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In what grade is your child?		
PRt1	Frequency	Percent
9TH	65	26.53
10TH	68	27.76
11TH	55	22.45
12TH	57	23.27

Frequency Missing = 2

My child is a: girl, boy		
prt2	Frequency	Percent
Boy	106	44.17
Girl	134	55.83

Frequency Missing = 7

What is your relationship to the child?		
prt3	Frequency	Percent
MOTHER	158	66.95
FATHER	48	20.34
STEPMOTHER	6	2.54
STEPFATHER	5	2.12
GRANDMOTHER	3	1.27
GRANDFATHER	3	1.27
OTHER RELATIVE	3	1.27
UNRELATED	10	4.24

Frequency Missing = 11

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How many adults in your household work outside the home for pay?		
prt4	Frequency	Percent
NONE	16	6.58
1	90	37.04
2	128	52.67
3 OR MORE	9	3.70

Frequency Missing = 4

How many years have you lived in this school district?		
prt5	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 5 YRS	51	20.82
5 - 10 YRS	64	26.12
11 - 15 YRS	30	12.24
OVER 15 YRS	100	40.82

Frequency Missing = 2

How many hours of television does your child usually watch each day?		
prt6	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	80	33.20
2 HRS	83	34.44
3 HRS	48	19.92
4 HRS	22	9.13
5 HRS	2	0.83
6 + HRS	6	2.49

Frequency Missing = 6

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Which best describes your household?		
prt7	Frequency	Percent
SINGLE PARENT	40	16.46
2 PRT HSHLD-M/F	144	59.26
2 PRT HSHLD-STEP	52	21.40
OTHER	7	2.88

Frequency Missing = 4

Which best describes you?		
prt8	Frequency	Percent
WHITE (N-HISPC)	224	93.72
AFR. AMERICAN (N-HISPC)	1	0.42
ASIAN	2	0.84
AMERICAN INDIAN	2	0.84
HISPANIC	10	4.18

Frequency Missing = 8

How many children in your household are under 18 years old?		
prt9	Frequency	Percent
NONE	9	3.70
1	86	35.39
2	83	34.16
3	39	16.05
4	16	6.58
5	5	2.06
6	4	1.65
7 OR MORE	1	0.41

Frequency Missing = 4

Gifted/Talented Program		
prt10a	Frequency	Percent
NO	234	94.74
YES	13	5.26

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Career-Technical Education		
prt10b	Frequency	Percent
NO	202	81.78
YES	45	18.22

Special Education		
prt10c	Frequency	Percent
NO	228	92.31
YES	19	7.69

English Language Learners		
prt10d	Frequency	Percent
NO	236	95.55
YES	11	4.45

Which category best describes your age?		
prt11	Frequency	Percent
UNDER 30	8	3.29
30 - 39	87	35.80
40 - 49	115	47.33
50 - 59	28	11.52
60 OR OVER	5	2.06

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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	32	13.39
2 YR COLL/TECH	40	16.74
4 YR COLLEGE	129	53.97
MILITARY	22	9.21
OTHER	16	6.69

Frequency Missing = 8

Which best describes your level of education?		
prt13	Frequency	Percent
ELEM. SCHOOL	1	0.41
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	22	9.13
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	66	27.39
SOME COLLEGE	76	31.54
COLLEGE GRADUATE	56	23.24
GRADUATE SCHOOL	20	8.30

Frequency Missing = 6

Which category best describes the total annual income of your household?		
prt14	Frequency	Percent
UNDER \$ 10,000	10	4.37
10,000 - 19,999	18	7.86
20,000 - 29,999	21	9.17
30,000 - 39,999	36	15.72
40,000 - 49,999	29	12.66
50,000 - 59,999	34	14.85
60,000 - 69,999	36	15.72
OVER \$70,000	45	19.65

Frequency Missing = 18

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Which of the following best describes your child's grades so far in school?		
prt15	Frequency	Percent
MOSTLY A	82	33.88
HALF A & B	81	33.47
MOSTLY B	22	9.09
HALF B & C	33	13.64
MOSTLY C	12	4.96
HALF C & D	10	4.13
MOSTLY D	2	0.83

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	84	35.59
GOTTEN WORSE	35	14.83
STAYED THE SAME	117	49.58

Frequency Missing = 11

How much time does your child spend on homework each day?		
prt17	Frequency	Percent
DOESNT HAVE ANY	44	18.18
DOESNT DO IT	9	3.72
1/2 HR OR LESS	70	28.93
1 HR	79	32.64
2 HRS	28	11.57
MORE THAN 2 HRS	12	4.96

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How many hours a day does your child spend playing on the computer or with video games?		
prt18	Frequency	Percent
1 HR OR LESS	159	66.25
2 HRS	43	17.92
3 HRS	22	9.17
4 HRS	11	4.58
5 HRS	2	0.83
6 + HRS	3	1.25

Frequency Missing = 7

Talked to your child's teacher.		
PRT19a	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	36	15.13
ONCE/TWICE	117	49.16
3-5 TIMES	48	20.17
5-10 TIMES	18	7.56
11+ TIMES	19	7.98

Frequency Missing = 9

Gone to an open house at school.		
PRT19b	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	38	15.70
ONCE/TWICE	150	61.98
3-5 TIMES	37	15.29
5-10 TIMES	7	2.89
11+ TIMES	10	4.13

Frequency Missing = 5

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Attended parent/teacher meetings.		
PRT19c	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	60	25.42
ONCE/TWICE	111	47.03
3-5 TIMES	49	20.76
5-10 TIMES	10	4.24
11+ TIMES	6	2.54

Frequency Missing = 11

Visited the school on your own.		
PRT19d	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	49	20.25
ONCE/TWICE	100	41.32
3-5 TIMES	52	21.49
5-10 TIMES	22	9.09
11+ TIMES	19	7.85

Frequency Missing = 5

Helped with school activities.		
PRT19e	Frequency	Percent
NEVER	104	43.33
ONCE/TWICE	79	32.92
3-5 TIMES	31	12.92
5-10 TIMES	12	5.00
11+ TIMES	14	5.83

Frequency Missing = 7

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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	18	7.41
B	79	32.51
C	93	38.27
D	37	15.23
F	7	2.88
DONT KNOW	9	3.70

Frequency Missing = 4

How much time does your child spend reading at home each day?		
prt21	Frequency	Percent
no time at all	53	21.90
10-15 mins	47	19.42
20-30 mins	58	23.97
about one hour	64	26.45
2 hours or more	20	8.26

Frequency Missing = 5

I know the first name of 5 or more of my child's closest friends.		
prt22a	Frequency	Percent
NO	19	7.85
YES	223	92.15

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	68	28.10
YES	174	71.90

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	93	39.24
YES	144	60.76

Frequency Missing = 10

I enforce family rules about doing homework.		
prt22d	Frequency	Percent
NO	24	9.92
YES	218	90.08

Frequency Missing = 5

My child has access to the internet at home.		
prt22e	Frequency	Percent
NO	51	21.07
YES	191	78.93

Frequency Missing = 5

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Talk with your child about his/her experiences in school.		
prt23a	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	2	0.83
RARELY	11	4.55
OCCASIONALLY	58	23.97
REGULARLY	171	70.66

Frequency Missing = 5

Talk with your child about his/her plans for high school classes		
prt23b	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	9	3.72
RARELY	17	7.02
OCCASIONALLY	75	30.99
REGULARLY	141	58.26

Frequency Missing = 5

Talk with your child about his/her plans for after high school.		
prt23c	Frequency	Percent
NOT AT ALL	7	2.89
RARELY	8	3.31
OCCASIONALLY	67	27.69
REGULARLY	160	66.12

Frequency Missing = 5

Is your child covered by some kind of family medical insurance?		
prt24	Frequency	Percent
YES-VIA EMPLOYER	133	57.83
YES-VIA OTHER	46	20.00
YES-VIA MEDICAID	41	17.83
NO MED INS	10	4.35

Frequency Missing = 17

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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.	18	7.5	104	43.3	66	27.5	38	15.8	14	5.8	7
26 - My child's opinions are valued by teachers and administrators.	13	5.4	86	36.0	69	28.9	49	20.5	22	9.2	8
27 - My child's school promotes an environment of mutual respect among students.	14	6.0	98	41.7	60	25.5	43	18.3	20	8.5	12
28 - My involvement in my child's education has improved his/her achievement.	58	24.4	123	51.7	47	19.7	8	3.4	2	0.8	9
29 - Parents are asked for input about school decisions	3	1.3	41	17.3	85	35.9	64	27.0	44	18.6	10
30 - Our school has a program that teaches and reinforces student self-discipline and responsibility.	16	6.8	77	32.9	66	28.2	55	23.5	20	8.5	13
31 - My school has clear procedures for handling school emergencies.	30	12.6	131	54.8	61	25.5	14	5.9	3	1.3	8
32 - There are students from my child's school that belong to street gangs.	6	2.6	32	13.7	68	29.1	74	31.6	54	23.1	13
33 - The school values and respects differences among students and their families.	13	5.5	92	39.0	84	35.6	31	13.1	16	6.8	11
34 - Effective assistance is provided for children having difficulty in school.	19	8.1	100	42.4	60	25.4	37	15.7	20	8.5	11
35 - The way they teach at this school works well for my child.	17	7.2	109	46.0	49	20.7	46	19.4	16	6.8	10
36 - My child is given a fair chance to succeed at school.	29	12.2	119	50.0	53	22.3	26	10.9	11	4.6	9
37 - My child likes attending this school.	37	15.7	114	48.5	47	20.0	23	9.8	14	6.0	12
38 - I can talk with my child's teachers or principal whenever I need.	46	19.1	140	58.1	35	14.5	12	5.0	8	3.3	6
39 - I know how well my child is doing in class.	45	18.8	136	56.9	38	15.9	17	7.1	3	1.3	8
40 - I feel my child is safe at school.	25	10.4	138	57.5	53	22.1	14	5.8	10	4.2	7
41 - I receive information about the educational services available to my child at school.	11	4.7	85	36.0	73	30.9	43	18.2	24	10.2	11
42 - My child's school building is in good condition.	9	3.8	106	44.4	64	26.8	42	17.6	18	7.5	8
43 - The community provides enough money to for the schools to do a good job.	13	5.5	48	20.2	84	35.3	62	26.1	31	13.0	9
44 - Discipline in my child's school is handled fairly.	19	8.0	93	39.2	71	30.0	35	14.8	19	8.0	10
45 - If I could, I would send my child to a different school.	36	15.0	50	20.8	60	25.0	63	26.3	31	12.9	7
46 - The school encourages parents to be involved.	17	7.1	93	38.9	73	30.5	35	14.6	21	8.8	8
47 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	17	7.2	95	40.3	74	31.4	31	13.1	19	8.1	11
48 - My child has been taught in school about respect for other cultures.	22	9.2	97	40.8	82	34.5	23	9.7	14	5.9	9

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49 - The school offers suggestions about how I can help my child learn at home.	10	4.2	60	25.3	86	36.3	59	24.9	22	9.3	10
50 - I am a partner with the school in my child's education.	30	12.6	95	39.9	65	27.3	35	14.7	13	5.5	9
51 - I know what my child's teachers expect in school.	20	8.4	130	54.6	45	18.9	34	14.3	9	3.8	9
52 - The community is proud of this school.	34	14.4	101	42.8	76	32.2	18	7.6	7	3.0	11
53 - My child's teachers are good teachers.	27	11.3	109	45.4	74	30.8	22	9.2	8	3.3	7
54 - I expect my child to do well in school.	143	60.3	86	36.3	5	2.1	3	1.3	0	0.0	10
55 - My child's teachers expect very good work from my child.	61	25.3	122	50.6	46	19.1	11	4.6	1	0.4	6
56 - The school has helped my child establish educational and career plans.	17	7.1	94	39.3	61	25.5	44	18.4	23	9.6	8
57 - The guidance counselor is available to help my child if he/she has a personal problem.	39	16.3	108	45.0	57	23.8	19	7.9	17	7.1	7
58 - Career-Technical Education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	35	14.8	111	47.0	72	30.5	8	3.4	10	4.2	11
59 - I am aware of adult learning opportunities offered by the district.	14	5.9	83	35.0	68	28.7	42	17.7	30	12.7	10