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What is your sex? (I am a: boy/girl)		
SEC1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	704	47.76
FEMALE	770	52.24

Frequency Missing = 9

What grade are you in?		
SEC2	Frequency	Percent
6TH	250	18.05
7TH	194	14.01
8TH	226	16.32
9TH	208	15.02
10TH	203	14.66
11TH	168	12.13
12TH	136	9.82

Frequency Missing = 98

Which best describes you?		
SEC3	Frequency	Percent
WHITE	1362	92.53
BLACK	6	0.41
ASIAN/ORIENTAL	16	1.09
AMERICAN INDIAN	23	1.56
HISPANIC	24	1.63
MULTI-RACIAL	41	2.79

Frequency Missing = 11

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How far in school did your mother go?		
SEC4	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	8	0.54
FINISHED 8TH	33	2.23
H.S. GRAD	328	22.19
POST SECONDARY	340	23.00
COLLEGE GRAD	515	34.84
DON T KNOW	254	17.19

Frequency Missing = 5

How far in school did your father go?		
SEC5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	8	0.54
FINISHED 8TH	33	2.24
H.S. GRAD	303	20.58
POST SECONDARY	279	18.95
COLLEGE GRAD	501	34.04
DON T KNOW	348	23.64

Frequency Missing = 11

How many days of school did you miss last month?		
SEC6	Frequency	Percent
NONE	861	58.22
1 OR 2 DAYS	400	27.05
3 OR 4 DAYS	115	7.78
5 TO 10 DAYS	75	5.07
MORE THAN 10 DAYS	28	1.89

Frequency Missing = 4

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How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?		
SEC7	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	463	31.30
TWO HRS.	433	29.28
THREE HRS.	293	19.81
FOUR HRS.	127	8.59
FIVE HRS.	62	4.19
SIX + HRS.	101	6.83

Frequency Missing = 4

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	94	6.40
TWO YEAR SCHOOL	150	10.21
FOUR YEAR SCHOOL	947	64.47
MILITARY	100	6.81
OTHER	178	12.12

Frequency Missing = 14

Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?		
SEC9	Frequency	Percent
A	504	34.17
A & B	487	33.02
B	159	10.78
B & C	212	14.37
C	44	2.98
C & D	48	3.25
D	9	0.61
BELOW D	12	0.81

Frequency Missing = 8

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How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?		
SEC10	Frequency	Percent
NONE ASSIGNED	244	16.55
DON T DO IT	110	7.46
1/2 HR. OR LESS	442	29.99
ONE HOUR	459	31.14
TWO HOURS	154	10.45
MORE THAN 2 HRS	65	4.41

Frequency Missing = 9

About how many hours per week do you usually work in a part-time job? Exclude summer vacation time.		
SEC11	Frequency	Percent
NONE	1019	69.08
UNDER 6 HRS.	156	10.58
6 TO 10 HRS.	67	4.54
11 TO 15 HRS.	64	4.34
16 TO 20 HRS.	73	4.95
21 TO 25 HRS.	46	3.12
MORE THAN 25	50	3.39

Frequency Missing = 8

How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?		
SEC12	Frequency	Percent
EXCELLENT	447	30.31
GOOD	741	50.24
AVERAGE	240	16.27
BELOW AVERAGE	18	1.22
POOR	29	1.97

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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	495	33.58
1 TO 2 HRS.	433	29.38
3 TO 5 HRS.	188	12.75
6 TO 10 HRS.	163	11.06
11 TO 15 HRS.	100	6.78
16 TO 20 HRS.	54	3.66
MORE THAN 20	41	2.78

Frequency Missing = 9

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	224	15.20
Several Times/wk	235	15.94
Once a week	319	21.64
Once 2/wks	84	5.70
Infrequently	383	25.98
Not at all	229	15.54

Frequency Missing = 9

Which of the following best describes the high school program you will complete?		
SEC15	Frequency	Percent
College prep.	924	66.24
Voc./ tech.	180	12.90
General	291	20.86

Frequency Missing = 88

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Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.		
SEC16A	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	99	6.92
Rarely	301	21.03
Occasionally	558	38.99
Regularly	473	33.05

Frequency Missing = 52

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.		
sec16b	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	236	16.55
Rarely	421	29.52
Occasionally	512	35.90
Regularly	257	18.02

Frequency Missing = 57

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.		
SEC16C	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	186	13.14
Rarely	313	22.10
Occasionally	497	35.10
Regularly	420	29.66

Frequency Missing = 67

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.	172	11.7	656	44.4	470	31.8	124	8.4	54	3.7	7
18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.	237	16.2	672	45.9	370	25.3	145	9.9	39	2.7	20
19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	236	16.1	683	46.5	412	28.0	102	6.9	36	2.5	14
20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	255	17.4	641	43.8	392	26.8	126	8.6	49	3.3	20
21 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	438	30.0	663	45.4	262	17.9	69	4.7	29	2.0	22

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22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	340	23.2	609	41.6	357	24.4	106	7.2	53	3.6	18
23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	256	17.4	580	39.3	401	27.2	164	11.1	73	5.0	9
24 - My teachers make learning interesting.	179	12.2	429	29.2	540	36.8	233	15.9	88	6.0	14
25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.	325	22.3	715	49.0	317	21.7	77	5.3	26	1.8	23
26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	311	21.2	638	43.5	387	26.4	98	6.7	32	2.2	17
27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	478	32.6	593	40.5	287	19.6	76	5.2	32	2.2	17
28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	222	15.1	539	36.7	528	35.9	136	9.3	44	3.0	14
29 - I feel safe at school.	462	31.4	565	38.5	320	21.8	69	4.7	53	3.6	14
30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	288	19.5	601	40.8	358	24.3	146	9.9	81	5.5	9
31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	338	23.0	575	39.2	321	21.9	161	11.0	72	4.9	16
32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	225	15.4	322	22.1	470	32.2	223	15.3	218	15.0	25
33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	246	17.0	473	32.6	510	35.2	150	10.3	71	4.9	33
34 - I learn about other cultures in school.	285	19.4	546	37.2	419	28.6	148	10.1	68	4.6	17
35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.	698	47.5	507	34.5	199	13.5	39	2.7	27	1.8	13
36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	338	23.3	758	52.3	262	18.1	60	4.1	32	2.2	33
37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.	204	14.2	642	44.6	423	29.4	113	7.9	57	4.0	44
38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	336	23.4	650	45.2	351	24.4	61	4.2	39	2.7	46
39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	185	12.9	551	38.3	486	33.8	166	11.5	51	3.5	44
40 - Our classes are often interrupted.	129	9.0	347	24.3	554	38.7	337	23.6	63	4.4	53
41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	157	11.1	465	32.8	659	46.5	96	6.8	40	2.8	66
42 - I have fun learning.	163	11.2	440	30.4	484	33.4	211	14.6	151	10.4	34
43 - My teachers think I can learn.	460	32.1	651	45.4	259	18.0	35	2.4	30	2.1	48
44 - The community is proud of this school.	547	38.2	559	39.1	264	18.4	32	2.2	29	2.0	52
45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.	457	31.8	568	39.5	301	20.9	73	5.1	40	2.8	44
46 - Students at my school are friendly.	152	10.5	525	36.4	511	35.4	173	12.0	81	5.6	41
47 - This school is a good place to learn.	351	24.5	655	45.8	334	23.3	53	3.7	38	2.7	52

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48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	554	38.6	650	45.2	178	12.4	35	2.4	20	1.4	46
49 - My teachers are good teachers.	384	26.6	627	43.5	346	24.0	48	3.3	37	2.6	41
50 - My school building is in good condition.	630	43.7	523	36.3	221	15.3	38	2.6	29	2.0	42
51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.	259	18.1	341	23.9	514	36.0	185	12.9	130	9.1	54
52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.	301	20.9	563	39.2	333	23.2	146	10.2	94	6.5	46
53 - I like going to this school.	311	21.8	505	35.5	372	26.1	118	8.3	118	8.3	59
54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	750	52.3	488	34.0	149	10.4	25	1.7	22	1.5	49
55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.	453	31.7	593	41.5	302	21.1	46	3.2	36	2.5	53
56 - I would attend a different school if I could.	170	11.9	209	14.6	338	23.6	338	23.6	378	26.4	50
57 - Teachers treat me with respect.	314	22.0	588	41.2	404	28.3	76	5.3	44	3.1	57
58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.	293	20.8	511	36.2	394	27.9	139	9.9	73	5.2	73
59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	415	28.8	662	45.9	303	21.0	41	2.8	21	1.5	41
60 - I am treated fairly at school.	245	17.1	650	45.3	393	27.4	98	6.8	50	3.5	47
61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.	306	21.3	531	37.0	314	21.9	178	12.4	105	7.3	49
62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	218	15.2	491	34.2	526	36.6	149	10.4	52	3.6	47
63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	249	17.3	521	36.1	400	27.7	154	10.7	118	8.2	41
64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	405	28.4	655	45.9	277	19.4	52	3.6	37	2.6	57
65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	394	27.4	510	35.4	320	22.2	116	8.1	99	6.9	44
66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	221	15.6	437	30.8	425	30.0	200	14.1	135	9.5	65
67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.	429	29.8	597	41.5	281	19.5	87	6.0	46	3.2	43

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