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SOUTHWEST ELEM., LAWSON R-XIV School District***

In what grade is your child?		
PRt1	Frequency	Percent
K-1	137	43.63
2ND	76	24.20
3RD	54	17.20
4TH	47	14.97

Frequency Missing = 2

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	157	51.14
Girl	150	48.86

Frequency Missing = 9

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	273	86.94
FATHER	34	10.83
STEPMOTHER	4	1.27
STEPFATHER	1	0.32
GRANDMOTHER	2	0.64

Frequency Missing = 2

How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	5	1.58
1	119	37.66
2	186	58.86
3 OR MORE	6	1.90

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How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	117	37.38
5 - 10 YRS	87	27.80
11 - 15 YRS	35	11.18
OVER 15 YRS	74	23.64

Frequency Missing = 3

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	84	26.67
2 HRS	131	41.59
3 HRS	72	22.86
4 HRS	24	7.62
5 HRS	2	0.63
6 + HRS	2	0.63

Frequency Missing = 1

Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	31	9.81
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	243	76.90
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	34	10.76
OTHER	8	2.53

Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	314	99.37
AMERICAN INDIAN	1	0.32
HISPANIC	1	0.32

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How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
NONE	1	0.32
1	35	11.08
2	160	50.63
3	79	25.00
4	26	8.23
5	10	3.16
6	4	1.27
7 OR MORE	1	0.32

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	309	97.78
YES	7	2.22

Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	301	95.25
YES	15	4.75

Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	269	85.13
YES	47	14.87

Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	293	92.72
YES	23	7.28

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Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	61	19.30
30 - 39	187	59.18
40 - 49	67	21.20
50 - 59	1	0.32

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	17	5.82
2 YR COLL/TECH	45	15.41
4 YR COLLEGE	215	73.63
OTHER	15	5.14

Frequency Missing = 24

Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
ELEM. SCHOOL	2	0.65
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	22	7.10
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	92	29.68
SOME COLLEGE	103	33.23
COLLEGE GRADUATE	62	20.00
GRADUATE SCHOOL	29	9.35

Frequency Missing = 6

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Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	6	2.01
10,000 - 19,999	9	3.02
20,000 - 29,999	27	9.06
30,000 - 39,999	33	11.07
40,000 - 49,999	42	14.09
50,000 - 59,999	41	13.76
60,000 - 69,999	36	12.08
OVER \$70,000	104	34.90

Frequency Missing = 18

Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	113	36.33
HALF A & B	53	17.04
MOSTLY B	10	3.22
HALF B & C	13	4.18
MOSTLY C	4	1.29
HALF C & D	3	0.96
GRADE NOT GIVEN	115	36.98

Frequency Missing = 5

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	208	72.73
GOTTEN WORSE	10	3.50
STAYED THE SAME	68	23.78

Frequency Missing = 30

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How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	32	10.22
1/2 HR OR LESS	212	67.73
1 HR	63	20.13
2 HRS	6	1.92

Frequency Missing = 3

Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	3	0.96
ONCE/TWICE	40	12.78
3-5 TIMES	130	41.53
5-10 TIMES	72	23.00
11+ TIMES	68	21.73

Frequency Missing = 3

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	16	5.10
ONCE/TWICE	230	73.25
3-5 TIMES	63	20.06
5-10 TIMES	4	1.27
11+ TIMES	1	0.32

Frequency Missing = 2

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Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	9	2.88
ONCE/TWICE	228	73.08
3-5 TIMES	67	21.47
5-10 TIMES	6	1.92
11+ TIMES	2	0.64

Frequency Missing = 4

Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	38	12.14
ONCE/TWICE	90	28.75
3-5 TIMES	72	23.00
5-10 TIMES	42	13.42
11+ TIMES	71	22.68

Frequency Missing = 3

Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	178	57.42
ONCE/TWICE	72	23.23
3-5 TIMES	28	9.03
5-10 TIMES	16	5.16
11+ TIMES	16	5.16

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Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	197	63.14
ONCE/TWICE	61	19.55
3-5 TIMES	25	8.01
5-10 TIMES	9	2.88
11+ TIMES	20	6.41

Frequency Missing = 4

<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>		
pvt19	Frequency	Percent
A	139	44.41
B	130	41.53
C	18	5.75
D	11	3.51
DONT KNOW	15	4.79

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	2	0.64
B	33	10.54
C	154	49.20
D	63	20.13
F	1	0.32
DONT KNOW	60	19.17

Frequency Missing = 3

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	11	3.51
YES	302	96.49

Frequency Missing = 3

I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	92	29.39
YES	221	70.61

Frequency Missing = 3

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	93	29.81
YES	219	70.19

Frequency Missing = 4

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I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	18	5.79
YES	293	94.21

Frequency Missing = 5

I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	3	0.96
YES	309	99.04

Frequency Missing = 4

My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	68	21.73
YES	245	78.27

Frequency Missing = 3

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	108	34.50
YES	205	65.50

Frequency Missing = 3

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Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	1	0.32
RARELY	1	0.32
OCCASIONALLY	17	5.45
REGULARLY	293	93.91

Frequency Missing = 4

Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	109	35.05
RARELY	77	24.76
OCCASIONALLY	91	29.26
REGULARLY	34	10.93

Frequency Missing = 5

Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	54	17.36
RARELY	61	19.61
OCCASIONALLY	130	41.80
REGULARLY	66	21.22

Frequency Missing = 5

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.	107	34.2	178	56.9	21	6.7	7	2.2	0	0.0	3
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	138	44.2	157	50.3	12	3.8	4	1.3	1	0.3	4
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	136	43.5	167	53.4	10	3.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
26 - My child likes attending this school.	179	57.2	121	38.7	10	3.2	2	0.6	1	0.3	3
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	203	64.9	97	31.0	8	2.6	1	0.3	4	1.3	3

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	175	55.9	129	41.2	6	1.9	2	0.6	1	0.3	3
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	133	42.6	161	51.6	18	5.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	4
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	165	52.5	135	43.0	10	3.2	4	1.3	0	0.0	2
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	158	50.3	136	43.3	16	5.1	3	1.0	1	0.3	2
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	173	55.4	122	39.1	13	4.2	3	1.0	1	0.3	4
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	190	60.7	115	36.7	5	1.6	3	1.0	0	0.0	3
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	134	43.4	133	43.0	37	12.0	4	1.3	1	0.3	7
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	123	39.5	139	44.7	37	11.9	7	2.3	5	1.6	5
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	6	1.9	8	2.6	22	7.1	87	27.9	189	60.6	4
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	83	26.6	164	52.6	58	18.6	5	1.6	2	0.6	4
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	164	52.4	132	42.2	10	3.2	3	1.0	4	1.3	3
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	50	16.3	126	41.2	110	35.9	14	4.6	6	2.0	10
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	175	55.7	107	34.1	29	9.2	3	1.0	0	0.0	2
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	75	24.0	154	49.2	79	25.2	4	1.3	1	0.3	3
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	151	48.7	125	40.3	33	10.6	1	0.3	0	0.0	6
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	54	17.8	115	38.0	124	40.9	9	3.0	1	0.3	13
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	164	52.6	126	40.4	13	4.2	9	2.9	0	0.0	4
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	160	51.1	121	38.7	19	6.1	7	2.2	6	1.9	3
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	124	40.0	150	48.4	26	8.4	7	2.3	3	1.0	6
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	157	50.0	135	43.0	16	5.1	5	1.6	1	0.3	2
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	148	47.1	149	47.5	12	3.8	4	1.3	1	0.3	2
49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	149	48.1	140	45.2	14	4.5	6	1.9	1	0.3	6
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	56	18.3	102	33.3	129	42.2	15	4.9	4	1.3	10
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	102	33.0	143	46.3	59	19.1	2	0.6	3	1.0	7
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	66	21.9	119	39.4	110	36.4	5	1.7	2	0.7	14

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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.	115	36.7	161	51.4	30	9.6	6	1.9	1	0.3	3
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	158	50.6	134	42.9	15	4.8	4	1.3	1	0.3	4
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	155	49.4	137	43.6	16	5.1	5	1.6	1	0.3	2
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	122	39.0	144	46.0	32	10.2	10	3.2	5	1.6	3
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	120	38.1	172	54.6	16	5.1	5	1.6	2	0.6	1
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	99	31.8	142	45.7	61	19.6	7	2.3	2	0.6	5
59 - My child has fun learning.	147	46.7	146	46.3	18	5.7	1	0.3	3	1.0	1
60 - The community is proud of this school.	200	63.5	103	32.7	7	2.2	5	1.6	0	0.0	1
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	155	49.4	138	43.9	13	4.1	6	1.9	2	0.6	2
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	228	72.4	83	26.3	3	1.0	1	0.3	0	0.0	1
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	147	47.0	133	42.5	20	6.4	9	2.9	4	1.3	3
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	191	60.6	111	35.2	10	3.2	2	0.6	1	0.3	1
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	155	49.2	125	39.7	26	8.3	6	1.9	3	1.0	1
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	185	58.9	121	38.5	5	1.6	2	0.6	1	0.3	2
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	160	51.0	134	42.7	14	4.5	4	1.3	2	0.6	2
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	128	40.8	141	44.9	35	11.1	6	1.9	4	1.3	2

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