

MSIP Advanced Questionnaire
Parent Frequency Distribution Report
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In what grade is your child?		
PRT1	Frequency	Percent
K-1	338	23.20
2ND	131	8.99
3RD	166	11.39
4TH	150	10.30
5TH	141	9.68
6TH	108	7.41
7TH	47	3.23
8TH	67	4.60
9TH	93	6.38
10TH	67	4.60
11TH	81	5.56
12TH	68	4.67

Frequency Missing = 19

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	674	46.71
Girl	769	53.29

Frequency Missing = 33

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	1207	83.01
FATHER	207	14.24
STEPMOTHER	11	0.76
STEPFATHER	7	0.48
GRANDMOTHER	10	0.69
GRANDFATHER	2	0.14
OTHER RELATIVE	3	0.21
UNRELATED	7	0.48

Frequency Missing = 22

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How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	34	2.32
1	587	39.99
2	823	56.06
3 OR MORE	24	1.63

Frequency Missing = 8

How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	582	39.75
5 - 10 YRS	492	33.61
11 - 15 YRS	214	14.62
OVER 15 YRS	176	12.02

Frequency Missing = 12

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	525	35.98
2 HRS	642	44.00
3 HRS	220	15.08
4 HRS	54	3.70
5 HRS	11	0.75
6 + HRS	7	0.48

Frequency Missing = 17

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Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	227	15.51
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	1026	70.08
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	185	12.64
OTHER	26	1.78

Frequency Missing = 12

Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	1412	96.32
AFR. AMERICAN (N-HISPC)	2	0.14
ASIAN	12	0.82
AMERICAN INDIAN	6	0.41
HISPANIC	20	1.36
MULTI-RACIAL	14	0.95

Frequency Missing = 10

How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
NONE	17	1.16
1	342	23.38
2	682	46.62
3	315	21.53
4	85	5.81
5	10	0.68
6	10	0.68
7 OR MORE	2	0.14

Frequency Missing = 13

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	1398	94.72
YES	78	5.28

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Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	1401	94.92
YES	75	5.08

Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	1385	93.83
YES	91	6.17

Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	1380	93.50
YES	96	6.50

Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	145	9.91
30 - 39	734	50.17
40 - 49	508	34.72
50 - 59	68	4.65
60 OR OVER	8	0.55

Frequency Missing = 13

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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	53	3.71
2 YR COLL/TECH	184	12.88
4 YR COLLEGE	1153	80.69
OTHER	39	2.73

Frequency Missing = 47

Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
ELEM. SCHOOL	8	0.55
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	35	2.42
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	298	20.58
SOME COLLEGE	499	34.46
COLLEGE GRADUATE	437	30.18
GRADUATE SCHOOL	171	11.81

Frequency Missing = 28

Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	28	1.97
10,000 - 19,999	91	6.40
20,000 - 29,999	133	9.35
30,000 - 39,999	180	12.66
40,000 - 49,999	205	14.42
50,000 - 59,999	206	14.49
60,000 - 69,999	156	10.97
OVER \$70,000	423	29.75

Frequency Missing = 54

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Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	601	41.91
HALF A & B	314	21.90
MOSTLY B	74	5.16
HALF B & C	94	6.56
MOSTLY C	31	2.16
HALF C & D	20	1.39
MOSTLY D	5	0.35
BELOW D	7	0.49
GRADE NOT GIVEN	288	20.08

Frequency Missing = 42

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	1052	77.70
GOTTEN WORSE	23	1.70
STAYED THE SAME	279	20.61

Frequency Missing = 122

How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	264	18.33
DOESNT DO IT	8	0.56
1/2 HR OR LESS	628	43.61
1 HR	405	28.13
2 HRS	90	6.25
MORE THAN 2 HRS	45	3.13

Frequency Missing = 36

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Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	76	5.27
ONCE/TWICE	444	30.79
3-5 TIMES	498	34.54
5-10 TIMES	201	13.94
11+ TIMES	223	15.46

Frequency Missing = 34

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	111	7.73
ONCE/TWICE	1064	74.09
3-5 TIMES	224	15.60
5-10 TIMES	25	1.74
11+ TIMES	12	0.84

Frequency Missing = 40

Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	137	9.54
ONCE/TWICE	953	66.36
3-5 TIMES	290	20.19
5-10 TIMES	38	2.65
11+ TIMES	18	1.25

Frequency Missing = 40

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Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	229	15.90
ONCE/TWICE	493	34.24
3-5 TIMES	344	23.89
5-10 TIMES	135	9.38
11+ TIMES	239	16.60

Frequency Missing = 36

Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	667	46.35
ONCE/TWICE	405	28.14
3-5 TIMES	187	13.00
5-10 TIMES	71	4.93
11+ TIMES	109	7.57

Frequency Missing = 37

Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	933	65.15
ONCE/TWICE	292	20.39
3-5 TIMES	96	6.70
5-10 TIMES	32	2.23
11+ TIMES	79	5.52

Frequency Missing = 44

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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	693	48.23
B	606	42.17
C	87	6.05
D	9	0.63
F	5	0.35
DONT KNOW	37	2.57

Frequency Missing = 39

<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	28	1.96
B	234	16.38
C	765	53.53
D	191	13.37
F	19	1.33
DONT KNOW	192	13.44

Frequency Missing = 47

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I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	106	7.39
YES	1329	92.61

Frequency Missing = 41

I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	520	36.26
YES	914	63.74

Frequency Missing = 42

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	399	27.80
YES	1036	72.20

Frequency Missing = 41

I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	79	5.51
YES	1355	94.49

Frequency Missing = 42

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I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	109	7.64
YES	1317	92.36

Frequency Missing = 50

My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	199	13.89
YES	1234	86.11

Frequency Missing = 43

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	322	22.47
YES	1111	77.53

Frequency Missing = 43

Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	1	0.07
RARELY	14	0.97
OCCASIONALLY	120	8.35
REGULARLY	1302	90.61

Frequency Missing = 39

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Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	284	19.92
RARELY	308	21.60
OCCASIONALLY	471	33.03
REGULARLY	363	25.46

Frequency Missing = 50

Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	137	9.57
RARELY	198	13.84
OCCASIONALLY	578	40.39
REGULARLY	518	36.20

Frequency Missing = 45

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.	452	31.4	793	55.1	147	10.2	27	1.9	20	1.4	37
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	588	41.2	747	52.3	65	4.6	21	1.5	6	0.4	49
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	596	41.9	722	50.7	90	6.3	10	0.7	6	0.4	52
26 - My child likes attending this school.	764	53.3	548	38.2	80	5.6	28	2.0	14	1.0	42
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	801	55.9	538	37.6	66	4.6	21	1.5	6	0.4	44
28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	721	50.3	649	45.3	52	3.6	7	0.5	4	0.3	43
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	513	35.7	674	46.9	203	14.1	29	2.0	19	1.3	38
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	720	50.2	648	45.2	50	3.5	10	0.7	6	0.4	42
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	564	39.3	733	51.0	105	7.3	29	2.0	5	0.3	40
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	681	47.5	656	45.8	73	5.1	19	1.3	4	0.3	43
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	899	62.8	490	34.2	34	2.4	5	0.3	3	0.2	45
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	556	38.9	621	43.4	201	14.0	40	2.8	13	0.9	45
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	450	31.6	662	46.4	246	17.3	48	3.4	20	1.4	50

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	23	1.6	55	3.8	123	8.6	486	33.9	746	52.1	43
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	236	16.6	834	58.6	305	21.4	35	2.5	12	0.8	54
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	649	45.4	674	47.2	78	5.5	20	1.4	7	0.5	48
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	259	18.2	573	40.3	550	38.7	34	2.4	7	0.5	53
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	801	55.9	558	38.9	67	4.7	0	0.0	7	0.5	43
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	369	25.9	704	49.5	314	22.1	27	1.9	8	0.6	54
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	600	42.2	672	47.2	139	9.8	7	0.5	5	0.4	53
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	244	17.5	506	36.3	605	43.4	32	2.3	6	0.4	83
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	616	43.0	600	41.9	187	13.1	22	1.5	7	0.5	44
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	590	41.4	608	42.7	137	9.6	43	3.0	46	3.2	52
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	489	34.3	713	50.0	198	13.9	21	1.5	4	0.3	51
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	586	41.0	707	49.4	107	7.5	23	1.6	8	0.6	45
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	538	37.5	803	56.0	76	5.3	13	0.9	4	0.3	42
49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	570	39.7	767	53.4	91	6.3	5	0.3	3	0.2	40
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	278	19.6	555	39.2	527	37.2	45	3.2	12	0.8	59
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	457	32.1	677	47.5	256	18.0	26	1.8	8	0.6	52
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	339	23.9	626	44.1	438	30.8	13	0.9	5	0.4	55
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	443	30.9	795	55.5	143	10.0	43	3.0	9	0.6	43
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	459	32.1	682	47.8	229	16.0	52	3.6	6	0.4	48
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	634	44.3	622	43.4	145	10.1	26	1.8	5	0.3	44
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	465	32.5	700	49.0	198	13.8	50	3.5	17	1.2	46
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	499	34.3	796	54.8	124	8.5	29	2.0	5	0.3	23
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	446	30.8	728	50.3	261	18.0	10	0.7	3	0.2	28
59 - My child has fun learning.	555	38.2	677	46.6	168	11.6	42	2.9	12	0.8	22

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
60 - The community is proud of this school.	817	56.2	558	38.4	72	5.0	5	0.3	1	0.1	23
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	583	40.3	689	47.6	122	8.4	39	2.7	15	1.0	28
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	945	65.1	480	33.1	25	1.7	0	0.0	1	0.1	25
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	551	38.0	745	51.4	119	8.2	26	1.8	8	0.6	27
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	744	51.3	600	41.4	92	6.3	9	0.6	4	0.3	27
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	593	41.0	654	45.2	160	11.0	31	2.1	10	0.7	28
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	738	51.0	643	44.5	59	4.1	5	0.3	1	0.1	30
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	602	41.6	724	50.0	94	6.5	18	1.2	9	0.6	29
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	502	34.7	683	47.2	225	15.6	28	1.9	8	0.6	30

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