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Introduction to the 2011 SurveyWorks! School Report

This School Report presents results from the **2011 SurveyWorks! Student, Parent, and Teacher/Staff Surveys**. Results from the 2011 SurveyWorks! School Administrator Survey are provided in a separate report. The surveys gather input from students, parents, and teachers and other staff on elements of Rhode Island's Basic Education Program (BEP) including:

- Teaching and Student Achievement;
- Families and Communities;
- Safe and Supportive Schools; and
- Funding and Resources.

The results are reported for each of these categories. These findings are intended to be used to inform school improvement.

The report is organized into three sections by survey population. Section 1 reports the findings from the Student Survey. Section 2 reports the findings from the Parent Survey. Section 3 reports the findings from the Teacher/Staff Survey.

The findings are reported in tables showing the total number and percent of individuals answering each item by school (or by district) and at the state level. The survey allowed individuals to skip over questions that did not apply to them or that they did not wish to answer. Therefore, the number of responses to any one question may vary. In order to protect individuals' rights to confidentiality, data for items with fewer than ten responses are not reported. In these cases, a dash (-) indicates that there are insufficient responses to report.

Participation Rates

The number and percentage of individuals responding to each survey is an important piece of information when examining survey results. Low participation rates suggest that data should be interpreted with caution.

Participation rates for this school, by survey, are indicated in the table at right.

| Participation Rates | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| | This School | Statewide |
| | % | % |
| Student Survey (Grade 9-12) | 100.0 | 75.6 |
| Parent Survey | 5.8 | 7.9 |
| Teacher Survey | 91.2 | 43.8 |

Participation rates for the Student Survey are based on the school enrollment for the grades noted. The Parent Survey participation rate is based on a school's total enrollment for pre-kindergarten through grade 12. An inherent limitation in the Parent Survey participation rate is that it does not account for the fact that some parents might have more than one child enrolled in a school. The Teacher Survey participation rate is based on 2009-2010 staffing data provided by the Rhode Island Department of Education plus any additional teachers/staff as noted by the school site coordinator.

Navigating the Report

This report contains navigation features. The Table of Contents contains active links to each of the main sections of the report. The Table of Contents for each section contains active links to subsections based on BEP category.

In addition, some pages have navigation buttons that allow the reader to see how a different survey population responded to a similar topic. For example, the page displaying students' responses to questions about teacher practices contains a navigation button that links to teachers' responses about teacher practices.

Data Files

Data files are available upon request. Please contact surveyworks@wested.org for more information.

Section 1: Student Survey



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Section 1: Student Survey Introduction

During the 2011 school year, public school students in grades 4-12 were invited to participate in the SurveyWorks! Student Survey. Different versions of the Student Survey were used at the elementary (grades 4-5), middle (grades 6-8), and high school (grades 9-12) levels with age appropriate language and content for each group. This section of the report presents the high school Student Survey results for this school.

The Student Survey was administered online in Rhode Island public schools from December 14, 2010 through March 31, 2011*. To prevent unauthorized access to the survey and multiple entries, students used a randomly generated 7-digit access code distributed by the SurveyWorks! Site Coordinator. To guarantee anonymity, students' personal information was not associated with the access codes.

This section of the report presents the students' responses. Data are provided for this school as well as for all students in Rhode Island. Responses are reported as the percentage of students who responded to each item and the total number of the students answering each item by school and across the state. In order to ensure anonymity, data for items with fewer than ten responses are not reported. In these cases, a dash (-) indicates that there are insufficient responses to report.

As noted in the introduction, this school's Student Survey participation rate is 100%. The participation rate is the number of students who responded to the survey as a percentage of the total number of eligible students.

In some cases, a school did not participate in the Student Survey. In these instances, an exclamation mark (!) is used in the report tables to indicate that a school did not participate and only state level data are reported.

*In some cases, schools with extenuating circumstances surveyed students through April 15, 2011.

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Demographics

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Grade Level

| What grade are you in? | This School | | Statewide | |
|------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| 9th grade | 131 | 22.5 | 9364 | 28.0 |
| 10th grade | 172 | 29.6 | 8470 | 25.3 |
| 11th grade | 135 | 23.2 | 8334 | 24.9 |
| 12th grade | 143 | 24.6 | 7257 | 21.7 |
| Total | 581 | 100.0 | 33425 | 100.0 |

Gender

| Gender | This School | | Statewide | |
|----------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Male | 271 | 46.6 | 15723 | 47.0 |
| Female | 300 | 51.5 | 16441 | 49.2 |
| I don't want to say. | 11 | 1.9 | 1272 | 3.8 |
| Total | 582 | 100.0 | 33436 | 100.0 |

Ethnicity

| Are you Hispanic or Latino? | This School | | Statewide | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 121 | 21.1 | 7824 | 23.8 |
| No | 452 | 78.9 | 25097 | 76.2 |
| Total | 573 | 100.0 | 32921 | 100.0 |

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Race

| Race (Select all that apply.) | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| White | 362 | 62.6 | 21081 | 64.2 |
| Black or African American | 123 | 21.3 | 3635 | 11.1 |
| Asian | 19 | 3.3 | 2039 | 6.2 |
| American Indian or Alaskan Native | 41 | 7.1 | 1577 | 4.8 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 15 | 2.6 | 833 | 2.5 |
| More than 1 race | 91 | 15.7 | 3386 | 10.3 |
| Other | 100 | 17.3 | 6367 | 19.4 |
| Total | 578* | -- | 32849* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

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Teacher Practice

| Please select how many of your teachers do the following. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | None of them | Statewide % | | |
|---|-------|---------------|------|------|-------------|-------|--------------|-------------|------|-------------|
| | | None of them | Some | Most | All of them | | | Some | Most | All of them |
| My teachers give me clear instructions about how to do my work. | 579 | 5.2 | 39.7 | 41.1 | 14.0 | 32810 | 5.1 | 35.9 | 42.6 | 16.4 |
| My teachers give me tough problems to solve. | 581 | 4.0 | 52.2 | 37.9 | 6.0 | 32926 | 5.4 | 52.7 | 33.8 | 8.1 |
| My teachers give me enough time to do a good job on my classwork. | 579 | 2.8 | 32.5 | 48.9 | 15.9 | 32871 | 5.4 | 36.4 | 41.9 | 16.2 |
| My teachers help me catch up after I come back from being absent if I ask them. | 582 | 5.8 | 33.7 | 36.4 | 24.1 | 32882 | 9.6 | 34.7 | 32.2 | 23.6 |
| My teachers will explain something different ways until I get it. | 576 | 9.5 | 40.1 | 35.9 | 14.4 | 32756 | 10.2 | 40.9 | 32.9 | 15.9 |
| My teachers let things get out of control in class. | 579 | 40.9 | 52.0 | 5.9 | 1.2 | 32922 | 36.0 | 54.1 | 6.4 | 3.5 |
| My teachers ask me to work with one or two other students on a class activity. | 579 | 3.8 | 51.6 | 35.6 | 9.0 | 32511 | 4.9 | 49.4 | 35.1 | 10.5 |
| My teachers ask me to participate in debates in class. | 575 | 15.0 | 41.4 | 33.0 | 10.6 | 32384 | 18.6 | 42.1 | 28.0 | 11.3 |
| My teachers ask me to use facts to support my opinions in writing assignments. | 580 | 3.3 | 18.8 | 46.4 | 31.6 | 32615 | 4.6 | 22.4 | 40.8 | 32.2 |
| My teachers ask me to make presentations in class. | 579 | 5.2 | 39.9 | 40.2 | 14.7 | 32418 | 7.3 | 44.9 | 34.9 | 13.0 |
| My teachers ask me to participate in small group (3 or more students) discussions in class. | 578 | 8.1 | 48.3 | 33.7 | 9.9 | 32436 | 8.9 | 49.3 | 31.8 | 10.1 |
| My teachers ask me to give other students feedback on their work. | 571 | 16.1 | 48.0 | 27.3 | 8.6 | 32282 | 20.9 | 47.9 | 22.7 | 8.5 |
| My teachers ask me to use facts to support my opinions in presentations. | 577 | 2.6 | 20.3 | 47.3 | 29.8 | 32473 | 4.6 | 23.5 | 42.0 | 29.9 |

What do others say about teacher practice?

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Use of Technology

| I use computers in school for the following subjects: | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|------|-----------|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Math | 207 | 39.3 | 8027 | 27.4 |
| Science | 365 | 67.1 | 18937 | 61.4 |
| Social Studies | 394 | 71.8 | 18208 | 59.4 |
| English | 448 | 78.3 | 24169 | 75.9 |
| Art | 97 | 20.0 | 6913 | 24.5 |
| Other Classes | 416 | 76.6 | 22629 | 73.3 |

Homework

| | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|--|-------|---------------|-----------|------------|-------------------|-------|-------------|-----------|------------|-------------------|
| | | 0-30 min | 31-60 min | 61-120 min | More than 120 min | | 0-30 min | 31-60 min | 61-120 min | More than 120 min |
| How many minutes do you spend on homework in an average day? | 566 | 44.7 | 35.2 | 14.5 | 5.7 | 31062 | 37.6 | 37.0 | 16.7 | 8.7 |
| How much of your homework time is spent on the computer? | 560 | 58.9 | 26.4 | 10.0 | 4.6 | 30671 | 62.3 | 25.9 | 7.4 | 4.4 |

Student Engagement

| Please select how many of your teachers do the following. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|---------------|------|------|-------------|-------|--------------|------|------|-------------|
| | | None of them | Some | Most | All of them | | None of them | Some | Most | All of them |
| My teachers keep me interested in class. | 578 | 12.5 | 56.7 | 27.2 | 3.6 | 32627 | 13.9 | 55.8 | 23.8 | 6.5 |
| My teachers inspire me to do my best work. | 578 | 13.5 | 49.0 | 28.4 | 9.2 | 32599 | 14.8 | 46.4 | 27.0 | 11.8 |

What do others say about student engagement?

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Counseling

Is there a guidance counselor or adviser at your school who meets with students?

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 546 | 94.8 | 31045 | 95.3 |
| No | 30 | 5.2 | 1538 | 4.7 |
| Total | 576 | 100.0 | 32583 | 100.0 |

College/Career Readiness

Please select how strongly you agree or disagree.

| | Total | Strongly Disagree | This School % | | | Total | Strongly Disagree | Statewide % | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|---------------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|-------------|-------|----------------|
| | | | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| Someone at my school helps me pick my classes. | 580 | 5.5 | 17.6 | 61.4 | 15.5 | 32470 | 11.6 | 26.0 | 50.3 | 12.0 |
| My high school classes are getting me ready for college. | 581 | 5.5 | 16.4 | 60.8 | 17.4 | 32545 | 7.6 | 17.0 | 57.4 | 18.0 |
| I think that I will graduate from high school. | 580 | 1.4 | 2.6 | 28.6 | 67.4 | 32414 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 26.6 | 66.1 |
| My teachers expect me to go to college after high school. | 573 | 3.8 | 9.1 | 63.7 | 23.4 | 32352 | 4.8 | 9.5 | 56.6 | 29.1 |
| My high school classes are getting me ready for a career. | 578 | 8.7 | 24.9 | 53.6 | 12.8 | 32405 | 10.4 | 25.1 | 48.8 | 15.6 |

College/Career Readiness - Continued

The following question is asked only of students who have a guidance counselor or adviser at school.

Please select how strongly you agree or disagree.

| | Total | Strongly Disagree | This School % | | | Total | Strongly Disagree | Statewide % | | |
|--|-------|-------------------|---------------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|-------------|-------|----------------|
| | | | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| My guidance counselor or adviser talks to me about my choices after high school. | 279 | 12.9 | 29.0 | 47.0 | 11.1 | 11005 | 11.7 | 22.4 | 49.9 | 16.1 |

What do others say about College/Career Readiness?

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Post High School Plans

| What do you think you will do after you finish high school? (Select all that apply.) | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|------|---------------|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Going to community college | 141 | 24.2 | 7298 | 22.5 |
| Going to a two year college | 97 | 16.6 | 5691 | 17.5 |
| Going to a four year college | 400 | 68.6 | 23795 | 73.2 |
| Going to trade school (computer or technical institute, electrical, cosmetology, plumbing, or other trade institute) | 83 | 14.2 | 4760 | 14.6 |
| Going into the military | 95 | 16.3 | 4409 | 13.6 |
| Working full time | 184 | 31.6 | 8966 | 27.6 |
| Working part time | 230 | 39.5 | 12846 | 39.5 |
| Something else | 124 | 21.3 | 5993 | 18.4 |
| Total | 583* | -- | 32493* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

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Breakfast

| During a normal week, how many days do you eat breakfast? | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| 0 | 84 | 14.8 | 4881 | 15.5 |
| 1 | 46 | 8.1 | 2104 | 6.7 |
| 2 | 74 | 13.0 | 3990 | 12.7 |
| 3 | 69 | 12.1 | 3060 | 9.7 |
| 4 | 42 | 7.4 | 2002 | 6.4 |
| 5 | 60 | 10.5 | 2888 | 9.2 |
| 6 | 32 | 5.6 | 1745 | 5.6 |
| 7 | 162 | 28.5 | 10729 | 34.2 |
| Total | 569 | 100.0 | 31399 | 100.0 |

Physical Activity

| | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|---|-------------|----------|-----------|------------|-------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|------------|-------------------|
| | Total | 0-30 min | 31-60 min | 61-120 min | More than 120 min | Total | 0-30 min | 31-60 min | 61-120 min | More than 120 min |
| How many minutes are you physically active in an average day? | 565 | 24.2 | 34.9 | 20.5 | 20.4 | 30998 | 27.0 | 32.7 | 21.2 | 19.1 |

Asthma

| Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have asthma? | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 165 | 29.4 | 7711 | 24.7 |
| No | 397 | 70.6 | 23491 | 75.3 |
| Total | 562 | 100.0 | 31202 | 100.0 |

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Texting

| Do you send or receive text messages while at school? | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 438 | 77.7 | 23322 | 74.8 |
| No | 126 | 22.3 | 7844 | 25.2 |
| Total | 564 | 100.0 | 31166 | 100.0 |

The following question is asked only of students who send or receive text messages while at school.

| In an average day, how many text messages do you send or receive while at school? | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| 1-5 | 72 | 16.5 | 5865 | 25.4 |
| 6-10 | 71 | 16.2 | 3788 | 16.4 |
| 11-20 | 60 | 13.7 | 2839 | 12.3 |
| More than 20 | 234 | 53.5 | 10574 | 45.8 |
| Total | 437 | 100.0 | 23066 | 100.0 |

Technology Use for Entertainment

| | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|--|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|
| | Total | 0-1 hours | 1-2 hours | 2-4 hours | More than 4 hours | Total | 0-1 hours | 1-2 hours | 2-4 hours | More than 4 hours |
| How many hours do you spend playing video games, watching TV, or on the computer (besides homework) in an average day? | 566 | 21.4 | 32.9 | 27.6 | 18.2 | 30944 | 20.3 | 33.8 | 25.6 | 20.3 |
| In an average day, how many hours do you IM, email, or visit chat rooms? | 561 | 62.4 | 19.3 | 7.3 | 11.1 | 30814 | 56.9 | 17.9 | 9.3 | 16.0 |

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Library Access

| Please select how often these statements are true. | Total | Never | This School % | | | Total | Never | Statewide % | | |
|---|-------|-------|---------------|---------|--------|-------|-------|-------------|---------|--------|
| | | | Some-times | Usually | Always | | | Some-times | Usually | Always |
| I am allowed to use the school library during my free time. | 586 | 11.3 | 42.0 | 36.9 | 9.9 | 32986 | 19.0 | 35.7 | 29.7 | 15.5 |
| I feel comfortable working in my school library. | 585 | 6.8 | 18.3 | 40.5 | 34.4 | 32852 | 8.8 | 19.8 | 34.5 | 36.8 |

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Skipping Class

| Have you skipped class in the past 12 months? Your answer is private and won't be shared with school staff. | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 299 | 51.6 | 11546 | 35.9 |
| No | 281 | 48.4 | 20622 | 64.1 |
| Total | 580 | 100.0 | 32168 | 100.0 |

The following questions are asked only of students who have skipped class in the past 12 months.

| How often do you skip class? | This School | | Statewide | |
|------------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Once or twice a year | 109 | 36.9 | 4837 | 42.6 |
| Once or twice a month | 106 | 35.9 | 3475 | 30.6 |
| Once or twice a week | 62 | 21.0 | 1579 | 13.9 |
| Almost every day | 18 | 6.1 | 1462 | 12.9 |
| Total | 295 | 100.0 | 11353 | 100.0 |

| Please select the reasons why you have skipped class. (Mark all that apply.) | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Because I didn't get enough sleep | 92 | 31.1 | 4614 | 40.7 |
| Because I had to take care of someone else | 48 | 16.2 | 2597 | 22.9 |
| Because I was afraid someone would physically hurt me | 19 | 6.4 | 1109 | 9.8 |
| Because I was being bullied | 16 | 5.4 | 1264 | 11.2 |
| Because there was a rumor going around about me | 23 | 7.8 | 1314 | 11.6 |
| Because I was drunk or high | 59 | 19.9 | 2752 | 24.3 |
| Because I was embarrassed about something I did | 23 | 7.8 | 1162 | 10.3 |
| Because it is boring | 218 | 73.6 | 8394 | 74.1 |
| Because I didn't do my homework | 129 | 43.6 | 4068 | 35.9 |
| Because of some other reason | 177 | 59.8 | 6463 | 57.1 |
| Total | 296* | -- | 11326* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

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School Safety

| Please select how strongly you agree or disagree. | Total | This School % | | | Statewide % | | | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | |
| I feel safe going to and from school. | 572 | 3.1 | 4.4 | 58.9 | 33.6 | 31747 | 5.4 | 8.8 | 59.0 | 26.8 |
| I feel safe in the hallways of my school. | 573 | 3.8 | 5.9 | 58.6 | 31.6 | 31944 | 6.1 | 11.2 | 57.7 | 25.0 |
| I feel safe when I walk outside of school. | 575 | 3.7 | 5.2 | 60.5 | 30.6 | 31924 | 6.0 | 11.2 | 58.3 | 24.4 |

School Safety - Continued

| Please select how strongly you agree or disagree. | Total | This School % | | | Statewide % | | | | | |
|--|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | |
| During a fire drill or fire at my school, I know what to do to be safe. | 586 | 3.1 | 4.8 | 56.0 | 36.2 | 33087 | 4.2 | 4.7 | 52.7 | 38.5 |
| During a practice lockdown or lockdown at my school, I know what to do to be safe. | 581 | 6.0 | 11.4 | 58.5 | 24.1 | 32985 | 4.8 | 8.5 | 56.6 | 30.1 |
| When I hear the fire alarm, I take it seriously. | 583 | 5.5 | 31.4 | 48.5 | 14.6 | 33045 | 8.3 | 24.4 | 49.0 | 18.4 |
| When I hear that the school is in lockdown, I take it seriously. | 581 | 6.0 | 21.0 | 52.8 | 20.1 | 32868 | 7.7 | 18.8 | 49.7 | 23.8 |

What do others say about School Safety?

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Theft

| Have you ever been robbed at school? | This School | | Statewide | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 201 | 35.3 | 8974 | 28.3 |
| No | 369 | 64.7 | 22733 | 71.7 |
| Total | 570 | 100.0 | 31707 | 100.0 |

Discipline and Equity

| Please select how strongly you agree or disagree. | Total | This School % | | | Statewide % | | | | | |
|--|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| All students are punished equally if they break the same rule. | 571 | 17.3 | 35.6 | 36.8 | 10.3 | 32550 | 22.4 | 31.5 | 34.9 | 11.3 |
| Discipline at my school is fair. | 575 | 11.5 | 25.0 | 55.7 | 7.8 | 32582 | 16.4 | 28.2 | 47.4 | 8.0 |
| I understand what will happen if I break a school rule. | 575 | 3.0 | 8.5 | 68.5 | 20.0 | 32592 | 5.6 | 10.4 | 62.5 | 21.5 |

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Bullying

Please select whether you have experienced these types of bullying in the past 12 months.

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|------|-----------|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| I have been excluded from activities on purpose. | 87 | 15.3 | 5022 | 16.0 |
| I have been made fun of, insulted, or called names at school. | 206 | 36.0 | 12090 | 38.2 |
| I have been pushed, shoved, tripped, or spit on. | 87 | 15.3 | 6295 | 20.0 |
| I have been threatened with harm. | 107 | 18.8 | 6317 | 20.1 |
| I have had embarrassing pictures or rumors spread about me by email, text message, or a social networking site. | 78 | 13.8 | 4193 | 13.4 |
| I have had my property destroyed on purpose. | 65 | 11.5 | 4154 | 13.2 |
| I have had people try to make me do things that I did not want to do. | 105 | 18.5 | 6271 | 19.9 |
| I have had rumors spread about me. | 238 | 41.9 | 11730 | 37.2 |

The following question is asked only of students who have experienced at least one type of bullying in the past 12 months.

Please select whether you have been bullied for the following reasons in the past 12 months.

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|------|-----------|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Because of my looks | 78 | 27.1 | 5385 | 33.9 |
| Because of a learning disability | 25 | 9.0 | 1874 | 12.2 |
| Because of a physical disability | 20 | 7.2 | 1536 | 10.0 |
| Because of my background | 55 | 19.5 | 3005 | 19.4 |
| Because of my gender | 25 | 9.1 | 1705 | 11.1 |
| Because of my religion | 25 | 9.1 | 1965 | 12.7 |
| Because of my weight | 59 | 20.8 | 3827 | 24.4 |
| Because people think I'm gay or because I am gay | 39 | 13.6 | 2440 | 15.6 |
| Because of something else | 153 | 52.2 | 8412 | 52.6 |

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Reporting of Bullying

The following question is asked only of students who have experienced at least one type of bullying in the past 12 months.

| Did you report this bullying to a teacher or school staff member? | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 53 | 17.3 | 3229 | 19.1 |
| No | 254 | 82.7 | 13671 | 80.9 |
| Total | 307 | 100.0 | 16900 | 100.0 |

The following question is asked only of students who reported bullying to a teacher or staff member.

| Did it stop after you reported it? | This School | | Statewide | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 32 | 61.5 | 1712 | 54.1 |
| No | 20 | 38.5 | 1454 | 45.9 |
| Total | 52 | 100.0 | 3166 | 100.0 |

The following question is asked only of students who did not report bullying (that occurred) to a teacher or staff member.

| Why didn't you report it? (Select all that apply.) | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| I didn't know whom to report it to. | 70 | 33.2 | 2904 | 28.5 |
| I didn't think it would be taken seriously. | 108 | 51.2 | 5371 | 52.8 |
| I didn't think it would stop it. | 95 | 45.0 | 4701 | 46.2 |
| I was afraid it would get worse. | 38 | 18.0 | 2608 | 25.6 |
| I was afraid students would call me a snitch. | 53 | 25.1 | 3134 | 30.8 |
| Total | 211* | -- | 10177* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

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Teacher-Student Respect

| Please select how many of your teachers do the following. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|---------------|------|------|-------------|-------|--------------|------|------|-------------|
| | | None of them | Some | Most | All of them | | None of them | Some | Most | All of them |
| My teachers seem to care about me personally. | 577 | 13.2 | 47.7 | 30.8 | 8.3 | 32595 | 16.5 | 49.9 | 24.1 | 9.6 |
| My teachers treat me with respect. | 573 | 3.8 | 32.3 | 38.9 | 25.0 | 32542 | 7.3 | 31.5 | 32.8 | 28.5 |

Student-Teacher Respect

| Please select how many students do the following. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|---------------|------|------|-------------|-------|--------------|------|------|-------------|
| | | None of them | Some | Most | All of them | | None of them | Some | Most | All of them |
| Students in my school threaten teachers with physical harm. | 569 | 45.7 | 45.5 | 5.8 | 3.0 | 31867 | 52.9 | 36.9 | 6.1 | 4.2 |
| Students in my school treat teachers with respect. | 575 | 5.0 | 58.3 | 33.6 | 3.1 | 32125 | 8.0 | 52.6 | 35.2 | 4.2 |

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Personal Relationships

| Please select how strongly you agree or disagree. | Total | This School % | | | Statewide % | | | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| I can let an adult at my school know if I'm having a problem at home. | 572 | 11.9 | 27.1 | 42.7 | 18.4 | 31877 | 14.0 | 23.8 | 40.3 | 22.0 |
| I can talk to an adult at my school if I'm having a problem with my classes or school work. | 570 | 4.7 | 8.9 | 54.6 | 31.8 | 31708 | 6.9 | 9.5 | 50.8 | 32.8 |
| I can talk to an adult at my school if I'm having problems with another student. | 571 | 9.1 | 17.9 | 52.5 | 20.5 | 31868 | 10.3 | 16.7 | 48.3 | 24.7 |
| I have a friend that I can talk to about my problems. | 572 | 3.1 | 5.2 | 39.3 | 52.3 | 31943 | 4.7 | 5.7 | 37.2 | 52.4 |

Student Violence

| Please select yes or no for the following questions. | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|------|-----------|------|
| | # | %* | # | %* |
| During the past 12 months, have you seen another student hit, slap, or physically harm a teacher? | 95 | 16.8 | 4516 | 14.3 |
| During the 12 past months, has your boyfriend or girlfriend hit, slapped, or physically hurt you on purpose? | 56 | 9.8 | 3562 | 11.2 |
| During the past 12 months, have you been in a physical fight on school property? | 64 | 11.2 | 3550 | 11.2 |
| During the past 12 months, have you been in a verbal fight that needed to get broken up? | 130 | 22.6 | 7137 | 22.5 |

*Percentage of participants who answered affirmatively

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Weapons

Please select yes or no for the following questions. Your responses will be kept confidential.

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|------|-----------|------|
| | # | %* | # | %* |
| During the past 12 months, I have brought a weapon, like a gun, knife, or club to this school. | 46 | 8.0 | 2047 | 6.4 |
| During the past 12 months, I have seen another student with a weapon, like a gun, knife, or club at this school. | 183 | 31.8 | 7041 | 22.0 |

*Percentage of participants who answered affirmatively

Alcohol

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|------|-----------|------|
| | # | %* | # | %* |
| Have you ever drunk beer, wine, or alcohol (other than for religious ceremonies)? | 365 | 63.9 | 17373 | 55.0 |
| Have you ever been in a car driven by a friend who had been drinking? | 124 | 21.7 | 6687 | 21.3 |

The following questions are asked only of students who have drunk beer, wine, or alcohol (other than for religious ceremonies.)

| How many days, in the past 30 days, have you drunk alcohol? | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| 0 | 129 | 35.8 | 6577 | 38.3 |
| 1-2 | 126 | 35.0 | 4807 | 28.0 |
| 3-5 | 53 | 14.7 | 2160 | 12.6 |
| 6-9 | 23 | 6.4 | 1152 | 6.7 |
| 10-19 | 10 | 2.8 | 750 | 4.4 |
| 20-30 | 19 | 5.3 | 1747 | 10.2 |
| Total | 360 | 100.0 | 17193 | 100.0 |

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|------|-----------|------|
| | # | %* | # | %* |
| Have you ever been under the influence of alcohol at school? | 38 | 10.6 | 3216 | 18.7 |
| Have you ever driven a car when you had been drinking alcohol? | 43 | 11.9 | 2446 | 14.3 |

*Percentage of participants who answered affirmatively

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Smoking

| Have you ever smoked a cigarette, even one or two puffs? | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 138 | 24.2 | 8716 | 27.6 |
| No | 433 | 75.8 | 22854 | 72.4 |
| Total | 571 | 100.0 | 31570 | 100.0 |

The following question is only asked of students who indicated that they have ever smoked a cigarette.

| Have you smoked a cigarette in the past 30 days? | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 50 | 36.5 | 4233 | 49.0 |
| No | 87 | 63.5 | 4412 | 51.0 |
| Total | 137 | 100.0 | 8645 | 100.0 |

Drug Usage

| Have you tried the following drugs? | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|------|-----------|------|
| | # | %* | # | %* |
| Cocaine (Crack) | 35 | 6.6 | 2322 | 7.7 |
| Ecstasy (MDMA) | 41 | 7.8 | 2905 | 9.7 |
| Heroin | 24 | 4.6 | 1908 | 6.4 |
| Inhalents (Huffing) | 35 | 6.6 | 2358 | 7.9 |
| Marijuana (Pot, Grass, Hash) | 299 | 52.8 | 12039 | 38.5 |
| Painkillers such as Oxycontin, Codeine, Percocet, or Vicodin (without a doctor's prescription) | 66 | 12.3 | 4163 | 13.7 |
| Steroid pills or shots (without a doctor's prescription) | 30 | 5.7 | 2067 | 6.9 |
| Other illegal drug | 59 | 11.2 | 3196 | 10.7 |

The following question is asked only of students who have tried at least one of the drugs listed above.

| Have you been under the influence of drugs at school during the past 12 months? | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 106 | 34.5 | 5189 | 41.5 |
| No | 201 | 65.5 | 7320 | 58.5 |
| Total | 307 | 100.0 | 12509 | 100.0 |

*Percentage of participants who answered affirmatively

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Drugs at School

| Please select yes or no for the following questions. | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|------|-----------|------|
| | # | %* | # | %* |
| During the past 12 months, I have been offered, sold, or given drugs at this school. | 123 | 21.6 | 7286 | 23.1 |
| During the past 12 months, I have been offered, sold, or given drugs on my way to school. | 74 | 13.0 | 4328 | 13.7 |

*Percentage of participants who answered affirmatively

Depression

| In the past 12 months, did you ever feel so depressed that it affected your daily life or friendships? | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 223 | 39.8 | 12605 | 40.6 |
| No | 338 | 60.2 | 18434 | 59.4 |
| Total | 561 | 100.0 | 31039 | 100.0 |

The following questions are asked only of students who felt so depressed in the past 12 months that it affected their daily life or friendships.

| How many weeks have you felt this way? | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| 0-2 weeks | 93 | 42.5 | 5342 | 43.0 |
| 3-6 weeks | 53 | 24.2 | 2958 | 23.8 |
| 7-10 weeks | 13 | 5.9 | 915 | 7.4 |
| More than 10 weeks | 60 | 27.4 | 3207 | 25.8 |
| Total | 219 | 100.0 | 12422 | 100.0 |

| | Total | This School % | | | Strongly Agree | Total | Statewide % | | | Strongly Agree |
|--|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | |
| During the past 12 months, I have seriously considered killing myself. | 221 | 46.6 | 22.2 | 20.8 | 10.4 | 12407 | 47.5 | 24.4 | 17.4 | 10.7 |

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|------|-----------|------|
| | # | %* | # | %* |
| During the past 12 months, I have tried to kill myself. | 29 | 13.1 | 1674 | 13.5 |

*Percentage of participants who answered affirmatively

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Sexual Activity

| Are you sexually active? | This School | | Statewide | |
|--------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 290 | 51.6 | 13728 | 44.3 |
| No | 272 | 48.4 | 17265 | 55.7 |
| Total | 562 | 100.0 | 30993 | 100.0 |

The following question is only asked of students who indicated that they are sexually active.

| The last time I had sex, I or my partner used... | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| A condom | 164 | 56.9 | 6354 | 47.9 |
| Another form of protection | 23 | 8.0 | 1105 | 8.3 |
| Both a condom and another form of protection | 41 | 14.2 | 1747 | 13.2 |
| No protection | 60 | 20.8 | 4051 | 30.6 |
| Total | 288 | 100.0 | 13257 | 100.0 |

Sexting

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|------|-----------|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| I have been sent sexually explicit pictures by text message, email, or a social networking site like Facebook or MySpace. | 149 | 26.5 | 8387 | 27.0 |

Sexual Orientation

| What is your sexual orientation? | This School | | Statewide | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Straight | 502 | 88.4 | 27176 | 86.4 |
| Gay | 6 | 1.1 | 359 | 1.1 |
| Lesbian | 4 | 0.7 | 452 | 1.4 |
| Bisexual | 38 | 6.7 | 1534 | 4.9 |
| Transgender | 7 | 1.2 | 710 | 2.3 |
| Not sure | 11 | 1.9 | 1240 | 3.9 |
| Total | 568 | 100.0 | 31471 | 100.0 |

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Parent Engagement

| Please select how strongly you agree or disagree. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| My parents or guardians ask me what I'm studying at school. | 575 | 6.4 | 15.8 | 48.7 | 29.0 | 32086 | 6.5 | 15.1 | 45.1 | 33.3 |
| My parents or guardians think my school is good. | 576 | 5.6 | 17.2 | 60.2 | 17.0 | 32112 | 7.5 | 17.2 | 52.6 | 22.6 |
| My parents or guardians care about my grades. | 573 | 2.8 | 2.3 | 33.3 | 61.6 | 32133 | 2.6 | 3.3 | 29.1 | 65.0 |

Parent Engagement In Post-High School Plans

| Please select how often your parents or guardians do the following. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|---------------|---------------|-------------|------------|-------|-------------|---------------|-------------|------------|
| | | Never | Once or Twice | A few times | Many times | | Never | Once or twice | A few times | Many times |
| My parents or guardians talk to me about different careers or jobs after finishing high school. | 576 | 6.8 | 14.1 | 33.3 | 45.8 | 32386 | 7.9 | 16.3 | 31.8 | 44.0 |
| My parents or guardians talk to me about going to college. | 572 | 5.4 | 10.7 | 26.6 | 57.3 | 32266 | 6.0 | 10.8 | 23.7 | 59.5 |

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Community Support

| Please select how strongly you agree or disagree. | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|--|-------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-----------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| There is an adult in the community, other than my parent or guardian, who thinks I will go to college. | 567 | 2.6 | 5.1 | 43.9 | 48.3 | 31901 | 4.2 | 6.8 | 38.2 | 50.8 |
| There is an adult in the community, other than my parent or guardian, who thinks I will graduate from high school. | 572 | 2.8 | 2.6 | 42.1 | 52.4 | 31987 | 4.6 | 5.3 | 37.0 | 53.1 |
| There is an adult in the community, other than my parent or guardian, who will talk with me when I have a problem. | 568 | 5.6 | 12.9 | 45.1 | 36.4 | 31789 | 7.5 | 12.6 | 41.2 | 38.7 |

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Out of School Time

| I do the following things after school or on the weekends: (Select all that apply.) | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|------|---------------|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Dance | 78 | 13.5 | 5903 | 18.4 |
| Do things with my religious group (such as church, temple, mosque, etc.) | 102 | 17.6 | 6643 | 20.7 |
| Perform theater | 41 | 7.1 | 2226 | 6.9 |
| Play music | 220 | 38.1 | 12793 | 39.9 |
| Play sports | 323 | 55.9 | 18745 | 58.5 |
| Volunteer (at a hospital, shelter, food pantry, coaching other kids, etc.) | 128 | 22.1 | 7298 | 22.8 |
| Babysit | 232 | 40.1 | 11361 | 35.4 |
| Work | 240 | 41.5 | 10384 | 32.4 |
| Something else | 395 | 68.3 | 20112 | 62.7 |
| Total | 578* | -- | 32070* | -- |

The following question is asked only of students who work after school or on the weekends.

| | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| | Total | 1-8 hours | % | | | Total | 1-8 hours | % | | |
| | | | 9-16 hours | 17-24 hours | 25-40 hours | | | 9-16 hours | 17-24 hours | 25-40 hours |
| How many hours per week do you work? | 235 | 39.1 | 26.8 | 22.6 | 11.5 | 10172 | 38.5 | 29.1 | 17.8 | 14.6 |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

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Education Technology Resources

| Does your school have a computer lab? | This School | | | Statewide | | | | | | |
|--|-------------|--------------|------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|-------|------------|---------|--------|
| | # | % | | # | % | | | | | |
| Yes | 574 | 98.3 | | 31914 | 96.2 | | | | | |
| No | 10 | 1.7 | | 1260 | 3.8 | | | | | |
| Total | 584 | 100.0 | | 33174 | 100.0 | | | | | |
| <i>The following questions are asked only of students who have a computer lab at school.</i> | | | | | | | | | | |
| | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
| | Total | Never | Some-times | Usually | Always | Total | Never | Some-times | Usually | Always |
| The computers in the computer lab work well. | 570 | 0.7 | 14.6 | 60.4 | 24.4 | 31694 | 3.9 | 30.2 | 50.5 | 15.4 |
| The printers in the computer lab work well. | 563 | 0.7 | 19.4 | 59.9 | 20.1 | 31493 | 3.5 | 27.4 | 51.3 | 17.8 |

Transportation

| How do you get to and from school? (Select all that apply.) | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Bicycle | 45 | 7.8 | 1680 | 5.2 |
| Bus | 374 | 64.8 | 15911 | 49.5 |
| Carpool | 122 | 21.1 | 7372 | 23.0 |
| Drive | 293 | 50.8 | 17606 | 54.8 |
| Walk | 173 | 30.0 | 9100 | 28.3 |
| Other | 79 | 13.7 | 4048 | 12.6 |
| Total | 577* | -- | 32114* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

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School Facilities

| Please select how often these statements are true. | Total | Never | This School % | | | Total | Never | Statewide % | | |
|--|-------|-------|---------------|---------|--------|-------|-------|-------------|---------|--------|
| | | | Some-times | Usually | Always | | | Some-times | Usually | Always |
| I do not like to use the school bathrooms because they are smoky. | 578 | 84.9 | 8.5 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 32929 | 55.6 | 26.7 | 7.7 | 10.0 |
| I'm afraid to use the school bathrooms. | 581 | 63.7 | 18.1 | 7.9 | 10.3 | 33086 | 48.4 | 25.2 | 10.7 | 15.8 |
| My classrooms are about the right temperature. | 582 | 16.7 | 51.5 | 27.8 | 4.0 | 33177 | 22.5 | 47.3 | 24.2 | 6.0 |
| The lights in my classrooms are bright enough so I can do my work. | 583 | 2.9 | 9.1 | 26.9 | 61.1 | 33374 | 5.1 | 10.0 | 26.3 | 58.6 |
| The school bathrooms are locked during school hours. | 579 | 72.9 | 18.3 | 4.7 | 4.1 | 33028 | 44.4 | 40.0 | 8.9 | 6.7 |
| There is soap to wash my hands in the school bathrooms. | 580 | 3.1 | 20.5 | 44.5 | 31.9 | 33107 | 10.6 | 31.3 | 35.7 | 22.3 |

School Resources

| Please select how strongly you agree or disagree. | Total | Strongly Disagree | This School % | | | Total | Strongly Disagree | Statewide % | | |
|--|-------|-------------------|---------------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|-------------|-------|----------------|
| | | | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| Most of my textbooks are more than 10 years old. | 579 | 10.4 | 52.5 | 31.3 | 5.9 | 32886 | 8.4 | 36.5 | 38.2 | 16.9 |
| Students in my classes need to share books. | 585 | 10.6 | 52.5 | 33.3 | 3.6 | 33246 | 14.9 | 50.7 | 28.8 | 5.6 |
| The desks in my school are the right size for me. | 582 | 3.3 | 12.7 | 66.3 | 17.7 | 33215 | 8.6 | 18.6 | 57.3 | 15.6 |
| My gym has enough equipment for all of the students. | 585 | 5.0 | 17.6 | 65.1 | 12.3 | 33142 | 8.2 | 23.2 | 55.8 | 12.8 |
| The inside of my school building looks nice. | 584 | 4.8 | 20.2 | 68.7 | 6.3 | 33312 | 14.5 | 28.7 | 48.2 | 8.6 |
| The outside of my school building looks nice. | 575 | 3.5 | 13.2 | 72.2 | 11.1 | 32960 | 9.5 | 20.4 | 58.2 | 11.9 |

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Section 2: Parent Survey Introduction

In the Spring of 2011, parents/guardians of students at all public schools in Rhode Island were invited to participate in the SurveyWorks! Parent Survey. The Parent Survey was administered online from March 1, 2011 through April 15, 2011. Paper copies of the survey were made available to parents who requested them.

To prevent unauthorized access to the survey and multiple entries by one individual, parents were required to login with a randomly generated 7-digit access code distributed by the SurveyWorks! Site Coordinator. Parents who had multiple students in a school were instructed to answer the survey only once based on his or her experience with the oldest child. To guarantee anonymity, parents' personal information was not associated with the access codes.

This section of the report presents the parents' responses. Data tables are provided for this school as well as for parents statewide in Rhode Island. Responses are reported as the percentage of parents who responded to each item and the total number answering each item by school and across the state. In order to ensure anonymity, data for items with fewer than ten responses are not reported. In these cases, a dash (-) indicates that there are insufficient responses to report at the school level.

As noted in the introduction, this school's Parent Survey participation rate is 5.8%. The participation rate is calculated as the number of Parent Surveys received as a percentage of the school's total student enrollment. A limitation in this participation rate is that it does not account for the fact that some of the parents might have more than one child enrolled in a school, yet they are only asked to complete the survey once to reduce burden. Data from schools with low participation rates should be interpreted with caution.

Parent Survey results are not included for any school where the total Parent Survey response rate was less than ten percent. In these cases, a tilde symbol (~) is used in the data tables to denote that an insufficient response rate was received for this school and that data are not reportable at the school level. In these instances, only state level data are reported.

In some cases, a school did not participate in the Parent Survey. In these instances, an exclamation mark (!) is used in the data tables to indicate that a school did not participate and only state level data are reported.

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Child's Grade Level

| In which grade is your child that you are responding for? | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|---|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Pre-K | ~ | ~ | 184 | 1.7 |
| K | ~ | ~ | 797 | 7.2 |
| 1st Grade | ~ | ~ | 1049 | 9.5 |
| 2nd Grade | ~ | ~ | 1015 | 9.2 |
| 3rd Grade | ~ | ~ | 1000 | 9.0 |
| 4th Grade | ~ | ~ | 1042 | 9.4 |
| 5th Grade | ~ | ~ | 1011 | 9.1 |
| 6th Grade | ~ | ~ | 901 | 8.1 |
| 7th Grade | ~ | ~ | 824 | 7.4 |
| 8th Grade | ~ | ~ | 713 | 6.4 |
| 9th Grade | ~ | ~ | 753 | 6.8 |
| 10th Grade | ~ | ~ | 687 | 6.2 |
| 11th Grade | ~ | ~ | 584 | 5.3 |
| 12th Grade | ~ | ~ | 530 | 4.8 |
| Total | ~ | ~ | 11090 | 100.0 |

Child's Gender

| What gender is the child you are responding for? | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|---|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Male | ~ | ~ | 5580 | 50.1 |
| Female | ~ | ~ | 5547 | 49.9 |
| Total | ~ | ~ | 11127 | 100.0 |

Child's IEP Status

| Is the child you are responding for on an Individualized Education Plan (IEP)? | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|---|--------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | ~ | ~ | 1710 | 15.5 |
| No | ~ | ~ | 9304 | 84.5 |
| Total | ~ | ~ | 11014 | 100.0 |

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Relationship to Child

| What is your relationship to the child you are responding for? | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|---|--------------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Parent | ~ | ~ | 10924 | 98.1 |
| Guardian | ~ | ~ | 116 | 1.0 |
| Other Relative | ~ | ~ | 96 | 0.9 |
| Total | ~ | ~ | 11136 | 100.0 |

Education Attained

| What is your highest level of education? | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|---|--------------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Some high school | ~ | ~ | 176 | 1.6 |
| GED | ~ | ~ | 210 | 1.9 |
| High school | ~ | ~ | 923 | 8.3 |
| Trade school | ~ | ~ | 350 | 3.2 |
| Some college | ~ | ~ | 1918 | 17.3 |
| Completed college | ~ | ~ | 4517 | 40.7 |
| Advanced degree | ~ | ~ | 2831 | 25.5 |
| Don't want to say | ~ | ~ | 172 | 1.5 |
| Total | ~ | ~ | 11097 | 100.0 |

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Teaching and Student Achievement



Student Engagement

| How many of the school staff at this school do the following? | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|---------------|------|------|-------------|--------------|--------------|------|------|-------------|
| | | None of them | Some | Most | All of them | | None of them | Some | Most | All of them |
| Keep my child interested in what they are learning. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10363 | 1.2 | 17.1 | 38.8 | 42.8 |

Student Engagement - Continued

| Please respond to the following statement about this school. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|--|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|--------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| This school offers a variety of courses that keep my child interested. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10904 | 3.6 | 14.2 | 58.6 | 23.6 |

What do others say about Student Engagement?

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College/Career Readiness

The following questions are asked only of parents who are responding for a child in grades 9-12.

| Please respond to the following statements about this school. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| In the past 12 months, staff at this school helped my child pick the classes they will need to graduate from high school. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 2447 | 4.0 | 11.4 | 57.0 | 27.5 |
| This school gives me information on ways to finance my child's college education through loans or scholarships. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 2311 | 8.4 | 27.3 | 46.5 | 17.8 |

College/Career Readiness - Continued

The following questions are asked only of parents who are responding for a child in grades 9-12.

| How many of the teachers at your child's school do the following? | Total | None of them | This School % | | | Total | None of them | Statewide % | | |
|--|-------|--------------|---------------|------|-------------|-------|--------------|-------------|------|-------------|
| | | | Some | Most | All of them | | | Some | Most | All of them |
| Teachers at this school expect my child to graduate from high school. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 2329 | 0.6 | 3.7 | 15.2 | 80.5 |
| Teachers at this school expect my child to go to college. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 2174 | 1.4 | 7.6 | 20.6 | 70.3 |
| Teachers at this school expect my child to further his or her education after high school (trade school, training course). | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 1942 | 4.0 | 7.3 | 20.1 | 68.7 |

What do others say about College/Career Readiness?

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School Safety and Climate

| Please respond to the following statements about this school. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|--------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| This school is a safe place. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 11099 | 1.3 | 4.1 | 49.7 | 44.8 |
| This school promotes a respectful environment for my child. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 11047 | 1.7 | 5.0 | 46.2 | 47.1 |
| The main office staff members are friendly and helpful. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 11081 | 2.1 | 6.1 | 43.0 | 48.8 |

Risk Behaviors

| Please respond to the following statements about this school. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| There are physical fights between students. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 6977 | 29.5 | 35.4 | 26.9 | 8.2 |
| Students threaten or bully other students. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 7821 | 18.3 | 29.4 | 39.5 | 12.8 |
| Students smoke cigarettes. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 7206 | 50.4 | 23.0 | 18.2 | 8.4 |
| Students drink alcohol. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 6917 | 54.0 | 24.0 | 15.0 | 7.0 |
| Students use drugs. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 6974 | 52.9 | 22.9 | 16.5 | 7.6 |

What do others say about School Safety?

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Discipline, Equity, and Respect

| How many of the school staff at this school do the following? | Total | None of them | This School % | | | Total | None of them | Statewide % | | |
|---|-------|--------------|---------------|------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|------|-------------|
| | | | Some | Most | All of them | | | Some | Most | All of them |
| Apply rules equally for all students. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 7704 | 1.2 | 13.7 | 41.7 | 43.4 |
| Treat my child fairly. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10042 | 0.6 | 8.0 | 36.6 | 54.7 |
| Care about my child. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10255 | 0.6 | 10.3 | 35.4 | 53.7 |
| School staff respect me. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10031 | 0.5 | 7.2 | 29.2 | 63.1 |
| School staff respect my child. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10236 | 0.5 | 8.7 | 32.7 | 58.1 |

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Parent Engagement

Please respond to the following statements about this school.

| | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| I know what my child is studying in his or her classes. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 11047 | 1.4 | 8.3 | 52.7 | 37.5 |
| I feel welcome at this school. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 11106 | 1.4 | 4.8 | 43.2 | 50.5 |

Parent Engagement - Continued

How often do you do the following?

| | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------|---------------|----------------------|---------|---------------|-------|-------------|----------------------|---------|---------------|
| | | Never | A few times per year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* | | Never | A few times per year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* |
| I help my child with homework. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10950 | 3.4 | 8.1 | 7.7 | 80.8 |
| I talk with my child about school. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 11078 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 98.6 |
| I visit my child's classroom. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 11020 | 18.0 | 62.3 | 12.6 | 7.0 |
| I can help my child with schoolwork. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 11017 | 1.1 | 7.0 | 48.8 | 43.1 |

*Response categories are combined.

Parent Engagement - Continued

The following question is asked only of parents who are responding for a child in grades Pre-K to 5.

| | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|-----------------------|-------|---------------|----------------------|---------|---------------|-------|-------------|----------------------|---------|---------------|
| | | Never | A few times per year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* | | Never | A few times per year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* |
| I read with my child. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 6016 | 2.0 | 2.5 | 4.0 | 91.6 |

*Response categories are combined.

What do others say about Parent Engagement?

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Parent Participation

| Do you attend these types of school-related events at this school? Please select all that apply. | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|----|---------------|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Parent-teacher conferences | ~ | ~ | 9182 | 83.9 |
| Sporting events | ~ | ~ | 3908 | 35.7 |
| Plays, Concerts, Dances | ~ | ~ | 6974 | 63.7 |
| Book fairs | ~ | ~ | 5540 | 50.6 |
| Department Nights (math night, etc.) | ~ | ~ | 2325 | 21.2 |
| Parent Teacher Association or Parent Teacher Organization meetings | ~ | ~ | 3302 | 30.2 |
| Special events (college nights, open houses, etc.) | ~ | ~ | 8275 | 75.6 |
| Workshops or trainings about how to help my child | ~ | ~ | 2286 | 20.9 |
| Other | ~ | ~ | 1995 | 18.2 |
| I am not aware of any of these. | ~ | ~ | 162 | 1.5 |
| Total | ~* | -- | 10950* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

Learning Opportunities

| Please respond to the following statements about this school. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|--------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| My child is learning as much as he or she can at this school. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10970 | 5.1 | 20.9 | 45.0 | 28.9 |
| This school has high expectations for my child. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10899 | 3.4 | 14.1 | 48.6 | 34.0 |
| My child's homework helps him or her do better in school. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10912 | 1.9 | 10.2 | 52.3 | 35.6 |

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Involvement in Decision-making

| Does this school involve you in these types of school-level decisions? Please select all that apply. | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|----|--------------|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Changes in curriculum | ~ | ~ | 2123 | 21.4 |
| School rules | ~ | ~ | 3742 | 37.8 |
| Dress code | ~ | ~ | 2603 | 26.3 |
| Changes to school programs | ~ | ~ | 2674 | 27.0 |
| Budget | ~ | ~ | 2059 | 20.8 |
| Before and after school programs | ~ | ~ | 3666 | 37.0 |
| Facilities | ~ | ~ | 1425 | 14.4 |
| Fundraising | ~ | ~ | 6399 | 64.6 |
| Other | ~ | ~ | 663 | 6.7 |
| I am not aware of any of these. | ~ | ~ | 2171 | 21.9 |
| Total | ~* | -- | 9904* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

Parent-School Partnership

| Please respond to the following statements about this school. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| The school views parents as important partners. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 11043 | 2.0 | 8.5 | 44.8 | 44.7 |
| This school involves me as a partner in my child's education. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 11064 | 2.1 | 9.7 | 46.7 | 41.5 |
| This school and I have the same goals for my child. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10954 | 2.1 | 9.2 | 50.0 | 38.7 |

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Parent Involvement

| Please respond to the following statements about this school. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| Many parents I know help out at this school. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10832 | 3.8 | 23.6 | 46.0 | 26.6 |

Parent Involvement Frequency

| How often do you do the following? | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------|---------------|----------------------|---------|---------------|-------|-------------|----------------------|---------|---------------|
| | | Never | A few times per year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* | | Never | A few times per year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* |
| I volunteer in my child's classroom. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10890 | 68.2 | 24.0 | 4.0 | 3.8 |
| I volunteer at this school. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10943 | 44.8 | 37.5 | 9.0 | 8.6 |

*Response categories are combined.

Parent Engagement in Post-High School Plans

The following questions are asked only of parents who are responding for a child in grades 9-12.

| | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|--|-------|---------------|----------------------|---------|---------------|-------|-------------|----------------------|---------|---------------|
| | | Never | A few times per year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* | | Never | A few times per year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* |
| I talk with my child about career plans. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 2482 | 0.5 | 11.2 | 26.9 | 61.4 |
| I talk with my child about going to college. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 2486 | 1.0 | 8.7 | 21.5 | 68.8 |

*Response categories are combined.

What do others say about Parent Involvement?

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Parent-Teacher Communication

| Have you communicated with any of your child's teachers at this school in the past 12 months? | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|---|--------------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | ~ | ~ | 10320 | 95.8 |
| No | ~ | ~ | 455 | 4.2 |
| Total | ~ | ~ | 10775 | 100.0 |

The following question is asked only of parents who have communicated with one of their child's teachers in the past 12 months.

| How do you communicate with your child's teacher(s)? Please select all that apply. | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|----|---------------|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| In person | ~ | ~ | 7478 | 72.7 |
| By phone/voicemail | ~ | ~ | 4431 | 43.1 |
| By E-mail | ~ | ~ | 6606 | 64.2 |
| By written notes sent with the child | ~ | ~ | 6182 | 60.1 |
| By text message | ~ | ~ | 266 | 2.6 |
| Through a social networking site (e.g. Facebook, MySpace, Twitter, etc.) | ~ | ~ | 111 | 1.1 |
| Through a parent portal (such as schoolnotes.com or other online site) | ~ | ~ | 741 | 7.2 |
| Through parent-teacher conferences | ~ | ~ | 6308 | 61.3 |
| By mail | ~ | ~ | 377 | 3.7 |
| Other | ~ | ~ | 173 | 1.7 |
| Total | ~* | -- | 10289* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

What do others say about Parent-Teacher Communication?

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Parent-Teacher Communication - Continued

Please respond to the following statements about this school.

| | Total | This School | | | | Total | Statewide | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|--------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| I understand how my child's work is graded. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 11017 | 1.6 | 9.8 | 51.0 | 37.7 |
| It is easy for me to communicate with my child's teachers if I need to. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10971 | 1.5 | 4.6 | 40.2 | 53.6 |
| I understand my child's report card. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 11037 | 1.0 | 3.4 | 47.1 | 48.6 |

School-Parent Communication

What is/are the best method(s) for this school to contact you about important school news and events that may affect your child? Please select all that apply.

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|----|---------------|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Phone/Voicemail | ~ | ~ | 8622 | 78.5 |
| E-mail | ~ | ~ | 9517 | 86.7 |
| Text message | ~ | ~ | 2586 | 23.6 |
| Parent portal (such as schoolnotes.com or other online site) | ~ | ~ | 2051 | 18.7 |
| Notes sent with your child | ~ | ~ | 6845 | 62.3 |
| Community bulletins | ~ | ~ | 1135 | 10.3 |
| Newsletter | ~ | ~ | 4141 | 37.7 |
| PTA/PTO meetings | ~ | ~ | 1805 | 16.4 |
| Parent-teacher conferences | ~ | ~ | 6037 | 55.0 |
| Social networking site (e.g. Facebook, MySpace, Twitter, etc.) | ~ | ~ | 815 | 7.4 |
| Mail | ~ | ~ | 4101 | 37.3 |
| Other | ~ | ~ | 283 | 2.6 |
| Total | ~* | -- | 10980* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

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School-Parent Communication - Continued

| Please respond to the following statements about this school. | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|--|-------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-----------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| It is easy for me to communicate with my child's principal if I need to. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10820 | 3.1 | 6.6 | 45.9 | 44.4 |
| This school contacts me if my child does something well. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10467 | 9.7 | 32.3 | 37.3 | 20.6 |
| This school contacts me if my child is having a problem with class work. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10105 | 6.2 | 23.0 | 47.0 | 23.8 |
| This school contacts me if my child's work is getting better. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10077 | 8.2 | 34.0 | 38.5 | 19.3 |
| This school contacts me if there is a problem with my child's behavior. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10046 | 1.7 | 6.3 | 53.6 | 38.3 |
| This school responds quickly to my requests or concerns. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10697 | 2.3 | 8.6 | 52.9 | 36.1 |
| This school sends clear notes or e-mails that I can read easily. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10663 | 2.9 | 7.1 | 53.2 | 36.8 |
| This school tells me about events happening in school. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10861 | 1.8 | 5.9 | 48.2 | 44.1 |

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Translation Services

| | Total | This School % | | | Total | Strongly Disagree | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|-------------|-------------------|----------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | | | Strongly Agree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| The school provides a translator if I need one. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ |
| | | | | | 1124 | 7.0 | 6.1 | 42.7 | 44.1 | |

School Services

| Has this school made you aware of these types of school-level services? Please select all that apply. | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|----|---------------|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Tutoring | ~ | ~ | 2643 | 24.4 |
| After school programs | ~ | ~ | 8045 | 74.3 |
| Before school programs | ~ | ~ | 2840 | 26.2 |
| Mentoring | ~ | ~ | 1716 | 15.9 |
| Counseling | ~ | ~ | 3364 | 31.1 |
| Parent Support Groups/Networking | ~ | ~ | 3166 | 29.2 |
| Library media | ~ | ~ | 2516 | 23.2 |
| Homework club | ~ | ~ | 2245 | 20.7 |
| Sports | ~ | ~ | 4822 | 44.5 |
| Arts (Music, Dance, Art) | ~ | ~ | 5435 | 50.2 |
| Academic enrichment (chess club, robotics club) | ~ | ~ | 3675 | 34.0 |
| Other | ~ | ~ | 995 | 9.2 |
| I am not aware of any of these. | ~ | ~ | 1043 | 9.6 |
| Total | ~* | -- | 10824* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

Community Support

| Please respond to the following statement about this school. | Total | This School % | | | Total | Strongly Disagree | Statewide % | | | |
|--|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|--------------|-------------------|----------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | | | Strongly Agree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| The community supports this school. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ |
| | | | | | 10946 | 1.3 | 7.0 | 53.3 | 38.5 | |

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School Resources

| Please respond to the following statements about this school. | Total | This School % | | | Total | Statewide % | | | Strongly Agree |
|--|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|--------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | |
| This school has enough classroom supplies (e.g., books, paper, desks). | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10890 | 4.8 | 19.9 | 55.5 | 19.8 |
| This school has enough computers. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 10562 | 7.8 | 30.5 | 48.2 | 13.6 |
| This school is well taken care of. | ~ | ~ | ~ | ~ | 11055 | 2.7 | 9.8 | 49.4 | 38.1 |

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Section 3: Teacher/Staff Survey Introduction

In the Spring of 2011, teachers and staff with direct instructional responsibility at all public schools in Rhode Island were invited to participate in the SurveyWorks! Teacher/Staff Survey.

The Teacher/Staff Survey was administered online from March 1, 2011 through April 15, 2011. To prevent unauthorized access to the survey and multiple entries by one individual, teachers/staff were required to login with a randomly generated 7-digit access code distributed by the SurveyWorks! Site Coordinator. To guarantee anonymity, personal information was not associated with the access codes.

This section of the report presents a series of tables created from the Teacher/Staff Survey responses. To further maintain the anonymity of survey participants, teacher/staff responses to demographic questions are grouped and presented at the local education authority (LEA) level and not reported at the school level. The demographic data for teachers from district-authorized charter schools are reported with their districts. Demographic data for teachers from state-operated schools and state-authorized charters are reported together. Responses to other items are reported at the school level, as the percentage and total number of teachers/staff who answered each item at this school, as well as statewide.

In order to ensure anonymity, data for items with fewer than ten responses are not reported. In these cases, a dash (-) indicates that there are insufficient responses to report at the school level.

As noted in the introduction, this school's Teacher/Staff Survey participation rate is 91.2%.

The participation rate is the number of teachers/staff who responded to the survey as a percentage of the eligible teachers/staff at this school based on 2009-2010 staffing data provided by the Rhode Island Department of Education.

In some cases, a school did not participate in the Teacher/Staff Survey. In these instances, an exclamation mark (!) is used in the data tables to indicate that a school did not participate and only state level data are reported.

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Demographics



Years of Teaching Experience

| How long have you worked in the field of education as a teacher? | This LEA | | Statewide | |
|--|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Less than a year | 1 | 1.0 | 67 | 1.2 |
| 1-3 years | 5 | 4.9 | 319 | 5.9 |
| 4-6 years | 12 | 11.7 | 492 | 9.1 |
| 7-10 years | 14 | 13.6 | 857 | 15.9 |
| 11-15 years | 25 | 24.3 | 1311 | 24.4 |
| 16-20 years | 14 | 13.6 | 784 | 14.6 |
| 21-25 years | 18 | 17.5 | 739 | 13.7 |
| 26-30 years | 6 | 5.8 | 349 | 6.5 |
| More than 30 years | 6 | 5.8 | 238 | 4.4 |
| Not Applicable | 2 | 1.9 | 225 | 4.2 |
| Total | 103 | 100.0 | 5381 | 100.0 |

Years in Current Grade

| How long have you worked with students in the grade level(s) that you teach? | This LEA | | Statewide | |
|--|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Less than a year | 4 | 3.9 | 260 | 4.9 |
| 1-3 years | 12 | 11.7 | 723 | 13.7 |
| 4-6 years | 17 | 16.5 | 866 | 16.4 |
| 7-10 years | 23 | 22.3 | 984 | 18.6 |
| 11-15 years | 23 | 22.3 | 1080 | 20.4 |
| 16-20 years | 6 | 5.8 | 562 | 10.6 |
| 21-25 years | 11 | 10.7 | 411 | 7.8 |
| 26-30 years | 3 | 2.9 | 143 | 2.7 |
| More than 30 years | 3 | 2.9 | 91 | 1.7 |
| Not Applicable | 1 | 1.0 | 170 | 3.2 |
| Total | 103 | 100.0 | 5290 | 100.0 |

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Years Teaching at This School

| How long have you worked, as a teacher, at this school? | This LEA | | Statewide | |
|---|-----------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Less than a year | 5 | 5.1 | 449 | 8.6 |
| 1-3 years | 14 | 14.3 | 848 | 16.3 |
| 4-6 years | 22 | 22.4 | 874 | 16.8 |
| 7-10 years | 23 | 23.5 | 970 | 18.7 |
| 11-15 years | 20 | 20.4 | 981 | 18.9 |
| 16-20 years | 4 | 4.1 | 419 | 8.1 |
| 21-25 years | 6 | 6.1 | 331 | 6.4 |
| 26-30 years | 3 | 3.1 | 56 | 1.1 |
| More than 30 years | 0 | 0.0 | 31 | 0.6 |
| Not Applicable | 1 | 1.0 | 232 | 4.5 |
| Total | 98 | 100.0 | 5191 | 100.0 |

Full- or Part-time Status

| Are you a full-time or part-time employee at this school? | This LEA | | Statewide | |
|---|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Full-time | 96 | 93.2 | 5245 | 95.2 |
| Part-time | 7 | 6.8 | 265 | 4.8 |
| Total | 103 | 100.0 | 5510 | 100.0 |

Pre-service Preparation

| How much pre-service preparation (e.g., college, university, alternative certification) did you receive in classroom management? | This LEA | | Statewide | |
|--|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| None | 9 | 8.8 | 702 | 13.5 |
| Less than the equivalent of 1 course | 16 | 15.7 | 829 | 15.9 |
| The equivalent of 1 course | 27 | 26.5 | 1476 | 28.4 |
| The equivalent of 2 or more courses | 50 | 49.0 | 2199 | 42.2 |
| Total | 102 | 100.0 | 5206 | 100.0 |

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Education Attained

| Please specify your highest level of education. | This LEA | | Statewide | |
|---|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| High School | 0 | 0.0 | 111 | 2.0 |
| Associate's | 1 | 1.0 | 134 | 2.4 |
| Bachelor's | 36 | 34.3 | 1827 | 33.3 |
| Master's | 63 | 60.0 | 3213 | 58.5 |
| 6th Year Certificate | 2 | 1.9 | 75 | 1.4 |
| CAGS | 1 | 1.0 | 96 | 1.7 |
| Doctorate | 2 | 1.9 | 36 | 0.7 |
| Total | 105 | 100.0 | 5492 | 100.0 |

Primary Role

| What is your primary role at this school? (Please choose one.) | This LEA | | Statewide | |
|---|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Classroom teacher | 60 | 60.0 | 3104 | 59.2 |
| Team leader | 1 | 1.0 | 59 | 1.1 |
| Guidance counselor | 3 | 3.0 | 116 | 2.2 |
| Teacher's aide – paid | 0 | 0.0 | 229 | 4.4 |
| Teacher's aide - volunteer | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Student teacher or intern | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Arts resource teacher | 2 | 2.0 | 84 | 1.6 |
| Librarian | 1 | 1.0 | 94 | 1.8 |
| ESL/bilingual teacher | 0 | 0.0 | 65 | 1.2 |
| Speech pathologist | 0 | 0.0 | 41 | 0.8 |
| Social worker | 1 | 1.0 | 62 | 1.2 |
| Learning coordinator | 1 | 1.0 | 16 | 0.3 |
| Reading specialist | 4 | 4.0 | 138 | 2.6 |
| School psychologist | 1 | 1.0 | 44 | 0.8 |
| Special Education teacher | 11 | 11.0 | 680 | 13.0 |
| Vocational/technical | 2 | 2.0 | 59 | 1.1 |
| Other | 13 | 13.0 | 448 | 8.6 |
| Total | 100 | 100.0 | 5239 | 100.0 |

The following question is only asked of teachers whose primary role at this school is Special Education teacher.

| Please check all that apply. At this school... | This LEA | | Statewide | |
|---|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| I have a special education classroom. | 3 | 30.0 | 312 | 46.6 |
| I provide pull-out special education resource services. | 7 | 70.0 | 240 | 35.9 |
| I provide in-class special education resource services. | 8 | 80.0 | 446 | 66.7 |
| None | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0.1 |
| Other | 0 | 0.0 | 47 | 7.0 |
| Total | 10 | -- | 669* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

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Houses or Schools Within Schools

| Does your school have separate "houses," or "schools within schools?" | This LEA | | Statewide | |
|--|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 24 | 23.1 | 920 | 16.9 |
| No | 80 | 76.9 | 4520 | 83.1 |
| Total | 104 | 100.0 | 5440 | 100.0 |

Grades Taught

| Please check all that apply. Which of the following grades do you currently teach at this school? | This LEA | | Statewide | |
|---|------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Pre-Kindergarten | 0 | 0.0 | 112 | 2.3 |
| Kindergarten | 6 | 7.0 | 592 | 12.4 |
| Grade 1 | 7 | 8.1 | 734 | 15.4 |
| Grade 2 | 6 | 7.0 | 718 | 15.0 |
| Grade 3 | 5 | 5.8 | 722 | 15.1 |
| Grade 4 | 7 | 8.1 | 732 | 15.3 |
| Grade 5 | 8 | 9.3 | 690 | 14.4 |
| Grade 6 | 11 | 12.8 | 617 | 12.9 |
| Grade 7 | 16 | 18.6 | 669 | 14.0 |
| Grade 8 | 12 | 14.0 | 622 | 13.0 |
| Grade 9 | 47 | 54.7 | 1478 | 30.9 |
| Grade 10 | 51 | 59.3 | 1542 | 32.3 |
| Grade 11 | 49 | 57.0 | 1568 | 32.8 |
| Grade 12 | 49 | 57.0 | 1505 | 31.5 |
| Total | 86* | -- | 4781* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

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Subjects Taught

| Please check all that apply. At this school, I teach... | This LEA | | Statewide | |
|---|------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| All/Almost All Subjects | 18 | 20.5 | 1455 | 30.5 |
| Mathematics | 19 | 21.6 | 975 | 20.4 |
| Science | 11 | 12.5 | 680 | 14.3 |
| Language Arts | 17 | 19.3 | 1012 | 21.2 |
| Social Studies | 13 | 14.8 | 644 | 13.5 |
| Reading | 12 | 13.6 | 784 | 16.4 |
| Arts (e.g., art, music) | 7 | 8.0 | 238 | 5.0 |
| Enrichment/Gifted/Talent Development | 0 | 0.0 | 44 | 0.9 |
| Health | 4 | 4.5 | 284 | 6.0 |
| Electives/Exploratories | 4 | 4.5 | 204 | 4.3 |
| Physical Education | 5 | 5.7 | 185 | 3.9 |
| Vocational/Tech | 3 | 3.4 | 155 | 3.3 |
| Other | 14 | 15.9 | 766 | 16.1 |
| Total | 88* | -- | 4769* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

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Teacher Practice

| Please indicate how often the following practices occur in your classes. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|--|-------|---------------|--------------------|---------|---------------|-------|-------------|--------------------|---------|---------------|
| | | Never | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* | | Never | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* |
| I help students develop coping skills (e.g., stress management). | 53 | 9.4 | 22.6 | 13.2 | 54.7 | 5317 | 6.1 | 14.2 | 10.6 | 69.1 |
| I integrate health topics and issues as part of classroom content. | 52 | 15.4 | 48.1 | 11.5 | 25.0 | 4820 | 19.0 | 34.9 | 18.5 | 27.7 |
| I ask students to make presentations. | 51 | 2.0 | 41.2 | 29.4 | 27.5 | 4870 | 4.3 | 39.0 | 32.8 | 23.9 |
| I ask students to participate in small group discussions. | 51 | 0.0 | 17.6 | 11.8 | 70.6 | 5315 | 1.4 | 7.1 | 12.8 | 78.7 |
| I ask students to use facts to support their opinions in writing. | 48 | 0.0 | 14.6 | 10.4 | 75.0 | 4746 | 1.4 | 6.3 | 10.3 | 82.0 |
| I ask students to work in small groups on class activities. | 52 | 0.0 | 11.5 | 15.4 | 73.1 | 5294 | 0.6 | 5.8 | 10.6 | 83.0 |
| I assign students worksheets. | 52 | 11.5 | 25.0 | 21.2 | 42.3 | 5215 | 6.0 | 10.5 | 15.1 | 68.4 |
| I have students use the media center and/or library materials. | 51 | 9.8 | 45.1 | 19.6 | 25.5 | 5026 | 10.0 | 29.3 | 21.3 | 39.5 |
| I provide students with opportunities to revise assignments. | 53 | 0.0 | 5.7 | 9.4 | 84.9 | 5098 | 0.9 | 6.2 | 10.2 | 82.7 |
| I incorporate "real world" learning activities (e.g., workplace learning experience, community service) into my instruction. | 53 | 7.5 | 17.0 | 13.2 | 62.3 | 4942 | 12.5 | 25.9 | 14.7 | 46.9 |
| I integrate the use of the media center into lesson plans. | 48 | 10.4 | 20.8 | 16.7 | 52.1 | 4857 | 13.1 | 31.4 | 22.1 | 33.5 |

*Response categories are combined.

What do others say about Teacher Practice?

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Teacher Practice - Continued

| Please indicate how often the following practices occur in your classes. | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|--|-------------|-------|---------------------------------------|---------|-------------------|-----------|-------|---------------------------------------|---------|-------------------|
| | Total | Never | A few/ several times a year* | Monthly | Weekly/ Daily* | Total | Never | A few/ several times a year* | Monthly | Weekly/ Daily* |
| I ask students to provide feedback and comments on each other's work. | 50 | 6.0 | 46.0 | 20.0 | 28.0 | 5044 | 8.8 | 26.6 | 19.4 | 45.1 |
| I ask students to use computers as a part of lessons. | 51 | 2.0 | 33.3 | 27.5 | 37.3 | 5056 | 7.9 | 27.6 | 19.8 | 44.7 |
| I provide "hands-on" learning activities (e.g., manipulatives, lab assignments, role playing). | 49 | 2.0 | 24.5 | 22.4 | 51.0 | 5282 | 2.1 | 13.2 | 15.2 | 69.5 |
| I give special recognition to students for exemplary work. | 52 | 3.8 | 23.1 | 9.6 | 63.5 | 5418 | 1.7 | 16.1 | 13.9 | 68.2 |
| I inform parents/guardians when their child does something well. | 50 | 4.0 | 64.0 | 16.0 | 16.0 | 5402 | 3.5 | 37.9 | 21.9 | 36.7 |

*Response categories are combined.

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| Please indicate how often the following practices occur in your classes. | Total | Never | This School % | | | Total | Never | Statewide % | | |
|--|-------|-------|------------------|---------|--------|-------|-------|----------------|---------|--------|
| | | | Some- times | Usually | Always | | | Some- times | Usually | Always |
| I expose students to different cultures. | 59 | 3.4 | 27.1 | 25.4 | 44.1 | 5531 | 6.1 | 27.4 | 28.9 | 37.6 |
| I help students develop skills to participate actively in community and civic affairs. | 61 | 1.6 | 21.3 | 34.4 | 42.6 | 5524 | 9.6 | 31.2 | 31.6 | 27.6 |
| I teach social skills development throughout the year. | 60 | 8.3 | 18.3 | 20.0 | 53.3 | 5699 | 4.0 | 13.5 | 22.5 | 59.9 |
| I explain concepts in multiple ways until students show that they understand. | 61 | 1.6 | 4.9 | 26.2 | 67.2 | 5661 | 0.6 | 2.9 | 27.9 | 68.6 |
| I embed memorization skills into my teaching. | 58 | 13.8 | 44.8 | 22.4 | 19.0 | 5508 | 8.2 | 46.2 | 26.8 | 18.8 |
| I have students outline and/or take notes from texts. | 59 | 11.9 | 49.2 | 25.4 | 13.6 | 5459 | 24.2 | 42.5 | 20.5 | 12.7 |
| I allow students to make up work after they are absent. | 60 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 8.3 | 88.3 | 5585 | 2.3 | 2.8 | 11.8 | 83.1 |
| I give students multiple opportunities to improve their grades. | 60 | 1.7 | 6.7 | 23.3 | 68.3 | 5534 | 2.4 | 10.8 | 28.8 | 58.0 |
| I provide specialized instruction for students whenever they progress more quickly than their peers. | 58 | 3.4 | 17.2 | 43.1 | 36.2 | 5526 | 5.1 | 22.5 | 34.4 | 38.0 |
| I provide students with additional instruction/materials whenever they fall behind in a subject. | 59 | 3.4 | 13.6 | 37.3 | 45.8 | 5598 | 3.4 | 17.8 | 33.5 | 45.3 |
| I use school- or district-generated assessments to inform my instruction. | 58 | 6.9 | 22.4 | 39.7 | 31.0 | 5518 | 9.4 | 22.8 | 28.7 | 39.1 |
| I actively promote positive health practices. | 62 | 4.8 | 22.6 | 35.5 | 37.1 | 5625 | 3.5 | 13.0 | 24.1 | 59.3 |

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Teacher Practice - Outside of School

| Please indicate how often you do the following outside of school. | Total | Never | This School % | | | Total | Never | Statewide % | | |
|---|-------|-------|---------------|---------|--------|-------|-------|-------------|---------|--------|
| | | | Some-times | Usually | Always | | | Some-times | Usually | Always |
| Email parents, teachers, or administrators. | 61 | 1.6 | 36.1 | 34.4 | 27.9 | 5736 | 4.4 | 27.7 | 31.4 | 36.5 |
| Use computer-based grading systems. | 58 | 3.4 | 13.8 | 24.1 | 58.6 | 5386 | 32.6 | 13.3 | 13.3 | 40.7 |
| Use the Internet for lesson planning. | 61 | 3.3 | 42.6 | 27.9 | 26.2 | 5586 | 5.6 | 36.1 | 29.7 | 28.7 |

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Components of Grading

Please indicate which of the following items you incorporate into student grading: (Check all that apply.)

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Attendance | 25 | 43.1 | 2064 | 37.8 |
| Behavior | 18 | 31.0 | 2298 | 42.1 |
| Class participation | 41 | 70.7 | 4132 | 75.6 |
| Classwork | 46 | 79.3 | 4622 | 84.6 |
| Common tasks | 48 | 82.8 | 3597 | 65.9 |
| Content mastery | 34 | 58.6 | 3000 | 54.9 |
| Effort | 40 | 69.0 | 3820 | 69.9 |
| End of quarter/semester exams | 20 | 34.5 | 2321 | 42.5 |
| End of year exams | 39 | 67.2 | 1977 | 36.2 |
| End of unit exams | 38 | 65.5 | 3493 | 64.0 |
| Essays and writing assignments | 42 | 72.4 | 3688 | 67.5 |
| Exhibition | 20 | 34.5 | 1477 | 27.0 |
| Homework completion | 39 | 67.2 | 3867 | 70.8 |
| Homework quality | 24 | 41.4 | 2787 | 51.0 |
| Oral presentations | 36 | 62.1 | 3010 | 55.1 |
| Parent signatures on communications | 6 | 10.3 | 892 | 16.3 |
| Portfolios of students' work | 24 | 41.4 | 3203 | 58.6 |
| Quizzes | 42 | 72.4 | 4055 | 74.2 |
| Research papers/reports | 36 | 62.1 | 2638 | 48.3 |
| Special projects that extend beyond two weeks | 37 | 63.8 | 2599 | 47.6 |
| Tardiness | 11 | 19.0 | 971 | 17.8 |
| Other | 14 | 24.1 | 1147 | 21.0 |
| Total | 58* | -- | 5462* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

Homework

How many minutes of homework do you assign to your students in an average day?

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|-----------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| 0-30 minutes | 46 | 79.3 | 4287 | 76.2 |
| 31-60 minutes | 12 | 20.7 | 1288 | 22.9 |
| 61-120 minutes | 0 | 0.0 | 52 | 0.9 |
| More than 120 minutes | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0.0 |
| Total | 58 | 100.0 | 5628 | 100.0 |

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Teacher Collaboration

Please indicate how often teachers on your team/teachers in your grade level do the following activities. Teachers on my team/teachers in my grade...

| | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|--|-------------|-------|--------------------|---------|---------------|-----------|-------|--------------------|---------|---------------|
| | Total | Never | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* | Total | Never | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* |
| Recognize students' accomplishments. | 61 | 3.3 | 29.5 | 14.8 | 52.5 | 5961 | 2.2 | 17.9 | 18.0 | 61.9 |
| Discuss problems of specific students and arrange for help. | 61 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 24.6 | 65.6 | 5962 | 3.5 | 8.7 | 14.4 | 73.4 |
| Share what works in their classrooms. | 61 | 1.6 | 11.5 | 24.6 | 62.3 | 5905 | 4.1 | 12.7 | 17.2 | 66.0 |
| Spend time discussing student workplace and career learning opportunities. | 61 | 6.6 | 34.4 | 24.6 | 34.4 | 5733 | 31.3 | 26.8 | 13.8 | 28.1 |

*Response categories are combined.

Teaching Assistance

Please indicate how often the following practices occur in your classes.

| | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|--|-------------|-------|--------------------|---------|---------------|-----------|-------|--------------------|---------|---------------|
| | Total | Never | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* | Total | Never | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* |
| An instructional coach works with me to develop my teaching practices. | 58 | 86.2 | 10.3 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 5398 | 73.0 | 13.7 | 5.9 | 7.4 |
| I have aides or paraprofessionals who assist students in my classroom. | 58 | 53.4 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 43.1 | 5498 | 42.5 | 5.4 | 1.4 | 50.7 |

*Response categories are combined.

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Coordination With Other Staff

| Please indicate how often teachers on your team/teachers in your grade level do the following activities. Teachers on my team/teachers in my grade... | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|---|-------------|-------|--------------------|---------|---------------|-----------|-------|--------------------|---------|---------------|
| | Total | Never | % | | | Total | Never | % | | |
| | | | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* | | | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* |
| Coordinate instruction with dance, music, theater, and visual arts & design staff. | 55 | 52.7 | 40.0 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 4194 | 50.0 | 31.6 | 8.2 | 10.2 |
| Coordinate instruction with English Language Learner staff. | 54 | 18.5 | 61.1 | 14.8 | 5.6 | 3477 | 38.5 | 22.1 | 10.5 | 28.9 |
| Coordinate writing instruction in subjects other than English Language Arts. | 56 | 30.4 | 44.6 | 10.7 | 14.3 | 4680 | 25.4 | 24.8 | 15.5 | 34.2 |
| Coordinate instruction with Special Education staff. | 54 | 9.3 | 14.8 | 16.7 | 59.3 | 5179 | 10.2 | 13.7 | 10.1 | 65.9 |
| Coordinate instruction with staff from the library or media center. | 51 | 35.3 | 49.0 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 4905 | 20.4 | 43.8 | 20.6 | 15.2 |
| Coordinate instruction with Title 1 staff. | 33 | 42.4 | 30.3 | 3.0 | 24.2 | 3166 | 40.1 | 15.8 | 10.9 | 33.3 |
| Coordinate the kind and/or amount of homework that students receive. | 50 | 28.0 | 36.0 | 16.0 | 20.0 | 4771 | 32.9 | 13.7 | 8.4 | 45.0 |

*Response categories are combined.

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Departmental Meetings

| How often do you have departmental meetings at your school? | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Never | 1 | 1.7 | 415 | 8.3 |
| Less than Once a Month | 1 | 1.7 | 580 | 11.6 |
| Once a Month | 29 | 49.2 | 1897 | 37.9 |
| 2-3 Times a Month | 18 | 30.5 | 824 | 16.4 |
| Once a Week | 7 | 11.9 | 1016 | 20.3 |
| 2-3 Times a Week | 2 | 3.4 | 215 | 4.3 |
| Daily | 1 | 1.7 | 64 | 1.3 |
| Total | 59 | 100.0 | 5011 | 100.0 |

Educator Relationships

| Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements about interaction of teachers on your team/teachers in your grade level. Teachers on my team/teachers in my grade... | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| Are able to communicate openly with each other. | 60 | 0.0 | 8.3 | 48.3 | 43.3 | 6003 | 1.8 | 5.8 | 49.2 | 43.1 |
| Believe that the educational practices they are being asked to implement are effective. | 62 | 3.2 | 8.1 | 62.9 | 25.8 | 5968 | 4.3 | 21.1 | 55.6 | 19.0 |
| Communicate openly with building administrators. | 60 | 1.7 | 8.3 | 56.7 | 33.3 | 5979 | 5.1 | 16.6 | 52.6 | 25.7 |

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Teams and Advisories

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| | # | %** | # | %** |
| Are you part of a content team? | 29 | 47.5 | 2207 | 35.8 |
| Are you part of a grade level team? | 5 | 8.1 | 2643 | 42.3 |
| Do you serve as an advisor as part of your school's advisory program? | 36 | 60.0 | 2413 | 42.7 |
| <i>The following questions are only asked of teachers who serve as an advisor as part of their school's advisory program.</i> | | | | |
| As part of your teacher-led advisory program, please indicate which of the following activities you do: (Check all that apply.) | This School | | Statewide | |
| | # | % | # | % |
| Assign and discuss relevant readings | 8 | 22.2 | 553 | 23.6 |
| Conduct activities to develop student leadership | 10 | 30.3 | 1257 | 53.7 |
| Conduct activities to develop student self-confidence | 10 | 30.3 | 1661 | 71.0 |
| Discuss academic problems or issues | 29 | 87.9 | 2144 | 91.6 |
| Discuss social relationships with other students | 20 | 55.6 | 1746 | 74.4 |
| Orient students to school programs | 23 | 69.7 | 1616 | 69.0 |
| Provide career information and guidance | 21 | 58.3 | 1511 | 64.4 |
| Provide college information and guidance | 22 | 61.1 | 1209 | 51.5 |
| Provide time for silent reading | 28 | 77.8 | 672 | 28.6 |
| Serve as a link between students and other teachers | 24 | 66.7 | 1427 | 60.8 |
| Teach life and social skills | 17 | 51.5 | 1692 | 72.3 |
| Teach study skills | 18 | 54.5 | 1131 | 48.3 |
| Use the guidance counselor(s) as a resource to help you advise a student | 23 | 69.7 | 1324 | 56.6 |
| Use the period as extended work time for class assignments | 29 | 80.6 | 892 | 38.0 |
| Work on community or school service projects | 10 | 30.3 | 951 | 40.6 |
| Work with the counselor(s) and/or health staff to help students obtain health and social services | 11 | 33.3 | 719 | 30.7 |
| Other | 9 | 25.0 | 1035 | 44.1 |
| Total | 33* | -- | 2341* | -- |

*For "choose all that apply" items, the total may not equal the sum of response options, and the percentages may not total 100%.

**Percentage of participants who answered affirmatively

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Student Engagement

| For how many of the students in your class are the following statements true? | Total | None of them | This School % | | | Total | None of them | Statewide % | | |
|---|-------|--------------|---------------|------|-------------|-------|--------------|-------------|------|-------------|
| | | | Some | Most | All of them | | | Some | Most | All of them |
| Students are interested in what I teach. | 61 | 0.0 | 39.3 | 57.4 | 3.3 | 5456 | 0.3 | 23.1 | 64.9 | 11.8 |
| Students are motivated to learn. | 61 | 0.0 | 55.7 | 44.3 | 0.0 | 5476 | 0.5 | 36.2 | 54.5 | 8.9 |
| Students have goals for themselves and their futures. | 60 | 0.0 | 53.3 | 41.7 | 5.0 | 5466 | 0.9 | 43.5 | 47.1 | 8.5 |
| Students participate in class discussions. | 59 | 0.0 | 39.0 | 55.9 | 5.1 | 5447 | 0.3 | 22.9 | 63.4 | 13.4 |

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Library Access

Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statement about your school and its resources.

| | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|--|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| Students have sufficient access to the library/media center. | 58 | 8.6 | 22.4 | 48.3 | 20.7 | 5743 | 10.1 | 20.4 | 49.8 | 19.7 |

School Safety

Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree.

| | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| I feel safe in the hallways of my school. | 60 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 26.7 | 73.3 | 6219 | 1.1 | 3.4 | 35.0 | 60.5 |
| I feel safe inside of my school's classrooms. | 62 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 21.0 | 79.0 | 6273 | 0.9 | 1.9 | 33.7 | 63.5 |
| I feel safe when I walk outside of my school. | 60 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 23.3 | 76.7 | 6206 | 1.2 | 4.1 | 38.8 | 55.9 |

What do others say about School Safety?

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Student Violence - Threat

| During the past 12 months, has a student at this school threatened you with physical harm? | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | 6 | 9.7 | 521 | 8.3 |
| No | 56 | 90.3 | 5735 | 91.7 |
| Total | 62 | 100.0 | 6256 | 100.0 |

The following questions are asked only of the teachers who were threatened by a student with physical harm in the past 12 months.

| Did you report it to any of the following people? | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|---|-----------|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Principal | - | - | 413 | 82.6 |
| Superintendent | - | - | 37 | 9.5 |
| Union representative | - | - | 124 | 30.2 |
| School security/Police | - | - | 136 | 32.9 |
| Other | - | - | 198 | 50.3 |

| Did you seek medical attention or counseling as a result of this? | This School | | Statewide | |
|---|-------------|----------|------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Yes | - | - | 30 | 6.2 |
| No | - | - | 452 | 93.8 |
| Total | - | - | 482 | 100.0 |

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Student Violence - Physical Harm

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| During the past 12 months, has a student at this school hit, slapped, or physically harmed you? | | | | |
| Yes | 0 | 0.0 | 316 | 5.1 |
| No | 62 | 100.0 | 5894 | 94.9 |
| Total | 62 | 100.0 | 6210 | 100.0 |

The following questions are asked only of the teachers who were hit, slapped or physically harmed by a student in the past 12 months.

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|---|-----------|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Did you report it to any of the following people? | | | | |
| Principal | - | - | 232 | 80.3 |
| Superintendent | - | - | 35 | 14.8 |
| Union Representative | - | - | 61 | 25.5 |
| School security/Police | - | - | 37 | 15.3 |
| Other | - | - | 141 | 57.6 |

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|----------|------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Did you seek medical attention or counseling as a result of this? | | | | |
| Yes | - | - | 39 | 13.2 |
| No | - | - | 256 | 86.8 |
| Total | - | - | 295 | 100.0 |

Discipline

| Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statement. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|--|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| I find that the discipline policies and practices at this school are effective. | 59 | 0.0 | 23.7 | 54.2 | 22.0 | 5596 | 8.5 | 24.4 | 46.7 | 20.3 |

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Student Relationships

| For how many of the students in your class are the following statements true? | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|--|-------------|--------------|------|------|-------------|-----------|--------------|------|------|-------------|
| | Total | None of them | Some | Most | All of them | Total | None of them | Some | Most | All of them |
| Students let me know if they are having a problem at home. | 60 | 13.3 | 56.7 | 30.0 | 0.0 | 5452 | 7.2 | 54.5 | 31.7 | 6.5 |
| Students talk to me if they are having a problem with another student. | 60 | 5.0 | 45.0 | 50.0 | 0.0 | 5495 | 1.5 | 29.8 | 52.3 | 16.3 |
| Students talk to me if they are having a problem with their classes or schoolwork. | 59 | 3.4 | 30.5 | 64.4 | 1.7 | 5483 | 0.7 | 25.1 | 58.1 | 16.2 |
| Students enjoy working together. | 59 | 1.7 | 20.3 | 72.9 | 5.1 | 5463 | 0.3 | 19.4 | 66.6 | 13.7 |

Equity and Respect

| Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements about the work climate in your school. | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|---|-------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-----------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| Staff apply rules consistently for all students. | 61 | 4.9 | 26.2 | 54.1 | 14.8 | 5722 | 7.8 | 24.4 | 48.4 | 19.4 |
| Students treat teachers and staff with respect. | 61 | 0.0 | 23.0 | 65.6 | 11.5 | 5741 | 4.5 | 19.8 | 64.1 | 11.6 |
| Students treat each other with respect. | 61 | 0.0 | 21.3 | 73.8 | 4.9 | 5739 | 4.9 | 25.8 | 62.0 | 7.2 |
| Students get along well and interact comfortably despite any differences. | 60 | 0.0 | 13.3 | 65.0 | 21.7 | 5715 | 2.4 | 16.2 | 69.0 | 12.4 |

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Student Respect

| For how many of the students in your class is the following statement true? | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|---------------|------|------|-------------|-------|--------------|------|------|-------------|
| | | None of them | Some | Most | All of them | | None of them | Some | Most | All of them |
| Students respect viewpoints different from their own. | 61 | 0.0 | 34.4 | 59.0 | 6.6 | 5446 | 1.0 | 33.8 | 56.0 | 9.2 |

Professional Climate and Evaluation

| Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with each of the following statements. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| I can communicate comfortably with my principal. | 61 | 0.0 | 6.6 | 50.8 | 42.6 | 5674 | 3.4 | 9.8 | 48.6 | 38.1 |
| My performance evaluation process is fair. | 60 | 5.0 | 13.3 | 65.0 | 16.7 | 5520 | 4.0 | 11.2 | 67.2 | 17.6 |
| I receive timely feedback about my job performance. | 60 | 6.7 | 23.3 | 58.3 | 11.7 | 5577 | 4.9 | 15.3 | 63.0 | 16.8 |
| I have a good working relationship with my building administration. | 60 | 3.3 | 0.0 | 55.0 | 41.7 | 5677 | 2.4 | 6.4 | 53.9 | 37.3 |
| I have a good working relationship with teachers and other staff at my school. | 61 | 0.0 | 3.3 | 47.5 | 49.2 | 5737 | 0.4 | 1.8 | 53.2 | 44.6 |

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Professional Climate

Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements about the work climate in your school.

| | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|--|-------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-----------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| The building administration is responsive to staff needs. | 59 | 1.7 | 10.2 | 55.9 | 32.2 | 5681 | 6.0 | 18.7 | 55.1 | 20.2 |
| The building administration recognizes staff who have done something well. | 61 | 0.0 | 6.6 | 45.9 | 47.5 | 5765 | 7.8 | 18.4 | 49.9 | 24.0 |
| The building administration stands up for staff. | 59 | 0.0 | 6.8 | 44.1 | 49.2 | 5684 | 8.7 | 16.4 | 50.1 | 24.8 |
| The principal treats all teachers fairly. | 59 | 0.0 | 10.2 | 52.5 | 37.3 | 5666 | 7.4 | 15.4 | 51.4 | 25.9 |
| The building administration communicates to teachers and students that it is important to respect diversity within the school community. | 61 | 0.0 | 1.6 | 52.5 | 45.9 | 5722 | 1.9 | 7.0 | 58.8 | 32.3 |
| The building administration lets students and staff know that prejudice or discrimination is not acceptable behavior. | 61 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 47.5 | 52.5 | 5724 | 1.7 | 5.7 | 57.4 | 35.2 |

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Professional Climate - Continued

Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements about the work climate in your school.

| | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|--|-------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-----------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| Morale is good among staff in this school. | 61 | 0.0 | 11.5 | 59.0 | 29.5 | 5774 | 14.5 | 25.5 | 45.3 | 14.7 |
| Rules and policies affecting staff are clear. | 61 | 0.0 | 8.2 | 59.0 | 32.8 | 5760 | 5.2 | 16.3 | 57.8 | 20.7 |
| Staff take pride in this school. | 61 | 0.0 | 4.9 | 45.9 | 49.2 | 5748 | 2.9 | 10.0 | 55.6 | 31.5 |
| Staff are involved in school improvement planning and decisions. | 59 | 1.7 | 11.9 | 66.1 | 20.3 | 5629 | 4.0 | 11.8 | 62.4 | 21.7 |

Workload

Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with each of the following statements.

| | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|---|-------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-----------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| I have a manageable workload. | 59 | 0.0 | 6.8 | 62.7 | 30.5 | 5625 | 7.1 | 20.3 | 56.6 | 16.0 |
| The requests I receive from administration are compatible and consistent. | 59 | 0.0 | 6.8 | 62.7 | 30.5 | 6146 | 4.3 | 18.4 | 56.3 | 21.0 |

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Teacher Decision-Making

| Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree. Teachers on my team/teachers in my school have decision-making authority on... | This School | | | | | Statewide | | | | |
|--|-------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-----------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| Determining the use of common planning time. | 61 | 0.0 | 8.2 | 50.8 | 41.0 | 5991 | 11.3 | 27.3 | 47.9 | 13.6 |
| Implementing student discipline management policies. | 62 | 4.8 | 17.7 | 58.1 | 19.4 | 6101 | 6.8 | 24.7 | 54.6 | 13.9 |
| Selecting professional development opportunities. | 61 | 3.3 | 29.5 | 42.6 | 24.6 | 6009 | 14.6 | 33.7 | 42.6 | 9.1 |
| Selecting/reassigning of team members. | 30 | 6.7 | 50.0 | 33.3 | 10.0 | 3614 | 31.3 | 44.1 | 20.1 | 4.5 |
| Setting student behavioral management policies. | 61 | 4.9 | 14.8 | 62.3 | 18.0 | 6038 | 6.3 | 25.0 | 55.0 | 13.7 |
| Setting student evaluation and assessment standards. | 61 | 0.0 | 1.6 | 55.7 | 42.6 | 6025 | 5.9 | 22.3 | 57.2 | 14.5 |
| Setting team or grade level goals. | 62 | 1.6 | 8.1 | 53.2 | 37.1 | 5964 | 6.1 | 21.8 | 59.2 | 12.9 |

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Vision and Input

| Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree. | This School % | | | | | Statewide % | | | | |
|---|------------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| I know what administration expects from me. | 59 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 52.5 | 47.5 | 6205 | 2.1 | 7.0 | 53.3 | 37.6 |
| I take part in decisions about policies and programs at this school. | 62 | 3.2 | 17.7 | 53.2 | 25.8 | 6221 | 6.0 | 25.2 | 50.2 | 18.6 |
| Teachers and administrators share a common vision of the goals of this school. | 62 | 1.6 | 3.2 | 58.1 | 37.1 | 6281 | 4.2 | 13.2 | 54.5 | 28.1 |
| Teachers and administrators share a common vision about how to achieve the goals for this school. | 59 | 0.0 | 11.9 | 62.7 | 25.4 | 6183 | 5.3 | 23.2 | 52.0 | 19.5 |
| The building administration is open to my input about decisions that affect me. | 60 | 0.0 | 8.3 | 53.3 | 38.3 | 6178 | 4.6 | 13.7 | 51.1 | 30.6 |

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Parent Involvement Strategies

Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statement about the work climate in your school.

Staff plan and implement strategies to increase parent involvement.

| | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| Staff plan and implement strategies to increase parent involvement. | 58 | 1.7 | 25.9 | 53.4 | 19.0 | 5565 | 4.8 | 21.5 | 56.9 | 16.8 |

Parent Involvement

Please indicate how often the following practices occur in your classes.

I have a parent volunteer assist me.

I meet with parents/guardians to discuss student needs or concerns.

| | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|---------------|--------------------|---------|---------------|-------|-------------|--------------------|---------|---------------|
| | | Never | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* | | Never | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* |
| I have a parent volunteer assist me. | 58 | 93.1 | 6.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5517 | 72.4 | 16.3 | 2.6 | 8.6 |
| I meet with parents/guardians to discuss student needs or concerns. | 60 | 5.0 | 73.3 | 16.7 | 5.0 | 5570 | 5.0 | 55.9 | 24.1 | 15.1 |

*Response categories are combined.

What do others say about Parent Involvement?

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Parent-Teacher Communication

| Other than through grade reports, how often do you interact** with the families of students regarding the following items? | This School % | | | | | Statewide % | | | | |
|--|---------------|-------|--------------------|---------|---------------|-------------|-------|--------------------|---------|---------------|
| | Total | Never | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* | Total | Never | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* |
| Class activities and content | 58 | 5.2 | 48.3 | 27.6 | 19.0 | 5388 | 7.3 | 27.5 | 24.0 | 41.2 |
| Information on assignments | 57 | 5.3 | 38.6 | 31.6 | 24.6 | 5371 | 7.4 | 23.2 | 19.6 | 49.7 |
| Make-up work for students who are absent | 57 | 3.5 | 33.3 | 19.3 | 43.9 | 5262 | 8.2 | 21.3 | 15.1 | 55.5 |
| Student academic performance | 59 | 5.1 | 33.9 | 30.5 | 30.5 | 5449 | 3.2 | 28.2 | 26.2 | 42.4 |
| Student accomplishments | 59 | 3.4 | 59.3 | 22.0 | 15.3 | 5577 | 4.1 | 36.1 | 25.2 | 34.6 |
| Student behavior problems | 60 | 3.3 | 50.0 | 26.7 | 20.0 | 5577 | 2.8 | 27.4 | 20.2 | 49.6 |
| Working with students on homework | 57 | 19.3 | 36.8 | 21.1 | 22.8 | 5268 | 12.9 | 25.8 | 18.8 | 42.4 |

*Response categories are combined.

**By telephone, writing, email, text message, social networking site, parent portal, or face-to-face

Parent-Teacher Communication - Continued

| Please indicate how often the following practice occurs in your classes. | This School % | | | | | Statewide % | | | | |
|--|---------------|-------|------------|---------|--------|-------------|-------|------------|---------|--------|
| | Total | Never | Some-times | Usually | Always | Total | Never | Some-times | Usually | Always |
| I actively maintain two-way communication between home and school. | 62 | 1.6 | 16.1 | 40.3 | 41.9 | 5701 | 1.6 | 13.9 | 30.2 | 54.3 |

What do others say about Parent-Teacher Communication?

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Parent-Teacher Conferences

Approximately what percentage of the parents/guardians of your students attend regularly scheduled parent-teacher conferences?

| | This School | | Statewide | |
|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| 0-20% | 35 | 59.3 | 1314 | 25.9 |
| 21-40% | 18 | 30.5 | 1097 | 21.6 |
| 41-60% | 6 | 10.2 | 762 | 15.0 |
| 61-80% | 0 | 0.0 | 767 | 15.1 |
| 81-100% | 0 | 0.0 | 1131 | 22.3 |
| Total | 59 | 100.0 | 5071 | 100.0 |

Community Support

Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statement about the work climate in your school.

| | Total | This School | | | | Total | Statewide | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| The community is supportive of the school and its programs. | 60 | 3.3 | 20.0 | 63.3 | 13.3 | 5647 | 6.6 | 19.2 | 57.0 | 17.3 |

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School Facilities and Resources

Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements about your school and its resources.

| | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| The school has enough space for effective instruction given the current enrollment. | 57 | 0.0 | 1.8 | 36.8 | 61.4 | 5849 | 10.5 | 21.9 | 46.2 | 21.3 |
| The school is clean and well-maintained. | 58 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 24.1 | 72.4 | 5917 | 7.1 | 19.5 | 49.6 | 23.8 |
| My classroom is about the right temperature. | 59 | 8.5 | 13.6 | 67.8 | 10.2 | 5832 | 14.1 | 28.1 | 48.2 | 9.6 |
| The lights in my classroom are bright enough so students can do their work. | 60 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 63.3 | 36.7 | 5813 | 2.4 | 5.3 | 69.2 | 23.1 |
| Students in my classes need to share books. | 58 | 43.1 | 41.4 | 13.8 | 1.7 | 5491 | 22.9 | 42.0 | 25.8 | 9.2 |
| I have access to up-to-date instructional materials through the school or district. | 59 | 0.0 | 16.9 | 52.5 | 30.5 | 5607 | 10.4 | 23.3 | 53.2 | 13.2 |

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Education Technology Resources

| How often do you have access to the following tools for instructional purposes? | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Never | Statewide % | | |
|---|-------|---------------|---------|------------|--------|-------|-------|-------------|------------|--------|
| | | Never | Usually | Some-times | Always | | | Usually | Some-times | Always |
| Internet access | 58 | 3.4 | 13.8 | 20.7 | 62.1 | 5609 | 6.0 | 14.2 | 20.7 | 59.1 |
| Interactive Whiteboard (SMART Board) | 60 | 41.7 | 11.7 | 8.3 | 38.3 | 5549 | 66.1 | 14.5 | 5.9 | 13.5 |
| Clickers (student response systems/CPS) | 59 | 81.4 | 11.9 | 5.1 | 1.7 | 5404 | 92.6 | 3.8 | 1.7 | 1.8 |
| A shared laptop cart | 58 | 51.7 | 27.6 | 8.6 | 12.1 | 5509 | 51.1 | 23.2 | 13.9 | 11.9 |
| Document cameras (ELMOs) | 59 | 79.7 | 10.2 | 5.1 | 5.1 | 5513 | 55.8 | 14.5 | 8.2 | 21.6 |
| Computers in my own classroom | 60 | 38.3 | 13.3 | 10.0 | 38.3 | 5609 | 21.4 | 17.3 | 14.7 | 46.6 |
| Other type of educational technology | 57 | 29.8 | 40.4 | 19.3 | 10.5 | 4967 | 39.3 | 28.3 | 16.0 | 16.4 |

Planning Time

| On average, how long is your individual planning time (during the contracted length of the school day), in addition to your common team planning time? | This School | | Statewide | |
|--|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Less than a half hour | 1 | 1.9 | 459 | 8.5 |
| Half an hour to 45 minutes | 4 | 7.5 | 2203 | 41.0 |
| 46 minutes to 60 minutes | 11 | 20.8 | 1874 | 34.9 |
| Between 61 minutes and 75 minutes | 34 | 64.2 | 358 | 6.7 |
| Between 75 minutes and 90 minutes | 2 | 3.8 | 356 | 6.6 |
| More than 90 minutes | 1 | 1.9 | 121 | 2.3 |
| Total | 53 | 100.0 | 5371 | 100.0 |

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Adequacy of Planning Time

Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statement.

| | Total | This School % | | | Statewide % | | | | | |
|---|-------|------------------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| | | Stongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | Total | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| I have an adequate amount of planning time. | 56 | 1.8 | 5.4 | 58.9 | 33.9 | 5348 | 11.9 | 27.9 | 49.8 | 10.4 |

Staff Development Frequency

Please indicate how often you participate in the following staff development activities.

| | Total | This School % | | | | Statewide % | | | | |
|---|-------|---------------|--------------------|---------|---------------|-------------|-------|--------------------|---------|---------------|
| | | Never | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* | Total | Never | A few times a year | Monthly | Weekly/Daily* |
| Visits to other classrooms | 61 | 31.1 | 49.2 | 4.9 | 14.8 | 5552 | 38.9 | 37.4 | 7.7 | 16.0 |
| Exchanging resources/lesson plans with other teachers in the school | 60 | 16.7 | 25.0 | 23.3 | 35.0 | 5511 | 10.5 | 25.8 | 22.0 | 41.7 |
| Workshops provided by RIDE | 61 | 42.6 | 54.1 | 3.3 | 0.0 | 5536 | 43.6 | 52.1 | 3.5 | 0.8 |
| Workshops provided by the school district | 61 | 9.8 | 85.2 | 4.9 | 0.0 | 5707 | 11.0 | 69.9 | 16.5 | 2.6 |
| In-service activities provided by the school district | 61 | 4.9 | 85.2 | 8.2 | 1.6 | 5624 | 11.1 | 71.9 | 14.0 | 3.0 |

*Response categories are combined.

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Staff Development

| How much staff development you have participated in during the past 12 months. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | Statewide % | | | |
|---|-------|---------------|----------|------|-------|-------|-------------|----------|------|-------|
| | | None | A little | Some | A lot | | None | A little | Some | A lot |
| Working with families to involve them in education | 57 | 57.9 | 19.3 | 22.8 | 0.0 | 5191 | 58.2 | 19.7 | 17.0 | 5.1 |
| Involving community resources and settings in education | 58 | 41.4 | 24.1 | 25.9 | 8.6 | 5095 | 58.5 | 20.7 | 16.2 | 4.7 |
| Using developmentally appropriate instructional methods | 56 | 26.8 | 25.0 | 37.5 | 10.7 | 5154 | 24.8 | 20.2 | 34.2 | 20.8 |
| Philosophy and models of the reforms in which your school is participating | 52 | 15.4 | 23.1 | 44.2 | 17.3 | 5128 | 23.1 | 23.3 | 33.4 | 20.1 |
| Making data-driven decisions | 52 | 9.6 | 28.8 | 44.2 | 17.3 | 4966 | 27.4 | 22.2 | 30.6 | 19.8 |
| Identifying and referring students in need of health and social services | 51 | 29.4 | 41.2 | 25.5 | 3.9 | 4968 | 47.1 | 22.3 | 22.3 | 8.3 |
| Using performance-based assessment practices (e.g., portfolios, exhibitions) | 49 | 26.5 | 16.3 | 36.7 | 20.4 | 4866 | 35.9 | 22.1 | 27.0 | 15.0 |
| Using technology as part of instruction | 50 | 30.0 | 20.0 | 40.0 | 10.0 | 5001 | 34.0 | 23.9 | 28.7 | 13.5 |
| Working with students at risk of dropping out or performing far below their ability | 51 | 41.2 | 21.6 | 29.4 | 7.8 | 4659 | 51.1 | 20.5 | 20.3 | 8.1 |
| Utilizing student recognition practices | 48 | 50.0 | 16.7 | 25.0 | 8.3 | 4708 | 51.3 | 18.5 | 22.4 | 7.8 |
| Completing additional preparation in your primary content area | 46 | 50.0 | 19.6 | 15.2 | 15.2 | 4584 | 43.9 | 19.2 | 25.5 | 11.5 |
| Managing the classroom and/or behavior | 51 | 54.9 | 19.6 | 21.6 | 3.9 | 4930 | 48.3 | 20.3 | 21.3 | 10.2 |
| Working with English Language Learners (ELLs) | 50 | 48.0 | 28.0 | 22.0 | 2.0 | 4480 | 63.7 | 15.8 | 14.7 | 5.8 |
| Working within professional learning communities | 45 | 51.1 | 15.6 | 31.1 | 2.2 | 4654 | 50.8 | 18.8 | 21.1 | 9.4 |
| Assigning service learning | 46 | 67.4 | 15.2 | 17.4 | 0.0 | 4125 | 69.3 | 12.2 | 14.0 | 4.5 |
| Developing standards-based lesson plans | 52 | 38.5 | 13.5 | 32.7 | 15.4 | 4995 | 27.6 | 19.9 | 32.2 | 20.3 |
| Participating in interdisciplinary teaming | 52 | 51.9 | 25.0 | 21.2 | 1.9 | 4825 | 49.4 | 18.2 | 22.3 | 10.1 |
| Differentiating instruction | 54 | 27.8 | 16.7 | 44.4 | 11.1 | 5022 | 28.1 | 22.8 | 30.4 | 18.7 |
| Helping students develop reading skills | 50 | 32.0 | 26.0 | 38.0 | 4.0 | 4978 | 32.8 | 20.6 | 27.4 | 19.2 |

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Desired Staff Development

| How much staff development you want and/or need. | Total | This School % | | | | Total | None | Statewide % | | |
|---|-------|---------------|----------|------|-------|-------|------|-------------|------|-------|
| | | None | A little | Some | A lot | | | A little | Some | A lot |
| Working with families to involve them in education | 57 | 10.5 | 28.1 | 29.8 | 31.6 | 5265 | 19.3 | 21.8 | 38.0 | 20.9 |
| Involving community resources and settings in education | 59 | 13.6 | 22.0 | 37.3 | 27.1 | 5203 | 16.3 | 20.4 | 40.8 | 22.5 |
| Using developmentally appropriate instructional methods | 57 | 14.0 | 24.6 | 40.4 | 21.1 | 5192 | 13.3 | 17.7 | 40.7 | 28.4 |
| Philosophy and models of the reforms in which your school is participating | 54 | 9.3 | 25.9 | 48.1 | 16.7 | 5148 | 12.5 | 19.9 | 42.7 | 25.0 |
| Making data-driven decisions | 53 | 13.2 | 22.6 | 41.5 | 22.6 | 4999 | 18.3 | 21.7 | 40.8 | 19.2 |
| Identifying and referring students in need of health and social services | 53 | 18.9 | 35.8 | 32.1 | 13.2 | 5034 | 22.5 | 25.8 | 36.4 | 15.3 |
| Using performance-based assessment practices (e.g., portfolios, exhibitions) | 52 | 21.2 | 38.5 | 30.8 | 9.6 | 4924 | 19.8 | 23.2 | 39.8 | 17.3 |
| Using technology as part of instruction | 52 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 40.4 | 28.8 | 5070 | 12.5 | 16.1 | 39.4 | 32.0 |
| Working with students at risk of dropping out or performing far below their ability | 54 | 9.3 | 16.7 | 31.5 | 42.6 | 4720 | 15.6 | 17.5 | 37.2 | 29.7 |
| Utilizing student recognition practices | 48 | 25.0 | 29.2 | 35.4 | 10.4 | 4780 | 28.6 | 24.5 | 35.6 | 11.3 |
| Completing additional preparation in your primary content area | 47 | 29.8 | 23.4 | 34.0 | 12.8 | 4626 | 26.6 | 19.0 | 37.6 | 16.8 |
| Managing the classroom and/or behavior | 53 | 30.2 | 22.6 | 32.1 | 15.1 | 5004 | 29.0 | 25.2 | 30.6 | 15.2 |

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Funding and Resources

Desired Staff Development - Continued

| How much staff development you want and/or need. | Total | None | This School % | | | Total | None | Statewide % | | |
|--|-------|------|---------------|------|-------|-------|------|-------------|------|-------|
| | | | A little | Some | A lot | | | A little | Some | A lot |
| Working with English Language Learners (ELLs) | 52 | 15.4 | 23.1 | 32.7 | 28.8 | 4506 | 34.8 | 22.4 | 29.5 | 13.3 |
| Working within professional learning communities | 48 | 22.9 | 31.3 | 35.4 | 10.4 | 4687 | 26.8 | 25.0 | 35.7 | 12.4 |
| Assigning service learning | 45 | 33.3 | 31.1 | 22.2 | 13.3 | 4143 | 40.8 | 19.6 | 27.4 | 12.2 |
| Developing standards-based lesson plans | 52 | 26.9 | 28.8 | 34.6 | 9.6 | 5040 | 20.7 | 20.5 | 38.5 | 20.3 |
| Participating in interdisciplinary teaming | 52 | 23.1 | 19.2 | 32.7 | 25.0 | 4875 | 24.6 | 20.2 | 36.7 | 18.6 |
| Differentiating instruction | 55 | 18.2 | 21.8 | 49.1 | 10.9 | 5080 | 15.1 | 19.2 | 39.7 | 26.0 |
| Helping students develop reading skills | 51 | 19.6 | 27.5 | 43.1 | 9.8 | 5020 | 16.4 | 19.5 | 37.4 | 26.7 |

External Support

| Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with each of the following statements. | Total | Stongly Disagree | This School % | | | Total | Strongly Disagree | Statewide % | | |
|---|-------|------------------|---------------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------------|-------------|-------|----------------|
| | | | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree | | | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
| I have adequate support from RIDE. | 49 | 26.5 | 28.6 | 38.8 | 6.1 | 4754 | 17.7 | 39.3 | 38.3 | 4.7 |
| I have adequate support from the school district. | 57 | 7.0 | 8.8 | 70.2 | 14.0 | 5380 | 9.7 | 26.2 | 53.8 | 10.3 |