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What is your sex? (I am a: boy/girl)		
SEC1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	115	45.82
FEMALE	136	54.18

What grade are you in?		
SEC2	Frequency	Percent
6TH	77	30.80
7TH	86	34.40
8TH	87	34.80

Frequency Missing = 1

Which best describes you?		
SEC3	Frequency	Percent
WHITE	240	96.77
BLACK	1	0.40
ASIAN/ORIENTAL	2	0.81
AMERICAN INDIAN	2	0.81
HISPANIC	3	1.21

Frequency Missing = 3

How far in school did your mother go?		
SEC4	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	3	1.20
FINISHED 8TH	14	5.60
H.S. GRAD	64	25.60
POST SECONDARY	39	15.60
COLLEGE GRAD	54	21.60
DON T KNOW	76	30.40

Frequency Missing = 1

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How far in school did your father go?		
SEC5	Frequency	Percent
1	2	0.80
2	13	5.18
3	75	29.88
4	36	14.34
5	30	11.95
6	95	37.85

How many days of school did you miss last month?		
SEC6	Frequency	Percent
NONE	114	45.78
1 OR 2 DAYS	100	40.16
3 OR 4 DAYS	24	9.64
5 TO 10 DAYS	6	2.41
MORE THAN 10 DAYS	5	2.01

Frequency Missing = 2

How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?		
SEC7	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	69	27.71
TWO HRS.	71	28.51
THREE HRS.	35	14.06
FOUR HRS.	38	15.26
FIVE HRS.	18	7.23
SIX + HRS.	18	7.23

Frequency Missing = 2

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What is the one thing that is likely to take the largest share of your time in the year after you leave high school?		
SEC8	Frequency	Percent
WORK FULL-TIME	35	14.11
TWO YEAR SCHOOL	21	8.47
FOUR YEAR SCHOOL	127	51.21
MILITARY	19	7.66
OTHER	46	18.55

Frequency Missing = 3

Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?		
SEC9	Frequency	Percent
A	27	10.76
A & B	73	29.08
B	35	13.94
B & C	52	20.72
C	27	10.76
C & D	32	12.75
D	4	1.59
BELOW D	1	0.40

How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?		
SEC10	Frequency	Percent
NONE ASSIGNED	20	7.97
DON T DO IT	23	9.16
1/2 HR. OR LESS	95	37.85
ONE HOUR	74	29.48
TWO HOURS	31	12.35
MORE THAN 2 HRS	8	3.19

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About how many hours per week do you usually work in a part-time job? Exclude summer vacation time.		
SEC11	Frequency	Percent
NONE	167	66.80
UNDER 6 HRS.	44	17.60
6 TO 10 HRS.	16	6.40
11 TO 15 HRS.	8	3.20
16 TO 20 HRS.	7	2.80
21 TO 25 HRS.	2	0.80
MORE THAN 25	6	2.40

Frequency Missing = 1

How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?		
SEC12	Frequency	Percent
EXCELLENT	52	20.72
GOOD	107	42.63
AVERAGE	72	28.69
BELOW AVERAGE	11	4.38
POOR	9	3.59

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How many hours each week do you usually spend in extra-curricular activities associated with school? - excluding sports?		
SEC13	Frequency	Percent
NONE	123	49.40
1 TO 2 HRS.	60	24.10
3 TO 5 HRS.	31	12.45
6 TO 10 HRS.	20	8.03
11 TO 15 HRS.	11	4.42
16 TO 20 HRS.	3	1.20
MORE THAN 20	1	0.40

Frequency Missing = 2

I use computers in school: Daily; Several times a week; Once a week; Once every two weeks; Infrequently; Not at all.		
SEC14	Frequency	Percent
Daily	36	14.34
Several Times/wk	39	15.54
Once a week	32	12.75
Once 2/wks	26	10.36
Infrequently	110	43.82
Not at all	8	3.19

Which of the following best describes the high school program you will complete?		
SEC15	Frequency	Percent
College prep.	156	63.41
Voc./ tech.	37	15.04
General	53	21.54

Frequency Missing = 5

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Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.		
SEC16A	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	21	8.50
Rarely	57	23.08
Occasionally	91	36.84
Regularly	78	31.58

Frequency Missing = 4

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.		
sec16b	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	45	18.37
Rarely	90	36.73
Occasionally	72	29.39
Regularly	38	15.51

Frequency Missing = 6

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.		
SEC16C	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	37	15.10
Rarely	91	37.14
Occasionally	78	31.84
Regularly	39	15.92

Frequency Missing = 6

Question	Strongly Agree		Agree		Neutral		Disagree		Strongly Disagree		Number Missing
	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
17 - The classes I have at school cover material that is important to me.	26	10.4	109	43.6	88	35.2	20	8.0	7	2.8	1
18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.	27	10.8	104	41.6	81	32.4	30	12.0	8	3.2	1
19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	48	19.4	107	43.1	72	29.0	16	6.5	5	2.0	3
20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	51	20.3	103	41.0	61	24.3	25	10.0	11	4.4	0

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21 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	64	25.6	117	46.8	53	21.2	12	4.8	4	1.6	1
22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	72	28.9	78	31.3	68	27.3	19	7.6	12	4.8	2
23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	49	19.7	92	36.9	77	30.9	22	8.8	9	3.6	2
24 - My teachers make learning interesting.	27	10.9	72	29.0	95	38.3	34	13.7	20	8.1	3
25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.	58	23.4	117	47.2	64	25.8	6	2.4	3	1.2	3
26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	49	19.8	101	40.7	75	30.2	19	7.7	4	1.6	3
27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	98	39.4	95	38.2	45	18.1	5	2.0	6	2.4	2
28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	47	18.7	98	39.0	80	31.9	12	4.8	14	5.6	0
29 - I feel safe at school.	96	38.9	82	33.2	44	17.8	16	6.5	9	3.6	4
30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	48	19.2	97	38.8	72	28.8	19	7.6	14	5.6	1
31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	64	25.5	87	34.7	64	25.5	25	10.0	11	4.4	0
32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	43	17.2	64	25.6	72	28.8	47	18.8	24	9.6	1
33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	43	17.3	77	31.0	82	33.1	23	9.3	23	9.3	3
34 - I learn about other cultures in school.	56	22.4	98	39.2	76	30.4	15	6.0	5	2.0	1
35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.	159	63.3	60	23.9	24	9.6	6	2.4	2	0.8	0
36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	67	26.8	123	49.2	49	19.6	6	2.4	5	2.0	1
37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.	61	24.3	108	43.0	69	27.5	8	3.2	5	2.0	0
38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	84	33.6	105	42.0	38	15.2	15	6.0	8	3.2	1
39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	39	15.6	75	30.0	89	35.6	30	12.0	17	6.8	1
40 - Our classes are often interrupted.	36	14.4	49	19.6	94	37.6	57	22.8	14	5.6	1
41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	33	13.4	91	36.8	103	41.7	15	6.1	5	2.0	4
42 - I have fun learning.	30	12.0	68	27.1	81	32.3	38	15.1	34	13.5	0
43 - My teachers think I can learn.	91	36.3	88	35.1	55	21.9	9	3.6	8	3.2	0
44 - The community is proud of this school.	61	24.4	103	41.2	72	28.8	9	3.6	5	2.0	1
45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.	56	22.6	95	38.3	64	25.8	23	9.3	10	4.0	3

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46 - Students at my school are friendly.	30	12.0	90	36.0	86	34.4	32	12.8	12	4.8	1
47 - This school is a good place to learn.	52	20.9	117	47.0	60	24.1	12	4.8	8	3.2	2
48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	111	44.8	100	40.3	30	12.1	6	2.4	1	0.4	3
49 - My teachers are good teachers.	68	27.1	105	41.8	60	23.9	9	3.6	9	3.6	0
50 - My school building is in good condition.	66	26.3	110	43.8	51	20.3	19	7.6	5	2.0	0
51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.	29	11.6	39	15.6	104	41.6	51	20.4	27	10.8	1
52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.	70	27.9	86	34.3	51	20.3	31	12.4	13	5.2	0
53 - I like going to this school.	60	23.9	78	31.1	68	27.1	23	9.2	22	8.8	0
54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	129	51.8	92	36.9	24	9.6	1	0.4	3	1.2	2
55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.	54	21.7	91	36.5	72	28.9	20	8.0	12	4.8	2
56 - I would attend a different school if I could.	38	15.1	32	12.7	54	21.5	47	18.7	80	31.9	0
57 - Teachers treat me with respect.	54	21.7	92	36.9	79	31.7	16	6.4	8	3.2	2
58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.	60	23.9	98	39.0	66	26.3	19	7.6	8	3.2	0
59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	81	32.3	123	49.0	37	14.7	5	2.0	5	2.0	0
60 - I am treated fairly at school.	53	21.3	101	40.6	69	27.7	12	4.8	14	5.6	2
61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.	60	24.1	80	32.1	63	25.3	28	11.2	18	7.2	2
62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	39	15.5	82	32.7	97	38.6	19	7.6	14	5.6	0
63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	42	16.7	104	41.4	73	29.1	18	7.2	14	5.6	0
64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	94	37.5	96	38.2	49	19.5	8	3.2	4	1.6	0
65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	88	35.1	72	28.7	57	22.7	14	5.6	20	8.0	0
66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	87	34.8	91	36.4	51	20.4	10	4.0	11	4.4	1
67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.	97	38.6	77	30.7	52	20.7	18	7.2	7	2.8	0
68 - The block schedule will allow me to take a greater variety of classes while I am in high school.	1	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	249
69 - I have more assignments to complete in my courses now that I have block schedule classes.	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	50.0	1	50.0	249
70 - My teachers use a greater variety of teaching techniques in their block schedule classes.	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	100.0	0	0.0	249

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71 - My grades have improved since the school changed to the block schedule.	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	50.0	1	50.0	0	0.0	249
72 - My attendance has improved since the school changed to the block schedule.	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	250
73 - The block schedule has had a positive effect on my attitude about high school.	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	250
74 - Overall, I am satisfied with the block schedule in my high school.	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0	250

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