

2015 Arlington Public Schools Site-Based Survey

H-B Woodlawn Secondary Program

Survey Response

Survey Response	Parent			Student			Teacher			
	Countywide	Secondary Schools**	H-B Woodlawn	Countywide	Secondary Schools**	H-B Woodlawn	Countywide	Secondary Schools**	H-B Woodlawn	
Sample Size	20531	9379	582	6681	3551	324	2372	948	57	
Response Rate	28%	27%	38%	86%	90%	94%	44%	43%	46%	
Margin of Error at a 95% Confidence Level (+ or -)††	1.1%	1.7%	5.2%	0.5%	1.5%	4.1%	2.3%	3.7%	14.3%	
Survey Questions										
Overall grade for the following:				A (outstanding)=5 to F (failing)=1						
Teacher: Arlington Public Schools	Parent: Arlington Public Schools in Arlington	4.3	4.3	4.3				4.2	4.3	4.3
Student* and Teacher: My school	Parent: My child's school	4.3	4.2	4.7	4.1	4.0	4.6	4.3	4.2	4.7
Student*: My teachers	Teacher: The teachers in my school	4.3	4.2	4.5	4.1	3.8	4.2	4.4	4.4	4.8
Student* and Teacher: The principal in my school	Parent: The principal of my child's school	4.2	4.2	4.7	4.2	4.1	4.7	4.0	3.9	4.7
School Climate				Strongly Agree=5 to Strongly Disagree=1						
Parent*: My child likes to go to school		4.2	4.0	4.4						
Student: I feel welcomed at school	Parent*: I feel welcomed at my child's school.	4.5	4.3	4.7	4.2	4.0	4.5			
Student: I feel respected at school	Teacher: I feel respected at school				4.0	3.8	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.8
Student: I feel supported by the adults in my school.	Teacher: I feel supported in the school.				4.1	3.9	4.3	3.9	3.8	4.7
Student: When I have a problem at school I am able to get help.					3.9	3.8	4.3			
Student: There is at least one adult in my school with whom I can discuss things that are important to me.					3.9	3.8	4.4			
Student and Teacher: I feel safe at school.	Parent: My child feels safe at school.*	4.6	4.5	4.7	4.3	4.1	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.9
Student: School staff stops bullying in school whenever they see it.					3.6	3.5	3.9			
Instruction and Teacher Expectations				Strongly Agree=5 to Strongly Disagree=1						
Student: My teachers do many different instructional activities in the classroom.					4.1	3.8	4.1			
Student: My teachers encourage me to learn new things every day.					4.3	4.1	4.3			
Student: My teachers believe I can do well at school.					4.5	4.3	4.6			
Parent*: My child's teachers maintain consistent and high expectations for my child.		4.4	4.3	4.6						
Cultural Competence				Strongly Agree=5 to Strongly Disagree=1						
Student: I feel students of my race and cultures are accepted by staff at school.					4.4	4.3	4.7			
Student: I feel students of my race and cultures are accepted by students at school.					4.2	4.1	4.5			
Student: My teachers treat students fairly, regardless of race, culture or language.					4.4	4.2	4.7			
Student: School staff helps students who cannot speak English well.					4.2	4.0	4.3			
Student: I learn about other cultures in my school.					3.9	3.8	3.9			
Principal and Counseling				Strongly Agree=5 to Strongly Disagree=1						
Teacher: The principal is responsive to concerns of schools and student needs.		4.2	4.3	4.8				4.2	4.0	4.9
Parent*: The principal is responsive to the concerns of parents and the community.								4.0	3.8	4.8
Teacher: The principal is responsive to teachers.										
Student: My principal takes action on concerns or problems that students share with him or her.					4.0	3.8	4.5			
Student: [ELEM.] I can talk with my counselor when I need to speak with him or her.					4.0	3.9	4.0			
[SEC.] My counselor is accessible to me.										
Communication				Strongly Agree=5 to Strongly Disagree=1						
Teacher: There is an atmosphere of open communication in my school.		4.1	4.0	4.6				3.6	3.5	4.8
Parent*: There is an atmosphere of open communication in my child's school.										
Teacher: My school does a good job of getting important school information to parents/guardians.		4.3	4.2	4.4				4.4	4.2	4.5
Parent*: My child's school does a good job of getting important school information to parents/guardians.										
Instruction				4 = Very satisfied to 1 = Very dissatisfied						
Parent*: Level of satisfaction with the quality of instruction that my child is receiving.		3.5	3.4	3.7						
Footnotes:		Grade			Agreement			Satisfaction		
**"Don't know" and †"not applicable" were excluded from the calculations of average scores.		5 (A - Outstanding)			5 (Strongly Agree)			4 (Very Satisfied)		
**Middle schools include Gunston, Jefferson, Kenmore, Swanson, and Williamsburg; High schools include Wakefield, Washington-Lee, and Yorktown; Secondary schools include all middle and high schools and H-B Woodlawn.		4 (B - Very Good)			4 (Somewhat Agree)			3 (Somewhat Satisfied)		
†† When the margin of error is greater than +/-5%, the average responses are highlighted in red and should be interpreted with caution.		3 (C - Average)			3 (Neither Agree or Disagree)			2 (Somewhat Dissatisfied)		
		2 (D - Poor)			2 (Somewhat Disagree)			1 (Very Dissatisfied)		
		1 (F - Failing)			1 (Strongly Disagree)					