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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>	1427	48.64
<b>FEMALE</b>	1507	51.36

*Frequency Missing = 11*

<b>What grade are you in?</b>		
<b>SEC2</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>6TH</b>	3	0.10
<b>7TH</b>	546	18.67
<b>8TH</b>	552	18.88
<b>9TH</b>	566	19.36
<b>10TH</b>	481	16.45
<b>11TH</b>	404	13.82
<b>12TH</b>	372	12.72

*Frequency Missing = 21*

<b>Which best describes you?</b>		
<b>SEC3</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>WHITE</b>	2747	94.27
<b>BLACK</b>	11	0.38
<b>ASIAN/ORIENTAL</b>	14	0.48
<b>AMERICAN INDIAN</b>	37	1.27
<b>HISPANIC</b>	38	1.30
<b>MULTI-RACIAL</b>	67	2.30

*Frequency Missing = 31*

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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>	25	0.86
<b>FINISHED 8TH</b>	232	7.94
<b>H.S. GRAD</b>	915	31.32
<b>POST SECONDARY</b>	523	17.90
<b>COLLEGE GRAD</b>	590	20.20
<b>DON T KNOW</b>	636	21.77

*Frequency Missing = 24*

<b>How far in school did your father go?</b>		
<b>SEC5</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>UNDER 8TH</b>	33	1.13
<b>FINISHED 8TH</b>	220	7.54
<b>H.S. GRAD</b>	869	29.78
<b>POST SECONDARY</b>	462	15.83
<b>COLLEGE GRAD</b>	530	18.16
<b>DON T KNOW</b>	804	27.55

*Frequency Missing = 27*

<b>How many days of school did you miss last month?</b>		
<b>SEC6</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NONE</b>	1935	66.06
<b>1 OR 2 DAYS</b>	605	20.66
<b>3 OR 4 DAYS</b>	178	6.08
<b>5 TO 10 DAYS</b>	131	4.47
<b>MORE THAN 10 DAYS</b>	80	2.73

*Frequency Missing = 16*

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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>	933	31.97
<b>TWO HRS.</b>	785	26.90
<b>THREE HRS.</b>	549	18.81
<b>FOUR HRS.</b>	291	9.97
<b>FIVE HRS.</b>	140	4.80
<b>SIX + HRS.</b>	220	7.54

*Frequency Missing = 27*

<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>	331	11.35
<b>TWO YEAR SCHOOL</b>	412	14.12
<b>FOUR YEAR SCHOOL</b>	1537	52.69
<b>MILITARY</b>	228	7.82
<b>OTHER</b>	409	14.02

*Frequency Missing = 28*

<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>	648	22.19
<b>A &amp; B</b>	947	32.43
<b>B</b>	315	10.79
<b>B &amp; C</b>	581	19.90
<b>C</b>	153	5.24
<b>C &amp; D</b>	214	7.33
<b>D</b>	33	1.13
<b>BELOW D</b>	29	0.99

*Frequency Missing = 25*

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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>	283	9.66
<b>DON T DO IT</b>	193	6.59
<b>1/2 HR. OR LESS</b>	863	29.46
<b>ONE HOUR</b>	1075	36.70
<b>TWO HOURS</b>	344	11.74
<b>MORE THAN 2 HRS</b>	171	5.84

*Frequency Missing = 16*

<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>	1876	64.03
<b>UNDER 6 HRS.</b>	296	10.10
<b>6 TO 10 HRS.</b>	209	7.13
<b>11 TO 15 HRS.</b>	120	4.10
<b>16 TO 20 HRS.</b>	175	5.97
<b>21 TO 25 HRS.</b>	131	4.47
<b>MORE THAN 25</b>	123	4.20

*Frequency Missing = 15*

<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>	567	19.36
<b>GOOD</b>	1333	45.53
<b>AVERAGE</b>	881	30.09
<b>BELOW AVERAGE</b>	87	2.97
<b>POOR</b>	60	2.05

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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>	1510	51.73
<b>1 TO 2 HRS.</b>	508	17.40
<b>3 TO 5 HRS.</b>	321	11.00
<b>6 TO 10 HRS.</b>	245	8.39
<b>11 TO 15 HRS.</b>	198	6.78
<b>16 TO 20 HRS.</b>	83	2.84
<b>MORE THAN 20</b>	54	1.85

*Frequency Missing = 26*

<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>	678	23.24
<b>Several Times/wk</b>	156	5.35
<b>Once a week</b>	157	5.38
<b>Once 2/wks</b>	173	5.93
<b>Infrequently</b>	940	32.22
<b>Not at all</b>	813	27.87

*Frequency Missing = 28*

<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>	1441	51.23
<b>Voc./ tech.</b>	416	14.79
<b>General</b>	956	33.99

*Frequency Missing = 132*

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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>	255	8.95
<b>Rarely</b>	604	21.19
<b>Occasionally</b>	1090	38.25
<b>Regularly</b>	901	31.61

*Frequency Missing = 95*

<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>	496	17.47
<b>Rarely</b>	810	28.53
<b>Occasionally</b>	1004	35.36
<b>Regularly</b>	529	18.63

*Frequency Missing = 106*

<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>	367	12.96
<b>Rarely</b>	643	22.71
<b>Occasionally</b>	990	34.97
<b>Regularly</b>	831	29.35

*Frequency Missing = 114*

<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.	306	10.4	1,247	42.5	1,022	34.8	244	8.3	116	4.0	10
18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.	529	18.1	1,252	42.8	766	26.2	270	9.2	108	3.7	20
19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	538	18.5	1,249	42.8	821	28.2	235	8.1	72	2.5	30
20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	479	16.4	1,136	38.9	806	27.6	380	13.0	116	4.0	28

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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.	844	29.2	1,349	46.7	544	18.8	112	3.9	40	1.4	56
22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	712	24.4	1,172	40.2	741	25.4	211	7.2	79	2.7	30
23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	470	16.1	1,126	38.5	858	29.3	351	12.0	122	4.2	18
24 - My teachers make learning interesting.	345	11.9	859	29.5	1,128	38.7	390	13.4	189	6.5	34
25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.	684	23.4	1,483	50.8	596	20.4	112	3.8	44	1.5	26
26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	745	25.7	1,305	44.9	688	23.7	119	4.1	47	1.6	41
27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	1,092	37.5	1,153	39.6	482	16.6	126	4.3	59	2.0	33
28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	454	15.6	1,125	38.7	947	32.6	273	9.4	107	3.7	39
29 - I feel safe at school.	726	24.9	1,109	38.0	751	25.8	182	6.2	148	5.1	29
30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	516	17.6	1,083	37.0	872	29.8	267	9.1	188	6.4	19
31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	537	18.4	1,066	36.6	762	26.1	336	11.5	215	7.4	29
32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	780	26.8	652	22.4	875	30.0	327	11.2	280	9.6	31
33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	414	14.3	924	31.9	1,081	37.4	308	10.6	166	5.7	52
34 - I learn about other cultures in school.	475	16.3	1,147	39.4	865	29.7	308	10.6	114	3.9	36
35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.	1,652	56.5	846	28.9	336	11.5	50	1.7	42	1.4	19
36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	729	24.9	1,436	49.1	600	20.5	104	3.6	56	1.9	20
37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.	404	13.9	1,209	41.5	966	33.1	225	7.7	112	3.8	29
38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	752	25.9	1,338	46.2	606	20.9	137	4.7	66	2.3	46
39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	270	9.3	752	26.0	1,080	37.3	547	18.9	246	8.5	50
40 - Our classes are often interrupted.	305	10.6	673	23.4	1,049	36.5	686	23.9	163	5.7	69
41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	334	11.6	857	29.9	1,431	49.8	170	5.9	79	2.8	74
42 - I have fun learning.	340	11.7	808	27.7	949	32.6	444	15.2	373	12.8	31
43 - My teachers think I can learn.	903	31.0	1,350	46.4	521	17.9	86	3.0	49	1.7	36
44 - The community is proud of this school.	473	16.3	825	28.4	1,047	36.1	347	11.9	212	7.3	41
45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.	702	24.2	1,145	39.6	770	26.6	190	6.6	88	3.0	50

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
46 - Students at my school are friendly.	279	9.6	872	30.1	1,083	37.4	426	14.7	237	8.2	48
47 - This school is a good place to learn.	509	17.6	1,196	41.5	893	31.0	172	6.0	115	4.0	60
48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	879	30.4	1,270	44.0	518	17.9	151	5.2	71	2.5	56
49 - My teachers are good teachers.	775	26.7	1,278	44.0	701	24.1	93	3.2	60	2.1	38
50 - My school building is in good condition.	625	21.5	1,217	41.9	697	24.0	233	8.0	132	4.5	41
51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.	810	28.0	787	27.2	814	28.1	276	9.5	207	7.2	51
52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.	660	22.8	1,074	37.1	729	25.2	277	9.6	152	5.3	53
53 - I like going to this school.	575	19.9	967	33.4	788	27.2	262	9.0	304	10.5	49
54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	1,446	50.1	1,035	35.8	304	10.5	67	2.3	36	1.2	57
55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.	424	14.7	989	34.3	1,004	34.8	294	10.2	172	6.0	62
56 - I would attend a different school if I could.	425	14.7	415	14.4	819	28.4	578	20.0	650	22.5	58
57 - Teachers treat me with respect.	709	24.6	1,211	42.1	698	24.3	166	5.8	94	3.3	67
58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.	528	18.3	1,014	35.2	786	27.3	377	13.1	178	6.2	62
59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	849	29.4	1,339	46.4	587	20.4	81	2.8	28	1.0	61
60 - I am treated fairly at school.	555	19.2	1,278	44.3	762	26.4	181	6.3	112	3.9	57
61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.	758	26.4	1,108	38.5	543	18.9	283	9.8	184	6.4	69
62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	378	13.2	767	26.7	1,205	42.0	355	12.4	167	5.8	73
63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	534	18.6	926	32.2	770	26.8	341	11.9	306	10.6	68
64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	865	30.0	1,203	41.7	617	21.4	125	4.3	72	2.5	63
65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	925	32.1	1,020	35.3	574	19.9	184	6.4	183	6.3	59
66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	559	19.5	862	30.0	833	29.0	307	10.7	311	10.8	73
67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.	878	30.4	1,165	40.3	595	20.6	145	5.0	106	3.7	56

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