

MSIP Advanced Questionnaire
Parent Frequency Distribution Report
SIKESTON KINDERGARTEN CTR., SIKESTON R-6 School District

In what grade is your child?		
PRt1	Frequency	Percent
K-1	144	100.00

Frequency Missing = 1

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	75	52.82
Girl	67	47.18

Frequency Missing = 3

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	132	91.67
FATHER	7	4.86
GRANDMOTHER	3	2.08
UNRELATED	2	1.39

Frequency Missing = 1

How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	15	10.34
1	65	44.83
2	61	42.07
3 OR MORE	4	2.76

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How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	43	29.86
5 - 10 YRS	27	18.75
11 - 15 YRS	13	9.03
OVER 15 YRS	61	42.36

Frequency Missing = 1

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	31	21.38
2 HRS	68	46.90
3 HRS	26	17.93
4 HRS	12	8.28
5 HRS	5	3.45
6 + HRS	3	2.07

Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	43	29.86
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	77	53.47
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	17	11.81
OTHER	7	4.86

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Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	101	71.13
AFR. AMERICAN (N-HISPC)	34	23.94
ASIAN	2	1.41
AMERICAN INDIAN	3	2.11
MULTI-RACIAL	2	1.41

Frequency Missing = 3

How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
NONE	1	0.70
1	30	20.98
2	59	41.26
3	37	25.87
4	12	8.39
5	2	1.40
6	1	0.70
7 OR MORE	1	0.70

Frequency Missing = 2

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	129	88.97
YES	16	11.03

Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	140	96.55
YES	5	3.45

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Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	106	73.10
YES	39	26.90

Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	141	97.24
YES	4	2.76

Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	62	42.76
30 - 39	60	41.38
40 - 49	18	12.41
50 - 59	5	3.45

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	10.87
2 YR COLL/TECH	13	9.42
4 YR COLLEGE	100	72.46
OTHER	10	7.25

Frequency Missing = 7

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Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
ELEM. SCHOOL	2	1.40
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	20	13.99
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	62	43.36
SOME COLLEGE	37	25.87
COLLEGE GRADUATE	13	9.09
GRADUATE SCHOOL	9	6.29

Frequency Missing = 2

Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	30	21.58
10,000 - 19,999	29	20.86
20,000 - 29,999	11	7.91
30,000 - 39,999	20	14.39
40,000 - 49,999	13	9.35
50,000 - 59,999	14	10.07
60,000 - 69,999	7	5.04
OVER \$70,000	15	10.79

Frequency Missing = 6

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Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	38	26.76
HALF A & B	8	5.63
MOSTLY B	4	2.82
HALF B & C	1	0.70
MOSTLY C	3	2.11
MOSTLY D	1	0.70
GRADE NOT GIVEN	87	61.27

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	63	46.32
GOTTEN WORSE	20	14.71
STAYED THE SAME	53	38.97

Frequency Missing = 9

How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	21	14.79
1/2 HR OR LESS	73	51.41
1 HR	40	28.17
2 HRS	8	5.63

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Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	5	3.45
ONCE/TWICE	64	44.14
3-5 TIMES	46	31.72
5-10 TIMES	16	11.03
11+ TIMES	14	9.66

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	34	23.45
ONCE/TWICE	89	61.38
3-5 TIMES	19	13.10
5-10 TIMES	3	2.07

Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	57	39.58
ONCE/TWICE	48	33.33
3-5 TIMES	36	25.00
5-10 TIMES	3	2.08

Frequency Missing = 1

Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	35	24.31
ONCE/TWICE	61	42.36
3-5 TIMES	26	18.06
5-10 TIMES	10	6.94
11+ TIMES	12	8.33

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Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	102	71.83
ONCE/TWICE	19	13.38
3-5 TIMES	8	5.63
5-10 TIMES	2	1.41
11+ TIMES	11	7.75

Frequency Missing = 3

Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	93	65.03
ONCE/TWICE	30	20.98
3-5 TIMES	10	6.99
5-10 TIMES	3	2.10
11+ TIMES	7	4.90

Frequency Missing = 2

<p>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	20	13.89
B	56	38.89
C	37	25.69
D	9	6.25
F	2	1.39
DONT KNOW	20	13.89

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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	5	3.47
B	27	18.75
C	56	38.89
D	6	4.17
F	7	4.86
DONT KNOW	43	29.86

Frequency Missing = 1

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	23	15.86
YES	122	84.14

I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	55	37.93
YES	90	62.07

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	35	24.31
YES	109	75.69

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I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	9	6.21
YES	136	93.79

I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	3	2.07
YES	142	97.93

My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	67	46.21
YES	78	53.79

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	78	53.79
YES	67	46.21

Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
RARELY	5	3.45
OCCASIONALLY	7	4.83
REGULARLY	133	91.72

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Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	72	49.66
RARELY	28	19.31
OCCASIONALLY	20	13.79
REGULARLY	25	17.24

Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	41	28.28
RARELY	27	18.62
OCCASIONALLY	42	28.97
REGULARLY	35	24.14

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.	55	37.9	69	47.6	19	13.1	2	1.4	0	0.0	0
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	57	39.6	75	52.1	9	6.3	2	1.4	1	0.7	1
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	67	46.5	61	42.4	14	9.7	2	1.4	0	0.0	1
26 - My child likes attending this school.	82	57.3	50	35.0	7	4.9	2	1.4	2	1.4	2
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	76	52.4	59	40.7	6	4.1	3	2.1	1	0.7	0
28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	72	49.7	63	43.4	9	6.2	1	0.7	0	0.0	0
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	31	21.7	72	50.3	28	19.6	9	6.3	3	2.1	2
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	61	42.4	70	48.6	7	4.9	5	3.5	1	0.7	1
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	54	37.2	73	50.3	11	7.6	3	2.1	4	2.8	0
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	67	46.2	69	47.6	9	6.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	66	45.8	69	47.9	7	4.9	1	0.7	1	0.7	1
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	24	16.6	54	37.2	54	37.2	10	6.9	3	2.1	0
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	43	29.7	71	49.0	23	15.9	4	2.8	4	2.8	0
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	8	5.5	12	8.3	17	11.7	57	39.3	51	35.2	0

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	12	8.3	42	29.2	57	39.6	23	16.0	10	6.9	1
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	73	50.7	61	42.4	8	5.6	1	0.7	1	0.7	1
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	19	13.2	50	34.7	60	41.7	9	6.3	6	4.2	1
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	63	43.4	65	44.8	17	11.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	32	22.4	64	44.8	43	30.1	3	2.1	1	0.7	2
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	36	25.9	57	41.0	44	31.7	2	1.4	0	0.0	6
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	27	19.1	56	39.7	54	38.3	4	2.8	0	0.0	4
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	77	53.5	52	36.1	11	7.6	2	1.4	2	1.4	1
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	61	42.4	58	40.3	17	11.8	5	3.5	3	2.1	1
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	55	37.9	59	40.7	25	17.2	5	3.4	1	0.7	0
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	58	40.0	67	46.2	13	9.0	5	3.4	2	1.4	0
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	57	39.3	77	53.1	11	7.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	57	39.3	73	50.3	13	9.0	1	0.7	1	0.7	0
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	17	12.2	44	31.7	68	48.9	9	6.5	1	0.7	6
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	41	29.1	68	48.2	29	20.6	3	2.1	0	0.0	4
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	27	19.0	50	35.2	59	41.5	3	2.1	3	2.1	3
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	43	29.7	80	55.2	19	13.1	2	1.4	1	0.7	0
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	60	42.0	71	49.7	10	7.0	2	1.4	0	0.0	2
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	61	42.7	58	40.6	20	14.0	2	1.4	2	1.4	2
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	50	34.7	68	47.2	14	9.7	8	5.6	4	2.8	1
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	55	38.2	69	47.9	18	12.5	1	0.7	1	0.7	1
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	38	26.8	60	42.3	37	26.1	6	4.2	1	0.7	3
59 - My child has fun learning.	78	53.8	56	38.6	8	5.5	3	2.1	0	0.0	0
60 - The community is proud of this school.	49	34.3	51	35.7	35	24.5	5	3.5	3	2.1	2

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	57	39.3	65	44.8	12	8.3	8	5.5	3	2.1	0
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	100	69.0	45	31.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	58	40.0	65	44.8	17	11.7	4	2.8	1	0.7	0
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	74	51.4	56	38.9	11	7.6	2	1.4	1	0.7	1
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	57	39.9	55	38.5	26	18.2	2	1.4	3	2.1	2
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	70	48.6	63	43.8	8	5.6	2	1.4	1	0.7	1
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	63	43.4	67	46.2	11	7.6	4	2.8	0	0.0	0
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	28	19.3	44	30.3	55	37.9	10	6.9	8	5.5	0

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