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Frequency Distribution Report
MALLORY ELEM., DALLAS CO. R-I School District

In what grade is your child?		
PRT1	Frequency	Percent
K-1	183	41.59
2ND	93	21.14
3RD	72	16.36
4TH	91	20.68
5TH	1	0.23

Frequency Missing = 4

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	217	50.94
Girl	209	49.06

Frequency Missing = 18

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	365	82.95
FATHER	45	10.23
STEPMOTHER	8	1.82
STEPFATHER	4	0.91
GRANDMOTHER	15	3.41
GRANDFATHER	1	0.23
OTHER RELATIVE	1	0.23
UNRELATED	1	0.23

Frequency Missing = 4

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How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	28	6.38
1	193	43.96
2	209	47.61
3 OR MORE	9	2.05

Frequency Missing = 5

How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	148	33.33
5 - 10 YRS	93	20.95
11 - 15 YRS	44	9.91
OVER 15 YRS	159	35.81

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	123	27.89
2 HRS	203	46.03
3 HRS	82	18.59
4 HRS	28	6.35
5 HRS	1	0.23
6 + HRS	4	0.91

Frequency Missing = 3

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Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	92	20.81
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	254	57.47
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	76	17.19
OTHER	20	4.52

Frequency Missing = 2

Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	432	98.41
AMERICAN INDIAN	3	0.68
HISPANIC	4	0.91

Frequency Missing = 5

How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
NONE	4	0.90
1	68	15.35
2	178	40.18
3	103	23.25
4	68	15.35
5	12	2.71
6	7	1.58
7 OR MORE	3	0.68

Frequency Missing = 1

Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	424	95.50
YES	20	4.50

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Career-Technical Education		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	436	98.20
YES	8	1.80

Special Education		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	415	93.47
YES	29	6.53

English Language Learners		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	423	95.27
YES	21	4.73

Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	139	31.38
30 - 39	234	52.82
40 - 49	56	12.64
50 - 59	9	2.03
60 OR OVER	5	1.13

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What one thing is likely to take the largest share of your child's time in the year after high school?		
prt12	Frequency	Percent
WORKING FULLTIME	47	11.58
2 YR COLL/TECH	59	14.53
4 YR COLLEGE	271	66.75
MILITARY	8	1.97
OTHER	21	5.17

Frequency Missing = 38

Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
ELEM. SCHOOL	2	0.46
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	52	11.90
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	132	30.21
SOME COLLEGE	136	31.12
COLLEGE GRADUATE	81	18.54
GRADUATE SCHOOL	34	7.78

Frequency Missing = 7

Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	34	8.02
10,000 - 19,999	77	18.16
20,000 - 29,999	55	12.97
30,000 - 39,999	73	17.22
40,000 - 49,999	62	14.62
50,000 - 59,999	48	11.32
60,000 - 69,999	29	6.84
OVER \$70,000	46	10.85

Frequency Missing = 20

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Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	179	40.77
HALF A & B	67	15.26
MOSTLY B	14	3.19
HALF B & C	25	5.69
MOSTLY C	12	2.73
HALF C & D	7	1.59
MOSTLY D	2	0.46
BELOW D	1	0.23
GRADE NOT GIVEN	132	30.07

Frequency Missing = 5

Would you say that public schools in this community have improved from five years ago, gotten worse, or stayed the same?		
prt16	Frequency	Percent
IMPROVED	173	42.51
GOTTEN WORSE	63	15.48
STAYED THE SAME	171	42.01

Frequency Missing = 37

How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	148	33.64
1/2 HR OR LESS	170	38.64
1 HR	83	18.86
2 HRS	24	5.45
MORE THAN 2 HRS	15	3.41

Frequency Missing = 4

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How many hours a day does your child spend playing on the computer or with video games?		
pvt18	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	374	87.79
2 HRS	41	9.62
3 HRS	8	1.88
4 HRS	2	0.47
6 + HRS	1	0.23

Frequency Missing = 18

Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT19a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	4	0.91
ONCE/TWICE	165	37.41
3-5 TIMES	151	34.24
5-10 TIMES	52	11.79
11+ TIMES	69	15.65

Frequency Missing = 3

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT19b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	32	7.24
ONCE/TWICE	339	76.70
3-5 TIMES	59	13.35
5-10 TIMES	4	0.90
11+ TIMES	8	1.81

Frequency Missing = 2

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Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT19c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	21	4.77
ONCE/TWICE	326	74.09
3-5 TIMES	75	17.05
5-10 TIMES	10	2.27
11+ TIMES	8	1.82

Frequency Missing = 4

Visited the school on your own.		
PRT19d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	70	15.95
ONCE/TWICE	141	32.12
3-5 TIMES	98	22.32
5-10 TIMES	47	10.71
11+ TIMES	83	18.91

Frequency Missing = 5

Helped with school activities.		
PRT19e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	136	30.91
ONCE/TWICE	175	39.77
3-5 TIMES	68	15.45
5-10 TIMES	30	6.82
11+ TIMES	31	7.05

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Students are often given the grades A, B, C, D, and F to denote the quality of their work. If the public schools in this community were graded the same way, what grade would you give them--A, B, C, D,		
prt20	Frequency	Percent
A	62	14.19
B	155	35.47
C	143	32.72
D	37	8.47
F	15	3.43
DONT KNOW	25	5.72

Frequency Missing = 7

How much time does your child spend reading at home each day?		
prt21	Frequency	Percent
no time at all	9	2.04
10-15 mins	150	34.01
20-30 mins	191	43.31
about one hour	75	17.01
2 hours or more	16	3.63

Frequency Missing = 3

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
NO	71	16.17
YES	368	83.83

Frequency Missing = 5

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I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NO	247	56.26
YES	192	43.74

Frequency Missing = 5

I enforce family rules about how many hours my child can watch TV, or play video/computer games.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NO	68	15.45
YES	372	84.55

Frequency Missing = 4

I enforce family rules about doing homework.		
prt22d	Frequency	Percent
NO	10	2.27
YES	430	97.73

Frequency Missing = 4

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt22e	Frequency	Percent
NO	239	54.32
YES	201	45.68

Frequency Missing = 4

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Talk with your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt23a	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	1	0.23
RARELY	3	0.68
OCCASIONALLY	42	9.55
REGULARLY	394	89.55

Frequency Missing = 4

Talk with your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt23b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	138	31.80
RARELY	131	30.18
OCCASIONALLY	104	23.96
REGULARLY	61	14.06

Frequency Missing = 10

Talk with your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt23c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	90	20.69
RARELY	93	21.38
OCCASIONALLY	164	37.70
REGULARLY	88	20.23

Frequency Missing = 9

Is your child covered by some kind of family medical insurance?		
prt24	Frequency	Percent
YES-VIA EMPLOYER	179	41.72
YES-VIA OTHER	28	6.53
YES-VIA MEDICAID	185	43.12
NO MED INS	37	8.62

Frequency Missing = 15

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Question	Strongly Agree		Agree		Neutral		Disagree		Strongly Disagree		Number Missing
	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
25 - The school recognizes the accomplishments of my child.	84	19.2	225	51.4	96	21.9	31	7.1	2	0.5	6
26 - My child's opinions are valued by teachers and administrators.	47	10.7	194	44.1	148	33.6	40	9.1	11	2.5	4
27 - My child's school promotes an environment of mutual respect among students.	71	16.2	210	47.9	96	21.9	50	11.4	11	2.5	6
28 - My involvement in my child's education has improved his/her achievement.	163	37.0	219	49.8	54	12.3	3	0.7	1	0.2	4
29 - Parents are asked for input about school decisions	39	8.9	130	29.6	138	31.4	94	21.4	38	8.7	5
30 - Our school has a program that teaches and reinforces student self-discipline and responsibility.	54	12.4	188	43.3	136	31.3	43	9.9	13	3.0	10
31 - My school has clear procedures for handling school emergencies.	127	28.9	227	51.6	60	13.6	13	3.0	13	3.0	4
32 - There are students from my child's school that belong to street gangs.	6	1.4	23	5.3	131	30.5	141	32.8	129	30.0	14
33 - The school values and respects differences among students and their families.	48	11.0	187	42.9	150	34.4	39	8.9	12	2.8	8
34 - Effective assistance is provided for children having difficulty in school.	68	15.5	198	45.0	114	25.9	45	10.2	15	3.4	4
35 - The way they teach at this school works well for my child.	79	18.0	218	49.7	94	21.4	37	8.4	11	2.5	5
36 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	92	20.9	252	57.3	67	15.2	23	5.2	6	1.4	4
37 - My child likes attending this school.	148	33.6	213	48.3	43	9.8	25	5.7	12	2.7	3
38 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	161	36.6	218	49.5	43	9.8	16	3.6	2	0.5	4
39 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	161	36.6	226	51.4	34	7.7	15	3.4	4	0.9	4
40 - I feel my child is safe at school.	109	24.9	232	53.1	59	13.5	23	5.3	14	3.2	7
41 - I receive information about the educational services available to my child at school.	63	14.4	198	45.2	111	25.3	50	11.4	16	3.7	6
42 - My child's school building is in good condition.	66	15.0	242	55.1	83	18.9	32	7.3	16	3.6	5
43 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	40	9.2	122	28.0	138	31.7	93	21.4	42	9.7	9
44 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	55	12.6	213	48.9	113	25.9	36	8.3	19	4.4	8
45 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	51	11.6	61	13.8	102	23.1	136	30.8	91	20.6	3
46 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	101	22.9	230	52.0	83	18.8	24	5.4	4	0.9	2
47 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	48	11.0	170	38.9	154	35.2	49	11.2	16	3.7	7
48 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	53	12.1	195	44.6	150	34.3	32	7.3	7	1.6	7

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
49 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	75	17.1	234	53.4	83	18.9	42	9.6	4	0.9	6
50 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	132	29.9	211	47.8	68	15.4	26	5.9	4	0.9	3
51 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	135	30.8	224	51.0	56	12.8	17	3.9	7	1.6	5
52 - The community is proud of this school.	58	13.2	184	41.8	137	31.1	52	11.8	9	2.0	4
53 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	159	36.1	227	51.5	40	9.1	12	2.7	3	0.7	3
54 - I expect my child to do well in school.	282	64.1	144	32.7	13	3.0	0	0.0	1	0.2	4
55 - My child's teachers expect very good work from my child.	176	40.1	223	50.8	31	7.1	6	1.4	3	0.7	5
56 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career plans.	29	6.6	100	22.9	239	54.7	57	13.0	12	2.7	7
57 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	92	21.0	196	44.6	134	30.5	10	2.3	7	1.6	5
58 - Career-Technical Education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	55	12.7	117	27.0	229	52.8	24	5.5	9	2.1	10
59 - I am aware of adult learning opportunities offered by the district.	35	8.0	99	22.7	155	35.6	99	22.7	48	11.0	8