

Cycle 4 Advance Questionnaire - Secondary Students (9-12)
Frequency Distribution Report
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sec_grade	Frequency	Percent
9	19	31.15
10	17	27.87
11	8	13.11
12	17	27.87

What is your sex?		
sec1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	28	45.90
FEMALE	33	54.10

Which best describes you?		
sec2	Frequency	Percent
White (not Hispanic)	59	96.72
Asian	1	1.64
Hispanic	1	1.64

How far in school did your mother go?		
sec3	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	1	1.64
FINISHED 8TH	7	11.48
H.S. GRAD	18	29.51
POST SECONDARY	11	18.03
COLLEGE GRAD	16	26.23
DON'T KNOW	8	13.11

How far in school did your father go?		
sec4	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	3	4.92
FINISHED 8TH	5	8.20
H.S. GRAD	29	47.54
POST SECONDARY	10	16.39
COLLEGE GRAD	6	9.84
DON'T KNOW	8	13.11

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How many days of school did you miss last month?		
sec5	Frequency	Percent
NONE	33	54.10
1 OR 2 DAYS	16	26.23
3 OR 4 DAYS	9	14.75
5 TO 10 DAYS	2	3.28
MORE THAN 10 DAYS	1	1.64

How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?		
sec6	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	21	34.43
TWO HRS.	18	29.51
THREE HRS.	6	9.84
FOUR HRS.	7	11.48
FIVE HRS.	7	11.48
SIX + HRS.	2	3.28

How many hours a day do you spend playing on the computer or with video games?		
sec7	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	46	75.41
TWO HRS.	8	13.11
THREE HRS.	6	9.84
SIX + HRS.	1	1.64

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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	6	9.84
TWO YEAR SCHOOL	10	16.39
FOUR YEAR SCHOOL	37	60.66
MILITARY	7	11.48
OTHER	1	1.64

Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?		
sec9	Frequency	Percent
A	19	31.15
A & B	13	21.31
B	11	18.03
B & C	12	19.67
C	3	4.92
C & D	2	3.28
BELOW D	1	1.64

How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?		
sec10	Frequency	Percent
NONE ASSIGNED	4	6.56
1/2 HR. OR LESS	17	27.87
ONE HOUR	26	42.62
TWO HOURS	10	16.39
MORE THAN 2 HRS	4	6.56

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About how many hours per week do you usually work in a part-time job during the school year.		
sec11	Frequency	Percent
NONE	36	60.00
UNDER 6 HRS.	2	3.33
6 TO 10 HRS.	3	5.00
11 TO 15 HRS.	4	6.67
16 TO 20 HRS.	5	8.33
21 TO 25 HRS.	5	8.33
MORE THAN 25	5	8.33

Frequency Missing = 1

How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?		
sec12	Frequency	Percent
EXCELLENT	10	16.39
GOOD	32	52.46
AVERAGE	14	22.95
BELOW AVERAGE	4	6.56
POOR	1	1.64

How many hours each week do you usually spend in extra-curricular activities associated with school? - excluding sports?		
sec13	Frequency	Percent
NONE	11	18.03
1 TO 2 HRS.	18	29.51
3 TO 5 HRS.	16	26.23
6 TO 10 HRS.	8	13.11
11 TO 15 HRS.	7	11.48
MORE THAN 20	1	1.64

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Which one of the following career clusters best describes your four year plan of study?		
sec14	Frequency	Percent
Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources	7	11.48
Architecture & Construction	3	4.92
Arts, A/V Technology & Communications	5	8.20
Business, Management & Administration	4	6.56
Education & Training	4	6.56
Government & Public Administration	1	1.64
Health Science	7	11.48
Human Services	6	9.84
Law, Public Safety & Security	3	4.92
Marketing, Sales & Service	1	1.64
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics	1	1.64
Transportation, Distribution & Logistics	1	1.64
Other	7	11.48
Have not selected a career path	11	18.03

Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.		
sec15	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	4	6.56
Rarely	9	14.75
Occasionally	24	39.34
Regularly	24	39.34

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.		
sec16	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	6	9.84
Rarely	13	21.31
Occasionally	27	44.26
Regularly	15	24.59

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Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.		
sec17	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	3	4.92
Rarely	4	6.56
Occasionally	23	37.70
Regularly	31	50.82

Question	Regularly		Often		Occasionally		Rarely		Not at all		Number Missing
	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
18 - I am taught effective note-taking skills	16	26.2	27	44.3	11	18.0	6	9.8	1	1.6	0
19 - My teachers place students in small groups	11	18.0	15	24.6	24	39.3	10	16.4	1	1.6	0
20 - I am asked to present new content through pictures, graphs, maps, or charts	1	1.6	14	23.0	28	45.9	11	18.0	7	11.5	0
21 - I am asked to summarize new material	6	9.8	26	42.6	19	31.1	8	13.1	2	3.3	0
22 - I am asked to revise or correct errors in my work	9	14.8	14	23.0	21	34.4	13	21.3	4	6.6	0
23 - I am asked to identify similarities and differences	11	18.0	22	36.1	19	31.1	8	13.1	1	1.6	0
24 - I am given opportunities to construct and work on my own long-term projects	12	19.7	17	27.9	22	36.1	7	11.5	3	4.9	0
25 - I am asked to relate what I already know to new material	13	22.0	17	28.8	19	32.2	9	15.3	1	1.7	2
26 - I am given opportunities to present what I have learned to other students	8	13.1	15	24.6	25	41.0	9	14.8	4	6.6	0
27 - My graded assignments are returned to me before I am tested on the information	15	24.6	19	31.1	19	31.1	5	8.2	3	4.9	0
28 - Teachers enforce the rules fairly	26	42.6	17	27.9	12	19.7	4	6.6	2	3.3	0

Question	Strongly Agree		Agree		Neutral		Disagree		Strongly Disagree		Number Missing
	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
29 - My opinion is valued by teachers and administrators.	7	11.5	24	39.3	22	36.1	5	8.2	3	4.9	0
30 - My teachers let me know when I am doing a good job.	12	19.7	32	52.5	15	24.6	2	3.3	0	0.0	0
31 - Teachers connect what students are learning with the real world.	10	16.4	26	42.6	19	31.1	4	6.6	2	3.3	0
32 - During our classes we stay focused on learning and don't waste time.	3	4.9	23	37.7	26	42.6	7	11.5	2	3.3	0
33 - Being successful in school today will help me in my future.	39	63.9	15	24.6	5	8.2	2	3.3	0	0.0	0

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34 - Differences among students and their families are respected in this school.	19	31.1	23	37.7	13	21.3	5	8.2	1	1.6	0
35 - I can do well in school.	36	59.0	18	29.5	7	11.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
36 - I learn a lot in this school.	22	36.1	21	34.4	13	21.3	4	6.6	1	1.6	0
37 - I like reading.	24	39.3	13	21.3	7	11.5	10	16.4	7	11.5	0
38 - There are students from my school that belong to street gangs.	2	3.3	1	1.6	5	8.2	15	24.6	38	62.3	0
39 - My teachers help me understand my mistakes on assignments.	14	23.0	30	49.2	15	24.6	0	0.0	2	3.3	0
40 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	14	23.0	14	23.0	18	29.5	11	18.0	4	6.6	0
41 - My school building is in good condition.	13	21.3	32	52.5	9	14.8	6	9.8	1	1.6	0
42 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	11	18.0	31	50.8	13	21.3	3	4.9	3	4.9	0
43 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	20	32.8	25	41.0	11	18.0	2	3.3	3	4.9	0
44 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	17	28.3	22	36.7	15	25.0	4	6.7	2	3.3	1
45 - The classes I have at school cover material that is important to me.	10	16.4	26	42.6	17	27.9	3	4.9	5	8.2	0
46 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	16	26.2	27	44.3	13	21.3	4	6.6	1	1.6	0
47 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	12	19.7	28	45.9	14	23.0	5	8.2	2	3.3	0
48 - Our classes are often interrupted.	3	4.9	11	18.0	16	26.2	25	41.0	6	9.8	0
49 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	9	14.8	30	49.2	13	21.3	5	8.2	4	6.6	0
50 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	13	21.3	29	47.5	16	26.2	3	4.9	0	0.0	0
51 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	24	40.0	23	38.3	11	18.3	1	1.7	1	1.7	1
52 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	15	24.6	27	44.3	15	24.6	1	1.6	3	4.9	0
53 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	18	29.5	24	39.3	11	18.0	6	9.8	2	3.3	0
54 - I feel safe at school.	30	49.2	21	34.4	7	11.5	2	3.3	1	1.6	0
55 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	32	52.5	24	39.3	4	6.6	0	0.0	1	1.6	0
56 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	5	8.2	6	9.8	31	50.8	12	19.7	7	11.5	0
57 - I like going to this school.	25	41.0	12	19.7	12	19.7	7	11.5	5	8.2	0
58 - This community is a good place to grow up.	19	31.1	11	18.0	23	37.7	3	4.9	5	8.2	0

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59 - I am treated fairly at school.	16	26.2	28	45.9	10	16.4	3	4.9	4	6.6	0
60 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	23	37.7	21	34.4	12	19.7	3	4.9	2	3.3	0
61 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	19	31.1	30	49.2	6	9.8	3	4.9	3	4.9	0
62 - The community is proud of this school.	17	27.9	23	37.7	17	27.9	1	1.6	3	4.9	0
63 - Drug use is common among teenagers in this community.	4	6.6	6	9.8	14	23.0	20	32.8	17	27.9	0
64 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	22	36.1	26	42.6	10	16.4	1	1.6	2	3.3	0
65 - My teachers think I can learn.	27	44.3	25	41.0	8	13.1	0	0.0	1	1.6	0
66 - My teachers are good teachers.	23	38.3	20	33.3	13	21.7	4	6.7	0	0.0	1
67 - Students at my school are friendly.	16	26.2	22	36.1	17	27.9	4	6.6	2	3.3	0
68 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	44	72.1	13	21.3	2	3.3	2	3.3	0	0.0	0
69 - I would attend a different school if I could.	8	13.1	8	13.1	12	19.7	12	19.7	21	34.4	0
70 - Teachers treat me with respect.	19	31.1	26	42.6	11	18.0	3	4.9	2	3.3	0
71 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	25	41.0	20	32.8	15	24.6	0	0.0	1	1.6	0
72 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	18	29.5	23	37.7	12	19.7	4	6.6	4	6.6	0
73 - The classes at my school are academically rigorous and challenging.	9	14.8	24	39.3	21	34.4	5	8.2	2	3.3	0
74 - A guidance counselor has assisted me in creating a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	17	27.9	24	39.3	9	14.8	8	13.1	3	4.9	0
75 - Career-Technical education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	12	19.7	29	47.5	18	29.5	1	1.6	1	1.6	0
76 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	17	27.9	25	41.0	13	21.3	1	1.6	5	8.2	0
77 - Most of my teachers respond to disruptive students quickly and effectively.	15	24.6	25	41.0	16	26.2	3	4.9	2	3.3	0
78 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	23	37.7	26	42.6	8	13.1	3	4.9	1	1.6	0
79 - Clear rules regarding behavior have been established in most of my classes.	17	27.9	32	52.5	7	11.5	4	6.6	1	1.6	0