

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

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Gunston MS

What overall grade would you give the performance of each of the following?... Your school					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	A	12	27.3	27.3	27.3
	B	25	56.8	56.8	84.1
	C	4	9.1	9.1	93.2
	D	3	6.8	6.8	100.0
	F	0	.0	.0	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

What overall grade would you give the performance of each of the following?... Arlington Public Schools					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	A	10	22.7	22.7	22.7
	B	30	68.2	68.2	90.9
	C	3	6.8	6.8	97.7
	D	1	2.3	2.3	100.0
	F	0	0.0	0.0	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

What overall grade would you give the performance of each of the following?... The teachers in your school					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	A	22	50.0	50.0	50.0
	B	19	43.2	43.2	93.2
	C	2	4.5	4.5	97.7
	D	1	2.3	2.3	100.0
	F	0	.0	.0	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

What overall grade would you give the performance of each of the following?... The principal for your school

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid A	10	22.7	22.7	22.7
B	16	36.4	36.4	59.1
C	11	25.0	25.0	84.1
D	6	13.6	13.6	97.7
F	1	2.3	2.3	100.0
Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?... "I feel safe in my school."

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid STRONGLY AGREE	28	63.6	63.6	63.6
SOMEWHAT AGREE	12	27.3	27.3	90.9
NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	1	2.3	2.3	93.2
SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	2	4.5	4.5	97.7
STRONGLY DISAGREE	1	2.3	2.3	100.0
Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?... "I feel respected in my school."

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid STRONGLY AGREE	18	40.9	40.9	40.9
SOMEWHAT AGREE	16	36.4	36.4	77.3
NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	2	4.5	4.5	81.8
SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	5	11.4	11.4	93.2
STRONGLY DISAGREE	3	6.8	6.8	100.0
Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?... "I feel valued at work."

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid STRONGLY AGREE	15	34.1	34.1	34.1
SOMEWHAT AGREE	16	36.4	36.4	70.5
NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	3	6.8	6.8	77.3
SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	6	13.6	13.6	90.9
STRONGLY DISAGREE	4	9.1	9.1	100.0
Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?... "I feel supported in the school."

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid STRONGLY AGREE	13	29.5	29.5	29.5
SOMEWHAT AGREE	19	43.2	43.2	72.7
NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	3	6.8	6.8	79.5
SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	6	13.6	13.6	93.2
STRONGLY DISAGREE	3	6.8	6.8	100.0
Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?... "I like going to work."

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid STRONGLY AGREE	20	45.5	45.5	45.5
SOMEWHAT AGREE	17	38.6	38.6	84.1
NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	3	6.8	6.8	90.9
SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	3	6.8	6.8	97.7
STRONGLY DISAGREE	1	2.3	2.3	100.0
Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?... "The principal is responsive to the concerns of schools and student needs."

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	STRONGLY AGREE	19	43.2	43.2	43.2
	SOMEWHAT AGREE	12	27.3	27.3	70.5
	NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	7	15.9	15.9	86.4
	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	5	11.4	11.4	97.7
	STRONGLY DISAGREE	1	2.3	2.3	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?... "The APS work environment promotes employee productivity and success."

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	STRONGLY AGREE	7	15.9	15.9	15.9
	SOMEWHAT AGREE	25	56.8	56.8	72.7
	NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	5	11.4	11.4	84.1
	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	5	11.4	11.4	95.5
	STRONGLY DISAGREE	2	4.5	4.5	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?... "The APS work environment promotes employee well-being, satisfaction and positive morale."

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	STRONGLY AGREE	5	11.4	11.4	11.4
	SOMEWHAT AGREE	21	47.7	47.7	59.1
	NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	7	15.9	15.9	75.0
	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	9	20.5	20.5	95.5
	STRONGLY DISAGREE	2	4.5	4.5	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

**To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?...
"There is an atmosphere of open communication in my school."**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	STRONGLY AGREE	10	22.7	22.7	22.7
	SOMEWHAT AGREE	19	43.2	43.2	65.9
	NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	2	4.5	4.5	70.5
	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	11	25.0	25.0	95.5
	STRONGLY DISAGREE	2	4.5	4.5	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?... "My school does a good job of getting important school-related information to parents."

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	STRONGLY AGREE	16	36.4	36.4	36.4
	SOMEWHAT AGREE	16	36.4	36.4	72.7
	NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	5	11.4	11.4	84.1
	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	6	13.6	13.6	97.7
	STRONGLY DISAGREE	1	2.3	2.3	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?... "My principal is responsive to teachers."

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	STRONGLY AGREE	11	25.0	25.0	25.0
	SOMEWHAT AGREE	15	34.1	34.1	59.1
	NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	11	25.0	25.0	84.1
	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	5	11.4	11.4	95.5
	STRONGLY DISAGREE	2	4.5	4.5	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?... "The Arlington Public Schools curricula are challenging for all students."

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	STRONGLY AGREE	19	43.2	43.2	43.2
	SOMEWHAT AGREE	18	40.9	40.9	84.1
	NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	1	2.3	2.3	86.4
	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	5	11.4	11.4	97.7
	STRONGLY DISAGREE	1	2.3	2.3	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?... "I have enough planning time."

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	STRONGLY AGREE	9	20.5	20.5	20.5
	SOMEWHAT AGREE	10	22.7	22.7	43.2
	NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	4	9.1	9.1	52.3
	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	15	34.1	34.1	86.4
	STRONGLY DISAGREE	6	13.6	13.6	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?... "The professional development programs offered at my school are aligned with our school goals."

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	STRONGLY AGREE	6	13.6	13.6	13.6
	SOMEWHAT AGREE	16	36.4	36.4	50.0
	NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	12	27.3	27.3	77.3
	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	8	18.2	18.2	95.5
	STRONGLY DISAGREE	2	4.5	4.5	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent are you satisfied with each of the following?...					
"Your ability to influence the policies that affect you."					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	VERY SATISFIED	4	9.1	9.1	9.1
	SOMEWHAT SATISFIED	14	31.8	31.8	40.9
	NEITHER SATISFIED NOR DISSATISFIED	3	6.8	6.8	47.7
	SOMEWHAT DISSATISFIED	16	36.4	36.4	84.1
	VERY DISSATISFIED	5	11.4	11.4	95.5
	NOT APPLICABLE / NO BASIS TO JUDGE	2	4.5	4.5	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent are you satisfied with each of the following?...					
"The accessibility of your school's counselors to students."					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	VERY SATISFIED	27	61.4	61.4	61.4
	SOMEWHAT SATISFIED	13	29.5	29.5	90.9
	NEITHER SATISFIED NOR DISSATISFIED	2	4.5	4.5	95.5
	SOMEWHAT DISSATISFIED	1	2.3	2.3	97.7
	VERY DISSATISFIED	0	0.0	0.0	97.7
	NOT APPLICABLE / NO BASIS TO JUDGE	1	2.3	2.3	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

The central office staff for my instructional program is accessible to me.					
		Frequency	Percent	Percent	Percent
Valid	ALWAYS	24	54.5	54.5	54.5
	SOMETIMES	14	31.8	31.8	86.4
	RARELY	4	9.1	9.1	95.5
	NEVER	0	0.0	0.0	95.5
	I DON'T KNOW	1	2.3	2.3	97.7
	NOT APPLICABLE / NO BASIS TO JUDGE	1	2.3	2.3	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

The professional development activities I have attended within the current school year have addressed my students' instructional needs.					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	ALWAYS	8	18.2	18.2	18.2
	SOMETIMES	21	47.7	47.7	65.9
	RARELY	9	20.5	20.5	86.4
	NEVER	3	6.8	6.8	93.2
	I DON'T KNOW	2	4.5	4.5	97.7
	NOT APPLICABLE / NO BASIS TO JUDGE	1	2.3	2.3	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

The professional development activities I have attended within the current school year have improved my students' achievement.					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	ALWAYS	5	11.4	11.4	11.4
	SOMETIMES	18	40.9	40.9	52.3
	RARELY	9	20.5	20.5	72.7
	NEVER	3	6.8	6.8	79.5
	I DON'T KNOW	4	9.1	9.1	88.6
	NOT APPLICABLE / NO BASIS TO JUDGE	5	11.4	11.4	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

How would you rate the amount of professional development activities available to teachers?					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	EXCELLENT	7	15.9	15.9	15.9
	GOOD	17	38.6	38.6	54.5
	FAIR	17	38.6	38.6	93.2
	POOR	2	4.5	4.5	97.7
	I DON'T KNOW	1	2.3	2.3	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

How do you feel about the number of students in your classes? Would you say there are...					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	TOO MANY STUDENTS	11	25.0	25.0	25.0
	THE RIGHT NUMBER OF STUDENTS	26	59.1	59.1	84.1
	TOO FEW STUDENTS	2	4.5	4.5	88.6
	NOT APPLICABLE / NO BASIS TO JUDGE	5	11.4	11.4	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? "My students have enough information to complete their homework by themselves."					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	STRONGLY AGREE	22	50.0	50.0	50.0
	SOMEWHAT AGREE	11	25.0	25.0	75.0
	NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	1	2.3	2.3	77.3
	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	4	9.1	9.1	86.4
	STRONGLY DISAGREE	0	0.0	0.0	86.4
	NOT APPLICABLE / NO BASIS TO JUDGE	6	13.6	13.6	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? "My students' schoolwork develops life skills, such as teamwork, collaboration, time management, goal setting, community service, and arts appreciation."					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	STRONGLY AGREE	18	40.9	40.9	40.9
	SOMEWHAT AGREE	16	36.4	36.4	77.3
	NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	3	6.8	6.8	84.1
	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	3	6.8	6.8	90.9
	STRONGLY DISAGREE	1	2.3	2.3	93.2
	NOT APPLICABLE / NO BASIS TO JUDGE	3	6.8	6.8	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

How do you feel about the amount of time your students spend on homework?					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	MY STUDENTS SPEND TOO MUCH TIME ON HOMEWORK	2	4.5	4.5	4.5
	MY STUDENTS SPEND AN APPROPRIATE AMOUNT OF THEIR AFTER-SCHOOL TIME ON HOMEWORK	20	45.5	45.5	50.0
	MY STUDENTS SPEND TOO LITTLE OF THEIR AFTER-SCHOOL TIME ON HOMEWORK	14	31.8	31.8	81.8
	I DON'T KNOW	8	18.2	18.2	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

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		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	ALWAYS	32	72.7	72.7	72.7
	SOMETIMES	12	27.3	27.3	100.0
	RARELY	0	0.0	0.0	100.0
	NEVER	0	.0	.0	100.0
	I DON'T KNOW	0	.0	.0	100.0
	NOT APPLICABLE / NO BASIS TO JUDGE	0	.0	.0	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

My school is respectful of language differences.					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	ALWAYS	31	70.5	70.5	70.5
	SOMETIMES	13	29.5	29.5	100.0
	RARELY	0	0.0	0.0	100.0
	NEVER	0	.0	.0	100.0
	I DON'T KNOW	0	.0	.0	100.0
	NOT APPLICABLE / NO BASIS TO JUDGE	0	.0	.0	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

My school is respectful of racial/ethnic differences.					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	ALWAYS	32	72.7	72.7	72.7
	SOMETIMES	12	27.3	27.3	100.0
	RARELY	0	0.0	0.0	100.0
	NEVER	0	.0	.0	100.0
	I DON'T KNOW	0	.0	.0	100.0
	NOT APPLICABLE / NO BASIS TO JUDGE	0	.0	.0	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

In your opinion, how important do you think it is to close the academic achievement gap between White students and Black and Hispanic students?					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	VERY IMPORTANT	28	63.6	63.6	63.6
	SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	11	25.0	25.0	88.6
	SOMEWHAT UNIMPORTANT	3	6.8	6.8	95.5
	VERY UNIMPORTANT	2	4.5	4.5	100.0
	UNSURE	0	0.0	0.0	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

Do you believe that the achievement gap can be narrowed substantially while maintaining high standards for all children?					
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	YES	29	65.9	65.9	65.9
	NO	5	11.4	11.4	77.3
	UNSURE	10	22.7	22.7	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	

In your opinion, is it the responsibility of the public schools to close the achievement gap between White students and Black and Hispanic students?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	YES	22	50.0	50.0	50.0
	NO	10	22.7	22.7	72.7
	UNSURE	12	27.3	27.3	100.0
	Total	44	100.0	100.0	