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What is your sex? (I am a: boy/girl)		
SEC1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	183	49.73
FEMALE	185	50.27

Frequency Missing = 1

What grade are you in?		
SEC2	Frequency	Percent
7TH	73	19.89
8TH	66	17.98
9TH	57	15.53
10TH	55	14.99
11TH	68	18.53
12TH	48	13.08

Frequency Missing = 2

Which best describes you?		
SEC3	Frequency	Percent
WHITE	343	93.72
BLACK	2	0.55
ASIAN/ORIENTAL	2	0.55
AMERICAN INDIAN	4	1.09
HISPANIC	2	0.55
MULTI-RACIAL	13	3.55

Frequency Missing = 3

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How far in school did your mother go?		
SEC4	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	2	0.54
FINISHED 8TH	16	4.35
H.S. GRAD	101	27.45
POST SECONDARY	88	23.91
COLLEGE GRAD	90	24.46
DON T KNOW	71	19.29

Frequency Missing = 1

How far in school did your father go?		
SEC5	Frequency	Percent
1	5	1.36
2	19	5.18
3	120	32.70
4	71	19.35
5	67	18.26
6	85	23.16

Frequency Missing = 2

How many days of school did you miss last month?		
SEC6	Frequency	Percent
NONE	272	74.11
1 OR 2 DAYS	62	16.89
3 OR 4 DAYS	23	6.27
5 TO 10 DAYS	8	2.18
MORE THAN 10 DAYS	2	0.54

Frequency Missing = 2

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How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?		
SEC7	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	160	43.72
TWO HRS.	85	23.22
THREE HRS.	53	14.48
FOUR HRS.	36	9.84
FIVE HRS.	12	3.28
SIX + HRS.	20	5.46

Frequency Missing = 3

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	44	12.02
TWO YEAR SCHOOL	34	9.29
FOUR YEAR SCHOOL	210	57.38
MILITARY	24	6.56
OTHER	54	14.75

Frequency Missing = 3

Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?		
SEC9	Frequency	Percent
A	102	27.79
A & B	104	28.34
B	44	11.99
B & C	59	16.08
C	24	6.54
C & D	23	6.27
D	8	2.18
BELOW D	3	0.82

Frequency Missing = 2

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How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?		
SEC10	Frequency	Percent
NONE ASSIGNED	22	5.99
DON T DO IT	30	8.17
1/2 HR. OR LESS	130	35.42
ONE HOUR	143	38.96
TWO HOURS	30	8.17
MORE THAN 2 HRS	12	3.27

Frequency Missing = 2

About how many hours per week do you usually work in a part-time job? Exclude summer vacation time.		
SEC11	Frequency	Percent
NONE	238	65.03
UNDER 6 HRS.	47	12.84
6 TO 10 HRS.	16	4.37
11 TO 15 HRS.	26	7.10
16 TO 20 HRS.	19	5.19
21 TO 25 HRS.	10	2.73
MORE THAN 25	10	2.73

Frequency Missing = 3

How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?		
SEC12	Frequency	Percent
EXCELLENT	60	16.26
GOOD	163	44.17
AVERAGE	123	33.33
BELOW AVERAGE	12	3.25
POOR	11	2.98

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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	95	25.82
1 TO 2 HRS.	67	18.21
3 TO 5 HRS.	63	17.12
6 TO 10 HRS.	66	17.93
11 TO 15 HRS.	44	11.96
16 TO 20 HRS.	22	5.98
MORE THAN 20	11	2.99

Frequency Missing = 1

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	62	16.80
Several Times/wk	119	32.25
Once a week	39	10.57
Once 2/wks	13	3.52
Infrequently	104	28.18
Not at all	32	8.67

Which of the following best describes the high school program you will complete?		
SEC15	Frequency	Percent
College prep.	177	49.86
Voc./ tech.	45	12.68
General	133	37.46

Frequency Missing = 14

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Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.		
SEC16A	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	20	5.46
Rarely	66	18.03
Occasionally	121	33.06
Regularly	159	43.44

Frequency Missing = 3

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.		
sec16b	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	56	15.30
Rarely	86	23.50
Occasionally	158	43.17
Regularly	66	18.03

Frequency Missing = 3

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.		
SEC16C	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	33	9.04
Rarely	59	16.16
Occasionally	159	43.56
Regularly	114	31.23

Frequency Missing = 4

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.	32	8.7	180	48.9	107	29.1	33	9.0	16	4.3	1
18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.	38	10.3	147	39.9	103	28.0	56	15.2	24	6.5	1
19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	81	22.0	173	47.0	83	22.6	21	5.7	10	2.7	1
20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	71	19.5	185	50.7	74	20.3	28	7.7	7	1.9	4

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
21 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	105	28.7	173	47.3	66	18.0	17	4.6	5	1.4	3
22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	95	25.8	177	48.1	62	16.8	16	4.3	18	4.9	1
23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	70	19.1	180	49.0	86	23.4	23	6.3	8	2.2	2
24 - My teachers make learning interesting.	32	8.7	113	30.6	142	38.5	51	13.8	31	8.4	0
25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.	74	20.3	203	55.6	71	19.5	12	3.3	5	1.4	4
26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	55	15.1	171	47.0	108	29.7	19	5.2	11	3.0	5
27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	110	29.9	152	41.3	61	16.6	26	7.1	19	5.2	1
28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	51	13.9	161	43.9	105	28.6	31	8.4	19	5.2	2
29 - I feel safe at school.	126	34.3	140	38.1	69	18.8	18	4.9	14	3.8	2
30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	89	24.3	136	37.1	79	21.5	39	10.6	24	6.5	2
31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	97	26.6	151	41.5	66	18.1	26	7.1	24	6.6	5
32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	77	21.2	60	16.5	113	31.0	71	19.5	43	11.8	5
33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	36	9.9	144	39.8	123	34.0	30	8.3	29	8.0	7
34 - I learn about other cultures in school.	45	12.3	155	42.3	100	27.3	39	10.7	27	7.4	3
35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.	168	45.8	143	39.0	41	11.2	9	2.5	6	1.6	2
36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	105	28.6	192	52.3	52	14.2	13	3.5	5	1.4	2
37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.	58	15.8	178	48.5	97	26.4	21	5.7	13	3.5	2
38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	98	26.6	174	47.3	67	18.2	22	6.0	7	1.9	1
39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	61	16.7	143	39.1	107	29.2	30	8.2	25	6.8	3
40 - Our classes are often interrupted.	15	4.1	66	18.0	113	30.8	143	39.0	30	8.2	2
41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	34	9.7	112	31.8	176	50.0	21	6.0	9	2.6	17
42 - I have fun learning.	32	8.7	108	29.4	140	38.1	42	11.4	45	12.3	2
43 - My teachers think I can learn.	119	32.5	178	48.6	50	13.7	8	2.2	11	3.0	3
44 - The community is proud of this school.	127	34.5	139	37.8	82	22.3	12	3.3	8	2.2	1

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45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.	92	25.2	175	47.9	56	15.3	23	6.3	19	5.2	4
46 - Students at my school are friendly.	62	16.8	145	39.4	100	27.2	33	9.0	28	7.6	1
47 - This school is a good place to learn.	74	20.2	161	43.9	93	25.3	16	4.4	23	6.3	2
48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	132	35.9	187	50.8	42	11.4	4	1.1	3	0.8	1
49 - My teachers are good teachers.	90	24.5	176	48.0	78	21.3	12	3.3	11	3.0	2
50 - My school building is in good condition.	74	20.2	153	41.7	93	25.3	33	9.0	14	3.8	2
51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.	55	15.1	63	17.3	129	35.4	77	21.2	40	11.0	5
52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.	133	36.2	173	47.1	40	10.9	15	4.1	6	1.6	2
53 - I like going to this school.	96	26.2	123	33.6	78	21.3	32	8.7	37	10.1	3
54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	183	50.0	162	44.3	14	3.8	6	1.6	1	0.3	3
55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.	106	29.0	155	42.3	67	18.3	17	4.6	21	5.7	3
56 - I would attend a different school if I could.	62	17.0	38	10.4	69	19.0	79	21.7	116	31.9	5
57 - Teachers treat me with respect.	72	19.7	154	42.1	93	25.4	25	6.8	22	6.0	3
58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.	54	14.8	151	41.4	87	23.8	40	11.0	33	9.0	4
59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	83	22.7	186	51.0	81	22.2	7	1.9	8	2.2	4
60 - I am treated fairly at school.	64	17.6	163	44.8	85	23.4	25	6.9	27	7.4	5
61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.	87	23.8	182	49.7	51	13.9	27	7.4	19	5.2	3
62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	72	19.7	123	33.7	126	34.5	26	7.1	18	4.9	4
63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	67	18.3	127	34.7	85	23.2	43	11.7	44	12.0	3
64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	77	21.5	168	46.9	82	22.9	14	3.9	17	4.7	11
65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	99	27.0	140	38.1	77	21.0	21	5.7	30	8.2	2
66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	47	13.1	86	23.9	122	33.9	61	16.9	44	12.2	9
67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.	117	31.9	158	43.1	64	17.4	15	4.1	13	3.5	2

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