

Department of Education and Early Childhood Development - Integrated Student Survey

Grades 6-12 Responses: Detailed Report 2021-2022

In collaboration with:

Lewisville Middle School (1571) - ASD-E

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Competence

What do you think of the following statements about learning in your school?

	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
1. I feel I do things well at school.	6.0%	10.8%	55.7%	27.5%	83.3%	399
2. I can succeed in my schoolwork.	4.5%	13.4%	39.2%	42.9%	82.2%	380

Note: True includes Sort of true for me and Really true for me .

	Too Easy	Just Right	Too Hard	# of Responses
3. The work I am given at school is...	42.4%	39.2%	18.5%	388

Note: Too easy includes A little easy .

Too hard includes A little hard .

Autonomy

What best describes your feelings and ideas this school year?

	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
4. I feel I have a choice about when and how to do my schoolwork.	19.0%	22.3%	36.0%	22.7%	58.7%	394
5. I feel free to express myself at school.	19.3%	24.0%	35.9%	20.9%	56.7%	397
6. I can work at my own pace at school.	12.7%	21.1%	43.6%	22.5%	66.1%	386
7. I have choices in how I show what I have learned.	9.5%	20.5%	48.8%	21.2%	70.0%	380
8. Teachers/adults in this school listen to my ideas and opinions.	11.0%	20.1%	43.7%	25.2%	68.9%	383

Note: True includes Sort of true for me and Really true for me .

Relatedness

What best describes your feelings and ideas this school year?

	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
9. My teachers like me and care about me.	7.1%	18.1%	43.0%	31.8%	74.8%	396
10. There is at least one adult at school I can go to for help.	13.8%	12.2%	33.2%	40.9%	74.0%	384
11. I feel my teachers think I am good at things.	10.5%	22.1%	43.4%	23.8%	67.2%	392
12. I like to be with my teachers.	15.6%	21.7%	39.2%	23.5%	62.7%	395

Note: True includes Sort of true for me and Really true for me .

Relevance

What do you think of the following statements about learning in your school?

	Disagree	Neither Agree or Disagree	Agree	# of Responses
13. In the past two weeks, I learned at least one thing in school that made me want to know more.	18.9%	29.7%	51.4%	383
14. The things I learn at school help me to understand the world.	17.3%	30.3%	52.5%	381
15. The things I learn at school are important for my future.	10.0%	21.6%	68.4%	383

Note: *Disagree* includes *Strongly disagree*.
Agree includes *Strongly agree*.

Resilience

To what extent do the statements below describe you?

	Not at all	A little	Somewhat	Quite a bit	A lot	# of Responses
16. I am able to solve problems without harming myself or others (for example by using drugs, alcohol or violence).	9.4%	7.6%	12.1%	17.6%	53.2%	391
17. I know where to go in my community to get help.	10.2%	13.4%	21.0%	26.2%	29.2%	394
18. Getting an education is important to me.	4.1%	4.8%	13.3%	17.0%	60.8%	393
19. I try to finish what I start.	3.6%	5.9%	17.0%	32.0%	41.6%	394
20. I have people I look up to.	9.2%	7.1%	14.4%	20.0%	49.4%	392
21. My parent(s)/caregiver(s) know a lot about me.	5.9%	8.2%	13.7%	21.7%	50.6%	393
22. My family stands by me during difficult times.	5.3%	9.9%	14.6%	18.5%	51.7%	392
23. My friends stand by me during difficult times.	4.8%	9.2%	16.7%	28.1%	41.3%	391
24. I have opportunities to develop skills that will be useful later in life (like job skills and skills to care for others).	2.3%	5.2%	17.3%	33.3%	41.9%	386
25. I am treated fairly in my community.	4.8%	7.1%	21.6%	32.2%	34.2%	391
26. I feel I belong at my school.	13.7%	12.4%	18.9%	25.2%	29.8%	394
27. I enjoy my cultural and family traditions.	2.0%	4.1%	10.5%	23.5%	59.9%	391

Family Support

<i>What best describes your feelings and ideas in the last week.</i>	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
28. I feel free to express myself at home.	9.9%	14.7%	23.9%	51.4%	75.3%	391
29. I like to spend time with my parents.	5.5%	9.8%	29.5%	55.2%	84.7%	394
30. I feel I do things well at home.	5.7%	14.1%	42.6%	37.5%	80.1%	397
31. My parents like me and care about me.	2.0%	7.0%	14.3%	76.6%	90.9%	396
32. I feel my parents think that I am good at things.	4.8%	11.9%	27.0%	56.4%	83.4%	396
33. I feel like I have a choice about when and how to do my household chores.	22.7%	20.2%	25.2%	31.8%	57.0%	391

Note: *True* includes *Sort of true for me* and *Really true for me*.

Support from Friends

<i>What best describes your feelings and ideas in the last week.</i>	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
34. I feel free to express myself with my friends.	6.7%	12.3%	28.4%	52.5%	80.9%	397
35. I feel I have a choice about which activities to do with my friends.	7.2%	13.5%	32.9%	46.3%	79.2%	397
36. I feel I do things well when I am with my friends.	4.0%	15.3%	35.4%	45.3%	80.7%	397
37. My friends like me and care about me.	4.8%	10.5%	30.5%	54.2%	84.7%	399
38. I feel my friends think I am good at things.	7.9%	12.8%	37.7%	41.6%	79.3%	395
39. I like to spend time with my friends.	1.5%	3.0%	17.5%	78.0%	95.5%	398

Note: *True* includes *Sort of true for me* and *Really true for me*.

School Connectedness

<i>How strongly do you agree with each of the following?</i>	Disagree	Agree	# of Responses
40. I feel close to people at my school.	25.1%	74.9%	395
41. I feel I am part of my school.	29.0%	71.0%	393
42. I am happy to be at my school.	31.6%	68.4%	385
43. I feel the teachers at my school treat me fairly.	23.9%	76.1%	393
44. I feel safe in my school.	27.1%	72.9%	393
45. I feel my learning needs are met at my school.	24.9%	75.1%	390

Note: *Disagree* includes *Strongly disagree*.

Agree includes *Strongly agree*.

Student Values

		Not important	Important	# of Responses
<i>How important are each of the following to you?</i>				
46.	Getting good grades.	8.2%	91.8%	393
47.	Making friends.	23.0%	77.0%	393
48.	Getting to class on time.	19.0%	81.0%	390
49.	Learning new things.	11.8%	88.2%	392
50.	Expressing my opinion in class.	40.9%	59.1%	387
51.	Getting involved in the student council or other similar groups.	47.6%	52.4%	386
52.	Learning about my culture/heritage.	27.1%	72.9%	385

Note: *Not important* includes *Not very important* and *Not important at all*.
Important includes *Very important*.

Engagement

		Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
<i>What best describes your feelings and ideas this school year?</i>							
53.	I am disruptive in school.	37.1%	30.4%	23.1%	9.5%	32.5%	369
54.	I get to school or class late.	47.0%	33.8%	14.7%	4.5%	19.2%	384
55.	I work hard to learn in school.	3.2%	12.7%	37.7%	46.4%	84.1%	382
56.	I pay attention in class.	6.0%	15.0%	44.7%	34.3%	79.0%	382

Note: *True* includes *Sort of true for me* and *Really true for me*.

Learning Environment		Did not happen at all	Hardly any / A few classes	Most / All of my classes	# of Responses
<i>In the last two weeks, how often have you noticed the following in your classes?</i>					
57.	The purpose of the lesson was clear to me.	4.7%	33.5%	61.8%	371
58.	The teacher checked to make sure I understood at least once.	8.6%	43.8%	47.6%	375
59.	I had an opportunity to work collaboratively with a partner, or in a small group.	3.0%	47.8%	49.1%	368
60.	We used a rubric to self-assess our learning.	25.7%	47.6%	26.7%	328
61.	We co-constructed a rubric.	32.1%	44.7%	23.2%	313
62.	The teacher showed us how to do something, then worked through an example with us, and then gave us a chance to try it on our own.	4.3%	31.9%	63.9%	361
63.	The teacher gave me a chance to explain my thinking.	9.9%	45.0%	45.1%	368
64.	The teacher took my interests and strengths into account when assigning schoolwork.	18.3%	47.0%	34.6%	368
65.	I got feedback from the teacher that helped me to improve what I was working on.	9.0%	42.8%	48.2%	367
66.	I understood what was taught.	4.4%	27.1%	68.5%	367
67.	I could have learned just as well by reading or researching on my own.	6.0%	42.2%	51.8%	364
68.	It was hard to pay attention because of the disruptions in class.	11.3%	50.2%	38.5%	362
69.	I am expected to work hard in my subjects/courses.	1.9%	11.6%	86.4%	363

Language and Culture		Disagree	Neither Agree or Disagree	Agree	# of Responses
<i>What do you think of the following statements about language and culture?</i>					
70.	I am comfortable speaking French outside of school.	35.4%	28.6%	36.0%	375
71.	I understand when my teacher speaks French to me in class.	23.9%	24.1%	52.0%	378
72.	Respecting other cultures is something that students should learn as early as possible.	4.3%	10.7%	85.0%	375

Note: *Disagree* includes *Strongly disagree*.
Agree includes *Strongly agree*.

	English Program	French Immersion	# of Responses
73. What program are you in?	43.3%	56.7%	383

Bullying

In the last two months, have you been bullied at school in the ways listed below?

	Yes	# of Responses
74. Physical attacks.	19.5%	352
75. Verbal attacks.	45.7%	353
76. Cyber-attacks.	26.6%	354
77. Exclusion.	28.8%	352
78. Someone stole from you or damaged your things.	35.2%	349
79. Someone made mean comments about your race, religion or personal features.	21.9%	346
80. Someone made sexual jokes, comments or gestures to you.	26.2%	349

	Yes	# of Responses
81. In the last two months, have you bullied another student at	17.4%	355

Think of the last time you were bullied. What did you do?

		# of Responses
82. I ignored it	38.9%	260
83. I stood up to the bully or fought back	29.0%	260
84. I tried talking to the bully	8.1%	260
85. I told an adult at the school about it	13.5%	260
86. I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it	19.4%	260
87. I told another student about it	15.2%	260
88. I called a helpline or other support service	0.8%	260
89. I have not been bullied (did not answer the above questions)	26.7%	354

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer between items 82 to 88.

<i>If you were bullied, including online bullying, when did it happen most often?</i>			# of Responses
90.	Before school	6.3%	347
91.	During classes	15.6%	347
92.	Between classes	18.0%	347
93.	During recess or lunch	28.4%	347
94.	During extra-curricular activities (e.g., sports, clubs)	4.9%	347
95.	After school	22.6%	347
96.	I have not been bullied (did not answer the above questions)	42.4%	347

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer for items 90 to 95.

<i>Do you avoid any places in your school because of bullying?</i>			# of Responses
97.	Classrooms (including library and computer rooms)	17.9%	129
98.	Hallways	28.2%	129
99.	Gym	13.1%	129
100.	Change rooms or locker rooms	20.2%	129
101.	Washrooms	27.1%	129
102.	Lunchroom or cafeteria	13.2%	129
103.	Outside on school property (e.g., playground, parking lot)	30.0%	129
104.	Bus	30.9%	129

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer for items 97 to 104.

<i>Think of the last time you saw or heard another student being bullied. What did you do?</i>			# of Responses
105.	I ignored it	28.3%	189
106.	I stood up to the bully or fought back	20.5%	189
107.	I tried talking to the bully	14.8%	189
108.	I told an adult at the school about it	16.9%	189
109.	I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it	11.2%	189
110.	I told another student about it	15.9%	189
111.	I tried to help the person being bullied	27.9%	189
112.	I have not seen or heard another student (did not answer the above questions)	47.0%	356

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer for items 105 to 111.

<i>What do you think of the following statements about how your school handles bullying?</i>	Disagree	Neither Agree or Disagree	Agree	# of Responses
112. Adults notice when bullying occurs.	36.8%	32.3%	30.8%	347
113. There is a safe process for reporting bullying.	25.5%	31.0%	43.6%	346
114. Adults deal with bullying quickly whenever it happens.	38.5%	27.8%	33.7%	345
115. My school is good at preventing bullying.	34.3%	34.9%	30.8%	342
116. Respect for others is valued and taught.	19.6%	28.4%	51.9%	338
117. Kindness/empathy is valued and taught.	21.2%	25.9%	53.0%	337

Note: *Disagree* includes *Strongly disagree*.
Agree includes *Strongly agree*.

Well-Being

<i>In the last 12 months...</i>	Yes	# of Responses
118. Did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?	44.7%	351
119. Did you ever feel nervous, anxious or on edge or you were unable to stop or control worrying almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?	49.0%	345

	Never / Rarely	Sometimes	Most of the time / All the time	# of Responses
120. During the last 12 months, how often have you felt lonely?	38.1%	32.3%	29.7%	358

	Poor	Fair	Good	Very good	Excellent	Very good / Excellent	# of Responses
121. In general, would you say your health is...	1.7%	14.6%	34.4%	31.9%	17.4%	49.3%	407

	Low 0 - 5	Medium 6 - 7	High 8 - 9	Best life 10	# of Responses
122. Rating of life satisfaction from 0-10.	26.6%	31.1%	29.3%	13.0%	390

Demographics

<i>About you...</i>	Responses		# of Responses
123. What grade are you in?	Grade 6	29.9%	408
	Grade 7	35.2%	
	Grade 8	34.9%	
	Grade 9	0.0%	
	Grade 10	0.0%	
	Grade 11	0.0%	
	Grade 12	0.0%	

	Responses		# of Responses
124. How old are you today (in years)?	10	0.7%	408
	11	29.4%	
	12	35.6%	
	13	32.2%	
	14	1.8%	
	15	0.0%	
	16	0.0%	
	17	0.0%	
	18	0.0%	
	19	0.3%	

	Responses		# of Responses
125. What language do you speak at home most of the time?	English	78.0%	407
	French	1.7%	
	English and French equally	4.4%	
	Mi'kmaw	0.2%	
	Wolastoqey	0.0%	
	Other	15.7%	

		Responses					# of Responses	
126.	How do you identify?	Man / boy	52.9%					397
		Woman / girl	36.8%					
		Non-binary	10.3%					
		Two spirit	0.0%					
		Responses					# of Responses	
127.	Which of the following best describes you?	Heterosexual	70.7%					373
		Gay / Lesbian	3.5%					
		Bisexual	8.0%					
		Pansexual	4.5%					
		Two spirit	*					
		Asexual	3.9%					
		I am not yet sure of my sexual identity	6.4%					
		Other	2.7%					
		No	Yes				# of Responses	
128.	Do you identify as First Nations (including Mi'kmaw, Wolastoqey or Passamaquoddy), Metis and/or Inuk/Inuit?	94.7%	5.3%				355	
		Yes					# of Responses	
129.	If you answered <u>yes</u> to the previous question, please select which of the following apply to you.	First Nations person living in a First Nation community	*					14
		First Nations person not living in a First Nation community	71.2%					14
		Metis	0.0%					14
		Inuit	0.0%					14
		No	Yes				# of Responses	
130.	Were you born in Canada?	25.9%	74.1%				407	
		1 year to 2 years	3 to 5 years	5 years or less	6 to 10 years	11 or more years	# of Responses	
131.	If you were not born in Canada, how long have you lived in Canada?	33.4%	32.8%	66.3%	21.4%	12.3%	24	