

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

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Kenmore MS

My school

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	8	2.5	2.5	2.5
	A (outstanding)	82	25.9	25.9	28.5
	B (very good)	143	45.3	45.3	73.7
	C (average)	61	19.3	19.3	93.0
	D (poor)	8	2.5	2.5	95.6
	F (failing)	6	1.9	1.9	97.5
	I don't know	8	2.5	2.5	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

The principal in my school

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	9	2.8	2.8	2.8
	A (outstanding)	72	22.8	22.8	25.6
	B (very good)	81	25.6	25.6	51.3
	C (average)	82	25.9	25.9	77.2
	D (poor)	34	10.8	10.8	88.0
	F (failing)	19	6.0	6.0	94.0
	I don't know	19	6.0	6.0	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

My teachers

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	12	3.8	3.8	3.8
	A (outstanding)	95	30.1	30.1	33.9
	B (very good)	108	34.2	34.2	68.0
	C (average)	78	24.7	24.7	92.7
	D (poor)	8	2.5	2.5	95.3
	F (failing)	5	1.6	1.6	96.8
	I don't know	10	3.2	3.2	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

My teachers encourage me to learn new things every day.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	3	.9	.9	.9
	Strongly agree	135	42.7	42.7	43.7
	Somewhat agree	135	42.7	42.7	86.4
	Neither agree nor disagree	28	8.9	8.9	95.3
	Somewhat disagree	9	2.8	2.8	98.1
	Strongly disagree	6	1.9	1.9	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I have enough information to complete my homework by myself.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	5	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Strongly agree	115	36.4	36.4	38.0
	Somewhat agree	137	43.4	43.4	81.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	40	12.7	12.7	94.0
	Somewhat disagree	14	4.4	4.4	98.4
	Strongly disagree	5	1.6	1.6	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

My teachers believe I can do well in school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	4	1.3	1.3	1.3
	Strongly agree	195	61.7	61.7	63.0
	Somewhat agree	76	24.1	24.1	87.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	26	8.2	8.2	95.3
	Somewhat disagree	9	2.8	2.8	98.1
	Strongly disagree	6	1.9	1.9	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

My teachers do many different instructional activities in the classroom.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	2.2	2.2	2.2
	Strongly agree	101	32.0	32.0	34.2
	Somewhat agree	125	39.6	39.6	73.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	52	16.5	16.5	90.2
	Somewhat disagree	20	6.3	6.3	96.5
	Strongly disagree	11	3.5	3.5	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I am challenged by the lessons taught by my teachers.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	2.2	2.2	2.2
	Strongly agree	68	21.5	21.5	23.7
	Somewhat agree	126	39.9	39.9	63.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	78	24.7	24.7	88.3
	Somewhat disagree	21	6.6	6.6	94.9
	Strongly disagree	16	5.1	5.1	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	4	1.3	1.3	1.3
	Strongly agree	106	33.5	33.5	34.8
	Somewhat agree	99	31.3	31.3	66.1
	Neither agree nor disagree	67	21.2	21.2	87.3
	Somewhat disagree	28	8.9	8.9	96.2
	Strongly disagree	12	3.8	3.8	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I am stressed about school work.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	2.2	2.2	2.2
	Strongly agree	75	23.7	23.7	25.9
	Somewhat agree	81	25.6	25.6	51.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	82	25.9	25.9	77.5
	Somewhat disagree	35	11.1	11.1	88.6
	Strongly disagree	36	11.4	11.4	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I feel respected at school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	2.2	2.2	2.2
	Strongly agree	92	29.1	29.1	31.3
	Somewhat agree	106	33.5	33.5	64.9
	Neither agree nor disagree	60	19.0	19.0	83.9
	Somewhat disagree	26	8.2	8.2	92.1
	Strongly disagree	25	7.9	7.9	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I feel supported by the adults in my school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	5	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Strongly agree	118	37.3	37.3	38.9
	Somewhat agree	108	34.2	34.2	73.1
	Neither agree nor disagree	53	16.8	16.8	89.9
	Somewhat disagree	19	6.0	6.0	95.9
	Strongly disagree	13	4.1	4.1	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I feel welcomed at school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	2.2	2.2	2.2
	Strongly agree	129	40.8	40.8	43.0
	Somewhat agree	96	30.4	30.4	73.4
	Neither agree nor disagree	48	15.2	15.2	88.6
	Somewhat disagree	18	5.7	5.7	94.3
	Strongly disagree	18	5.7	5.7	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I feel safe at school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	3	.9	.9	.9
	Strongly agree	133	42.1	42.1	43.0
	Somewhat agree	88	27.8	27.8	70.9
	Neither agree nor disagree	52	16.5	16.5	87.3
	Somewhat disagree	18	5.7	5.7	93.0
	Strongly disagree	22	7.0	7.0	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I like going to school because...

	Responses	Percent of Cases
	N	
I want to learn.	179	57.0%
I like my lessons, classes, or activities in the classroom.	143	45.5%
I like my teachers.	126	40.1%
I like to see my friends.	271	86.3%
I like my extracurricular activities.	121	38.5%
It will help me in the future, like with college or getting a better job.	249	79.3%
None of the above.	10	3.2%

I do not like going to school because...

	Responses	Percent of Cases
	N	
I'm worried about bullying or teasing.	68	22.0%
My lessons are too hard.	48	15.5%
I don't like doing my homework.	122	39.5%
I am not ready for a test or have not finished my homework.	65	21.0%
I'm bored in school.	143	46.3%
I don't like my lessons.	44	14.2%
I don't like my teachers.	55	17.8%
I have few or no friends.	28	9.1%
I don't like to wake up early for school.	224	72.5%
None of the above.	43	13.9%

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	5	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Too many students.	57	18.0	18.0	19.6
	Just the right number of students.	236	74.7	74.7	94.3
	Too few students.	18	5.7	5.7	100.0
	Total	316	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	.6	.6	.6
	I spend too much of my after-school time on homework.	72	22.8	22.8	23.4
	I spend an appropriate amount of my after-school time on homework.	21	6.6	6.6	30.1
	I spend too little of my after-school time on homework.	135	42.7	42.7	72.8
	I do not know.	86	27.2	27.2	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	25	7.9	7.9	7.9
	Often	94	29.7	29.7	37.7
	Sometimes	104	32.9	32.9	70.6
	Rarely	21	6.6	6.6	77.2
	Never	7	2.2	2.2	79.4
	I have not seen healthy choices for snacks and meals at school.	23	7.3	7.3	86.7
	I don't know.	42	13.3	13.3	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I feel threatened by bullies in my school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	6	1.9	1.9	1.9
	Strongly agree	35	11.1	11.1	13.0
	Somewhat agree	27	8.5	8.5	21.5
	Neither agree nor disagree	40	12.7	12.7	34.2
	Somewhat disagree	36	11.4	11.4	45.6
	Strongly disagree	172	54.4	54.4	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I was bullied at school this year.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	2.2	2.2	2.2
	Strongly agree	42	13.3	13.3	15.5
	Somewhat agree	23	7.3	7.3	22.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	27	8.5	8.5	31.3
	Somewhat disagree	43	13.6	13.6	44.9
	Strongly disagree	174	55.1	55.1	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I saw someone else bullied at school this year.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	6	1.9	1.9	1.9
	Strongly agree	93	29.4	29.4	31.3
	Somewhat agree	70	22.2	22.2	53.5
	Neither agree nor disagree	40	12.7	12.7	66.1
	Somewhat disagree	34	10.8	10.8	76.9
	Strongly disagree	73	23.1	23.1	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

School staff stop bullying in school whenever they see it.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	1	.3	.3	.3
	Strongly agree	89	28.2	28.2	28.5
	Somewhat agree	76	24.1	24.1	52.5
	Neither agree nor disagree	78	24.7	24.7	77.2
	Somewhat disagree	29	9.2	9.2	86.4
	Strongly disagree	43	13.6	13.6	100.0
	Total	316	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	4	1.3	1.3	1.3
	Strongly agree	112	35.4	35.4	36.7
	Somewhat agree	99	31.3	31.3	68.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	61	19.3	19.3	87.3
	Somewhat disagree	19	6.0	6.0	93.4
	Strongly disagree	21	6.6	6.6	100.0
	Total	316	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	6	1.9	1.9	1.9
	Strongly agree	151	47.8	47.8	49.7
	Somewhat agree	70	22.2	22.2	71.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	44	13.9	13.9	85.8
	Somewhat disagree	15	4.7	4.7	90.5
	Strongly disagree	30	9.5	9.5	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

My counselor is accessible to me.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	9	2.8	2.8	2.8
	Strongly agree	140	44.3	44.3	47.2
	Somewhat agree	92	29.1	29.1	76.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	51	16.1	16.1	92.4
	Somewhat disagree	13	4.1	4.1	96.5
	Strongly disagree	11	3.5	3.5	100.0
	Total	316	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	11	3.5	3.5	3.5
	Strongly agree	161	50.9	50.9	54.4
	Somewhat agree	80	25.3	25.3	79.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	45	14.2	14.2	94.0
	Somewhat disagree	8	2.5	2.5	96.5
	Strongly disagree	11	3.5	3.5	100.0
	Total	316	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	9	2.8	2.8	2.8
	Strongly agree	119	37.7	37.7	40.5
	Somewhat agree	92	29.1	29.1	69.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	55	17.4	17.4	87.0
	Somewhat disagree	25	7.9	7.9	94.9
	Strongly disagree	16	5.1	5.1	100.0
	Total	316	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	2.2	2.2	2.2
	Strongly agree	161	50.9	50.9	53.2
	Somewhat agree	70	22.2	22.2	75.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	43	13.6	13.6	88.9
	Somewhat disagree	16	5.1	5.1	94.0
	Strongly disagree	19	6.0	6.0	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I learn about other cultures in my school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	11	3.5	3.5	3.5
	Strongly agree	132	41.8	41.8	45.3
	Somewhat agree	83	26.3	26.3	71.5
	Neither agree nor disagree	62	19.6	19.6	91.1
	Somewhat disagree	15	4.7	4.7	95.9
	Strongly disagree	13	4.1	4.1	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

School staff help students who cannot speak English well.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	9	2.8	2.8	2.8
	Strongly agree	113	35.8	35.8	38.6
	Somewhat agree	100	31.6	31.6	70.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	58	18.4	18.4	88.6
	Somewhat disagree	22	7.0	7.0	95.6
	Strongly disagree	14	4.4	4.4	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I enjoy learning about math.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	4	1.3	1.3	1.3
	Strongly agree	133	42.1	42.1	43.4
	Somewhat agree	82	25.9	25.9	69.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	48	15.2	15.2	84.5
	Somewhat disagree	20	6.3	6.3	90.8
	Strongly disagree	29	9.2	9.2	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I enjoy learning about science.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	4	1.3	1.3	1.3
	Strongly agree	106	33.5	33.5	34.8
	Somewhat agree	90	28.5	28.5	63.3
	Neither agree nor disagree	55	17.4	17.4	80.7
	Somewhat disagree	29	9.2	9.2	89.9
	Strongly disagree	32	10.1	10.1	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I enjoy learning about language arts/reading.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	2.2	2.2	2.2
	Strongly agree	89	28.2	28.2	30.4
	Somewhat agree	93	29.4	29.4	59.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	59	18.7	18.7	78.5
	Somewhat disagree	30	9.5	9.5	88.0
	Strongly disagree	38	12.0	12.0	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I enjoy learning about social studies.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	10	3.2	3.2	3.2
	Strongly agree	168	53.2	53.2	56.3
	Somewhat agree	71	22.5	22.5	78.8
	Neither agree nor disagree	32	10.1	10.1	88.9
	Somewhat disagree	14	4.4	4.4	93.4
	Strongly disagree	21	6.6	6.6	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

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

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	5	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Strongly agree	188	59.5	59.5	61.1
	Somewhat agree	70	22.2	22.2	83.2
	Neither agree nor disagree	37	11.7	11.7	94.9
	Somewhat disagree	3	.9	.9	95.9
	Strongly disagree	13	4.1	4.1	100.0
	Total	316	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	4	1.3	1.3	1.3
	Strongly agree	98	31.0	31.0	32.3
	Somewhat agree	81	25.6	25.6	57.9
	Neither agree nor disagree	67	21.2	21.2	79.1
	Somewhat disagree	25	7.9	7.9	87.0
	Strongly disagree	24	7.6	7.6	94.6
	Not applicable	17	5.4	5.4	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

I know I will graduate from high school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	4	1.3	1.3	1.3
	Strongly agree	231	73.1	73.1	74.4
	Somewhat agree	49	15.5	15.5	89.9
	Neither agree nor disagree	24	7.6	7.6	97.5
	Somewhat disagree	2	.6	.6	98.1
	Strongly disagree	2	.6	.6	98.7
	Not applicable	4	1.3	1.3	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

My teachers make schoolwork relevant with real-world examples.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	7	2.2	2.2	2.2
	Strongly agree	117	37.0	37.0	39.2
	Somewhat agree	111	35.1	35.1	74.4
	Neither agree nor disagree	63	19.9	19.9	94.3
	Somewhat disagree	9	2.8	2.8	97.2
	Strongly disagree	6	1.9	1.9	99.1
	Not applicable	3	.9	.9	100.0
	Total	316	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	3	.9	.9	.9
	Strongly agree	108	34.2	34.2	35.1
	Somewhat agree	88	27.8	27.8	63.0
	Neither agree nor disagree	59	18.7	18.7	81.6
	Somewhat disagree	13	4.1	4.1	85.8
	Strongly disagree	28	8.9	8.9	94.6
	Not applicable	17	5.4	5.4	100.0
	Total	316	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	1.3	1.3	1.3
	Strongly agree	140	44.3	44.3	45.6
	Somewhat agree	73	23.1	23.1	68.7
	Neither agree nor disagree	53	16.8	16.8	85.4
	Somewhat disagree	14	4.4	4.4	89.9
	Strongly disagree	22	7.0	7.0	96.8
	Not applicable	10	3.2	3.2	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

My school teaches me to manage my time effectively.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No Response	6	1.9	1.9	1.9
	Strongly agree	97	30.7	30.7	32.6
	Somewhat agree	101	32.0	32.0	64.6
	Neither agree nor disagree	66	20.9	20.9	85.4
	Somewhat disagree	23	7.3	7.3	92.7
	Strongly disagree	16	5.1	5.1	97.8
	Not applicable	7	2.2	2.2	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

What grade are you in?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	7	1.6	1.6	1.6
	6th grade	135	42.7	42.7	43.4
	7th grade	100	31.6	31.6	75.0
	8th grade	73	23.1	23.1	98.1
	9th grade	1	.3	.3	98.4
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

Are you?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	15	4.7	4.7	4.7
	Male	130	41.1	41.1	45.9
	Female	171	54.1	54.1	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

Are you of Spanish or Hispanic origin or descent?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No response	11	3.5	3.5	3.5
	Yes	154	48.7	48.7	52.2
	No	151	47.8	47.8	100.0
	Total	316	100.0	100.0	

	Responses	Percent of Cases
	N	
Are you: - White	103	33.6%
Are you: - Black or African American	46	15.0%
Are you: - Asian	43	14.0%
Are you: - Native Hawaiian or Other	4	1.3%
Are you: - American Indian or Alaska Native	9	2.9%
Are you: - Other	130	42.3%
Are you: - Prefer not to answer	40	13.0%
	375	122.1%

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

	Responses	Percent of Cases
	N	
No	119	37.9%
Yes (Please specify in the box below.)	195	62.1%
	314	100.0%

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	130	41.1	41.1	41.1
Aamric	1	.3	.3	41.5
A little	1	.3	.3	41.8
Amaharic	1	.3	.3	42.1
Amaric	1	.3	.3	42.4
Amharic	3	.9	.9	43.4
Arabic	6	1.9	1.9	45.3
Arabic, Italian, Finnish, French, German, Manerin, Swedish, Norwegian, Celtic	1	.3	.3	45.6
Arabic, Urdu	1	.3	.3	45.9
Bangali	1	.3	.3	46.2
Bengali	2	.6	.6	46.8
Both	1	.3	.3	47.2
Bulgarian	1	.3	.3	47.5
Cambodian	1	.3	.3	47.8
Chinese	3	.9	.9	48.7
Czech	1	.3	.3	49.1
Djiboutian	1	.3	.3	49.4
Espanol	1	.3	.3	49.7
Espanol (Spanish)	1	.3	.3	50.0
Everyone	1	.3	.3	50.3
Farsi	1	.3	.3	50.6
Farsi, French	1	.3	.3	50.9
French	5	1.6	1.6	52.5
French &	1	.3	.3	52.8
French, Arabic	1	.3	.3	53.2
French, Spanish	1	.3	.3	53.5
French, Spanish, French, Wolof	1	.3	.3	53.8
Hindi	2	.6	.6	54.7
Ilongo	1	.3	.3	55.1
Italian	2	.6	.6	55.7
Japanese	1	.3	.3	56.0
Kenyan	1	.3	.3	56.3
laos and thai	1	.3	.3	56.6
Mandiran	1	.3	.3	57.0
No	1	.3	.3	57.3
Parseltongue from Harry Potter	1	.3	.3	57.6
Polish	1	.3	.3	57.9

Portugese &	1	.3	.3	58.2
Portuguese,	1	.3	.3	58.5
Russian	1	.3	.3	58.9
Sisters	1	.3	.3	59.2
Spanish	109	34.5	34.5	93.7
Spanish, Chechen	1	.3	.3	94.0
Spanish, Chinese, French, Arabic	1	.3	.3	94.3
Spanish, Filipino	1	.3	.3	94.6
Spanish, French, German, Italian	1	.3	.3	94.9
Spanish, Italian,	1	.3	.3	95.3
Spanish, Quechua	1	.3	.3	95.6
Spanish, Sign	1	.3	.3	95.9
Tagalog	3	.9	.9	96.8
Thai (I don't	1	.3	.3	97.2
Tigrinya	1	.3	.3	97.5
Urdu	5	1.6	1.6	99.1
Vet	1	.3	.3	99.4
Vietnamese	2	.6	.6	100.0
Total	316	100.0	100.0	