

2007-2008 AISD STUDENT CLIMATE SURVEY RESULTS



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Behavioral Environment

A total of six items on the survey assess the dimension called Behavioral Environment, the respect and caring among students and the extent to which students obey the school rules and feel safe at school. Results for the individual items composing the subscale are presented below. Item numbers in each table correspond to the numbers on the survey.

Average Response for Behavioral Environment Items

Behavioral Environment Items	Kiker 2005-06	Kiker 2006-07	Kiker 2007-08	All ES
1. My classmates show respect to each other.	3.01	3.29	3.26	2.98
2. My classmates show respect to others who are different.	3.05	3.43	3.48	3.07
3. I am happy with the way my classmates treat me.	3.18	3.31	3.35	3.18
14. Students at my school follow the rules.	2.81	3.06	3.13	2.87
15. I feel safe at my school.	3.54	3.68	3.72	3.52
17. I feel safe on the school property.	3.43	3.68	3.65	3.51
Behavioral Environment Average	n/a	n/a	3.43	3.19

Teacher Support and Student Engagement

This subscale consists of ten items that assess the extent to which teachers support students with academic issues and personal problems, and the level of enthusiasm that teachers display regarding their teaching. Average scores for each item and for the subscale are reflected in the table below.

Average Response for Teacher Support and Student Engagement Items

Teacher Support and Student Engagement	Kiker 2005-06	Kiker 2006-07	Kiker 2007-08	All
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ADDITIONAL SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT

A total of eight items assess the school environment in ways other than those identified by the four primary statistical survey dimensions. Average scores for each of these additional items are reflected in the table below.

Average Response for Additional Climate Items

Additional Items	Kiker 2005-06	Kiker 2006-07	Kiker 2007-08	All ES
8. There is at least one adult at my school who I can go to if I have a problem.	3.56	3.70	3.76	3.60
9. Everyone knows what the school rules are.	3.01	3.33	3.49	3.35
13. My classmates know there are consequences for breaking the rules.	n/a	3.72	3.80	3.56
16. This school is clean.	3.13	3.43	3.56	3.35

APPENDIX

Cronbach's Alpha Reliability Scores for AISD Student Climate Survey

Reliability Scores	All ES	All MS	All HS
Behavioral Environment	.75	.82	.82