

Lauderdale County School System
Parent Survey RESULTS- Based on returned surveys
Spring 2015

Dear Parent or Guardian: We are in the process of conducting an evaluation of our parental involvement program, and we would like to know what you think. Please take a few minutes to complete this survey. The responses will be used to improve next year's parental involvement program. If you have questions about the survey or need assistance completing it, please contact

1. Do you feel welcome in your child's school? +3.42 98.72% Yes ___ No
2. Does your school encourage you to be involved in your child's education? +1.14 92.44% Yes ___ No
3. Do you know your school's academic goals and how you can be involved? - 8.62 77.58% Yes ___ No
 (These are posted in the classrooms and in common areas in the school.)
4. Did you participate in any of the following activities offered this year?

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Annual Meeting of Title I Parents	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Parent Advisory Committees/Councils
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Title I Program Planning/Evaluation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Explanation of State Standards/Curriculum
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Development of Parent Involvement Plan	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Family Reading/Math Nights
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Development of School-Parent Compact	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Observing/Volunteering in the Classroom
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Explanation AYP School Improvement	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Parent-teacher Conferences
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Technology Workshop for Parents	

Other events included: Book Fairs, grade level Parent Nights, Financial Aid Workshop, AMSTI activities, Fall festival events, grade level specific Orientations, and PTO meetings

List any additional activities that you would like to see offered: more counseling conferences, increased parent/teacher interactions, online scheduling including daily work, and a better tutoring system

5. Do you know about volunteer work you can do at school? -2.22 68.48% Yes No
6. Do you know how you can be involved in school planning/review committees? -12.36 48.04% Yes No
7. Do you know what it means to be a Title I School and what your rights are? +.30 80% Yes No
 (Student Handbook page 10)
8. Do you know how additional help with reading and/or mathematics is given to students through the Title I program? -4.86 76.94% Yes No
9. Do you know what your child should know and be able to do in reading and/or mathematics for the grade he/she is in? (Academic Content Standards) -3.92 82.58% Yes No
 (These are posted on the district's website.)
10. Do you understand your child's report cards and test scores? -.36 97.54% Yes No
11. Does the **Title I School-Parent Compact** (signed by parent and students at beginning of year) help to remind you about things you can do to help your child do better in school? -8.88 76.92% Yes No
12. Title I, of the *No Child Left Behind Act of 2001* asks that priority be given to extra help beyond the regular school day. If free instruction is provided, would you want your child to attend Title I services:

(circle the best time) after school before school weekend school summer school

After school – 78.55%, before school – 5.78%, weekend – 7.3%, summer school – 15.08%

13. What is the best way for the school to share information about your child and school activities? Check the best way:
 Telephone Call e-Mail Audio/Video tapes Home Visit
 Written Notices Other (Specify): Text messages, Face Book
14. Can you reach your child's classroom teacher(s) to discuss your child? +3.62 96.02% Yes No
15. Do you feel that teachers in the school are interested and cooperative when you discuss your child's academic progress and/or other concerns? -1.22 89.98% Yes No
16. Check any of the following items that would help you attend Title I School wide Activities:
 Evening Meetings *Suggested Time:* 6:00 pm
 Transportation Provided
 Child Care Provided
 Calendar of Events Sent Home Regularly
 Reminders Sent Home One Week before Event
 Different Location than the School *Suggested Location:* _____
 Other *Specify:* _____
17. Are you familiar with the following documents?
 • The **District's Parental Involvement Plan** (is located at www.lcschools.org) -3.28 79.32% Yes No
 • Your School's **Parental Involvement Plan** (was distributed to all students) -6.12 80.78% Yes No
 * This plan can also be viewed in our school offices: Part VI of CIP-Central School Continuous Improvement Plan and on our school website.
 • The **School-Parent Compact** (sent home at the beginning of the school year and signed by parent and child) +2.76 91.76% Yes No
18. Do you know about the school's extra services (for example, counseling, and speech therapy)? (Student Handbook page 25) -4.25 80.95% Yes No
19. Do you know about the school's referral program to community services outside of the school? (Such services may be adult literacy programs, social services, health services, GED, adult career development, etc.) -2.04 67.6% Yes No
20. Do you have comments/concerns about the Title I Program or the Parental Involvement Program in your school?
Very happy with title services and teachers, more communication is needed

The following data requested is for statistical purposes only:

Grades of children:

<u>7.58%</u> Pre-K	<u>17.38%</u> K	<u>11.84%</u> 1	<u>12.44%</u> 2	<u>10.4%</u> 3	<u>12.04%</u> 4	<u>8.84%</u> 5
<u>8.1%</u> 6	<u>12.54%</u> 7	<u>17.66%</u> 8	<u>7.18%</u> 9	<u>10.66%</u> 10	<u>11.06%</u> 11	<u>5.84%</u> 12

Race/Ethnicity (Select all applicable):

American Indian or Alaska Native Asian African American
 Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander Hispanic or Latino White Other

Is your child eligible for the free or reduced-price lunch program? 33.23% Yes 66.77%No