

Department of Education and Early Childhood Development - Integrated Student Survey

Grades 6-12 Responses: Detailed Report 2021-2022

In collaboration with:

Perth-Andover Middle School (3105) - 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.	4.5%	11.1%	53.3%	31.1%	84.4%	152
2. I can succeed in my schoolwork.	3.4%	6.0%	41.8%	48.8%	90.6%	148

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...	38.7%	41.5%	19.2%	155

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.	17.8%	19.9%	42.0%	20.3%	62.3%	150
5. I feel free to express myself at school.	25.0%	24.5%	30.3%	20.3%	50.5%	151
6. I can work at my own pace at school.	9.5%	20.8%	49.5%	20.2%	69.7%	151
7. I have choices in how I show what I have learned.	7.5%	15.4%	51.8%	25.3%	77.1%	149
8. Teachers/adults in this school listen to my ideas and opinions.	8.2%	22.8%	40.8%	28.2%	69.0%	150

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.	4.6%	15.5%	50.3%	29.5%	79.8%	148
10. There is at least one adult at school I can go to for help.	9.8%	11.2%	28.2%	50.7%	79.0%	149
11. I feel my teachers think I am good at things.	7.5%	20.7%	47.1%	24.6%	71.8%	146
12. I like to be with my teachers.	13.1%	30.7%	35.4%	20.8%	56.2%	147

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.	11.2%	34.6%	54.2%	152
14. The things I learn at school help me to understand the world.	21.3%	23.4%	55.3%	152
15. The things I learn at school are important for my future.	13.6%	12.3%	74.1%	149

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).	8.1%	3.9%	13.5%	18.6%	55.8%	152
17. I know where to go in my community to get help.	8.1%	11.8%	20.0%	23.4%	36.8%	152
18. Getting an education is important to me.	4.5%	4.8%	10.5%	23.5%	56.7%	145
19. I try to finish what I start.	3.2%	4.6%	20.3%	25.9%	46.0%	151
20. I have people I look up to.	4.7%	5.8%	17.3%	16.9%	55.2%	150
21. My parent(s)/caregiver(s) know a lot about me.	2.8%	10.8%	10.8%	23.0%	52.5%	150
22. My family stands by me during difficult times.	2.7%	9.3%	15.3%	25.4%	47.4%	153
23. My friends stand by me during difficult times.	6.6%	9.0%	12.4%	29.9%	42.1%	152
24. I have opportunities to develop skills that will be useful later in life (like job skills and skills to care for others).	4.0%	4.1%	19.0%	26.9%	46.0%	147
25. I am treated fairly in my community.	4.7%	6.1%	20.9%	32.7%	35.7%	150
26. I feel I belong at my school.	18.5%	18.0%	25.6%	19.7%	18.2%	150
27. I enjoy my cultural and family traditions.	4.0%	1.3%	11.5%	25.8%	57.4%	150

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.	11.9%	15.9%	22.7%	49.5%	72.2%	146
29. I like to spend time with my parents.	11.4%	9.1%	27.3%	52.2%	79.5%	149
30. I feel I do things well at home.	3.4%	13.4%	31.1%	52.1%	83.2%	150
31. My parents like me and care about me.	1.3%	5.3%	22.1%	71.3%	93.4%	151
32. I feel my parents think that I am good at things.	2.7%	9.6%	28.7%	59.0%	87.7%	147
33. I feel like I have a choice about when and how to do my household chores.	15.5%	26.6%	34.4%	23.5%	58.0%	148

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.	9.6%	13.1%	30.3%	47.0%	77.4%	148
35. I feel I have a choice about which activities to do with my friends.	7.1%	11.5%	38.3%	43.0%	81.4%	146
36. I feel I do things well when I am with my friends.	6.5%	10.7%	39.3%	43.6%	82.8%	152
37. My friends like me and care about me.	3.3%	6.0%	36.5%	54.1%	90.6%	150
38. I feel my friends think I am good at things.	5.3%	10.0%	43.0%	41.7%	84.7%	149
39. I like to spend time with my friends.	1.3%	4.7%	17.7%	76.3%	94.0%	150

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.	25.4%	74.6%	154
41. I feel I am part of my school.	35.7%	64.3%	153
42. I am happy to be at my school.	47.0%	53.0%	153
43. I feel the teachers at my school treat me fairly.	23.3%	76.7%	154
44. I feel safe in my school.	45.6%	54.4%	151
45. I feel my learning needs are met at my school.	25.4%	74.6%	151

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.	10.2%	89.8%	155
47.	Making friends.	18.4%	81.6%	151
48.	Getting to class on time.	16.4%	83.6%	151
49.	Learning new things.	8.4%	91.6%	153
50.	Expressing my opinion in class.	36.5%	63.5%	152
51.	Getting involved in the student council or other similar groups.	52.9%	47.1%	147
52.	Learning about my culture/heritage.	22.5%	77.5%	149

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.	33.9%	30.8%	29.4%	5.9%	35.3%	136
54.	I get to school or class late.	50.1%	22.8%	22.6%	4.6%	27.2%	151
55.	I work hard to learn in school.	2.5%	10.7%	33.9%	52.9%	86.8%	150
56.	I pay attention in class.	2.5%	12.3%	44.7%	40.4%	85.1%	151

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%	36.9%	58.4%	146
58.	The teacher checked to make sure I understood at least once.	6.0%	38.0%	55.9%	148
59.	I had an opportunity to work collaboratively with a partner, or in a small group.	9.3%	39.4%	51.3%	142
60.	We used a rubric to self-assess our learning.	11.6%	50.9%	37.5%	128
61.	We co-constructed a rubric.	23.7%	45.9%	30.3%	122
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.	2.1%	21.9%	76.1%	142
63.	The teacher gave me a chance to explain my thinking.	2.7%	45.2%	52.1%	144
64.	The teacher took my interests and strengths into account when assigning schoolwork.	7.9%	46.0%	46.1%	138
65.	I got feedback from the teacher that helped me to improve what I was working on.	2.9%	35.7%	61.4%	140
66.	I understood what was taught.	2.7%	29.8%	67.5%	140
67.	I could have learned just as well by reading or researching on my own.	9.4%	40.4%	50.2%	137
68.	It was hard to pay attention because of the disruptions in class.	8.6%	46.3%	45.1%	140
69.	I am expected to work hard in my subjects/courses.	2.0%	11.4%	86.6%	141

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.	54.2%	21.8%	24.0%	146
71.	I understand when my teacher speaks French to me in class.	43.6%	21.7%	34.7%	147
72.	Respecting other cultures is something that students should learn as early as possible.	9.5%	10.5%	80.0%	145

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

	English Program	French Immersion	# of Responses
73. What program are you in?	76.5%	23.5%	152

Bullying

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

	Yes	# of Responses
74. Physical attacks.	22.4%	146
75. Verbal attacks.	48.5%	147
76. Cyber-attacks.	25.5%	145
77. Exclusion.	20.1%	147
78. Someone stole from you or damaged your things.	36.7%	146
79. Someone made mean comments about your race, religion or personal features.	29.1%	146
80. Someone made sexual jokes, comments or gestures to you.	28.4%	146

	Yes	# of Responses
81. In the last two months, have you bullied another student at	21.7%	146

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

		# of Responses
82. I ignored it	46.1%	115
83. I stood up to the bully or fought back	27.6%	115
84. I tried talking to the bully	10.4%	115
85. I told an adult at the school about it	17.9%	115
86. I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it	18.5%	115
87. I told another student about it	13.8%	115
88. I called a helpline or other support service	0.9%	115
89. I have not been bullied (did not answer the above questions)	21.2%	146

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	9.7%	143
91.	During classes	13.2%	143
92.	Between classes	17.4%	143
93.	During recess or lunch	29.0%	143
94.	During extra-curricular activities (e.g., sports, clubs)	5.5%	143
95.	After school	19.6%	143
96.	I have not been bullied (did not answer the above questions)	38.8%	143

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)	13.3%	74
98.	Hallways	22.8%	74
99.	Gym	7.9%	74
100.	Change rooms or locker rooms	22.6%	74
101.	Washrooms	46.6%	74
102.	Lunchroom or cafeteria	12.1%	74
103.	Outside on school property (e.g., playground, parking lot)	29.7%	74
104.	Bus	13.3%	74

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	34.8%	96
106.	I stood up to the bully or fought back	23.7%	96
107.	I tried talking to the bully	17.6%	96
108.	I told an adult at the school about it	25.1%	96
109.	I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it	15.6%	96
110.	I told another student about it	10.3%	96
111.	I tried to help the person being bullied	23.9%	96
112.	I have not seen or heard another student (did not answer the above questions)	33.7%	145

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.	34.8%	27.0%	38.2%	144
113. There is a safe process for reporting bullying.	32.8%	24.0%	43.2%	140
114. Adults deal with bullying quickly whenever it happens.	39.4%	21.4%	39.2%	139
115. My school is good at preventing bullying.	43.6%	29.6%	26.8%	141
116. Respect for others is valued and taught.	19.4%	26.7%	53.9%	137
117. Kindness/empathy is valued and taught.	17.4%	26.6%	56.1%	136

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%	143
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?	51.3%	141

	Never / Rarely	Sometimes	Most of the time / All the time	# of Responses
120. During the last 12 months, how often have you felt lonely?	39.7%	33.4%	26.9%	149

	Poor	Fair	Good	Very good	Excellent	Very good / Excellent	# of Responses
121. In general, would you say your health is...	0.7%	13.0%	33.1%	33.7%	19.6%	53.2%	156

	Low 0 - 5	Medium 6 - 7	High 8 - 9	Best life 10	# of Responses
122. Rating of life satisfaction from 0-10.	28.6%	32.7%	23.5%	15.2%	151

Demographics

<i>About you...</i>	Responses		# of Responses
123. What grade are you in?	Grade 6	32.4%	156
	Grade 7	32.4%	
	Grade 8	35.3%	
	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	0.0%	156
	11	31.6%	
	12	34.4%	
	13	32.5%	
	14	1.4%	
	15	0.0%	
	16	0.0%	
	17	0.0%	
	18	0.0%	
	19	0.0%	

	Responses		# of Responses
125. What language do you speak at home most of the time?	English	96.1%	156
	French	0.0%	
	English and French equally	0.6%	
	Mi'kmaw	0.0%	
	Wolastoqey	1.9%	
	Other	1.4%	

		Responses					# of Responses	
126.	How do you identify?	Man / boy	48.2%					145
		Woman / girl	43.5%					
		Non-binary	8.4%					
		Two spirit	0.0%					
		Responses					# of Responses	
127.	Which of the following best describes you?	Heterosexual	74.1%					136
		Gay / Lesbian	5.3%					
		Bisexual	11.0%					
		Pansexual	5.1%					
		Two spirit	0.0%					
		Asexual	*					
		I am not yet sure of my sexual identity	*					
		Other	0.0%					
		No	Yes				# of Responses	
128.	Do you identify as First Nations (including Mi'kmaw, Wolastoqey or Passamaquoddy), Metis and/or Inuk/Inuit?	65.5%	34.5%				139	
		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	95.5%					45
		First Nations person not living in a First	*					45
		Metis	0.0%					45
		Inuit	0.0%					45
		No	Yes				# of Responses	
130.	Were you born in Canada?	5.3%	94.7%				156	
		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?	0.0%	27.9%	27.9%	43.5%	28.6%	7	