

**MSIP Advanced Questionnaire**  
**Parent Frequency Distribution Report**  
 HICKORY CO. R-1 School district

<b>In what grade is your child?</b>		
<b>PRt1</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>K-1</b>	89	15.67
<b>2ND</b>	54	9.51
<b>3RD</b>	49	8.63
<b>4TH</b>	57	10.04
<b>5TH</b>	62	10.92
<b>6TH</b>	57	10.04
<b>7TH</b>	66	11.62
<b>8TH</b>	35	6.16
<b>9TH</b>	37	6.51
<b>10TH</b>	34	5.99
<b>11TH</b>	13	2.29
<b>12TH</b>	15	2.64

*Frequency Missing = 7*

<b>My child is a: girl, boy</b>		
<b>prt2</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Boy</b>	262	47.90
<b>Girl</b>	285	52.10

*Frequency Missing = 28*

<b>What is your relationship to the child?</b>		
<b>prt3</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>MOTHER</b>	464	81.98
<b>FATHER</b>	63	11.13
<b>STEPMOTHER</b>	6	1.06
<b>STEPFATHER</b>	5	0.88
<b>GRANDMOTHER</b>	17	3.00
<b>GRANDFATHER</b>	1	0.18
<b>OTHER RELATIVE</b>	4	0.71
<b>UNRELATED</b>	6	1.06

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<b>How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?</b>		
<b>prt4</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NONE</b>	43	7.64
<b>1</b>	218	38.72
<b>2</b>	292	51.87
<b>3 OR MORE</b>	10	1.78

*Frequency Missing = 12*

<b>How many years have you lived in this school district?</b>		
<b>prt5</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>UNDER 5 YRS</b>	162	28.52
<b>5 - 10 YRS</b>	144	25.35
<b>11 - 15 YRS</b>	89	15.67
<b>OVER 15 YRS</b>	173	30.46

*Frequency Missing = 7*

<b>How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?</b>		
<b>prt6</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>1 HR OR LESS</b>	136	24.07
<b>2 HRS</b>	233	41.24
<b>3 HRS</b>	125	22.12
<b>4 HRS</b>	48	8.50
<b>5 HRS</b>	13	2.30
<b>6 + HRS</b>	10	1.77

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<b>Which best describes your household?</b>		
<b>prt7</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>SINGLE PARENT</b>	107	19.07
<b>2 PRT HSHLD-M/F</b>	339	60.43
<b>2 PRT HSHLD-STEP</b>	86	15.33
<b>OTHER</b>	29	5.17

*Frequency Missing = 14*

<b>Which best describes you?</b>		
<b>prt8</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>WHITE (N-HISPC)</b>	542	97.13
<b>AFR. AMERICAN (N-HISPC)</b>	1	0.18
<b>AMERICAN INDIAN</b>	7	1.25
<b>HISPANIC</b>	4	0.72
<b>MULTI-RACIAL</b>	4	0.72

*Frequency Missing = 17*

<b>How many children in your household are under 18 years old?</b>		
<b>prt9</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NONE</b>	10	1.77
<b>1</b>	99	17.49
<b>2</b>	226	39.93
<b>3</b>	144	25.44
<b>4</b>	71	12.54
<b>5</b>	11	1.94
<b>6</b>	5	0.88

*Frequency Missing = 9*

<b>Vocational Education</b>		
<b>prt10a</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NO</b>	528	91.83
<b>YES</b>	47	8.17

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<b>Gifted/Talented Program</b>		
<b>prt10b</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NO</b>	564	98.09
<b>YES</b>	11	1.91

<b>Title I Services</b>		
<b>prt10c</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NO</b>	532	92.52
<b>YES</b>	43	7.48

<b>Special Education</b>		
<b>prt10d</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NO</b>	530	92.17
<b>YES</b>	45	7.83

<b>Which category best describes your age?</b>		
<b>prt11</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>UNDER 30</b>	59	10.48
<b>30 - 39</b>	287	50.98
<b>40 - 49</b>	184	32.68
<b>50 - 59</b>	22	3.91
<b>60 OR OVER</b>	11	1.95

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<b>What one thing is likely to take the largest share of your child's time in the year after high school?</b>		
<b>prt12</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>WORKING FULLTIME</b>	69	12.61
<b>2 YR COLL/TECH</b>	143	26.14
<b>4 YR COLLEGE</b>	286	52.29
<b>OTHER</b>	49	8.96

*Frequency Missing = 28*

<b>Which best describes your level of education?</b>		
<b>prt13</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>ELEM. SCHOOL</b>	3	0.54
<b>SOME HIGH SCHOOL</b>	66	11.81
<b>HIGH SCHOOL GRAD</b>	209	37.39
<b>SOME COLLEGE</b>	167	29.87
<b>COLLEGE GRADUATE</b>	84	15.03
<b>GRADUATE SCHOOL</b>	30	5.37

*Frequency Missing = 16*

<b>Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?</b>		
<b>prt14</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>UNDER \$ 10,000</b>	36	6.78
<b>10,000 - 19,999</b>	109	20.53
<b>20,000 - 29,999</b>	82	15.44
<b>30,000 - 39,999</b>	76	14.31
<b>40,000 - 49,999</b>	87	16.38
<b>50,000 - 59,999</b>	58	10.92
<b>60,000 - 69,999</b>	29	5.46
<b>OVER \$70,000</b>	54	10.17

*Frequency Missing = 44*

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<b>Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?</b>		
<b>prt15</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>MOSTLY A</b>	212	37.52
<b>HALF A &amp; B</b>	135	23.89
<b>MOSTLY B</b>	48	8.50
<b>HALF B &amp; C</b>	57	10.09
<b>MOSTLY C</b>	36	6.37
<b>HALF C &amp; D</b>	23	4.07
<b>MOSTLY D</b>	6	1.06
<b>BELOW D</b>	5	0.88
<b>GRADE NOT GIVEN</b>	43	7.61

*Frequency Missing = 10*

<b>Would you say that public schools in this community have improved from, say, five years ago, gotten worse, or stayed the same?</b>		
<b>prt16</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>IMPROVED</b>	336	61.09
<b>GOTTEN WORSE</b>	38	6.91
<b>STAYED THE SAME</b>	176	32.00

*Frequency Missing = 25*

<b>How much time does your child spend on homework each day?</b>		
<b>prt17</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>DOESNT HAVE ANY</b>	115	20.32
<b>DOESNT DO IT</b>	10	1.77
<b>1/2 HR OR LESS</b>	245	43.29
<b>1 HR</b>	148	26.15
<b>2 HRS</b>	34	6.01
<b>MORE THAN 2 HRS</b>	14	2.47

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<b>Talked to your child's teacher.</b>		
<b>PRT18a</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NEVER</b>	35	6.19
<b>ONCE/TWICE</b>	217	38.41
<b>3-5 TIMES</b>	175	30.97
<b>5-10 TIMES</b>	81	14.34
<b>11+ TIMES</b>	57	10.09

*Frequency Missing = 10*

<b>Gone to an open house at school.</b>		
<b>PRT18b</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NEVER</b>	69	12.15
<b>ONCE/TWICE</b>	432	76.06
<b>3-5 TIMES</b>	53	9.33
<b>5-10 TIMES</b>	6	1.06
<b>11+ TIMES</b>	8	1.41

*Frequency Missing = 7*

<b>Attended parent/teacher meetings.</b>		
<b>PRT18c</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NEVER</b>	77	13.53
<b>ONCE/TWICE</b>	367	64.50
<b>3-5 TIMES</b>	103	18.10
<b>5-10 TIMES</b>	9	1.58
<b>11+ TIMES</b>	13	2.28

*Frequency Missing = 6*

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<b>Visited the school on your own.</b>		
<b>PRT18d</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NEVER</b>	112	19.75
<b>ONCE/TWICE</b>	171	30.16
<b>3-5 TIMES</b>	132	23.28
<b>5-10 TIMES</b>	48	8.47
<b>11+ TIMES</b>	104	18.34

*Frequency Missing = 8*

<b>Helped with after-school activities.</b>		
<b>PRT18e</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NEVER</b>	311	54.85
<b>ONCE/TWICE</b>	139	24.51
<b>3-5 TIMES</b>	42	7.41
<b>5-10 TIMES</b>	29	5.11
<b>11+ TIMES</b>	46	8.11

*Frequency Missing = 8*

<b>Helped with classroom learning.</b>		
<b>PRT18f</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NEVER</b>	424	75.85
<b>ONCE/TWICE</b>	92	16.46
<b>3-5 TIMES</b>	18	3.22
<b>5-10 TIMES</b>	14	2.50
<b>11+ TIMES</b>	11	1.97

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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	141	24.82
B	240	42.25
C	123	21.65
D	26	4.58
F	10	1.76
DONT KNOW	28	4.93

*Frequency Missing = 7*

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	7	1.23
B	112	19.65
C	233	40.88
D	74	12.98
F	37	6.49
DONT KNOW	107	18.77

*Frequency Missing = 5*

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<b>I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.</b>		
<b>prt21a</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NO</b>	49	8.64
<b>YES</b>	518	91.36

*Frequency Missing = 8*

<b>I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.</b>		
<b>prt21b</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NO</b>	174	30.58
<b>YES</b>	395	69.42

*Frequency Missing = 6*

<b>I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.</b>		
<b>prt21c</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NO</b>	184	32.51
<b>YES</b>	382	67.49

*Frequency Missing = 9*

<b>I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.</b>		
<b>prt21d</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NO</b>	43	7.60
<b>YES</b>	523	92.40

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<b>I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.</b>		
<b>prt21e</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NO</b>	38	6.71
<b>YES</b>	528	93.29

*Frequency Missing = 9*

<b>My child has a computer at home to use for school work.</b>		
<b>prt21f</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NO</b>	178	31.62
<b>YES</b>	385	68.38

*Frequency Missing = 12*

<b>My child has access to the internet at home.</b>		
<b>prt21g</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NO</b>	275	48.42
<b>YES</b>	293	51.58

*Frequency Missing = 7*

<b>Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.</b>		
<b>prt22a</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NOT AT ALL</b>	1	0.18
<b>RARELY</b>	11	1.94
<b>OCCASIONALLY</b>	84	14.84
<b>REGULARLY</b>	470	83.04

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<b>Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes</b>		
<b>prt22b</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NOT AT ALL</b>	105	18.65
<b>RARELY</b>	95	16.87
<b>OCCASIONALLY</b>	203	36.06
<b>REGULARLY</b>	160	28.42

*Frequency Missing = 12*

<b>Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.</b>		
<b>prt22c</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NOT AT ALL</b>	52	9.20
<b>RARELY</b>	72	12.74
<b>OCCASIONALLY</b>	239	42.30
<b>REGULARLY</b>	202	35.75

*Frequency Missing = 10*

<b>Question</b>	<b>Strongly Agree</b>		<b>Agree</b>		<b>Neutral</b>		<b>Disagree</b>		<b>Strongly Disagree</b>		<b>Number Missing</b>
	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	
23 - The way they teach at this school works well for my child.	116	20.4	288	50.7	114	20.1	33	5.8	17	3.0	7
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	172	30.3	285	50.2	70	12.3	30	5.3	11	1.9	7
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	156	27.7	300	53.3	88	15.6	15	2.7	4	0.7	12
26 - My child likes attending this school.	248	44.0	232	41.1	42	7.4	23	4.1	19	3.4	11
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	250	44.1	248	43.7	39	6.9	26	4.6	4	0.7	8
28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	199	35.4	269	47.9	68	12.1	19	3.4	7	1.2	13
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	186	32.9	286	50.6	75	13.3	17	3.0	1	0.2	10
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	220	39.3	287	51.3	38	6.8	13	2.3	2	0.4	15
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	236	41.7	263	46.5	43	7.6	19	3.4	5	0.9	9
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	220	39.1	279	49.6	40	7.1	18	3.2	5	0.9	13
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	232	41.2	268	47.6	50	8.9	9	1.6	4	0.7	12
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	125	22.3	242	43.2	145	25.9	35	6.3	13	2.3	15
35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	138	24.3	247	43.5	108	19.0	46	8.1	29	5.1	7

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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.	39	7.0	37	6.6	71	12.7	152	27.1	262	46.7	14
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	105	18.6	287	50.8	132	23.4	29	5.1	12	2.1	10
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	170	30.0	288	50.8	75	13.2	27	4.8	7	1.2	8
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	67	12.0	168	30.2	228	40.9	61	11.0	33	5.9	18
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	282	50.2	238	42.3	25	4.4	12	2.1	5	0.9	13
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	132	23.5	273	48.6	126	22.4	26	4.6	5	0.9	13
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	285	51.3	219	39.4	48	8.6	4	0.7	0	0.0	19
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	140	25.2	246	44.3	161	29.0	8	1.4	0	0.0	20
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	172	30.5	257	45.6	96	17.0	32	5.7	7	1.2	11
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	170	30.2	248	44.1	80	14.2	44	7.8	20	3.6	13
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	134	23.9	264	47.1	108	19.3	43	7.7	11	2.0	15
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	148	26.4	293	52.3	77	13.8	31	5.5	11	2.0	15
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	176	31.3	305	54.3	58	10.3	21	3.7	2	0.4	13
49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	196	34.8	305	54.2	50	8.9	7	1.2	5	0.9	12
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	83	15.0	214	38.6	213	38.4	36	6.5	9	1.6	20
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	162	29.0	249	44.6	123	22.0	19	3.4	5	0.9	17
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	107	19.3	214	38.6	199	35.9	28	5.0	7	1.3	20
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	133	23.7	291	51.9	96	17.1	31	5.5	10	1.8	14
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	115	20.5	255	45.5	119	21.3	56	10.0	15	2.7	15
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	168	30.0	260	46.4	100	17.9	17	3.0	15	2.7	15
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	117	20.9	239	42.8	121	21.6	61	10.9	21	3.8	16
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	137	24.2	302	53.5	84	14.9	30	5.3	12	2.1	10
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	106	18.9	259	46.3	141	25.2	35	6.3	19	3.4	15
59 - My child has fun learning.	161	28.5	267	47.3	88	15.6	33	5.9	15	2.7	11

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
60 - The community is proud of this school.	242	43.0	246	43.7	57	10.1	14	2.5	4	0.7	12
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	166	29.5	262	46.5	71	12.6	52	9.2	12	2.1	12
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	333	59.0	213	37.8	13	2.3	5	0.9	0	0.0	11
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	185	32.7	264	46.7	74	13.1	28	5.0	14	2.5	10
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	217	38.5	255	45.2	68	12.1	13	2.3	11	2.0	11
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	181	32.2	253	45.0	75	13.3	33	5.9	20	3.6	13
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	228	40.7	289	51.6	35	6.3	5	0.9	3	0.5	15
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	172	30.6	280	49.7	64	11.4	31	5.5	16	2.8	12
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	158	28.1	237	42.2	125	22.2	27	4.8	15	2.7	13

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