

2014-15 Student Climate Survey - Grades 5-8 - Overall Agreement by Question

Scale Name	Question.	D/SD	A/SA
High Expectations / Academic Rigor / Challenge	7. My school provides me with information about what I can expect from my courses, special programs, school activities, and school services (Parent-Student Handbook).	18%	82%
	8. My school provides me with information about the expectations for school appropriate behavior and discipline policies (Parent-Student Handbook).	15%	85%
	27. My teachers often connect what I am learning to life outside the classroom.	29%	71%
	28. My teachers encourage students to share their ideas about things we are studying in class.	17%	83%
	29. My teachers often require me to explain my answers.	13%	87%
	33. My teachers often assign homework that helps me learn.	24%	76%
	34. My teachers think all students can do challenging school work.	26%	74%
	40. When students in this school already know the material that is being taught, the teacher gives them more advanced assignments.	32%	68%
	42. Students at this school are expected to learn challenging math material to get them ready for high school.	21%	79%
45. Classes at this school are preparing me for my future.	21%	79%	
Safe & Respectful School Climate	1. *I worry about crime and violence in school.	52%	48%
	2. *Students at this school are often bullied.	44%	56%
	3. *Students at this school are often teased or picked on.	36%	64%
	4. *Students at this school are often bullied because of certain characteristics (for example, their race, religion, weight, or sexual orientation.)	47%	53%
	5. *I sometimes stay home because I don't feel safe at school.	85%	15%
	12. *Most students in my school don't really care about each other.	63%	37%
	13. *Most students in my school like to put others down.	61%	39%
	14. *Most students in my school don't get along together very well.	54%	46%
	15. Most students in my school treat each other with respect.	37%	63%
26. Most students in my school respect students from all cultures and races.	32%	68%	
Social Emotional Learning (SEL)	16. Most students in my school stop and think before doing anything when they get angry.	59%	41%
	17. Most students in my school do their share of the work when we have group projects.	33%	67%

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	19. *Most students in my school get into arguments when they disagree with people.	38%	62%
	20. Most students in my school do their best, even when their school work is difficult.	29%	71%
	21. *Most students in my school think it's OK to fight if someone insults them.	52%	48%
	22. Most students in my school do all their homework.	61%	39%
	23. Most students in my school try to work out their disagreements with other students by talking to them.	51%	49%
	24. *Most students in my school think it's OK to cheat if other students are cheating.	65%	35%
	25. Most students in my school try to do a good job on school work even when it is not interesting.	33%	67%
	Student Support	6. My opinions are valued.	31%
30. My teachers really care about me.		22%	78%
31. My teachers help me make up work after an excused absence.		32%	68%
32. My teachers give me feedback on my assignments that helps me improve my work.		14%	86%
35. *Adults in this school are often too busy to give students extra help.		60%	40%
36. Adults in this school apply the same rules to all students equally.		34%	66%
37. *I wish I went to a different school.		67%	33%
38. I can get extra help at school outside of my regular classes.		32%	68%
39. A counselor at this school has helped me plan for life after high school.		45%	55%
41. Adults in this school are usually willing to make the time to give students extra help.		24%	76%
43. My school is committed to building the strengths of each student.		22%	78%
44. I have at least one teacher who makes me excited about the future.		22%	78%

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