

Climate & Culture

Middle/High School Student Survey

The purpose of this survey is to find out your beliefs and opinions about your school. Read each question and choose the response that most closely matches your opinion. Please answer each item honestly. Your responses will be completely confidential.

Gender

- Male
- Female

Race

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- White
- Two or more races

Ethnicity

- Hispanic
- Not Hispanic or Latino

How long have you been a student at this school?

- This is my 1st year
- 2 years
- 3 years
- 4 years or more

Current Grade in this School

- 6th grade
- 7th grade
- 8th grade
- 9th grade
- 10th grade
- 11th grade
- 12th grade

1. Which four of the following words or phrases best describe, in general, the expectations for you as a student at your school?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I am learning. | <input type="checkbox"/> I am able to memorize. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I am busy. | <input type="checkbox"/> I should find it myself. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I understand. | <input type="checkbox"/> I should ask a teacher. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I know. | <input type="checkbox"/> I am expected to be good at everything. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I am able to explain. | <input type="checkbox"/> I am expected to be good at some things. |

2. Which four of the following phrases best describe, in general, the kinds of things your teachers say to you while at school?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> What are you doing? | <input type="checkbox"/> Repeat it. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> What are you thinking? | <input type="checkbox"/> You should do it this way. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> We will be working on... | <input type="checkbox"/> You could do it this way. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> You will be working on... | <input type="checkbox"/> You got it right! |
| <input type="checkbox"/> You are learning... | <input type="checkbox"/> You took the right approach. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> You are being taught... | <input type="checkbox"/> I'm interested in your answer. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Explain it. | <input type="checkbox"/> I'm interested in your approach. |

3. Which four of the following words or phrases best describe, in general, how you feel when trying to complete your assignments while at school?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Rushed | <input type="checkbox"/> Pressured |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Patient | <input type="checkbox"/> Never enough time |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hectic | <input type="checkbox"/> Usually enough time |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Calm | <input type="checkbox"/> Relaxed |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hurried | <input type="checkbox"/> Tense |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Deliberate | |

4. Which four of the following words or phrases best describe, in general, what you think of your teachers?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Real | <input type="checkbox"/> Lazy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Honest | <input type="checkbox"/> Curious |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fun | <input type="checkbox"/> Uninterested |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Interesting | <input type="checkbox"/> Mean |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Inconsistent | <input type="checkbox"/> Fake |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Consistent | <input type="checkbox"/> Unfair |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Caring | <input type="checkbox"/> Untrustworthy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Active | |

5. Which four of the following words or phrases best describe, in general, the things you most often DO while in class at school?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Listen to teachers | <input type="checkbox"/> Work alone |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Complete brief projects | <input type="checkbox"/> Complete challenging work |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Complete long projects | <input type="checkbox"/> Complete easy work |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Write | <input type="checkbox"/> Make presentations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Think | <input type="checkbox"/> Write papers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Memorize | <input type="checkbox"/> Take tests |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Complete worksheets | <input type="checkbox"/> Give project demonstrations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Work with others | |

6. Which four of the following words or phrases best describe, in general, your experiences in your classes?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Consistent | <input type="checkbox"/> Positive interactions with others |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Random | <input type="checkbox"/> Negative interactions with others |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Orderly | <input type="checkbox"/> Working in groups |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rowdy | <input type="checkbox"/> Working alone |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rushed | <input type="checkbox"/> Challenging |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Calm | <input type="checkbox"/> Easy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Normal | <input type="checkbox"/> New ideas encouraged |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Weird | <input type="checkbox"/> Correct answers encouraged |

7. Which four of the following words best describe, in general, the interactions you have with adults at your school?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Important | <input type="checkbox"/> Helpful |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brief | <input type="checkbox"/> Useless |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Trusting | <input type="checkbox"/> Distant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Respectful | <input type="checkbox"/> Relaxed |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Supportive | <input type="checkbox"/> Tense |

8. Which four of the following words best describe the physical spaces in which you spend most of your time at school?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bright | <input type="checkbox"/> Chaotic |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Unique | <input type="checkbox"/> Stable |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Stressful | <input type="checkbox"/> Comfortable |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flexible | <input type="checkbox"/> Open |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Inviting | <input type="checkbox"/> Closed |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Plain | <input type="checkbox"/> Neglected |

9. Which four of the following words best describe, in general, how you feel while at school?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Happy | <input type="checkbox"/> Pressured |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Angry | <input type="checkbox"/> Encouraged |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Challenged | <input type="checkbox"/> Confused |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bored | <input type="checkbox"/> Excited |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Interested | <input type="checkbox"/> Lonely |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Afraid | <input type="checkbox"/> Supported |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Appreciated | <input type="checkbox"/> Tired |