

Cycle 4 Advance Questionnaire - Secondary Students (9-12)
Frequency Distribution Report
RUSSELL HAWKINS JR. HIGH, JACKSON R-II School District

sec_grade	Frequency	Percent
9	349	99.71
12	1	0.29

What is your sex?		
sec1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	177	50.57
FEMALE	173	49.43

Which best describes you?		
sec2	Frequency	Percent
White (not Hispanic)	327	93.70
African American (not Hispanic)	6	1.72
Asian	2	0.57
American Indian	5	1.43
Hispanic	9	2.58

Frequency Missing = 1

How far in school did your mother go?		
sec3	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	5	1.43
FINISHED 8TH	13	3.71
H.S. GRAD	94	26.86
POST SECONDARY	71	20.29
COLLEGE GRAD	131	37.43
DON'T KNOW	36	10.29

How far in school did your father go?		
sec4	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	2	0.57
FINISHED 8TH	20	5.71
H.S. GRAD	97	27.71
POST SECONDARY	64	18.29
COLLEGE GRAD	106	30.29
DON'T KNOW	61	17.43

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How many days of school did you miss last month?		
sec5	Frequency	Percent
NONE	169	48.29
1 OR 2 DAYS	121	34.57
3 OR 4 DAYS	35	10.00
5 TO 10 DAYS	18	5.14
MORE THAN 10 DAYS	7	2.00

How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?		
sec6	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	132	38.04
TWO HRS.	101	29.11
THREE HRS.	54	15.56
FOUR HRS.	27	7.78
FIVE HRS.	16	4.61
SIX + HRS.	17	4.90

Frequency Missing = 3

How many hours a day do you spend playing on the computer or with video games?		
sec7	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	173	49.57
TWO HRS.	92	26.36
THREE HRS.	37	10.60
FOUR HRS.	25	7.16
FIVE HRS.	6	1.72
SIX + HRS.	16	4.58

Frequency Missing = 1

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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	27	7.71
TWO YEAR SCHOOL	27	7.71
FOUR YEAR SCHOOL	223	63.71
MILITARY	33	9.43
OTHER	40	11.43

Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?		
sec9	Frequency	Percent
A	117	33.43
A & B	94	26.86
B	37	10.57
B & C	68	19.43
C	18	5.14
C & D	14	4.00
D	1	0.29
BELOW D	1	0.29

How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?		
sec10	Frequency	Percent
NONE ASSIGNED	27	7.71
DON T DO IT	35	10.00
1/2 HR. OR LESS	139	39.71
ONE HOUR	104	29.71
TWO HOURS	32	9.14
MORE THAN 2 HRS	13	3.71

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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	260	74.93
UNDER 6 HRS.	45	12.97
6 TO 10 HRS.	19	5.48
11 TO 15 HRS.	7	2.02
16 TO 20 HRS.	8	2.31
21 TO 25 HRS.	5	1.44
MORE THAN 25	3	0.86

Frequency Missing = 3

How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?		
sec12	Frequency	Percent
EXCELLENT	90	25.71
GOOD	178	50.86
AVERAGE	69	19.71
BELOW AVERAGE	7	2.00
POOR	6	1.71

How many hours each week do you usually spend in extra-curricular activities associated with school? - excluding sports?		
sec13	Frequency	Percent
NONE	139	39.71
1 TO 2 HRS.	82	23.43
3 TO 5 HRS.	53	15.14
6 TO 10 HRS.	35	10.00
11 TO 15 HRS.	27	7.71
16 TO 20 HRS.	10	2.86
MORE THAN 20	4	1.14

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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	15	4.30
Architecture & Construction	8	2.29
Arts, A/V Technology & Communications	49	14.04
Business, Management & Administration	24	6.88
Education & Training	13	3.72
Finance	1	0.29
Government & Public Administration	2	0.57
Health Science	47	13.47
Hospitality & Tourism	2	0.57
Human Services	49	14.04
Information Technology	3	0.86
Law, Public Safety & Security	21	6.02
Marketing, Sales & Service	2	0.57
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics	32	9.17
Transportation, Distribution & Logistics	2	0.57
Other	43	12.32
Have not selected a career path	36	10.32

Frequency Missing = 1

Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.		
sec15	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	26	7.43
Rarely	59	16.86
Occasionally	144	41.14
Regularly	121	34.57

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Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.		
sec16	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	34	9.71
Rarely	76	21.71
Occasionally	171	48.86
Regularly	69	19.71

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.		
sec17	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	29	8.29
Rarely	61	17.43
Occasionally	159	45.43
Regularly	101	28.86

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	46	13.1	103	29.4	135	38.6	55	15.7	11	3.1	0
19 - My teachers place students in small groups	51	14.6	127	36.4	129	37.0	35	10.0	7	2.0	1
20 - I am asked to present new content through pictures, graphs, maps, or charts	38	10.9	125	35.7	136	38.9	41	11.7	10	2.9	0
21 - I am asked to summarize new material	69	19.8	134	38.4	103	29.5	34	9.7	9	2.6	1
22 - I am asked to revise or correct errors in my work	85	24.4	102	29.2	114	32.7	40	11.5	8	2.3	1
23 - I am asked to identify similarities and differences	75	21.4	135	38.6	105	30.0	28	8.0	7	2.0	0
24 - I am given opportunities to construct and work on my own long-term projects	44	12.6	122	35.1	117	33.6	57	16.4	8	2.3	2
25 - I am asked to relate what I already know to new material	76	21.9	131	37.8	95	27.4	37	10.7	8	2.3	3
26 - I am given opportunities to present what I have learned to other students	51	14.6	118	33.7	119	34.0	49	14.0	13	3.7	0
27 - My graded assignments are returned to me before I am tested on the information	152	43.4	98	28.0	74	21.1	22	6.3	4	1.1	0
28 - Teachers enforce the rules fairly	114	32.6	118	33.7	64	18.3	32	9.1	22	6.3	0

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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.	35	10.0	112	32.0	125	35.7	44	12.6	34	9.7	0
30 - My teachers let me know when I am doing a good job.	62	17.7	170	48.6	80	22.9	26	7.4	12	3.4	0
31 - Teachers connect what students are learning with the real world.	56	16.0	140	40.0	93	26.6	37	10.6	24	6.9	0
32 - During our classes we stay focused on learning and don't waste time.	27	7.7	118	33.7	147	42.0	45	12.9	13	3.7	0
33 - Being successful in school today will help me in my future.	190	54.4	104	29.8	37	10.6	8	2.3	10	2.9	1
34 - Differences among students and their families are respected in this school.	50	14.4	128	36.8	100	28.7	49	14.1	21	6.0	2
35 - I can do well in school.	183	52.4	120	34.4	31	8.9	6	1.7	9	2.6	1
36 - I learn a lot in this school.	91	26.0	147	42.0	89	25.4	13	3.7	10	2.9	0
37 - I like reading.	89	25.6	55	15.8	81	23.3	52	14.9	71	20.4	2
38 - There are students from my school that belong to street gangs.	59	16.9	57	16.3	111	31.7	62	17.7	61	17.4	0
39 - My teachers help me understand my mistakes on assignments.	44	12.7	148	42.7	112	32.3	29	8.4	14	4.0	3
40 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	23	6.6	123	35.4	140	40.3	47	13.5	14	4.0	3
41 - My school building is in good condition.	53	15.2	185	53.2	80	23.0	17	4.9	13	3.7	2
42 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	58	16.7	163	46.8	79	22.7	42	12.1	6	1.7	2
43 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	50	14.4	134	38.6	102	29.4	36	10.4	25	7.2	3
44 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	55	15.8	112	32.2	123	35.3	37	10.6	21	6.0	2
45 - The classes I have at school cover material that is important to me.	47	13.5	127	36.5	118	33.9	39	11.2	17	4.9	2
46 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	44	12.7	161	46.4	106	30.5	31	8.9	5	1.4	3
47 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	61	17.6	162	46.7	80	23.1	31	8.9	13	3.7	3
48 - Our classes are often interrupted.	23	6.6	51	14.7	141	40.5	116	33.3	17	4.9	2
49 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	37	10.6	141	40.4	113	32.4	46	13.2	12	3.4	1
50 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	78	22.3	188	53.9	60	17.2	15	4.3	8	2.3	1
51 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	89	25.6	156	44.8	72	20.7	22	6.3	9	2.6	2
52 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	77	22.1	142	40.8	99	28.4	19	5.5	11	3.2	2

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53 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	52	14.9	136	39.0	107	30.7	39	11.2	15	4.3	1
54 - I feel safe at school.	53	15.1	143	40.9	99	28.3	36	10.3	19	5.4	0
55 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	114	32.7	167	47.9	49	14.0	13	3.7	6	1.7	1
56 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	67	19.1	89	25.4	131	37.4	38	10.9	25	7.1	0
57 - I like going to this school.	77	22.1	113	32.4	97	27.8	37	10.6	25	7.2	1
58 - This community is a good place to grow up.	100	28.7	133	38.1	101	28.9	8	2.3	7	2.0	1
59 - I am treated fairly at school.	50	14.3	169	48.3	94	26.9	23	6.6	14	4.0	0
60 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	75	21.5	143	41.0	95	27.2	28	8.0	8	2.3	1
61 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	55	15.7	119	34.0	107	30.6	42	12.0	27	7.7	0
62 - The community is proud of this school.	111	31.7	154	44.0	73	20.9	6	1.7	6	1.7	0
63 - Drug use is common among teenagers in this community.	62	17.8	90	25.8	125	35.8	48	13.8	24	6.9	1
64 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	79	22.6	184	52.7	65	18.6	16	4.6	5	1.4	1
65 - My teachers think I can learn.	127	36.4	154	44.1	53	15.2	8	2.3	7	2.0	1
66 - My teachers are good teachers.	99	28.4	152	43.6	83	23.8	8	2.3	7	2.0	1
67 - Students at my school are friendly.	40	11.5	126	36.1	134	38.4	35	10.0	14	4.0	1
68 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	201	57.9	107	30.8	26	7.5	9	2.6	4	1.2	3
69 - I would attend a different school if I could.	29	8.3	34	9.7	89	25.5	98	28.1	99	28.4	1
70 - Teachers treat me with respect.	78	22.3	143	41.0	98	28.1	17	4.9	13	3.7	1
71 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	109	31.1	158	45.1	66	18.9	9	2.6	8	2.3	0
72 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	43	12.3	124	35.4	99	28.3	50	14.3	34	9.7	0
73 - The classes at my school are academically rigorous and challenging.	38	10.9	129	37.0	138	39.5	34	9.7	10	2.9	1
74 - A guidance counselor has assisted me in creating a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	54	15.4	131	37.4	87	24.9	46	13.1	32	9.1	0
75 - Career-Technical education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	34	9.7	113	32.4	163	46.7	27	7.7	12	3.4	1
76 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	48	13.7	123	35.1	95	27.1	51	14.6	33	9.4	0
77 - Most of my teachers respond to disruptive students quickly and effectively.	54	15.5	145	41.7	104	29.9	31	8.9	14	4.0	2

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78 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	98	28.0	146	41.7	79	22.6	15	4.3	12	3.4	0
79 - Clear rules regarding behavior have been established in most of my classes.	95	27.2	168	48.1	62	17.8	12	3.4	12	3.4	1