

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

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	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid A (outstanding)	10	43.5	43.5	43.5
B (very good)	11	47.8	47.8	91.3
C (average)	2	8.7	8.7	100.0
Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**My school**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid A (outstanding)	6	26.1	26.1	26.1
B (very good)	11	47.8	47.8	73.9
C (average)	6	26.1	26.1	100.0
Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**The teachers in my school**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid A (outstanding)	9	39.1	39.1	39.1
B (very good)	12	52.2	52.2	91.3
C (average)	1	4.3	4.3	95.7
D (poor)	1	4.3	4.3	100.0
Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**The principal in my school**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
A (outstanding)	7	30.4	30.4	30.4
B (very good)	11	47.8	47.8	78.3
Valid C (average)	4	17.4	17.4	95.7
F (failing)	1	4.3	4.3	100.0
Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**I feel safe in my school.**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Strongly agree	17	73.9	73.9	73.9
Valid Somewhat agree	5	21.7	21.7	95.7
Somewhat disagree	1	4.3	4.3	100.0
Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**I feel respected in my school.**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Strongly agree	10	43.5	43.5	43.5
Valid Somewhat agree	9	39.1	39.1	82.6
Neither agree nor disagree	1	4.3	4.3	87.0
Somewhat disagree	2	8.7	8.7	95.7
Strongly disagree	1	4.3	4.3	100.0
Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**I feel valued at work.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	10	43.5	43.5	43.5
	Somewhat agree	8	34.8	34.8	78.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	4	17.4	17.4	95.7
	Somewhat disagree	1	4.3	4.3	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**I feel supported in the school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	12	52.2	52.2	52.2
	Somewhat agree	4	17.4	17.4	69.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	3	13.0	13.0	82.6
	Somewhat disagree	3	13.0	13.0	95.7
	Strongly disagree	1	4.3	4.3	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**I like going to work.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	14	60.9	60.9	60.9
	Somewhat agree	6	26.1	26.1	87.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	2	8.7	8.7	95.7
	Somewhat disagree	1	4.3	4.3	100.0
	Total	23	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
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Valid	Strongly agree	14	60.9	60.9	60.9
	Somewhat agree	5	21.7	21.7	82.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	2	8.7	8.7	91.3
	Somewhat disagree	1	4.3	4.3	95.7
	Strongly disagree	1	4.3	4.3	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

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

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent	
Valid	Strongly agree	8	34.8	34.8	34.8
	Somewhat agree	10	43.5	43.5	78.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	2	8.7	8.7	87.0
	Somewhat disagree	3	13.0	13.0	100.0
	Total	23	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	8	34.8	34.8	34.8
	Somewhat agree	8	34.8	34.8	69.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	2	8.7	8.7	78.3
	Somewhat disagree	5	21.7	21.7	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

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

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Strongly agree	6	26.1	26.1	26.1

Valid	Somewhat agree	6	26.1	26.1	52.2
	Neither agree nor disagree	6	26.1	26.1	78.3
	Somewhat disagree	2	8.7	8.7	87.0
	Strongly disagree	3	13.0	13.0	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**My principal is responsive to staff.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	10	43.5	43.5	43.5
	Somewhat agree	8	34.8	34.8	78.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	2	8.7	8.7	87.0
	Somewhat disagree	2	8.7	8.7	95.7
	Strongly disagree	1	4.3	4.3	100.0
	Total	23	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	8	34.8	34.8	34.8
	Somewhat agree	10	43.5	43.5	78.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	2	8.7	8.7	87.0
	Somewhat disagree	3	13.0	13.0	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Very satisfied	3	13.0	13.0	13.0

Valid	Somewhat satisfied	10	43.5	43.5	56.5
	Somewhat dissatisfied	5	21.7	21.7	78.3
	Very dissatisfied	4	17.4	17.4	95.7
	I don't know/Unsure	1	4.3	4.3	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

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

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent	
Valid	Very satisfied	6	26.1	26.1	26.1
	Somewhat satisfied	11	47.8	47.8	73.9
	Somewhat dissatisfied	3	13.0	13.0	87.0
	Very dissatisfied	1	4.3	4.3	91.3
	I don't know/Unsure	2	8.7	8.7	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

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

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent	
Valid	Strongly agree	8	34.8	34.8	34.8
	Somewhat agree	13	56.5	56.5	91.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	1	4.3	4.3	95.7
	Somewhat disagree	1	4.3	4.3	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**I have enough planning time.**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Strongly agree	2	8.7	8.7	8.7

Valid	Somewhat agree	5	21.7	21.7	30.4
	Neither agree nor disagree	2	8.7	8.7	39.1
	Somewhat disagree	6	26.1	26.1	65.2
	Strongly disagree	8	34.8	34.8	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

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

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	10	43.5	43.5
	Sometimes	5	21.7	65.2
	Rarely	4	17.4	82.6
	Never	1	4.3	87.0
	Unsure/ Don't know	3	13.0	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0

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

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	11	47.8	47.8
	Somewhat agree	7	30.4	78.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	5	21.7	100.0
	Total	23	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	11	47.8	47.8
	Somewhat agree	10	43.5	91.3

Valid	Neither agree nor disagree	2	8.7	8.7	100.0
	Total	23	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 of their	2	8.7	8.7	8.7
	my students spend an appropriate	10	43.5	43.5	52.2
	my students spend too little of their after-	1	4.3	4.3	56.5
	I don't know.	10	43.5	43.5	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**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	4	17.4	17.4	17.4
	the right number of students	19	82.6	82.6	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**My school is respectful of cultural differences.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	18	78.3	78.3	78.3
	Sometimes	5	21.7	21.7	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**My school is respectful of language differences.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	Always	18	78.3	78.3	78.3



Valid	Sometimes	4	17.4	17.4	95.7
	Rarely	1	4.3	4.3	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	

**My school is respectful of racial/ethnic differences.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	17	73.9	73.9	73.9
	Sometimes	6	26.1	26.1	100.0
	Total	23	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	19	82.6	82.6	82.6
	Somewhat important	1	4.3	4.3	87.0
	Somewhat unimportant	1	4.3	4.3	91.3
	Unsure	2	8.7	8.7	100.0
	Total	23	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	20	87.0	87.0	87.0
	Unsure/I don't know	3	13.0	13.0	100.0
	Total	23	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
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Valid	Yes	14	60.9	60.9	60.9
	No	3	13.0	13.0	73.9
	Unsure/I don't know	6	26.1	26.1	100.0
	Total	23	100.0	100.0	