

***MSIP Advanced Questionnaire
Parent Frequency Distribution Report
T. S. HILL MIDDLE, DEXTER R-XI School District***

In what grade is your child?		
PRt1	Frequency	Percent
6TH	122	36.31
7TH	119	35.42
8TH	95	28.27

Frequency Missing = 2

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	153	46.65
Girl	175	53.35

Frequency Missing = 10

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	269	81.76
FATHER	43	13.07
STEPMOTHER	5	1.52
STEPFATHER	1	0.30
GRANDMOTHER	5	1.52
OTHER RELATIVE	4	1.22
UNRELATED	2	0.61

Frequency Missing = 9

How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	28	8.41
1	132	39.64
2	168	50.45
3 OR MORE	5	1.50

Frequency Missing = 5

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How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	73	21.92
5 - 10 YRS	57	17.12
11 - 15 YRS	64	19.22
OVER 15 YRS	139	41.74

Frequency Missing = 5

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	78	23.28
2 HRS	121	36.12
3 HRS	80	23.88
4 HRS	40	11.94
5 HRS	10	2.99
6 + HRS	6	1.79

Frequency Missing = 3

Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	79	23.72
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	186	55.86
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	56	16.82
OTHER	12	3.60

Frequency Missing = 5

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Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	328	98.50
ASIAN	2	0.60
AMERICAN INDIAN	2	0.60
MULTI-RACIAL	1	0.30

Frequency Missing = 5

How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
NONE	2	0.60
1	101	30.42
2	132	39.76
3	72	21.69
4	18	5.42
5	6	1.81
6	1	0.30

Frequency Missing = 6

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	302	89.35
YES	36	10.65

Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	315	93.20
YES	23	6.80

Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	325	96.15
YES	13	3.85

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Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	319	94.38
YES	19	5.62

Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	6	1.80
30 - 39	156	46.71
40 - 49	141	42.22
50 - 59	25	7.49
60 OR OVER	6	1.80

Frequency Missing = 4

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	39	11.89
2 YR COLL/TECH	53	16.16
4 YR COLLEGE	212	64.63
OTHER	24	7.32

Frequency Missing = 10

Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
ELEM. SCHOOL	7	2.13
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	46	13.98
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	112	34.04
SOME COLLEGE	90	27.36
COLLEGE GRADUATE	52	15.81
GRADUATE SCHOOL	22	6.69

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Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	32	10.42
10,000 - 19,999	51	16.61
20,000 - 29,999	46	14.98
30,000 - 39,999	42	13.68
40,000 - 49,999	35	11.40
50,000 - 59,999	17	5.54
60,000 - 69,999	18	5.86
OVER \$70,000	66	21.50

Frequency Missing = 31

Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	101	30.42
HALF A & B	110	33.13
MOSTLY B	22	6.63
HALF B & C	62	18.67
MOSTLY C	12	3.61
HALF C & D	17	5.12
MOSTLY D	6	1.81
BELOW D	2	0.60

Frequency Missing = 6

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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	123	38.68
GOTTEN WORSE	47	14.78
STAYED THE SAME	148	46.54

Frequency Missing = 20

How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	10	3.03
1/2 HR OR LESS	71	21.52
1 HR	169	51.21
2 HRS	62	18.79
MORE THAN 2 HRS	18	5.45

Frequency Missing = 8

Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	50	15.02
ONCE/TWICE	180	54.05
3-5 TIMES	75	22.52
5-10 TIMES	15	4.50
11+ TIMES	13	3.90

Frequency Missing = 5

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Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	46	13.77
ONCE/TWICE	239	71.56
3-5 TIMES	37	11.08
5-10 TIMES	7	2.10
11+ TIMES	5	1.50

Frequency Missing = 4

Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	80	24.02
ONCE/TWICE	205	61.56
3-5 TIMES	37	11.11
5-10 TIMES	8	2.40
11+ TIMES	3	0.90

Frequency Missing = 5

Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	142	42.64
ONCE/TWICE	112	33.63
3-5 TIMES	43	12.91
5-10 TIMES	16	4.80
11+ TIMES	20	6.01

Frequency Missing = 5

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Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	211	63.17
ONCE/TWICE	80	23.95
3-5 TIMES	22	6.59
5-10 TIMES	11	3.29
11+ TIMES	10	2.99

Frequency Missing = 4

Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	287	86.45
ONCE/TWICE	27	8.13
3-5 TIMES	11	3.31
5-10 TIMES	1	0.30
11+ TIMES	6	1.81

Frequency Missing = 6

<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	65	19.52
B	137	41.14
C	68	20.42
D	35	10.51
F	11	3.30
DONT KNOW	17	5.11

Frequency Missing = 5

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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	3.30
B	68	20.42
C	145	43.54
D	41	12.31
F	3	0.90
DONT KNOW	65	19.52

Frequency Missing = 5

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	14	4.18
YES	321	95.82

Frequency Missing = 3

I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	89	26.73
YES	244	73.27

Frequency Missing = 5

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	140	41.92
YES	194	58.08

Frequency Missing = 4

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I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	19	5.64
YES	318	94.36

Frequency Missing = 1

I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	20	5.95
YES	316	94.05

Frequency Missing = 2

My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	83	24.85
YES	251	75.15

Frequency Missing = 4

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	116	34.73
YES	218	65.27

Frequency Missing = 4

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Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	1	0.30
RARELY	8	2.40
OCCASIONALLY	70	20.96
REGULARLY	255	76.35

Frequency Missing = 4

Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	17	5.11
RARELY	49	14.71
OCCASIONALLY	140	42.04
REGULARLY	127	38.14

Frequency Missing = 5

Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	11	3.30
RARELY	23	6.91
OCCASIONALLY	139	41.74
REGULARLY	160	48.05

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.	44	13.1	145	43.0	96	28.5	35	10.4	17	5.0	1
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	66	19.9	172	52.0	50	15.1	31	9.4	12	3.6	7
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	56	17.0	189	57.4	68	20.7	9	2.7	7	2.1	9
26 - My child likes attending this school.	94	28.1	141	42.2	62	18.6	16	4.8	21	6.3	4
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	119	35.5	146	43.6	43	12.8	18	5.4	9	2.7	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.	88	26.3	161	48.2	64	19.2	15	4.5	6	1.8	4
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	86	25.8	198	59.5	43	12.9	5	1.5	1	0.3	5
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	105	31.5	176	52.9	32	9.6	17	5.1	3	0.9	5
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	86	25.8	177	53.2	53	15.9	13	3.9	4	1.2	5
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	86	25.8	163	48.9	61	18.3	14	4.2	9	2.7	5
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	100	30.0	190	57.1	34	10.2	4	1.2	5	1.5	5
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	71	21.2	143	42.7	84	25.1	26	7.8	11	3.3	3
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	41	12.2	143	42.7	83	24.8	37	11.0	31	9.3	3
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	42	12.7	35	10.5	72	21.7	89	26.8	94	28.3	6
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	27	8.1	144	43.2	107	32.1	33	9.9	22	6.6	5
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	62	18.7	169	50.9	66	19.9	22	6.6	13	3.9	6
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	25	7.5	103	31.0	137	41.3	41	12.3	26	7.8	6
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	159	47.6	153	45.8	20	6.0	1	0.3	1	0.3	4
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	43	13.1	161	49.1	93	28.4	19	5.8	12	3.7	10
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	107	32.2	191	57.5	31	9.3	3	0.9	0	0.0	6
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	42	12.9	122	37.5	148	45.5	9	2.8	4	1.2	13
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	37	11.1	157	47.0	117	35.0	12	3.6	11	3.3	4
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	57	17.1	129	38.7	88	26.4	42	12.6	17	5.1	5
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	44	13.2	132	39.6	104	31.2	37	11.1	16	4.8	5
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	48	14.5	150	45.2	89	26.8	32	9.6	13	3.9	6
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	67	20.3	205	62.1	51	15.5	5	1.5	2	0.6	8
49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	79	23.8	191	57.5	53	16.0	8	2.4	1	0.3	6
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	27	8.2	126	38.2	134	40.6	34	10.3	9	2.7	8
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	69	20.9	158	47.9	87	26.4	9	2.7	7	2.1	8

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	35	10.7	109	33.4	161	49.4	14	4.3	7	2.1	12
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	51	15.4	175	52.9	75	22.7	20	6.0	10	3.0	7
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	35	10.5	118	35.4	112	33.6	51	15.3	17	5.1	5
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	66	19.9	147	44.3	75	22.6	32	9.6	12	3.6	6
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	54	16.3	126	38.1	80	24.2	52	15.7	19	5.7	7
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	49	14.8	179	54.1	75	22.7	21	6.3	7	2.1	7
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	56	16.9	146	44.0	98	29.5	19	5.7	13	3.9	6
59 - My child has fun learning.	38	11.4	156	46.8	100	30.0	25	7.5	14	4.2	5
60 - The community is proud of this school.	88	26.5	168	50.6	60	18.1	10	3.0	6	1.8	6
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	49	14.6	147	43.9	79	23.6	43	12.8	17	5.1	3
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	167	50.5	150	45.3	13	3.9	0	0.0	1	0.3	7
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	82	24.6	169	50.8	48	14.4	24	7.2	10	3.0	5
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	71	21.4	164	49.4	79	23.8	11	3.3	7	2.1	6
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	58	17.5	131	39.6	84	25.4	33	10.0	25	7.6	7
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	91	27.6	189	57.3	43	13.0	5	1.5	2	0.6	8
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	65	19.5	152	45.6	66	19.8	31	9.3	19	5.7	5
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	53	15.9	122	36.5	103	30.8	33	9.9	23	6.9	4

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