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In what grade is your child?		
PRT1	Frequency	Percent
K-1	48	23.88
2ND	30	14.93
3RD	29	14.43
4TH	32	15.92
5TH	27	13.43
6TH	35	17.41

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	107	54.31
Girl	90	45.69

Frequency Missing = 4

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	156	77.61
FATHER	31	15.42
STEPMOTHER	1	0.50
STEPFATHER	1	0.50
GRANDMOTHER	11	5.47
OTHER RELATIVE	1	0.50

How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	6	3.00
1	63	31.50
2	130	65.00
3 OR MORE	1	0.50

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How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	63	31.82
5 - 10 YRS	46	23.23
11 - 15 YRS	34	17.17
OVER 15 YRS	55	27.78

Frequency Missing = 3

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	63	31.66
2 HRS	86	43.22
3 HRS	39	19.60
4 HRS	10	5.03
6 + HRS	1	0.50

Frequency Missing = 2

Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	28	13.93
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	134	66.67
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	30	14.93
OTHER	9	4.48

Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	191	95.02
ASIAN	3	1.49
AMERICAN INDIAN	2	1.00
HISPANIC	5	2.49

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How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
1	38	19.00
2	64	32.00
3	64	32.00
4	17	8.50
5	5	2.50
6	10	5.00
7 OR MORE	2	1.00

Frequency Missing = 1

Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	192	95.52
YES	9	4.48

Career-Technical Education		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	200	99.50
YES	1	0.50

Special Education		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	191	95.02
YES	10	4.98

English Language Learners		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	198	98.51
YES	3	1.49

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Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	27	13.57
30 - 39	104	52.26
40 - 49	53	26.63
50 - 59	12	6.03
60 OR OVER	3	1.51

Frequency Missing = 2

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	11	5.79
2 YR COLL/TECH	34	17.89
4 YR COLLEGE	137	72.11
MILITARY	1	0.53
OTHER	7	3.68

Frequency Missing = 11

Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
ELEM. SCHOOL	1	0.50
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	13	6.53
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	62	31.16
SOME COLLEGE	57	28.64
COLLEGE GRADUATE	51	25.63
GRADUATE SCHOOL	15	7.54

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Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	8	4.21
10,000 - 19,999	10	5.26
20,000 - 29,999	22	11.58
30,000 - 39,999	32	16.84
40,000 - 49,999	26	13.68
50,000 - 59,999	23	12.11
60,000 - 69,999	20	10.53
OVER \$70,000	49	25.79

Frequency Missing = 11

Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	85	42.71
HALF A & B	43	21.61
MOSTLY B	16	8.04
HALF B & C	13	6.53
MOSTLY C	5	2.51
HALF C & D	6	3.02
MOSTLY D	2	1.01
GRADE NOT GIVEN	29	14.57

Frequency Missing = 2

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	87	46.03
GOTTEN WORSE	16	8.47
STAYED THE SAME	86	45.50

Frequency Missing = 12

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How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	12	5.97
1/2 HR OR LESS	120	59.70
1 HR	50	24.88
2 HRS	12	5.97
MORE THAN 2 HRS	7	3.48

How many hours a day does your child spend playing on the computer or with video games?		
prt18	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	167	86.08
2 HRS	23	11.86
3 HRS	2	1.03
4 HRS	1	0.52
5 HRS	1	0.52

Frequency Missing = 7

Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT19a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	6	2.99
ONCE/TWICE	86	42.79
3-5 TIMES	68	33.83
5-10 TIMES	25	12.44
11+ TIMES	16	7.96

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT19b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	13	6.47
ONCE/TWICE	174	86.57
3-5 TIMES	10	4.98
5-10 TIMES	4	1.99

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Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT19c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	14	6.97
ONCE/TWICE	151	75.12
3-5 TIMES	32	15.92
5-10 TIMES	4	1.99

Visited the school on your own.		
PRT19d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	31	15.42
ONCE/TWICE	69	34.33
3-5 TIMES	62	30.85
5-10 TIMES	14	6.97
11+ TIMES	25	12.44

Helped with school activities.		
PRT19e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	66	32.84
ONCE/TWICE	61	30.35
3-5 TIMES	45	22.39
5-10 TIMES	10	4.98
11+ TIMES	19	9.45

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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	52	26.13
B	82	41.21
C	47	23.62
D	11	5.53
F	1	0.50
DONT KNOW	6	3.02

Frequency Missing = 2

How much time does your child spend reading at home each day?		
prt21	Frequency	Percent
no time at all	11	5.50
10-15 mins	79	39.50
20-30 mins	80	40.00
about one hour	25	12.50
2 hours or more	5	2.50

Frequency Missing = 1

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
NO	15	7.46
YES	186	92.54

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I know the parents of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt22b	Frequency	Percent
NO	58	28.86
YES	143	71.14

I enforce family rules about how many hours my child can watch TV, or play video/computer games.		
prt22c	Frequency	Percent
NO	27	13.43
YES	174	86.57

I enforce family rules about doing homework.		
prt22d	Frequency	Percent
NO	1	0.50
YES	200	99.50

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt22e	Frequency	Percent
NO	81	40.30
YES	120	59.70

Talk with your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt23a	Frequency	Percent
RARELY	1	0.50
OCCASIONALLY	19	9.45
REGULARLY	181	90.05

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Talk with your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt23b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	54	27.14
RARELY	54	27.14
OCCASIONALLY	59	29.65
REGULARLY	32	16.08

Frequency Missing = 2

Talk with your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt23c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	28	14.07
RARELY	29	14.57
OCCASIONALLY	96	48.24
REGULARLY	46	23.12

Frequency Missing = 2

Is your child covered by some kind of family medical insurance?		
prt24	Frequency	Percent
YES-VIA EMPLOYER	133	67.86
YES-VIA OTHER	6	3.06
YES-VIA MEDICAID	44	22.45
NO MED INS	13	6.63

Frequency Missing = 5

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.	33	16.6	119	59.8	33	16.6	8	4.0	6	3.0	2
26 - My child's opinions are valued by teachers and administrators.	12	6.0	89	44.7	66	33.2	24	12.1	8	4.0	2
27 - My child's school promotes an environment of mutual respect among students.	23	11.6	116	58.3	32	16.1	17	8.5	11	5.5	2
28 - My involvement in my child's education has improved his/her achievement.	73	36.7	104	52.3	21	10.6	1	0.5	0	0.0	2
29 - Parents are asked for input about school decisions	13	6.6	83	41.9	50	25.3	37	18.7	15	7.6	3

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
30 - Our school has a program that teaches and reinforces student self-discipline and responsibility.	16	8.1	118	59.6	44	22.2	16	8.1	4	2.0	3
31 - My school has clear procedures for handling school emergencies.	33	16.6	121	60.8	37	18.6	6	3.0	2	1.0	2
32 - There are students from my child's school that belong to street gangs.	2	1.0	12	6.2	45	23.2	72	37.1	63	32.5	7
33 - The school values and respects differences among students and their families.	7	3.5	104	52.5	65	32.8	13	6.6	9	4.5	3
34 - Effective assistance is provided for children having difficulty in school.	21	10.7	91	46.2	52	26.4	22	11.2	11	5.6	4
35 - The way they teach at this school works well for my child.	28	14.1	104	52.3	41	20.6	16	8.0	10	5.0	2
36 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	38	19.3	118	59.9	28	14.2	4	2.0	9	4.6	4
37 - My child likes attending this school.	65	32.7	105	52.8	18	9.0	8	4.0	3	1.5	2
38 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	73	36.7	90	45.2	27	13.6	6	3.0	3	1.5	2
39 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	56	28.1	118	59.3	16	8.0	7	3.5	2	1.0	2
40 - I feel my child is safe at school.	50	25.1	118	59.3	19	9.5	6	3.0	6	3.0	2
41 - I receive information about the educational services available to my child at school.	20	10.1	91	45.7	50	25.1	30	15.1	8	4.0	2
42 - My child's school building is in good condition.	25	12.7	112	56.9	36	18.3	17	8.6	7	3.6	4
43 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	7	3.6	73	37.1	71	36.0	34	17.3	12	6.1	4
44 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	21	10.6	112	56.3	44	22.1	15	7.5	7	3.5	2
45 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	12	6.1	13	6.6	31	15.7	66	33.3	76	38.4	3
46 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	44	22.1	109	54.8	30	15.1	9	4.5	7	3.5	2
47 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	26	13.2	114	57.9	49	24.9	3	1.5	5	2.5	4
48 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	12	6.1	92	46.7	81	41.1	11	5.6	1	0.5	4
49 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	26	13.1	109	54.8	36	18.1	19	9.5	9	4.5	2
50 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	52	26.1	108	54.3	32	16.1	5	2.5	2	1.0	2
51 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	45	22.6	124	62.3	17	8.5	11	5.5	2	1.0	2
52 - The community is proud of this school.	54	27.1	108	54.3	22	11.1	10	5.0	5	2.5	2
53 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	63	31.7	104	52.3	23	11.6	8	4.0	1	0.5	2
54 - I expect my child to do well in school.	122	61.3	74	37.2	3	1.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
55 - My child's teachers expect very good work from my child.	64	32.2	117	58.8	15	7.5	3	1.5	0	0.0	2

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
56 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career plans.	4	2.0	48	24.5	105	53.6	28	14.3	11	5.6	5
57 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	20	10.1	106	53.5	57	28.8	7	3.5	8	4.0	3
58 - Career-Technical Education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	18	9.4	55	28.6	98	51.0	10	5.2	11	5.7	9
59 - I am aware of adult learning opportunities offered by the district.	1	0.5	32	16.5	75	38.7	59	30.4	27	13.9	7