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Secondary Students Frequency Distribution Report
BRITTANY WOODS, UNIVERSITY CITY School District

What is your sex? (I am a: boy/girl)		
SEC1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	181	49.32
FEMALE	186	50.68

Frequency Missing = 6

What grade are you in?		
SEC2	Frequency	Percent
7TH	180	48.65
8TH	190	51.35

Frequency Missing = 3

Which best describes you?		
SEC3	Frequency	Percent
WHITE	30	8.15
BLACK	293	79.62
ASIAN/ORIENTAL	5	1.36
AMERICAN INDIAN	6	1.63
HISPANIC	3	0.82
MULTI-RACIAL	31	8.42

Frequency Missing = 5

How far in school did your mother go?		
SEC4	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	2	0.54
FINISHED 8TH	3	0.82
H.S. GRAD	70	19.02
POST SECONDARY	78	21.20
COLLEGE GRAD	156	42.39
DON T KNOW	59	16.03

Frequency Missing = 5

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How far in school did your father go?		
SEC5	Frequency	Percent
1	1	0.27
2	10	2.72
3	67	18.26
4	42	11.44
5	117	31.88
6	130	35.42

Frequency Missing = 6

How many days of school did you miss last month?		
SEC6	Frequency	Percent
NONE	135	36.68
1 OR 2 DAYS	126	34.24
3 OR 4 DAYS	63	17.12
5 TO 10 DAYS	32	8.70
MORE THAN 10 DAYS	12	3.26

Frequency Missing = 5

How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?		
SEC7	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	43	11.72
TWO HRS.	50	13.62
THREE HRS.	56	15.26
FOUR HRS.	49	13.35
FIVE HRS.	58	15.80
SIX + HRS.	111	30.25

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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	45	12.20
TWO YEAR SCHOOL	15	4.07
FOUR YEAR SCHOOL	242	65.58
MILITARY	15	4.07
OTHER	52	14.09

Frequency Missing = 4

Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?		
SEC9	Frequency	Percent
A	77	20.87
A & B	116	31.44
B	32	8.67
B & C	94	25.47
C	19	5.15
C & D	23	6.23
D	3	0.81
BELOW D	5	1.36

Frequency Missing = 4

How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?		
SEC10	Frequency	Percent
NONE ASSIGNED	20	5.45
DON T DO IT	22	5.99
1/2 HR. OR LESS	103	28.07
ONE HOUR	128	34.88
TWO HOURS	58	15.80
MORE THAN 2 HRS	36	9.81

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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	247	67.49
UNDER 6 HRS.	60	16.39
6 TO 10 HRS.	31	8.47
11 TO 15 HRS.	10	2.73
16 TO 20 HRS.	9	2.46
21 TO 25 HRS.	4	1.09
MORE THAN 25	5	1.37

Frequency Missing = 7

How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?		
SEC12	Frequency	Percent
EXCELLENT	48	13.33
GOOD	156	43.33
AVERAGE	117	32.50
BELOW AVERAGE	20	5.56
POOR	19	5.28

Frequency Missing = 13

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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	34.79
1 TO 2 HRS.	150	41.10
3 TO 5 HRS.	52	14.25
6 TO 10 HRS.	19	5.21
11 TO 15 HRS.	5	1.37
16 TO 20 HRS.	2	0.55
MORE THAN 20	10	2.74

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	84	22.64
Several Times/wk	66	17.79
Once a week	38	10.24
Once 2/wks	33	8.89
Infrequently	129	34.77
Not at all	21	5.66

Frequency Missing = 2

Which of the following best describes the high school program you will complete?		
SEC15	Frequency	Percent
College prep.	227	62.36
Voc./ tech.	59	16.21
General	78	21.43

Frequency Missing = 9

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Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.		
SEC16A	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	24	6.52
Rarely	68	18.48
Occasionally	133	36.14
Regularly	143	38.86

Frequency Missing = 5

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.		
sec16b	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	34	9.52
Rarely	81	22.69
Occasionally	139	38.94
Regularly	103	28.85

Frequency Missing = 16

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.		
SEC16C	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	26	7.24
Rarely	67	18.66
Occasionally	124	34.54
Regularly	142	39.55

Frequency Missing = 14

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.	53	14.4	146	39.7	133	36.1	19	5.2	17	4.6	5
18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.	50	13.6	136	36.9	128	34.7	41	11.1	14	3.8	4
19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	70	19.1	128	34.9	132	36.0	22	6.0	15	4.1	6
20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	79	21.5	154	42.0	96	26.2	19	5.2	19	5.2	6

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21 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	89	24.0	139	37.5	111	29.9	21	5.7	11	3.0	2
22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	73	19.7	137	37.0	102	27.6	34	9.2	24	6.5	3
23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	95	26.0	158	43.3	83	22.7	14	3.8	15	4.1	8
24 - My teachers make learning interesting.	60	16.3	111	30.2	134	36.5	34	9.3	28	7.6	6
25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.	100	27.6	158	43.6	88	24.3	4	1.1	12	3.3	11
26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	104	28.6	137	37.6	92	25.3	16	4.4	15	4.1	9
27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	111	30.1	127	34.4	94	25.5	14	3.8	23	6.2	4
28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	48	13.0	98	26.5	142	38.4	45	12.2	37	10.0	3
29 - I feel safe at school.	52	14.3	96	26.4	134	36.9	31	8.5	50	13.8	10
30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	57	15.5	112	30.4	124	33.7	35	9.5	40	10.9	5
31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	94	25.8	125	34.3	104	28.6	23	6.3	18	4.9	9
32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	32	8.8	44	12.2	112	30.9	97	26.8	77	21.3	11
33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	73	19.7	104	28.1	135	36.5	28	7.6	30	8.1	3
34 - I learn about other cultures in school.	89	24.4	135	37.0	115	31.5	18	4.9	8	2.2	8
35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.	153	41.9	115	31.5	76	20.8	10	2.7	11	3.0	8
36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	127	35.1	133	36.7	82	22.7	7	1.9	13	3.6	11
37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.	74	20.0	129	34.9	125	33.8	24	6.5	18	4.9	3
38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	72	19.5	145	39.2	113	30.5	22	5.9	18	4.9	3
39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	46	12.5	97	26.4	139	37.8	46	12.5	40	10.9	5
40 - Our classes are often interrupted.	95	26.0	96	26.3	126	34.5	31	8.5	17	4.7	8
41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	55	15.2	114	31.4	161	44.4	17	4.7	16	4.4	10
42 - I have fun learning.	64	17.6	121	33.3	134	36.9	21	5.8	23	6.3	10
43 - My teachers think I can learn.	137	37.4	131	35.8	77	21.0	10	2.7	11	3.0	7
44 - The community is proud of this school.	55	15.4	94	26.3	128	35.8	47	13.1	34	9.5	15

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45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.	69	19.2	130	36.1	114	31.7	25	6.9	22	6.1	13
46 - Students at my school are friendly.	39	11.0	82	23.0	151	42.4	40	11.2	44	12.4	17
47 - This school is a good place to learn.	56	15.5	119	33.0	127	35.2	34	9.4	25	6.9	12
48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	94	26.3	143	39.9	98	27.4	17	4.7	6	1.7	15
49 - My teachers are good teachers.	93	25.6	130	35.8	106	29.2	18	5.0	16	4.4	10
50 - My school building is in good condition.	36	10.0	85	23.7	129	35.9	59	16.4	50	13.9	14
51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.	70	19.5	73	20.3	123	34.3	56	15.6	37	10.3	14
52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.	75	20.7	135	37.3	97	26.8	27	7.5	28	7.7	11
53 - I like going to this school.	81	22.3	97	26.7	120	33.1	31	8.5	34	9.4	10
54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	202	55.2	94	25.7	62	16.9	3	0.8	5	1.4	7
55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.	76	20.9	115	31.7	132	36.4	19	5.2	21	5.8	10
56 - I would attend a different school if I could.	81	22.6	87	24.2	109	30.4	42	11.7	40	11.1	14
57 - Teachers treat me with respect.	90	24.7	127	34.8	107	29.3	19	5.2	22	6.0	8
58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.	68	18.6	129	35.3	112	30.7	30	8.2	26	7.1	8
59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	154	42.3	116	31.9	78	21.4	6	1.6	10	2.7	9
60 - I am treated fairly at school.	67	18.5	120	33.1	117	32.3	31	8.6	27	7.5	11
61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.	76	21.1	114	31.6	94	26.0	39	10.8	38	10.5	12
62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	61	17.3	92	26.1	132	37.5	40	11.4	27	7.7	21
63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	68	18.7	96	26.4	116	31.9	34	9.3	50	13.7	9
64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	94	26.0	130	35.9	106	29.3	17	4.7	15	4.1	11
65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	84	23.2	89	24.6	110	30.4	32	8.8	47	13.0	11
66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	77	21.4	65	18.1	106	29.4	59	16.4	53	14.7	13
67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.	110	30.9	123	34.6	93	26.1	13	3.7	17	4.8	17
68 - I regularly use technology in the classroom.	71	19.4	89	24.3	132	36.1	36	9.8	38	10.4	7
69 - The school counselor is an important and necessary component of my success at school.	69	18.8	107	29.2	111	30.2	39	10.6	41	11.2	6
70 - I get adequate information about how I am performing in school.	84	23.2	126	34.8	121	33.4	15	4.1	16	4.4	11

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71 - The school meets my needs to be successful.	74	20.3	114	31.3	130	35.7	20	5.5	26	7.1	9
72 - My learning is supported at school.	106	29.4	133	36.9	91	25.3	10	2.8	20	5.6	13

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