

Cycle 4 Advance Questionnaire - Certificated Faculty
Frequency Distribution Report
LAWSON HIGH, LAWSON R-XIV School District

School Guidance Counselor		
fac1a	Frequency	Percent
NO	32	96.97
YES	1	3.03

Library Media Specialist		
fac1b	Frequency	Percent
NO	32	96.97
YES	1	3.03

Special Education Teacher		
fac1c	Frequency	Percent
NO	31	93.94
YES	2	6.06

Classroom Teacher		
fac1d	Frequency	Percent
NO	7	21.21
YES	26	78.79

Administrator		
fac1e	Frequency	Percent
NO	31	93.94
YES	2	6.06

Other Certificated Faculty		
fac1f	Frequency	Percent
NO	32	96.97
YES	1	3.03

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
2 - My school collaborates with community agencies to meet the needs of students	13	40.6	16	50.0	3	9.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
3 - There are effective supports in place to assist students who are in jeopardy of academic failure	17	51.5	13	39.4	2	6.1	1	3.0	0	0.0	0
4 - I emphasize the importance of effort with students	25	75.8	8	24.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
5 - In our school, there is adequate support for classroom teachers to address special education students' IEP goals	16	48.5	12	36.4	4	12.1	1	3.0	0	0.0	0
6 - There is adequate collaboration between special education staff and classroom teachers in our school	14	42.4	15	45.5	3	9.1	1	3.0	0	0.0	0
7 - There is adequate professional development for teachers working with special education students in our school	9	28.1	15	46.9	6	18.8	2	6.3	0	0.0	1
8 - My school's administration protects instructional time available to teachers from interruptions.	15	45.5	13	39.4	4	12.1	1	3.0	0	0.0	0
9 - Our principal uses classroom management as part of our evaluation	19	57.6	12	36.4	2	6.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
10 - Clear rules that promote good behavior are enforced in our school	19	57.6	13	39.4	1	3.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
11 - Clear rules regarding behavior have been established in my classroom	17	56.7	13	43.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
12 - Educators in our school use effective practices to promote positive behavior	14	42.4	18	54.5	1	3.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
13 - Teachers in our school use effective practices to keep all students actively engaged in learning	12	36.4	19	57.6	2	6.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
14 - Educators in our school respond to inappropriate behaviors quickly and effectively	17	51.5	15	45.5	1	3.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
15 - Norms for conduct that foster collegiality and professionalism among professional staff and administrators are clear and routinely followed	16	48.5	13	39.4	4	12.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
16 - Teachers in my school are routinely involved in formulating schoolwide decisions and policies	4	12.5	17	53.1	9	28.1	2	6.3	0	0.0	1
17 - Teachers are routinely engaged in collaborative problem solving around instructional issues	10	30.3	13	39.4	8	24.2	2	6.1	0	0.0	0
18 - Effective vehicles are in place for parents and community to communicate with the school	18	56.3	11	34.4	3	9.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
19 - In our school we communicate effectively to parents and the community	15	45.5	13	39.4	5	15.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
20 - Parents are encouraged to discuss their child's educational needs with the school	17	51.5	11	33.3	5	15.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
21 - I routinely analyze disaggregated student data and use it to plan my instruction	2	6.9	15	51.7	10	34.5	2	6.9	0	0.0	4

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22 - An assessment system is used that provides timely feedback on specific knowledge and skills for individual students	12	36.4	17	51.5	4	12.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
23 - My school administers assessments throughout the school year that are used to guide instruction	11	33.3	15	45.5	5	15.2	1	3.0	1	3.0	0
24 - My school uses assessment data to evaluate and align the curriculum	18	54.5	13	39.4	2	6.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
25 - Emphasis is placed on valuing and respecting differences among students and their families in our school	11	34.4	11	34.4	9	28.1	1	3.1	0	0.0	1
26 - Student opinions are valued by teachers and administrators	10	30.3	16	48.5	5	15.2	2	6.1	0	0.0	0
27 - Faculty and staff solicit input from diverse student groups regarding the improvement of our school	8	24.2	13	39.4	10	30.3	2	6.1	0	0.0	0
28 - I feel comfortable having discussions regarding racial / ethnic issues with my colleagues	11	33.3	11	33.3	10	30.3	1	3.0	0	0.0	0
29 - Individual student differences are appreciated at our school	9	27.3	13	39.4	8	24.2	3	9.1	0	0.0	0
30 - Students are provided with opportunities to construct and work on long-term projects of their own design	3	9.4	18	56.3	9	28.1	2	6.3	0	0.0	1
31 - In our school teachers are encouraged to be instructional leaders	18	54.5	10	30.3	4	12.1	1	3.0	0	0.0	0
32 - My school's principal fosters shared beliefs and a sense of community and cooperation	17	51.5	11	33.3	4	12.1	1	3.0	0	0.0	0
33 - My school's principal monitors the effectiveness of school practices and their impact on student learning	15	45.5	12	36.4	3	9.1	3	9.1	0	0.0	0
34 - Our principal identifies issues in the school that could potentially become problems	16	48.5	11	33.3	5	15.2	1	3.0	0	0.0	0
35 - My school's principal systematically engages faculty and staff in discussions about current research on teaching and learning	8	24.2	13	39.4	5	15.2	5	15.2	2	6.1	0
36 - Our school teaches and reinforces student self-discipline and responsibility	13	39.4	18	54.5	2	6.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
37 - Students who are prone to violence are systematically identified	13	39.4	6	18.2	13	39.4	1	3.0	0	0.0	0
38 - Our school promotes an environment of mutual respect among students	15	45.5	15	45.5	3	9.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
39 - The content considered essential for all students to learn versus that considered supplemental has been identified and communicated to teachers	14	42.4	15	45.5	4	12.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
40 - My school systematically ensures that teachers address essential content	16	48.5	15	45.5	2	6.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0

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41 - The amount of essential content that has been identified can be addressed in the instructional time available to teachers	11	33.3	17	51.5	2	6.1	3	9.1	0	0.0	0
42 - The essential content is organized and sequenced in a way that students have ample opportunity to learn it	12	36.4	16	48.5	3	9.1	2	6.1	0	0.0	0
43 - Our principal promotes innovation	12	36.4	13	39.4	5	15.2	3	9.1	0	0.0	0
44 - I have the skills necessary to meet the needs of all learners in my classroom	12	40.0	15	50.0	3	10.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3
45 - I believe that I can positively impact student performance	20	62.5	11	34.4	1	3.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
46 - I have received violence prevention training	11	35.5	10	32.3	6	19.4	3	9.7	1	3.2	2
47 - Our professional development improves student achievement	12	37.5	14	43.8	6	18.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
48 - I have received adequate training in using computers and other technology to support my work with students	17	51.5	15	45.5	1	3.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
49 - The professional development activities I attend are related to my district's Comprehensive School Improvement Plan	17	53.1	13	40.6	2	6.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
50 - I have received professional development on differentiating instruction for learners	14	43.8	16	50.0	2	6.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
51 - My school adequately prepares all students for post-secondary education, and/or successful entry into the workforce	11	33.3	21	63.6	1	3.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
52 - Students are held accountable for doing quality work	11	33.3	20	60.6	2	6.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
53 - The mission of this school is clearly defined	18	54.5	14	42.4	1	3.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
54 - All staff in our school hold high expectations for student learning	13	39.4	15	45.5	4	12.1	1	3.0	0	0.0	0
55 - There are open channels of communication among students, staff and administrators	13	39.4	16	48.5	4	12.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
56 - There are avenues for recognizing and rewarding the accomplishments of all students	16	48.5	15	45.5	2	6.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
57 - There are sufficient library media materials to support my program	15	45.5	15	45.5	3	9.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
58 - Career-Technical education is an essential part of the district's program of studies	11	34.4	18	56.3	3	9.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
59 - I feel safe at this school	24	72.7	8	24.2	1	3.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
60 - The library media center materials are current and in good condition	16	50.0	11	34.4	5	15.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
61 - In our community, people tend to trust each other	14	43.8	15	46.9	3	9.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
62 - My professional development has improved the way I teach	11	35.5	17	54.8	3	9.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	2

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63 - My school provides suggestions to parents on ways to assist at home with their child's learning	8	25.0	21	65.6	3	9.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
64 - My school views parents as partners in the educational process	9	27.3	21	63.6	3	9.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
65 - My school has created specific strategies to better involve parents in the education of their child	10	30.3	14	42.4	9	27.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
66 - The board has high expectations for student achievement	22	66.7	10	30.3	1	3.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
67 - Students are treated fairly in this school	17	51.5	13	39.4	2	6.1	1	3.0	0	0.0	0
68 - The community is proud of this school	26	78.8	7	21.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
69 - This school makes students feel they belong	17	51.5	15	45.5	1	3.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
70 - If students in this school have a problem, teachers will listen and help	17	51.5	15	45.5	1	3.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
71 - I usually look forward to each working day as a teacher	15	48.4	13	41.9	3	9.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
72 - Discipline is handled fairly in this school	14	42.4	14	42.4	5	15.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
73 - Collaboration with classroom teachers to integrate library and media resources and skills into classroom instruction is adequate	13	39.4	16	48.5	3	9.1	1	3.0	0	0.0	0
74 - The librarian/media specialist requests my input into the selection of resources	11	34.4	11	34.4	8	25.0	2	6.3	0	0.0	1
75 - There is adequate instruction in the use of library and media resources for classes and individual students	14	42.4	11	33.3	8	24.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
76 - There is systematic collaboration across subject areas in our building	8	24.2	12	36.4	11	33.3	2	6.1	0	0.0	0
77 - Individual counseling services are available to students	13	39.4	17	51.5	1	3.0	2	6.1	0	0.0	0
78 - The board establishes policies and permits administrators to implement these policies on a day to day basis	15	46.9	12	37.5	5	15.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
79 - The community provides enough money to adequately provide quality educational programs to children	15	46.9	16	50.0	1	3.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
80 - Overall, my school building is in good condition	21	63.6	12	36.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
81 - If I had a chance to choose all over again, I would still choose teaching as a career	21	63.6	9	27.3	2	6.1	1	3.0	0	0.0	0
82 - There is systematic collaboration between the academic and career education programs in our district.	11	37.9	12	41.4	5	17.2	1	3.4	0	0.0	4

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How much homework time do you assign your students each day		
fac83	Frequency	Percent
Do not assign	3	10.34
1/2 hour or less	21	72.41
1 hour	4	13.79
2 hours	1	3.45

Frequency Missing = 4

Question	Regularly		Often		Occasionally		Rarely		Not at all		Number Missing
	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
84 - Students are taught effective note-taking skills.	7	21.9	13	40.6	11	34.4	1	3.1	0	0.0	1
85 - I assess the level of prior knowledge of all students before initiating instruction.	9	29.0	19	61.3	3	9.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
86 - Organize students into flexible groups based on their understanding of the content and skill level.	8	26.7	8	26.7	11	36.7	2	6.7	1	3.3	3
87 - Begin instructional units by presenting students with clear learning goals.	19	61.3	7	22.6	4	12.9	1	3.2	0	0.0	2
88 - Begin instructional units by having students identify personal learning goals that fit within the learning goals presented by the teacher.	5	16.1	11	35.5	10	32.3	5	16.1	0	0.0	2
89 - Provide students with specific feedback on the extent to which they are accomplishing the learning goals.	16	51.6	8	25.8	7	22.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
90 - Have students keep track of their own performance on the learning goals.	4	12.9	13	41.9	8	25.8	5	16.1	1	3.2	2
91 - Have students assess themselves relative to their personal learning goals after completing a unit.	5	16.1	13	41.9	7	22.6	6	19.4	0	0.0	2
92 - Make use of cooperative learning groups.	9	29.0	13	41.9	9	29.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
93 - Have students construct verbal or written summaries of new content.	11	35.5	9	29.0	8	25.8	3	9.7	0	0.0	2
94 - Have students represent new content in nonlinguistic ways (e.g. mental image, picture, pictograph, graphic organizer, physical model, enactment).	11	35.5	8	25.8	9	29.0	3	9.7	0	0.0	2
95 - Provide students with opportunities to practice important skills and procedures prior to assessment.	21	67.7	8	25.8	2	6.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
96 - I alter instructional strategies when students are having difficulty learning the material.	17	54.8	12	38.7	2	6.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
97 - Model or demonstrate important skills or procedures.	23	74.2	7	22.6	1	3.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
98 - Incorporate contextual/real life learning in the classroom.	20	64.5	7	22.6	4	12.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	2

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99 - Incorporate problem solving instructional activities in the classroom.	20	64.5	6	19.4	5	16.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
100 - Have students revise and correct errors in their work as a way of reviewing and revising content.	18	58.1	7	22.6	6	19.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	2
101 - Have students compare and classify content.	13	41.9	10	32.3	7	22.6	1	3.2	0	0.0	2
102 - Have students construct metaphors and analogies.	7	22.6	6	19.4	9	29.0	8	25.8	1	3.2	2
103 - Provide specific feedback on the homework assigned to students.	19	63.3	6	20.0	4	13.3	1	3.3	0	0.0	3
104 - Incorporate information about careers in my instruction.	7	23.3	12	40.0	9	30.0	1	3.3	1	3.3	3