

**MSIP Advanced Questionnaire**  
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<b>What is your sex? (I am a: boy/girl)</b>		
<b>SEC1</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>MALE</b>	3232	47.61
<b>FEMALE</b>	3557	52.39

*Frequency Missing = 56*

<b>What grade are you in?</b>		
<b>SEC2</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>6TH</b>	1266	18.69
<b>7TH</b>	1411	20.84
<b>8TH</b>	1168	17.25
<b>9TH</b>	938	13.85
<b>10TH</b>	856	12.64
<b>11TH</b>	639	9.44
<b>12TH</b>	494	7.29

*Frequency Missing = 73*

<b>Which best describes you?</b>		
<b>SEC3</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>WHITE</b>	858	12.81
<b>BLACK</b>	4071	60.76
<b>ASIAN/ORIENTAL</b>	172	2.57
<b>AMERICAN INDIAN</b>	183	2.73
<b>HISPANIC</b>	834	12.45
<b>MULTI-RACIAL</b>	582	8.69

*Frequency Missing = 145*

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<b>How far in school did your mother go?</b>		
<b>SEC4</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>UNDER 8TH</b>	134	1.99
<b>FINISHED 8TH</b>	305	4.52
<b>H.S. GRAD</b>	1571	23.31
<b>POST SECONDARY</b>	1123	16.66
<b>COLLEGE GRAD</b>	1411	20.93
<b>DON T KNOW</b>	2197	32.59

*Frequency Missing = 104*

<b>How far in school did your father go?</b>		
<b>SEC5</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>UNDER 8TH</b>	150	2.23
<b>FINISHED 8TH</b>	272	4.05
<b>H.S. GRAD</b>	1396	20.80
<b>POST SECONDARY</b>	680	10.13
<b>COLLEGE GRAD</b>	1034	15.41
<b>DON T KNOW</b>	3180	47.38

*Frequency Missing = 133*

<b>How many days of school did you miss last month?</b>		
<b>SEC6</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NONE</b>	3230	47.69
<b>1 OR 2 DAYS</b>	2067	30.52
<b>3 OR 4 DAYS</b>	862	12.73
<b>5 TO 10 DAYS</b>	429	6.33
<b>MORE THAN 10 DAYS</b>	185	2.73

*Frequency Missing = 72*

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<b>How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?</b>		
<b>SEC7</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>ONE HR. OR LESS</b>	1153	17.06
<b>TWO HRS.</b>	1179	17.44
<b>THREE HRS.</b>	1195	17.68
<b>FOUR HRS.</b>	1071	15.85
<b>FIVE HRS.</b>	655	9.69
<b>SIX + HRS.</b>	1506	22.28

*Frequency Missing = 86*

<b>What is the one thing that is likely to take the largest share of your time in the year after you leave high school?</b>		
<b>SEC8</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>WORK FULL-TIME</b>	950	14.16
<b>TWO YEAR SCHOOL</b>	584	8.70
<b>FOUR YEAR SCHOOL</b>	3770	56.18
<b>MILITARY</b>	344	5.13
<b>OTHER</b>	1062	15.83

*Frequency Missing = 135*

<b>Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?</b>		
<b>SEC9</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>A</b>	883	13.07
<b>A &amp; B</b>	2247	33.26
<b>B</b>	707	10.46
<b>B &amp; C</b>	1718	25.43
<b>C</b>	485	7.18
<b>C &amp; D</b>	479	7.09
<b>D</b>	121	1.79
<b>BELOW D</b>	116	1.72

*Frequency Missing = 89*

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<b>How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?</b>		
<b>SEC10</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NONE ASSIGNED</b>	923	13.66
<b>DON T DO IT</b>	531	7.86
<b>1/2 HR. OR LESS</b>	2155	31.88
<b>ONE HOUR</b>	1936	28.64
<b>TWO HOURS</b>	770	11.39
<b>MORE THAN 2 HRS</b>	444	6.57

*Frequency Missing = 86*

<b>About how many hours per week do you usually work in a part-time job? Exclude summer vacation time.</b>		
<b>SEC11</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NONE</b>	4741	70.25
<b>UNDER 6 HRS.</b>	840	12.45
<b>6 TO 10 HRS.</b>	520	7.70
<b>11 TO 15 HRS.</b>	160	2.37
<b>16 TO 20 HRS.</b>	197	2.92
<b>21 TO 25 HRS.</b>	140	2.07
<b>MORE THAN 25</b>	151	2.24

*Frequency Missing = 96*

<b>How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?</b>		
<b>SEC12</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>EXCELLENT</b>	1411	20.88
<b>GOOD</b>	2716	40.20
<b>AVERAGE</b>	2019	29.88
<b>BELOW AVERAGE</b>	338	5.00
<b>POOR</b>	273	4.04

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<b>How many hours each week do you usually spend in extra-curricular activities associated with school? - excluding sports?</b>		
<b>SEC13</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NONE</b>	3186	47.41
<b>1 TO 2 HRS.</b>	1759	26.18
<b>3 TO 5 HRS.</b>	1007	14.99
<b>6 TO 10 HRS.</b>	397	5.91
<b>11 TO 15 HRS.</b>	190	2.83
<b>16 TO 20 HRS.</b>	103	1.53
<b>MORE THAN 20</b>	78	1.16

*Frequency Missing = 125*

<b>I use computers in school: Daily; Several times a week; Once a week; Once every two weeks; Infrequently; Not at all.</b>		
<b>SEC14</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Daily</b>	1323	19.73
<b>Several Times/wk</b>	945	14.09
<b>Once a week</b>	477	7.11
<b>Once 2/wks</b>	289	4.31
<b>Infrequently</b>	1423	21.22
<b>Not at all</b>	2248	33.53

*Frequency Missing = 140*

<b>Which of the following best describes the high school program you will complete?</b>		
<b>SEC15</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>College prep.</b>	3619	56.49
<b>Voc./ tech.</b>	926	14.45
<b>General</b>	1862	29.06

*Frequency Missing = 438*

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<b>Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.</b>		
<b>SEC16A</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Not at all</b>	689	10.62
<b>Rarely</b>	1611	24.83
<b>Occasionally</b>	1852	28.55
<b>Regularly</b>	2336	36.00

*Frequency Missing = 357*

<b>Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.</b>		
<b>sec16b</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Not at all</b>	1198	18.86
<b>Rarely</b>	1648	25.95
<b>Occasionally</b>	1775	27.95
<b>Regularly</b>	1730	27.24

*Frequency Missing = 494*

<b>Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.</b>		
<b>SEC16C</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Not at all</b>	922	14.51
<b>Rarely</b>	1218	19.17
<b>Occasionally</b>	1690	26.60
<b>Regularly</b>	2524	39.72

*Frequency Missing = 491*

<b>Question</b>	<b>Strongly Agree</b>		<b>Agree</b>		<b>Neutral</b>		<b>Disagree</b>		<b>Strongly Disagree</b>		<b>Number Missing</b>
	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	
17 - The classes I have at school cover material that is important to me.	1,106	16.4	2,694	39.9	2,049	30.3	574	8.5	337	5.0	85
18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.	942	14.0	2,360	35.1	1,949	29.0	975	14.5	491	7.3	128
19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	1,413	21.1	2,468	36.8	1,742	26.0	736	11.0	343	5.1	143
20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	1,467	22.0	2,393	35.9	1,586	23.8	775	11.6	442	6.6	182

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
21 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	1,603	24.1	2,520	37.9	1,649	24.8	593	8.9	288	4.3	192
22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	1,589	23.8	2,413	36.1	1,707	25.5	585	8.8	390	5.8	161
23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	1,391	20.8	2,577	38.6	1,611	24.1	724	10.8	371	5.6	171
24 - My teachers make learning interesting.	900	13.5	1,737	26.0	2,257	33.8	1,078	16.1	713	10.7	160
25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.	1,595	23.9	2,858	42.9	1,547	23.2	417	6.3	244	3.7	184
26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	1,541	23.1	2,699	40.4	1,697	25.4	462	6.9	280	4.2	166
27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	2,102	31.7	2,381	35.9	1,408	21.2	455	6.9	284	4.3	215
28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	943	14.1	1,852	27.8	2,174	32.6	994	14.9	705	10.6	177
29 - I feel safe at school.	1,175	17.6	1,972	29.5	1,852	27.7	824	12.3	852	12.8	170
30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	1,236	18.5	2,102	31.5	2,048	30.7	756	11.3	537	8.0	166
31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	1,612	24.2	2,266	34.1	1,624	24.4	693	10.4	453	6.8	197
32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	802	12.2	980	14.9	2,004	30.5	1,365	20.7	1,429	21.7	265
33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	1,083	16.4	1,787	27.0	2,312	35.0	807	12.2	622	9.4	234
34 - I learn about other cultures in school.	1,529	23.1	2,454	37.1	1,578	23.8	654	9.9	402	6.1	228
35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.	3,279	49.0	2,023	30.2	944	14.1	204	3.0	245	3.7	150
36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	1,844	27.6	2,864	42.9	1,412	21.2	291	4.4	260	3.9	174
37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.	982	14.9	2,309	34.9	2,110	31.9	741	11.2	466	7.1	237
38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	1,456	22.1	2,333	35.5	1,836	27.9	551	8.4	404	6.1	265
39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	586	8.9	1,383	21.0	2,184	33.1	1,325	20.1	1,121	17.0	246
40 - Our classes are often interrupted.	1,365	21.1	1,635	25.3	2,011	31.1	992	15.3	461	7.1	381
41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	884	13.8	1,741	27.2	2,904	45.3	502	7.8	381	5.9	433
42 - I have fun learning.	1,259	19.1	1,811	27.5	2,031	30.9	718	10.9	764	11.6	262
43 - My teachers think I can learn.	2,245	35.0	2,531	39.5	1,164	18.2	272	4.2	198	3.1	435
44 - The community is proud of this school.	1,158	18.1	1,725	27.0	2,146	33.6	712	11.1	651	10.2	453
45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.	1,541	23.6	2,167	33.1	1,970	30.1	520	7.9	345	5.3	302

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46 - Students at my school are friendly.	626	9.6	1,523	23.4	2,424	37.3	961	14.8	967	14.9	344
47 - This school is a good place to learn.	1,240	19.2	2,142	33.3	1,996	31.0	567	8.8	497	7.7	403
48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	2,264	34.7	2,452	37.6	1,233	18.9	308	4.7	261	4.0	327
49 - My teachers are good teachers.	1,451	22.3	2,172	33.3	2,043	31.4	449	6.9	399	6.1	331
50 - My school building is in good condition.	1,166	17.9	1,931	29.7	1,765	27.2	887	13.6	750	11.5	346
51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.	1,512	23.6	1,381	21.5	1,796	28.0	906	14.1	815	12.7	435
52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.	1,312	20.3	1,953	30.3	1,727	26.8	780	12.1	677	10.5	396
53 - I like going to this school.	1,444	22.3	1,966	30.4	1,791	27.7	566	8.8	699	10.8	379
54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	3,442	53.6	1,803	28.1	797	12.4	203	3.2	175	2.7	425
55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.	835	13.0	1,522	23.7	2,373	36.9	910	14.2	786	12.2	419
56 - I would attend a different school if I could.	1,399	21.8	1,206	18.8	1,612	25.1	1,082	16.9	1,122	17.5	424
57 - Teachers treat me with respect.	1,332	20.9	2,056	32.2	1,948	30.5	573	9.0	472	7.4	464
58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.	986	15.8	1,762	28.2	1,906	30.5	894	14.3	703	11.2	594
59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	2,315	36.2	2,389	37.3	1,274	19.9	250	3.9	171	2.7	446
60 - I am treated fairly at school.	1,123	17.6	2,230	34.9	1,952	30.6	601	9.4	481	7.5	458
61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.	1,544	24.0	1,956	30.4	1,317	20.5	840	13.1	771	12.0	417
62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	927	14.7	1,466	23.3	2,257	35.8	919	14.6	736	11.7	540
63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	1,175	18.4	1,715	26.9	1,938	30.3	745	11.7	813	12.7	459
64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	1,686	26.9	2,199	35.0	1,761	28.1	377	6.0	251	4.0	571
65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	1,580	24.9	1,950	30.7	1,572	24.8	619	9.8	627	9.9	497
66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	1,068	17.0	1,437	22.9	1,948	31.0	987	15.7	841	13.4	564
67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.	1,883	29.6	2,139	33.6	1,535	24.1	435	6.8	377	5.9	476

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