2020-2021 Student Engagement Survey: Tomlinson Adult Learning Center

Results

May 24 - June 11, 2021
## Participation

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Like School

How frequently do you feel the following statement is true?

Generally, I like school. (N=174)
Overall Engagement

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

- I come to school prepared. (N=181)
  - Strongly Agree: 52%
  - Agree: 40%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 8%
- I try my best in school. (N=181)
  - Strongly Agree: 63%
  - Agree: 32%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 8%
- I enjoy what I am learning in school. (N=181)
  - Strongly Agree: 59%
  - Agree: 29%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 8%
- I think what I’m learning in school is important. (N=181)
  - Strongly Agree: 63%
  - Agree: 29%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 8%
- I am proud to go to this school. (N=181)
  - Strongly Agree: 60%
  - Agree: 31%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 8%
Secondary Students

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=181)**
  - Strongly Agree: 35%
  - Agree: 36%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 21%
  - Disagree: 8%
  - Strongly Disagree: 13%

- **I spend time with at least one friend at lunchtime. (N=181)**
  - Strongly Agree: 30%
  - Agree: 23%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 23%
  - Disagree: 13%
  - Strongly Disagree: 11%

- **I have positive relationships with adults in my school. (N=181)**
  - Strongly Agree: 48%
  - Agree: 39%
  - Neither Disagree nor Agree: 8%
  - Disagree: 13%
  - Strongly Disagree: 36%
Secondary Students

Class Experience

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- My classes are fun. (N=179)
  - Almost Always or Always: 46%
  - Often: 39%
  - Seldom: 12%
  - Rarely or Never: 5%

- My classes are challenging. (N=177)
  - Almost Always or Always: 41%
  - Often: 41%
  - Seldom: 13%
  - Rarely or Never: 5%

- My classes let me be creative. (N=179)
  - Almost Always or Always: 45%
  - Often: 33%
  - Seldom: 18%
  - Rarely or Never: 2%

- I learn a lot in my classes. (N=178)
  - Almost Always or Always: 70%
  - Often: 26%
  - Seldom: 4%
  - Rarely or Never: 0%
How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **School helps me discover my strongest skills. (N=179)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 60%
  - Often: 32%
  - Seldom: 7%

- **School helps me discover my skills that need work. (N=179)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 63%
  - Often: 31%
  - Seldom: 6%

- **I feel what I learn in school helps me become a better student. (N=180)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 70%
  - Often: 24%
  - Seldom: 6%
Secondary Students

Academic Support

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- My teachers include me in classroom discussions. (N=180)
  - Almost Always or Always: 62%
  - Often: 31%
  - Seldom: 5%

- My teachers encourage me to do my best. (N=180)
  - Almost Always or Always: 82%
  - Often: 16%

- My teachers do not give up on me. (N=179)
  - Almost Always or Always: 81%
  - Often: 10%
  - Seldom: 7%

- I can count on my teachers to help me if I have difficulty in school. (N=180)
  - Almost Always or Always: 86%
  - Often: 13%
**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=177)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 54%
  - Often: 33%
  - Seldom: 8%

- **I see how what I’m learning in school relates to my future. (N=180)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 65%
  - Often: 27%
  - Seldom: 5%

- **I see how subjects relate to one another. (N=177)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 50%
  - Often: 41%
  - Seldom: 7%
Self-Management

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I am nice to my classmates. (N=178)
  - Almost Always or Always: 79%
  - Often: 19%
  - Seldom: 0%
  - Rarely or Never: 0%

- I am nice to my teacher(s). (N=179)
  - Almost Always or Always: 92%
  - Often: 8%
  - Seldom: 0%
  - Rarely or Never: 0%

- I follow school and classroom rules. (N=179)
  - Almost Always or Always: 85%
  - Often: 15%
  - Seldom: 0%
  - Rarely or Never: 0%

- I put schoolwork before other activities when necessary. (N=176)
  - Almost Always or Always: 47%
  - Often: 40%
  - Seldom: 11%
  - Rarely or Never: 0%
Secondary Students

Grit

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I’m willing to try new activities. (N=179) 60% Almost Always or Always, 35% Often, 6% Seldom, Rarely or Never
- I continue to try, even when an activity is difficult. (N=179) 63% Almost Always or Always, 31% Often, 6% Seldom, Rarely or Never
- I finish activities that I start. (N=179) 59% Almost Always or Always, 34% Often, 6% Seldom, Rarely or Never
- I ask for help when I don’t understand something. (N=178) 71% Almost Always or Always, 22% Often, 7% Seldom, Rarely or Never
Secondary Students

Involvement

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- I participate in class activities and discussions. (N=179)
  - Almost Always or Always: 50%
  - Often: 41%
  - Seldom: 7%

- I attend school activities/events. (N=165)
  - Almost Always or Always: 27%
  - Often: 36%
  - Seldom: 20%
  - Rarely or Never: 18%

- I share my ideas to make this school better. (N=175)
  - Almost Always or Always: 29%
  - Often: 31%
  - Seldom: 22%
  - Rarely or Never: 18%

- I encourage other students to get involved in school and activities. (N=174)
  - Almost Always or Always: 36%
  - Often: 34%
  - Seldom: 19%
  - Rarely or Never: 11%

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

Acceptance

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **I feel good about myself at school. (N=179)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 65%
  - Often: 27%
  - Seldom: 5%
  - Rarely or Never: 0%

- **I feel respected in this school. (N=178)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 73%
  - Often: 25%
  - Seldom: 0%
  - Rarely or Never: 2%

- **I feel accepted in this school. (N=176)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 77%
  - Often: 22%
  - Seldom: 0%
  - Rarely or Never: 0%

- **I feel like I belong in this school. (N=178)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 69%
  - Often: 25%
  - Seldom: 0%
  - Rarely or Never: 0%
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=176)
  - Almost Always or Always: 45%
  - Often: 27%
  - Seldom: 16%
  - Rarely or Never: 12%

- I spend time with at least one friend from school outside of school. (N=174)
  - Almost Always or Always: 29%
  - Often: 22%
  - Seldom: 18%
  - Rarely or Never: 30%

- I interact with students other than my friends outside of class. (N=175)
  - Almost Always or Always: 30%
  - Often: 22%
  - Seldom: 18%
  - Rarely or Never: 30%

- I can talk about problems with my friends from school. (N=175)
  - Almost Always or Always: 28%
  - Often: 25%
  - Seldom: 19%
  - 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=175)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 41%
  - Often: 45%
  - Seldom: 11%

- **My friends try their best in school. (N=176)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 48%
  - Often: 42%
  - Seldom: 6%

- **My friends like school. (N=174)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 48%
  - Often: 38%
  - Seldom: 7%
  - Rarely or Never: 7%
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Relationships with Adults

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

I feel supported by my teachers. (N=178)
- Almost Always or Always: 81%
- Often: 16%
- Rarely or Never: 3%

I feel supported by other adults who work in this school. (N=176)
- Almost Always or Always: 67%
- Often: 27%
- Rarely or Never: 6%

I am comfortable being myself around adults at this school. (N=177)
- Almost Always or Always: 74%
- Often: 22%
- Rarely or Never: 5%
### Secondary Students

#### Future Goals

How frequently do you feel the following statements are true?

- **I feel good about my future opportunities. (N=180)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 67%
  - Often: 27%
  - Seldom: 5%
  - Rarely or Never:

- **I believe I will be successful after I graduate high school. (N=172)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 73%
  - Often: 23%
  - Seldom: 4%
  - Rarely or Never:

- **I believe that I will have a career that interests me. (N=177)**
  - Almost Always or Always: 72%
  - Often: 23%
  - Seldom: 5%
  - Rarely or Never:

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Almost Always or Always  Often  Seldom  Rarely or Never
### Plans for After High School

Which of the following best describes your plans for after high school? (N=176)

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<td>I plan to enter an apprenticeship program that combines on-the-job training with academic instruction.</td>
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<td>I plan to enlist in the military.</td>
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<td>I plan to join a volunteer organization.</td>
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