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Parent Frequency Distribution Report
BENTON ELEM., ST. CHARLES R-VI School District

In what grade is your child?		
PRt1	Frequency	Percent
K-1	68	34.17
2ND	23	11.56
3RD	35	17.59
4TH	35	17.59
5TH	38	19.10

Frequency Missing = 1

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	95	48.47
Girl	101	51.53

Frequency Missing = 4

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	167	83.92
FATHER	22	11.06
STEPMOTHER	3	1.51
STEPFATHER	3	1.51
GRANDMOTHER	2	1.01
OTHER RELATIVE	2	1.01

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How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	5	2.56
1	97	49.74
2	89	45.64
3 OR MORE	4	2.05

Frequency Missing = 5

How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	98	49.25
5 - 10 YRS	52	26.13
11 - 15 YRS	20	10.05
OVER 15 YRS	29	14.57

Frequency Missing = 1

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	51	25.89
2 HRS	91	46.19
3 HRS	36	18.27
4 HRS	11	5.58
5 HRS	5	2.54
6 + HRS	3	1.52

Frequency Missing = 3

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Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	53	26.77
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	105	53.03
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	31	15.66
OTHER	9	4.55

Frequency Missing = 2

Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	164	84.10
AFR. AMERICAN (N-HISPC)	16	8.21
ASIAN	5	2.56
AMERICAN INDIAN	2	1.03
HISPANIC	7	3.59
MULTI-RACIAL	1	0.51

Frequency Missing = 5

How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
1	34	17.44
2	81	41.54
3	47	24.10
4	24	12.31
5	9	4.62

Frequency Missing = 5

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	187	93.50
YES	13	6.50

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Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	194	97.00
YES	6	3.00

Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	166	83.00
YES	34	17.00

Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	183	91.50
YES	17	8.50

Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	49	24.75
30 - 39	105	53.03
40 - 49	40	20.20
50 - 59	4	2.02

Frequency Missing = 2

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	9	4.74
2 YR COLL/TECH	32	16.84
4 YR COLLEGE	138	72.63
OTHER	11	5.79

Frequency Missing = 10

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Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
ELEM. SCHOOL	6	3.11
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	16	8.29
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	50	25.91
SOME COLLEGE	69	35.75
COLLEGE GRADUATE	40	20.73
GRADUATE SCHOOL	12	6.22

Frequency Missing = 7

Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	21	10.94
10,000 - 19,999	11	5.73
20,000 - 29,999	26	13.54
30,000 - 39,999	36	18.75
40,000 - 49,999	24	12.50
50,000 - 59,999	31	16.15
60,000 - 69,999	13	6.77
OVER \$70,000	30	15.63

Frequency Missing = 8

Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	62	31.47
HALF A & B	42	21.32
MOSTLY B	17	8.63
HALF B & C	21	10.66
MOSTLY C	8	4.06
GRADE NOT GIVEN	47	23.86

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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	92	52.27
GOTTEN WORSE	6	3.41
STAYED THE SAME	78	44.32

Frequency Missing = 24

How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	40	20.00
1/2 HR OR LESS	77	38.50
1 HR	71	35.50
2 HRS	11	5.50
MORE THAN 2 HRS	1	0.50

Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	10	5.03
ONCE/TWICE	60	30.15
3-5 TIMES	66	33.17
5-10 TIMES	34	17.09
11+ TIMES	29	14.57

Frequency Missing = 1

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	18	9.00
ONCE/TWICE	158	79.00
3-5 TIMES	20	10.00
5-10 TIMES	3	1.50
11+ TIMES	1	0.50

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Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	33	16.84
ONCE/TWICE	107	54.59
3-5 TIMES	52	26.53
5-10 TIMES	2	1.02
11+ TIMES	2	1.02

Frequency Missing = 4

Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	23	11.62
ONCE/TWICE	72	36.36
3-5 TIMES	47	23.74
5-10 TIMES	22	11.11
11+ TIMES	34	17.17

Frequency Missing = 2

Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	120	60.61
ONCE/TWICE	35	17.68
3-5 TIMES	28	14.14
5-10 TIMES	6	3.03
11+ TIMES	9	4.55

Frequency Missing = 2

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Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	137	69.19
ONCE/TWICE	51	25.76
3-5 TIMES	6	3.03
5-10 TIMES	2	1.01
11+ TIMES	2	1.01

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	40	20.20
B	96	48.48
C	37	18.69
D	5	2.53
DONT KNOW	20	10.10

Frequency Missing = 2

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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	11	5.56
B	34	17.17
C	84	42.42
D	26	13.13
F	4	2.02
DONT KNOW	39	19.70

Frequency Missing = 2

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	29	14.50
YES	171	85.50

I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	88	44.22
YES	111	55.78

Frequency Missing = 1

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	55	27.78
YES	143	72.22

Frequency Missing = 2

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I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	9	4.55
YES	189	95.45

Frequency Missing = 2

I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	10	5.05
YES	188	94.95

Frequency Missing = 2

My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	69	34.50
YES	131	65.50

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	79	39.50
YES	121	60.50

Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
RARELY	1	0.50
OCCASIONALLY	12	6.00
REGULARLY	187	93.50

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Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	68	34.17
RARELY	42	21.11
OCCASIONALLY	50	25.13
REGULARLY	39	19.60

Frequency Missing = 1

Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	37	18.69
RARELY	36	18.18
OCCASIONALLY	72	36.36
REGULARLY	53	26.77

Frequency Missing = 2

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.	47	23.9	99	50.3	45	22.8	5	2.5	1	0.5	3
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	62	31.6	109	55.6	20	10.2	4	2.0	1	0.5	4
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	59	30.1	105	53.6	28	14.3	3	1.5	1	0.5	4
26 - My child likes attending this school.	105	53.3	80	40.6	8	4.1	3	1.5	1	0.5	3
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	105	53.6	78	39.8	10	5.1	1	0.5	2	1.0	4
28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	75	37.9	105	53.0	17	8.6	0	0.0	1	0.5	2
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	37	19.2	80	41.5	63	32.6	10	5.2	3	1.6	7
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	75	38.1	92	46.7	22	11.2	6	3.0	2	1.0	3
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	72	36.7	102	52.0	19	9.7	2	1.0	1	0.5	4
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	87	44.4	100	51.0	8	4.1	0	0.0	1	0.5	4
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	35	17.9	83	42.3	42	21.4	27	13.8	9	4.6	4
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	17	8.7	66	33.8	65	33.3	33	16.9	14	7.2	5

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	44	22.3	92	46.7	52	26.4	5	2.5	4	2.0	3
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	8	4.1	17	8.8	27	14.0	78	40.4	63	32.6	7
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	26	13.3	81	41.3	71	36.2	14	7.1	4	2.0	4
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	70	35.9	105	53.8	16	8.2	2	1.0	2	1.0	5
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	27	14.1	62	32.5	91	47.6	5	2.6	6	3.1	9
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	115	58.1	70	35.4	11	5.6	1	0.5	1	0.5	2
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	57	29.4	86	44.3	48	24.7	2	1.0	1	0.5	6
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	77	40.1	83	43.2	30	15.6	1	0.5	1	0.5	8
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	38	20.2	58	30.9	84	44.7	6	3.2	2	1.1	12
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	66	33.5	105	53.3	23	11.7	1	0.5	2	1.0	3
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	82	41.4	80	40.4	26	13.1	8	4.0	2	1.0	2
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	66	33.5	97	49.2	30	15.2	3	1.5	1	0.5	3
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	78	39.6	94	47.7	23	11.7	1	0.5	1	0.5	3
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	69	35.8	108	56.0	12	6.2	3	1.6	1	0.5	7
49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	71	36.0	107	54.3	17	8.6	1	0.5	1	0.5	3
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	22	11.6	54	28.6	98	51.9	9	4.8	6	3.2	11
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	39	20.1	79	40.7	63	32.5	8	4.1	5	2.6	6
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	27	14.4	56	29.8	101	53.7	4	2.1	0	0.0	12
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	45	23.1	103	52.8	39	20.0	6	3.1	2	1.0	5
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	47	24.5	87	45.3	45	23.4	10	5.2	3	1.6	8
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	71	36.8	96	49.7	23	11.9	2	1.0	1	0.5	7
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	45	23.7	84	44.2	38	20.0	17	8.9	6	3.2	10
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	56	29.2	97	50.5	31	16.1	7	3.6	1	0.5	8
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	32	16.9	75	39.7	71	37.6	5	2.6	6	3.2	11

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
59 - My child has fun learning.	77	39.3	101	51.5	16	8.2	0	0.0	2	1.0	4
60 - The community is proud of this school.	77	39.9	83	43.0	29	15.0	3	1.6	1	0.5	7
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	52	26.9	93	48.2	28	14.5	12	6.2	8	4.1	7
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	131	66.8	60	30.6	4	2.0	0	0.0	1	0.5	4
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	67	34.4	99	50.8	23	11.8	4	2.1	2	1.0	5
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	89	45.6	88	45.1	16	8.2	0	0.0	2	1.0	5
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	85	43.8	83	42.8	22	11.3	3	1.5	1	0.5	6
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	91	46.9	92	47.4	10	5.2	0	0.0	1	0.5	6
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	76	39.2	99	51.0	14	7.2	3	1.5	2	1.0	6
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	48	25.0	73	38.0	60	31.3	9	4.7	2	1.0	8

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