

MSIP Advanced Questionnaire
Parent Frequency Distribution Report
APPLETON CITY ELEM., APPLETON CITY R-II School District

In what grade is your child?		
PRt1	Frequency	Percent
K-1	47	31.97
2ND	19	12.93
3RD	21	14.29
4TH	25	17.01
5TH	35	23.81

Frequency Missing = 1

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	75	53.19
Girl	66	46.81

Frequency Missing = 7

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	120	82.19
FATHER	16	10.96
STEPMOTHER	2	1.37
STEPFATHER	2	1.37
GRANDMOTHER	5	3.42
OTHER RELATIVE	1	0.68

Frequency Missing = 2

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How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	7	4.76
1	70	47.62
2	68	46.26
3 OR MORE	2	1.36

Frequency Missing = 1

How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	47	31.97
5 - 10 YRS	40	27.21
11 - 15 YRS	12	8.16
OVER 15 YRS	48	32.65

Frequency Missing = 1

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	35	23.65
2 HRS	74	50.00
3 HRS	25	16.89
4 HRS	10	6.76
5 HRS	3	2.03
6 + HRS	1	0.68

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Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	22	14.97
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	93	63.27
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	28	19.05
OTHER	4	2.72

Frequency Missing = 1

Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	141	95.27
AFR. AMERICAN (N-HISPC)	1	0.68
AMERICAN INDIAN	1	0.68
HISPANIC	4	2.70
MULTI-RACIAL	1	0.68

How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
1	20	13.61
2	53	36.05
3	40	27.21
4	27	18.37
5	4	2.72
6	3	2.04

Frequency Missing = 1

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	138	93.24
YES	10	6.76

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Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	144	97.30
YES	4	2.70

Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	124	83.78
YES	24	16.22

Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	137	92.57
YES	11	7.43

Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	23	16.20
30 - 39	85	59.86
40 - 49	25	17.61
50 - 59	5	3.52
60 OR OVER	4	2.82

Frequency Missing = 6

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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	15	11.03
2 YR COLL/TECH	38	27.94
4 YR COLLEGE	70	51.47
OTHER	13	9.56

Frequency Missing = 12

Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
ELEM. SCHOOL	2	1.37
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	19	13.01
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	62	42.47
SOME COLLEGE	38	26.03
COLLEGE GRADUATE	20	13.70
GRADUATE SCHOOL	5	3.42

Frequency Missing = 2

Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	15	11.03
10,000 - 19,999	31	22.79
20,000 - 29,999	18	13.24
30,000 - 39,999	26	19.12
40,000 - 49,999	19	13.97
50,000 - 59,999	15	11.03
60,000 - 69,999	7	5.15
OVER \$70,000	5	3.68

Frequency Missing = 12

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Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	70	47.95
HALF A & B	34	23.29
MOSTLY B	5	3.42
HALF B & C	11	7.53
MOSTLY C	6	4.11
HALF C & D	3	2.05
BELOW D	1	0.68
GRADE NOT GIVEN	16	10.96

Frequency Missing = 2

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	42	31.58
GOTTEN WORSE	30	22.56
STAYED THE SAME	61	45.86

Frequency Missing = 15

How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	12	8.11
1/2 HR OR LESS	61	41.22
1 HR	59	39.86
2 HRS	12	8.11
MORE THAN 2 HRS	4	2.70

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Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	5	3.40
ONCE/TWICE	62	42.18
3-5 TIMES	34	23.13
5-10 TIMES	24	16.33
11+ TIMES	22	14.97

Frequency Missing = 1

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	16	11.03
ONCE/TWICE	101	69.66
3-5 TIMES	23	15.86
5-10 TIMES	1	0.69
11+ TIMES	4	2.76

Frequency Missing = 3

Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	24	16.44
ONCE/TWICE	80	54.79
3-5 TIMES	32	21.92
5-10 TIMES	6	4.11
11+ TIMES	4	2.74

Frequency Missing = 2

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Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	32	22.38
ONCE/TWICE	56	39.16
3-5 TIMES	25	17.48
5-10 TIMES	6	4.20
11+ TIMES	24	16.78

Frequency Missing = 5

Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	75	51.37
ONCE/TWICE	44	30.14
3-5 TIMES	14	9.59
5-10 TIMES	5	3.42
11+ TIMES	8	5.48

Frequency Missing = 2

Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	113	77.93
ONCE/TWICE	18	12.41
3-5 TIMES	7	4.83
5-10 TIMES	3	2.07
11+ TIMES	4	2.76

Frequency Missing = 3

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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	10	6.85
B	57	39.04
C	39	26.71
D	23	15.75
F	5	3.42
DONT KNOW	12	8.22

Frequency Missing = 2

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
B	33	22.76
C	48	33.10
D	21	14.48
F	6	4.14
DONT KNOW	37	25.52

Frequency Missing = 3

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	10	6.90
YES	135	93.10

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I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	34	23.29
YES	112	76.71

Frequency Missing = 2

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	37	25.34
YES	109	74.66

Frequency Missing = 2

I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	13	8.84
YES	134	91.16

Frequency Missing = 1

I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	2	1.36
YES	145	98.64

Frequency Missing = 1

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My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	62	42.47
YES	84	57.53

Frequency Missing = 2

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	79	53.74
YES	68	46.26

Frequency Missing = 1

Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
OCCASIONALLY	11	7.48
REGULARLY	136	92.52

Frequency Missing = 1

Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	41	28.08
RARELY	45	30.82
OCCASIONALLY	39	26.71
REGULARLY	21	14.38

Frequency Missing = 2

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Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	16	10.88
RARELY	45	30.61
OCCASIONALLY	61	41.50
REGULARLY	25	17.01

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.	15	10.1	76	51.4	40	27.0	14	9.5	3	2.0	0
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	24	16.2	89	60.1	25	16.9	8	5.4	2	1.4	0
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	25	17.0	89	60.5	30	20.4	3	2.0	0	0.0	1
26 - My child likes attending this school.	48	32.4	67	45.3	24	16.2	7	4.7	2	1.4	0
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	46	31.5	71	48.6	22	15.1	5	3.4	2	1.4	2
28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	22	14.9	83	56.1	29	19.6	14	9.5	0	0.0	0
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	19	12.8	72	48.6	48	32.4	8	5.4	1	0.7	0
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	46	31.1	85	57.4	15	10.1	2	1.4	0	0.0	0
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	30	20.3	86	58.1	26	17.6	6	4.1	0	0.0	0
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	34	23.0	84	56.8	26	17.6	2	1.4	2	1.4	0
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	20	13.7	81	55.5	31	21.2	12	8.2	2	1.4	2
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	10	6.9	56	38.6	56	38.6	19	13.1	4	2.8	3
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	13	8.8	69	46.9	42	28.6	16	10.9	7	4.8	1
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	21	14.2	11	7.4	37	25.0	48	32.4	31	20.9	0
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	12	8.2	83	56.8	33	22.6	11	7.5	7	4.8	2
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	28	18.9	84	56.8	31	20.9	3	2.0	2	1.4	0
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	10	6.8	50	34.2	67	45.9	13	8.9	6	4.1	2
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	65	43.9	68	45.9	15	10.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	18	12.2	71	48.0	52	35.1	4	2.7	3	2.0	0
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	47	32.2	76	52.1	20	13.7	3	2.1	0	0.0	2

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43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	19	13.4	61	43.0	58	40.8	3	2.1	1	0.7	6
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	36	24.5	72	49.0	35	23.8	4	2.7	0	0.0	1
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	27	18.4	72	49.0	23	15.6	24	16.3	1	0.7	1
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	17	11.9	67	46.9	45	31.5	13	9.1	1	0.7	5
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	25	17.1	74	50.7	33	22.6	13	8.9	1	0.7	2
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	31	21.1	92	62.6	20	13.6	4	2.7	0	0.0	1
49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	35	24.0	89	61.0	22	15.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	11	7.5	45	30.8	73	50.0	16	11.0	1	0.7	2
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	16	10.8	61	41.2	56	37.8	11	7.4	4	2.7	0
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	9	6.2	55	37.7	76	52.1	6	4.1	0	0.0	2
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	20	13.6	62	42.2	50	34.0	14	9.5	1	0.7	1
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	20	13.5	77	52.0	42	28.4	7	4.7	2	1.4	0
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	40	27.0	73	49.3	30	20.3	4	2.7	1	0.7	0
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	20	13.6	63	42.9	40	27.2	21	14.3	3	2.0	1
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	31	20.9	83	56.1	25	16.9	7	4.7	2	1.4	0
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	9	6.1	69	46.6	57	38.5	12	8.1	1	0.7	0
59 - My child has fun learning.	28	18.9	82	55.4	29	19.6	8	5.4	1	0.7	0
60 - The community is proud of this school.	22	14.9	66	44.6	46	31.1	11	7.4	3	2.0	0
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	33	22.3	79	53.4	23	15.5	10	6.8	3	2.0	0
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	78	52.7	64	43.2	5	3.4	1	0.7	0	0.0	0
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	31	21.2	84	57.5	26	17.8	4	2.7	1	0.7	2
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	43	29.5	70	47.9	29	19.9	4	2.7	0	0.0	2
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	22	15.0	76	51.7	35	23.8	7	4.8	7	4.8	1
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	41	27.7	81	54.7	25	16.9	1	0.7	0	0.0	0

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67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	27	18.4	79	53.7	24	16.3	13	8.8	4	2.7	1
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	16	11.0	68	46.9	43	29.7	11	7.6	7	4.8	3

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