

MSIP Advanced Questionnaire
Parent Frequency Distribution Report
 TARKIO R-I School district

In what grade is your child?		
PRT1	Frequency	Percent
K-1	39	13.54
2ND	24	8.33
3RD	32	11.11
4TH	24	8.33
5TH	28	9.72
6TH	21	7.29
7TH	23	7.99
8TH	25	8.68
9TH	20	6.94
10TH	23	7.99
11TH	17	5.90
12TH	12	4.17

Frequency Missing = 2

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	133	47.00
Girl	150	53.00

Frequency Missing = 7

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	225	77.85
FATHER	47	16.26
STEPMOTHER	4	1.38
STEPFATHER	5	1.73
GRANDMOTHER	5	1.73
OTHER RELATIVE	3	1.04

Frequency Missing = 1

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How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	13	4.51
1	106	36.81
2	167	57.99
3 OR MORE	2	0.69

Frequency Missing = 2

How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	59	20.42
5 - 10 YRS	67	23.18
11 - 15 YRS	33	11.42
OVER 15 YRS	130	44.98

Frequency Missing = 1

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	93	32.29
2 HRS	104	36.11
3 HRS	55	19.10
4 HRS	25	8.68
5 HRS	7	2.43
6 + HRS	4	1.39

Frequency Missing = 2

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Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	47	16.32
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	185	64.24
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	51	17.71
OTHER	5	1.74

Frequency Missing = 2

Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	281	97.57
AFR. AMERICAN (N-HISPC)	1	0.35
HISPANIC	1	0.35
MULTI-RACIAL	5	1.74

Frequency Missing = 2

How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
NONE	2	0.69
1	65	22.49
2	109	37.72
3	90	31.14
4	15	5.19
5	1	0.35
6	7	2.42

Frequency Missing = 1

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	268	92.41
YES	22	7.59

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Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	273	94.14
YES	17	5.86

Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	250	86.21
YES	40	13.79

Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	263	90.69
YES	27	9.31

Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	21	7.27
30 - 39	143	49.48
40 - 49	103	35.64
50 - 59	22	7.61

Frequency Missing = 1

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	34	12.23
2 YR COLL/TECH	40	14.39
4 YR COLLEGE	192	69.06
OTHER	12	4.32

Frequency Missing = 12

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Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	26	9.12
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	76	26.67
SOME COLLEGE	90	31.58
COLLEGE GRADUATE	64	22.46
GRADUATE SCHOOL	29	10.18

Frequency Missing = 5

Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	22	8.00
10,000 - 19,999	35	12.73
20,000 - 29,999	48	17.45
30,000 - 39,999	41	14.91
40,000 - 49,999	43	15.64
50,000 - 59,999	36	13.09
60,000 - 69,999	18	6.55
OVER \$70,000	32	11.64

Frequency Missing = 15

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Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	97	33.68
HALF A & B	96	33.33
MOSTLY B	19	6.60
HALF B & C	40	13.89
MOSTLY C	10	3.47
HALF C & D	4	1.39
MOSTLY D	3	1.04
BELOW D	1	0.35
GRADE NOT GIVEN	18	6.25

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	137	49.46
GOTTEN WORSE	32	11.55
STAYED THE SAME	108	38.99

Frequency Missing = 13

How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	16	5.57
DOESNT DO IT	2	0.70
1/2 HR OR LESS	107	37.28
1 HR	107	37.28
2 HRS	46	16.03
MORE THAN 2 HRS	9	3.14

Frequency Missing = 3

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Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	6	2.09
ONCE/TWICE	88	30.66
3-5 TIMES	92	32.06
5-10 TIMES	40	13.94
11+ TIMES	61	21.25

Frequency Missing = 3

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	29	10.28
ONCE/TWICE	173	61.35
3-5 TIMES	57	20.21
5-10 TIMES	16	5.67
11+ TIMES	7	2.48

Frequency Missing = 8

Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	11	3.86
ONCE/TWICE	117	41.05
3-5 TIMES	128	44.91
5-10 TIMES	17	5.96
11+ TIMES	12	4.21

Frequency Missing = 5

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Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	32	11.15
ONCE/TWICE	58	20.21
3-5 TIMES	63	21.95
5-10 TIMES	50	17.42
11+ TIMES	84	29.27

Frequency Missing = 3

Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	103	35.89
ONCE/TWICE	91	31.71
3-5 TIMES	39	13.59
5-10 TIMES	20	6.97
11+ TIMES	34	11.85

Frequency Missing = 3

Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	191	67.02
ONCE/TWICE	58	20.35
3-5 TIMES	16	5.61
5-10 TIMES	6	2.11
11+ TIMES	14	4.91

Frequency Missing = 5

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<p>Students are often given the grades A, B, C, D, and F to denote the quality of their work.</p> <p>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	38	13.24
B	132	45.99
C	75	26.13
D	14	4.88
F	3	1.05
DONT KNOW	25	8.71

Frequency Missing = 3

<p>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?</p>		
prt20	Frequency	Percent
A	5	1.74
B	47	16.38
C	125	43.55
D	56	19.51
F	2	0.70
DONT KNOW	52	18.12

Frequency Missing = 3

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I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	14	4.84
YES	275	95.16

Frequency Missing = 1

I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	39	13.49
YES	250	86.51

Frequency Missing = 1

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	66	22.76
YES	224	77.24

I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	18	6.21
YES	272	93.79

I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	10	3.45
YES	280	96.55

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My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	53	18.34
YES	236	81.66

Frequency Missing = 1

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	92	31.72
YES	198	68.28

Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.			
prt22a	Frequency	Percent	
NOT AT ALL	1	0.35	
RARELY	8	2.77	
OCCASIONALLY	29	10.03	
REGULARLY	251	86.85	

Frequency Missing = 1

Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes			
prt22b	Frequency	Percent	
NOT AT ALL	44	15.38	
RARELY	51	17.83	
OCCASIONALLY	83	29.02	
REGULARLY	108	37.76	

Frequency Missing = 4

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Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	9	3.14
RARELY	42	14.63
OCCASIONALLY	105	36.59
REGULARLY	131	45.64

Frequency Missing = 3

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.	53	18.4	162	56.3	54	18.8	16	5.6	3	1.0	2
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	73	25.3	167	58.0	36	12.5	10	3.5	2	0.7	2
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	68	23.7	171	59.6	42	14.6	6	2.1	0	0.0	3
26 - My child likes attending this school.	125	43.6	125	43.6	22	7.7	6	2.1	9	3.1	3
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	156	54.2	110	38.2	17	5.9	5	1.7	0	0.0	2
28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	82	28.7	166	58.0	30	10.5	8	2.8	0	0.0	4
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	68	23.6	163	56.6	46	16.0	7	2.4	4	1.4	2
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	94	32.6	159	55.2	26	9.0	8	2.8	1	0.3	2
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	113	39.2	143	49.7	26	9.0	6	2.1	0	0.0	2
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	129	44.9	136	47.4	11	3.8	11	3.8	0	0.0	3
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	66	22.9	155	53.8	41	14.2	19	6.6	7	2.4	2
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	33	11.6	103	36.1	112	39.3	27	9.5	10	3.5	5
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	47	16.4	160	55.7	54	18.8	20	7.0	6	2.1	3
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	5	1.8	27	9.5	42	14.7	106	37.2	105	36.8	5
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	48	16.7	147	51.2	63	22.0	22	7.7	7	2.4	3
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	103	35.9	139	48.4	32	11.1	10	3.5	3	1.0	3
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	35	12.2	100	34.7	103	35.8	34	11.8	16	5.6	2
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	136	47.2	123	42.7	24	8.3	5	1.7	0	0.0	2
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	56	19.5	156	54.4	60	20.9	15	5.2	0	0.0	3

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	120	41.8	144	50.2	20	7.0	3	1.0	0	0.0	3
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	41	14.3	131	45.8	103	36.0	10	3.5	1	0.3	4
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	84	29.3	133	46.3	53	18.5	11	3.8	6	2.1	3
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	90	31.3	126	43.8	38	13.2	23	8.0	11	3.8	2
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	68	23.9	145	50.9	53	18.6	19	6.7	0	0.0	5
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	86	29.9	150	52.1	41	14.2	9	3.1	2	0.7	2
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	86	29.9	164	56.9	34	11.8	4	1.4	0	0.0	2
49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	90	31.5	173	60.5	21	7.3	2	0.7	0	0.0	4
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	34	11.9	120	42.1	108	37.9	20	7.0	3	1.1	5
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	66	23.0	142	49.5	66	23.0	10	3.5	3	1.0	3
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	46	16.1	113	39.5	115	40.2	11	3.8	1	0.3	4
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	60	20.9	152	53.0	58	20.2	17	5.9	0	0.0	3
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	60	20.8	139	48.3	64	22.2	24	8.3	1	0.3	2
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	96	33.3	148	51.4	31	10.8	12	4.2	1	0.3	2
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	60	20.9	131	45.6	60	20.9	31	10.8	5	1.7	3
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	67	23.3	166	57.8	37	12.9	17	5.9	0	0.0	3
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	55	19.1	126	43.8	80	27.8	20	6.9	7	2.4	2
59 - My child has fun learning.	82	28.6	141	49.1	43	15.0	16	5.6	5	1.7	3
60 - The community is proud of this school.	71	24.7	156	54.4	46	16.0	13	4.5	1	0.3	3
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	73	25.4	130	45.3	46	16.0	31	10.8	7	2.4	3
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	169	58.7	114	39.6	5	1.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	84	29.2	149	51.7	35	12.2	18	6.3	2	0.7	2
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	98	34.1	154	53.7	23	8.0	11	3.8	1	0.3	3
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	75	26.0	144	50.0	42	14.6	25	8.7	2	0.7	2
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	115	39.9	156	54.2	14	4.9	3	1.0	0	0.0	2

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	87	30.2	142	49.3	41	14.2	17	5.9	1	0.3	2
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	55	19.1	138	47.9	70	24.3	20	6.9	5	1.7	2

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