

**MSIP Advanced Questionnaire**  
**Secondary Students Frequency Distribution Report**  
**ARCADIA VALLEY MIDDLE, ARCADIA VALLEY R-II School District**

| <b>What is your sex?<br/>(I am a: boy/girl)</b> |                  |                |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC1</b>                                     | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>MALE</b>                                     | 106              | 45.69          |
| <b>FEMALE</b>                                   | 126              | 54.31          |

| <b>What grade are you in?</b> |                  |                |
|-------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC2</b>                   | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>6TH</b>                    | 87               | 37.66          |
| <b>7TH</b>                    | 83               | 35.93          |
| <b>8TH</b>                    | 61               | 26.41          |

*Frequency Missing = 1*

| <b>Which best describes you?</b> |                  |                |
|----------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC3</b>                      | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>WHITE</b>                     | 203              | 87.50          |
| <b>BLACK</b>                     | 5                | 2.16           |
| <b>AMERICAN INDIAN</b>           | 12               | 5.17           |
| <b>HISPANIC</b>                  | 5                | 2.16           |
| <b>MULTI-RACIAL</b>              | 7                | 3.02           |

| <b>How far in school did your mother go?</b> |                  |                |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC4</b>                                  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>UNDER 8TH</b>                             | 3                | 1.32           |
| <b>FINISHED 8TH</b>                          | 12               | 5.29           |
| <b>H.S. GRAD</b>                             | 61               | 26.87          |
| <b>POST SECONDARY</b>                        | 32               | 14.10          |
| <b>COLLEGE GRAD</b>                          | 57               | 25.11          |
| <b>DON T KNOW</b>                            | 62               | 27.31          |

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| <b>How far in school did your father go?</b> |                  |                |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC5</b>                                  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>1</b>                                     | 6                | 2.64           |
| <b>2</b>                                     | 18               | 7.93           |
| <b>3</b>                                     | 60               | 26.43          |
| <b>4</b>                                     | 23               | 10.13          |
| <b>5</b>                                     | 44               | 19.38          |
| <b>6</b>                                     | 76               | 33.48          |

*Frequency Missing = 5*

| <b>How many days of school did you miss last month?</b> |                  |                |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC6</b>   | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>NONE</b>   | 118              | 51.30          |
| <b>1 OR 2 DAYS</b>                                      | 66               | 28.70          |
| <b>3 OR 4 DAYS</b>                                      | 28               | 12.17          |
| <b>5 TO 10 DAYS</b>                                     | 13               | 5.65           |
| <b>MORE THAN 10 DAYS</b>                                | 5                | 2.17           |

*Frequency Missing = 2*

| <b>How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?</b> |                  |                |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC7</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>ONE HR. OR LESS</b>   | 47               | 20.43          |
| <b>TWO HRS.</b>  | 51               | 22.17          |
| <b>THREE HRS.</b>  | 51               | 22.17          |
| <b>FOUR HRS.</b>   | 33               | 14.35          |
| <b>FIVE HRS.</b>   | 16               | 6.96           |
| <b>SIX + HRS.</b>  | 32               | 13.91          |

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| <b>What is the one thing that is likely to take the largest share of your time in the year after you leave high school?</b> |                  |                |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC8</b>   | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>WORK FULL-TIME</b>   | 17               | 7.42           |
| <b>TWO YEAR SCHOOL</b>  | 15               | 6.55           |
| <b>FOUR YEAR SCHOOL</b>   | 111              | 48.47          |
| <b>MILITARY</b>   | 27               | 11.79          |
| <b>OTHER</b>  | 59               | 25.76          |

*Frequency Missing = 3*

| <b>Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?</b> |                  |                |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC9</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>A</b>   | 61               | 26.29          |
| <b>A &amp; B</b>   | 76               | 32.76          |
| <b>B</b>   | 20               | 8.62           |
| <b>B &amp; C</b>   | 36               | 15.52          |
| <b>C</b>   | 12               | 5.17           |
| <b>C &amp; D</b>   | 21               | 9.05           |
| <b>D</b>   | 2                | 0.86           |
| <b>BELOW D</b>   | 4                | 1.72           |

| <b>How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?</b> |                  |                |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC10</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>NONE ASSIGNED</b>  | 17               | 7.39           |
| <b>DON T DO IT</b>  | 29               | 12.61          |
| <b>1/2 HR. OR LESS</b>  | 67               | 29.13          |
| <b>ONE HOUR</b>   | 77               | 33.48          |
| <b>TWO HOURS</b>  | 26               | 11.30          |
| <b>MORE THAN 2 HRS</b>  | 14               | 6.09           |

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| <b>About how many hours per week do you usually work in a part-time job?<br/>Exclude summer vacation time.</b> |                  |                |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC11</b>   | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>NONE</b>  | 163              | 71.18          |
| <b>UNDER 6 HRS.</b>  | 42               | 18.34          |
| <b>6 TO 10 HRS.</b>  | 13               | 5.68           |
| <b>11 TO 15 HRS.</b>   | 7                | 3.06           |
| <b>16 TO 20 HRS.</b>   | 1                | 0.44           |
| <b>21 TO 25 HRS.</b>   | 2                | 0.87           |
| <b>MORE THAN 25</b>  | 1                | 0.44           |

*Frequency Missing = 3*

| <b>How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?</b> |                  |                |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC12</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>EXCELLENT</b>  | 46               | 20.09          |
| <b>GOOD</b>   | 105              | 45.85          |
| <b>AVERAGE</b>  | 55               | 24.02          |
| <b>BELOW AVERAGE</b>  | 12               | 5.24           |
| <b>POOR</b>   | 11               | 4.80           |

*Frequency Missing = 3*

| <b>How many hours each week do you usually spend in extra-curricular activities associated with school? - excluding sports?</b> |                  |                |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC13</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>NONE</b>   | 106              | 45.69          |
| <b>1 TO 2 HRS.</b>  | 71               | 30.60          |
| <b>3 TO 5 HRS.</b>  | 34               | 14.66          |
| <b>6 TO 10 HRS.</b>   | 14               | 6.03           |
| <b>11 TO 15 HRS.</b>  | 4                | 1.72           |
| <b>MORE THAN 20</b>   | 3                | 1.29           |

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| <b>I use computers in school: Daily;<br/>Several times a week; Once a week;<br/>Once every two weeks; Infrequently;<br/>Not at all.</b> |                  |                |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC14</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>Daily</b>  | 52               | 22.51          |
| <b>Several Times/wk</b>   | 60               | 25.97          |
| <b>Once a week</b>  | 37               | 16.02          |
| <b>Once 2/wks</b>   | 20               | 8.66           |
| <b>Infrequently</b>   | 62               | 26.84          |

*Frequency Missing = 1*

| <b>Which of the following best<br/>describes the high school program<br/>you will complete?</b> |                  |                |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC15</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>College prep.</b>  | 127              | 57.99          |
| <b>Voc./ tech.</b>  | 30               | 13.70          |
| <b>General</b>  | 62               | 28.31          |

*Frequency Missing = 13*

| <b>Talk to one of your parents about<br/>your experiences in school.</b> |                  |                |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC16A</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>Not at all</b>  | 24               | 10.48          |
| <b>Rarely</b>  | 70               | 30.57          |
| <b>Occasionally</b>  | 78               | 34.06          |
| <b>Regularly</b>   | 57               | 24.89          |

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| <b>Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.</b> |                  |                |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| <b>sec16b</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>Not at all</b>  | 63               | 27.63          |
| <b>Rarely</b>  | 61               | 26.75          |
| <b>Occasionally</b>  | 71               | 31.14          |
| <b>Regularly</b>   | 33               | 14.47          |

*Frequency Missing = 4*

| <b>Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.</b> |                  |                |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC16C</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>Not at all</b>  | 44               | 19.56          |
| <b>Rarely</b>  | 53               | 23.56          |
| <b>Occasionally</b>  | 72               | 32.00          |
| <b>Regularly</b>   | 56               | 24.89          |

*Frequency Missing = 7*

| <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> |                       |
| 17 - The classes I have at school cover material that is important to me.  | 28                    | 12.1        | 104          | 44.8        | 68             | 29.3        | 21              | 9.1         | 11                       | 4.7         | 0                     |
| 18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.  | 22                    | 9.5         | 86           | 37.1        | 73             | 31.5        | 30              | 12.9        | 21                       | 9.1         | 0                     |
| 19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.  | 61                    | 26.5        | 80           | 34.8        | 61             | 26.5        | 15              | 6.5         | 13                       | 5.7         | 2                     |
| 20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.  | 43                    | 18.7        | 99           | 43.0        | 59             | 25.7        | 15              | 6.5         | 14                       | 6.1         | 2                     |
| 21 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.   | 75                    | 32.5        | 96           | 41.6        | 45             | 19.5        | 9               | 3.9         | 6                        | 2.6         | 1                     |
| 22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand. | 68                    | 29.4        | 84           | 36.4        | 51             | 22.1        | 13              | 5.6         | 15                       | 6.5         | 1                     |
| 23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.   | 44                    | 19.0        | 86           | 37.2        | 70             | 30.3        | 14              | 6.1         | 17                       | 7.4         | 1                     |
| 24 - My teachers make learning interesting.  | 45                    | 19.6        | 59           | 25.7        | 82             | 35.7        | 26              | 11.3        | 18                       | 7.8         | 2                     |
| 25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.   | 64                    | 27.6        | 101          | 43.5        | 48             | 20.7        | 9               | 3.9         | 10                       | 4.3         | 0                     |
| 26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.   | 63                    | 27.5        | 80           | 34.9        | 52             | 22.7        | 18              | 7.9         | 16                       | 7.0         | 3                     |

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|---|----------------|------|-------|------|---------|------|----------|------|-------------------|------|----------------|
|   | N              | Pct. | N     | Pct. | N       | Pct. | N        | Pct. | N                 | Pct. |                |
| 27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.                        | 85             | 37.0 | 87    | 37.8 | 36      | 15.7 | 14       | 6.1  | 8                 | 3.5  | 2              |
| 28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.                       | 41             | 17.8 | 87    | 37.8 | 66      | 28.7 | 24       | 10.4 | 12                | 5.2  | 2              |
| 29 - I feel safe at school.   | 50             | 21.7 | 76    | 33.0 | 50      | 21.7 | 18       | 7.8  | 36                | 15.7 | 2              |
| 30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.                                    | 48             | 20.9 | 74    | 32.2 | 55      | 23.9 | 25       | 10.9 | 28                | 12.2 | 2              |
| 31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.                           | 53             | 22.9 | 63    | 27.3 | 64      | 27.7 | 23       | 10.0 | 28                | 12.1 | 1              |
| 32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.  | 37             | 16.2 | 52    | 22.8 | 80      | 35.1 | 26       | 11.4 | 33                | 14.5 | 4              |
| 33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.                                      | 48             | 20.8 | 67    | 29.0 | 66      | 28.6 | 19       | 8.2  | 31                | 13.4 | 1              |
| 34 - I learn about other cultures in school.  | 45             | 19.6 | 87    | 37.8 | 55      | 23.9 | 22       | 9.6  | 21                | 9.1  | 2              |
| 35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.                                   | 147            | 63.6 | 49    | 21.2 | 17      | 7.4  | 4        | 1.7  | 14                | 6.1  | 1              |
| 36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.                | 70             | 30.6 | 93    | 40.6 | 48      | 21.0 | 7        | 3.1  | 11                | 4.8  | 3              |
| 37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.                        | 55             | 23.8 | 103   | 44.6 | 57      | 24.7 | 10       | 4.3  | 6                 | 2.6  | 1              |
| 38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.          | 75             | 32.5 | 84    | 36.4 | 47      | 20.3 | 14       | 6.1  | 11                | 4.8  | 1              |
| 39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.                                | 27             | 11.7 | 48    | 20.9 | 87      | 37.8 | 41       | 17.8 | 27                | 11.7 | 2              |
| 40 - Our classes are often interrupted.   | 44             | 19.0 | 41    | 17.7 | 87      | 37.7 | 50       | 21.6 | 9                 | 3.9  | 1              |
| 41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.  | 37             | 16.2 | 59    | 25.9 | 107     | 46.9 | 16       | 7.0  | 9                 | 3.9  | 4              |
| 42 - I have fun learning.   | 33             | 14.3 | 57    | 24.8 | 68      | 29.6 | 27       | 11.7 | 45                | 19.6 | 2              |
| 43 - My teachers think I can learn.   | 98             | 42.4 | 89    | 38.5 | 26      | 11.3 | 5        | 2.2  | 13                | 5.6  | 1              |
| 44 - The community is proud of this school.   | 56             | 24.2 | 63    | 27.3 | 71      | 30.7 | 21       | 9.1  | 20                | 8.7  | 1              |
| 45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.                                   | 66             | 28.6 | 72    | 31.2 | 47      | 20.3 | 16       | 6.9  | 30                | 13.0 | 1              |
| 46 - Students at my school are friendly.  | 27             | 11.8 | 46    | 20.1 | 85      | 37.1 | 33       | 14.4 | 38                | 16.6 | 3              |
| 47 - This school is a good place to learn.  | 55             | 24.2 | 80    | 35.2 | 60      | 26.4 | 15       | 6.6  | 17                | 7.5  | 5              |
| 48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn. | 92             | 39.8 | 86    | 37.2 | 36      | 15.6 | 7        | 3.0  | 10                | 4.3  | 1              |
| 49 - My teachers are good teachers.   | 81             | 35.2 | 85    | 37.0 | 41      | 17.8 | 12       | 5.2  | 11                | 4.8  | 2              |
| 50 - My school building is in good condition.   | 72             | 31.2 | 87    | 37.7 | 44      | 19.0 | 18       | 7.8  | 10                | 4.3  | 1              |
| 51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.                           | 61             | 26.5 | 52    | 22.6 | 74      | 32.2 | 19       | 8.3  | 24                | 10.4 | 2              |
| 52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.                       | 68             | 29.4 | 73    | 31.6 | 56      | 24.2 | 17       | 7.4  | 17                | 7.4  | 1              |

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|--|----------------|------|-------|------|---------|------|----------|------|-------------------|------|----------------|
|  | N              | Pct. | N     | Pct. | N       | Pct. | N        | Pct. | N                 | Pct. |                |
| 53 - I like going to this school.  | 56             | 24.2 | 56    | 24.2 | 60      | 26.0 | 19       | 8.2  | 40                | 17.3 | 1              |
| 54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.                                      | 140            | 61.1 | 55    | 24.0 | 25      | 10.9 | 5        | 2.2  | 4                 | 1.7  | 3              |
| 55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.                                  | 43             | 18.9 | 72    | 31.6 | 71      | 31.1 | 17       | 7.5  | 25                | 11.0 | 4              |
| 56 - I would attend a different school if I could.   | 52             | 22.8 | 35    | 15.4 | 58      | 25.4 | 36       | 15.8 | 47                | 20.6 | 4              |
| 57 - Teachers treat me with respect.   | 71             | 30.9 | 68    | 29.6 | 56      | 24.3 | 20       | 8.7  | 15                | 6.5  | 2              |
| 58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.                 | 49             | 21.3 | 79    | 34.3 | 60      | 26.1 | 20       | 8.7  | 22                | 9.6  | 2              |
| 59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.  | 93             | 40.4 | 87    | 37.8 | 37      | 16.1 | 3        | 1.3  | 10                | 4.3  | 2              |
| 60 - I am treated fairly at school.  | 51             | 22.3 | 76    | 33.2 | 57      | 24.9 | 22       | 9.6  | 23                | 10.0 | 3              |
| 61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.                                 | 67             | 29.4 | 81    | 35.5 | 43      | 18.9 | 16       | 7.0  | 21                | 9.2  | 4              |
| 62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.  | 34             | 15.5 | 47    | 21.4 | 72      | 32.7 | 37       | 16.8 | 30                | 13.6 | 12             |
| 63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.  | 45             | 19.5 | 61    | 26.4 | 58      | 25.1 | 26       | 11.3 | 41                | 17.7 | 1              |
| 64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.            | 65             | 28.1 | 90    | 39.0 | 53      | 22.9 | 7        | 3.0  | 16                | 6.9  | 1              |
| 65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.                            | 99             | 42.9 | 62    | 26.8 | 35      | 15.2 | 12       | 5.2  | 23                | 10.0 | 1              |
| 66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals. | 62             | 26.8 | 76    | 32.9 | 53      | 22.9 | 20       | 8.7  | 20                | 8.7  | 1              |
| 67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.                         | 90             | 39.1 | 81    | 35.2 | 39      | 17.0 | 7        | 3.0  | 13                | 5.7  | 2              |

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