Student Engagement Survey for Secondary Students: Clearwater High School

Results

2021-2022 School Year
# Participation

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Please rate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements.

I come to school prepared. (N=666)
- Strongly Agree: 25%
- Agree: 54%
- Neither Disagree nor Agree: 16%
- Disagree: 5%
- Strongly Disagree: 0%

I try my best in school. (N=666)
- Strongly Agree: 22%
- Agree: 49%
- Neither Disagree nor Agree: 22%
- Disagree: 5%
- Strongly Disagree: 0%

I enjoy what I am learning in school. (N=666)
- Strongly Agree: 5%
- Agree: 26%
- Neither Disagree nor Agree: 41%
- Disagree: 19%
- Strongly Disagree: 9%

I think what I’m learning in school is important. (N=666)
- Strongly Agree: 9%
- Agree: 34%
- Neither Disagree nor Agree: 32%
- Disagree: 16%
- Strongly Disagree: 8%

I am proud to go to this school. (N=666)
- Strongly Agree: 10%
- Agree: 28%
- Neither Disagree nor Agree: 42%
- Disagree: 9%
- Strongly Disagree: 11%
Overall Engagement (Continued)

Please rate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements.

I have a lot in common with other students in this school. (N=666)

- Strongly Agree: 6%
- Agree: 29%
- Neither Disagree nor Agree: 38%
- Disagree: 17%
- Strongly Disagree: 10%

I spend time with at least one friend at lunchtime. (N=666)

- Strongly Agree: 43%
- Agree: 33%
- Neither Disagree nor Agree: 9%
- Disagree: 6%
- Strongly Disagree: 10%

I have positive relationships with adults in my school. (N=666)

- Strongly Agree: 17%
- Agree: 44%
- Neither Disagree nor Agree: 31%
- Disagree: 9%
- Strongly Disagree: 10%
Overall Engagement: Comparison Over Time

Please rate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements.

- I come to school prepared: 2021-2022 (N=666) 79% (100%), 2020-2021 (N=1) 100%
- I try my best in school: 2021-2022 (N=666) 71% (100%), 2020-2021 (N=1) 100%
- I enjoy what I am learning in school: 2021-2022 (N=666) 31% (100%), 2020-2021 (N=1) 100%
- I think what I’m learning in school is important: 2021-2022 (N=666) 44%, 2020-2021 (N=1) 0%
Overall Engagement: Comparison Over Time (Continued)

Please rate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements.

- **I am proud to go to this school.**
  - 2021-2022 (N=666) 38%
  - 2020-2021 (N=1) 0%

- **I have a lot in common with other students in this school.**
  - 2021-2022 (N=666) 35%
  - 2020-2021 (N=1) 0%

- **I spend time with at least one friend at lunchtime.**
  - 2021-2022 (N=666) 76%
  - 2020-2021 (N=1) 100%

- **I have positive relationships with adults in my school.**
  - 2021-2022 (N=666) 62%
  - 2020-2021 (N=1) 100%

Answer options: Strongly Agree, Agree, Neither Agree nor Disagree, Disagree, Strongly Agree
Like School

How frequently do you feel the following statement is true?
Generally, I like school. (N=666)

0% 20% 40% 60% 80% 100%

9% 36% 34% 22%

Almost Always or Always
Often
Seldom
Rarely or Never
Like School: Comparison Over Time

How frequently do you feel the following statement is true?
Generally, I like school.

Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never

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<td>Almost Always</td>
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<td>Seldom</td>
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<td>Rarely / Never</td>
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Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never
Class Experience

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **My classes are fun. (N=665)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 5%
  - Often: 35%
  - Seldom: 42%
  - Rarely or Never: 17%

- **My classes are challenging. (N=664)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 15%
  - Often: 46%
  - Seldom: 31%
  - Rarely or Never: 8%

- **My classes let me be creative. (N=663)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 7%
  - Often: 28%
  - Seldom: 43%
  - Rarely or Never: 22%

- **I learn a lot in my classes. (N=664)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 14%
  - Often: 44%
  - Seldom: 33%
  - Rarely or Never: 9%
Class Experience: Comparison Over Time

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **My classes are fun.**
  - 2021-2022: 41%
  - 2020-2021: 0%

- **My classes are challenging.**
  - 2021-2022: 61%
  - 2020-2021: 0%

- **My classes let me be creative.**
  - 2021-2022: 35%
  - 2020-2021: 0%

- **I learn a lot in my classes.**
  - 2021-2022: 59%
  - 2020-2021: 100%

Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never
Student Experience

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

School helps me discover my strongest skills. (N=665)
- Almost Always/Always: 9%
- Often: 30%
- Seldom: 38%
- Rarely/Never: 23%

School helps me discover my skills that need work. (N=663)
- Almost Always/Always: 16%
- Often: 45%
- Seldom: 27%
- Rarely/Never: 12%

I feel what I learn in school helps me become a better student. (N=663)
- Almost Always/Always: 12%
- Often: 34%
- Seldom: 39%
- Rarely/Never: 15%

Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never
Student Experience: Comparison Over Time

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- School helps me discover my strongest skills.
  - 2021-2022: 39%
  - 2020-2021: 100%

- School helps me discover my skills that need work.
  - 2021-2022: 61%
  - 2020-2021: 100%

- I feel what I learn in school helps me become a better student.
  - 2021-2022: 46%
  - 2020-2021: 100%

Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never
Academic Support

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **My teachers include me in classroom discussions. (N=666)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 14%
  - Often: 48%
  - Seldom: 27%
  - Rarely or Never: 11%

- **My teachers encourage me to do my best. (N=666)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 28%
  - Often: 46%
  - Seldom: 21%
  - Rarely or Never: 5%

- **My teachers do not give up on me. (N=665)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 26%
  - Often: 40%
  - Seldom: 29%
  - Rarely or Never: 5%

- **I can count on my teachers to help me if I have difficulty in school. (N=666)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 25%
  - Often: 43%
  - Seldom: 24%
  - Rarely or Never: 8%
Academic Support: Comparison Over Time

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- My teachers include me in classroom discussions.  
  2021-2022 (N=666): 61%  
  2020-2021 (N=1): 0%

- My teachers encourage me to do my best.  
  2021-2022 (N=666): 74%  
  2020-2021 (N=1): 0%

- My teachers do not give up on me.  
  2021-2022 (N=666): 66%  
  2020-2021 (N=1): 100%

- I can count on my teachers to help me if I have difficulty in school.  
  2021-2022 (N=666): 68%  
  2020-2021 (N=1): 100%

Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never
Relevance

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

I see how what I’m learning in school relates to the outside world. (N=666)
- Almost Always or Always: 6%
- Often: 21%
- Seldom: 37%
- Rarely or Never: 36%

I see how what I’m learning in school relates to my future. (N=666)
- Almost Always or Always: 10%
- Often: 28%
- Seldom: 36%
- Rarely or Never: 26%

I see how subjects relate to one another. (N=666)
- Almost Always or Always: 9%
- Often: 41%
- Seldom: 38%
- Rarely or Never: 12%
Relevance: Comparison Over Time

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I see how what I’m learning in school relates to the outside world.
  - 2021-2022 (N=666): 27%
  - 2020-2021 (N=1): 0%

- I see how what I’m learning in school relates to my future.
  - 2021-2022 (N=666): 38%
  - 2020-2021 (N=1): 0%

- I see how subjects relate to one another.
  - 2021-2022 (N=666): 50%
  - 2020-2021 (N=1): 0%

Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never
Self-Management

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I am nice to my classmates. (N=665)
  - Almost Always or Always: 46%
  - Often: 40%
  - Seldom: 12%

- I am nice to my teacher(s). (N=666)
  - Almost Always or Always: 58%
  - Often: 33%
  - Seldom: 8%

- I follow school and classroom rules. (N=666)
  - Almost Always or Always: 46%
  - Often: 43%
  - Seldom: 10%

- I put schoolwork before other activities when necessary. (N=666)
  - Almost Always or Always: 15%
  - Often: 37%
  - Seldom: 34%
  - Rarely or Never: 14%
Self-Management: Comparison Over Time

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I am nice to my classmates.
- I am nice to my teacher(s).
- I follow school and classroom rules.
- I put schoolwork before other activities when necessary.

**Percentage Almost Always or Always or Often**

- I am nice to my classmates: 2021-2022 (N=666) - 86%, 2020-2021 (N=1) - 100%
- I am nice to my teacher(s): 2021-2022 (N=666) - 91%, 2020-2021 (N=1) - 100%
- I follow school and classroom rules: 2021-2022 (N=666) - 88%, 2020-2021 (N=1) - 100%
- I put schoolwork before other activities when necessary: 2021-2022 (N=666) - 52%, 2020-2021 (N=1) - 100%

*Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never*
How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **I’m willing to try new activities. (N=665)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 23%
  - Often: 45%
  - Seldom: 26%
  - Rarely or Never: 5%

- **I continue to try, even when an activity is difficult. (N=665)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 20%
  - Often: 50%
  - Seldom: 24%
  - Rarely or Never: 7%

- **I finish activities that I start. (N=665)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 19%
  - Often: 47%
  - Seldom: 29%
  - Rarely or Never: 5%

- **I ask for help when I don’t understand something. (N=665)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 18%
  - Often: 34%
  - Seldom: 32%
  - Rarely or Never: 16%
Grit: Comparison Over Time

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I’m willing to try new activities.
- I continue to try, even when an activity is difficult.
- I finish activities that I start.
- I ask for help when I don’t understand something.

**Percentage Almost Always or Always or Often**

- I’m willing to try new activities: 69%
- I continue to try, even when an activity is difficult: 70%
- I finish activities that I start: 66%
- I ask for help when I don’t understand something: 52%

**Answer options:** Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never

**2021-2022 (N=665) vs 2020-2021 (N=1)**
Involvement

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I participate in class activities and discussions. (N=665)
  - Almost Always or Always: 14%
  - Often: 42%
  - Seldom: 31%
  - Rarely or Never: 13%

- I attend school activities/events. (N=663)
  - Almost Always or Always: 12%
  - Often: 23%
  - Seldom: 31%
  - Rarely or Never: 35%

- I share my ideas to make this school better. (N=663)
  - Almost Always or Always: 6%
  - Often: 16%
  - Seldom: 31%
  - Rarely or Never: 47%

- I encourage other students to get involved in school and activities. (N=664)
  - Almost Always or Always: 11%
  - Often: 22%
  - Seldom: 29%
  - Rarely or Never: 38%
Involvement: Comparison Over Time

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I participate in class activities and discussions.
- I attend school activities/events.
- I share my ideas to make this school better.
- I encourage other students to get involved in school and activities.

- **I participate in class activities and discussions.**
  - 56% (2021-2022, N=664), 56% (2020-2021, N=1)
- **I attend school activities/events.**
  - 35% (2021-2022, N=664), 0% (2020-2021, N=1)
- **I share my ideas to make this school better.**
  - 22% (2021-2022, N=664), 0% (2020-2021, N=1)
- **I encourage other students to get involved in school and activities.**
  - 33% (2021-2022, N=664), 0% (2020-2021, N=1)

Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never
Future Goals

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

1. I feel good about my future opportunities. (N=664)
   - Almost Always or Always: 25%
   - Often: 39%
   - Seldom: 27%
   - Rarely or Never: 9%

2. I believe I will be successful after I graduate high school. (N=665)
   - Almost Always or Always: 39%
   - Often: 37%
   - Seldom: 18%
   - Rarely or Never: 6%

3. I believe that I will have a career that interests me. (N=665)
   - Almost Always or Always: 42%
   - Often: 35%
   - Seldom: 17%
   - Rarely or Never: 6%
Future Goals: Comparison Over Time

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I feel good about my future opportunities.
  - 2021-2022 (N=665): 64%
  - 2020-2021 (N=1): 100%

- I believe I will be successful after I graduate high school.
  - 2021-2022 (N=665): 76%
  - 2020-2021 (N=1): 100%

- I believe that I will have a career that interests me.
  - 2021-2022 (N=665): 76%
  - 2020-2021 (N=1): 100%

Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never
Post-High School Plans

Which of the following best describes your plans for after high school? (N=664)

- I plan to go to college: 63%
- I plan to go to a technical school: 4%
- I plan to enter an apprenticeship program that combines on-the-job training with academic instruction: 2%
- I plan to enlist in the military: 4%
- I plan to join a volunteer organization: 0%
- I don’t plan to go to school. I plan to work full time: 4%
- I don’t know: 17%
- Other (Please specify): 6%
## Acceptance

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **I feel good about myself at school. (N=664)**
  - 15%: Almost Always or Always
  - 38%: Often
  - 31%: Seldom
  - 17%: Rarely or Never

- **I feel respected in this school. (N=666)**
  - 15%: Almost Always or Always
  - 35%: Often
  - 34%: Seldom
  - 16%: Rarely or Never

- **I feel accepted in this school. (N=665)**
  - 17%: Almost Always or Always
  - 40%: Often
  - 30%: Seldom
  - 13%: Rarely or Never

- **I feel like I belong in this school. (N=666)**
  - 15%: Almost Always or Always
  - 35%: Often
  - 33%: Seldom
  - 17%: Rarely or Never
Acceptance: Comparison Over Time

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

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<td>I feel respected in this school</td>
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<tr>
<td>I feel accepted in this school</td>
<td>57%</td>
<td>100%</td>
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<tr>
<td>I feel like I belong in this school</td>
<td>50%</td>
<td>0%</td>
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Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never
Relationships with Peers

How frequently do you feel the following statement are true?

- I work in class with students other than my friends. (N=664)
  - 10% Rarely or Never
  - 31% Often
  - 32% Seldom
  - 27% Almost Always or Always

- I spend time with at least one friend from school outside of school. (N=662)
  - 36% Rarely or Never
  - 29% Seldom
  - 14% Often
  - 21% Almost Always or Always

- I interact with students other than my friends outside of class. (N=664)
  - 14% Rarely or Never
  - 22% Seldom
  - 28% Often
  - 36% Almost Always or Always

- I can talk about problems with my friends from school. (N=665)
  - 23% Rarely or Never
  - 31% Seldom
  - 24% Often
  - 22% Almost Always or Always
Relationships with Peers: Comparison Over Time

How frequently do you feel the following statement are true?

- I work in class with students other than my friends.
  - 2021-2022: 41%
  - 2020-2021: 0%

- I spend time with at least one friend from school outside of school.
  - 2021-2022: 65%
  - 2020-2021: 0%

- I interact with students other than my friends outside of class.
  - 2021-2022: 35%
  - 2020-2021: 0%

- I can talk about problems with my friends from school.
  - 2021-2022: 54%
  - 2020-2021: 0%

**Answer options:** Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never
Perceptions of Peers

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **My friends take school seriously. (N=665)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 13%
  - Often: 45%
  - Seldom: 29%
  - Rarely or Never: 12%

- **My friends try their best in school. (N=664)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 17%
  - Often: 44%
  - Seldom: 29%
  - Rarely or Never: 10%

- **My friends like school. (N=665)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 7%
  - Often: 23%
  - Seldom: 42%
  - Rarely or Never: 28%
Perceptions of Peers: Comparison Over Time

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **My friends take school seriously.**
  - Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never
  - 2021-2022 (N=665): 58%
  - 2020-2021 (N=1): 0%

- **My friends try their best in school.**
  - 2021-2022 (N=665): 61%
  - 2020-2021 (N=1): 0%

- **My friends like school.**
  - 2021-2022 (N=665): 30%
  - 2020-2021 (N=1): 0%

*Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never*
Relationships with Adults

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **I feel supported by my teachers.** (N=662)
  - Almost Always or Always: 19%
  - Often: 45%
  - Seldom: 28%
  - Rarely or Never: 8%

- **I feel supported by other adults who work in this school.** (N=664)
  - Almost Always or Always: 16%
  - Often: 36%
  - Seldom: 31%
  - Rarely or Never: 18%

- **I am comfortable being myself around adults at this school.** (N=664)
  - Almost Always or Always: 17%
  - Often: 33%
  - Seldom: 29%
  - Rarely or Never: 21%
Relationships with Adults: Comparison Over Time

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I feel supported by my teachers.
  - 2021-2022: 64% Almost Always or Always or Often
  - 2020-2021: 100% Almost Always or Always or Often

- I feel supported by other adults who work in this school.
  - 2021-2022: 51% Almost Always or Always or Often
  - 2020-2021: 100% Almost Always or Always or Often

- I am comfortable being myself around adults at this school.
  - 2021-2022: 50% Almost Always or Always or Often
  - 2020-2021: 100% Almost Always or Always or Often

*Answer options: Almost Always/Always, Often, Seldom, Rarely/Never*