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In what grade is your child?		
PRt1	Frequency	Percent
7TH	16	14.41
8TH	23	20.72
9TH	28	25.23
10TH	14	12.61
11TH	17	15.32
12TH	13	11.71

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	53	50.00
Girl	53	50.00

Frequency Missing = 5

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	92	82.88
FATHER	15	13.51
GRANDMOTHER	1	0.90
GRANDFATHER	1	0.90
OTHER RELATIVE	1	0.90
UNRELATED	1	0.90

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How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	6	5.45
1	40	36.36
2	61	55.45
3 OR MORE	3	2.73

Frequency Missing = 1

How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	17	15.32
5 - 10 YRS	14	12.61
11 - 15 YRS	14	12.61
OVER 15 YRS	66	59.46

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	28	25.23
2 HRS	39	35.14
3 HRS	24	21.62
4 HRS	18	16.22
5 HRS	1	0.90
6 + HRS	1	0.90

Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	18	16.22
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	77	69.37
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	14	12.61
OTHER	2	1.80

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Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	110	99.10
MULTI-RACIAL	1	0.90

How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
NONE	3	2.70
1	32	28.83
2	46	41.44
3	18	16.22
4	10	9.01
5	2	1.80

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	102	91.89
YES	9	8.11

Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	109	98.20
YES	2	1.80

Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	106	95.50
YES	5	4.50

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Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	103	92.79
YES	8	7.21

Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
30 - 39	45	40.54
40 - 49	55	49.55
50 - 59	10	9.01
60 OR OVER	1	0.90

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	18	16.98
2 YR COLL/TECH	16	15.09
4 YR COLLEGE	66	62.26
OTHER	6	5.66

Frequency Missing = 5

Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	6	5.41
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	59	53.15
SOME COLLEGE	31	27.93
COLLEGE GRADUATE	12	10.81
GRADUATE SCHOOL	3	2.70

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Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	5	5.00
10,000 - 19,999	14	14.00
20,000 - 29,999	21	21.00
30,000 - 39,999	19	19.00
40,000 - 49,999	15	15.00
50,000 - 59,999	11	11.00
60,000 - 69,999	8	8.00
OVER \$70,000	7	7.00

Frequency Missing = 11

Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	23	20.72
HALF A & B	37	33.33
MOSTLY B	23	20.72
HALF B & C	16	14.41
MOSTLY C	8	7.21
HALF C & D	2	1.80
MOSTLY D	2	1.80

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	26	24.07
GOTTEN WORSE	19	17.59
STAYED THE SAME	63	58.33

Frequency Missing = 3

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How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	4	3.64
DOESNT DO IT	1	0.91
1/2 HR OR LESS	30	27.27
1 HR	50	45.45
2 HRS	18	16.36
MORE THAN 2 HRS	7	6.36

Frequency Missing = 1

Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	16	14.41
ONCE/TWICE	45	40.54
3-5 TIMES	31	27.93
5-10 TIMES	14	12.61
11+ TIMES	5	4.50

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	38	34.55
ONCE/TWICE	57	51.82
3-5 TIMES	12	10.91
5-10 TIMES	2	1.82
11+ TIMES	1	0.91

Frequency Missing = 1

Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	27	24.32
ONCE/TWICE	51	45.95
3-5 TIMES	27	24.32
5-10 TIMES	5	4.50
11+ TIMES	1	0.90

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Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	26	23.42
ONCE/TWICE	32	28.83
3-5 TIMES	26	23.42
5-10 TIMES	10	9.01
11+ TIMES	17	15.32

Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	55	49.55
ONCE/TWICE	24	21.62
3-5 TIMES	19	17.12
5-10 TIMES	2	1.80
11+ TIMES	11	9.91

Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	84	75.68
ONCE/TWICE	16	14.41
3-5 TIMES	3	2.70
5-10 TIMES	3	2.70
11+ TIMES	5	4.50

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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	4	3.64
B	44	40.00
C	44	40.00
D	15	13.64
F	1	0.91
DONT KNOW	2	1.82

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
A	1	0.91
B	19	17.27
C	45	40.91
D	15	13.64
DONT KNOW	30	27.27

Frequency Missing = 1

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	2	1.80
YES	109	98.20

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I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	10	9.01
YES	101	90.99

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	43	39.09
YES	67	60.91

Frequency Missing = 1

I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	11	9.91
YES	100	90.09

I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	16	14.55
YES	94	85.45

Frequency Missing = 1

My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	23	20.72
YES	88	79.28

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My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	29	26.13
YES	82	73.87

Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
RARELY	7	6.31
OCCASIONALLY	20	18.02
REGULARLY	84	75.68

Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	2	1.80
RARELY	16	14.41
OCCASIONALLY	35	31.53
REGULARLY	58	52.25

Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	1	0.90
RARELY	11	9.91
OCCASIONALLY	38	34.23
REGULARLY	61	54.95

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
23 - The way they teach at this school works well for my child.	6	5.4	59	53.2	31	27.9	13	11.7	2	1.8	0
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	12	10.9	69	62.7	22	20.0	4	3.6	3	2.7	1
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	8	7.2	64	57.7	27	24.3	11	9.9	1	0.9	0
26 - My child likes attending this school.	16	14.5	68	61.8	17	15.5	6	5.5	3	2.7	1
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	27	24.3	65	58.6	15	13.5	2	1.8	2	1.8	0
28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	14	12.7	58	52.7	32	29.1	5	4.5	1	0.9	1
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	19	17.1	66	59.5	20	18.0	6	5.4	0	0.0	0
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	20	18.3	66	60.6	15	13.8	7	6.4	1	0.9	2
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	29	26.1	62	55.9	14	12.6	5	4.5	1	0.9	0
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	25	22.7	61	55.5	18	16.4	4	3.6	2	1.8	1
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	12	10.8	75	67.6	14	12.6	6	5.4	4	3.6	0
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	14	12.7	45	40.9	34	30.9	10	9.1	7	6.4	1
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	5	4.5	48	43.2	26	23.4	19	17.1	13	11.7	0
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	10	9.0	8	7.2	30	27.0	36	32.4	27	24.3	0
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	11	9.9	51	45.9	33	29.7	8	7.2	8	7.2	0
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	17	15.3	62	55.9	21	18.9	8	7.2	3	2.7	0
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	8	7.3	53	48.2	26	23.6	15	13.6	8	7.3	1
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	47	42.3	58	52.3	3	2.7	2	1.8	1	0.9	0
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	10	9.1	73	66.4	21	19.1	3	2.7	3	2.7	1
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	24	21.8	76	69.1	9	8.2	1	0.9	0	0.0	1
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	7	6.3	62	55.9	35	31.5	4	3.6	3	2.7	0
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	4	3.6	55	49.5	42	37.8	6	5.4	4	3.6	0
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	8	7.2	63	56.8	29	26.1	9	8.1	2	1.8	0
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	8	7.2	56	50.5	32	28.8	12	10.8	3	2.7	0
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	9	8.1	62	55.9	25	22.5	12	10.8	3	2.7	0
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	12	10.9	79	71.8	14	12.7	4	3.6	1	0.9	1

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49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	10	9.0	86	77.5	14	12.6	1	0.9	0	0.0	0
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	4	3.6	51	45.9	37	33.3	12	10.8	7	6.3	0
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	13	11.9	54	49.5	29	26.6	9	8.3	4	3.7	2
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	10	9.0	41	36.9	51	45.9	5	4.5	4	3.6	0
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	5	4.5	62	55.9	25	22.5	16	14.4	3	2.7	0
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	6	5.4	51	45.9	31	27.9	14	12.6	9	8.1	0
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	11	9.9	57	51.4	31	27.9	7	6.3	5	4.5	0
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	8	7.3	50	45.5	28	25.5	12	10.9	12	10.9	1
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	4	3.6	67	60.4	30	27.0	5	4.5	5	4.5	0
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	7	6.3	50	45.0	38	34.2	10	9.0	6	5.4	0
59 - My child has fun learning.	5	4.5	62	55.9	34	30.6	6	5.4	4	3.6	0
60 - The community is proud of this school.	11	9.9	60	54.1	27	24.3	9	8.1	4	3.6	0
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	9	8.1	56	50.5	19	17.1	16	14.4	11	9.9	0
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	35	31.5	71	64.0	4	3.6	0	0.0	1	0.9	0
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	25	22.5	64	57.7	13	11.7	3	2.7	6	5.4	0
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	12	10.8	61	55.0	31	27.9	5	4.5	2	1.8	0
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	8	7.2	62	55.9	22	19.8	12	10.8	7	6.3	0
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	18	16.2	74	66.7	18	16.2	0	0.0	1	0.9	0
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	9	8.1	68	61.3	19	17.1	7	6.3	8	7.2	0
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	12	10.8	38	34.2	36	32.4	11	9.9	14	12.6	0

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