

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

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**Abingdon ES**

**My school**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	2	2.8	2.8	2.8
	A (outstanding)	34	47.2	47.2	50.0
	B (very good)	25	34.7	34.7	84.7
	C (average)	7	9.7	9.7	94.4
	D (poor)	1	1.4	1.4	95.8
	I don't know	3	4.2	4.2	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

**The principal in my school**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	2	2.8	2.8	2.8
	A (outstanding)	28	38.9	38.9	41.7
	B (very good)	23	31.9	31.9	73.6
	C (average)	11	15.3	15.3	88.9
	D (poor)	3	4.2	4.2	93.1
	F (failing)	1	1.4	1.4	94.4
	I don't know	4	5.6	5.6	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

**My teachers**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	3	4.2	4.2	4.2
	A (outstanding)	42	58.3	58.3	62.5
	B (very good)	20	27.8	27.8	90.3
	C (average)	5	6.9	6.9	97.2
	D (poor)	1	1.4	1.4	98.6
	I don't know	1	1.4	1.4	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	1	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Strongly agree	44	61.1	61.1	62.5
	Somewhat agree	22	30.6	30.6	93.1
	Neither agree nor disagree	4	5.6	5.6	98.6
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.4	1.4	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	30	41.7	41.7	41.7
	Somewhat agree	37	51.4	51.4	93.1
	Neither agree nor disagree	4	5.6	5.6	98.6
	Strongly disagree	1	1.4	1.4	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	52	72.2	72.2	72.2
	Somewhat agree	14	19.4	19.4	91.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	4	5.6	5.6	97.2
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.8	2.8	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	52	72.2	72.2	72.2
	Somewhat agree	18	25.0	25.0	97.2
	Neither agree nor disagree	2	2.8	2.8	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	1	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Strongly agree	10	13.9	13.9	15.3
	Somewhat agree	26	36.1	36.1	51.4
	Neither agree nor disagree	19	26.4	26.4	77.8
	Somewhat disagree	10	13.9	13.9	91.7
	Strongly disagree	6	8.3	8.3	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	30	41.7	41.7	41.7
	Somewhat agree	32	44.4	44.4	86.1
	Neither agree nor disagree	8	11.1	11.1	97.2
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.8	2.8	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

**I am stressed about school work.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	6	8.3	8.3	8.3
	Somewhat agree	16	22.2	22.2	30.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	17	23.6	23.6	54.2
	Somewhat disagree	19	26.4	26.4	80.6
	Strongly disagree	14	19.4	19.4	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

**I feel respected at school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	1	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Strongly agree	31	43.1	43.1	44.4
	Somewhat agree	26	36.1	36.1	80.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	5	6.9	6.9	87.5
	Somewhat disagree	8	11.1	11.1	98.6
	Strongly disagree	1	1.4	1.4	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	2	2.8	2.8	2.8
	Strongly agree	38	52.8	52.8	55.6
	Somewhat agree	19	26.4	26.4	81.9
	Neither agree nor disagree	11	15.3	15.3	97.2
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.8	2.8	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

**I feel welcomed at school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	2	2.8	2.8	2.8
	Strongly agree	40	55.6	55.6	58.3
	Somewhat agree	20	27.8	27.8	86.1
	Neither agree nor disagree	7	9.7	9.7	95.8
	Somewhat disagree	3	4.2	4.2	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

**I feel safe at school.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	42	58.3	58.3	58.3
	Somewhat agree	24	33.3	33.3	91.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	3	4.2	4.2	95.8
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.8	2.8	98.6
	Strongly disagree	1	1.4	1.4	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

	N	
I want to learn.	48	66.7%
I like my lessons, classes, or activities in the classroom.	43	59.7%
I like my teachers.	43	59.7%
I like to see my friends.	57	79.2%
I like recess.	38	52.8%
It will help me in the future, like with college or getting a better job.	59	81.9%
None of the above.	1	1.4%

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

	N	
I'm worried about bullying or teasing.	13	18.3%
My lessons are too hard.	9	12.7%
I don't like doing homework.	21	29.6%
I am not ready for a test or have not finished my homework.	12	16.9%
I'm bored in school.	15	21.1%
I don't like my lessons.	3	4.2%
I don't like my teachers.	3	4.2%
I have few or no friends.	6	8.5%
I don't like to wake up early for school.	45	63.4%
None of the above.	15	21.1%

**How do you feel about the number of students in your class...**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Too many students	8	11.1	11.1	11.1
	Just the right number of students	63	87.5	87.5	98.6
	Too few students	1	1.4	1.4	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I spend too much of my after-school time on homework.	20	27.8	27.8	27.8
	I spend too little of my after-school time on homework.	2	2.8	2.8	30.6
	I spend an appropriate amount of my after-school time on homework.	37	51.4	51.4	81.9
	I do not know.	13	18.1	18.1	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	8	11.1	11.1	11.1
	Often	22	30.6	30.6	41.7
	Sometimes	29	40.3	40.3	81.9
	Rarely	1	1.4	1.4	83.3
	I have not seen healthy choices for snacks and meals at school.	2	2.8	2.8	86.1
	I don't know.	10	13.9	13.9	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	2	2.8	2.8	2.8
	Strongly agree	6	8.3	8.3	11.1
	Somewhat agree	3	4.2	4.2	15.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	13	18.1	18.1	33.3
	Somewhat disagree	12	16.7	16.7	50.0
	Strongly disagree	36	50.0	50.0	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	1	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Strongly agree	8	11.1	11.1	12.5
	Somewhat agree	10	13.9	13.9	26.4
	Neither agree nor disagree	7	9.7	9.7	36.1
	Somewhat disagree	6	8.3	8.3	44.4
	Strongly disagree	40	55.6	55.6	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	5	6.9	6.9	6.9
	Strongly agree	15	20.8	20.8	27.8
	Somewhat agree	13	18.1	18.1	45.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	4	5.6	5.6	51.4
	Somewhat disagree	10	13.9	13.9	65.3
	Strongly disagree	25	34.7	34.7	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	2	2.8	2.8	2.8
	Strongly agree	21	29.2	29.2	31.9
	Somewhat agree	24	33.3	33.3	65.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	9	12.5	12.5	77.8
	Somewhat disagree	8	11.1	11.1	88.9
	Strongly disagree	8	11.1	11.1	100.0
	Total	72	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	28	38.9	38.9	38.9
	Somewhat agree	26	36.1	36.1	75.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	11	15.3	15.3	90.3
	Somewhat disagree	4	5.6	5.6	95.8
	Strongly disagree	3	4.2	4.2	100.0
	Total	72	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	33	45.8	45.8	45.8
	Somewhat agree	18	25.0	25.0	70.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	11	15.3	15.3	86.1
	Somewhat disagree	4	5.6	5.6	91.7
	Strongly disagree	6	8.3	8.3	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

**My counselor is accessible to me.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	32	44.4	44.4	44.4
	Somewhat agree	29	40.3	40.3	84.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	7	9.7	9.7	94.4
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.8	2.8	97.2
	Strongly disagree	2	2.8	2.8	100.0
	Total	72	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	42	58.3	58.3	58.3
	Somewhat agree	14	19.4	19.4	77.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	10	13.9	13.9	91.7
	Somewhat disagree	3	4.2	4.2	95.8
	Strongly disagree	3	4.2	4.2	100.0
	Total	72	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	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Strongly agree	39	54.2	54.2	55.6
	Somewhat agree	15	20.8	20.8	76.4
	Neither agree nor disagree	8	11.1	11.1	87.5
	Somewhat disagree	7	9.7	9.7	97.2
	Strongly disagree	2	2.8	2.8	100.0
	Total	72	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	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Strongly agree	42	58.3	58.3	59.7
	Somewhat agree	12	16.7	16.7	76.4
	Neither agree nor disagree	10	13.9	13.9	90.3
	Somewhat disagree	3	4.2	4.2	94.4
	Strongly disagree	4	5.6	5.6	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	2	2.8	2.8	2.8
	Strongly agree	28	38.9	38.9	41.7
	Somewhat agree	26	36.1	36.1	77.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	9	12.5	12.5	90.3
	Somewhat disagree	4	5.6	5.6	95.8
	Strongly disagree	3	4.2	4.2	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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



		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	3	4.2	4.2	4.2
	Strongly agree	47	65.3	65.3	69.4
	Somewhat agree	14	19.4	19.4	88.9
	Neither agree nor disagree	5	6.9	6.9	95.8
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.8	2.8	98.6
	Strongly disagree	1	1.4	1.4	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

**I enjoy learning about math.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	29	40.3	40.3	40.3
	Somewhat agree	24	33.3	33.3	73.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	12	16.7	16.7	90.3
	Somewhat disagree	3	4.2	4.2	94.4
	Strongly disagree	4	5.6	5.6	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

**I enjoy learning about science.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	36	50.0	50.0	50.0
	Somewhat agree	31	43.1	43.1	93.1
	Neither agree nor disagree	3	4.2	4.2	97.2
	Somewhat disagree	1	1.4	1.4	98.6
	Strongly disagree	1	1.4	1.4	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly agree	31	43.1	43.1	43.1
	Somewhat agree	22	30.6	30.6	73.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	9	12.5	12.5	86.1
	Somewhat disagree	4	5.6	5.6	91.7
	Strongly disagree	6	8.3	8.3	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

**I enjoy learning about social studies.**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	2	2.8	2.8	2.8
	Strongly agree	35	48.6	48.6	51.4
	Somewhat agree	19	26.4	26.4	77.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	8	11.1	11.1	88.9
	Somewhat disagree	6	8.3	8.3	97.2
	Strongly disagree	2	2.8	2.8	100.0
	Total	72	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	Strongly agree	41	56.9	56.9	56.9
	Somewhat agree	18	25.0	25.0	81.9
	Neither agree nor disagree	10	13.9	13.9	95.8
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.8	2.8	98.6
	Strongly disagree	1	1.4	1.4	100.0
	Total	72	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	1	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Strongly agree	34	47.2	47.2	48.6
	Somewhat agree	17	23.6	23.6	72.2
	Neither agree nor disagree	12	16.7	16.7	88.9
	Somewhat disagree	3	4.2	4.2	93.1
	Strongly disagree	1	1.4	1.4	94.4
	I don't know	4	5.6	5.6	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	1	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Strongly agree	46	63.9	63.9	65.3
	Somewhat agree	18	25.0	25.0	90.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	5	6.9	6.9	97.2
	Somewhat disagree	2	2.8	2.8	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	2	2.8	2.8	2.8
	Strongly agree	32	44.4	44.4	47.2
	Somewhat agree	22	30.6	30.6	77.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	10	13.9	13.9	91.7
	Somewhat disagree	4	5.6	5.6	97.2
	Strongly disagree	2	2.8	2.8	100.0
	Total	72	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	1	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Strongly agree	23	31.9	31.9	33.3
	Somewhat agree	21	29.2	29.2	62.5
	Neither agree nor disagree	12	16.7	16.7	79.2
	Somewhat disagree	10	13.9	13.9	93.1
	Strongly disagree	2	2.8	2.8	95.8
	I don't know	3	4.2	4.2	100.0
	Total	72	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	4	5.6	5.6	5.6
	Strongly agree	32	44.4	44.4	50.0
	Somewhat agree	15	20.8	20.8	70.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	10	13.9	13.9	84.7
	Somewhat disagree	5	6.9	6.9	91.7
	Strongly disagree	4	5.6	5.6	97.2
	I don't know	2	2.8	2.8	100.0
Total	72	100.0	100.0		

**What grade are you in?**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	5th grade	72	100.0	100.0	100.0

**Are you?**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	2	2.8	2.8	2.8
	Male	29	40.3	40.3	43.1
	Female	41	56.9	56.9	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

**Are you of Spanish or Hispanic origin or descent?**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	29	40.3	40.3	40.3
	No	43	59.7	59.7	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

**Are you: (select all that apply)**

	N	
Are you: (select all that apply) - White	29	40.3%
Are you: (select all that apply) - Black or African American	10	13.9%
Are you: (select all that apply) - Asian	10	13.9%
Are you: (select all that apply) - American Indian or Alaska Native	3	4.2%
Are you: (select all that apply) - Other	24	33.3%
Are you: (select all that apply) - Prefer not to answer	9	12.5%

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	24	33.3	33.3	33.3
	Yes	48	66.7	66.7	100.0
	Total	72	100.0	100.0	

Other language spoken at home

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Amharic	2	2.7	2.7	37.0
Arabic	1	1.4	1.4	38.4
Bangla	1	1.4	1.4	39.7
Bengali	1	1.4	1.4	41.1
Bosnian	1	1.4	1.4	42.5
Brother	1	1.4	1.4	43.8
everyone	1	1.4	1.4	45.2
Everyone	1	1.4	1.4	46.6
French	3	4.1	4.1	50.7
My brother	1	1.4	1.4	52.1
Nepali	1	1.4	1.4	53.4
Pashto	1	1.4	1.4	54.8
Philipino	1	1.4	1.4	56.2
Quechua	1	1.4	1.4	57.5
Russian	1	1.4	1.4	58.9
Spanish	22	30.1	30.1	89.0
Spanish, Imara	1	1.4	1.4	90.4
Spanish/Quechua	1	1.4	1.4	91.8
Step-Dad	1	1.4	1.4	93.2
Swedish	1	1.4	1.4	94.5
Tagalog	2	2.7	2.7	97.3
Tigrna	1	1.4	1.4	98.6
URdu	1	1.4	1.4	100.0