

Cycle 4 Advance Questionnaire - Secondary Students (9-12)
Frequency Distribution Report
EL DORADO SPRINGS R-II School District

sec_grade	Frequency	Percent
9	97	28.12
10	84	24.35
11	89	25.80
12	75	21.74

What is your sex?		
sec1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	173	50.14
FEMALE	172	49.86

Which best describes you?		
sec2	Frequency	Percent
White (not Hispanic)	326	94.49
African American (not Hispanic)	3	0.87
Asian	3	0.87
American Indian	6	1.74
Hispanic	7	2.03

How far in school did your mother go?		
sec3	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	3	0.87
FINISHED 8TH	26	7.54
H.S. GRAD	119	34.49
POST SECONDARY	75	21.74
COLLEGE GRAD	87	25.22
DON'T KNOW	35	10.14

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How far in school did your father go?		
sec4	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	12	3.48
FINISHED 8TH	23	6.67
H.S. GRAD	143	41.45
POST SECONDARY	57	16.52
COLLEGE GRAD	59	17.10
DON'T KNOW	51	14.78

How many days of school did you miss last month?		
sec5	Frequency	Percent
NONE	139	40.41
1 OR 2 DAYS	130	37.79
3 OR 4 DAYS	51	14.83
5 TO 10 DAYS	17	4.94
MORE THAN 10 DAYS	7	2.03

Frequency Missing = 1

How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?		
sec6	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	122	35.67
TWO HRS.	93	27.19
THREE HRS.	58	16.96
FOUR HRS.	38	11.11
FIVE HRS.	13	3.80
SIX + HRS.	18	5.26

Frequency Missing = 3

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How many hours a day do you spend playing on the computer or with video games?		
sec7	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	204	59.65
TWO HRS.	65	19.01
THREE HRS.	28	8.19
FOUR HRS.	22	6.43
FIVE HRS.	10	2.92
SIX + HRS.	13	3.80

Frequency Missing = 3

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	57	16.52
TWO YEAR SCHOOL	57	16.52
FOUR YEAR SCHOOL	181	52.46
MILITARY	12	3.48
OTHER	38	11.01

Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?		
sec9	Frequency	Percent
A	111	32.17
A & B	109	31.59
B	33	9.57
B & C	44	12.75
C	18	5.22
C & D	18	5.22
D	4	1.16
BELOW D	8	2.32

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How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?		
sec10	Frequency	Percent
NONE ASSIGNED	45	13.16
DON T DO IT	35	10.23
1/2 HR. OR LESS	99	28.95
ONE HOUR	120	35.09
TWO HOURS	31	9.06
MORE THAN 2 HRS	12	3.51

Frequency Missing = 3

About how many hours per week do you usually work in a part-time job during the school year.		
sec11	Frequency	Percent
NONE	200	58.14
UNDER 6 HRS.	30	8.72
6 TO 10 HRS.	16	4.65
11 TO 15 HRS.	20	5.81
16 TO 20 HRS.	38	11.05
21 TO 25 HRS.	18	5.23
MORE THAN 25	22	6.40

Frequency Missing = 1

How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?		
sec12	Frequency	Percent
EXCELLENT	26	7.54
GOOD	142	41.16
AVERAGE	134	38.84
BELOW AVERAGE	28	8.12
POOR	15	4.35

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How many hours each week do you usually spend in extra-curricular activities associated with school? - excluding sports?		
sec13	Frequency	Percent
NONE	119	34.80
1 TO 2 HRS.	72	21.05
3 TO 5 HRS.	49	14.33
6 TO 10 HRS.	36	10.53
11 TO 15 HRS.	23	6.73
16 TO 20 HRS.	25	7.31
MORE THAN 20	18	5.26

Frequency Missing = 3

Which one of the following career clusters best describes your four year plan of study?		
sec14	Frequency	Percent
Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources	44	12.75
Architecture & Construction	13	3.77
Arts, A/V Technology & Communications	16	4.64
Business, Management & Administration	9	2.61
Education & Training	27	7.83
Government & Public Administration	1	0.29
Health Science	35	10.14
Hospitality & Tourism	2	0.58
Human Services	10	2.90
Law, Public Safety & Security	22	6.38
Marketing, Sales & Service	8	2.32
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics	24	6.96
Transportation, Distribution & Logistics	4	1.16
Other	71	20.58
Have not selected a career path	59	17.10

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Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.		
sec15	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	21	6.09
Rarely	75	21.74
Occasionally	130	37.68
Regularly	119	34.49

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.		
sec16	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	32	9.28
Rarely	91	26.38
Occasionally	130	37.68
Regularly	92	26.67

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.		
sec17	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	19	5.52
Rarely	62	18.02
Occasionally	124	36.05
Regularly	139	40.41

Frequency Missing = 1

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	24	7.0	91	26.5	155	45.2	55	16.0	18	5.2	2
19 - My teachers place students in small groups	14	4.1	67	19.4	179	51.9	69	20.0	16	4.6	0
20 - I am asked to present new content through pictures, graphs, maps, or charts	10	2.9	30	8.7	125	36.2	138	40.0	42	12.2	0
21 - I am asked to summarize new material	21	6.1	96	27.9	143	41.6	55	16.0	29	8.4	1
22 - I am asked to revise or correct errors in my work	32	9.3	83	24.1	132	38.4	78	22.7	19	5.5	1
23 - I am asked to identify similarities and differences	28	8.1	121	35.1	130	37.7	49	14.2	17	4.9	0
24 - I am given opportunities to construct and work on my own long-term projects	31	9.0	76	22.1	135	39.2	80	23.3	22	6.4	1

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25 - I am asked to relate what I already know to new material	33	9.6	100	29.1	147	42.7	49	14.2	15	4.4	1
26 - I am given opportunities to present what I have learned to other students	12	3.5	77	22.4	135	39.4	91	26.5	28	8.2	2
27 - My graded assignments are returned to me before I am tested on the information	73	21.2	73	21.2	114	33.1	60	17.4	24	7.0	1
28 - Teachers enforce the rules fairly	73	21.2	110	31.9	94	27.2	45	13.0	23	6.7	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.	13	3.8	99	28.7	145	42.0	58	16.8	30	8.7	0
30 - My teachers let me know when I am doing a good job.	40	11.6	161	46.7	110	31.9	23	6.7	11	3.2	0
31 - Teachers connect what students are learning with the real world.	23	6.7	129	37.4	133	38.6	43	12.5	17	4.9	0
32 - During our classes we stay focused on learning and don't waste time.	14	4.1	86	25.0	145	42.2	70	20.3	29	8.4	1
33 - Being successful in school today will help me in my future.	166	48.1	97	28.1	65	18.8	11	3.2	6	1.7	0
34 - Differences among students and their families are respected in this school.	26	7.6	109	31.8	118	34.4	53	15.5	37	10.8	2
35 - I can do well in school.	153	44.5	138	40.1	40	11.6	8	2.3	5	1.5	1
36 - I learn a lot in this school.	51	14.8	138	40.0	106	30.7	32	9.3	18	5.2	0
37 - I like reading.	92	26.7	48	13.9	91	26.4	44	12.8	70	20.3	0
38 - There are students from my school that belong to street gangs.	28	8.2	31	9.0	81	23.6	73	21.3	130	37.9	2
39 - My teachers help me understand my mistakes on assignments.	36	10.5	131	38.2	137	39.9	25	7.3	14	4.1	2
40 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	17	5.0	102	29.7	136	39.7	57	16.6	31	9.0	2
41 - My school building is in good condition.	34	9.9	137	39.9	123	35.9	33	9.6	16	4.7	2
42 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	22	6.4	131	38.2	124	36.2	52	15.2	14	4.1	2
43 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	32	9.3	102	29.7	137	39.9	45	13.1	27	7.9	2
44 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	29	8.5	111	32.4	134	39.1	43	12.5	26	7.6	2
45 - The classes I have at school cover material that is important to me.	26	7.6	106	30.9	142	41.4	44	12.8	25	7.3	2
46 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	29	8.5	130	38.0	141	41.2	28	8.2	14	4.1	3

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47 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	27	7.9	131	38.2	130	37.9	34	9.9	21	6.1	2
48 - Our classes are often interrupted.	23	6.7	76	22.2	135	39.4	94	27.4	15	4.4	2
49 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	36	10.5	133	38.8	119	34.7	33	9.6	22	6.4	2
50 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	34	9.9	159	46.4	109	31.8	29	8.5	12	3.5	2
51 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	59	17.3	140	40.9	99	28.9	31	9.1	13	3.8	3
52 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	30	8.7	140	40.8	126	36.7	25	7.3	22	6.4	2
53 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	18	5.2	113	32.9	147	42.9	43	12.5	22	6.4	2
54 - I feel safe at school.	50	14.6	131	38.3	108	31.6	31	9.1	22	6.4	3
55 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	74	21.6	172	50.1	80	23.3	11	3.2	6	1.7	2
56 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	115	33.7	93	27.3	90	26.4	34	10.0	9	2.6	4
57 - I like going to this school.	48	14.0	106	30.9	112	32.7	28	8.2	49	14.3	2
58 - This community is a good place to grow up.	49	14.3	112	32.7	110	32.2	35	10.2	36	10.5	3
59 - I am treated fairly at school.	36	10.5	142	41.3	113	32.8	30	8.7	23	6.7	1
60 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	36	10.4	167	48.4	100	29.0	24	7.0	18	5.2	0
61 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	49	14.2	152	44.2	88	25.6	31	9.0	24	7.0	1
62 - The community is proud of this school.	39	11.3	142	41.3	133	38.7	20	5.8	10	2.9	1
63 - Drug use is common among teenagers in this community.	51	14.8	82	23.8	151	43.8	41	11.9	20	5.8	0
64 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	59	17.3	164	48.0	99	28.9	13	3.8	7	2.0	3
65 - My teachers think I can learn.	94	27.2	155	44.9	76	22.0	12	3.5	8	2.3	0
66 - My teachers are good teachers.	49	14.2	163	47.4	100	29.1	21	6.1	11	3.2	1
67 - Students at my school are friendly.	35	10.2	111	32.3	137	39.8	37	10.8	24	7.0	1
68 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	171	49.7	120	34.9	39	11.3	9	2.6	5	1.5	1
69 - I would attend a different school if I could.	67	19.4	66	19.1	93	27.0	64	18.6	55	15.9	0
70 - Teachers treat me with respect.	38	11.0	164	47.5	97	28.1	26	7.5	20	5.8	0
71 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	71	20.6	165	47.8	91	26.4	13	3.8	5	1.4	0
72 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	33	9.6	117	34.2	115	33.6	42	12.3	35	10.2	3

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73 - The classes at my school are academically rigorous and challenging.	18	5.2	93	27.0	164	47.7	40	11.6	29	8.4	1
74 - A guidance counselor has assisted me in creating a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	35	10.1	99	28.7	109	31.6	66	19.1	36	10.4	0
75 - Career-Technical education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	12	3.5	93	27.0	190	55.2	33	9.6	16	4.7	1
76 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	53	15.5	121	35.3	103	30.0	35	10.2	31	9.0	2
77 - Most of my teachers respond to disruptive students quickly and effectively.	23	6.7	122	35.4	119	34.5	57	16.5	24	7.0	0
78 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	50	14.5	152	44.2	105	30.5	20	5.8	17	4.9	1
79 - Clear rules regarding behavior have been established in most of my classes.	55	15.9	150	43.5	106	30.7	19	5.5	15	4.3	0