

Department of Education and Early Childhood Development - Integrated Student Survey

Grades 6-12 Responses: Detailed Report 2021-2022

In collaboration with:

Leo Hayes High School (2640) - ASD-W

New Brunswick Health Council

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.	6.3%	12.7%	48.5%	32.5%	81.0%	983
2. I can succeed in my schoolwork.	4.5%	9.3%	45.9%	40.3%	86.2%	967

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...	42.6%	40.4%	17.0%	975

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.	13.8%	21.8%	36.4%	27.9%	64.3%	984
5. I feel free to express myself at school.	13.2%	26.2%	40.5%	20.2%	60.6%	981
6. I can work at my own pace at school.	13.9%	27.5%	41.7%	17.0%	58.7%	971
7. I have choices in how I show what I have learned.	9.9%	27.2%	47.8%	15.2%	62.9%	969
8. Teachers/adults in this school listen to my ideas and opinions.	8.1%	22.9%	52.3%	16.6%	68.9%	964

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.	5.3%	17.1%	50.9%	26.8%	77.6%	985
10. There is at least one adult at school I can go to for help.	10.1%	11.8%	36.5%	41.7%	78.1%	965
11. I feel my teachers think I am good at things.	8.4%	17.0%	49.9%	24.8%	74.7%	985
12. I like to be with my teachers.	13.9%	28.1%	44.2%	13.8%	58.0%	984

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.	24.0%	25.3%	50.7%	969
14. The things I learn at school help me to understand the world.	29.4%	26.8%	43.8%	968
15. The things I learn at school are important for my future.	21.7%	23.8%	54.5%	966

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).	4.7%	8.6%	10.7%	21.7%	54.3%	956
17. I know where to go in my community to get help.	12.2%	14.7%	28.1%	25.6%	19.5%	968
18. Getting an education is important to me.	2.0%	3.8%	11.6%	29.9%	52.8%	967
19. I try to finish what I start.	2.0%	5.8%	17.8%	38.9%	35.5%	971
20. I have people I look up to.	4.9%	9.3%	22.1%	29.2%	34.5%	969
21. My parent(s)/caregiver(s) know a lot about me.	6.2%	8.4%	17.9%	31.4%	36.1%	969
22. My family stands by me during difficult times.	3.3%	7.9%	14.5%	28.9%	45.4%	969
23. My friends stand by me during difficult times.	4.2%	7.3%	17.5%	28.9%	42.2%	966
24. I have opportunities to develop skills that will be useful later in life (like job skills and skills to care for others).	2.6%	7.4%	19.2%	37.5%	33.4%	967
25. I am treated fairly in my community.	2.3%	6.5%	19.5%	39.9%	31.8%	965
26. I feel I belong at my school.	10.4%	11.9%	27.1%	29.3%	21.4%	967
27. I enjoy my cultural and family traditions.	2.6%	4.3%	16.3%	31.0%	45.8%	965

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.	7.2%	10.2%	30.3%	52.3%	82.6%	985
29.	I like to spend time with my parents.	7.9%	11.2%	37.6%	43.3%	80.8%	985
30.	I feel I do things well at home.	6.5%	13.4%	41.2%	38.9%	80.0%	985
31.	My parents like me and care about me.	2.6%	5.1%	17.9%	74.4%	92.3%	985
32.	I feel my parents think that I am good at things.	4.1%	10.5%	30.5%	55.0%	85.5%	985
33.	I feel like I have a choice about when and how to do my household chores.	10.1%	19.8%	38.9%	31.2%	70.1%	980

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.	4.4%	9.0%	32.3%	54.3%	86.6%	983
35.	I feel I have a choice about which activities to do with my friends.	4.0%	9.7%	40.3%	45.9%	86.3%	982
36.	I feel I do things well when I am with my friends.	3.5%	9.0%	40.5%	47.0%	87.5%	983
37.	My friends like me and care about me.	4.1%	5.9%	32.9%	57.1%	90.0%	980
38.	I feel my friends think I am good at things.	3.7%	10.3%	44.4%	41.7%	86.0%	978
39.	I like to spend time with my friends.	2.1%	4.5%	21.2%	72.2%	93.4%	979

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.	29.6%	70.4%	970
41.	I feel I am part of my school.	34.6%	65.4%	970
42.	I am happy to be at my school.	42.2%	57.8%	972
43.	I feel the teachers at my school treat me fairly.	18.9%	81.1%	972
44.	I feel safe in my school.	28.4%	71.6%	969
45.	I feel my learning needs are met at my school.	29.3%	70.7%	968

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.	9.5%	90.5%	976
47.	Making friends.	18.6%	81.4%	975
48.	Getting to class on time.	26.5%	73.5%	976
49.	Learning new things.	10.6%	89.4%	976
50.	Expressing my opinion in class.	43.0%	57.0%	974
51.	Getting involved in the student council or other similar groups.	73.0%	27.0%	975
52.	Learning about my culture/heritage.	42.1%	57.9%	974

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.	53.2%	26.9%	15.2%	4.7%	19.9%	968
54.	I get to school or class late.	48.1%	22.3%	20.7%	8.9%	29.6%	968
55.	I work hard to learn in school.	4.3%	15.3%	43.8%	36.6%	80.4%	966
56.	I pay attention in class.	5.2%	15.5%	48.5%	30.8%	79.3%	965

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.	2.8%	42.2%	55.0%	957
58.	The teacher checked to make sure I understood at least once.	8.3%	50.7%	41.0%	959
59.	I had an opportunity to work collaboratively with a partner, or in a small group.	6.5%	57.8%	35.6%	957
60.	We used a rubric to self-assess our learning.	16.1%	52.9%	31.1%	959
61.	We co-constructed a rubric.	50.7%	37.6%	11.6%	958
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.	4.0%	43.5%	52.5%	954
63.	The teacher gave me a chance to explain my thinking.	11.5%	53.3%	35.2%	957
64.	The teacher took my interests and strengths into account when assigning schoolwork.	28.9%	49.8%	21.3%	956
65.	I got feedback from the teacher that helped me to improve what I was working on.	10.7%	50.0%	39.4%	955
66.	I understood what was taught.	2.7%	33.8%	63.5%	954
67.	I could have learned just as well by reading or researching on my own.	6.3%	45.8%	47.8%	951
68.	It was hard to pay attention because of the disruptions in class.	12.9%	63.4%	23.7%	952
69.	I am expected to work hard in my subjects/courses.	1.3%	15.0%	83.7%	949

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.	41.4%	21.4%	37.2%	948
71.	I understand when my teacher speaks French to me in class.	27.1%	14.0%	58.9%	947
72.	Respecting other cultures is something that students should learn as early as possible.	5.1%	8.3%	86.6%	951

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

	English Program	French Immersion	# of Responses
73. What program are you in?	54.5%	45.5%	942

Bullying

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

	Yes	# of Responses
74. Physical attacks.	6.4%	916
75. Verbal attacks.	25.1%	917
76. Cyber-attacks.	14.4%	915
77. Exclusion.	7.7%	919
78. Someone stole from you or damaged your things.	21.5%	916
79. Someone made mean comments about your race, religion or personal features.	15.0%	915
80. Someone made sexual jokes, comments or gestures to you.	18.7%	918

	Yes	# of Responses
81. In the last two months, have you bullied another student at	9.6%	917

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

		# of Responses
82. I ignored it	53.7%	563
83. I stood up to the bully or fought back	22.0%	563
84. I tried talking to the bully	10.2%	563
85. I told an adult at the school about it	11.6%	563
86. I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it	19.3%	563
87. I told another student about it	14.2%	563
88. I called a helpline or other support service	1.0%	563
89. I have not been bullied (did not answer the above questions)	38.4%	913

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	3.8%	901
91.	During classes	13.4%	901
92.	Between classes	11.1%	901
93.	During recess or lunch	17.6%	901
94.	During extra-curricular activities (e.g., sports, clubs)	3.8%	901
95.	After school	20.7%	901
96.	I have not been bullied (did not answer the above questions)	53.6%	901

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)	11.0%	375
98.	Hallways	14.7%	375
99.	Gym	11.8%	375
100.	Change rooms or locker rooms	19.6%	375
101.	Washrooms	39.3%	375
102.	Lunchroom or cafeteria	16.5%	375
103.	Outside on school property (e.g., playground, parking lot)	31.1%	375
104.	Bus	11.7%	375

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	41.4%	427
106.	I stood up to the bully or fought back	15.6%	427
107.	I tried talking to the bully	10.1%	427
108.	I told an adult at the school about it	13.3%	427
109.	I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it	19.4%	427
110.	I told another student about it	20.2%	427
111.	I tried to help the person being bullied	23.6%	427
112.	I have not seen or heard another student (did not answer the above questions)	53.3%	912

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.	46.6%	33.9%	19.5%	912
113. There is a safe process for reporting bullying.	33.4%	35.4%	31.3%	908
114. Adults deal with bullying quickly whenever it happens.	41.6%	36.4%	22.0%	908
115. My school is good at preventing bullying.	43.2%	39.2%	17.6%	907
116. Respect for others is valued and taught.	24.9%	34.3%	40.9%	906
117. Kindness/empathy is valued and taught.	25.7%	31.9%	42.4%	905

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?	49.6%	931
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?	53.8%	920

	Never / Rarely	Sometimes	Most of the time / All the time	# of Responses
120. During the last 12 months, how often have you felt lonely?	28.0%	36.6%	35.4%	931

	Poor	Fair	Good	Very good	Excellent	Very good / Excellent	# of Responses
121. In general, would you say your health is...	4.1%	14.1%	32.3%	33.7%	15.7%	49.5%	999

	Low 0 - 5	Medium 6 - 7	High 8 - 9	Best life 10	# of Responses
122. Rating of life satisfaction from 0-10.	29.2%	37.0%	27.3%	6.5%	979

Demographics

<i>About you...</i>	Responses		# of Responses
123. What grade are you in?	Grade 6	0.0%	1005
	Grade 7	0.0%	
	Grade 8	0.0%	
	Grade 9	24.1%	
	Grade 10	23.1%	
	Grade 11	27.0%	
	Grade 12	25.8%	

	Responses		# of Responses
124. How old are you today (in years)?	10	0.0%	1002
	11	0.0%	
	12	0.0%	
	13	1.1%	
	14	23.2%	
	15	22.8%	
	16	26.5%	
	17	25.2%	
	18	1.0%	
	19	0.2%	

	Responses		# of Responses
125. What language do you speak at home most of the time?	English	92.1%	1002
	French	0.1%	
	English and French equally	1.4%	
	Mi'kmaw	0.1%	
	Wolastoqey	0.3%	
	Other	6.0%	

		Responses					# of Responses	
126.	How do you identify?	Man / boy	49.0%					976
		Woman / girl	46.0%					
		Non-binary	5.0%					
		Two spirit	0.4%					
		Responses					# of Responses	
127.	Which of the following best describes you?	Heterosexual	74.2%					963
		Gay / Lesbian	4.5%					
		Bisexual	11.2%					
		Pansexual	3.9%					
		Two spirit	*					
		Asexual	1.1%					
		I am not yet sure of my sexual identity	3.7%					
		Other	1.1%					
		No	Yes				# of Responses	
128.	Do you identify as First Nations (including Mi'kmaw, Wolastoqey or Passamaquoddy), Metis and/or Inuk/Inuit?	93.7%	6.3%				974	
		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	41.5%					59
		First Nations person not living in a First Nation community	55.0%					59
		Metis	*					59
		Inuit	*					59
		No	Yes				# of Responses	
130.	Were you born in Canada?	12.1%	87.9%				995	
		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?	24.7%	20.4%	45.1%	33.0%	21.8%	101	