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Secondary Students Frequency Distribution Report
SIKESTON JR. HIGH, SIKESTON R-6 School District

What is your sex? (I am a: boy/girl)		
SEC1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	221	44.65
FEMALE	274	55.35

Frequency Missing = 1

What grade are you in?		
SEC2	Frequency	Percent
8TH	252	51.01
9TH	242	48.99

Frequency Missing = 2

Which best describes you?		
SEC3	Frequency	Percent
WHITE	318	64.37
BLACK	139	28.14
ASIAN/ORIENTAL	4	0.81
AMERICAN INDIAN	5	1.01
HISPANIC	7	1.42
MULTI-RACIAL	21	4.25

Frequency Missing = 2

How far in school did your mother go?		
SEC4	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	13	2.62
FINISHED 8TH	24	4.84
H.S. GRAD	161	32.46
POST SECONDARY	74	14.92
COLLEGE GRAD	102	20.56
DON T KNOW	122	24.60

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How far in school did your father go?		
SEC5	Frequency	Percent
1	12	2.43
2	20	4.05
3	141	28.54
4	51	10.32
5	96	19.43
6	174	35.22

Frequency Missing = 2

How many days of school did you miss last month?		
SEC6	Frequency	Percent
NONE	277	56.07
1 OR 2 DAYS	138	27.94
3 OR 4 DAYS	42	8.50
5 TO 10 DAYS	24	4.86
MORE THAN 10 DAYS	13	2.63

Frequency Missing = 2

How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?		
SEC7	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	111	22.47
TWO HRS.	98	19.84
THREE HRS.	103	20.85
FOUR HRS.	60	12.15
FIVE HRS.	42	8.50
SIX + HRS.	80	16.19

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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	11.49
TWO YEAR SCHOOL	25	5.04
FOUR YEAR SCHOOL	295	59.48
MILITARY	35	7.06
OTHER	84	16.94

Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?		
SEC9	Frequency	Percent
A	72	14.60
A & B	173	35.09
B	47	9.53
B & C	112	22.72
C	29	5.88
C & D	37	7.51
D	13	2.64
BELOW D	10	2.03

Frequency Missing = 3

How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?		
SEC10	Frequency	Percent
NONE ASSIGNED	68	13.74
DON T DO IT	48	9.70
1/2 HR. OR LESS	143	28.89
ONE HOUR	151	30.51
TWO HOURS	56	11.31
MORE THAN 2 HRS	29	5.86

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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	396	80.00
UNDER 6 HRS.	49	9.90
6 TO 10 HRS.	22	4.44
11 TO 15 HRS.	12	2.42
16 TO 20 HRS.	7	1.41
21 TO 25 HRS.	1	0.20
MORE THAN 25	8	1.62

Frequency Missing = 1

How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?		
SEC12	Frequency	Percent
EXCELLENT	65	13.10
GOOD	188	37.90
AVERAGE	202	40.73
BELOW AVERAGE	19	3.83
POOR	22	4.44

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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	211	42.63
1 TO 2 HRS.	150	30.30
3 TO 5 HRS.	65	13.13
6 TO 10 HRS.	37	7.47
11 TO 15 HRS.	24	4.85
16 TO 20 HRS.	4	0.81
MORE THAN 20	4	0.81

Frequency Missing = 1

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	81	16.36
Several Times/wk	42	8.48
Once a week	61	12.32
Once 2/wks	65	13.13
Infrequently	186	37.58
Not at all	60	12.12

Frequency Missing = 1

Which of the following best describes the high school program you will complete?		
SEC15	Frequency	Percent
College prep.	328	67.63
Voc./ tech.	53	10.93
General	104	21.44

Frequency Missing = 11

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Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.		
SEC16A	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	52	10.70
Rarely	117	24.07
Occasionally	155	31.89
Regularly	162	33.33

Frequency Missing = 10

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.		
sec16b	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	86	17.73
Rarely	155	31.96
Occasionally	153	31.55
Regularly	91	18.76

Frequency Missing = 11

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.		
SEC16C	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	53	10.95
Rarely	116	23.97
Occasionally	167	34.50
Regularly	148	30.58

Frequency Missing = 12

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.	62	12.6	222	44.9	147	29.8	45	9.1	18	3.6	2
18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.	65	13.2	204	41.3	126	25.5	63	12.8	36	7.3	2
19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	81	16.4	205	41.6	138	28.0	49	9.9	20	4.1	3
20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	91	18.5	189	38.4	132	26.8	50	10.2	30	6.1	4

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21 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	129	26.5	229	47.1	83	17.1	29	6.0	16	3.3	10
22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	121	24.5	196	39.8	109	22.1	42	8.5	25	5.1	3
23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	97	19.7	224	45.5	103	20.9	48	9.8	20	4.1	4
24 - My teachers make learning interesting.	42	8.6	114	23.3	202	41.3	84	17.2	47	9.6	7
25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.	100	20.7	258	53.3	94	19.4	21	4.3	11	2.3	12
26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	102	20.9	203	41.5	131	26.8	32	6.5	21	4.3	7
27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	189	38.6	191	39.0	67	13.7	20	4.1	23	4.7	6
28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	45	9.2	172	35.2	163	33.4	60	12.3	48	9.8	8
29 - I feel safe at school.	73	14.8	164	33.3	129	26.2	65	13.2	62	12.6	3
30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	79	16.0	166	33.6	157	31.8	45	9.1	47	9.5	2
31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	101	20.4	198	40.1	103	20.9	51	10.3	41	8.3	2
32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	71	14.6	103	21.1	166	34.1	83	17.0	64	13.1	9
33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	60	12.2	136	27.7	177	36.0	54	11.0	64	13.0	5
34 - I learn about other cultures in school.	92	18.7	239	48.6	96	19.5	43	8.7	22	4.5	4
35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.	263	53.5	157	31.9	48	9.8	14	2.8	10	2.0	4
36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	104	21.1	247	50.1	113	22.9	20	4.1	9	1.8	3
37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.	73	14.8	229	46.5	125	25.4	43	8.7	23	4.7	3
38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	110	22.4	235	47.8	91	18.5	33	6.7	23	4.7	4
39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	31	6.4	81	16.6	190	39.0	101	20.7	84	17.2	9
40 - Our classes are often interrupted.	79	16.2	118	24.2	152	31.2	101	20.7	37	7.6	9
41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	89	18.6	138	28.8	214	44.7	26	5.4	12	2.5	17
42 - I have fun learning.	70	14.2	115	23.4	163	33.1	87	17.7	57	11.6	4
43 - My teachers think I can learn.	164	33.7	218	44.8	67	13.8	17	3.5	21	4.3	9
44 - The community is proud of this school.	75	15.3	151	30.8	169	34.4	53	10.8	43	8.8	5

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45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.	138	28.3	178	36.6	115	23.6	42	8.6	14	2.9	9
46 - Students at my school are friendly.	37	7.5	101	20.5	217	44.1	68	13.8	69	14.0	4
47 - This school is a good place to learn.	61	12.5	190	38.9	161	33.0	32	6.6	44	9.0	8
48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	184	37.7	211	43.2	67	13.7	14	2.9	12	2.5	8
49 - My teachers are good teachers.	98	20.0	202	41.2	146	29.8	20	4.1	24	4.9	6
50 - My school building is in good condition.	98	20.0	182	37.1	111	22.6	48	9.8	52	10.6	5
51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.	123	25.5	157	32.6	130	27.0	39	8.1	33	6.8	14
52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.	116	23.7	208	42.5	94	19.2	37	7.6	34	7.0	7
53 - I like going to this school.	67	13.6	131	26.7	146	29.7	61	12.4	86	17.5	5
54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	275	56.2	157	32.1	36	7.4	10	2.0	11	2.2	7
55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.	55	11.3	127	26.2	169	34.8	63	13.0	71	14.6	11
56 - I would attend a different school if I could.	124	25.3	81	16.5	130	26.5	88	18.0	67	13.7	6
57 - Teachers treat me with respect.	95	19.5	188	38.7	132	27.2	36	7.4	35	7.2	10
58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.	95	19.5	206	42.3	105	21.6	49	10.1	32	6.6	9
59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	153	31.6	224	46.3	75	15.5	18	3.7	14	2.9	12
60 - I am treated fairly at school.	81	16.7	193	39.8	132	27.2	44	9.1	35	7.2	11
61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.	101	20.7	182	37.3	101	20.7	62	12.7	42	8.6	8
62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	44	9.0	114	23.4	182	37.4	81	16.6	66	13.6	9
63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	72	14.7	144	29.4	133	27.1	67	13.7	74	15.1	6
64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	142	29.5	202	41.9	101	21.0	27	5.6	10	2.1	14
65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	124	25.4	165	33.7	104	21.3	47	9.6	49	10.0	7
66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	87	17.8	144	29.5	132	27.0	65	13.3	60	12.3	8
67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.	165	33.8	189	38.7	91	18.6	21	4.3	22	4.5	8

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