2020-2021 Student Engagement Survey: Meadowlawn Middle School

Results

May 24 - June 11, 2021
# Participation

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Secondary Students

Like School

How frequently do you feel the following statement is true?

Generally, I like school. (N=236)

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

8% 35% 35% 21%

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

Almost Always or Always  Often  Seldom  Rarely or Never
Overall Engagement

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

- I come to school prepared. (N=239)
  - Strongly Agree: 19%
  - Agree: 56%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 18%
  - Disagree: 5%
  - Strongly Disagree: 0%

- I try my best in school. (N=239)
  - Strongly Agree: 21%
  - Agree: 51%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 21%
  - Disagree: 5%
  - Strongly Disagree: 0%

- I enjoy what I am learning in school. (N=239)
  - Strongly Agree: 5%
  - Agree: 17%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 48%
  - Disagree: 20%
  - Strongly Disagree: 9%

- I think what I’m learning in school is important. (N=239)
  - Strongly Agree: 10%
  - Agree: 32%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 36%
  - Disagree: 16%
  - Strongly Disagree: 7%

- I am proud to go to this school. (N=239)
  - Strongly Agree: 9%
  - Agree: 25%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 41%
  - Disagree: 12%
  - Strongly Disagree: 13%
Overall Engagement (Continued)

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

1. I have a lot in common with other students in this school. (N=239)
   - Strongly Agree: 10%
   - Agree: 31%
   - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 33%
   - Disagree: 16%
   - Strongly Disagree: 10%

2. I spend time with at least one friend at lunchtime. (N=239)
   - Strongly Agree: 37%
   - Agree: 30%
   - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 12%
   - Disagree: 10%
   - Strongly Disagree: 12%

3. I have positive relationships with adults in my school. (N=239)
   - Strongly Agree: 16%
   - Agree: 36%
   - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 40%
   - Disagree: 5%
   - Strongly Disagree: 0%
Secondary Students

Class Experience

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **My classes are fun. (N=238)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 8%
  - Often: 34%
  - Seldom: 45%
  - Rarely or Never: 13%

- **My classes are challenging. (N=237)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 13%
  - Often: 54%
  - Seldom: 27%
  - Rarely or Never: 6%

- **My classes let me be creative. (N=236)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 8%
  - Often: 26%
  - Seldom: 44%
  - Rarely or Never: 22%

- **I learn a lot in my classes. (N=236)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 18%
  - Often: 39%
  - Seldom: 33%
  - Rarely or Never: 10%
Student Experience

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

School helps me discover my strongest skills. (N=239)
- Rarely or Never: 10%
- Seldom: 28%
- Often: 34%
- Almost Always or Always: 28%

School helps me discover my skills that need work. (N=238)
- Rarely or Never: 16%
- Seldom: 45%
- Often: 31%
- Almost Always or Always: 8%

I feel what I learn in school helps me become a better student. (N=238)
- Rarely or Never: 13%
- Seldom: 34%
- Often: 37%
- Almost Always or Always: 16%

Legend:
- Almost Always or Always
- Often
- Seldom
- Rarely or Never
Secondary Students

Academic Support

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- My teachers include me in classroom discussions. (N=236)
  - Almost Always or Always: 44%
  - Often: 33%
  - Seldom: 9%
  - Rarely or Never: 14%

- My teachers encourage me to do my best. (N=236)
  - Almost Always or Always: 46%
  - Often: 29%
  - Seldom: 21%
  - Rarely or Never: 5%

- My teachers do not give up on me. (N=235)
  - Almost Always or Always: 45%
  - Often: 25%
  - Seldom: 5%
  - Rarely or Never: 25%

- I can count on my teachers to help me if I have difficulty in school. (N=235)
  - Almost Always or Always: 39%
  - Often: 29%
  - Seldom: 10%
  - Rarely or Never: 22%
Secondary Students

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=238)

- Almost Always or Always: 5%
- Often: 18%
- Seldom: 37%
- Rarely or Never: 39%

I see how what I’m learning in school relates to my future. (N=237)

- Almost Always or Always: 7%
- Often: 37%
- Seldom: 29%
- Rarely or Never: 28%

I see how subjects relate to one another. (N=236)

- Almost Always or Always: 12%
- Often: 42%
- Seldom: 33%
- Rarely or Never: 13%
Self-Management

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I am nice to my classmates. (N=239)
  - Almost Always or Always: 35%
  - Often: 43%
  - Seldom: 18%
  - Rarely or Never: 9%

- I am nice to my teacher(s). (N=237)
  - Almost Always or Always: 46%
  - Often: 44%
  - Seldom: 9%
  - Rarely or Never: 9%

- I follow school and classroom rules. (N=237)
  - Almost Always or Always: 36%
  - Often: 47%
  - Seldom: 17%
  - Rarely or Never: 12%

- I put schoolwork before other activities when necessary. (N=237)
  - Almost Always or Always: 13%
  - Often: 41%
  - Seldom: 35%
  - Rarely or Never: 12%
Secondary Students

Grit

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I’m willing to try new activities. (N=238)
  - Often: 38%
  - Seldom: 30%
  - Rarely or Never: 10%
  - Almost Always or Always: 22%

- I continue to try, even when an activity is difficult. (N=236)
  - Often: 44%
  - Seldom: 27%
  - Rarely or Never: 10%
  - Almost Always or Always: 20%

- I finish activities that I start. (N=237)
  - Often: 41%
  - Seldom: 35%
  - Rarely or Never: 8%
  - Almost Always or Always: 16%

- I ask for help when I don’t understand something. (N=237)
  - Often: 32%
  - Seldom: 32%
  - Rarely or Never: 21%
  - Almost Always or Always: 15%
Primary Students

Involvement

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

I participate in class activities and discussions. (N=239)
- Almost Always or Always: 16%
- Often: 45%
- Seldom: 27%
- Rarely or Never: 12%

I attend school activities/events. (N=237)
- Almost Always or Always: 11%
- Often: 24%
- Seldom: 32%
- Rarely or Never: 34%

I share my ideas to make this school better. (N=237)
- Almost Always or Always: 9%
- Often: 17%
- Seldom: 35%
- Rarely or Never: 39%

I encourage other students to get involved in school and activities. (N=238)
- Almost Always or Always: 8%
- Often: 17%
- Seldom: 29%
- Rarely or Never: 45%
How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I feel good about myself at school. (N=239)
  - Almost Always or Always: 13%
  - Often: 33%
  - Seldom: 33%
  - Rarely or Never: 21%

- I feel respected in this school. (N=239)
  - Almost Always or Always: 10%
  - Often: 33%
  - Seldom: 35%
  - Rarely or Never: 23%

- I feel accepted in this school. (N=239)
  - Almost Always or Always: 10%
  - Often: 40%
  - Seldom: 31%
  - Rarely or Never: 19%

- I feel like I belong in this school. (N=239)
  - Almost Always or Always: 13%
  - Often: 30%
  - Seldom: 32%
  - Rarely or Never: 24%
Secondary Students

Relationships with Peers

How frequently do you feel the following statement are true?

I work in class with students other than my friends. (N=238)
- Almost Always or Always: 8%
- Often: 26%
- Seldom: 32%
- Rarely or Never: 35%

I spend time with at least one friend from school outside of school. (N=238)
- Almost Always or Always: 31%
- Often: 30%
- Seldom: 18%
- Rarely or Never: 21%

I interact with students other than my friends outside of class. (N=236)
- Almost Always or Always: 14%
- Often: 21%
- Seldom: 29%
- Rarely or Never: 37%

I can talk about problems with my friends from school. (N=239)
- Almost Always or Always: 24%
- Often: 26%
- Seldom: 22%
- Rarely or Never: 28%
Secondary Students

Perceptions of Peers

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- My friends take school seriously. (N=238)
  - 7% Almost Always or Always
  - 39% Often
  - 36% Seldom
  - 18% Rarely or Never

- My friends try their best in school. (N=237)
  - 12% Almost Always or Always
  - 47% Often
  - 27% Seldom
  - 14% Rarely or Never

- My friends like school. (N=238)
  - 21% Almost Always or Always
  - 38% Often
  - 37% Seldom
  - 37% Rarely or Never
Secondary Students

Relationships with Adults

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **I feel supported by my teachers. (N=239)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 15%
  - Often: 46%
  - Seldom: 28%
  - Rarely or Never: 11%

- **I feel supported by other adults who work in this school. (N=239)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 21%
  - Often: 31%
  - Seldom: 33%
  - Rarely or Never: 16%

- **I am comfortable being myself around adults at this school. (N=239)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 13%
  - Often: 34%
  - Seldom: 28%
  - Rarely or Never: 25%
Secondary Students

Future Goals

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

1. I feel good about my future opportunities. (N=238)
   - Almost Always or Always: 26%
   - Often: 37%
   - Seldom: 28%
   - Rarely or Never: 10%

2. I believe I will be successful after I graduate high school. (N=239)
   - Almost Always or Always: 39%
   - Often: 34%
   - Seldom: 20%
   - Rarely or Never: 7%

3. I believe that I will have a career that interests me. (N=237)
   - Almost Always or Always: 42%
   - Often: 34%
   - Seldom: 17%
   - Rarely or Never: 7%
Secondary Students

Plans for After High School

Which of the following best describes your plans for after high school? (N=239)

- I plan to go to college: 54%
- I plan to go to a technical school: 2%
- I plan to enter an apprenticeship program that combines on-the-job training with academic instruction: 1%
- I plan to enlist in the military: 8%
- I plan to join a volunteer organization: 1%
- I don't plan to go to school. I plan to work full time: 2%
- I don't know: 22%
- Other: 10%