## Arlington Public Schools <br> 2015 Site Based Survey Parents

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Arlington Public Schools in Arlington

|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | A (outstanding) | 33 | 41.3 | 41.3 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  | B (very good) | 43 | 53.8 | 53.8 |
| 95.0 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 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 <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A (outstanding) | 30 | 37.5 | 37.5 |
| 37.5 |  |  |  |  |
| Valid | B (very good) | 38 | 47.5 | 47.5 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  | C (average) | 8 | 10.0 | 10.0 |
| 95.0 |  |  |  |  |
|  | D (poor) | 2 | 2.5 | 2.5 |
| 97.5 |  |  |  |  |
|  | F (failing) | 2 | 2.5 | 2.5 |

The principal of my child's school.

|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> 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 |
|  | D (poor) | 3 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 94.9 |
|  | F (failing) | 4 | 5.0 | 5.1 | 100.0 |
| Missing | Total | 79 | 98.8 | 100.0 |  |
|  | System | 1 | 1.3 |  |  |
|  |  | 80 | 100.0 |  |  |

The teachers at my child's school.

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


| Missing |  | Total | 79 | 98.8 | 100.0 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | System | 1 | 1.3 |  |
|  | Total |  | 80 | 100.0 |  |

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

|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | Strongly agree | 37 | 46.3 | 46.3 |
| 46.3 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Somewhat agree <br> Neither agree <br> nor disagree <br> Somewhat <br> disagree <br> Strongly <br> disagree <br> Total | 27 | 3 | 33.8 |

My child is experiencing school-related stress.

|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Strongly agree | 9 | 11.3 | 11.4 | 11.4 |
|  | Somewhat agree | 15 | 18.8 | 19.0 | 30.4 |
|  | Valid | Neither agree | 16 | 20.0 | 20.3 |
| nor disagree |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Somewhat <br> disagree | 13 | 16.3 | 16.5 | 50.6 |
|  | Strongly <br> disagree | 20 | 25.0 | 25.3 | 67.1 |
|  | I don't know | 6 | 7.5 | 7.6 | 100.4 |
|  | Total | 79 | 98.8 | 100.0 |  |

My child likes to go to school.

|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | Strongly agree <br> Somewhat agree | 29 | 48.8 | 48.8 |
| 48.8 |  |  |  |  |
| Neither agree <br> nor disagree <br> Somewhat <br> disagree <br> Strongly <br> disagree <br> I don't know <br> Total | 6 | 28.8 | 28.8 | 77.5 |

My child is worried about bullying in the school.

|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Strongly agree | 4 | 5.0 | 5.1 | 5.1 |
|  | Somewhat agree | 13 | 16.3 | 16.5 | 21.5 |
|  | Neither agree |  |  |  |  |
| Valid | Somewhat <br> disagree | 16 | 20.0 | 20.3 | 41.8 |
|  | Strongly <br> disagree | 17 | 21.3 | 21.5 | 63.3 |
|  | I don't know |  |  |  |  |
| Missing | Total | 6 | 28 | 29.1 | 92.4 |
|  | System | 1 | 79 | 1.3 | 100.0 |

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

|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | 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 |
|  | 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 |
| Missing | Total | 79 | 98.8 | 100.0 |  |
|  | System | 1 | 1.3 |  |  |
|  | Total | 80 | 100.0 |  |  |

My child feels safe at school.

|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | Strongly agree | 45 | 56.3 | 57.0 | 57.0 |
|  | Somewhat agree | 24 | 30.0 | 30.4 | 87.3 |
|  | 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 |
| Missing | Total | 79 | 98.8 | 100.0 |  |
|  | System | 1 | 1.3 |  |  |
|  | Total | 80 | 100.0 |  |  |

I feel welcomed at my child's school.

|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly agree | 50 | 62.5 | 62.5 | 62.5 |


|  | Somewhat agree | 22 | 27.5 | 27.5 | 90.0 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | Neither agree <br> nor disagree <br> Somewhat <br> disagree <br> Strongly <br> disagree | 2 | 2 | 2.5 | 2.5 |
| I don't know <br> Total | 1 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 95.0 |  |
|  | 80 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 98.8 |  |

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

|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | Very challenging <br> Somewhat <br> challenging | 10 | 12.5 | 12.5 |
| 12.5 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 40 | 50.0 | 50.0 | 62.5 |
| Just a little bit <br> challenging <br> Not at all <br> challenging <br> I don't know <br> Total | 25 | 31.3 | 31.3 | 93.8 |

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

|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | My child spends too much of his or her afterschool time on homework | 7 | 8.8 | 8.8 | 8.8 |
|  | My child spends an appropriate amount of his or her after-school 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 <br> Percent |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Very satisfied | 35 | 43.8 | 43.8 | 43.8 |


|  | Somewhat <br> satisfied <br> Vomewhat <br> dissatisfied | 35 | 43.8 | 43.8 | 87.5 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Very dissatisfied | 1 | 11.3 | 11.3 | 98.8 |
| Total | 80 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 100.0 |  |

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

|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | Strongly agree <br> Somewhat agree | 29 | 52.5 | 52.5 |
| 52.5 |  |  |  |  |
| Neither agree <br> nor disagree <br> Somewhat <br> disagree | 2 | 36.3 | 36.3 | 88.8 |
| Strongly <br> disagree <br> I don't know <br> Total | 4 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 91.3 |
|  | 2 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 96.3 |

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|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Strongly agree | 36 | 45.0 | 45.6 | 45.6 |
|  | Somewhat agree | 27 | 33.8 | 34.2 | 79.7 |
|  | Valid | Neither agree <br> nor disagree <br> Missing | 10 | 12.5 | 12.7 |
|  | Somewhat <br> disagree <br> Total <br> System | 6 | 79 | 1 | 7.5 |

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

|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | Strongly agree <br> Somewhat agree | 32 | 40.0 | 40.0 |
| 40.0 |  |  |  |  |
| Neither agree <br> nor disagree <br> Somewhat <br> disagree <br> Strongly <br> disagree <br> I don't know <br> Total | 8 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 80.0 |
|  | 3 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 90.0 |

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

|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | 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 |
|  | 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 |
| Missing | Total | 79 | 98.8 | 100.0 |  |
|  | 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 <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Strongly agree | 22 | 27.5 | 27.8 | 27.8 |
|  | Somewhat agree | 34 | 42.5 | 43.0 | 70.9 |
|  | Neither agree | 14 | 17.5 | 17.7 | 88.6 |
|  | Vor disagree <br> Somewhat <br> disagree <br> Missing | Strongly <br> disagree | 1 | 1.3 | 1.3 |
|  | I don't know | 4 | 5.0 | 5.1 | 89.9 |
|  | Total | 4 | 5.0 | 5.1 | 94.9 |
|  | System | 79 | 98.8 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
|  |  | 80 | 1.3 |  |  |

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

|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Strongly agree | 21 | 26.3 | 26.6 | 26.6 |
|  | Somewhat agree | 32 | 40.0 | 40.5 | 67.1 |
|  | Neither agree <br> nor disagree <br> Somewhat <br> disagree | 17 | 3 | 21.3 | 21.5 |
| Missing | Strongly <br> disagree <br> Total <br> Sotal | 6 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 88.6 |
|  | System | 1 | 79 | 98.8 | 1.3 |

I feel valued at my child's school.

|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly agree | 36 | 45.0 | 45.6 | 45.6 |


|  | Somewhat agree <br> Neither agree <br> nor disagree <br> Somewhat <br> disagree | 28 | 3 | 35.0 | 35.4 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 81.0 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Strongly <br> disagree <br> I don't know | 5 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 84.8 |
|  | Total | 1 | 7.5 | 7.6 | 92.4 |
| Missing | System | 1 | 6.3 | 1.3 | 1.3 |
|  | Total | 80 | 98.8 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

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

|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Strongly agree | 34 | 42.5 | 44.2 | 44.2 |
| Valid | Somewhat agree <br> Neither agree <br> nor disagree <br> Somewhat <br> disagree | 33 | 2 | 31.3 | 42.9 |

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

|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Strongly agree | 36 | 45.0 | 45.6 | 45.6 |
|  | Somewhat agree | 27 | 33.8 | 34.2 | 79.7 |
|  | Valid | Neither agree <br> nor disagree <br> Somewhat <br> disagree | 8 | 6 | 10.0 |
|  | Strongly <br> disagree | 1 | 7.5 | 10.1 | 89.9 |
|  | I don't know | 1 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 97.5 |
|  | Total | 79 | 1 | 1.3 | 1.3 |

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

|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly agree | 33 | 41.3 | 41.8 | 41.8 |
| Somewhat agree | 38 | 47.5 | 48.1 | 89.9 |


| Valid | Neither agree <br> nor disagree <br> Somewhat <br> disagree | 2 | 5 | 2.5 | 2.5 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly <br> disagree <br> Total | 1 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 98.7 |  |
|  | Sissing | 79 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 100.0 |
|  | Total | 1 | 98.8 | 100.0 |  |

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|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
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| Valid | 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 |
|  | 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 |
| Missing | Total | 79 | 98.8 | 100.0 |  |
|  | System | 1 | 1.3 |  |  |
|  | Total | 80 | 100.0 |  |  |

My tax dollars are being well spent by the Arlington Public School System.

|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | 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 |
|  | 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 |
| Missing | Total | 79 | 98.8 | 100.0 |  |
|  | Total | 1 | 1.3 |  |  |
|  |  | 80 | 100.0 |  |  |

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|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly agree | 42 | 52.5 | 52.5 | 52.5 |
| Valid | Somewhat agree <br> Neither agree <br> nor disagree | 21 | 26.3 | 26.3 |


| Somewhat <br> 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 <br> Percent |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | Very respectful <br> Somewhat <br> respectful | 56 | 70.0 | 70.0 | 70.0 |
|  | Not at all <br> respectful <br> I don't know <br> Total | 19 | 23.8 | 23.8 | 93.8 |
|  | 4 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 95.0 |  |

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

|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Very respectful <br> Somewhat <br> Vespectful | 61 | 76.3 | 76.3 | 76.3 |
|  | Not at all <br> respectful | 14 | 17.5 | 17.5 | 93.8 |
|  | I don't know <br> Total | 4 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 95.0 |
|  | 80 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 100.0 |  |

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|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Very respectful <br> Somewhat <br> Vespectful | 58 | 72.5 | 72.5 |
| 72.5 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Not at all <br> respectful <br> I don't know <br> Total | 15 | 18.8 | 18.8 |

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

|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly agree | 22 | 27.5 | 27.5 | 27.5 |
| Vomewhat agree | 24 | 30.0 | 30.0 | 57.5 |
|  | Neither agree <br> nor disagree <br> Somewhat <br> disagree <br> Strongly <br> disagree <br> I don't know <br> Total | 8 | 10.0 | 10.0 |

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|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | Strongly agree <br> Somewhat agree | 29 | 22.5 | 22.5 |
| Neither agree <br> nor disagree <br> Somewhat <br> disagree <br> Strongly <br> disagree | 11 | 36.3 | 36.3 | 58.8 |
|  | 10 | 13.8 | 13.8 | 72.5 |

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

|  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | Increased from <br> last year <br> Stayed about the <br> same as last <br> year | 44 | 11.3 | 11.3 |
| 11.3 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Decreased from <br> last year <br> I don't know <br> Total | 7 | 55.0 | 55.0 |

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|  |  | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | Very important | 46 | 57.5 | 57.5 | 57.5 |
|  | 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 <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Pre-kindergarten | 4 | 5.0 | 5.0 |
| 5.0 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Kindergarten | 8 | 10.0 | 10.0 |
|  | 1st grade | 7 | 8.8 | 8.8 |
| Valid | 2nd grade | 13 | 16.3 | 16.3 |
|  | 3rd grade | 7 | 8.8 | 8.8 |
|  | 4th grade | 10 | 12.5 | 12.5 |
|  |  |  |  | 40.0 |
|  |  |  |  | 48.8 |


| 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 |  |

