2020-2021 Student Engagement Survey: Hollins High School

Results

May 24 - June 11, 2021
## Participation

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<th>Responding Group</th>
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<td>Secondary Students</td>
<td>1,674</td>
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Like School

How frequently do you feel the following statement is true?
Generally, I like school. (N=457)

- 11% Almost Always or Always
- 38% Often
- 31% Seldom
- 20% Rarely or Never
Secondary Students

Overall Engagement

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

- I come to school prepared. (N=459)
  - Strongly Agree: 27%
  - Agree: 57%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 13%
  - Disagree: 6%
  - Strongly Disagree: 1%

- I try my best in school. (N=459)
  - Strongly Agree: 24%
  - Agree: 48%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 19%
  - Disagree: 6%
  - Strongly Disagree: 1%

- I enjoy what I am learning in school. (N=459)
  - Strongly Agree: 6%
  - Agree: 31%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 42%
  - Disagree: 14%
  - Strongly Disagree: 8%

- I think what I’m learning in school is important. (N=459)
  - Strongly Agree: 11%
  - Agree: 33%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 34%
  - Disagree: 12%
  - Strongly Disagree: 10%

- I am proud to go to this school. (N=459)
  - Strongly Agree: 13%
  - Agree: 37%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 37%
  - Disagree: 8%
  - Strongly Disagree: 5%
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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=459)
  - 9% Strongly Agree
  - 37% Agree
  - 31% Neither Disagree nor Agree
  - 15% Disagree
  - 8% Strongly Disagree

- I spend time with at least one friend at lunchtime. (N=459)
  - 32% Strongly Agree
  - 31% Agree
  - 15% Neither Disagree nor Agree
  - 9% Disagree
  - 12% Strongly Disagree

- I have positive relationships with adults in my school. (N=459)
  - 18% Strongly Agree
  - 50% Agree
  - 26% Neither Disagree nor Agree
  - 5% Disagree
  - 0% Strongly Disagree
How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- My classes are fun. (N=457)
  - Almost Always or Always: 6%
  - Often: 45%
  - Seldom: 38%
  - Rarely or Never: 11%

- My classes are challenging. (N=459)
  - Almost Always or Always: 16%
  - Often: 54%
  - Seldom: 25%
  - Rarely or Never: 5%

- My classes let me be creative. (N=457)
  - Almost Always or Always: 8%
  - Often: 39%
  - Seldom: 39%
  - Rarely or Never: 14%

- I learn a lot in my classes. (N=458)
  - Almost Always or Always: 15%
  - Often: 45%
  - Seldom: 31%
  - Rarely or Never: 8%
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Student Experience

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **School helps me discover my strongest skills. (N=459)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 9%
  - Often: 32%
  - Seldom: 39%
  - Rarely or Never: 21%

- **School helps me discover my skills that need work. (N=459)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 17%
  - Often: 46%
  - Seldom: 26%
  - Rarely or Never: 11%

- **I feel what I learn in school helps me become a better student. (N=458)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 13%
  - Often: 36%
  - Seldom: 36%
  - Rarely or Never: 16%
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Academic Support

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- My teachers include me in classroom discussions. (N=458)
  - 14% Almost Always or Always
  - 53% Often
  - 24% Seldom
  - 8% Rarely or Never

- My teachers encourage me to do my best. (N=459)
  - 31% Almost Always or Always
  - 49% Often
  - 15% Seldom
  - 5% Rarely or Never

- My teachers do not give up on me. (N=458)
  - 28% Almost Always or Always
  - 46% Often
  - 21% Seldom
  - 5% Rarely or Never

- I can count on my teachers to help me if I have difficulty in school. (N=458)
  - 25% Almost Always or Always
  - 43% Often
  - 26% Seldom
  - 7% Rarely or Never

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

Almost Always or Always
Often
Seldom
Rarely or Never
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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=459)

- Almost Always or Always: 5%
- Often: 24%
- Seldom: 37%
- Rarely or Never: 34%

I see how what I’m learning in school relates to my future. (N=457)

- Almost Always or Always: 8%
- Often: 32%
- Seldom: 36%
- Rarely or Never: 24%

I see how subjects relate to one another. (N=459)

- Almost Always or Always: 8%
- Often: 44%
- Seldom: 38%
- Rarely or Never: 10%
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Self-Management

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I am nice to my classmates. (N=457)
  - Almost Always or Always: 46%
  - Often: 43%
  - Seldom: 9%
  - Rarely or Never: 9%

- I am nice to my teacher(s). (N=457)
  - Almost Always or Always: 58%
  - Often: 34%
  - Seldom: 7%
  - Rarely or Never: 1%

- I follow school and classroom rules. (N=458)
  - Almost Always or Always: 54%
  - Often: 38%
  - Seldom: 8%
  - Rarely or Never: 10%

- I put schoolwork before other activities when necessary. (N=458)
  - Almost Always or Always: 13%
  - Often: 41%
  - Seldom: 33%
  - Rarely or Never: 13%
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Grit

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I’m willing to try new activities. (N=459)
  - 20%: Almost Always or Always
  - 46%: Often
  - 28%: Seldom
  - 5%: Rarely or Never

- I continue to try, even when an activity is difficult. (N=459)
  - 21%: Almost Always or Always
  - 47%: Often
  - 26%: Seldom
  - 7%: Rarely or Never

- I finish activities that I start. (N=457)
  - 20%: Almost Always or Always
  - 46%: Often
  - 29%: Seldom
  - 5%: Rarely or Never

- I ask for help when I don’t understand something. (N=459)
  - 18%: Almost Always or Always
  - 37%: Often
  - 30%: Seldom
  - 15%: Rarely or Never
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Involvement

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

I participate in class activities and discussions. (N=456)
- Almost Always or Always: 15%
- Often: 43%
- Seldom: 30%
- Rarely or Never: 11%

I attend school activities/events. (N=456)
- Almost Always or Always: 8%
- Often: 26%
- Seldom: 34%
- Rarely or Never: 31%

I share my ideas to make this school better. (N=455)
- Almost Always or Always: 5%
- Often: 18%
- Seldom: 34%
- Rarely or Never: 42%

I encourage other students to get involved in school and activities. (N=457)
- Almost Always or Always: 8%
- Often: 25%
- Seldom: 30%
- Rarely or Never: 36%
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### Acceptance

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

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<tr>
<td>I feel good about myself at school. (N=458)</td>
<td>14%</td>
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<td>I feel respected in this school. (N=457)</td>
<td>15%</td>
<td>45%</td>
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<td>I feel accepted in this school. (N=458)</td>
<td>18%</td>
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<td>I feel like I belong in this school. (N=457)</td>
<td>17%</td>
<td>40%</td>
<td>29%</td>
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- **Almost Always or Always**: Always agree with the statement.
- **Often**: Sometimes agree with the statement.
- **Seldom**: Sometimes disagree with the statement.
- **Rarely or Never**: Always disagree with the statement.
**Relationships with Peers**

How frequently do you feel the following statement are true?

1. I work in class with students other than my friends. (N=459)
   - Almost Always or Always: 9%
   - Often: 28%
   - Seldom: 36%
   - Rarely or Never: 27%

2. I spend time with at least one friend from school outside of school. (N=458)
   - Almost Always or Always: 33%
   - Often: 29%
   - Seldom: 18%
   - Rarely or Never: 19%

3. I interact with students other than my friends outside of class. (N=459)
   - Almost Always or Always: 12%
   - Often: 24%
   - Seldom: 26%
   - Rarely or Never: 38%

4. I can talk about problems with my friends from school. (N=457)
   - Almost Always or Always: 23%
   - Often: 34%
   - Seldom: 19%
   - Rarely or Never: 24%
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Perceptions of Peers

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **My friends take school seriously. (N=457)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 12%
  - Often: 48%
  - Seldom: 31%
  - Rarely or Never: 9%

- **My friends try their best in school. (N=454)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 18%
  - Often: 48%
  - Seldom: 28%
  - Rarely or Never: 7%

- **My friends like school. (N=457)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 5%
  - Often: 25%
  - Seldom: 44%
  - Rarely or Never: 25%

Legend:
- Green: Almost Always or Always
- Blue: Often
- Orange: Seldom
- Red: Rarely or Never
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Relationships with Adults

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

I feel supported by my teachers. (N=459)
- Almost Always or Always: 49%
- Often: 22%
- Seldom: 22%
- Rarely or Never: 7%

I feel supported by other adults who work in this school. (N=459)
- Almost Always or Always: 39%
- Often: 33%
- Seldom: 11%
- Rarely or Never: 7%

I am comfortable being myself around adults at this school. (N=458)
- Almost Always or Always: 37%
- Often: 30%
- Seldom: 16%
- Rarely or Never: 7%
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Future Goals

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **I feel good about my future opportunities. (N=459)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 20%
  - Often: 44%
  - Seldom: 28%
  - Rarely or Never: 7%

- **I believe I will be successful after I graduate high school. (N=458)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 32%
  - Often: 41%
  - Seldom: 21%
  - Rarely or Never: 6%

- **I believe that I will have a career that interests me. (N=457)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 34%
  - Often: 42%
  - Seldom: 18%
  - Rarely or Never: 6%
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Plans for After High School

Which of the following best describes your plans for after high school? (N=457)

- I plan to go to college: 56%
- 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: 5%
- I plan to join a volunteer organization: 3%
- I don’t plan to go to school. I plan to work full time: 3%
- I don’t know: 21%
- Other: 8%
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