequency	Percent
A	17	12.69
B	61	45.52
C	37	27.61
D	8	5.97
F	3	2.24
DONT KNOW	8	5.97

Frequency Missing = 3

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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
A	4	2.99
B	21	15.67
C	62	46.27
D	15	11.19
F	1	0.75
DONT KNOW	31	23.13

Frequency Missing = 3

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	8	5.93
YES	127	94.07

Frequency Missing = 2

I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	23	17.04
YES	112	82.96

Frequency Missing = 2

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	43	31.62
YES	93	68.38

Frequency Missing = 1

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I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	10	7.35
YES	126	92.65

Frequency Missing = 1

I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	2	1.47
YES	134	98.53

Frequency Missing = 1

My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	19	13.97
YES	117	86.03

Frequency Missing = 1

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	24	17.65
YES	112	82.35

Frequency Missing = 1

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Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
RARELY	3	2.21
OCCASIONALLY	20	14.71
REGULARLY	113	83.09

Frequency Missing = 1

Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	6	4.44
RARELY	33	24.44
OCCASIONALLY	59	43.70
REGULARLY	37	27.41

Frequency Missing = 2

Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	2	1.47
RARELY	16	11.76
OCCASIONALLY	69	50.74
REGULARLY	49	36.03

Frequency Missing = 1

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	6.6	70	51.5	39	28.7	16	11.8	2	1.5	1
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	17	12.5	90	66.2	20	14.7	8	5.9	1	0.7	1
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	8	5.9	79	58.1	44	32.4	3	2.2	2	1.5	1
26 - My child likes attending this school.	36	26.7	67	49.6	14	10.4	15	11.1	3	2.2	2
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	43	31.6	70	51.5	13	9.6	9	6.6	1	0.7	1
28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	17	12.7	87	64.9	24	17.9	6	4.5	0	0.0	3

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	23	17.2	82	61.2	21	15.7	6	4.5	2	1.5	3
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	34	25.0	83	61.0	16	11.8	1	0.7	2	1.5	1
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	31	23.0	85	63.0	13	9.6	5	3.7	1	0.7	2
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	32	23.7	78	57.8	17	12.6	6	4.4	2	1.5	2
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	29	21.5	79	58.5	20	14.8	7	5.2	0	0.0	2
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	17	12.7	72	53.7	38	28.4	7	5.2	0	0.0	3
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	10	7.5	64	47.8	43	32.1	12	9.0	5	3.7	3
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	8	5.9	22	16.3	30	22.2	51	37.8	24	17.8	2
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	20	14.9	73	54.5	29	21.6	9	6.7	3	2.2	3
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	30	22.6	72	54.1	27	20.3	2	1.5	2	1.5	4
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	9	6.8	51	38.3	51	38.3	14	10.5	8	6.0	4
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	62	45.9	67	49.6	5	3.7	1	0.7	0	0.0	2
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	20	14.9	85	63.4	26	19.4	3	2.2	0	0.0	3
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	42	31.1	81	60.0	10	7.4	2	1.5	0	0.0	2
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	19	14.7	63	48.8	44	34.1	3	2.3	0	0.0	8
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	9	6.7	59	44.0	49	36.6	13	9.7	4	3.0	3
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	18	13.3	66	48.9	32	23.7	14	10.4	5	3.7	2
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	11	8.1	68	50.4	40	29.6	10	7.4	6	4.4	2
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	18	13.3	74	54.8	25	18.5	9	6.7	9	6.7	2
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	20	14.9	87	64.9	21	15.7	5	3.7	1	0.7	3
49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	26	19.3	93	68.9	12	8.9	4	3.0	0	0.0	2
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	10	7.5	46	34.3	61	45.5	15	11.2	2	1.5	3
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	30	22.2	72	53.3	24	17.8	7	5.2	2	1.5	2
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	7	5.2	55	41.0	63	47.0	7	5.2	2	1.5	3

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	7	5.2	76	56.3	35	25.9	8	5.9	9	6.7	2
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	9	6.7	59	43.7	45	33.3	16	11.9	6	4.4	2
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	29	21.5	82	60.7	20	14.8	3	2.2	1	0.7	2
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	11	8.2	68	50.7	30	22.4	20	14.9	5	3.7	3
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	10	7.4	88	64.7	26	19.1	11	8.1	1	0.7	1
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	12	9.0	68	50.7	45	33.6	5	3.7	4	3.0	3
59 - My child has fun learning.	14	10.4	64	47.4	42	31.1	11	8.1	4	3.0	2
60 - The community is proud of this school.	25	18.5	79	58.5	27	20.0	4	3.0	0	0.0	2
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	15	11.1	71	52.6	24	17.8	15	11.1	10	7.4	2
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	70	51.5	63	46.3	3	2.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	32	23.5	71	52.2	27	19.9	5	3.7	1	0.7	1
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	17	12.5	78	57.4	30	22.1	7	5.1	4	2.9	1
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	17	12.6	79	58.5	26	19.3	11	8.1	2	1.5	2
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	35	25.7	85	62.5	14	10.3	1	0.7	1	0.7	1
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	20	14.7	81	59.6	21	15.4	8	5.9	6	4.4	1
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	19	14.1	79	58.5	28	20.7	7	5.2	2	1.5	2

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