

MSIP Advanced Questionnaire
Secondary Students Frequency Distribution Report
MONTGOMERY CO. MIDDLE, MONTGOMERY CO. R-II School District

What is your sex? (I am a: boy/girl)		
SEC1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	165	52.22
FEMALE	151	47.78

Frequency Missing = 1

What grade are you in?		
SEC2	Frequency	Percent
6TH	100	31.55
7TH	105	33.12
8TH	112	35.33

Which best describes you?		
SEC3	Frequency	Percent
WHITE	279	88.29
BLACK	5	1.58
ASIAN/ORIENTAL	2	0.63
AMERICAN INDIAN	6	1.90
HISPANIC	12	3.80
MULTI-RACIAL	12	3.80

Frequency Missing = 1

How far in school did your mother go?		
SEC4	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	1	0.32
FINISHED 8TH	15	4.78
H.S. GRAD	72	22.93
POST SECONDARY	44	14.01
COLLEGE GRAD	85	27.07
DON T KNOW	97	30.89

Frequency Missing = 3

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How far in school did your father go?		
SEC5	Frequency	Percent
1	2	0.63
2	16	5.06
3	96	30.38
4	40	12.66
5	53	16.77
6	109	34.49

Frequency Missing = 1

How many days of school did you miss last month?		
SEC6	Frequency	Percent
NONE	149	47.00
1 OR 2 DAYS	103	32.49
3 OR 4 DAYS	43	13.56
5 TO 10 DAYS	21	6.62
MORE THAN 10 DAYS	1	0.32

How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?		
SEC7	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	95	30.06
TWO HRS.	80	25.32
THREE HRS.	73	23.10
FOUR HRS.	23	7.28
FIVE HRS.	14	4.43
SIX + HRS.	31	9.81

Frequency Missing = 1

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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	11.99
TWO YEAR SCHOOL	28	8.83
FOUR YEAR SCHOOL	162	51.10
MILITARY	36	11.36
OTHER	53	16.72

Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?		
SEC9	Frequency	Percent
A	62	19.62
A & B	103	32.59
B	26	8.23
B & C	70	22.15
C	16	5.06
C & D	31	9.81
D	5	1.58
BELOW D	3	0.95

Frequency Missing = 1

How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?		
SEC10	Frequency	Percent
NONE ASSIGNED	15	4.73
DON T DO IT	5	1.58
1/2 HR. OR LESS	113	35.65
ONE HOUR	133	41.96
TWO HOURS	29	9.15
MORE THAN 2 HRS	22	6.94

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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	240	76.19
UNDER 6 HRS.	45	14.29
6 TO 10 HRS.	18	5.71
11 TO 15 HRS.	2	0.63
16 TO 20 HRS.	1	0.32
21 TO 25 HRS.	4	1.27
MORE THAN 25	5	1.59

Frequency Missing = 2

How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?		
SEC12	Frequency	Percent
EXCELLENT	36	11.39
GOOD	138	43.67
AVERAGE	112	35.44
BELOW AVERAGE	22	6.96
POOR	8	2.53

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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	127	40.32
1 TO 2 HRS.	84	26.67
3 TO 5 HRS.	38	12.06
6 TO 10 HRS.	34	10.79
11 TO 15 HRS.	27	8.57
16 TO 20 HRS.	1	0.32
MORE THAN 20	4	1.27

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	67	21.61
Several Times/wk	17	5.48
Once a week	25	8.06
Once 2/wks	30	9.68
Infrequently	128	41.29
Not at all	43	13.87

Frequency Missing = 7

Which of the following best describes the high school program you will complete?		
SEC15	Frequency	Percent
College prep.	170	55.56
Voc./ tech.	55	17.97
General	81	26.47

Frequency Missing = 11

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Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.		
SEC16A	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	23	7.47
Rarely	57	18.51
Occasionally	103	33.44
Regularly	125	40.58

Frequency Missing = 9

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.		
sec16b	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	79	26.07
Rarely	102	33.66
Occasionally	81	26.73
Regularly	41	13.53

Frequency Missing = 14

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.		
SEC16C	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	64	20.92
Rarely	65	21.24
Occasionally	101	33.01
Regularly	76	24.84

Frequency Missing = 11

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.	22	7.1	152	48.9	105	33.8	19	6.1	13	4.2	6
18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.	24	7.8	126	40.8	103	33.3	44	14.2	12	3.9	8
19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	50	16.0	133	42.6	93	29.8	33	10.6	3	1.0	5
20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	56	18.0	132	42.4	88	28.3	25	8.0	10	3.2	6

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21 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	77	24.5	143	45.5	77	24.5	13	4.1	4	1.3	3
22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	66	21.3	122	39.4	82	26.5	26	8.4	14	4.5	7
23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	42	13.8	125	41.0	88	28.9	38	12.5	12	3.9	12
24 - My teachers make learning interesting.	29	9.3	76	24.3	116	37.1	62	19.8	30	9.6	4
25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.	58	18.8	150	48.5	77	24.9	20	6.5	4	1.3	8
26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	50	16.2	141	45.8	90	29.2	18	5.8	9	2.9	9
27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	113	36.0	121	38.5	54	17.2	15	4.8	11	3.5	3
28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	34	10.8	123	39.0	105	33.3	31	9.8	22	7.0	2
29 - I feel safe at school.	75	24.1	107	34.4	96	30.9	14	4.5	19	6.1	6
30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	58	19.1	108	35.5	95	31.3	21	6.9	22	7.2	13
31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	76	24.6	127	41.1	63	20.4	28	9.1	15	4.9	8
32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	30	9.8	37	12.1	120	39.3	67	22.0	51	16.7	12
33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	45	14.5	87	28.0	117	37.6	35	11.3	27	8.7	6
34 - I learn about other cultures in school.	60	19.4	140	45.3	64	20.7	33	10.7	12	3.9	8
35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.	169	54.0	92	29.4	38	12.1	6	1.9	8	2.6	4
36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	68	21.6	159	50.5	72	22.9	6	1.9	10	3.2	2
37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.	45	14.4	148	47.4	80	25.6	29	9.3	10	3.2	5
38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	72	23.2	134	43.1	70	22.5	19	6.1	16	5.1	6
39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	34	10.8	109	34.7	116	36.9	29	9.2	26	8.3	3
40 - Our classes are often interrupted.	36	11.6	76	24.4	108	34.7	71	22.8	20	6.4	6
41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	29	9.5	77	25.2	159	52.1	26	8.5	14	4.6	12
42 - I have fun learning.	37	11.8	95	30.3	92	29.3	42	13.4	48	15.3	3
43 - My teachers think I can learn.	98	32.0	144	47.1	48	15.7	9	2.9	7	2.3	11
44 - The community is proud of this school.	43	14.0	107	34.7	115	37.3	27	8.8	16	5.2	9

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.	96	30.7	129	41.2	60	19.2	18	5.8	10	3.2	4
46 - Students at my school are friendly.	32	10.2	125	39.9	107	34.2	26	8.3	23	7.3	4
47 - This school is a good place to learn.	54	17.4	128	41.3	91	29.4	21	6.8	16	5.2	7
48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	121	38.9	145	46.6	37	11.9	7	2.3	1	0.3	6
49 - My teachers are good teachers.	69	22.2	117	37.6	97	31.2	16	5.1	12	3.9	6
50 - My school building is in good condition.	55	17.6	129	41.3	78	25.0	33	10.6	17	5.4	5
51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.	38	12.4	50	16.3	95	31.0	69	22.5	54	17.6	11
52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.	78	25.5	118	38.6	76	24.8	24	7.8	10	3.3	11
53 - I like going to this school.	58	19.1	109	36.0	80	26.4	25	8.3	31	10.2	14
54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	169	54.9	99	32.1	28	9.1	7	2.3	5	1.6	9
55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.	56	18.1	119	38.4	86	27.7	32	10.3	17	5.5	7
56 - I would attend a different school if I could.	42	13.5	40	12.8	77	24.7	83	26.6	70	22.4	5
57 - Teachers treat me with respect.	61	20.2	113	37.4	82	27.2	26	8.6	20	6.6	15
58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.	56	18.7	113	37.7	92	30.7	26	8.7	13	4.3	17
59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	90	28.7	150	47.8	60	19.1	9	2.9	5	1.6	3
60 - I am treated fairly at school.	65	21.2	135	44.0	64	20.8	19	6.2	24	7.8	10
61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.	74	23.7	112	35.9	67	21.5	35	11.2	24	7.7	5
62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	42	13.8	90	29.6	121	39.8	24	7.9	27	8.9	13
63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	53	17.2	111	36.0	91	29.5	22	7.1	31	10.1	9
64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	67	22.0	123	40.5	83	27.3	22	7.2	9	3.0	13
65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	79	25.6	127	41.2	60	19.5	24	7.8	18	5.8	9
66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	30	9.8	84	27.5	97	31.7	60	19.6	35	11.4	11
67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.	103	33.6	111	36.2	60	19.5	22	7.2	11	3.6	10

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