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In what grade is your child?		
PRt1	Frequency	Percent
9TH	78	33.19
10TH	51	21.70
11TH	59	25.11
12TH	47	20.00

Frequency Missing = 3

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	104	44.83
Girl	128	55.17

Frequency Missing = 6

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	186	78.81
FATHER	35	14.83
STEPMOTHER	2	0.85
STEPFATHER	1	0.42
GRANDMOTHER	4	1.69
OTHER RELATIVE	2	0.85
UNRELATED	6	2.54

Frequency Missing = 2

How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	12	5.04
1	88	36.97
2	128	53.78
3 OR MORE	10	4.20

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How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	68	28.57
5 - 10 YRS	51	21.43
11 - 15 YRS	31	13.03
OVER 15 YRS	88	36.97

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	76	31.93
2 HRS	85	35.71
3 HRS	53	22.27
4 HRS	20	8.40
5 HRS	2	0.84
6 + HRS	2	0.84

Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	57	24.05
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	138	58.23
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	35	14.77
OTHER	7	2.95

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Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	227	96.19
ASIAN	1	0.42
AMERICAN INDIAN	4	1.69
HISPANIC	2	0.85
MULTI-RACIAL	2	0.85

Frequency Missing = 2

How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
NONE	9	3.78
1	84	35.29
2	77	32.35
3	48	20.17
4	11	4.62
5	5	2.10
6	4	1.68

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	206	86.55
YES	32	13.45

Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	212	89.08
YES	26	10.92

Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	227	95.38
YES	11	4.62

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Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	216	90.76
YES	22	9.24

Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	3	1.28
30 - 39	98	41.70
40 - 49	113	48.09
50 - 59	18	7.66
60 OR OVER	3	1.28

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	29	12.29
2 YR COLL/TECH	67	28.39
4 YR COLLEGE	123	52.12
OTHER	17	7.20

Frequency Missing = 2

Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	16	6.90
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	91	39.22
SOME COLLEGE	70	30.17
COLLEGE GRADUATE	36	15.52
GRADUATE SCHOOL	19	8.19

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Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	12	5.31
10,000 - 19,999	24	10.62
20,000 - 29,999	35	15.49
30,000 - 39,999	32	14.16
40,000 - 49,999	35	15.49
50,000 - 59,999	31	13.72
60,000 - 69,999	21	9.29
OVER \$70,000	36	15.93

Frequency Missing = 12

Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	70	29.79
HALF A & B	70	29.79
MOSTLY B	27	11.49
HALF B & C	34	14.47
MOSTLY C	17	7.23
HALF C & D	11	4.68
MOSTLY D	3	1.28
GRADE NOT GIVEN	3	1.28

Frequency Missing = 3

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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	100	44.64
GOTTEN WORSE	28	12.50
STAYED THE SAME	96	42.86

Frequency Missing = 14

How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	12	5.06
DOESNT DO IT	4	1.69
1/2 HR OR LESS	59	24.89
1 HR	102	43.04
2 HRS	50	21.10
MORE THAN 2 HRS	10	4.22

Frequency Missing = 1

Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	39	16.46
ONCE/TWICE	109	45.99
3-5 TIMES	63	26.58
5-10 TIMES	15	6.33
11+ TIMES	11	4.64

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Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	59	25.21
ONCE/TWICE	152	64.96
3-5 TIMES	20	8.55
5-10 TIMES	3	1.28

Frequency Missing = 4

Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	50	21.37
ONCE/TWICE	131	55.98
3-5 TIMES	45	19.23
5-10 TIMES	6	2.56
11+ TIMES	2	0.85

Frequency Missing = 4

Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	44	18.64
ONCE/TWICE	98	41.53
3-5 TIMES	56	23.73
5-10 TIMES	16	6.78
11+ TIMES	22	9.32

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Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	124	52.99
ONCE/TWICE	53	22.65
3-5 TIMES	24	10.26
5-10 TIMES	12	5.13
11+ TIMES	21	8.97

Frequency Missing = 4

Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	186	79.83
ONCE/TWICE	27	11.59
3-5 TIMES	10	4.29
5-10 TIMES	2	0.86
11+ TIMES	8	3.43

Frequency Missing = 5

<p>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	26	11.06
B	96	40.85
C	72	30.64
D	20	8.51
F	1	0.43
DONT KNOW	20	8.51

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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	5	2.13
B	28	11.91
C	113	48.09
D	42	17.87
F	8	3.40
DONT KNOW	39	16.60

Frequency Missing = 3

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	7	2.94
YES	231	97.06

I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	67	28.15
YES	171	71.85

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	93	39.24
YES	144	60.76

Frequency Missing = 1

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I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	16	6.72
YES	222	93.28

I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	25	10.50
YES	213	89.50

My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	50	21.01
YES	188	78.99

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	68	28.57
YES	170	71.43

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Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	1	0.42
RARELY	5	2.11
OCCASIONALLY	44	18.57
REGULARLY	187	78.90

Frequency Missing = 1

Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	1	0.42
RARELY	9	3.80
OCCASIONALLY	71	29.96
REGULARLY	156	65.82

Frequency Missing = 1

Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	1	0.42
RARELY	8	3.38
OCCASIONALLY	63	26.58
REGULARLY	165	69.62

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.	20	8.7	109	47.2	71	30.7	25	10.8	6	2.6	7
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	38	16.2	137	58.3	37	15.7	23	9.8	0	0.0	3
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	32	13.9	120	52.2	68	29.6	9	3.9	1	0.4	8
26 - My child likes attending this school.	53	22.8	113	48.7	43	18.5	17	7.3	6	2.6	6
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	62	26.8	125	54.1	34	14.7	8	3.5	2	0.9	7

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28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	40	17.2	134	57.8	50	21.6	7	3.0	1	0.4	6
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	46	20.0	128	55.7	49	21.3	6	2.6	1	0.4	8
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	49	21.1	136	58.6	31	13.4	15	6.5	1	0.4	6
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	46	19.6	132	56.2	40	17.0	13	5.5	4	1.7	3
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	55	23.5	124	53.0	46	19.7	6	2.6	3	1.3	4
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	128	54.5	95	40.4	12	5.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	30	12.9	90	38.6	77	33.0	26	11.2	10	4.3	5
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	32	13.7	111	47.4	64	27.4	20	8.5	7	3.0	4
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	18	7.7	22	9.4	51	21.9	80	34.3	62	26.6	5
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	20	8.5	111	47.4	78	33.3	17	7.3	8	3.4	4
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	36	15.4	124	53.0	53	22.6	17	7.3	4	1.7	4
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	16	6.8	66	28.2	115	49.1	26	11.1	11	4.7	4
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	112	47.5	105	44.5	17	7.2	2	0.8	0	0.0	2
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	46	19.7	100	42.9	71	30.5	15	6.4	1	0.4	5
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	74	31.9	125	53.9	32	13.8	1	0.4	0	0.0	6
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	45	19.6	106	46.1	72	31.3	7	3.0	0	0.0	8
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	24	10.4	96	41.6	95	41.1	11	4.8	5	2.2	7
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	35	15.1	89	38.4	79	34.1	23	9.9	6	2.6	6
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	30	13.0	88	38.1	86	37.2	20	8.7	7	3.0	7
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	37	15.8	106	45.3	75	32.1	11	4.7	5	2.1	4
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	37	15.7	156	66.4	33	14.0	8	3.4	1	0.4	3
49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	46	19.7	140	60.1	45	19.3	2	0.9	0	0.0	5
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	34	14.8	100	43.5	70	30.4	19	8.3	7	3.0	8
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	49	20.9	104	44.4	54	23.1	17	7.3	10	4.3	4

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	27	11.7	73	31.6	117	50.6	11	4.8	3	1.3	7
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	26	11.3	107	46.3	73	31.6	21	9.1	4	1.7	7
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	20	8.7	76	33.0	89	38.7	34	14.8	11	4.8	8
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	50	21.7	99	43.0	61	26.5	19	8.3	1	0.4	8
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	31	13.5	88	38.3	64	27.8	37	16.1	10	4.3	8
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	25	10.8	120	51.7	63	27.2	23	9.9	1	0.4	6
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	25	10.7	104	44.4	86	36.8	16	6.8	3	1.3	4
59 - My child has fun learning.	24	10.3	102	43.6	78	33.3	24	10.3	6	2.6	4
60 - The community is proud of this school.	54	23.2	131	56.2	41	17.6	6	2.6	1	0.4	5
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	27	11.5	85	36.3	64	27.4	44	18.8	14	6.0	4
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	114	48.3	112	47.5	8	3.4	2	0.8	0	0.0	2
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	59	25.0	126	53.4	37	15.7	7	3.0	7	3.0	2
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	47	20.2	105	45.1	70	30.0	10	4.3	1	0.4	5
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	35	15.1	104	44.8	62	26.7	21	9.1	10	4.3	6
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	46	19.7	130	55.8	52	22.3	4	1.7	1	0.4	5
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	38	16.2	120	51.3	61	26.1	11	4.7	4	1.7	4
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	31	13.4	104	44.8	71	30.6	21	9.1	5	2.2	6

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