Arlington Public Schools 2015 Site Based Survey Parents

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Arlington Public Schools in Arlington

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	A (outstanding)	33	41.3	41.3	41.3
	B (very good)	43	53.8	53.8	95.0
Valid	C (average)	3	3.8	3.8	98.8
	D (poor)	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

My child's school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	A (outstanding)	30	37.5	37.5	37.5
	B (very good)	38	47.5	47.5	85.0
Valid	C (average)	8	10.0	10.0	95.0
valiu	D (poor)	2	2.5	2.5	97.5
	F (failing)	2	2.5	2.5	100.0
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

The principal of my child's school.

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		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	A (outstanding)	37	46.3	46.8	46.8
	B (very good)	31	38.8	39.2	86.1
Valid	C (average)	4	5.0	5.1	91.1
valid	D (poor)	3	3.8	3.8	94.9
	F (failing)	4	5.0	5.1	100.0
	Total	79	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	1	1.3		
	Total	80	100.0		

The teachers at my child's school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	A (outstanding)	36	45.0	45.6	45.6
	B (very good)	31	38.8	39.2	84.8
Valid	C (average)	7	8.8	8.9	93.7
valiu	D (poor)	1	1.3	1.3	94.9
	F (failing)	4	5.0	5.1	100.0

I	Total	79	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	1	1.3		
T	otal	80	100.0		

My child's teachers maintain consistent and high expectations for my child.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	37	46.3	46.3	46.3
	Somewhat agree	27	33.8	33.8	80.0
Valid	Neither agree nor disagree	3	3.8	3.8	83.8
vana	Somewhat disagree	11	13.8	13.8	97.5
	Strongly disagree	2	2.5	2.5	100.0
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

My child is experiencing school-related stress.

	-	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	9	11.3	11.4	11.4
	Somewhat agree	15	18.8	19.0	30.4
	Neither agree nor disagree	16	20.0	20.3	50.6
Valid	Somewhat disagree	13	16.3	16.5	67.1
	Strongly disagree	20	25.0	25.3	92.4
	I don't know	6	7.5	7.6	100.0
	Total	79	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	1	1.3		
-	Total	80	100.0		

My child likes to go to school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	39	48.8	48.8	48.8
	Somewhat agree	23	28.8	28.8	77.5
	Neither agree nor disagree	6	7.5	7.5	85.0
Valid	Somewhat disagree	5	6.3	6.3	91.3
	Strongly disagree	3	3.8	3.8	95.0
	I don't know	4	5.0	5.0	100.0
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	4	5.0	5.1	5.1
	Somewhat agree	13	16.3	16.5	21.5
	Neither agree nor disagree	16	20.0	20.3	41.8
Valid	Somewhat disagree	17	21.3	21.5	63.3
	Strongly disagree	23	28.8	29.1	92.4
	I don't know	6	7.5	7.6	100.0
	Total	79	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	1	1.3		
	Total	80	100.0		

The teachers give adequate feedback to parents about their child's classroom performance.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	22	27.5	27.8	27.8
	Somewhat agree	31	38.8	39.2	67.1
	Neither agree nor disagree	6	7.5	7.6	74.7
Valid	Somewhat disagree	10	12.5	12.7	87.3
	Strongly disagree	9	11.3	11.4	98.7
	I don't know	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	79	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	1	1.3		
	Total	80	100.0		

My child feels safe at school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	45	56.3	57.0	57.0
	Somewhat agree	24	30.0	30.4	87.3
Valid	Neither agree nor disagree	3	3.8	3.8	91.1
	Somewhat disagree	3	3.8	3.8	94.9
	I don't know	4	5.0	5.1	100.0
	Total	79	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	1	1.3		
	Total	80	100.0		

I feel welcomed at my child's school.

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Strongly agree	50	62.5	62.5	62.5

	Somewhat agree	22	27.5	27.5	90.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	2	2.5	2.5	92.5
Valid	Somewhat disagree	2	2.5	2.5	95.0
	Strongly disagree	3	3.8	3.8	98.8
	l don't know	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

In your opinion, how challenging is the overall level of instruction your child is receiving?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Very challenging Somewhat challenging	Very challenging	10	12.5	12.5	12.5
	40	50.0	50.0	62.5	
Valid	Just a little bit challenging	25	31.3	31.3	93.8
Not at all challenging I don't know	Not at all	4	5.0	5.0	98.8
	1	1.3	1.3	100.0	
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

How do you feel about the amount of time your child spends on homework?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
My child spends too much of his or her after- school time on homework	7	8.8	8.8	8.8
My child spends an appropriate amount of his or her after-school Valid time on homework	60	75.0	75.0	83.8
My child spends too little of his or her after-school time on homework	11	13.8	13.8	97.5
I don't know	2	2.5	2.5	100.0
Total	80	100.0	100.0	

Please rate your level of satisfaction with the overall quality of instruction that your child is receiving.

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Very satisfied	35	43.8	43.8	43.8

	Somewhat satisfied	35	43.8	43.8	87.5
Valid	Valid Somewhat dissatisfied	9	11.3	11.3	98.8
Very dissatisfied	1	1.3	1.3	100.0	
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

The principal is responsive to the concerns of parents and the community.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	42	52.5	52.5	52.5
	Somewhat agree	29	36.3	36.3	88.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	2	2.5	2.5	91.3
Valid	Somewhat disagree	4	5.0	5.0	96.3
	Strongly disagree	1	1.3	1.3	97.5
	I don't know	2	2.5	2.5	100.0
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

I collaborate with the staff at my child's school to continue my child's development at nome as well

Cumulative Valid Percent Frequency Percent Percent 45.0 45.6 Strongly agree 36 45.6 Somewhat agree 27 34.2 79.7 33.8 Neither agree Valid 12.7 10 12.5 92.4 nor disagree Somewhat 6 7.5 7.6 100.0 disagree 100.0 Total 79 98.8 Missing System 1 1.3 Total 80 100.0

APS encourages me to be an advocate for my child's education.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	32	40.0	40.0	40.0
Somewhat agree Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat agree	32	40.0	40.0	80.0
	nor disagree	8	10.0	10.0	90.0
Valid	Somewhat disagree	3	3.8	3.8	93.8
	Strongly disagree	2	2.5	2.5	96.3
	I don't know	3	3.8	3.8	100.0
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

I can easily access information regarding my child's school using the internet.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	23	28.8	29.1	29.1
	Somewhat agree	34	42.5	43.0	72.2
	Neither agree nor disagree	11	13.8	13.9	86.1
Valid	Somewhat disagree	3	3.8	3.8	89.9
	Strongly disagree	5	6.3	6.3	96.2
	I don't know	3	3.8	3.8	100.0
	Total	79	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	1	1.3		
	Total	80	100.0		

APS has the technology to support both in- and out- of school learning for my child.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	22	27.5	27.8	27.8
	Somewhat agree	34	42.5	43.0	70.9
	Neither agree nor disagree	14	17.5	17.7	88.6
Valid	Somewhat disagree	1	1.3	1.3	89.9
	Strongly disagree	4	5.0	5.1	94.9
	I don't know	4	5.0	5.1	100.0
	Total	79	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	1	1.3		
	Total	80	100.0		

I have an opportunity to provide input on policies, practices, and programs.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	21	26.3	26.6	26.6
	Somewhat agree	32	40.0	40.5	67.1
Valid	Neither agree nor disagree	17	21.3	21.5	88.6
valia	Somewhat disagree	3	3.8	3.8	92.4
	Strongly disagree	6	7.5	7.6	100.0
	Total	79	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	1	1.3		
	Total	80	100.0		

I feel valued at my child's school.

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Strongly agree	36	45.0	45.6	45.6

	Somewhat agree	28	35.0	35.4	81.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	3	3.8	3.8	84.8
Valid	Somewhat disagree	6	7.5	7.6	92.4
	Strongly disagree	5	6.3	6.3	98.7
	I don't know	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	79	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	1	1.3		
	Total		100.0		

There is an atmosphere of open communication at my child's school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	34	42.5	44.2	44.2
	Somewhat agree	33	41.3	42.9	87.0
Valid	Neither agree nor disagree	2	2.5	2.6	89.6
V 44	Somewhat disagree	3	3.8	3.9	93.5
	Strongly disagree	5	6.3	6.5	100.0
	Total	77	96.3	100.0	
Missing	System	3	3.8		
	Total		100.0		

My child has enough information to complete his/her homework by himself/herself.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	36	45.0	45.6	45.6
	Somewhat agree	27	33.8	34.2	79.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	8	10.0	10.1	89.9
Valid	Somewhat disagree	6	7.5	7.6	97.5
	Strongly disagree	1	1.3	1.3	98.7
	I don't know	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	79	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	1	1.3		
	Total	80	100.0		

My child's school does a good job of getting important school information to parents/guardians.

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Strongly agree	33	41.3	41.8	41.8
Somewhat agree	38	47.5	48.1	89.9

Valid	Neither agree nor disagree	2	2.5	2.5	92.4
Valid	Somewhat disagree	5	6.3	6.3	98.7
	Strongly disagree	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	79	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	1	1.3		
	Total		100.0		

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,	sotting community service and arts appreciation							
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent			
	Strongly agree	28	35.0	35.4	35.4			
	Somewhat agree	24	30.0	30.4	65.8			
	Neither agree nor disagree	10	12.5	12.7	78.5			
Valid	Somewhat disagree	9	11.3	11.4	89.9			
	Strongly disagree	2	2.5	2.5	92.4			
	I don't know	6	7.5	7.6	100.0			
	Total	79	98.8	100.0				
Missing	System	1	1.3					
	Total		100.0					

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	Strongly agree	31	38.8	39.2	39.2
	Somewhat agree	32	40.0	40.5	79.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	8	10.0	10.1	89.9
Valid	Somewhat disagree	4	5.0	5.1	94.9
	Strongly disagree	3	3.8	3.8	98.7
	I don't know	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	79	98.8	100.0	
Missing	System	1	1.3		
	Total	80	100.0		

$\textbf{my PIA collaborates with the community to expand learning opportunities, community services, and \\$

civic participation								
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent			
	Strongly agree	42	52.5	52.5	52.5			
	Somewhat agree	21	26.3	26.3	78.8			
Valid	Neither agree nor disagree	7	8.8	8.8	87.5			

Somewhat disagree	3	3.8	3.8	91.3
I don't know	7	8.8	8.8	100.0
Total	80	100.0	100.0	

In your opinion, how respectful is your child's school of cultural differences? Would you say...

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Very respectful Somewhat respectful	Very respectful	56	70.0	70.0	70.0
	19	23.8	23.8	93.8	
Valid	Not at all respectful	1	1.3	1.3	95.0
	I don't know	4	5.0	5.0	100.0
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

In your opinion, how respectful is your child's school of language differences? Would you say....

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		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Very respectful	61	76.3	76.3	76.3
	Somewhat respectful	14	17.5	17.5	93.8
Valid	Not at all respectful	1	1.3	1.3	95.0
	I don't know	4	5.0	5.0	100.0
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

in your opinion, now respectful is your child's school of racial or ethnic differences? would you

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			Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent		
		Very respectful	58	72.5	72.5	72.5		
		Somewhat respectful	15	18.8	18.8	91.3		
	Valid	Not at all respectful	2	2.5	2.5	93.8		
		I don't know	5	6.3	6.3	100.0		
		Total	80	100.0	100.0			

I am aware of the healthy choices available for my student's snacks, meals, and beverages at school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	22	27.5	27.5	27.5
	Somewhat agree	24	30.0	30.0	57.5
	Neither agree nor disagree	8	10.0	10.0	67.5
Valid	Somewhat disagree	10	12.5	12.5	80.0
	Strongly disagree	8	10.0	10.0	90.0
	I don't know	8	10.0	10.0	100.0
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

APS neips students live nealthy lives through physical education, nutritious school lunches and

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	18	22.5	22.5	22.5
	Somewhat agree	29	36.3	36.3	58.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	11	13.8	13.8	72.5
	Somewhat disagree	10	12.5	12.5	85.0
	Strongly disagree	7	8.8	8.8	93.8
	I don't know	5	6.3	6.3	100.0
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

The amount of time my student spends doing physical activities in school has...

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Increased from last year	9	11.3	11.3	11.3
	Stayed about the same as last year	44	55.0	55.0	66.3
	Decreased from last year	7	8.8	8.8	75.0
	I don't know	20	25.0	25.0	100.0
	Total	80	100.0	100.0	

Black and Hispanic students generally score lower on standardized tests than white students. In

your opinion, how important do you think it is to close this academic gan for these groups of						
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent	
	Very important	46	57.5	57.5	57.5	
Valid	Somewhat important	24	30.0	30.0	87.5	
	Just a little bit important	3	3.8	3.8	91.3	
	Not at all important	1	1.3	1.3	92.5	
	I don't know	6	7.5	7.5	100.0	
	Total	80	100.0	100.0		

Please indicate the grade level of your oldest child in this school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Pre-kindergarten	4	5.0	5.0	5.0
	Kindergarten	8	10.0	10.0	15.0
	1st grade	7	8.8	8.8	23.8
	2nd grade	13	16.3	16.3	40.0
Valid	3rd grade	7	8.8	8.8	48.8
	4th grade	10	12.5	12.5	61.3

5th grade	26	32.5	32.5	93.8
6th grade	1	1.3	1.3	95.0
7th grade	2	2.5	2.5	97.5
12th grade	2	2.5	2.5	100.0
Total	80	100.0	100.0	