

Department of Education and Early Childhood Development School Improvement Survey

Students 4-5 Responses: Detailed Report 2021-2022



Sunny Brae Middle School (1559)

Competence	False	True	# of Responses
1. I feel I do things well at school	12.1%	87.9%	58
2. I can succeed in my schoolwork.	21.1%	78.9%	57

	Too Easy	Just Right	Too Hard	# of Responses
3. The work I am given at school is ...	21.7%	46.7%	31.7%	60

Autonomy	False	True	# of Responses
4. I can work at my own pace at school.	17.2%	82.8%	58
5. I have choices in how I show what I have learned.	20.0%	80.0%	55
6. Teachers/adults in this school listen to my ideas and opinions.	28.6%	71.4%	56
7. I feel free to express myself at school.	34.5%	65.5%	58
8. I feel I have a choice about when and how to do my schoolwork.	33.3%	66.7%	57

Relatedness	False	True	# of Responses
9. I feel my teachers think I am good at things.	17.5%	82.5%	57
10. My teachers like me and care about me	13.8%	86.2%	58
11. I like to be with my teachers	19.3%	80.7%	57
12. There is at least one adult at school I can go to for help.	22.2%	77.8%	54

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Relevance	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	% Agreement	# of Responses	
13. In the past two weeks, I learned at least one thing in school that made me want to know more	17.5%	14.0%	68.4%	68.4%	57	
14. The things I learn at school help me to understand the world	22.8%	10.5%	66.7%	66.7%	57	
15. The things I learn at school are important for my future	16.1%	7.1%	76.8%	76.8%	56	
Resilience	False	True				# of Responses
16. I feel I belong at my school	29.3%	70.7%				58
Engagement	False	True				# of Responses
17. I am disruptive in school	75.0%	25.0%				56
18. I get to school or class late	74.1%	25.9%				58
19. I pay attention in class	10.5%	89.5%				57
20. I work hard to learn in school	10.2%	89.8%				59
Learning Environment	Not at all	Once or twice	On most days	At least once every day	Many times each day	# of Responses
21. 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	8.9%	3.6%	12.5%	25.0%	50.0%	56
22. The teacher gave me a chance to explain my thinking	11.8%	3.9%	13.7%	33.3%	37.3%	51
23. I got feedback from the teacher that helped me to improve what I was working on	9.1%	9.1%	21.8%	23.6%	36.4%	55
24. I understood what was taught	9.3%	3.7%	14.8%	11.1%	61.1%	54

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Language and Culture	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	% Agreement		# of Responses
25. I am comfortable speaking French outside of school.	20.7%	31.0%	48.3%	48.3%		58
26. I understand when my teacher speaks French to me in class	8.9%	26.8%	64.3%	64.3%		56

Teaching and Learning	Not at all	Once or twice	On most days	At least once every day	Many times each day	# of Responses
27. The teacher said what the lesson was going to be about before beginning	8.6%	12.1%	8.6%	22.4%	48.3%	58
28. The teacher checked to make sure I understood	7.0%	5.3%	21.1%	14.0%	52.6%	57
29. I worked with a partner, or in a small group	7.4%	11.1%	24.1%	29.6%	27.8%	54
30. The teacher thought about my interests and strengths when giving schoolwork	11.1%	3.7%	14.8%	35.2%	35.2%	54
31. I could have learned just as well by reading or looking it up on my own	21.8%	12.7%	25.5%	20.0%	20.0%	55
32. It was hard to pay attention because of how often the class was interrupted	12.7%	20.0%	23.6%	23.6%	20.0%	55
33. I was expected to work hard in my subjects	7.4%	1.9%	7.4%	24.1%	59.3%	54

Percentage of students experiencing bullying in the last two months at school	Yes	No	# of Responses
34. Physical attacks (for example, getting beaten up, pushed or kicked)	27.1%	72.9%	59
35. Verbal attacks (for example, being called mean names, made fun of or teased in a hurtful way, threatened, or having lies told or rumours spread about you)	36.2%	63.8%	58
36. Cyber-attacks (for example, receiving mean text messages or having rumours spread about you on the Internet or on social media)	13.6%	86.4%	59

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37. Exclusion (for example, being left out of things on purpose, being excluded from a group of friends or completely ignored)	37.9%	62.1%	58
38. Someone stole from you or damaged your things	19.0%	81.0%	58
39. Someone made mean comments about your race, religion or personal features	18.6%	81.4%	59

Actions of students being bullied	Yes	No	# of Responses
40. I ignored it	50.0%	50.0%	34
41. I stood up to the bully	23.5%	76.5%	34
42. I fought back	23.5%	76.5%	34
43. I tried talking to the bully	17.6%	82.4%	34
44. I told an adult at the school about it	41.2%	58.8%	34
45. I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it	44.1%	55.9%	34
46. I told another student or friend about it	29.4%	70.6%	34
47. I called a helpline or other support service	5.9%	94.1%	34

When bullying occurred (% of students)	Yes	No	# of Responses
48. Before school	15.2%	84.8%	33
49. During classes	18.2%	81.8%	33
50. Between classes	12.1%	87.9%	33
51. During recess or lunch	48.5%	51.5%	33
52. During extra-curricular activities (e.g., sports, clubs)	9.1%	90.9%	33
53. After school	33.3%	66.7%	33

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Percentage of students avoiding locations because of bullying	Yes	No	# of Responses
54. Classrooms (including library and computer rooms)	0.0%	100.0%	22
55. Hallways	27.3%	72.7%	22
56. Gym	4.5%	95.5%	22
57. Change rooms or locker rooms	4.5%	95.5%	22
58. Washrooms	4.5%	95.5%	22
59. Lunchroom or cafeteria	0.0%	100.0%	22
60. Outside on school property (e.g., playground, parking lot)	36.4%	63.6%	22
61. Bus	31.8%	68.2%	22

Responses of students witnessing bullying	Yes	No	# of Responses
62. I have not seen or heard another student being bullied	39.7%	60.3%	58
63. I ignored it	15.5%	84.5%	58
64. I stood up to the bully	25.9%	74.1%	58
65. I tried talking to the bully	19.0%	81.0%	58
66. I told an adult at the school about it	15.5%	84.5%	58
67. I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it	6.9%	93.1%	58
68. I told another student or friend about it	10.3%	89.7%	58
69. I tried to help the person being bullied	19.0%	81.0%	58

Bullying	Yes	No	# of Responses
70. In the last two months, did you bully another student at school?	10.0%	90.0%	60

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School response to bullying	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	% Agreement			# of Responses
71. Adults notice when there is bullying	21.1%	26.3%	52.6%	52.6%		57	
72. There is a safe way to report bullying at my school	14.0%	15.8%	70.2%	70.2%		57	
73. Adults deal with bullying quickly whenever it happens	13.0%	24.1%	63.0%	63.0%		54	
74. My school is good at preventing bullying	12.5%	26.8%	60.7%	60.7%		56	
75. In my school, the consequences for bullying are clear	7.4%	20.4%	72.2%	72.2%		54	
76. Respect for others is valued and taught	5.6%	13.0%	81.5%	81.5%		54	
77. Kindness is valued and taught	7.3%	16.4%	76.4%	76.4%		55	

Demographics	English Program	French Immersion Program	# of Responses
78. What program are you in?	55.0%	45.0%	60

	4	5	# of Responses
80. What grade are you in?	0.0%	100.0%	59

	8	9	10	11	12 or older	# of Responses
81. How old are you today?	0.0%	8.3%	83.3%	5.0%	3.3%	60

	English	French	English and French Equally	Mi'kmaw	Wolastoqey	Other	# of Responses
82. What language do you speak at home most of the time?	78.3%	1.7%	8.3%	0.0%	0.0%	11.7%	60

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	a boy	a girl	in another way	I prefer not to respond		# of Responses
83. Do you think of yourself as ...	45.0%	48.3%	3.3%	3.3%		60
	Living in a First Nation community	Not living in FirstNation community	Métis	Inuk/Inuit	I prefer not to answer	# of Responses
84. Which of the following describes you? (Responses of those identified as First Nations)	*	*	*	*	*	4
	Yes	No				# of Responses
85. Were you born in Canada?	81.4%	18.6%				59
	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 or more years		# of Responses
86. How long have you lived in Canada? (Responses of those not born in Canada)	0.0%	55.6%	44.4%	0.0%		9
Well-Being	Worst possible life	Low	Medium	High	Best possible life	# of Responses
79. How do you feel about your life in general?	0.0%	10.0%	13.3%	36.7%	40.0%	60
	Fair	Good	Very Good			# of Responses
87. In general, would you say your health is...?	5.0%	31.7%	63.3%			60

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