

**Cycle 4 Advance Questionnaire - Secondary Students (9-12)**  
**Frequency Distribution Report**  
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sec_grade	Frequency	Percent
9	350	33.11
10	257	24.31
11	226	21.38
12	224	21.19

What is your sex?		
sec1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	516	48.82
FEMALE	541	51.18

Which best describes you?		
sec2	Frequency	Percent
White (not Hispanic)	989	93.74
African American (not Hispanic)	22	2.09
Asian	11	1.04
American Indian	13	1.23
Hispanic	20	1.90

*Frequency Missing = 2*

How far in school did your mother go?		
sec3	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	9	0.85
FINISHED 8TH	46	4.36
H.S. GRAD	295	27.99
POST SECONDARY	244	23.15
COLLEGE GRAD	377	35.77
DON'T KNOW	83	7.87

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<b>How far in school did your father go?</b>		
<b>sec4</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>UNDER 8TH</b>	9	0.85
<b>FINISHED 8TH</b>	53	5.02
<b>H.S. GRAD</b>	329	31.16
<b>POST SECONDARY</b>	227	21.50
<b>COLLEGE GRAD</b>	310	29.36
<b>DON'T KNOW</b>	128	12.12

*Frequency Missing = 1*

<b>How many days of school did you miss last month?</b>		
<b>sec5</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NONE</b>	460	43.56
<b>1 OR 2 DAYS</b>	381	36.08
<b>3 OR 4 DAYS</b>	138	13.07
<b>5 TO 10 DAYS</b>	60	5.68
<b>MORE THAN 10 DAYS</b>	17	1.61

*Frequency Missing = 1*

<b>How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?</b>		
<b>sec6</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>ONE HR. OR LESS</b>	444	42.49
<b>TWO HRS.</b>	310	29.67
<b>THREE HRS.</b>	155	14.83
<b>FOUR HRS.</b>	68	6.51
<b>FIVE HRS.</b>	32	3.06
<b>SIX + HRS.</b>	36	3.44

*Frequency Missing = 12*

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<b>How many hours a day do you spend playing on the computer or with video games?</b>		
<b>sec7</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>ONE HR. OR LESS</b>	621	58.86
<b>TWO HRS.</b>	197	18.67
<b>THREE HRS.</b>	108	10.24
<b>FOUR HRS.</b>	59	5.59
<b>FIVE HRS.</b>	23	2.18
<b>SIX + HRS.</b>	47	4.45

*Frequency Missing = 2*

<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>	88	8.33
<b>TWO YEAR SCHOOL</b>	93	8.81
<b>FOUR YEAR SCHOOL</b>	713	67.52
<b>MILITARY</b>	77	7.29
<b>OTHER</b>	85	8.05

*Frequency Missing = 1*

<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>	332	31.56
<b>A &amp; B</b>	293	27.85
<b>B</b>	139	13.21
<b>B &amp; C</b>	176	16.73
<b>C</b>	54	5.13
<b>C &amp; D</b>	48	4.56
<b>D</b>	4	0.38
<b>BELOW D</b>	6	0.57

*Frequency Missing = 5*

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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>	104	9.86
<b>DON T DO IT</b>	107	10.14
<b>1/2 HR. OR LESS</b>	332	31.47
<b>ONE HOUR</b>	309	29.29
<b>TWO HOURS</b>	139	13.18
<b>MORE THAN 2 HRS</b>	64	6.07

*Frequency Missing = 2*

<b>About how many hours per week do you usually work in a part-time job during the school year.</b>		
<b>sec11</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NONE</b>	549	52.24
<b>UNDER 6 HRS.</b>	92	8.75
<b>6 TO 10 HRS.</b>	68	6.47
<b>11 TO 15 HRS.</b>	81	7.71
<b>16 TO 20 HRS.</b>	131	12.46
<b>21 TO 25 HRS.</b>	81	7.71
<b>MORE THAN 25</b>	49	4.66

*Frequency Missing = 6*

<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>	267	25.33
<b>GOOD</b>	538	51.04
<b>AVERAGE</b>	210	19.92
<b>BELOW AVERAGE</b>	18	1.71
<b>POOR</b>	21	1.99

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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>	410	38.94
<b>1 TO 2 HRS.</b>	232	22.03
<b>3 TO 5 HRS.</b>	162	15.38
<b>6 TO 10 HRS.</b>	120	11.40
<b>11 TO 15 HRS.</b>	68	6.46
<b>16 TO 20 HRS.</b>	36	3.42
<b>MORE THAN 20</b>	25	2.37

*Frequency Missing = 4*

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<b>Which one of the following career clusters best describes your four year plan of study?</b>		
<b>sec14</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Agriculture, Food &amp; Natural Resources</b>	52	4.93
<b>Architecture &amp; Construction</b>	43	4.08
<b>Arts, A/V Technology &amp; Communications</b>	111	10.53
<b>Business, Management &amp; Administration</b>	76	7.21
<b>Education &amp; Training</b>	50	4.74
<b>Finance</b>	7	0.66
<b>Government &amp; Public Administration</b>	5	0.47
<b>Health Science</b>	153	14.52
<b>Hospitality &amp; Tourism</b>	2	0.19
<b>Human Services</b>	148	14.04
<b>Information Technology</b>	6	0.57
<b>Law, Public Safety &amp; Security</b>	66	6.26
<b>Manufacturing</b>	4	0.38
<b>Marketing, Sales &amp; Service</b>	6	0.57
<b>Science, Technology, Engineering &amp; Mathematics</b>	112	10.63
<b>Transportation, Distribution &amp; Logistics</b>	6	0.57
<b>Other</b>	108	10.25
<b>Have not selected a career path</b>	99	9.39

*Frequency Missing = 3*

<b>Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.</b>		
<b>sec15</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Not at all</b>	71	6.72
<b>Rarely</b>	230	21.76
<b>Occasionally</b>	393	37.18
<b>Regularly</b>	363	34.34

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<b>Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.</b>		
<b>sec16</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Not at all</b>	86	8.14
<b>Rarely</b>	249	23.58
<b>Occasionally</b>	471	44.60
<b>Regularly</b>	250	23.67

*Frequency Missing = 1*

<b>Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.</b>		
<b>sec17</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Not at all</b>	60	5.69
<b>Rarely</b>	187	17.74
<b>Occasionally</b>	420	39.85
<b>Regularly</b>	387	36.72

*Frequency Missing = 3*

<b>Question</b>	<b>Regularly</b>		<b>Often</b>		<b>Occasionally</b>		<b>Rarely</b>		<b>Not at all</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>	
18 - I am taught effective note-taking skills	109	10.3	233	22.1	404	38.3	241	22.8	69	6.5	1
19 - My teachers place students in small groups	201	19.1	412	39.1	344	32.6	79	7.5	19	1.8	2
20 - I am asked to present new content through pictures, graphs, maps, or charts	81	7.7	292	27.6	426	40.3	208	19.7	50	4.7	0
21 - I am asked to summarize new material	164	15.5	337	31.9	344	32.6	167	15.8	43	4.1	2
22 - I am asked to revise or correct errors in my work	190	18.0	305	28.9	345	32.7	163	15.5	52	4.9	2
23 - I am asked to identify similarities and differences	198	18.8	378	35.8	352	33.3	101	9.6	27	2.6	1
24 - I am given opportunities to construct and work on my own long-term projects	142	13.5	314	29.8	382	36.2	173	16.4	43	4.1	3
25 - I am asked to relate what I already know to new material	233	22.1	364	34.6	306	29.1	115	10.9	35	3.3	4
26 - I am given opportunities to present what I have learned to other students	111	10.5	301	28.5	381	36.1	215	20.4	47	4.5	2
27 - My graded assignments are returned to me before I am tested on the information	419	39.7	325	30.8	208	19.7	79	7.5	25	2.4	1
28 - Teachers enforce the rules fairly	300	28.4	365	34.6	236	22.3	93	8.8	62	5.9	1

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
29 - My opinion is valued by teachers and administrators.	68	6.5	325	30.8	369	35.0	160	15.2	132	12.5	3
30 - My teachers let me know when I am doing a good job.	135	12.8	525	49.9	248	23.6	104	9.9	41	3.9	4
31 - Teachers connect what students are learning with the real world.	118	11.2	441	41.8	316	30.0	117	11.1	62	5.9	3
32 - During our classes we stay focused on learning and don't waste time.	60	5.7	332	31.5	446	42.4	156	14.8	59	5.6	4
33 - Being successful in school today will help me in my future.	550	52.3	299	28.4	133	12.7	35	3.3	34	3.2	6
34 - Differences among students and their families are respected in this school.	120	11.4	367	34.9	338	32.1	143	13.6	84	8.0	5
35 - I can do well in school.	506	48.1	391	37.1	112	10.6	23	2.2	21	2.0	4
36 - I learn a lot in this school.	273	26.0	434	41.3	248	23.6	60	5.7	37	3.5	5
37 - I like reading.	264	25.2	205	19.5	246	23.5	148	14.1	186	17.7	8
38 - There are students from my school that belong to street gangs.	124	11.8	175	16.6	378	35.9	202	19.2	175	16.6	3
39 - My teachers help me understand my mistakes on assignments.	116	11.1	447	42.7	331	31.6	108	10.3	46	4.4	9
40 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	69	6.6	404	38.5	362	34.5	141	13.5	72	6.9	9
41 - My school building is in good condition.	71	6.8	303	28.9	278	26.5	199	19.0	198	18.9	8
42 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	120	11.4	448	42.7	297	28.3	141	13.4	43	4.1	8
43 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	111	10.6	391	37.3	330	31.5	115	11.0	102	9.7	8
44 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	120	11.4	342	32.6	380	36.2	130	12.4	78	7.4	7
45 - The classes I have at school cover material that is important to me.	114	10.9	387	36.9	341	32.5	133	12.7	73	7.0	9
46 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	118	11.2	479	45.7	338	32.2	81	7.7	33	3.1	8
47 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	164	15.6	457	43.6	277	26.4	103	9.8	48	4.6	8
48 - Our classes are often interrupted.	77	7.3	166	15.8	419	40.0	327	31.2	59	5.6	9
49 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	103	9.8	443	42.0	321	30.5	139	13.2	48	4.6	3
50 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	193	18.3	566	53.8	208	19.8	54	5.1	32	3.0	4
51 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	232	22.1	489	46.5	228	21.7	64	6.1	38	3.6	6
52 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	179	17.0	468	44.4	294	27.9	64	6.1	48	4.6	4

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
53 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	113	10.7	426	40.4	328	31.1	125	11.9	62	5.9	3
54 - I feel safe at school.	173	16.4	439	41.6	283	26.8	94	8.9	66	6.3	2
55 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	319	30.3	530	50.3	152	14.4	24	2.3	29	2.8	3
56 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	303	28.7	326	30.9	316	30.0	61	5.8	49	4.6	2
57 - I like going to this school.	239	22.7	376	35.7	258	24.5	91	8.6	89	8.5	4
58 - This community is a good place to grow up.	317	30.1	406	38.6	250	23.7	39	3.7	41	3.9	4
59 - I am treated fairly at school.	137	13.0	513	48.7	274	26.0	73	6.9	57	5.4	3
60 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	160	15.2	496	47.1	280	26.6	80	7.6	37	3.5	4
61 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	143	13.6	361	34.3	316	30.0	144	13.7	90	8.5	3
62 - The community is proud of this school.	336	31.9	430	40.8	235	22.3	28	2.7	24	2.3	4
63 - Drug use is common among teenagers in this community.	189	18.0	301	28.6	397	37.7	113	10.7	52	4.9	5
64 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	211	20.1	565	53.8	204	19.4	45	4.3	26	2.5	6
65 - My teachers think I can learn.	328	31.2	512	48.7	163	15.5	24	2.3	25	2.4	5
66 - My teachers are good teachers.	239	22.7	492	46.8	255	24.3	34	3.2	31	2.9	6
67 - Students at my school are friendly.	94	8.9	389	36.9	414	39.3	96	9.1	60	5.7	4
68 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	567	54.2	337	32.2	109	10.4	17	1.6	17	1.6	10
69 - I would attend a different school if I could.	91	8.6	118	11.2	274	25.9	289	27.4	284	26.9	1
70 - Teachers treat me with respect.	175	16.6	481	45.5	298	28.2	52	4.9	50	4.7	1
71 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	292	27.7	480	45.5	230	21.8	29	2.7	24	2.3	2
72 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	92	8.7	380	36.0	321	30.4	149	14.1	115	10.9	0
73 - The classes at my school are academically rigorous and challenging.	147	14.0	411	39.0	389	36.9	73	6.9	33	3.1	4
74 - A guidance counselor has assisted me in creating a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	128	12.1	365	34.5	281	26.6	161	15.2	122	11.5	0
75 - Career-Technical education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	76	7.2	330	31.3	508	48.2	98	9.3	42	4.0	3
76 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	136	12.9	342	32.4	296	28.0	144	13.6	138	13.1	1
77 - Most of my teachers respond to disruptive students quickly and effectively.	116	11.0	429	40.7	332	31.5	119	11.3	58	5.5	3

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78 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	247	23.4	492	46.6	224	21.2	52	4.9	41	3.9	1
79 - Clear rules regarding behavior have been established in most of my classes.	220	20.9	523	49.8	225	21.4	40	3.8	43	4.1	6