

MSIP Advanced Questionnaire
Secondary Students Frequency Distribution Report
CENTER MIDDLE, CENTER 58 School District

What is your sex? (I am a: boy/girl)		
SEC1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	223	49.23
FEMALE	230	50.77

Frequency Missing = 2

What grade are you in?		
SEC2	Frequency	Percent
6TH	129	28.67
7TH	187	41.56
8TH	132	29.33
9TH	2	0.44

Frequency Missing = 5

Which best describes you?		
SEC3	Frequency	Percent
WHITE	110	24.55
BLACK	256	57.14
ASIAN/ORIENTAL	4	0.89
AMERICAN INDIAN	11	2.46
HISPANIC	19	4.24
MULTI-RACIAL	48	10.71

Frequency Missing = 7

How far in school did your mother go?		
SEC4	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	1	0.22
FINISHED 8TH	9	2.00
H.S. GRAD	101	22.39
POST SECONDARY	83	18.40
COLLEGE GRAD	146	32.37
DON T KNOW	111	24.61

Frequency Missing = 4

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How far in school did your father go?		
SEC5	Frequency	Percent
1	4	0.89
2	15	3.34
3	92	20.49
4	56	12.47
5	97	21.60
6	185	41.20

Frequency Missing = 6

How many days of school did you miss last month?		
SEC6	Frequency	Percent
NONE	170	38.12
1 OR 2 DAYS	161	36.10
3 OR 4 DAYS	70	15.70
5 TO 10 DAYS	31	6.95
MORE THAN 10 DAYS	14	3.14

Frequency Missing = 9

How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?		
SEC7	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	85	18.81
TWO HRS.	71	15.71
THREE HRS.	91	20.13
FOUR HRS.	78	17.26
FIVE HRS.	39	8.63
SIX + HRS.	88	19.47

Frequency Missing = 3

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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	38	8.52
TWO YEAR SCHOOL	26	5.83
FOUR YEAR SCHOOL	286	64.13
MILITARY	22	4.93
OTHER	74	16.59

Frequency Missing = 9

Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?		
SEC9	Frequency	Percent
A	88	19.56
A & B	164	36.44
B	32	7.11
B & C	102	22.67
C	19	4.22
C & D	31	6.89
D	8	1.78
BELOW D	6	1.33

Frequency Missing = 5

How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?		
SEC10	Frequency	Percent
NONE ASSIGNED	45	10.00
DON T DO IT	34	7.56
1/2 HR. OR LESS	153	34.00
ONE HOUR	141	31.33
TWO HOURS	52	11.56
MORE THAN 2 HRS	25	5.56

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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	369	81.10
UNDER 6 HRS.	47	10.33
6 TO 10 HRS.	24	5.27
11 TO 15 HRS.	5	1.10
16 TO 20 HRS.	4	0.88
21 TO 25 HRS.	2	0.44
MORE THAN 25	4	0.88

How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?		
SEC12	Frequency	Percent
EXCELLENT	73	16.19
GOOD	207	45.90
AVERAGE	143	31.71
BELOW AVERAGE	15	3.33
POOR	13	2.88

Frequency Missing = 4

How many hours each week do you usually spend in extra-curricular activities associated with school? - excluding sports?		
SEC13	Frequency	Percent
NONE	218	48.34
1 TO 2 HRS.	131	29.05
3 TO 5 HRS.	61	13.53
6 TO 10 HRS.	31	6.87
11 TO 15 HRS.	8	1.77
MORE THAN 20	2	0.44

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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	71	15.67
Several Times/wk	178	39.29
Once a week	61	13.47
Once 2/wks	32	7.06
Infrequently	84	18.54
Not at all	27	5.96

Frequency Missing = 2

Which of the following best describes the high school program you will complete?		
SEC15	Frequency	Percent
College prep.	282	65.43
Voc./ tech.	62	14.39
General	87	20.19

Frequency Missing = 24

Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.		
SEC16A	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	32	7.26
Rarely	111	25.17
Occasionally	151	34.24
Regularly	147	33.33

Frequency Missing = 14

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Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.		
sec16b	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	85	19.59
Rarely	116	26.73
Occasionally	136	31.34
Regularly	97	22.35

Frequency Missing = 21

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.		
SEC16C	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	56	12.93
Rarely	76	17.55
Occasionally	144	33.26
Regularly	157	36.26

Frequency Missing = 22

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.	57	12.6	195	43.2	155	34.4	29	6.4	15	3.3	4
18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.	48	10.7	170	37.8	146	32.4	59	13.1	27	6.0	5
19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	99	22.2	171	38.3	128	28.7	37	8.3	11	2.5	9
20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	113	25.2	171	38.1	110	24.5	40	8.9	15	3.3	6
21 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	105	23.7	185	41.8	106	23.9	27	6.1	20	4.5	12
22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	117	26.1	152	33.9	119	26.5	39	8.7	22	4.9	6
23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	123	27.3	165	36.7	116	25.8	30	6.7	16	3.6	5
24 - My teachers make learning interesting.	62	13.8	131	29.2	171	38.1	47	10.5	38	8.5	6
25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.	115	25.8	205	46.0	102	22.9	15	3.4	9	2.0	9
26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	97	21.7	188	42.1	118	26.4	24	5.4	20	4.5	8

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27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	157	35.0	174	38.8	90	20.1	15	3.3	12	2.7	7
28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	68	15.1	131	29.1	162	36.0	55	12.2	34	7.6	5
29 - I feel safe at school.	100	22.3	154	34.3	116	25.8	37	8.2	42	9.4	6
30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	83	18.4	145	32.2	163	36.1	28	6.2	32	7.1	4
31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	126	28.1	153	34.2	107	23.9	34	7.6	28	6.3	7
32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	41	9.2	38	8.5	129	29.0	132	29.7	105	23.6	10
33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	88	19.8	139	31.2	148	33.3	38	8.5	32	7.2	10
34 - I learn about other cultures in school.	114	25.4	162	36.2	107	23.9	45	10.0	20	4.5	7
35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.	276	61.1	118	26.1	46	10.2	4	0.9	8	1.8	3
36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	141	31.4	201	44.8	88	19.6	8	1.8	11	2.4	6
37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.	103	22.9	177	39.4	127	28.3	24	5.3	18	4.0	6
38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	111	24.8	164	36.6	125	27.9	28	6.3	20	4.5	7
39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	41	9.2	104	23.3	177	39.6	76	17.0	49	11.0	8
40 - Our classes are often interrupted.	74	16.6	101	22.7	163	36.6	81	18.2	26	5.8	10
41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	60	13.9	135	31.2	181	41.8	34	7.9	23	5.3	22
42 - I have fun learning.	64	14.4	142	31.9	160	36.0	39	8.8	40	9.0	10
43 - My teachers think I can learn.	178	40.0	178	40.0	67	15.1	11	2.5	11	2.5	10
44 - The community is proud of this school.	66	14.9	129	29.1	179	40.4	35	7.9	34	7.7	12
45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.	123	28.0	151	34.4	118	26.9	28	6.4	19	4.3	16
46 - Students at my school are friendly.	26	5.9	77	17.6	183	41.8	75	17.1	77	17.6	17
47 - This school is a good place to learn.	93	21.3	156	35.8	134	30.7	26	6.0	27	6.2	19
48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	167	37.8	181	41.0	75	17.0	7	1.6	12	2.7	13
49 - My teachers are good teachers.	108	24.2	173	38.7	129	28.9	25	5.6	12	2.7	8
50 - My school building is in good condition.	144	32.2	172	38.5	104	23.3	17	3.8	10	2.2	8
51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.	82	18.7	82	18.7	136	31.1	82	18.7	56	12.8	17
52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.	130	29.5	153	34.8	103	23.4	32	7.3	22	5.0	15

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53 - I like going to this school.	94	21.2	126	28.4	115	26.0	51	11.5	57	12.9	12
54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	268	60.9	115	26.1	41	9.3	10	2.3	6	1.4	15
55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.	66	15.0	132	30.0	167	38.0	40	9.1	35	8.0	15
56 - I would attend a different school if I could.	93	21.0	85	19.2	125	28.2	66	14.9	74	16.7	12
57 - Teachers treat me with respect.	94	21.5	164	37.5	122	27.9	35	8.0	22	5.0	18
58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.	57	13.1	124	28.5	143	32.9	60	13.8	51	11.7	20
59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	170	39.0	173	39.7	74	17.0	9	2.1	10	2.3	19
60 - I am treated fairly at school.	74	16.8	146	33.2	146	33.2	43	9.8	31	7.0	15
61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.	153	34.8	165	37.5	70	15.9	31	7.0	21	4.8	15
62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	51	11.6	114	26.0	183	41.7	48	10.9	43	9.8	16
63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	64	14.6	122	27.9	141	32.2	48	11.0	63	14.4	17
64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	147	33.9	169	38.9	92	21.2	13	3.0	13	3.0	21
65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	152	34.5	136	30.9	93	21.1	32	7.3	27	6.1	15
66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	119	27.1	119	27.1	110	25.1	52	11.8	39	8.9	16
67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.	165	37.4	142	32.2	104	23.6	18	4.1	12	2.7	14

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