

**Arlington Public Schools  
2013 Site Based Survey  
Students**

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**Tuckahoe ES**

**My school**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.3	1.3	1.3
	A (outstanding)	22	29.3	29.3	30.7
	B (very good)	37	49.3	49.3	80.0
	C (average)	13	17.3	17.3	97.3
	D (poor)	2	2.7	2.7	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**The principal in my school**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	3	4.0	4.0	4.0
	A (outstanding)	25	33.3	33.3	37.3
	B (very good)	25	33.3	33.3	70.7
	C (average)	14	18.7	18.7	89.3
	D (poor)	3	4.0	4.0	93.3
	F (failing)	1	1.3	1.3	94.7
	I don't know	4	5.3	5.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**My teachers**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	3	4.0	4.0	4.0
	A (outstanding)	40	53.3	53.3	57.3
	B (very good)	24	32.0	32.0	89.3
	C (average)	7	9.3	9.3	98.7
	D (poor)	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**My teachers encourage me to learn new things every day.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.3	1.3	1.3
	Strongly agree	43	57.3	57.3	58.7
	Somewhat agree	28	37.3	37.3	96.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	3	4.0	4.0	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I have enough information to complete my homework by myself.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	18	24.0	24.0	24.0
	Somewhat agree	48	64.0	64.0	88.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	8	10.7	10.7	98.7
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**My teachers believe I can do well in school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	59	78.7	78.7	78.7
	Somewhat agree	11	14.7	14.7	93.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	4	5.3	5.3	98.7
	Strongly disagree	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**My teachers do many different instructional activities in the classroom.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	46	61.3	61.3	61.3
	Somewhat agree	25	33.3	33.3	94.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	2	2.7	2.7	97.3
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.7	2.7	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I am challenged by the lessons taught by my teachers.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	14	18.7	18.7	18.7
	Somewhat agree	35	46.7	46.7	65.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	10	13.3	13.3	78.7
	Somewhat disagree	13	17.3	17.3	96.0
	Strongly disagree	3	4.0	4.0	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**My teachers give me feedback about how well I am learning.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.3	1.3	1.3
	Strongly agree	24	32.0	32.0	33.3
	Somewhat agree	32	42.7	42.7	76.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	17	22.7	22.7	98.7
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I am stressed about school work.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	13	17.3	17.3	17.3
	Somewhat agree	25	33.3	33.3	50.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	18	24.0	24.0	74.7
	Somewhat disagree	14	18.7	18.7	93.3
	Strongly disagree	5	6.7	6.7	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I feel respected at school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.3	1.3	1.3
	Strongly agree	25	33.3	33.3	34.7
	Somewhat agree	30	40.0	40.0	74.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	14	18.7	18.7	93.3
	Somewhat disagree	4	5.3	5.3	98.7
	Strongly disagree	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I feel supported by the adults in my school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	39	52.0	52.0	52.0
	Somewhat agree	18	24.0	24.0	76.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	16	21.3	21.3	97.3
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.7	2.7	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I feel welcomed at school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	43	57.3	57.3	57.3
	Somewhat agree	18	24.0	24.0	81.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	9	12.0	12.0	93.3
	Somewhat disagree	5	6.7	6.7	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I feel safe at school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	50	66.7	66.7	66.7
	Somewhat agree	16	21.3	21.3	88.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	8	10.7	10.7	98.7
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I like going to school because...**

	Responses	Percent of Cases
	N	
I want to learn.	44	58.7%
I like my lessons, classes, or activities in the classroom.	39	52.0%
I like my teachers.	53	70.7%
I like to see my friends.	72	96.0%
I like recess.	40	53.3%
It will help me in the future, like with college or getting a better job.	52	69.3%
None of the above.	1	1.3%

**I do not like going to school because...**

	Responses	Percent of Cases
	N	
I'm worried about bullying or teasing.	8	10.7%
My lessons are too hard.	8	10.7%
I don't like doing my homework.	30	40.0%
I am not ready for a test or have not finished my homework.	11	14.7%
I'm bored in school.	28	37.3%
I don't like my lessons.	10	13.3%
I don't like my teachers.	1	1.3%
I have few or no friends.	5	6.7%
I don't like to wake up early for school.	34	45.3%
None of the above.	18	24.0%

**How do you feel about the number of students in your classes? Would you say there are...**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	1	1.3	1.3	1.3
	Too many students.	24	32.0	32.0	33.3
	Just the right number of students.	50	66.7	66.7	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	1	1.3	1.3	1.3
	I spend too much of my after-school time on homework.	26	34.7	34.7	36.0
	I spend an appropriate amount of my after-school time on homework.	4	5.3	5.3	41.3
	I spend too little of my after-school time on homework.	30	40.0	40.0	81.3
	I do not know.	14	18.7	18.7	100.0
Total		75	100.0	100.0	

**I select healthy choices for snacks, meals, or beverages at school...**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	5	6.7	6.7	6.7
	Often	33	44.0	44.0	50.7
	Sometimes	18	24.0	24.0	74.7
	Rarely	1	1.3	1.3	76.0
	I have not seen healthy choices for snacks and meals at school.	5	6.7	6.7	82.7
	I don't know.	13	17.3	17.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I feel threatened by bullies in my school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	1	1.3	1.3	1.3
	Somewhat agree	4	5.3	5.3	6.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	11	14.7	14.7	21.3
	Somewhat disagree	10	13.3	13.3	34.7
	Strongly disagree	49	65.3	65.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I was bullied at school this year.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	4	5.3	5.3	5.3
	Somewhat agree	5	6.7	6.7	12.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	6	8.0	8.0	20.0
	Somewhat disagree	8	10.7	10.7	30.7
	Strongly disagree	52	69.3	69.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I saw someone else bullied at school this year.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	2	2.7	2.7	2.7
	Strongly agree	10	13.3	13.3	16.0
	Somewhat agree	10	13.3	13.3	29.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	12	16.0	16.0	45.3
	Somewhat disagree	7	9.3	9.3	54.7
	Strongly disagree	34	45.3	45.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**School staff stop bullying in school whenever they see it.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	6	8.0	8.0	8.0
	Strongly agree	22	29.3	29.3	37.3
	Somewhat agree	26	34.7	34.7	72.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	13	17.3	17.3	89.3
	Somewhat disagree	7	9.3	9.3	98.7
	Strongly disagree	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**When I have a problem at school, I am able to get help.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	6	8.0	8.0	8.0
	Strongly agree	30	40.0	40.0	48.0
	Somewhat agree	20	26.7	26.7	74.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	15	20.0	20.0	94.7
	Somewhat disagree	4	5.3	5.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**There is at least one adult in the school with whom I can discuss things that are important to me.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	5	6.7	6.7	6.7
	Strongly agree	32	42.7	42.7	49.3
	Somewhat agree	20	26.7	26.7	76.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	10	13.3	13.3	89.3
	Somewhat disagree	3	4.0	4.0	93.3
	Strongly disagree	5	6.7	6.7	100.0
Total	75	100.0	100.0		

**My counselor is accessible to me.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	6	8.0	8.0	8.0
	Strongly agree	30	40.0	40.0	48.0
	Somewhat agree	17	22.7	22.7	70.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	15	20.0	20.0	90.7
	Somewhat disagree	6	8.0	8.0	98.7
	Strongly disagree	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I feel students of my race or culture are accepted by staff at school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	8	10.7	10.7	10.7
	Strongly agree	55	73.3	73.3	84.0
	Somewhat agree	5	6.7	6.7	90.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	6	8.0	8.0	98.7
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I feel students of my race or culture are accepted by students at school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	8	10.7	10.7	10.7
	Strongly agree	49	65.3	65.3	76.0
	Somewhat agree	11	14.7	14.7	90.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	6	8.0	8.0	98.7
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**My teachers treat students fairly, regardless of race, culture, or language.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	9.3	9.3	9.3
	Strongly agree	57	76.0	76.0	85.3
	Somewhat agree	5	6.7	6.7	92.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	4	5.3	5.3	97.3
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.7	2.7	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I learn about other cultures in my school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	9.3	9.3	9.3
	Strongly agree	29	38.7	38.7	48.0
	Somewhat agree	24	32.0	32.0	80.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	12	16.0	16.0	96.0
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.7	2.7	98.7
	Strongly disagree	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	



**School staff help students who cannot speak English well.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	8	10.7	10.7	10.7
	Strongly agree	33	44.0	44.0	54.7
	Somewhat agree	21	28.0	28.0	82.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	9	12.0	12.0	94.7
	Somewhat disagree	3	4.0	4.0	98.7
	Strongly disagree	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I enjoy learning about math.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	9.3	9.3	9.3
	Strongly agree	32	42.7	42.7	52.0
	Somewhat agree	19	25.3	25.3	77.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	7	9.3	9.3	86.7
	Somewhat disagree	6	8.0	8.0	94.7
	Strongly disagree	4	5.3	5.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I enjoy learning about science.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	9.3	9.3	9.3
	Strongly agree	37	49.3	49.3	58.7
	Somewhat agree	21	28.0	28.0	86.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	5	6.7	6.7	93.3
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.7	2.7	96.0
	Strongly disagree	3	4.0	4.0	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I enjoy learning about language arts/reading.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	9.3	9.3	9.3
	Strongly agree	28	37.3	37.3	46.7
	Somewhat agree	23	30.7	30.7	77.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	9	12.0	12.0	89.3
	Somewhat disagree	6	8.0	8.0	97.3
	Strongly disagree	2	2.7	2.7	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I enjoy learning about social studies.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	9.3	9.3	9.3
	Strongly agree	31	41.3	41.3	50.7
	Somewhat agree	20	26.7	26.7	77.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	9	12.0	12.0	89.3
	Somewhat disagree	5	6.7	6.7	96.0
	Strongly disagree	3	4.0	4.0	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**My school offers many opportunities for me to participate in physical activities, such as recess or physical education (P.E.) class.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	9	12.0	12.0	12.0
	Strongly agree	38	50.7	50.7	62.7
	Somewhat agree	18	24.0	24.0	86.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	7	9.3	9.3	96.0
	Somewhat disagree	3	4.0	4.0	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**My principal takes action on concerns or problems that students share with him or her.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	8	10.7	10.7	10.7
	Strongly agree	25	33.3	33.3	44.0
	Somewhat agree	12	16.0	16.0	60.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	21	28.0	28.0	88.0
	Somewhat disagree	4	5.3	5.3	93.3
	Strongly disagree	3	4.0	4.0	97.3
	Not applicable	2	2.7	2.7	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**I know I will graduate from high school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	8	10.7	10.7	10.7
	Strongly agree	50	66.7	66.7	77.3
	Somewhat agree	13	17.3	17.3	94.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	4	5.3	5.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**My teachers make schoolwork relevant with real-world examples.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	8	10.7	10.7	10.7
	Strongly agree	22	29.3	29.3	40.0
	Somewhat agree	31	41.3	41.3	81.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	12	16.0	16.0	97.3
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.3	1.3	98.7
	Strongly disagree	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**In the last seven days, a teacher has given me recognition or praise for doing good schoolwork.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	8	10.7	10.7	10.7
	Strongly agree	22	29.3	29.3	40.0
	Somewhat agree	14	18.7	18.7	58.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	22	29.3	29.3	88.0
	Somewhat disagree	4	5.3	5.3	93.3
	Strongly disagree	3	4.0	4.0	97.3
	Not applicable	2	2.7	2.7	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**In the last seven days, my parent has given me recognition or praise for doing good schoolwork.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	8	10.7	10.7	10.7
	Strongly agree	34	45.3	45.3	56.0
	Somewhat agree	17	22.7	22.7	78.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	10	13.3	13.3	92.0
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.7	2.7	94.7
	Strongly disagree	2	2.7	2.7	97.3
	Not applicable	2	2.7	2.7	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**What grade are you in?**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	4	5.3	5.3	5.3
	5th grade	68	90.7	90.7	96.0
	None of the above.	3	4.0	4.0	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**Are you?**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	10	13.3	13.3	13.3
	Male	27	36.0	36.0	49.3
	Female	38	50.7	50.7	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

**Are your parents, grandparents, or other people in your immediate family Spanish or Hispanic?**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	7	9.3	9.3	9.3
	Yes	7	9.3	9.3	18.7
	No	61	81.3	81.3	100.0
	Total	75	100.0	100.0	

	Responses	Percent of Cases
	N	
Are you: - White	47	70.1%
Are you: - Black or African American	1	1.5%
Are you: - Asian	4	6.0%
Are you: - Native Hawaiian or Other	1	1.5%
Are you: - American Indian or Alaska Native	2	3.0%
Are you: - Other	10	14.9%
Are you: - Prefer not to answer	12	17.9%

**Does anyone in your household speak a language other than English in your home?**

	Responses	Percent of Cases
	N	
No	44	64.7%
Yes (Please specify in the box below.)	24	35.3%

**Open Ends for Q.16 - Does anyone in your household speak a language other than English in your home?**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	51	68.0	68.0	68.0
French	3	4.0	4.0	72.0
French, Norwegian	1	1.3	1.3	73.3
German	2	2.7	2.7	76.0
German, Spanish	1	1.3	1.3	77.3
Hindi, Sindhi, Gujarati	1	1.3	1.3	78.7
ih'ncse	1	1.3	1.3	80.0
Italian	1	1.3	1.3	81.3
Latin	1	1.3	1.3	82.7
Latin/Spanish	1	1.3	1.3	84.0
Mandarin, Chinese	1	1.3	1.3	85.3
Mom and sister French, brother Latin	1	1.3	1.3	86.7
Norwegian	1	1.3	1.3	88.0
Russian	1	1.3	1.3	89.3
Spanish	5	6.7	6.7	96.0
Spanish, Japanese	1	1.3	1.3	97.3
Turkish	1	1.3	1.3	98.7
Vietnamese	1	1.3	1.3	100.0
Total	75	100.0	100.0	