

MSIP Advanced Questionnaire
Secondary Students Frequency Distribution Report
PATTONVILLE HEIGHTS MIDDLE, PATTONVILLE R-III School District

What is your sex? (I am a: boy/girl)		
SEC1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	297	49.67
FEMALE	301	50.33

Frequency Missing = 1

What grade are you in?		
SEC2	Frequency	Percent
6TH	193	32.33
7TH	235	39.36
8TH	169	28.31

Frequency Missing = 2

Which best describes you?		
SEC3	Frequency	Percent
WHITE	384	65.08
BLACK	134	22.71
ASIAN/ORIENTAL	23	3.90
AMERICAN INDIAN	11	1.86
HISPANIC	13	2.20
MULTI-RACIAL	25	4.24

Frequency Missing = 9

How far in school did your mother go?		
SEC4	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	2	0.34
FINISHED 8TH	9	1.52
H.S. GRAD	133	22.43
POST SECONDARY	100	16.86
COLLEGE GRAD	206	34.74
DON T KNOW	143	24.11

Frequency Missing = 6

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How far in school did your father go?		
SEC5	Frequency	Percent
1	7	1.18
2	15	2.52
3	105	17.65
4	69	11.60
5	201	33.78
6	198	33.28

Frequency Missing = 4

How many days of school did you miss last month?		
SEC6	Frequency	Percent
NONE	320	53.69
1 OR 2 DAYS	179	30.03
3 OR 4 DAYS	59	9.90
5 TO 10 DAYS	26	4.36
MORE THAN 10 DAYS	12	2.01

Frequency Missing = 3

How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?		
SEC7	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	116	19.53
TWO HRS.	158	26.60
THREE HRS.	114	19.19
FOUR HRS.	87	14.65
FIVE HRS.	42	7.07
SIX + HRS.	77	12.96

Frequency Missing = 5

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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	57	9.61
TWO YEAR SCHOOL	35	5.90
FOUR YEAR SCHOOL	385	64.92
MILITARY	34	5.73
OTHER	82	13.83

Frequency Missing = 6

Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?		
SEC9	Frequency	Percent
A	155	26.05
A & B	211	35.46
B	59	9.92
B & C	98	16.47
C	34	5.71
C & D	32	5.38
D	4	0.67
BELOW D	2	0.34

Frequency Missing = 4

How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?		
SEC10	Frequency	Percent
NONE ASSIGNED	5	0.84
DON T DO IT	16	2.68
1/2 HR. OR LESS	146	24.46
ONE HOUR	289	48.41
TWO HOURS	104	17.42
MORE THAN 2 HRS	37	6.20

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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	469	78.69
UNDER 6 HRS.	73	12.25
6 TO 10 HRS.	35	5.87
11 TO 15 HRS.	10	1.68
16 TO 20 HRS.	6	1.01
MORE THAN 25	3	0.50

Frequency Missing = 3

How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?		
SEC12	Frequency	Percent
EXCELLENT	189	31.66
GOOD	301	50.42
AVERAGE	95	15.91
BELOW AVERAGE	7	1.17
POOR	5	0.84

Frequency Missing = 2

How many hours each week do you usually spend in extra-curricular activities associated with school? - excluding sports?		
SEC13	Frequency	Percent
NONE	195	32.77
1 TO 2 HRS.	314	52.77
3 TO 5 HRS.	66	11.09
6 TO 10 HRS.	12	2.02
11 TO 15 HRS.	4	0.67
16 TO 20 HRS.	2	0.34
MORE THAN 20	2	0.34

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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	182	30.64
Several Times/wk	160	26.94
Once a week	84	14.14
Once 2/wks	39	6.57
Infrequently	101	17.00
Not at all	28	4.71

Frequency Missing = 5

Which of the following best describes the high school program you will complete?		
SEC15	Frequency	Percent
College prep.	360	63.05
Voc./ tech.	65	11.38
General	146	25.57

Frequency Missing = 28

Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.		
SEC16A	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	33	5.69
Rarely	124	21.38
Occasionally	220	37.93
Regularly	203	35.00

Frequency Missing = 19

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Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.		
sec16b	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	155	26.91
Rarely	192	33.33
Occasionally	150	26.04
Regularly	79	13.72

Frequency Missing = 23

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.		
SEC16C	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	98	17.07
Rarely	155	27.00
Occasionally	183	31.88
Regularly	138	24.04

Frequency Missing = 25

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.	93	15.7	282	47.5	174	29.3	34	5.7	11	1.9	5
18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.	125	21.1	299	50.4	122	20.6	33	5.6	14	2.4	6
19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	179	30.3	258	43.7	120	20.3	24	4.1	10	1.7	8
20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	169	28.6	233	39.5	133	22.5	38	6.4	17	2.9	9
21 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	222	37.7	266	45.2	77	13.1	19	3.2	5	0.8	10
22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	175	29.5	244	41.1	124	20.9	39	6.6	12	2.0	5
23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	148	24.9	269	45.2	125	21.0	38	6.4	15	2.5	4
24 - My teachers make learning interesting.	125	21.0	217	36.4	161	27.0	52	8.7	41	6.9	3
25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.	205	34.7	282	47.7	87	14.7	13	2.2	4	0.7	8
26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	193	32.4	274	46.1	105	17.6	19	3.2	4	0.7	4

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27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	274	46.2	233	39.3	68	11.5	14	2.4	4	0.7	6
28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	160	27.0	256	43.2	133	22.5	28	4.7	15	2.5	7
29 - I feel safe at school.	191	32.2	198	33.4	136	22.9	36	6.1	32	5.4	6
30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	149	25.3	240	40.7	141	23.9	36	6.1	24	4.1	9
31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	192	32.4	245	41.3	91	15.3	48	8.1	17	2.9	6
32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	40	6.8	61	10.3	145	24.6	169	28.6	175	29.7	9
33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	152	25.9	223	38.0	137	23.3	47	8.0	28	4.8	12
34 - I learn about other cultures in school.	185	31.5	259	44.0	108	18.4	26	4.4	10	1.7	11
35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.	348	58.7	159	26.8	71	12.0	8	1.3	7	1.2	6
36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	207	34.7	285	47.7	91	15.2	11	1.8	3	0.5	2
37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.	160	27.0	279	47.0	112	18.9	33	5.6	9	1.5	6
38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	209	35.4	257	43.6	96	16.3	19	3.2	9	1.5	9
39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	97	16.4	221	37.5	204	34.6	47	8.0	21	3.6	9
40 - Our classes are often interrupted.	66	11.3	140	23.9	206	35.2	138	23.5	36	6.1	13
41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	97	16.8	204	35.3	227	39.3	31	5.4	19	3.3	21
42 - I have fun learning.	113	19.1	182	30.7	176	29.7	58	9.8	63	10.6	7
43 - My teachers think I can learn.	271	45.9	250	42.3	54	9.1	13	2.2	3	0.5	8
44 - The community is proud of this school.	186	31.6	226	38.4	158	26.9	10	1.7	8	1.4	11
45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.	204	34.6	216	36.7	132	22.4	21	3.6	16	2.7	10
46 - Students at my school are friendly.	119	20.3	209	35.6	190	32.4	43	7.3	26	4.4	12
47 - This school is a good place to learn.	196	33.6	267	45.7	92	15.8	20	3.4	9	1.5	15
48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	285	48.5	243	41.3	53	9.0	6	1.0	1	0.2	11
49 - My teachers are good teachers.	240	40.7	223	37.8	105	17.8	8	1.4	14	2.4	9
50 - My school building is in good condition.	87	14.9	160	27.4	157	26.9	98	16.8	82	14.0	15
51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.	68	11.7	97	16.7	165	28.4	145	25.0	106	18.2	18
52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.	236	40.3	247	42.2	75	12.8	18	3.1	10	1.7	13

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53 - I like going to this school.	184	31.3	202	34.4	126	21.5	35	6.0	40	6.8	12
54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	354	60.7	180	30.9	42	7.2	5	0.9	2	0.3	16
55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.	180	31.1	244	42.1	134	23.1	15	2.6	6	1.0	20
56 - I would attend a different school if I could.	66	11.3	61	10.5	125	21.4	149	25.6	182	31.2	16
57 - Teachers treat me with respect.	197	34.0	231	39.9	113	19.5	19	3.3	19	3.3	20
58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.	148	25.5	197	34.0	158	27.2	50	8.6	27	4.7	19
59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	255	43.7	246	42.2	72	12.3	8	1.4	2	0.3	16
60 - I am treated fairly at school.	158	27.1	245	42.1	135	23.2	31	5.3	13	2.2	17
61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.	208	35.7	222	38.1	87	14.9	43	7.4	22	3.8	17
62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	134	23.1	197	34.0	200	34.5	28	4.8	21	3.6	19
63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	176	30.1	219	37.5	126	21.6	40	6.8	23	3.9	15
64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	178	30.6	227	39.0	133	22.9	24	4.1	20	3.4	17
65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	208	35.8	208	35.8	110	18.9	26	4.5	29	5.0	18
66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	95	16.4	143	24.7	177	30.5	84	14.5	81	14.0	19
67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.	259	44.3	229	39.2	79	13.5	13	2.2	4	0.7	15

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