

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

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**Drew ES**

**My school**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	A (outstanding)	15	23.4	23.4	23.4
	B (very good)	28	43.8	43.8	67.2
	C (average)	19	29.7	29.7	96.9
	D (poor)	2	3.1	3.1	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

**The principal in my school**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.6	1.6	1.6
	A (outstanding)	24	37.5	37.5	39.1
	B (very good)	12	18.8	18.8	57.8
	C (average)	12	18.8	18.8	76.6
	D (poor)	8	12.5	12.5	89.1
	F (failing)	5	7.8	7.8	96.9
	I don't know	2	3.1	3.1	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

**My teachers**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.6	1.6	1.6
	A (outstanding)	41	64.1	64.1	65.6
	B (very good)	14	21.9	21.9	87.5
	C (average)	5	7.8	7.8	95.3
	D (poor)	2	3.1	3.1	98.4
	F (failing)	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	43	67.2	67.2	67.2
	Somewhat agree	17	26.6	26.6	93.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	4	6.3	6.3	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	32	50.0	50.0	50.0
	Somewhat agree	23	35.9	35.9	85.9
	Neither agree nor disagree	6	9.4	9.4	95.3
	Somewhat disagree	3	4.7	4.7	100.0
Total		64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	50	78.1	78.1	78.1
	Somewhat agree	9	14.1	14.1	92.2
	Neither agree nor disagree	3	4.7	4.7	96.9
	Strongly disagree	2	3.1	3.1	100.0
Total		64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	38	59.4	59.4	59.4
	Somewhat agree	22	34.4	34.4	93.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	3	4.7	4.7	98.4
	Strongly disagree	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
Total		64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	23	35.9	35.9	35.9
	Somewhat agree	26	40.6	40.6	76.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	9	14.1	14.1	90.6
	Somewhat disagree	5	7.8	7.8	98.4
	Strongly disagree	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	27	42.2	42.2	42.2
	Somewhat agree	22	34.4	34.4	76.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	11	17.2	17.2	93.8
	Somewhat disagree	4	6.3	6.3	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

**I am stressed about school work.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	8	12.5	12.5	12.5
	Somewhat agree	8	12.5	12.5	25.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	14	21.9	21.9	46.9
	Somewhat disagree	15	23.4	23.4	70.3
	Strongly disagree	19	29.7	29.7	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

**I feel respected at school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Strongly agree	18	28.1	28.1	29.7
	Somewhat agree	20	31.3	31.3	60.9
	Neither agree nor disagree	11	17.2	17.2	78.1
	Somewhat disagree	9	14.1	14.1	92.2
	Strongly disagree	5	7.8	7.8	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	2	3.1	3.1	3.1
	Strongly agree	31	48.4	48.4	51.6
	Somewhat agree	20	31.3	31.3	82.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	7	10.9	10.9	93.8
	Somewhat disagree	3	4.7	4.7	98.4
	Strongly disagree	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

**I feel welcomed at school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	3	4.7	4.7	4.7
	Strongly agree	29	45.3	45.3	50.0
	Somewhat agree	17	26.6	26.6	76.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	8	12.5	12.5	89.1
	Somewhat disagree	4	6.3	6.3	95.3
	Strongly disagree	3	4.7	4.7	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

**I feel safe at school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Strongly agree	28	43.8	43.8	45.3
	Somewhat agree	21	32.8	32.8	78.1
	Neither agree nor disagree	11	17.2	17.2	95.3
	Strongly disagree	3	4.7	4.7	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

	Responses	
	N	Percent of Cases
I want to learn.	43	67.2%
I like my lessons, classes, or activities in the classroom.	39	60.9%
I like my teachers.	35	54.7%
I like to see my friends.	48	75.0%
I like recess.	42	65.6%
It will help me in the future, like with college or getting a better job.	48	75.0%

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

	Responses	
	N	Percent of Cases
I'm worried about bullying or teasing.	14	21.9%
My lessons are too hard.	2	3.1%
I don't like doing my homework.	17	26.6%
I am not ready for a test or have not finished my homework.	9	14.1%
I'm bored in school.	19	29.7%
I don't like my lessons.	6	9.4%
I don't like my teachers.	7	10.9%
I have few or no friends.	7	10.9%
I don't like to wake up early for school.	34	53.1%
None of the above.	11	17.2%

**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.	9	14.1	14.1	14.1
	Just the right number of students.	51	79.7	79.7	93.8
	Too few students.	4	6.3	6.3	100.0
Total		64	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	2	3.1	3.1	3.1
	I spend too much of my after-school time on homework.	14	21.9	21.9	25.0
	I spend an appropriate amount of my after-school time on homework.	6	9.4	9.4	34.4
	I spend too little of my after-school time on homework.	26	40.6	40.6	75.0
	I do not know.	16	25.0	25.0	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	2	3.1	3.1	3.1
	Often	21	32.8	32.8	35.9
	Sometimes	27	42.2	42.2	78.1
	Rarely	5	7.8	7.8	85.9
	I have not seen healthy choices for snacks and meals at school.	2	3.1	3.1	89.1
	I don't know.	7	10.9	10.9	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	2	3.1	3.1	3.1
	Somewhat agree	8	12.5	12.5	15.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	9	14.1	14.1	29.7
	Somewhat disagree	7	10.9	10.9	40.6
	Strongly disagree	38	59.4	59.4	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Strongly agree	7	10.9	10.9	12.5
	Somewhat agree	3	4.7	4.7	17.2
	Neither agree nor disagree	3	4.7	4.7	21.9
	Somewhat disagree	7	10.9	10.9	32.8
	Strongly disagree	43	67.2	67.2	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	17	26.6	26.6	26.6
	Somewhat agree	9	14.1	14.1	40.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	7	10.9	10.9	51.6
	Somewhat disagree	5	7.8	7.8	59.4
	Strongly disagree	26	40.6	40.6	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	29	45.3	45.3	45.3
	Somewhat agree	15	23.4	23.4	68.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	10	15.6	15.6	84.4
	Somewhat disagree	4	6.3	6.3	90.6
	Strongly disagree	6	9.4	9.4	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	24	37.5	37.5	37.5
	Somewhat agree	26	40.6	40.6	78.1
	Neither agree nor disagree	10	15.6	15.6	93.8
	Somewhat disagree	4	6.3	6.3	100.0
	Total	64	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	Strongly agree	38	59.4	59.4	59.4
	Somewhat agree	14	21.9	21.9	81.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	9	14.1	14.1	95.3
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.6	1.6	96.9
	Strongly disagree	2	3.1	3.1	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

**My counselor is accessible to me.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	2	3.1	3.1	3.1
	Strongly agree	39	60.9	60.9	64.1
	Somewhat agree	14	21.9	21.9	85.9
	Neither agree nor disagree	8	12.5	12.5	98.4
	Strongly disagree	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	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	Strongly agree	41	64.1	64.1	64.1
	Somewhat agree	14	21.9	21.9	85.9
	Neither agree nor disagree	6	9.4	9.4	95.3
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.6	1.6	96.9
	Strongly disagree	2	3.1	3.1	100.0
	Total	64	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	1	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Strongly agree	31	48.4	48.4	50.0
	Somewhat agree	20	31.3	31.3	81.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	7	10.9	10.9	92.2
	Somewhat disagree	4	6.3	6.3	98.4
	Strongly disagree	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	



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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Strongly agree	39	60.9	60.9	62.5
	Somewhat agree	10	15.6	15.6	78.1
	Neither agree nor disagree	9	14.1	14.1	92.2
	Somewhat disagree	3	4.7	4.7	96.9
	Strongly disagree	2	3.1	3.1	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Strongly agree	34	53.1	53.1	54.7
	Somewhat agree	21	32.8	32.8	87.5
	Neither agree nor disagree	6	9.4	9.4	96.9
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.6	1.6	98.4
	Strongly disagree	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Strongly agree	30	46.9	46.9	48.4
	Somewhat agree	19	29.7	29.7	78.1
	Neither agree nor disagree	11	17.2	17.2	95.3
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.6	1.6	96.9
	Strongly disagree	2	3.1	3.1	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

**I enjoy learning about math.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	36	56.3	56.3	56.3
	Somewhat agree	22	34.4	34.4	90.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	1	1.6	1.6	92.2
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.6	1.6	93.8
	Strongly disagree	4	6.3	6.3	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

**I enjoy learning about science.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Strongly agree	28	43.8	43.8	45.3
	Somewhat agree	26	40.6	40.6	85.9
	Neither agree nor disagree	1	1.6	1.6	87.5
	Somewhat disagree	4	6.3	6.3	93.8
	Strongly disagree	4	6.3	6.3	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Strongly agree	30	46.9	46.9	48.4
	Somewhat agree	25	39.1	39.1	87.5
	Neither agree nor disagree	4	6.3	6.3	93.8
	Somewhat disagree	2	3.1	3.1	96.9
	Strongly disagree	2	3.1	3.1	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

**I enjoy learning about social studies.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	2	3.1	3.1	3.1
	Strongly agree	25	39.1	39.1	42.2
	Somewhat agree	20	31.3	31.3	73.4
	Neither agree nor disagree	7	10.9	10.9	84.4
	Somewhat disagree	5	7.8	7.8	92.2
	Strongly disagree	5	7.8	7.8	100.0
	Total	64	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	1	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Strongly agree	47	73.4	73.4	75.0
	Somewhat agree	9	14.1	14.1	89.1
	Neither agree nor disagree	5	7.8	7.8	96.9
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.6	1.6	98.4
	Strongly disagree	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	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	Strongly agree	26	40.6	40.6	40.6
	Somewhat agree	19	29.7	29.7	70.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	11	17.2	17.2	87.5
	Somewhat disagree	4	6.3	6.3	93.8
	Strongly disagree	3	4.7	4.7	98.4
	Not applicable	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	49	76.6	76.6	76.6
	Somewhat agree	11	17.2	17.2	93.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	2	3.1	3.1	96.9
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.6	1.6	98.4
	Not applicable	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	30	46.9	46.9	46.9
	Somewhat agree	22	34.4	34.4	81.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	9	14.1	14.1	95.3
	Somewhat disagree	2	3.1	3.1	98.4
	Not applicable	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	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	2	3.1	3.1	3.1
	Strongly agree	18	28.1	28.1	31.3
	Somewhat agree	17	26.6	26.6	57.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	16	25.0	25.0	82.8
	Somewhat disagree	4	6.3	6.3	89.1
	Strongly disagree	6	9.4	9.4	98.4
	Not applicable	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	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	2	3.1	3.1	3.1
	Strongly agree	28	43.8	43.8	46.9
	Somewhat agree	13	20.3	20.3	67.2
	Neither agree nor disagree	12	18.8	18.8	85.9
	Somewhat disagree	7	10.9	10.9	96.9
	Strongly disagree	1	1.6	1.6	98.4
	Not applicable	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

**What grade are you in?**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	5th grade	63	98.4	98.4	98.4
	6th grade	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

**Are you?**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	5	7.8	7.8	7.8
	Male	30	46.9	46.9	54.7
	Female	29	45.3	45.3	100.0
	Total	64	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	2	3.1	3.1	3.1
	Yes	33	51.6	51.6	54.7
	No	29	45.3	45.3	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	

	Responses	Percent of Cases
	N	
Are you: - White	23	36.5%
Are you: - Black or African American	20	31.7%
Are you: - Asian	2	3.2%
Are you: - Native Hawaiian or Other	1	1.6%
Are you: - American Indian or Alaska Native	5	7.9%
Are you: - Other	22	34.9%
Are you: - Prefer not to answer	6	9.5%

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

	Responses	Percent of Cases
	N	
No	28	45.2%
Yes (Please specify in the box below.)	34	54.8%

**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		31	48.4	48.4	48.4
	Amharic	2	3.1	3.1	51.6
	Arabic	1	1.6	1.6	53.1
	Bengali	1	1.6	1.6	54.7
	Filipino	1	1.6	1.6	56.3
	Jamaican	1	1.6	1.6	57.8
	Mother's sister	1	1.6	1.6	59.4
	Spanish	22	34.4	34.4	93.8
	Spanish, Quechua	1	1.6	1.6	95.3
	Spanish/Russian	1	1.6	1.6	96.9
	Tigrinya	1	1.6	1.6	98.4
	Turkish	1	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	64	100.0	100.0	