Melville Elementary School

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Rhode Island Education Survey Suite
School Report 2012-2013

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Introduction to the 2013 SurveyWorks School Report

This report presents results from the 2013 SurveyWorks Student, Parent, and Teacher/Staff Surveys for this school. The surveys gather input from students, parents, and teachers and other instructional staff on elements of Rhode Island's Basic Education Program (BEP) including:

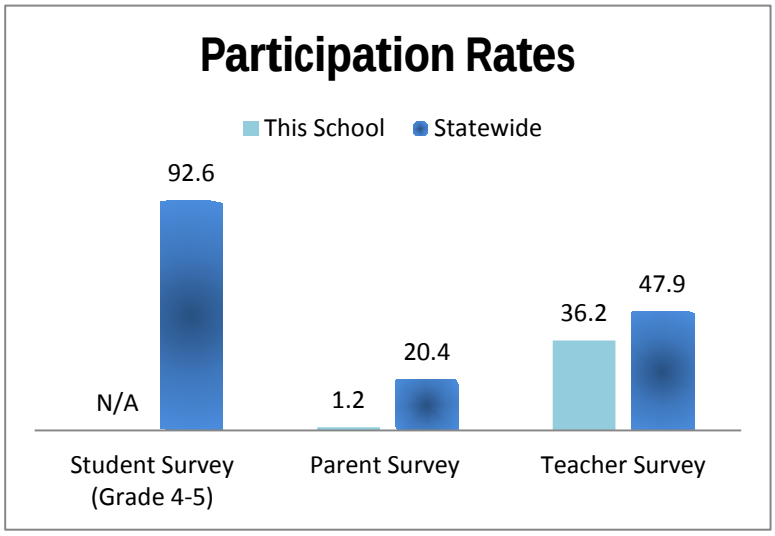
-Teaching and Student Achievement;
-Families and Communities;
-Safe and Supportive Schools, and
-Funding and resources.

Survey results are reported for each of these categories. These data are intended to be used to inform decisions at all levels-including the classroom, school, district, and state. 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 percentage 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

Results from the 2013 SurveyWorks School Administrator Survey are provided in separate reports by LEA and/or LEA-type.

Participation Rates

The percentage of eligible 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 on the right.



Navigating the Report

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Data

Data files are available upon request. Please contact surveyworks@wested.org for more information. Survey results and related education data can be found on the RIDE InfoWorks website, http://infoworks.ride.ri.gov.

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Section 1: Student Survey Introduction

In January 2013, 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 elementary school Student Survey results for this school. Please note that many schools have students in more than one of these grade spans. These schools have more than one report.

The Student Survey was administered online in Rhode Island public schools from January 10, 2013 through March 15, 2013. To prevent unauthorized access to the survey or 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 comparable grades in Rhode Island public schools. Responses are reported as the percentage of students who responded to each item and the total number of 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 to the report, this school's Student Survey participation rate is N/A. The participation rate is calculated as the number of students who responded to the survey as a percentage of the total average daily membership of the school between October 1, 2012 and March 15, 2013 for the applicable grades, minus the number of students whose parents opted them out of the survey participation. The participation rates for schools that were not eligible or exempt is reported as "N/A".

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In January 2013, 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 and on paper from January 10, 2013 through March 15, 2013.

Parents who had multiple students in the same school were instructed to answer the survey only once based on their experience with the oldest child. Surveys were conducted anonymously. The Parent Survey asked about: the school facility and learning environment, school resources and activities, parent involvement, school-family communication, school safety, and college and career readiness issues.

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 1.2%. The participation rate is calculated as the number of Parent Surveys received as a percentage of the total number of unique student addresses for the school. This method of counting families is more accurate than the total number of students in a school, but may overcount some families and undercount others. Data from schools with low participation rates should be interpreted with caution. Parent Survey results are not reported for any school where the total Parent Survey participation rate is less than 10%.

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To 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 all 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.

As noted in the introduction, this school's Teacher/Staff Survey participation rate is 36.2%. 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. The number of eligible teachers/staff come from one of two data sources. School principals were asked to provide the number of teachers and instructional staff. For those schools that provided the data, these numbers are used. For schools that did not provide this information, staffing data are provided by the Rhode Island Department of Education.

Teacher/Staff Survey data are only reported for schools where at least 10 teachers/staff responded.

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Note: All teacher responses in the Demographic section are grouped and presented at the LEA level and not the school level. See the introduction to Section 3 for more information.

Years of Teaching Experience

How long have you worked in the field of education as a teacher?	This LEA #	This LEA %	Statewide #	Statewide %
Less than a year	!	1.0	161	2.3
1-3 years	!	6.3	477	6.9
4-10 years	!	28.1	1696	24.6
11-20 years	!	43.8	2881	41.7
More than 20 years	!	20.8	1691	24.5
Total	96	100.0	6906	100.0

Years Teaching at This School

How long have you worked, as a teacher, at this school?	This LEA #	This LEA %	Statewide #	Statewide %
Less than a year	!	6.3	775	11.3
1-3 years	!	18.9	1195	17.4
4-10 years	!	46.3	2399	35.0
11-20 years	!	20.0	1922	28.1
More than 20 years	!	8.4	558	8.1
Total	95	100.0	6849	100.0

Full- or Part-time Status

Are you a full-time or part-time employee at this school?	This LEA #	This LEA %	Statewide #	Statewide %
Full-time	93	94.9	6585	93.5
Part-time	5	5.1	459	6.5
Total	98	100.0	7044	100.0

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Education Attained

What is your highest level of education?	This LEA #	This LEA %	Statewide #	Statewide %
High School	!	3.2	187	2.7
Associate's	!	2.1	173	2.5
Bachelor's	!	30.5	2447	35.5
Master's	!	55.8	3343	48.4
Post-Master's Certificate	!	8.4	697	10.1
Doctorate	!	0.0	54	0.8
Total	95	100.0	6901	100.0

Primary Role

What is your primary role at this school? (Please choose one.)	This LEA #	This LEA %	Statewide #	Statewide %
Classroom teacher	61	62.2	4273	61.2
Team leader	1	1.0	43	0.6
Guidance counselor	2	2.0	152	2.2
Teacher's aide – paid	6	6.1	397	5.7
Teacher's aide - volunteer	0	0.0	1	0.0
Student teacher or intern	0	0.0	3	0.0
Arts resource teacher	0	0.0	74	1.1
Librarian	4	4.1	141	2.0
ESL/bilingual teacher	0	0.0	82	1.2
Speech pathologist	4	4.1	87	1.2
Social worker	0	0.0	63	0.9
Learning coordinator	0	0.0	11	0.2
Reading specialist	2	2.0	207	3.0
School psychologist	0	0.0	49	0.7
Special Education teacher	10	10.2	884	12.7
Vocational/technical	0	0.0	56	0.8
Other	8	8.2	456	6.5
Total	98	100.0	6979	100.0

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

Which of the following describes your work as a Special Education teacher? Check all that apply.	This LEA #	This LEA %	Statewide #	Statewide %
I have a special education classroom.	2	20.0	337	38.2
I provide pull-out special education resource services.	1	10.0	332	37.6
I provide in-class special education services.	8	80.0	607	68.8
Other	2	20.0	68	7.7
Total	10*	--	882*	--

*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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Grades Taught

Please check all that apply. Which of the following grades do you currently teach at this school?	This LEA #	This LEA %	Statewide #	Statewide %
Pre-Kindergarten	5	5.5	193	2.9
Kindergarten	10	11.0	949	14.1
Grade 1	12	13.2	1084	16.1
Grade 2	12	13.2	1084	16.1
Grade 3	16	17.6	1127	16.8
Grade 4	9	9.9	1119	16.6
Grade 5	12	13.2	1026	15.3
Grade 6	15	16.5	937	13.9
Grade 7	11	12.1	922	13.7
Grade 8	15	16.5	901	13.4
Grade 9	19	20.9	1655	24.6
Grade 10	21	23.1	1810	26.9
Grade 11	23	25.3	1852	27.5
Grade 12	18	19.8	1763	26.2
Total	91*	--	6724*	--

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

Subjects Taught

Which of the following subjects do you teach at this school? Check all that apply.	This LEA #	This LEA %	Statewide #	Statewide %
All/Almost All Subjects	18	18.9	1914	28.3
Mathematics	22	23.2	1411	20.9
Language Arts	17	17.9	1357	20.1
Reading	12	12.6	1102	16.3
Science	12	12.6	914	13.5
Social Studies	11	11.6	859	12.7
Health	1	1.1	295	4.4
Arts (e.g., art, music)	4	4.2	325	4.8
Physical Education	3	3.2	266	3.9
Vocational/Tech	2	2.1	159	2.4
Electives/Exploratories	5	5.3	209	3.1
Enrichment/Gifted/Talent Development	0	0.0	47	0.7
Other	23	24.2	1422	21.0
Total	95*	--	6765*	--

*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

How often do the following practices occur in your classes?	This School Total	This School % Never	This School % Some-times	This School % Usually	This School % Always	Statewide Total	Statewide % Never	Statewide % Some-times	Statewide % Usually	Statewide % Always
I help students develop coping skills (e.g., stress management).	18	5.6	16.7	33.3	44.4	6576	5.1	31.1	33.4	30.4
I ask students to make presentations in class.	17	11.8	17.6	29.4	41.2	6374	4.0	10.1	27.9	58.0
I ask students to participate in small group discussions.	17	5.9	17.6	29.4	47.1	6489	2.3	17.3	35.5	44.9
I ask students to use facts to support their opinions in writing.	17	11.8	17.6	29.4	41.2	6374	4.0	10.1	27.9	58.0
I ask students to work in small groups on class activities.	18	0.0	16.7	38.9	44.4	6493	2.0	16.5	36.7	44.8
I assign students worksheets.	17	5.9	58.8	29.4	5.9	6467	8.1	53.6	24.8	13.5
I have students use the media center and/or library materials.	17	0.0	58.8	29.4	11.8	6395	13.0	46.0	24.6	16.4
I provide students with opportunities to revise assignments.	17	0.0	17.6	41.2	41.2	6491	2.2	15.9	36.6	45.4
I incorporate "real world" learning activities (e.g., workplace learning	17	0.0	23.5	41.2	35.3	6514	1.2	18.3	44.3	36.2
I ask students to provide feedback and comments on each other's work.	17	17.6	35.3	41.2	5.9	6461	10.7	50.0	28.3	11.0
I provide "hands-on" learning activities.	16	0.0	12.5	50.0	37.5	6542	1.5	23.4	41.4	33.6
I give special recognition to students for exemplary work.	17	0.0	17.6	35.3	47.1	6505	1.4	17.1	36.6	44.9
I inform parents/guardians when their child does something well.	16	12.5	31.3	31.3	25.0	6519	3.9	37.4	36.2	22.6
I ask students to use computers as a part of lessons.	17	5.9	58.8	29.4	5.9	6487	13.4	50.5	24.0	12.1

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Teacher Practice - Continued

How often do the following practices occur in your classes?	This School Total	This School % Never	This School % Some-times	This School % Usually	This School % Always	Statewide Total	Statewide % Never	Statewide % Some-times	Statewide % Usually	Statewide % Always
I help students participate actively in community and civic affairs.	17	17.6	41.2	17.6	23.5	6355	17.0	43.0	22.7	17.2
I teach social skills development.	17	0.0	17.6	41.2	41.2	6579	6.0	26.3	27.4	40.3
I explain concepts in multiple ways until students show that they understand.	17	0.0	0.0	35.3	64.7	6601	0.5	2.1	28.6	68.8
I embed memorization skills into my teaching.	17	11.8	58.8	23.5	5.9	6325	9.2	53.3	25.1	12.4
I allow students to make up work after they are absent.	16	0.0	18.8	6.3	75.0	6430	2.1	3.6	13.8	80.5
I give students multiple opportunities to improve their grades.	17	0.0	5.9	41.2	52.9	6334	2.3	11.7	31.7	54.3
I provide specialized instruction for students whenever they progress more quickly than their peers.	17	5.9	11.8	29.4	52.9	6402	4.3	22.7	36.6	36.4
I provide students with additional instruction whenever they fall behind.	16	0.0	6.3	18.8	75.0	6490	1.6	9.3	30.8	58.2
I use school- or district-generated assessments to inform my instruction.	16	6.3	18.8	18.8	56.3	6358	9.0	25.1	31.9	34.0
I actively promote positive health practices.	17	5.9	0.0	17.6	76.5	6613	2.5	11.4	25.8	60.4

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Components of Grading

Are you responsible for assigning grades to students?	This School #	This School %	Statewide #	Statewide %
Yes	9	45.0	5300	77.0
No	11	55.0	1581	23.0
Total	20	100.0	6881	100.0

Which of the following items do you incorporate into student grading? Check all that apply.	This School #	This School %	Statewide #	Statewide %
Classwork	-	-	4618	87.6
Class participation	-	-	3870	73.4
Quizzes	-	-	4195	79.6
Effort	-	-	3727	70.7
Homework completion	-	-	3785	71.8
Essays and writing assignments	-	-	3658	69.4
End of unit exams	-	-	3501	66.4
Portfolios of students' work	-	-	2694	51.1
Content mastery	-	-	2747	52.1
Oral presentations	-	-	2948	55.9
Homework quality	-	-	2609	49.5
End of quarter/semester exams	-	-	2622	49.7
Research papers/reports	-	-	2477	47.0
Special projects that extend beyond two weeks	-	-	2216	42.0
Behavior	-	-	2214	42.0
End of year exams	-	-	2120	40.2
Attendance	-	-	1709	32.4
Exhibition	-	-	1166	22.1
Tardiness	-	-	802	15.2
Parent signatures on communications	-	-	791	15.0
Journals/notebooks	-	-	2694	51.1
Skills assessments	-	-	3383	64.2
Observation	-	-	3271	62.1
Common tasks	-	-	2847	54.0
Other	-	-	195	3.7
Total	-*	--	5271*	--

*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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Homework

How many minutes of homework do you assign to your students in an average day?	This School #	This School %	Statewide #	Statewide %
0-30 minutes	16	94.1	5000	79.1
31-60 minutes	1	5.9	1262	20.0
More than 60 minutes	0	0.0	62	1.0
Total	17	100.0	6324	100.0

Student Engagement

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?	This School Total	This School % Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Statewide Total	Statewide % Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
Students are interested in what I teach.	17	0.0	5.9	64.7	29.4	6622	0.9	8.8	71.2	19.1
Students are motivated to learn.	19	0.0	5.3	68.4	26.3	6728	2.2	20.3	62.1	15.3
Students have goals for themselves and their futures.	17	0.0	17.6	58.8	23.5	6639	2.0	23.2	63.6	11.1

Teacher Collaboration

How often do teachers on your team/teachers in your grade do the following?	This School Total	This School % Never	A few times a year	Monthly	At least weekly	Statewide Total	Statewide % Never	A few times a year	Monthly	At least weekly
Discuss problems of specific students and arrange for help.	17	0.0	17.6	29.4	52.9	6508	4.9	14.4	22.0	58.8
Share what works in their classrooms.	18	0.0	5.6	27.8	66.7	6462	4.9	16.9	24.3	54.0

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Coordination With Other Staff

How often do teachers on your team/teachers in your grade level do the following?	This School Total	This School % Never	This School % A few times a year	This School % Monthly	This School % At least weekly	Statewide Total	Statewide % Never	Statewide % A few times a year	Statewide % Monthly	Statewide % At least weekly
Coordinate instruction with dance, music, theater, and visual arts & design staff.	12	41.7	41.7	16.7	0.0	5173	57.1	31.2	6.6	5.0
Coordinate instruction with English Language Learner staff.	10	70.0	0.0	10.0	20.0	4855	45.2	27.1	10.4	17.2
Coordinate writing instruction in subjects other than English Language Arts.	12	33.3	16.7	8.3	41.7	5417	30.6	29.9	17.1	22.4
Coordinate instruction with Special Education staff.	14	7.1	7.1	28.6	57.1	5786	12.6	16.9	14.4	56.1
Coordinate instruction with staff from the library or media center.	13	7.7	23.1	30.8	38.5	5532	27.8	44.5	17.9	9.8
Coordinate instruction with Title 1 staff.	-	-	-	-	-	4276	53.4	16.4	10.8	19.4
Coordinate the kind and/or amount of homework that students receive.	12	25.0	25.0	16.7	33.3	5412	37.4	18.7	12.7	31.2
Coordinate with health education staff	11	36.4	36.4	27.3	0.0	5379	55.0	29.3	7.5	8.1

Departmental Meetings

How often do you have departmental meetings at your school?	This School #	This School %	Statewide #	Statewide %
Never	2	11.1	935	14.2
A Few Times a Year	2	11.1	1088	16.5
Monthly	5	27.8	3099	47.0
At Least Weekly	9	50.0	1478	22.4
Total	18	100.0	6600	100.0

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Educator Relationships

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Teachers on my team/teachers in my grade…	This School %					Statewide %				
	Total	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
Are able to communicate openly with each other.	19	0.0	21.1	52.6	26.3	6615	1.9	5.6	46.1	46.5
Believe that the educational practices they are being asked to implement are effective.	18	0.0	33.3	55.6	11.1	6484	6.2	22.9	53.3	17.6
Communicate openly with building administrators.	19	0.0	15.8	57.9	26.3	6557	4.6	14.2	53.3	28.0

Teams and Advisories

	This School*		Statewide*	
	#	%	#	%
Are you part of a content team?	7	33.3	2434	35.9
Are you part of a grade level team?	8	38.1	3157	46.1
Do you serve as an advisor as part of your school's advisory program?	0	0.0	2859	41.8

*Indicates the number and percentage of respondents who answered affirmatively.

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Teams and Advisories- Continued

The following questions are only asked of teachers who serve as an advisor as part of their school's advisory program.

As part of your teacher-led advisory program, which of the following activities do you do? Check all that apply.	This School #	This School %	Statewide #	Statewide %
Discuss academic problems or issues	-	-	2357	85.7
Discuss social relationships with other students	-	-	1857	67.3
Teach life and social skills	-	-	1920	69.8
Conduct activities to develop student self-confidence	-	-	1915	69.7
Orient students to school programs	-	-	1762	64.1
Provide career information and guidance	-	-	1514	54.9
Serve as a link between students and other teachers	-	-	1557	56.5
Use the guidance counselor(s) as a resource to help you advise a student	-	-	1327	48.3
Conduct activities to develop student leadership	-	-	1359	49.4
Provide college information and guidance	-	-	1310	47.5
Teach study skills	-	-	1261	45.9
Work on community or school service projects	-	-	1087	39.5
Use the period as extended work time for class assignments	-	-	1007	36.5
Work on portforlios or student capstone projects	-	-	863	31.3
Conduct team building exercises	-	-	1246	45.2
Discuss current events	-	-	1770	64.2
Run an anti-bullying program	-	-	760	27.6
Work on Individual Learning Plans (ILPs)	-	-	1187	43.0
Provide time for silent reading	-	-	729	26.4
Work with the counselor(s) and/or health staff to help students obtain health and social services	-	-	728	26.5
Assign and discuss relevant readings	-	-	511	18.5
Other	-	-	194	7.0
Total	-*	--	2758*	--

*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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Library Access

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement?	This School					Statewide				
		%					%			
	Total	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
Students have sufficient access to the library/media center.	20	0.0	10.0	60.0	30.0	6756	9.5	21.2	51.7	17.5

School Safety

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?	This School					Statewide				
		%					%			
	Total	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
I feel safe inside my school.	21	0.0	9.5	23.8	66.7	6862	1.8	7.4	54.1	36.7
I feel safe when I walk outside of my school.	21	0.0	4.8	28.6	66.7	6842	1.5	7.0	57.1	34.4

Discipline

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement?	This School					Statewide				
		%					%			
	Total	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
I find that the discipline policies and practices at this school are effective.	20	0.0	10.0	65.0	25.0	6778	7.9	24.4	53.4	14.2

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Student Violence - Physical Harm

During the past 12 months, has a student at this school physically harmed you or threatened you with physical harm?	This School #	This School %	Statewide #	Statewide %
Yes	2	9.5	537	8.0
No	19	90.5	6190	92.0
Total	21	100.0	6727	100.0

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

Did you report it to any of the following people? Check all that apply.	This School* #	This School* %	Statewide* #	Statewide* %
School administration	-	-	469	89.7
Central administration	-	-	66	12.6
Human resources	-	-	41	7.8
School security/Police	-	-	83	15.9
Other teachers	-	-	275	52.6
The student's parent/guardian	-	-	240	45.9
School nurse/psychologist/social worker	-	-	216	41.3
Behavior specialist	-	-	176	33.7
Union representative	-	-	83	15.9

Did you seek medical attention or counseling as a result of this?	This School #	This School %	Statewide #	Statewide %
Yes	-	-	57	10.8
No	-	-	470	89.2
Total	-	-	527	100.0

*Indicates the number and percentage of respondents who answered affirmatively.

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Student Relationships

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?	This School Total	This School % Strongly Disagree	This School % Disagree	This School % Agree	This School % Strongly Agree	Statewide Total	Statewide % Strongly Disagree	Statewide % Disagree	Statewide % Agree	Statewide % Strongly Agree
Students talk to me if they are having a problem at home.	17	0.0	35.3	35.3	29.4	6677	2.0	24.4	55.7	17.8
Students talk to me if they are having a problem with another student.	19	0.0	5.3	57.9	36.8	6789	0.5	7.1	60.9	31.5
Students talk to me if they are having a problem with their classes or schoolwork.	18	0.0	22.2	55.6	22.2	6758	0.4	4.8	64.3	30.4

Equity and Respect

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?	This School Total	This School % Strongly Disagree	This School % Disagree	This School % Agree	This School % Strongly Agree	Statewide Total	Statewide % Strongly Disagree	Statewide % Disagree	Statewide % Agree	Statewide % Strongly Agree
Staff apply rules consistently for all students.	20	0.0	10.0	45.0	45.0	6807	4.7	22.2	56.1	16.9
Students treat teachers and staff with respect.	19	0.0	0.0	63.2	36.8	6827	3.7	16.2	65.4	14.6
Students treat each other with respect.	19	0.0	0.0	78.9	21.1	6820	3.4	20.4	67.0	9.2
Students respect viewpoints different from their own.	17	0.0	11.8	52.9	35.3	6638	1.5	16.1	71.8	10.5

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Professional Climate and Evaluation

How strongly do 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
My performance evaluation process is fair.	20	5.0	15.0	80.0	0.0	6547	13.7	28.7	48.3	9.3
I receive timely feedback about my job performance.	20	0.0	0.0	75.0	25.0	6600	6.2	15.9	60.4	17.5
I have a good working relationship with my building administration.	20	0.0	5.0	50.0	45.0	6767	2.0	5.5	53.5	39.0
I have a good working relationship with other teachers and staff at my school.	20	0.0	5.0	55.0	40.0	6827	0.4	1.4	48.0	50.3

Professional Climate

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?	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.	20	0.0	5.0	40.0	55.0	6849	4.4	12.6	54.4	28.7
The building administration stands up for staff.	20	0.0	5.0	65.0	30.0	6746	5.4	12.1	51.5	30.9
The principal treats all teachers fairly.	21	0.0	9.5	42.9	47.6	6805	4.8	11.3	49.5	34.5
Morale is good among staff in this school.	20	5.0	30.0	65.0	0.0	6851	12.0	25.2	45.4	17.5
Rules and policies affecting staff are clear.	20	0.0	0.0	70.0	30.0	6834	3.9	15.1	57.5	23.5
Staff take pride in this school.	20	5.0	0.0	40.0	55.0	6862	2.5	8.8	52.5	36.1

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Workload

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the folowing statement?	This School Total	This School % Strongly Disagree	This School % Disagree	This School % Agree	This School % Strongly Agree	Statewide Total	Statewide % Strongly Disagree	Statewide % Disagree	Statewide % Agree	Statewide % Strongly Agree
My workload is manageable.	19	21.1	21.1	36.8	21.1	6818	10.5	28.1	53.6	7.8

Vision and Input

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?	This School Total	This School % Strongly Disagree	This School % Disagree	This School % Agree	This School % Strongly Agree	Statewide Total	Statewide % Strongly Disagree	Statewide % Disagree	Statewide % Agree	Statewide % Strongly Agree
I know what administration expects from me.	20	0.0	10.0	55.0	35.0	6898	2.6	8.7	56.1	32.6
Teachers and administrators share a common vision about how to achieve the goals for this school.	19	5.3	10.5	63.2	21.1	6816	5.7	18.6	53.7	22.1
The building administration is open to my input about decisions that affect me.	20	0.0	15.0	50.0	35.0	6798	5.1	13.4	51.3	30.2

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Teacher Decision-Making

How much decision-making authority do teachers in your team/teachers in your school have regarding each of the following?	This School %					Statewide %				
	Total	None	A Little	Some	A Lot	Total	None	A Little	Some	A Lot
Use of common planning time.	17	11.8	35.3	41.2	11.8	6473	16.3	22.2	36.8	24.7
Professional development opportunities.	17	17.6	35.3	29.4	17.6	6485	19.0	31.0	37.1	13.0
Student behavior management policies.	16	0.0	6.3	31.3	62.5	6520	5.8	17.9	45.6	30.7
Student evaluation and assessments.	17	5.9	29.4	41.2	23.5	6519	6.8	17.2	42.3	33.7
Team or grade level goals.	17	0.0	47.1	29.4	23.5	6304	12.2	21.5	43.1	23.3
Teacher teaming	16	12.5	25.0	43.8	18.8	6303	25.7	24.2	34.2	15.9
Instructional methods and materials	17	5.9	17.6	29.4	47.1	6519	6.6	16.9	40.2	36.3
Allocation of instructional time	17	23.5	47.1	11.8	17.6	6413	17.3	19.6	37.9	25.2
Resource expenditures and allocation	16	6.3	50.0	37.5	6.3	6348	33.0	32.3	27.8	6.9

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Parent Involvement Strategies

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement?	This School Total	This School % Strongly Disagree	This School % Disagree	This School % Agree	This School % Strongly Agree	Statewide Total	Statewide % Strongly Disagree	Statewide % Disagree	Statewide % Agree	Statewide % Strongly Agree
Staff plan and implement strategies to increase parent involvement.	18	0.0	22.2	55.6	22.2	6748	2.7	16.8	59.8	20.7

Parent Involvement

How often do the following practices occur in your classes?	This School Total	This School % Never	This School % Some-times	This School % Usually	This School % Always	Statewide Total	Statewide % Never	Statewide % Some-times	Statewide % Usually	Statewide % Always
I have a parent volunteer assist me.	18	44.4	22.2	5.6	27.8	6415	70.8	21.5	4.9	2.8

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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	At Least Weekly	Total	Never	A few times a year	Monthly	At Least Weekly
Class activities and content	16	12.5	6.3	12.5	68.8	6429	7.6	30.4	30.3	31.6
Information on assignments	16	12.5	12.5	18.8	56.3	6450	7.6	25.2	25.6	41.6
Make-up work for students who are absent	16	31.3	0.0	25.0	43.8	6319	10.0	22.6	22.3	45.1
Student academic performance	16	18.8	12.5	31.3	37.5	6477	4.9	29.3	33.5	32.3
Student accomplishments	17	11.8	23.5	11.8	52.9	6589	5.3	41.0	31.5	22.3
Student behavior problems	17	17.6	5.9	17.6	58.8	6578	4.7	33.1	26.6	35.6
Working with students on homework	16	25.0	0.0	25.0	50.0	6340	13.4	27.6	24.1	34.9

Parent-Teacher Communication - Continued

How often do you do the following?	This School %					Statewide %				
	Total	Never	Some-times	Usually	Always	Total	Never	Some-times	Usually	Always
I actively maintain two-way communication with parents.	17	11.8	5.9	17.6	64.7	6812	2.1	16.1	33.3	48.4

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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 #	This School %	Statewide #	Statewide %
0-20%	1	6.3	1662	28.1
21-40%	3	18.8	1130	19.1
41-60%	0	0.0	855	14.4
61-80%	3	18.8	815	13.8
81-100%	9	56.3	1462	24.7
Total	16	100.0	5924	100.0

Community Support

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement?	This School Total	This School % Strongly Disagree	This School % Disagree	This School % Agree	This School % Strongly Agree	Statewide Total	Statewide % Strongly Disagree	Statewide % Disagree	Statewide % Agree	Statewide % Strongly Agree
The community is supportive of the school and its programs.	20	0.0	10.0	60.0	30.0	6803	4.2	17.5	58.6	19.6

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School Facilities and Resources

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?	This School Total	This School % Strongly Disagree	This School % Disagree	This School % Agree	This School % Strongly Agree	Statewide Total	Statewide % Strongly Disagree	Statewide % Disagree	Statewide % Agree	Statewide % Strongly Agree
The school has enough space for effective instruction given the current enrollment.	20	0.0	5.0	60.0	35.0	6913	8.7	24.1	50.9	16.2
The school is clean and well-maintained.	20	0.0	0.0	55.0	45.0	6948	7.2	20.3	51.3	21.2
My classroom is about the right temperature.	20	5.0	15.0	55.0	25.0	6824	14.3	29.6	48.0	8.0
The lights in my classroom are bright enough so students can do their work.	20	0.0	0.0	65.0	35.0	6791	1.6	4.2	71.3	22.8
Students in my classes need to share books.	18	22.2	38.9	33.3	5.6	6502	17.7	42.9	28.1	11.2
I have access to up-to-date instructional materials through the school or district.	18	0.0	27.8	50.0	22.2	6568	11.4	28.2	50.7	9.7
The school has enough computers for students to use.	20	5.0	30.0	55.0	10.0	6818	31.4	34.7	26.3	7.6
I have sufficient access to instructional technology to support student learning.	19	0.0	26.3	57.9	15.8	6691	15.9	28.2	44.4	11.5
I have sufficient access to student data to inform my instruction.	18	0.0	16.7	38.9	44.4	6600	3.1	10.6	66.0	20.3

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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 #	This School %	Statewide #	Statewide %
Less than a half hour	2	11.8	914	13.9
Half an hour to 45 minutes	15	88.2	2869	43.6
46 minutes to 60 minutes	0	0.0	2139	32.5
More than 60 minutes	0	0.0	663	10.1
Total	17	100.0	6585	100.0

Adequacy of Planning Time

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement?	This School Total	This School % Strongly Disagree	This School % Disagree	This School % Agree	This School % Strongly Agree	Statewide Total	Statewide % Strongly Disagree	Statewide % Disagree	Statewide % Agree	Statewide % Strongly Agree
I have an adequate amount of planning time.	16	31.3	25.0	37.5	6.3	6681	13.7	33.7	46.0	6.6

Staff Development Frequency

How often do you participate in the following staff development activities?	This School Total	This School % Never	This School % A few times a year	This School % Monthly	This School % At Least Weekly	Statewide Total	Statewide % Never	Statewide % A few times a year	Statewide % Monthly	Statewide % At Least Weekly
Visits to other classrooms	18	50.0	16.7	5.6	27.8	6602	44.0	35.5	7.9	12.6
Exchanging resources/lesson plans with other teachers in the school.	17	17.6	5.9	35.3	41.2	6517	10.7	25.9	26.2	37.2
Workshops provided by RIDE	17	17.6	70.6	5.9	5.9	6540	40.5	55.7	3.5	0.3
Workshops provided by the school district	18	0.0	72.2	22.2	5.6	6686	9.7	69.6	18.9	1.8
In-service activities provided by the school district	18	11.1	38.9	38.9	11.1	6619	10.6	69.0	17.8	2.6

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Desired Staff Development

For each of the educational practices listed below, how much staff development do you want and/or need?	This School %					Statewide %				
	Total	None	A little	Some	A lot	Total	None	A little	Some	A lot
Working with families to involve them in education	17	17.6	47.1	29.4	5.9	6462	19.6	34.8	34.9	10.7
Incorporating community resources into education	17	23.5	35.3	29.4	11.8	6414	15.8	33.9	38.0	12.3
Using developmentally appropriate instructional methods	17	11.8	41.2	41.2	5.9	6434	21.1	29.6	36.3	12.9
Making data-driven decisions	17	23.5	29.4	35.3	11.8	6507	19.0	29.9	38.8	12.3
Identifying and referring students in need of health and social services	17	41.2	29.4	29.4	0.0	6524	25.0	33.3	31.8	9.8
Using performance-based assessment practices (e.g., portfolios, exhibitions)	17	17.6	29.4	52.9	0.0	6432	23.1	33.3	34.4	9.2
Using technology as part of instruction	17	0.0	17.6	76.5	5.9	6542	10.8	23.6	42.5	23.1
Working with students at risk of dropping out or performing far below their ability	16	37.5	18.8	37.5	6.3	6458	17.2	27.3	37.7	17.8
Utilizing student recognition practices	17	23.5	47.1	23.5	5.9	6311	29.6	33.6	31.8	5.0
Completing additional preparation in my primary content area	17	23.5	52.9	17.6	5.9	6281	30.5	28.6	31.6	9.2
Managing the classroom and/or behavior	17	11.8	52.9	29.4	5.9	6449	33.7	33.4	25.2	7.8
Working with English Language Learners (ELLs)	16	25.0	18.8	43.8	12.5	6376	33.2	32.2	25.8	8.8
Working within professional learning communities	17	23.5	23.5	52.9	0.0	6375	27.1	35.7	30.9	6.3
Assigning service learning	16	50.0	25.0	25.0	0.0	6141	38.1	28.4	25.9	7.7
Developing standards-based lesson plans	17	29.4	35.3	29.4	5.9	6491	20.6	26.0	38.9	14.6
Participating in interdisciplinary teaming	17	29.4	41.2	23.5	5.9	6424	24.0	27.2	36.9	11.8
Differentiating instruction	17	17.6	29.4	35.3	17.6	6452	17.5	27.4	38.7	16.4
Helping students develop reading skills	17	5.9	17.6	70.6	5.9	6426	19.4	27.3	37.6	15.7

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External Support

How strongly do 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 adequate support from RIDE.	16	18.8	25.0	50.0	6.3	6377	22.8	38.0	36.7	2.5
I have adequate support from the school district.	16	12.5	50.0	31.3	6.3	6619	11.3	31.2	51.4	6.1

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