

Strong relationships among staff, students, and parents are critical to student success. In particular, parent involvement in education is associated with higher student achievement (for a meta-analysis see Fan & Chen, 2001). These survey results provide campuses with feedback about how parents feel about their treatment by school staff, the school's educational environment, and their own involvement in the school. The following report contains the results of the 2008-2009 AISD Parent Survey for International, and longitudinal data are provided where applicable. In addition, averages are provided for all AISD high schools. Table 1 provides a summary of respondents for International. Parents who respond to this survey tend to be representative of the AISD student population in terms of ethnicity and grade level; data for the parents who responded for International can be found in Tables 2 and 3.

	International	All HS
Number of surveys returned	39	1,694
Number of students	238	19,043
% of students represented	16%	9%

Table 1. Total Respondents for International High School, 2008-2009

	International Survey Respondents	International Population
African American	14%	5%
Asian	31%	13%
Hispanic	53%	82%
Native American	3%	0%
White	0%	0%

Table 2. Respondents' Child's Ethnicity Compared to International Population

Note. Some parents chose not to report their child's ethnicity; thus, percentages may not sum to 100%. Student population data are based on January enrollment, and may differ from the official AEIS report.

	International Survey Respondents	International Population
9 th	89%	72%
10 th	11%	28%
11 th	0%	

Table 3. Respondents' Child's Grade Level Compared to International Population

Respectful School Community. This scale consists of 12 items that measure the extent to which parents perceive that staff provide a welcoming, respectful environment for students and their families. The individual item and subscale averages are provided in Table 5.

Item	Internat'l 2006-2007	Internat'l 2008-2009		
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Table 5. Results for Respectful School Community

Table 6. F	Results for	Support fo	or Parent	Involvement
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Item	Internat'l	Internat'l	Internat'l	All HS
	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009	2008-2009
8. My child's school staff use the				

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