

**Arlington Public Schools  
2015 Site Based Survey  
Teachers**

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	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid A (outstanding)	8	19.5	19.5	19.5
B (very good)	30	73.2	73.2	92.7
C (average)	3	7.3	7.3	100.0
Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**My school**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid A (outstanding)	8	19.5	19.5	19.5
B (very good)	26	63.4	63.4	82.9
C (average)	7	17.1	17.1	100.0
Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**The teachers in my school**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid A (outstanding)	17	41.5	41.5	41.5
B (very good)	20	48.8	48.8	90.2
C (average)	4	9.8	9.8	100.0
Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**The principal in my school**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent

	A (outstanding)	2	4.9	4.9	4.9
	B (very good)	25	61.0	61.0	65.9
Valid	C (average)	9	22.0	22.0	87.8
	D (poor)	5	12.2	12.2	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**I feel safe in my school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	31	75.6	75.6	75.6
Valid	Somewhat agree	10	24.4	24.4	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**I feel respected in my school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	18	43.9	43.9	43.9
	Somewhat agree	17	41.5	41.5	85.4
Valid	Neither agree nor disagree	2	4.9	4.9	90.2
	Somewhat disagree	4	9.8	9.8	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**I feel valued at work.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Strongly agree	14	34.1	34.1	34.1
	Somewhat agree	15	36.6	36.6	70.7
Valid	Neither agree nor disagree	4	9.8	9.8	80.5
	Somewhat disagree	7	17.1	17.1	97.6
	Strongly disagree	1	2.4	2.4	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**I feel supported in the school.**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Strongly agree	12	29.3	29.3	29.3
Valid Somewhat agree	15	36.6	36.6	65.9
Valid Neither agree nor disagree	3	7.3	7.3	73.2
Valid Somewhat disagree	10	24.4	24.4	97.6
Valid Strongly disagree	1	2.4	2.4	100.0
Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**I like going to work.**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Strongly agree	22	53.7	53.7	53.7
Valid Somewhat agree	13	31.7	31.7	85.4
Valid Neither agree nor disagree	4	9.8	9.8	95.1
Valid Somewhat disagree	2	4.9	4.9	100.0
Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**The principal at my school is responsive to the concerns of schools and student needs.**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Strongly agree	15	36.6	36.6	36.6
Valid Somewhat agree	19	46.3	46.3	82.9
Valid Neither agree nor disagree	2	4.9	4.9	87.8
Valid Somewhat disagree	5	12.2	12.2	100.0
Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**The APS work environment promotes employee productivity and success.**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
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Valid	Strongly agree	7	17.1	17.1	17.1
	Somewhat agree	21	51.2	51.2	68.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	4	9.8	9.8	78.0
	Somewhat disagree	8	19.5	19.5	97.6
	Strongly disagree	1	2.4	2.4	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**The APS work environment promotes employee well-being, satisfaction and positive morale.**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent	
Valid	Strongly agree	5	12.2	12.2	12.2
	Somewhat agree	14	34.1	34.1	46.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	5	12.2	12.2	58.5
	Somewhat disagree	13	31.7	31.7	90.2
	Strongly disagree	4	9.8	9.8	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**There is an atmosphere of open communication in my school.**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent	
Valid	Strongly agree	11	26.8	26.8	26.8
	Somewhat agree	15	36.6	36.6	63.4
	Neither agree nor disagree	4	9.8	9.8	73.2
	Somewhat disagree	7	17.1	17.1	90.2
	Strongly disagree	4	9.8	9.8	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**My principal is responsive to staff.**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Strongly agree	11	26.8	26.8	26.8

Valid	Somewhat agree	19	46.3	46.3	73.2
	Neither agree nor disagree	3	7.3	7.3	80.5
	Somewhat disagree	5	12.2	12.2	92.7
	Strongly disagree	3	7.3	7.3	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**My school does a good job of getting important school-related information to parents.**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent	
Valid	Strongly agree	23	56.1	56.1	56.1
	Somewhat agree	12	29.3	29.3	85.4
	Neither agree nor disagree	3	7.3	7.3	92.7
	Somewhat disagree	3	7.3	7.3	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**Your ability to influence the policies that affect you.**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent	
Valid	Very satisfied	5	12.2	12.2	12.2
	Somewhat satisfied	12	29.3	29.3	41.5
	Somewhat dissatisfied	14	34.1	34.1	75.6
	Very dissatisfied	8	19.5	19.5	95.1
	I don't know/Unsure	2	4.9	4.9	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**The accessibility of your school's counselors to students.**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent	
Valid	Very satisfied	17	41.5	41.5	41.5
	Somewhat satisfied	17	41.5	41.5	82.9
	Somewhat dissatisfied	2	4.9	4.9	87.8

Valid	Very dissatisfied	3	7.3	7.3	95.1
	I don't know/Unsure	2	4.9	4.9	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**The Arlington Public Schools curricula are challenging for all students.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	16	39.0	39.0	39.0
	Somewhat agree	17	41.5	41.5	80.5
	Neither agree nor disagree	1	2.4	2.4	82.9
	Somewhat disagree	4	9.8	9.8	92.7
	Strongly disagree	2	4.9	4.9	97.6
	NOT APPLICABLE/ No basis to judge	1	2.4	2.4	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**I have enough planning time.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	5	12.2	12.2	12.2
	Somewhat agree	10	24.4	24.4	36.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	2	4.9	4.9	41.5
	Somewhat disagree	11	26.8	26.8	68.3
	Strongly disagree	12	29.3	29.3	97.6
	NOT APPLICABLE/ No basis to judge	1	2.4	2.4	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**The central office staff for my instructional programs are accessible to me.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Always	14	34.1	34.1	34.1
	Sometimes	17	41.5	41.5	75.6

Valid	Never	1	2.4	2.4	78.0
	Unsure/ Don't know not applicable/	4	9.8	9.8	87.8
	No basis to judge	5	12.2	12.2	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**My students have enough information to complete their homework by themselves.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	16	39.0	39.0	39.0
	Somewhat agree	12	29.3	29.3	68.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	12	29.3	29.3	97.6
	Strongly disagree	1	2.4	2.4	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**My students' schoolwork develops life skills, such as teamwork, collaboration, time management, goal setting, community service, and arts appreciation.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	16	39.0	39.0	39.0
	Somewhat agree	17	41.5	41.5	80.5
	Neither agree nor disagree	3	7.3	7.3	87.8
	Somewhat disagree	4	9.8	9.8	97.6
	Strongly disagree	1	2.4	2.4	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**How do you feel about the amount of time your students spend on homework?**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	My students spend too much time on their homework.	6	14.6	14.6	14.6
	My students spend an appropriate amount of time on their homework.	19	46.3	46.3	61.0
	My students spend too little of their after school time on homework.	3	7.3	7.3	68.3
	I don't know.	13	31.7	31.7	100.0

Total	41	100.0	100.0	
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How do you feel about the number of students in your classes, would you say there are...?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Too many students in the right number of students	9	22.0	22.0	22.0
		32	78.0	78.0	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

My school is respectful of cultural differences.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	27	65.9	65.9	65.9
	Sometimes	13	31.7	31.7	97.6
	Rarely	1	2.4	2.4	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

My school is respectful of language differences.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	28	68.3	68.3	68.3
	Sometimes	12	29.3	29.3	97.6
	Rarely	1	2.4	2.4	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

My school is respectful of racial/ethnic differences.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	26	63.4	63.4	63.4
	Sometimes	13	31.7	31.7	95.1
	Rarely	2	4.9	4.9	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	



**In your opinion, how important do you think it is to close the academic achievement gap between white students and black and Hispanic students?**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very important	31	75.6	75.6	75.6
	Somewhat important	10	24.4	24.4	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**Do you believe that the achievement gap can be narrowed substantially while maintaining high standards for all children?**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	23	56.1	56.1	56.1
	No	7	17.1	17.1	73.2
	Unsure/I don't know	11	26.8	26.8	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	

**In your opinion, is it the responsibility of the public schools to close the achievement gap between white students and black and Hispanic students?**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	24	58.5	58.5	58.5
	No	7	17.1	17.1	75.6
	Unsure/I don't know	10	24.4	24.4	100.0
	Total	41	100.0	100.0	