

Athens City Schools Family Engagement Survey 2010-2011

Demographics

1	My child presently attends:	Athens Junior High (7-9) 206 Surveys Submitted					
2	My child's grade in school is:	7th-104, 8th-72, 9th-30					
3	I am the child's (circle one)	Parent 195	Guardian 8	Other 3			
4	Ethnicity	Caucasian 160	African American 8	Bi-Racial 11	Hispanic/ Latino 22	Pacific Islander/Asian 4	American Indian 1

Instruction

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Have No Opinion	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	
5	My child is provided quality instruction each day.	63	126	11	4	2
6	If I need help assisting my child with schoolwork, the school will explain how to help my child.	55	108	38	4	1
7	I know what my child is expected to learn at his/her grade level.	64	111	20	10	1
8	I am aware of the higher expectations and increased difficulty in the subjects at my child's grade level.	65	126	8	5	2
9	I believe my child is safe at school.	79	105	15	5	2

Communication

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Have No Opinion	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	
10	I feel welcome at my child's school.	77	108	15	5	1
11	My child's teachers communicate with me weekly with grades, assignments, etc. so I can help and encourage at home.	51	95	31	24	5
12	The school's administrator is approachable, easy to contact, and helpful.	78	86	34	4	4
13	The school's staff is approachable, easy to contact, and helpful.	71	103	25	5	2
14	Communication from school to home is informative, adequate, and helpful.	64	104	25	9	4
15	I have read my child's school policies and procedures for 2010-2011 school year.	83	109	9	4	1
16	I have been informed of the school's plan to prevent and deal with bullying.	69	96	21	15	5
17	The school has a website that is updated, easy to use, and informative.	64	104	33	4	1
18	I have internet at home or at a place where I can view the school and district website.	95	89	12	6	4
19	School Cast (phone call from school to home) is effective and keeps me informed.	106	83	12	1	4

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Athens City Programs

		Yes	No			
20	I am aware of the city's school's pre-kindergarten program (for 4 year olds) which will be located at City Park and Ingleside School for the 2011-2012 School Year.	164	42			
21	I am aware of Kid's Connection (before and after school) Program.	171	35			
		Strongly Agree	Agree	Have No Opinion	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
22	The Kid's Connection program plans to expand to all four elementary schools for the 2011-2012 School Year, Do you think Kid's Connection should be expanded to also include the Athens City Middle School?	44	51	85	18	8
23	If Kid's Connection was available at the Athens City Middle School, would you enroll your child in Kid's Connection?	24	29	90	39	24
24	My child has a daily recess/free time period, either indoors or outdoors.	25	68	46	39	28
25	My child's school provides healthy meals.	29	95	36	28	18
26	Lunchtime for my child is pleasant and relaxing.	38	100	47	14	7
27	The school cafeteria has appropriate supervision during meal times.	47	110	41	7	1
28	My child's school provides adequate health services and health information.	43	112	42	8	1

Parent Involvement

29	What reasons, if any, prevent you from attending school functions such as Open Houses, PTO Meetings, Family Reading Nights, etc? (Mark all that apply)	Childcare 11	Family commitments 94	Transportation 22	Work Schedule 105		
30	What type of workshops would you be willing to attend or would like to see? (Mark all that apply)	Tutoring 73	Reading Activities 36	Math Activities 86	Parenting 33	Computer Training 62	Health and Fitness 56
31	What time of day would be best for you to attend a parent involvement activity or meeting? (Mark all that apply)	Before School Hours 19	Lunch 35	Immediately After School Dismissal 71	Early Evening 112		

Athens City Schools Items of Interest

		Strongly Agree	Agree	Have No Opinion	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
32	I would support the adoption of a system-wide dress code for grades 3rd-8th.	39	51	38	35	43
33	I would like report cards to reflect what is being taught in the classroom by linking grades to state curriculum standards.	43	95	57	8	3