

Athens City Schools Family Engagement Survey 2010-2011

Demographics

1	My child presently attends:	Westside School (4-6) 125 Surveys Submitted					
2	My child's grade in school is:	4th-61, 5th-23, 6th-41					
3	I am the child's:	Parent 119	Guardian 3	Other 3			
4	Ethnicity:	Caucassian 99	African American 7	Bi-Racial 7	Hispanic/ Latino 8	Pacific Islander/Asian 4	American Indian 0

Instruction

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Have No Opinion	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	
5	My child is provided quality instruction each day.	52	64	6	1	0
6	If I need help assisting my child with schoolwork, the school will explain how to help my child.	39	61	21	3	0
7	I know what my child is expected to learn at his/her grade level.	35	82	4	3	0
8	I am aware of the higher expectations and increased difficulty in the subjects at my child's grade level.	58	61	21	3	0
9	I believe my child is safe at school.	35	82	4	3	0

Communication

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Have No Opinion	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	
10	I feel welcome at my child's school.	58	57	9	1	0
11	My child's teachers communicate with me weekly with grades, assignments, etc. so I can help and encourage at home.	52	50	9	11	2
12	The school's administrator is approachable, easy to contact, and helpful.	56	47	18	2	1
13	The school's staff is approachable, easy to contact, and helpful.	55	59	9	1	0
14	Communication from school to home is informative, adequate, and helpful.	50	51	17	6	0
15	I have read my child's school policies and procedures for 2010-2011 school year.	59	56	6	3	0
16	I have been informed of the school's plan to prevent and deal with bullying.	39	57	19	10	0
17	The school has a website that is updated, easy to use, and informative.	27	55	34	7	1
18	I have internet at home or at a place where I can view the school and district website.	55	51	7	4	7
19	School Cast (phone call from school to home) is effective and keeps me informed.	63	47	6	7	1

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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	108	15			
21	I am aware of Kid's Connection (before and after school) Program.	117	7			
	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	34	38	49	2	1
23	If Kid's Connection was available at the Athens City Middle School, would you enroll your child in Kid's Connection?	19	29	54	14	8
24	My child has a daily recess/free time period, either indoors or outdoors.	37	57	10	17	3
25	My child's school provides healthy meals.	35	71	10	3	4
26	Lunchtime for my child is pleasant and relaxing.	27	59	22	15	0
27	The school cafeteria has appropriate supervision during meal times.	31	59	21	10	1
28	My child's school provides adequate health services and health information.	37	74	9	2	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 10	Family commitments 57	Transportation 12	Work Schedule 76		
30	What type of workshops would you be willing to attend or would like to see? (Mark all that apply)	Tutoring 52	Reading Activities 38	Math Activities 59	Parenting 30	Computer Training 28	Health and Fitness 38
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 12	Lunch 25	Immediately After School Dismissal 39	Early Evening 72		

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.	30	25	19	25	26
33	I would like report cards to reflect what is being taught in the classroom by linking grades to state curriculum standards.	38	50	28	5	2