

Athens City Schools Family Engagement Survey 2009-2010

Demographics

1	My child presently attends:	Athens Junior High School (7-9) 181 Surveys Submitted					
2	My child's grade in school is:	7th-77	8th-73	9th-31			
3	I am the child's (circle one)	Parents 171	Step Parents 1	Family Member 5	Other 1		
4	Ethnicity	Caucasian 151	African American 6	Bi-Racial 5	Hispanic/ Latino 13	Pacific Islander 3	American Indian 2

Instruction

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Have No Opinion	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	
5	My child is provided quality instruction each day.	49	104	10	3	1
6	If I need help assisting my child with schoolwork, the school will explain how to help my child.	38	76	46	4	3
7	I know what my child is expected to learn at his/her grade level.	45	99	12	11	0
8	I believe my child is safe at school.	50	97	11	8	1

Communication

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Have No Opinion	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	
9	I feel welcome at my child's school.	65	82	10	5	1
10	My child's teachers communicate with me weekly with grades, assignments, etc. so I can help and encourage at home.	44	66	22	28	5
11	The school's administrator and staff are approachable, easy to contact, and helpful.	61	79	11	12	1
12	Communication from school to home is informative, adequate, and helpful.	41	95	16	12	0
13	I have read my child's schools policies and procedures for 2009-2010 school year.	58	84	11	7	1
14	I have been informed of the school's plan to prevent and deal with bullying.	50	79	20	10	5
15	I prefer receiving grade cards every 9 weeks (4 times per year) instead of every 6 weeks (6 times per year).	56	53	24	19	11
16	The school has a website that is updated, easy to use, and informative.	56	77	26	5	0
17	I have internet at home or at a place where I can view the school and district website.	80	65	8	6	6

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18	School Cast (phone call from school to home) is effective and keeps me informed.	89	58	12	5	1
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Athens City Programs

		Yes	No			
19	I am aware of Kid's Connection (before and after school) Program.	125	38			
20	I am aware of the city's school's pre-kindergarten program (for 4 year olds) at the Four Star Academy.	132	31			

		Strongly Agree	Agree	Have No Opinion	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
21	My child's school provides healthy meals.	22	74	26	29	12
22	Lunchtime for my child is pleasant, relaxing, and well monitored.	29	72	36	20	6

		Yes	No			
23	My child has a daily recess/free time period, either indoors or outdoors.	60	103			

		Strongly Agree	Agree	Have No Opinion	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
24	My child's school provides adequate health services and health information.	40	78	37	8	0

Athens City Schools Items of Interest

		Strongly Agree	Agree	Have No Opinion	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
25	I would be interested in learning about the educational and economical benefits of different ways to schedule the 180 required class days.	34	60	42	19	8
26	I would support the adoption of a dress code for grades 4th-9th.	26	45	23	42	27
27	I would like report cards to reflect what is being taught in the classroom by linking grades to state curriculum standards.	41	77	37	7	0