

**MSIP Advanced Questionnaire**  
**Secondary Students Frequency Distribution Report**  
 HALFWAY R-III School district

| <b>What is your sex?<br/>(I am a: boy/girl)</b> |                  |                |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC1</b>                                     | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>MALE</b>                                     | 62               | 53.91          |
| <b>FEMALE</b>                                   | 53               | 46.09          |

| <b>What grade are you in?</b> |                  |                |
|-------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC2</b>                   | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>7TH</b>                    | 18               | 15.65          |
| <b>8TH</b>                    | 20               | 17.39          |
| <b>9TH</b>                    | 26               | 22.61          |
| <b>10TH</b>                   | 18               | 15.65          |
| <b>11TH</b>                   | 18               | 15.65          |
| <b>12TH</b>                   | 15               | 13.04          |

| <b>Which best describes you?</b> |                  |                |
|----------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC3</b>                      | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>WHITE</b>                     | 103              | 89.57          |
| <b>AMERICAN INDIAN</b>           | 7                | 6.09           |
| <b>HISPANIC</b>                  | 2                | 1.74           |
| <b>MULTI-RACIAL</b>              | 3                | 2.61           |

| <b>How far in school did your mother go?</b> |                  |                |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC4</b>                                  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>UNDER 8TH</b>                             | 1                | 0.87           |
| <b>FINISHED 8TH</b>                          | 13               | 11.30          |
| <b>H.S. GRAD</b>                             | 28               | 24.35          |
| <b>POST SECONDARY</b>                        | 25               | 21.74          |
| <b>COLLEGE GRAD</b>                          | 26               | 22.61          |
| <b>DON T KNOW</b>                            | 22               | 19.13          |

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| <b>How far in school did your father go?</b> |                  |                |
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| <b>SEC5</b>                                  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>FINISHED 8TH</b>                          | 12               | 10.43          |
| <b>H.S. GRAD</b>                             | 43               | 37.39          |
| <b>POST SECONDARY</b>                        | 17               | 14.78          |
| <b>COLLEGE GRAD</b>                          | 21               | 18.26          |
| <b>DON T KNOW</b>                            | 22               | 19.13          |

| <b>How many days of school did you miss last month?</b> |                  |                |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC6</b>   | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>NONE</b>   | 37               | 32.17          |
| <b>1 OR 2 DAYS</b>                                      | 54               | 46.96          |
| <b>3 OR 4 DAYS</b>                                      | 16               | 13.91          |
| <b>5 TO 10 DAYS</b>                                     | 4                | 3.48           |
| <b>MORE THAN 10 DAYS</b>                                | 4                | 3.48           |

| <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>   | 33               | 28.70          |
| <b>TWO HRS.</b>  | 32               | 27.83          |
| <b>THREE HRS.</b>  | 20               | 17.39          |
| <b>FOUR HRS.</b>   | 16               | 13.91          |
| <b>FIVE HRS.</b>   | 5                | 4.35           |
| <b>SIX + HRS.</b>  | 9                | 7.83           |

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| <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>   | 26               | 23.01          |
| <b>TWO YEAR SCHOOL</b>  | 14               | 12.39          |
| <b>FOUR YEAR SCHOOL</b>   | 48               | 42.48          |
| <b>MILITARY</b>   | 8                | 7.08           |
| <b>OTHER</b>  | 17               | 15.04          |

*Frequency Missing = 2*

| <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>   | 19               | 16.67          |
| <b>A &amp; B</b>   | 27               | 23.68          |
| <b>B</b>   | 16               | 14.04          |
| <b>B &amp; C</b>   | 23               | 20.18          |
| <b>C</b>   | 11               | 9.65           |
| <b>C &amp; D</b>   | 14               | 12.28          |
| <b>D</b>   | 1                | 0.88           |
| <b>BELOW D</b>   | 3                | 2.63           |

*Frequency Missing = 1*

| <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>  | 24               | 21.05          |
| <b>DON T DO IT</b>  | 17               | 14.91          |
| <b>1/2 HR. OR LESS</b>  | 37               | 32.46          |
| <b>ONE HOUR</b>   | 24               | 21.05          |
| <b>TWO HOURS</b>  | 10               | 8.77           |
| <b>MORE THAN 2 HRS</b>  | 2                | 1.75           |

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| <b>About how many hours per week do you usually work in a part-time job?<br/>Exclude summer vacation time.</b> |                  |                |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC11</b>   | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>NONE</b>  | 68               | 59.65          |
| <b>UNDER 6 HRS.</b>  | 9                | 7.89           |
| <b>6 TO 10 HRS.</b>  | 9                | 7.89           |
| <b>11 TO 15 HRS.</b>   | 6                | 5.26           |
| <b>16 TO 20 HRS.</b>   | 7                | 6.14           |
| <b>21 TO 25 HRS.</b>   | 7                | 6.14           |
| <b>MORE THAN 25</b>  | 8                | 7.02           |

*Frequency Missing = 1*

| <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>  | 10               | 8.70           |
| <b>GOOD</b>   | 38               | 33.04          |
| <b>AVERAGE</b>  | 44               | 38.26          |
| <b>BELOW AVERAGE</b>  | 15               | 13.04          |
| <b>POOR</b>   | 8                | 6.96           |

| <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>   | 45               | 40.18          |
| <b>1 TO 2 HRS.</b>  | 22               | 19.64          |
| <b>3 TO 5 HRS.</b>  | 10               | 8.93           |
| <b>6 TO 10 HRS.</b>   | 10               | 8.93           |
| <b>11 TO 15 HRS.</b>  | 11               | 9.82           |
| <b>16 TO 20 HRS.</b>  | 10               | 8.93           |
| <b>MORE THAN 20</b>   | 4                | 3.57           |

*Frequency Missing = 3*

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| <b>I use computers in school: Daily;<br/>Several times a week; Once a week;<br/>Once every two weeks; Infrequently;<br/>Not at all.</b> |                  |                |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC14</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>Daily</b>  | 41               | 35.65          |
| <b>Several Times/wk</b>   | 29               | 25.22          |
| <b>Once a week</b>  | 9                | 7.83           |
| <b>Once 2/wks</b>   | 4                | 3.48           |
| <b>Infrequently</b>   | 20               | 17.39          |
| <b>Not at all</b>   | 12               | 10.43          |

| <b>Which of the following best<br/>describes the high school program<br/>you will complete?</b> |                  |                |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC15</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>College prep.</b>  | 45               | 40.18          |
| <b>Voc./ tech.</b>  | 29               | 25.89          |
| <b>General</b>  | 38               | 33.93          |

*Frequency Missing = 3*

| <b>Talk to one of your parents about<br/>your experiences in school.</b> |                  |                |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| <b>SEC16A</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Percent</b> |
| <b>Not at all</b>  | 15               | 13.51          |
| <b>Rarely</b>  | 23               | 20.72          |
| <b>Occasionally</b>  | 39               | 35.14          |
| <b>Regularly</b>   | 34               | 30.63          |

*Frequency Missing = 4*

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| <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>  | 20               | 18.18          |
| <b>Rarely</b>  | 29               | 26.36          |
| <b>Occasionally</b>  | 40               | 36.36          |
| <b>Regularly</b>   | 21               | 19.09          |

*Frequency Missing = 5*

| <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>  | 14               | 12.96          |
| <b>Rarely</b>  | 20               | 18.52          |
| <b>Occasionally</b>  | 36               | 33.33          |
| <b>Regularly</b>   | 38               | 35.19          |

*Frequency Missing = 7*

| <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.  | 3                     | 2.6         | 46           | 40.0        | 39             | 33.9        | 12              | 10.4        | 15                       | 13.0        | 0                     |
| 18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.  | 3                     | 2.6         | 21           | 18.4        | 34             | 29.8        | 30              | 26.3        | 26                       | 22.8        | 1                     |
| 19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.  | 9                     | 7.9         | 57           | 50.0        | 30             | 26.3        | 12              | 10.5        | 6                        | 5.3         | 1                     |
| 20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.  | 10                    | 8.8         | 49           | 43.0        | 28             | 24.6        | 17              | 14.9        | 10                       | 8.8         | 1                     |
| 21 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.   | 11                    | 9.8         | 55           | 49.1        | 33             | 29.5        | 8               | 7.1         | 5                        | 4.5         | 3                     |
| 22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand. | 13                    | 11.4        | 50           | 43.9        | 31             | 27.2        | 11              | 9.6         | 9                        | 7.9         | 1                     |
| 23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.   | 13                    | 11.4        | 55           | 48.2        | 21             | 18.4        | 16              | 14.0        | 9                        | 7.9         | 1                     |
| 24 - My teachers make learning interesting.  | 3                     | 2.6         | 32           | 27.8        | 42             | 36.5        | 17              | 14.8        | 21                       | 18.3        | 0                     |
| 25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.   | 10                    | 8.8         | 57           | 50.0        | 33             | 28.9        | 9               | 7.9         | 5                        | 4.4         | 1                     |
| 26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.   | 16                    | 14.2        | 48           | 42.5        | 27             | 23.9        | 8               | 7.1         | 14                       | 12.4        | 2                     |

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|---|----------------|------|-------|------|---------|------|----------|------|-------------------|------|----------------|
|   | N              | Pct. | N     | Pct. | N       | Pct. | N        | Pct. | N                 | Pct. |                |
| 27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.                        | 17             | 14.9 | 48    | 42.1 | 26      | 22.8 | 12       | 10.5 | 11                | 9.6  | 1              |
| 28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.                       | 13             | 11.5 | 33    | 29.2 | 38      | 33.6 | 15       | 13.3 | 14                | 12.4 | 2              |
| 29 - I feel safe at school.   | 22             | 19.5 | 30    | 26.5 | 34      | 30.1 | 10       | 8.8  | 17                | 15.0 | 2              |
| 30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.                                    | 19             | 16.5 | 37    | 32.2 | 33      | 28.7 | 11       | 9.6  | 15                | 13.0 | 0              |
| 31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.                           | 20             | 18.2 | 42    | 38.2 | 21      | 19.1 | 13       | 11.8 | 14                | 12.7 | 5              |
| 32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.  | 29             | 25.7 | 38    | 33.6 | 32      | 28.3 | 7        | 6.2  | 7                 | 6.2  | 2              |
| 33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.                                      | 17             | 15.3 | 33    | 29.7 | 27      | 24.3 | 20       | 18.0 | 14                | 12.6 | 4              |
| 34 - I learn about other cultures in school.  | 23             | 20.0 | 40    | 34.8 | 33      | 28.7 | 13       | 11.3 | 6                 | 5.2  | 0              |
| 35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.                                   | 34             | 29.6 | 48    | 41.7 | 21      | 18.3 | 4        | 3.5  | 8                 | 7.0  | 0              |
| 36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.                | 18             | 15.8 | 56    | 49.1 | 26      | 22.8 | 4        | 3.5  | 10                | 8.8  | 1              |
| 37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.                        | 13             | 11.5 | 43    | 38.1 | 40      | 35.4 | 9        | 8.0  | 8                 | 7.1  | 2              |
| 38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.          | 15             | 13.4 | 45    | 40.2 | 32      | 28.6 | 8        | 7.1  | 12                | 10.7 | 3              |
| 39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.                                | 14             | 12.5 | 30    | 26.8 | 36      | 32.1 | 16       | 14.3 | 16                | 14.3 | 3              |
| 40 - Our classes are often interrupted.   | 17             | 15.0 | 26    | 23.0 | 40      | 35.4 | 22       | 19.5 | 8                 | 7.1  | 2              |
| 41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.  | 17             | 15.0 | 38    | 33.6 | 46      | 40.7 | 6        | 5.3  | 6                 | 5.3  | 2              |
| 42 - I have fun learning.   | 10             | 8.8  | 30    | 26.5 | 37      | 32.7 | 16       | 14.2 | 20                | 17.7 | 2              |
| 43 - My teachers think I can learn.   | 28             | 25.2 | 48    | 43.2 | 24      | 21.6 | 6        | 5.4  | 5                 | 4.5  | 4              |
| 44 - The community is proud of this school.   | 14             | 12.4 | 27    | 23.9 | 45      | 39.8 | 14       | 12.4 | 13                | 11.5 | 2              |
| 45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.                                   | 6              | 5.3  | 20    | 17.7 | 41      | 36.3 | 24       | 21.2 | 22                | 19.5 | 2              |
| 46 - Students at my school are friendly.  | 13             | 11.6 | 32    | 28.6 | 41      | 36.6 | 14       | 12.5 | 12                | 10.7 | 3              |
| 47 - This school is a good place to learn.  | 11             | 10.2 | 38    | 35.2 | 39      | 36.1 | 11       | 10.2 | 9                 | 8.3  | 7              |
| 48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn. | 17             | 15.5 | 53    | 48.2 | 29      | 26.4 | 6        | 5.5  | 5                 | 4.5  | 5              |
| 49 - My teachers are good teachers.   | 19             | 16.7 | 42    | 36.8 | 37      | 32.5 | 11       | 9.6  | 5                 | 4.4  | 1              |
| 50 - My school building is in good condition.   | 2              | 1.8  | 17    | 14.9 | 30      | 26.3 | 35       | 30.7 | 30                | 26.3 | 1              |
| 51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.                           | 11             | 9.6  | 12    | 10.5 | 42      | 36.8 | 25       | 21.9 | 24                | 21.1 | 1              |
| 52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.                       | 24             | 21.2 | 42    | 37.2 | 29      | 25.7 | 8        | 7.1  | 10                | 8.8  | 2              |
| 53 - I like going to this school.   | 18             | 15.8 | 35    | 30.7 | 31      | 27.2 | 11       | 9.6  | 19                | 16.7 | 1              |

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|  | N              | Pct. | N     | Pct. | N       | Pct. | N        | Pct. | N                 | Pct. |                |
| 54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.                                      | 49             | 43.4 | 39    | 34.5 | 16      | 14.2 | 4        | 3.5  | 5                 | 4.4  | 2              |
| 55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.                                  | 19             | 16.7 | 42    | 36.8 | 34      | 29.8 | 8        | 7.0  | 11                | 9.6  | 1              |
| 56 - I would attend a different school if I could.   | 22             | 19.3 | 9     | 7.9  | 34      | 29.8 | 24       | 21.1 | 25                | 21.9 | 1              |
| 57 - Teachers treat me with respect.   | 19             | 16.8 | 43    | 38.1 | 33      | 29.2 | 9        | 8.0  | 9                 | 8.0  | 2              |
| 58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.                 | 11             | 9.9  | 32    | 28.8 | 36      | 32.4 | 16       | 14.4 | 16                | 14.4 | 4              |
| 59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.  | 21             | 18.6 | 47    | 41.6 | 31      | 27.4 | 9        | 8.0  | 5                 | 4.4  | 2              |
| 60 - I am treated fairly at school.  | 10             | 8.8  | 40    | 35.1 | 39      | 34.2 | 14       | 12.3 | 11                | 9.6  | 1              |
| 61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.                                 | 25             | 21.9 | 42    | 36.8 | 27      | 23.7 | 12       | 10.5 | 8                 | 7.0  | 1              |
| 62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.  | 10             | 8.8  | 35    | 31.0 | 44      | 38.9 | 15       | 13.3 | 9                 | 8.0  | 2              |
| 63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.  | 11             | 9.7  | 30    | 26.5 | 31      | 27.4 | 17       | 15.0 | 24                | 21.2 | 2              |
| 64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.            | 20             | 17.5 | 41    | 36.0 | 33      | 28.9 | 10       | 8.8  | 10                | 8.8  | 1              |
| 65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.                            | 32             | 28.3 | 39    | 34.5 | 19      | 16.8 | 12       | 10.6 | 11                | 9.7  | 2              |
| 66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals. | 16             | 14.2 | 26    | 23.0 | 52      | 46.0 | 6        | 5.3  | 13                | 11.5 | 2              |
| 67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.                         | 33             | 29.5 | 41    | 36.6 | 26      | 23.2 | 5        | 4.5  | 7                 | 6.3  | 3              |

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