

Department of Education and Early Childhood Development School Improvement Survey

Students 4-5 Responses: Detailed Report 2021-2022



Macdonald Consolidated School (1925)

Competence	False	True	# of Responses
1. I feel I do things well at school	8.7%	91.3%	46
2. I can succeed in my schoolwork.	4.4%	95.6%	45

	Too Easy	Just Right	Too Hard	# of Responses
3. The work I am given at school is ...	34.8%	37.0%	28.3%	46

Autonomy	False	True	# of Responses
4. I can work at my own pace at school.	17.8%	82.2%	45
5. I have choices in how I show what I have learned.	19.6%	80.4%	46
6. Teachers/adults in this school listen to my ideas and opinions.	15.9%	84.1%	44
7. I feel free to express myself at school.	31.8%	68.2%	44
8. I feel I have a choice about when and how to do my schoolwork.	53.3%	46.7%	45

Relatedness	False	True	# of Responses
9. I feel my teachers think I am good at things.	26.7%	73.3%	45
10. My teachers like me and care about me	13.0%	87.0%	46
11. I like to be with my teachers	17.4%	82.6%	46
12. There is at least one adult at school I can go to for help.	6.7%	93.3%	45

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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	10.9%	6.5%	82.6%	82.6%	46	
14. The things I learn at school help me to understand the world	8.9%	17.8%	73.3%	73.3%	45	
15. The things I learn at school are important for my future	6.5%	13.0%	80.4%	80.4%	46	
Resilience	False	True				# of Responses
16. I feel I belong at my school	13.3%	86.7%				45
Engagement	False	True				# of Responses
17. I am disruptive in school	73.3%	26.7%				45
18. I get to school or class late	71.1%	28.9%				45
19. I pay attention in class	6.5%	93.5%				46
20. I work hard to learn in school	2.2%	97.8%				46
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	0.0%	2.2%	13.3%	35.6%	48.9%	45
22. The teacher gave me a chance to explain my thinking	2.2%	15.6%	24.4%	24.4%	33.3%	45
23. I got feedback from the teacher that helped me to improve what I was working on	0.0%	11.1%	26.7%	20.0%	42.2%	45
24. I understood what was taught	2.3%	11.4%	13.6%	29.5%	43.2%	44

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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.	32.6%	26.1%	41.3%	41.3%		46
26. I understand when my teacher speaks French to me in class	32.6%	37.0%	30.4%	30.4%		46

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	0.0%	8.7%	37.0%	21.7%	32.6%	46
28. The teacher checked to make sure I understood	2.2%	8.9%	15.6%	28.9%	44.4%	45
29. I worked with a partner, or in a small group	0.0%	30.4%	23.9%	30.4%	15.2%	46
30. The teacher thought about my interests and strengths when giving schoolwork	13.6%	9.1%	27.3%	20.5%	29.5%	44
31. I could have learned just as well by reading or looking it up on my own	31.1%	11.1%	17.8%	17.8%	22.2%	45
32. It was hard to pay attention because of how often the class was interrupted	9.1%	18.2%	11.4%	15.9%	45.5%	44
33. I was expected to work hard in my subjects	0.0%	4.4%	6.7%	4.4%	84.4%	45

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)	33.3%	66.7%	45
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)	47.8%	52.2%	46
36. Cyber-attacks (for example, receiving mean text messages or having rumours spread about you on the Internet or on social media)	4.4%	95.6%	45

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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)	33.3%	66.7%	45
38. Someone stole from you or damaged your things	26.7%	73.3%	45
39. Someone made mean comments about your race, religion or personal features	15.6%	84.4%	45

Actions of students being bullied	Yes	No	# of Responses
40. I ignored it	24.1%	75.9%	29
41. I stood up to the bully	31.0%	69.0%	29
42. I fought back	13.8%	86.2%	29
43. I tried talking to the bully	37.9%	62.1%	29
44. I told an adult at the school about it	34.5%	65.5%	29
45. I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it	37.9%	62.1%	29
46. I told another student or friend about it	44.8%	55.2%	29
47. I called a helpline or other support service	0.0%	100.0%	29

When bullying occurred (% of students)	Yes	No	# of Responses
48. Before school	20.7%	79.3%	29
49. During classes	10.3%	89.7%	29
50. Between classes	17.2%	82.8%	29
51. During recess or lunch	65.5%	34.5%	29
52. During extra-curricular activities (e.g., sports, clubs)	3.4%	96.6%	29
53. After school	27.6%	72.4%	29

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Percentage of students avoiding locations because of bullying	Yes	No	# of Responses
54. Classrooms (including library and computer rooms)	12.5%	87.5%	24
55. Hallways	16.7%	83.3%	24
56. Gym	8.3%	91.7%	24
57. Change rooms or locker rooms	4.2%	95.8%	24
58. Washrooms	20.8%	79.2%	24
59. Lunchroom or cafeteria	4.2%	95.8%	24
60. Outside on school property (e.g., playground, parking lot)	62.5%	37.5%	24
61. Bus	37.5%	62.5%	24

Responses of students witnessing bullying	Yes	No	# of Responses
62. I have not seen or heard another student being bullied	32.6%	67.4%	46
63. I ignored it	6.5%	93.5%	46
64. I stood up to the bully	34.8%	65.2%	46
65. I tried talking to the bully	17.4%	82.6%	46
66. I told an adult at the school about it	26.1%	73.9%	46
67. I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it	6.5%	93.5%	46
68. I told another student or friend about it	15.2%	84.8%	46
69. I tried to help the person being bullied	23.9%	76.1%	46

Bullying	Yes	No	# of Responses
70. In the last two months, did you bully another student at school?	8.9%	91.1%	45

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School response to bullying	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	% Agreement			# of Responses
71. Adults notice when there is bullying	23.9%	10.9%	65.2%	65.2%		46	
72. There is a safe way to report bullying at my school	6.7%	8.9%	84.4%	84.4%		45	
73. Adults deal with bullying quickly whenever it happens	15.6%	6.7%	77.8%	77.8%		45	
74. My school is good at preventing bullying	13.3%	20.0%	66.7%	66.7%		45	
75. In my school, the consequences for bullying are clear	11.4%	13.6%	75.0%	75.0%		44	
76. Respect for others is valued and taught	2.3%	4.5%	93.2%	93.2%		44	
77. Kindness is valued and taught	0.0%	4.4%	95.6%	95.6%		45	

Demographics	English Program	French Immersion Program				# of Responses
78. What program are you in?	97.8%	2.2%				46

	4	5				# of Responses
80. What grade are you in?	55.6%	44.4%				45

	8	9	10	11	12 or older	# of Responses
81. How old are you today?	2.2%	56.5%	37.0%	4.3%	0.0%	46

	English	French	English and French Equally	Mi'kmaw	Wolastoqey	Other	# of Responses
82. What language do you speak at home most of the time?	93.5%	4.3%	2.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	46

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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 ...	57.8%	37.8%	0.0%	4.4%	45

	Living in a First Nation community	Not living in First Nation 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)	*	*	*	*	*	1

	Yes	No	# of Responses
85. Were you born in Canada?	100.0%	0.0%	46

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%	8.7%	26.1%	28.3%	37.0%	46

	Fair	Good	Very Good	# of Responses
87. In general, would you say your health is...?	8.7%	26.1%	65.2%	46

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