

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

What is your sex? (I am a: boy/girl)		
SEC1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	317	46.76
FEMALE	361	53.24

What grade are you in?		
SEC2	Frequency	Percent
6TH	241	35.60
7TH	205	30.28
8TH	229	33.83
9TH	2	0.30

Frequency Missing = 1

Which best describes you?		
SEC3	Frequency	Percent
WHITE	469	69.90
BLACK	95	14.16
ASIAN/ORIENTAL	50	7.45
AMERICAN INDIAN	1	0.15
HISPANIC	14	2.09
MULTI-RACIAL	42	6.26

Frequency Missing = 7

How far in school did your mother go?		
SEC4	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	7	1.03
FINISHED 8TH	3	0.44
H.S. GRAD	35	5.17
POST SECONDARY	56	8.27
COLLEGE GRAD	511	75.48
DON T KNOW	65	9.60

Frequency Missing = 1

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How far in school did your father go?		
SEC5	Frequency	Percent
1	4	0.59
2	7	1.04
3	32	4.75
4	37	5.49
5	502	74.48
6	92	13.65

Frequency Missing = 4

How many days of school did you miss last month?		
SEC6	Frequency	Percent
NONE	305	45.05
1 OR 2 DAYS	243	35.89
3 OR 4 DAYS	73	10.78
5 TO 10 DAYS	46	6.79
MORE THAN 10 DAYS	10	1.48

Frequency Missing = 1

How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?		
SEC7	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	251	37.19
TWO HRS.	204	30.22
THREE HRS.	91	13.48
FOUR HRS.	48	7.11
FIVE HRS.	32	4.74
SIX + HRS.	49	7.26

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	20	2.97
TWO YEAR SCHOOL	17	2.53
FOUR YEAR SCHOOL	565	83.95
MILITARY	17	2.53
OTHER	54	8.02

Frequency Missing = 5

Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?		
SEC9	Frequency	Percent
A	327	48.37
A & B	177	26.18
B	61	9.02
B & C	75	11.09
C	17	2.51
C & D	12	1.78
D	1	0.15
BELOW D	6	0.89

Frequency Missing = 2

How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?		
SEC10	Frequency	Percent
NONE ASSIGNED	11	1.63
DON T DO IT	17	2.51
1/2 HR. OR LESS	157	23.22
ONE HOUR	306	45.27
TWO HOURS	120	17.75
MORE THAN 2 HRS	65	9.62

Frequency Missing = 2

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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	553	83.16
UNDER 6 HRS.	76	11.43
6 TO 10 HRS.	23	3.46
11 TO 15 HRS.	3	0.45
16 TO 20 HRS.	3	0.45
21 TO 25 HRS.	2	0.30
MORE THAN 25	5	0.75

Frequency Missing = 13

How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?		
SEC12	Frequency	Percent
EXCELLENT	301	44.66
GOOD	295	43.77
AVERAGE	58	8.61
BELOW AVERAGE	14	2.08
POOR	6	0.89

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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	216	32.24
1 TO 2 HRS.	249	37.16
3 TO 5 HRS.	138	20.60
6 TO 10 HRS.	38	5.67
11 TO 15 HRS.	19	2.84
16 TO 20 HRS.	5	0.75
MORE THAN 20	5	0.75

Frequency Missing = 8

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	179	26.56
Several Times/wk	225	33.38
Once a week	102	15.13
Once 2/wks	69	10.24
Infrequently	87	12.91
Not at all	12	1.78

Frequency Missing = 4

Which of the following best describes the high school program you will complete?		
SEC15	Frequency	Percent
College prep.	450	70.75
Voc./ tech.	52	8.18
General	134	21.07

Frequency Missing = 42

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Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.		
SEC16A	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	33	5.07
Rarely	118	18.13
Occasionally	233	35.79
Regularly	267	41.01

Frequency Missing = 27

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.		
sec16b	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	121	18.97
Rarely	190	29.78
Occasionally	237	37.15
Regularly	90	14.11

Frequency Missing = 40

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.		
SEC16C	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	102	16.04
Rarely	189	29.72
Occasionally	207	32.55
Regularly	138	21.70

Frequency Missing = 42

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.	77	11.5	327	48.8	195	29.1	54	8.1	17	2.5	8
18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.	160	23.7	302	44.8	166	24.6	33	4.9	13	1.9	4
19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	142	21.3	301	45.1	177	26.5	39	5.8	9	1.3	10
20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	132	19.8	227	34.0	180	26.9	96	14.4	33	4.9	10

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21 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	218	32.7	300	45.0	110	16.5	23	3.5	15	2.3	12
22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	153	22.8	283	42.2	157	23.4	58	8.6	20	3.0	7
23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	238	35.4	276	41.1	124	18.5	26	3.9	8	1.2	6
24 - My teachers make learning interesting.	74	11.0	230	34.3	251	37.4	75	11.2	41	6.1	7
25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.	191	28.9	317	48.0	120	18.2	25	3.8	8	1.2	17
26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	217	32.3	306	45.5	118	17.6	24	3.6	7	1.0	6
27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	268	40.0	255	38.1	109	16.3	29	4.3	9	1.3	8
28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	126	18.8	285	42.5	189	28.2	46	6.9	24	3.6	8
29 - I feel safe at school.	251	37.6	238	35.6	111	16.6	42	6.3	26	3.9	10
30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	167	24.9	256	38.2	170	25.3	41	6.1	37	5.5	7
31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	161	24.1	291	43.5	141	21.1	50	7.5	26	3.9	9
32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	40	6.1	55	8.3	145	21.9	160	24.2	261	39.5	17
33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	120	18.4	227	34.8	192	29.4	71	10.9	42	6.4	26
34 - I learn about other cultures in school.	166	24.9	265	39.7	167	25.0	52	7.8	18	2.7	10
35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.	301	44.9	236	35.2	101	15.1	18	2.7	15	2.2	7
36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	193	28.8	339	50.5	113	16.8	19	2.8	7	1.0	7
37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.	116	17.4	290	43.5	201	30.1	47	7.0	13	1.9	11
38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	166	25.1	291	44.0	151	22.8	37	5.6	17	2.6	16
39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	93	14.0	245	36.9	235	35.4	62	9.3	29	4.4	14
40 - Our classes are often interrupted.	71	10.8	136	20.7	255	38.8	158	24.0	37	5.6	21
41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	72	11.1	179	27.5	303	46.5	62	9.5	35	5.4	27
42 - I have fun learning.	107	16.0	212	31.7	231	34.5	67	10.0	52	7.8	9
43 - My teachers think I can learn.	263	39.7	289	43.6	90	13.6	15	2.3	6	0.9	15
44 - The community is proud of this school.	260	39.3	265	40.0	112	16.9	11	1.7	14	2.1	16

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45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.	200	29.9	256	38.3	152	22.7	42	6.3	19	2.8	9
46 - Students at my school are friendly.	114	17.1	244	36.7	218	32.8	64	9.6	25	3.8	13
47 - This school is a good place to learn.	204	30.6	304	45.6	124	18.6	22	3.3	12	1.8	12
48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	290	43.9	274	41.5	78	11.8	10	1.5	9	1.4	17
49 - My teachers are good teachers.	221	33.1	280	42.0	130	19.5	21	3.1	15	2.2	11
50 - My school building is in good condition.	270	40.5	262	39.3	102	15.3	21	3.2	11	1.7	12
51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.	40	6.1	67	10.2	146	22.1	173	26.2	234	35.5	18
52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.	267	40.2	250	37.7	108	16.3	26	3.9	13	2.0	14
53 - I like going to this school.	208	31.5	230	34.8	151	22.9	34	5.2	37	5.6	18
54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	415	63.1	191	29.0	39	5.9	5	0.8	8	1.2	20
55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.	257	39.2	268	40.9	97	14.8	20	3.1	13	2.0	23
56 - I would attend a different school if I could.	61	9.2	74	11.2	165	24.9	159	24.0	203	30.7	16
57 - Teachers treat me with respect.	188	28.5	286	43.3	143	21.7	25	3.8	18	2.7	18
58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.	155	23.6	267	40.7	156	23.8	49	7.5	29	4.4	22
59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	276	42.0	284	43.2	84	12.8	10	1.5	3	0.5	21
60 - I am treated fairly at school.	153	23.5	295	45.2	142	21.8	38	5.8	24	3.7	26
61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.	184	28.1	240	36.6	130	19.8	73	11.1	28	4.3	23
62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	114	17.6	243	37.5	219	33.8	49	7.6	23	3.5	30
63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	131	20.0	231	35.3	163	24.9	76	11.6	54	8.2	23
64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	208	31.8	277	42.3	129	19.7	30	4.6	11	1.7	23
65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	194	29.6	186	28.4	138	21.1	62	9.5	75	11.5	23
66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	118	18.2	217	33.4	187	28.8	74	11.4	54	8.3	28
67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.	248	37.7	269	40.9	108	16.4	18	2.7	14	2.1	21

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