

# 2007-2008 AISD PARENT SURVEY RESULTS

## ALC HIGH SCHOOL

The following report contains the results of the 2007-2008 AISD Parent Survey for your campus and all AISD schools at your level. The first section of this report provides a comparison of the campus demographics and the demographics reported by parents who responded to the survey from your campus. The next section describes the percentages of parents selecting specific responses for each survey item, and the final section indicates the actual number of parents who selected each response option. Campus survey results should be examined for areas of strength and opportunities for improvement. Results for all AISD schools at your level and longitudinal results for your campus are presented to provide references for comparison.

### How many parents responded to the survey in 2007-2008, and how does this compare to the number of students in the population?

	ALC	District EL	District MS	District HS
# of Parents Responding		12,493	1,831	1,731
# of Students	309	45,993	16,115	19,522
Ratio of Parent Respondents to Students	%	27%	11%	9%

Note: Student population data are based on May enrollment in the district, and may differ from the official AEIS

## USING THE RESULTS OF THE AISD PARENT SURVEY

Please examine your results to determine areas of strength and opportunities for improvement. Areas of strength can be identified by large percentages of parents who “Strongly Agree” or “Agree” with a statement. Opportunities for improvement can be identified by large percentages of parents who “Disagree” or “Strongly Disagree” with a statement. In addition, please look for patterns in which one staff category consistently receives more positive or negative responses than other staff categories. This will help you to identify opportunities for praise and areas in which training may be necessary. If your campus percentages are very different from those reported by parents district-wide, please consider potential reasons for discrepancies.

It is important to look at the responses from year to year to determine whether there are any areas in which percentages have changed by more than a few points. Keep in mind that when response rates are low, the percentages may appear to fluctuate more without necessarily signaling a serious shift in perception. Please consider how representative your parent respondents are of the students in your school. Also, think about any changes in campus policies and practices that may have resulted in positive or negative changes. How can campus staff continue to support the positive changes? How might your staff address any undesirable changes that may have occurred? Because parental perceptions of treatment by school personnel are based on interactions with a variety of school staff, representatives from all areas should be included in discussions regarding school planning and improvement processes.

### ITEM RESULTS FOR ALC

Each survey item is presented below in a table containing your school’s longitudinal results (when available) and this year’s results for all campuses at your level.

4. School staff provide me with information in my home language.

	ALC 2006-07	ALC 2007-08	All HS 2007-08



12. My child's school clearly communicates its expectations for my child's learning.

	<b>ALC 2007-08</b>	<b>All HS 2007-08</b>
<b>Strongly Disagree</b>	%	5%
<b>Disagree</b>	%	14%
<b>Agree</b>	%	55%

18. A portion of a principal's salary should be related to the performance of his/her students on more than one assessment.

	ALC 2007-08	All HS 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	%	14%
Disagree	%	21%
Agree	%	39%
Strongly Agree	%	26%

19. A portion of a teacher's salary should be related to the performance of his/her students on more than one assessment.

	ALC 2007-08	All HS 2007-08
Strongly Agree	9%	30%
Agree	%	15%

22. Assistant Principals...

	ALC 2005-06	ALC 2006-07	ALC 2007-08	All HS 2007-08
<b>Treat me with courtesy and respect.</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	6%
Disagree		0%	%	8%
Agree		0%	%	55%
Strongly Agree		100%	%	32%
<b>Have helped me to become more involved in my child's education.</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	8%
Disagree		0%	%	20%
Agree		0%	%	51%
Strongly Agree		0%	%	21%
<b>Value my input in academic decisions about my child.</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	8%
Disagree		0%	%	15%

24. Office Staff...

	ALC 2005-06	ALC 2006-07	ALC 2007-08	All HS 2007-08
<b>Treat me with courtesy and respect.</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	4%
Disagree		0%	%	6%
Agree	0%	0%	%	51%
Strongly Agree		100%	%	38%
<b>Have helped me to become more involved in my child's education.</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	6%
Disagree		0%	%	14%
Agree		0%	%	45%
Strongly Agree		0%	%	35%
<b>Value my input in academic decisions about my child.</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	6%
Disagree		0%	%	13%
Agree		0%	%	47%
Strongly Agree		0%	%	34%
<b>Provide me with opportunities for 2-way communication (phone calls, meetings, email, etc.)</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	6%
Disagree		0%	%	10%
Agree		0%	%	49%
Strongly Agree		0%	%	34%

25. Counselor(s)...

	ALC 2005-06	ALC 2006-07	ALC 2007-08	All HS 2007-08
<b>Treat me with courtesy and respect.</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	4%
Disagree		0%	%	8%
Agree		0%	%	52%
Strongly Agree		100%	%	36%
<b>Have helped me to become more involved in my child's education.</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	7%

26. School staff provide me with enough information about the following school and district policies:

	ALC 2005-06	ALC 2006-07	ALC 2007-08	All HS 2007-08
<b>Student behavior expectations</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	3%
Disagree		0%	%	6%
Agree		0%	%	57%
Strongly Agree		100%	%	35%
<b>Parent involvement policy</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	4%
Disagree		0%	%	14%
Agree		0%	%	54%
Strongly Agree		100%	%	28%
<b>Process for handling complaints and concerns</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	7%
Disagree		0%	%	17%
Agree		0%	%	49%
Strongly Agree		0%	%	26%

27. School staff provide me with enough information about:

	ALC 2005-06	ALC 2006-07	ALC 2007-08	All HS 2007-08
<b>My child's academic progress</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	5%
Disagree		0%	%	13%
Agree		100%	%	51%
Strongly Agree		0%	%	31%
<b>My child's academic plans and goals</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	6%
Disagree		0%	%	25%
Agree		0%	%	46%
Strongly Agree		0%	%	23%
<b>My child's preparedness for TAKS</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	7%
Disagree		0%	%	23%
Agree		0%	%	48%
Strongly Agree		0%	%	23%
<b>My child's risk of failing a grade</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	7%
Disagree		0%	%	14%
Agree		0%	%	52%
Strongly Agree		0%	%	27%
<b>My child's behavior</b>				
Strongly Disagree		0%	%	5%
Disagree		0%	%	13%
Agree		0%	%	54%
Strongly Agree		100%	%	28%



27 (continued). School staff provide me with enough information about:

	ALC 2005-06	ALC 2006-07	ALC 2007-08	All HS 2007-08
<b>High school graduation requirements</b>				
<b>Strongly Disagree</b>		0%	%	6%
<b>Disagree</b>		0%	%	13%

29. In which of the following activities do you participate?

	<b>ALC 2007-08</b>	<b>All HS 2007-08</b>
<b>General school meetings (e.g., open house, Back to School Night, Choice Sheet Night, etc.)</b>	%	66%
<b>Regularly scheduled parent-teacher conferences</b>	%	45%
<b>School leadership opportunities (e.g., Campus Advisory Council, event committees, etc.)</b>	%	14%
<b>Parent-Teacher Associates (PTA)/Parent-Teacher-Student Association (PTSA)</b>	%	32%
<b>Sports or other performance events</b>	%	59%
<b>Academic events (e.g., science fairs, debate competitions, etc.)</b>	%	29%
<b>Other special events or conferences (e.g., workshops, Family Night, Learning Walks, etc.)</b>	%	30%
<b>District-wide events (e.g., La Feria Educativa, Back-to-School Bash, Family Technology Week, etc.)</b>	%	14%