

MSIP Advanced Questionnaire
Parent Frequency Distribution Report
 FERGUSON-FLORISSANT R-II School district

In what grade is your child?		
PRT1	Frequency	Percent
K-1	973	15.81
2ND	506	8.22
3RD	570	9.26
4TH	545	8.85
5TH	592	9.62
6TH	584	9.49
7TH	482	7.83
8TH	404	6.56
9TH	451	7.33
10TH	431	7.00
11TH	355	5.77
12TH	263	4.27

Frequency Missing = 85

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	2893	48.75
Girl	3041	51.25

Frequency Missing = 307

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	5131	83.74
FATHER	655	10.69
STEPMOTHER	54	0.88
STEPFATHER	48	0.78
GRANDMOTHER	105	1.71
GRANDFATHER	27	0.44
OTHER RELATIVE	77	1.26
UNRELATED	30	0.49

Frequency Missing = 114

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How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	353	5.74
1	2751	44.75
2	2777	45.18
3 OR MORE	266	4.33

Frequency Missing = 94

How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	2394	38.90
5 - 10 YRS	1712	27.82
11 - 15 YRS	683	11.10
OVER 15 YRS	1365	22.18

Frequency Missing = 87

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	1267	20.58
2 HRS	2195	35.66
3 HRS	1485	24.13
4 HRS	772	12.54
5 HRS	246	4.00
6 + HRS	190	3.09

Frequency Missing = 86

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Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	2210	35.96
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	2909	47.33
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	696	11.32
OTHER	331	5.39

Frequency Missing = 95

Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	2235	36.92
AFR. AMERICAN (N-HISPC)	3473	57.38
ASIAN	59	0.97
AMERICAN INDIAN	22	0.36
HISPANIC	90	1.49
MULTI-RACIAL	174	2.87

Frequency Missing = 188

How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
NONE	95	1.55
1	1296	21.14
2	2244	36.61
3	1484	24.21
4	651	10.62
5	240	3.92
6	81	1.32
7 OR MORE	39	0.64

Frequency Missing = 111

Vocational Education		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	5306	85.02
YES	935	14.98

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Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	5668	90.82
YES	573	9.18

Title I Services		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	5770	92.45
YES	471	7.55

Special Education		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	5550	88.93
YES	691	11.07

Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	809	13.18
30 - 39	2844	46.32
40 - 49	2084	33.94
50 - 59	329	5.36
60 OR OVER	74	1.21

Frequency Missing = 101

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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	381	6.30
2 YR COLL/TECH	1062	17.57
4 YR COLLEGE	4283	70.84
OTHER	320	5.29

Frequency Missing = 195

Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
ELEM. SCHOOL	90	1.48
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	341	5.59
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	1532	25.12
SOME COLLEGE	2456	40.28
COLLEGE GRADUATE	1239	20.32
GRADUATE SCHOOL	440	7.22

Frequency Missing = 143

Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	578	9.80
10,000 - 19,999	758	12.86
20,000 - 29,999	942	15.98
30,000 - 39,999	893	15.15
40,000 - 49,999	716	12.14
50,000 - 59,999	640	10.85
60,000 - 69,999	513	8.70
OVER \$70,000	856	14.52

Frequency Missing = 345

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Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	1273	20.83
HALF A & B	1470	24.06
MOSTLY B	514	8.41
HALF B & C	976	15.97
MOSTLY C	485	7.94
HALF C & D	298	4.88
MOSTLY D	66	1.08
BELOW D	55	0.90
GRADE NOT GIVEN	973	15.92

Frequency Missing = 131

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	2575	44.40
GOTTEN WORSE	865	14.91
STAYED THE SAME	2360	40.69

Frequency Missing = 441

How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	225	3.66
DOESNT DO IT	38	0.62
1/2 HR OR LESS	1328	21.61
1 HR	2789	45.39
2 HRS	1271	20.69
MORE THAN 2 HRS	493	8.02

Frequency Missing = 97

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Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT18a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	319	5.20
ONCE/TWICE	2375	38.68
3-5 TIMES	1937	31.55
5-10 TIMES	768	12.51
11+ TIMES	741	12.07

Frequency Missing = 101

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT18b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	803	13.08
ONCE/TWICE	3854	62.78
3-5 TIMES	1175	19.14
5-10 TIMES	179	2.92
11+ TIMES	128	2.09

Frequency Missing = 102

Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT18c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	1059	17.35
ONCE/TWICE	2853	46.73
3-5 TIMES	1667	27.31
5-10 TIMES	304	4.98
11+ TIMES	222	3.64

Frequency Missing = 136

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Visited the school on your own.		
PRT18d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	1417	23.17
ONCE/TWICE	2263	37.01
3-5 TIMES	1272	20.80
5-10 TIMES	490	8.01
11+ TIMES	673	11.01

Frequency Missing = 126

Helped with after-school activities.		
PRT18e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	4096	66.86
ONCE/TWICE	1190	19.43
3-5 TIMES	427	6.97
5-10 TIMES	159	2.60
11+ TIMES	254	4.15

Frequency Missing = 115

Helped with classroom learning.		
PRT18f	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	4496	73.45
ONCE/TWICE	995	16.26
3-5 TIMES	316	5.16
5-10 TIMES	115	1.88
11+ TIMES	199	3.25

Frequency Missing = 120

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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	848	13.88
B	2510	41.07
C	1695	27.74
D	350	5.73
F	96	1.57
DONT KNOW	612	10.01

Frequency Missing = 130

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	167	2.74
B	856	14.02
C	2462	40.32
D	984	16.12
F	263	4.31
DONT KNOW	1374	22.50

Frequency Missing = 135

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I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21a	Frequency	Percent
NO	882	14.37
YES	5255	85.63

Frequency Missing = 104

I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt21b	Frequency	Percent
NO	2761	45.03
YES	3370	54.97

Frequency Missing = 110

I enforce family rules about how many hours our child can watch TV.		
prt21c	Frequency	Percent
NO	1672	27.29
YES	4454	72.71

Frequency Missing = 115

I have expectations for our child to maintain a certain grade average.		
prt21d	Frequency	Percent
NO	288	4.69
YES	5848	95.31

Frequency Missing = 105

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I enforce family rules for our child about doing homework.		
prt21e	Frequency	Percent
NO	255	4.16
YES	5881	95.84

Frequency Missing = 105

My child has a computer at home to use for school work.		
prt21f	Frequency	Percent
NO	1823	29.71
YES	4313	70.29

Frequency Missing = 105

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt21g	Frequency	Percent
NO	2357	38.53
YES	3760	61.47

Frequency Missing = 124

Talk to your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	30	0.49
RARELY	155	2.52
OCCASIONALLY	798	12.99
REGULARLY	5161	84.00

Frequency Missing = 97

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Talk to your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	897	14.66
RARELY	982	16.05
OCCASIONALLY	1832	29.94
REGULARLY	2408	39.35

Frequency Missing = 122

Talk to your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	554	9.06
RARELY	712	11.64
OCCASIONALLY	1988	32.50
REGULARLY	2862	46.80

Frequency Missing = 125

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.	1,255	20.4	3,145	51.2	1,292	21.0	342	5.6	112	1.8	95
24 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	1,612	26.3	3,491	56.9	754	12.3	223	3.6	56	0.9	105
25 - There are good learning materials at my child's school.	1,537	25.2	3,385	55.5	993	16.3	128	2.1	51	0.8	147
26 - My child likes attending this school.	2,294	37.4	2,806	45.8	687	11.2	210	3.4	130	2.1	114
27 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	2,551	41.6	2,751	44.9	587	9.6	172	2.8	70	1.1	110
28 - My child's school is a good place to learn.	1,828	29.9	3,215	52.5	882	14.4	146	2.4	50	0.8	120
29 - My child uses computers effectively at school.	1,262	20.8	2,839	46.7	1,594	26.2	267	4.4	113	1.9	166
30 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	2,270	37.1	3,135	51.2	520	8.5	152	2.5	42	0.7	122
31 - I feel my child is safe at school.	1,742	28.4	3,113	50.7	947	15.4	238	3.9	101	1.6	100
32 - I am welcome to discuss my child's educational needs with the school.	2,154	35.2	3,212	52.4	621	10.1	105	1.7	36	0.6	113
33 - My child's school building is in good condition.	1,722	28.2	3,275	53.6	851	13.9	193	3.2	74	1.2	126
34 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	814	13.4	2,155	35.4	2,069	34.0	767	12.6	283	4.6	153

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35 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	1,122	18.4	2,814	46.0	1,567	25.6	417	6.8	192	3.1	129
36 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	701	11.5	925	15.2	1,160	19.0	2,065	33.9	1,243	20.4	147
37 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	444	7.3	1,930	31.7	2,573	42.3	848	13.9	288	4.7	158
38 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	2,292	37.4	3,021	49.3	619	10.1	134	2.2	60	1.0	115
39 - The school board listens to parents concerns.	697	11.5	1,995	32.9	2,844	46.9	349	5.8	174	2.9	182
40 - It is important for students to have access to computers at school.	3,222	52.6	2,408	39.3	425	6.9	45	0.7	26	0.4	115
41 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	1,725	28.3	3,063	50.2	1,105	18.1	152	2.5	56	0.9	140
42 - The school encourages my child to do well on MAP tests.	2,340	38.5	2,934	48.3	739	12.2	45	0.7	17	0.3	166
43 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	998	16.7	2,461	41.1	2,330	38.9	149	2.5	48	0.8	255
44 - My child's teacher makes learning interesting.	1,454	23.8	2,925	47.8	1,479	24.2	200	3.3	57	0.9	126
45 - Teachers in my child's school really care about my child.	1,480	24.2	2,806	45.9	1,360	22.2	322	5.3	146	2.4	127
46 - If a student in my child's school has a problem, teachers will listen and help.	1,248	20.6	2,904	47.8	1,596	26.3	225	3.7	98	1.6	170
47 - Teachers treat my child with respect.	1,555	25.4	3,242	53.0	1,069	17.5	192	3.1	61	1.0	122
48 - My child knows what he/she are supposed to be learning.	1,825	29.8	3,545	57.9	625	10.2	112	1.8	13	0.2	121
49 - My child's teacher expects very good work from my child.	2,024	33.1	3,439	56.2	564	9.2	63	1.0	31	0.5	120
50 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career goals.	896	14.8	2,252	37.3	2,322	38.5	445	7.4	123	2.0	203
51 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	1,286	21.2	2,754	45.5	1,677	27.7	235	3.9	105	1.7	184
52 - The school has a written plan for improving student achievement	1,024	17.0	2,491	41.2	2,270	37.6	195	3.2	59	1.0	202
53 - What is taught at school meets the needs of my child.	1,220	20.0	3,261	53.4	1,255	20.5	300	4.9	75	1.2	130
54 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	1,465	24.0	2,902	47.6	1,240	20.3	387	6.3	105	1.7	142
55 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	2,161	35.4	2,740	44.8	920	15.0	222	3.6	70	1.1	128
56 - I receive information about the educational programs available to my child at school.	1,561	25.5	2,963	48.4	999	16.3	442	7.2	156	2.5	120
57 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	1,588	25.9	3,394	55.3	906	14.8	193	3.1	51	0.8	109

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
58 - The school board has high expectations for student learning.	1,272	21.0	2,859	47.1	1,711	28.2	151	2.5	72	1.2	176
59 - My child has fun learning.	1,634	26.7	3,049	49.9	1,079	17.6	265	4.3	87	1.4	127
60 - The community is proud of this school.	1,345	22.2	2,787	45.9	1,644	27.1	206	3.4	87	1.4	172
61 - I receive regular communications from school about how well my child is doing in school.	1,827	29.9	2,990	48.9	808	13.2	360	5.9	131	2.1	125
62 - I believe my child can do well in school.	3,619	59.0	2,324	37.9	148	2.4	27	0.4	15	0.2	108
63 - Other children are friendly to my child.	1,624	26.6	3,269	53.6	938	15.4	203	3.3	68	1.1	139
64 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	2,007	33.1	3,028	49.9	918	15.1	87	1.4	32	0.5	169
65 - There is a feeling of belonging at my child's school.	1,451	23.9	2,915	48.0	1,328	21.9	266	4.4	109	1.8	172
66 - My child's teachers think my child can learn.	2,366	38.8	3,118	51.2	546	9.0	46	0.8	18	0.3	147
67 - My child is treated fairly at school.	1,551	25.5	3,298	54.1	971	15.9	193	3.2	80	1.3	148
68 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	885	14.6	2,123	34.9	2,306	37.9	523	8.6	240	3.9	164

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