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sec_grade	Frequency	Percent
9	117	28.75
10	132	32.43
11	100	24.57
12	58	14.25

What is your sex?		
sec1	Frequency	Percent
MALE	191	46.93
FEMALE	216	53.07

Which best describes you?		
sec2	Frequency	Percent
White (not Hispanic)	383	94.10
African American (not Hispanic)	3	0.74
Asian	4	0.98
American Indian	5	1.23
Hispanic	12	2.95

How far in school did your mother go?		
sec3	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	4	0.99
FINISHED 8TH	37	9.11
H.S. GRAD	111	27.34
POST SECONDARY	99	24.38
COLLEGE GRAD	110	27.09
DON'T KNOW	45	11.08

Frequency Missing = 1

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How far in school did your father go?		
sec4	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 8TH	9	2.21
FINISHED 8TH	38	9.34
H.S. GRAD	139	34.15
POST SECONDARY	73	17.94
COLLEGE GRAD	82	20.15
DON'T KNOW	66	16.22

How many days of school did you miss last month?		
sec5	Frequency	Percent
NONE	149	36.61
1 OR 2 DAYS	174	42.75
3 OR 4 DAYS	52	12.78
5 TO 10 DAYS	26	6.39
MORE THAN 10 DAYS	6	1.47

How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?		
sec6	Frequency	Percent
ONE HR. OR LESS	121	30.02
TWO HRS.	112	27.79
THREE HRS.	83	20.60
FOUR HRS.	41	10.17
FIVE HRS.	15	3.72
SIX + HRS.	31	7.69

Frequency Missing = 4

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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	202	50.25
TWO HRS.	78	19.40
THREE HRS.	51	12.69
FOUR HRS.	26	6.47
FIVE HRS.	13	3.23
SIX + HRS.	32	7.96

Frequency Missing = 5

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	51	12.56
TWO YEAR SCHOOL	58	14.29
FOUR YEAR SCHOOL	226	55.67
MILITARY	20	4.93
OTHER	51	12.56

Frequency Missing = 1

Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?		
sec9	Frequency	Percent
A	104	25.68
A & B	127	31.36
B	37	9.14
B & C	62	15.31
C	19	4.69
C & D	33	8.15
D	8	1.98
BELOW D	15	3.70

Frequency Missing = 2

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How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?		
sec10	Frequency	Percent
NONE ASSIGNED	93	22.96
DON T DO IT	70	17.28
1/2 HR. OR LESS	114	28.15
ONE HOUR	95	23.46
TWO HOURS	24	5.93
MORE THAN 2 HRS	9	2.22

Frequency Missing = 2

About how many hours per week do you usually work in a part-time job during the school year.		
sec11	Frequency	Percent
NONE	247	60.69
UNDER 6 HRS.	25	6.14
6 TO 10 HRS.	33	8.11
11 TO 15 HRS.	31	7.62
16 TO 20 HRS.	34	8.35
21 TO 25 HRS.	26	6.39
MORE THAN 25	11	2.70

How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?		
sec12	Frequency	Percent
EXCELLENT	38	9.34
GOOD	170	41.77
AVERAGE	156	38.33
BELOW AVERAGE	18	4.42
POOR	25	6.14

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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	137	33.74
1 TO 2 HRS.	103	25.37
3 TO 5 HRS.	77	18.97
6 TO 10 HRS.	32	7.88
11 TO 15 HRS.	30	7.39
16 TO 20 HRS.	19	4.68
MORE THAN 20	8	1.97

Frequency Missing = 1

Which one of the following career clusters best describes your four year plan of study?		
sec14	Frequency	Percent
Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources	41	10.07
Architecture & Construction	19	4.67
Arts, A/V Technology & Communications	30	7.37
Business, Management & Administration	15	3.69
Education & Training	37	9.09
Finance	1	0.25
Government & Public Administration	4	0.98
Health Science	53	13.02
Hospitality & Tourism	2	0.49
Human Services	38	9.34
Information Technology	3	0.74
Law, Public Safety & Security	14	3.44
Manufacturing	3	0.74
Marketing, Sales & Service	4	0.98
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics	38	9.34
Transportation, Distribution & Logistics	3	0.74
Other	67	16.46
Have not selected a career path	35	8.60

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Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.		
sec15	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	36	8.85
Rarely	104	25.55
Occasionally	134	32.92
Regularly	133	32.68

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.		
sec16	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	41	10.10
Rarely	113	27.83
Occasionally	158	38.92
Regularly	94	23.15

Frequency Missing = 1

Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.		
sec17	Frequency	Percent
Not at all	29	7.16
Rarely	71	17.53
Occasionally	145	35.80
Regularly	160	39.51

Frequency Missing = 2

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	39	9.6	92	22.7	147	36.2	98	24.1	30	7.4	1
19 - My teachers place students in small groups	13	3.2	66	16.3	190	46.8	118	29.1	19	4.7	1
20 - I am asked to present new content through pictures, graphs, maps, or charts	14	3.5	52	12.8	143	35.3	152	37.5	44	10.9	2
21 - I am asked to summarize new material	23	5.7	91	22.4	157	38.6	111	27.3	25	6.1	0
22 - I am asked to revise or correct errors in my work	53	13.1	98	24.1	141	34.7	95	23.4	19	4.7	1
23 - I am asked to identify similarities and differences	30	7.4	111	27.4	162	40.0	85	21.0	17	4.2	2

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
24 - I am given opportunities to construct and work on my own long-term projects	36	8.8	93	22.9	149	36.6	97	23.8	32	7.9	0
25 - I am asked to relate what I already know to new material	40	10.0	99	24.6	148	36.8	89	22.1	26	6.5	5
26 - I am given opportunities to present what I have learned to other students	31	7.6	66	16.3	146	36.0	126	31.0	37	9.1	1
27 - My graded assignments are returned to me before I am tested on the information	115	28.3	102	25.1	106	26.1	64	15.8	19	4.7	1
28 - Teachers enforce the rules fairly	90	22.2	109	26.8	120	29.6	54	13.3	33	8.1	1

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.	19	4.7	99	24.3	169	41.5	65	16.0	55	13.5	0
30 - My teachers let me know when I am doing a good job.	36	8.8	193	47.4	108	26.5	51	12.5	19	4.7	0
31 - Teachers connect what students are learning with the real world.	22	5.4	126	31.1	162	40.0	71	17.5	24	5.9	2
32 - During our classes we stay focused on learning and don't waste time.	17	4.2	81	20.0	178	43.8	78	19.2	52	12.8	1
33 - Being successful in school today will help me in my future.	196	48.4	122	30.1	55	13.6	19	4.7	13	3.2	2
34 - Differences among students and their families are respected in this school.	25	6.2	98	24.2	152	37.5	67	16.5	63	15.6	2
35 - I can do well in school.	170	41.8	148	36.4	70	17.2	9	2.2	10	2.5	0
36 - I learn a lot in this school.	65	16.0	151	37.1	118	29.0	48	11.8	25	6.1	0
37 - I like reading.	105	25.9	81	20.0	81	20.0	38	9.4	101	24.9	1
38 - There are students from my school that belong to street gangs.	56	13.8	51	12.6	118	29.1	92	22.7	88	21.7	2
39 - My teachers help me understand my mistakes on assignments.	26	6.4	168	41.4	130	32.0	43	10.6	39	9.6	1
40 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	15	3.7	114	28.1	127	31.3	93	22.9	57	14.0	1
41 - My school building is in good condition.	6	1.5	90	22.2	121	29.9	90	22.2	98	24.2	2
42 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	31	7.7	172	42.6	135	33.4	39	9.7	27	6.7	3
43 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	38	9.4	109	27.0	136	33.7	65	16.1	56	13.9	3
44 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	25	6.2	126	31.0	159	39.2	57	14.0	39	9.6	1
45 - The classes I have at school cover material that is important to me.	31	7.7	134	33.2	150	37.1	53	13.1	36	8.9	3

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46 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	32	7.9	164	40.5	150	37.0	40	9.9	19	4.7	2
47 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	45	11.2	145	36.0	127	31.5	41	10.2	45	11.2	4
48 - Our classes are often interrupted.	50	12.4	74	18.4	144	35.7	112	27.8	23	5.7	4
49 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	24	5.9	135	33.4	137	33.9	66	16.3	42	10.4	3
50 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	44	10.9	189	46.8	121	30.0	33	8.2	17	4.2	3
51 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	71	17.7	156	38.9	115	28.7	39	9.7	20	5.0	6
52 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	32	8.0	159	39.7	138	34.4	41	10.2	31	7.7	6
53 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	34	8.4	113	28.0	162	40.2	71	17.6	23	5.7	4
54 - I feel safe at school.	43	10.7	145	36.0	111	27.5	51	12.7	53	13.2	4
55 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	89	22.1	203	50.4	71	17.6	25	6.2	15	3.7	4
56 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	160	39.8	97	24.1	102	25.4	32	8.0	11	2.7	5
57 - I like going to this school.	51	12.7	129	32.2	129	32.2	33	8.2	59	14.7	6
58 - This community is a good place to grow up.	57	14.1	140	34.7	128	31.8	44	10.9	34	8.4	4
59 - I am treated fairly at school.	33	8.1	171	42.0	102	25.1	41	10.1	60	14.7	0
60 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	44	10.8	156	38.3	129	31.7	48	11.8	30	7.4	0
61 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	48	11.8	135	33.3	106	26.1	66	16.3	51	12.6	1
62 - The community is proud of this school.	42	10.4	153	37.8	147	36.3	35	8.6	28	6.9	2
63 - Drug use is common among teenagers in this community.	142	35.0	100	24.6	114	28.1	38	9.4	12	3.0	1
64 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	62	15.3	205	50.6	102	25.2	18	4.4	18	4.4	2
65 - My teachers think I can learn.	89	22.0	196	48.4	96	23.7	12	3.0	12	3.0	2
66 - My teachers are good teachers.	61	15.1	170	42.0	135	33.3	24	5.9	15	3.7	2
67 - Students at my school are friendly.	16	3.9	104	25.6	178	43.8	59	14.5	49	12.1	1
68 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	198	48.8	141	34.7	39	9.6	16	3.9	12	3.0	1
69 - I would attend a different school if I could.	72	17.7	55	13.5	101	24.9	78	19.2	100	24.6	1
70 - Teachers treat me with respect.	48	11.8	158	38.8	129	31.7	46	11.3	26	6.4	0
71 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	79	19.4	174	42.8	120	29.5	21	5.2	13	3.2	0
72 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	38	9.4	134	33.2	129	31.9	52	12.9	51	12.6	3

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73 - The classes at my school are academically rigorous and challenging.	30	7.4	93	22.9	197	48.5	55	13.5	31	7.6	1
74 - A guidance counselor has assisted me in creating a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	40	9.9	138	34.0	113	27.8	65	16.0	50	12.3	1
75 - Career-Technical education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	18	4.4	107	26.4	206	50.7	39	9.6	36	8.9	1
76 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	37	9.1	116	28.5	121	29.7	73	17.9	60	14.7	0
77 - Most of my teachers respond to disruptive students quickly and effectively.	40	9.8	140	34.4	126	31.0	56	13.8	45	11.1	0
78 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	61	15.1	198	49.0	92	22.8	23	5.7	30	7.4	3
79 - Clear rules regarding behavior have been established in most of my classes.	59	14.6	182	44.9	106	26.2	26	6.4	32	7.9	2