

MSIP Advanced Questionnaire
Parent Frequency Distribution Report
THAYER ELEM., WAYNESVILLE R-VI School District

In what grade is your child?		
PRt1	Frequency	Percent
K-1	68	38.20
2ND	38	21.35
3RD	24	13.48
4TH	27	15.17
5TH	20	11.24
8TH	1	0.56

Frequency Missing = 1

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	94	52.81
Girl	84	47.19

Frequency Missing = 1

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	141	79.66
FATHER	31	17.51
STEPMOTHER	3	1.69
STEPFATHER	1	0.56
OTHER RELATIVE	1	0.56

Frequency Missing = 2

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How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	2	1.12
1	101	56.74
2	73	41.01
3 OR MORE	2	1.12

Frequency Missing = 1

How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	168	94.38
5 - 10 YRS	10	5.62

Frequency Missing = 1

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	72	40.45
2 HRS	65	36.52
3 HRS	23	12.92
4 HRS	12	6.74
5 HRS	6	3.37

Frequency Missing = 1

Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	8	4.49
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	155	87.08
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	14	7.87
OTHER	1	0.56

Frequency Missing = 1

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Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	120	68.18
AFR. AMERICAN (N-HISPC)	29	16.48
ASIAN	5	2.84
AMERICAN INDIAN	1	0.57
HISPANIC	9	5.11
MULTI-RACIAL	12	6.82

Frequency Missing = 3

How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
1	26	14.69
2	95	53.67
3	40	22.60
4	8	4.52
5	7	3.95
6	1	0.56

Frequency Missing = 2

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	169	94.41
YES	10	5.59

Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	166	92.74
YES	13	7.26

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Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	176	98.32
YES	3	1.68

Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	159	88.83
YES	20	11.17

Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	28	15.64
30 - 39	121	67.60
40 - 49	28	15.64
50 - 59	2	1.12

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	6	3.51
2 YR COLL/TECH	5	2.92
4 YR COLLEGE	159	92.98
OTHER	1	0.58

Frequency Missing = 8

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Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	3	1.69
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	27	15.25
SOME COLLEGE	44	24.86
COLLEGE GRADUATE	72	40.68
GRADUATE SCHOOL	31	17.51

Frequency Missing = 2

Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	2	1.18
10,000 - 19,999	5	2.94
20,000 - 29,999	23	13.53
30,000 - 39,999	52	30.59
40,000 - 49,999	32	18.82
50,000 - 59,999	26	15.29
60,000 - 69,999	15	8.82
OVER \$70,000	15	8.82

Frequency Missing = 9

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Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	70	39.77
HALF A & B	34	19.32
MOSTLY B	6	3.41
HALF B & C	11	6.25
MOSTLY C	2	1.14
HALF C & D	1	0.57
MOSTLY D	1	0.57
GRADE NOT GIVEN	51	28.98

Frequency Missing = 3

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	47	40.87
GOTTEN WORSE	6	5.22
STAYED THE SAME	62	53.91

Frequency Missing = 64

How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	31	17.61
1/2 HR OR LESS	76	43.18
1 HR	55	31.25
2 HRS	12	6.82
MORE THAN 2 HRS	2	1.14

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Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	1	0.56
ONCE/TWICE	30	16.76
3-5 TIMES	52	29.05
5-10 TIMES	25	13.97
11+ TIMES	71	39.66

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	25	13.97
ONCE/TWICE	101	56.42
3-5 TIMES	48	26.82
5-10 TIMES	5	2.79

Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	19	10.67
ONCE/TWICE	94	52.81
3-5 TIMES	49	27.53
5-10 TIMES	9	5.06
11+ TIMES	7	3.93

Frequency Missing = 1

Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	10	5.59
ONCE/TWICE	39	21.79
3-5 TIMES	38	21.23
5-10 TIMES	33	18.44
11+ TIMES	59	32.96

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Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	97	54.49
ONCE/TWICE	48	26.97
3-5 TIMES	11	6.18
5-10 TIMES	7	3.93
11+ TIMES	15	8.43

Frequency Missing = 1

Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	81	45.51
ONCE/TWICE	46	25.84
3-5 TIMES	23	12.92
5-10 TIMES	10	5.62
11+ TIMES	18	10.11

Frequency Missing = 1

<p>Students are often given the grades A, B, C, D, and F to denote the quality of their work.</p> <p>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	32	17.98
B	79	44.38
C	39	21.91
D	8	4.49
F	3	1.69
DONT KNOW	17	9.55

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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	6	3.37
B	27	15.17
C	83	46.63
D	28	15.73
F	9	5.06
DONT KNOW	25	14.04

Frequency Missing = 1

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	18	10.11
YES	160	89.89

Frequency Missing = 1

I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	61	34.27
YES	117	65.73

Frequency Missing = 1

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	27	15.25
YES	150	84.75

Frequency Missing = 2

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I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	8	4.47
YES	171	95.53

I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	4	2.25
YES	174	97.75

Frequency Missing = 1

My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	26	14.61
YES	152	85.39

Frequency Missing = 1

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	40	22.47
YES	138	77.53

Frequency Missing = 1

Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
OCCASIONALLY	17	9.50
REGULARLY	162	90.50

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Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	60	34.88
RARELY	42	24.42
OCCASIONALLY	39	22.67
REGULARLY	31	18.02

Frequency Missing = 7

Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	25	14.53
RARELY	27	15.70
OCCASIONALLY	72	41.86
REGULARLY	48	27.91

Frequency Missing = 7

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.	40	22.5	90	50.6	26	14.6	19	10.7	3	1.7	1
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	57	32.0	90	50.6	19	10.7	11	6.2	1	0.6	1
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	46	26.1	101	57.4	25	14.2	4	2.3	0	0.0	3
26 - My child likes attending this school.	64	35.8	81	45.3	18	10.1	10	5.6	6	3.4	0
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	83	46.9	81	45.8	9	5.1	3	1.7	1	0.6	2
28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	54	30.3	99	55.6	18	10.1	7	3.9	0	0.0	1
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	28	16.0	72	41.1	51	29.1	20	11.4	4	2.3	4
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	75	42.1	89	50.0	8	4.5	4	2.2	2	1.1	1
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	59	33.1	97	54.5	19	10.7	3	1.7	0	0.0	1
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	68	38.6	88	50.0	14	8.0	4	2.3	2	1.1	3
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	32	18.2	86	48.9	40	22.7	13	7.4	5	2.8	3
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	13	7.4	51	29.0	68	38.6	29	16.5	15	8.5	3

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	25	14.0	89	49.7	39	21.8	17	9.5	9	5.0	0
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	18	10.2	17	9.6	28	15.8	67	37.9	47	26.6	2
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	26	14.7	92	52.0	45	25.4	10	5.6	4	2.3	2
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	56	31.3	95	53.1	15	8.4	10	5.6	3	1.7	0
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	13	7.3	48	27.1	103	58.2	7	4.0	6	3.4	2
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	94	52.8	73	41.0	11	6.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	38	21.6	103	58.5	29	16.5	4	2.3	2	1.1	3
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	32	18.5	102	59.0	36	20.8	2	1.2	1	0.6	6
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	10	5.9	48	28.2	99	58.2	5	2.9	8	4.7	9
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	64	36.2	75	42.4	23	13.0	10	5.6	5	2.8	2
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	54	30.5	77	43.5	29	16.4	11	6.2	6	3.4	2
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	32	18.3	90	51.4	41	23.4	8	4.6	4	2.3	4
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	52	29.4	88	49.7	26	14.7	8	4.5	3	1.7	2
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	50	28.2	109	61.6	13	7.3	4	2.3	1	0.6	2
49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	63	35.2	99	55.3	15	8.4	2	1.1	0	0.0	0
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	18	10.4	52	30.1	77	44.5	15	8.7	11	6.4	6
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	42	24.0	75	42.9	53	30.3	2	1.1	3	1.7	4
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	17	9.8	57	32.9	89	51.4	9	5.2	1	0.6	6
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	29	16.4	107	60.5	28	15.8	7	4.0	6	3.4	2
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	36	20.3	81	45.8	36	20.3	21	11.9	3	1.7	2
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	65	36.7	87	49.2	22	12.4	1	0.6	2	1.1	2
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	40	22.6	78	44.1	30	16.9	21	11.9	8	4.5	2
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	49	27.5	94	52.8	25	14.0	9	5.1	1	0.6	1
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	21	12.1	67	38.5	80	46.0	5	2.9	1	0.6	5

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
59 - My child has fun learning.	58	32.4	83	46.4	21	11.7	10	5.6	7	3.9	0
60 - The community is proud of this school.	35	19.9	78	44.3	57	32.4	3	1.7	3	1.7	3
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	58	32.4	80	44.7	18	10.1	16	8.9	7	3.9	0
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	111	62.0	65	36.3	3	1.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	67	37.9	76	42.9	27	15.3	5	2.8	2	1.1	2
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	70	39.1	79	44.1	22	12.3	6	3.4	2	1.1	0
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	40	22.6	79	44.6	39	22.0	13	7.3	6	3.4	2
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	77	43.3	85	47.8	13	7.3	3	1.7	0	0.0	1
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	53	29.6	89	49.7	23	12.8	10	5.6	4	2.2	0
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	35	19.7	73	41.0	52	29.2	14	7.9	4	2.2	1

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