

# TELL AISD Teaching and Learning Conditions Survey: Results for 2011 through 2016

### **Pecan Springs Elementary School**

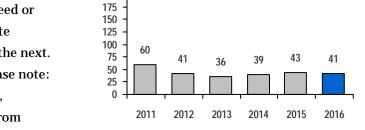
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The Teaching, Empowering, Leading and Learning (TELL) AISD Survey gathers information about school conditions from the educators working in schools. TELL obtains perceptions on a variety of issues related to student achievement and staff retention. In 2016, 5,309 AISD teachers (91%) and 3,092 other campus employees completed the survey.

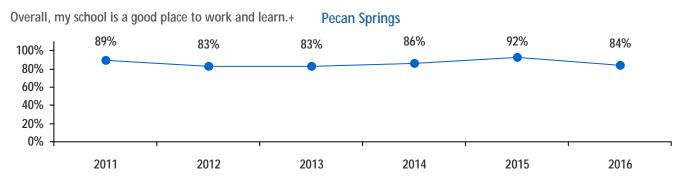
### **Survey Results**

For each item in this report, the number displayed represents the percentage of respondents who agreed or strongly agreed with the statement. Arrows indicate statistically meaningful changes from one year to the next. Items marked with \* were not asked that year. Please note: the comparison methodology was updated in 2015, therefore arrows may not match those in reports from

## Pecan Springs Survey Participants



General School Climate							
			Pecai	n Springs			EL
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2016
All campus staff are friendly to each other.+	78%	85%	89%	72%	82%	77%	87%
All campus staff exhibit pride in their affiliation with the school.+	76%	79%	82%	77%	83%	78%	91%
All campus staff are willing to go out of their way to help.+	69%	74%	83%	77%	81%	79%	86%
All campus staff accomplish their jobs with enthusiasm.+	62%	63%	74%	79%	82%	70%	84%
All campus staff are committed to their jobs.+	77%	76%	79%	81%	90%	85%	89%
The goals of my school are made clear.	81%	88%	86%	91%	94%	87%	94%
All campus staff interact with one another in a way that models social and emotional competence.	*	*	*	*	*	79%	88%



<sup>+</sup>Includes responses from teaching and nonteaching staff.

			Pecar	n Springs
	2011	2012	2013	2014
The faculty and leadership have a shared vision.	82%	79%	76%	77%
Teachers feel comfortable raising issues and concerns that are important to them.	67%	57%	69%	57%
The school leadership consistently supports teachers.	61%	62%	69%	
Teachers are held to high professional standards for delivering instruction.	87%	97%	100%	
The school leadership facilitates using data to improve student learning.	93%	94%	89%	
Teacher performance is assessed objectively.	83%	82%	90%	
Teachers receive feedback that can help them improve teaching.	79%	74%	91%	
The procedures for teacher evaluation are consistent.	83%	79%	90%	
The faculty are recognized for accomplishments.	68%	68%	89%	
There is an atmosphere of trust and mutual respect.+	66%	63%	78%	
School leadership effectively communicates policy.+	78%	76%	86%	
My principal involves faculty in decisions that directly impact the operations of my school.	*	*	73%	
My principal clearly defines expectations for our school.	*	*	79%	
My principal provides constructive feedback to teachers toward improving their performance.	*	*	79%	
My principal has a clearly defined mission and vision for my school.	*	*	88%	
My principal encourages cooperation among faculty and staff toward improving student performance.	*	*	82%	
Teachers at this school trust the principal to make sound professional decisions about instruction.	*	*	69%	

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The school leadership makes a sustained effort to					ALL
address teacher concerns about:			Peca	n Springs	EL
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2016
The use of time in my school	62%	59%	64%	71%	
Facilities and resources	80%	72%	64%	78%	
Community support and involvement	67%	74%	85%	92%	
Managing student conduct	77%	77%	83%	81%	
Teacher leadership	84%	76%	88%	86[92)-6(%)	ŢJO -1.8026 T12 refBT9.98556 0 092%
School leadership	70%	85%	85%		
Professional development	89%	94%	88%		
Instructional practices and support	82%	77%	82%		
New teacher support	68%	79%	84%		
Achievement press	*	88%	87%		
General school climate	*	74%	78%	72%	

Teacher Leadership				
			Peca	n Springs
	2011	2012	2013	2014
Teachers are recognized as educational experts.	70%	66%	76%	
Teachers are trusted to make sound professional decisions about instruction.	65%	66%	77%	
Teachers are relied upon to make decisions about educational issues.	67%	71%	82%	
Teachers are encouraged to participate in school leadership roles.	82%	73%	85%	
The faculty has an effective process for making group decisions to solve problems.	62%	68%	71%	
In this school we take steps to solve problems.	80%	67%	83%	
Teachers are effective leaders in this school.	80%	76%	82%	
Teachers have an appropriate level of influence on decision making in this school.	*	59%	68%	
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<sup>\*</sup>This item was not asked.

Achievement Press							ALL
			Peca	n Springs			EL
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2016
The school sets high standards for academic performance.	97%	93%	100%	97%	97%	94%	96%
Teachers in this school believe that their students have the ability to achieve academically.	95%	85%	91%	97%	83%	88%	96%
Parents exert pressure to maintain high standards.	31%	26%	29%	46%	56%	48%	70%
Academic achievement is recognized and acknowledged by the school.	88%	90%	92%	92%	95%	88%	94%
Parents press for school improvement.	35%	31%	29%	44%	46%	38%	75%
Students in this school can achieve the goals that have been set for them.	85%	90%	89%	100%	92%	85%	96%
Students respect others who get good grades.	67%	76%	91%	91%	88%	86%	93%
Students seek extra work so they can get get good grades.	38%	44%	41%	47%	55%	52%	62%
Students try hard to improve on previous work.	59%	62%	79%	78%	77%	63%	83%
The learning environment is orderly and serious.+	75%	73%	89%	88%	84%	83%	92%
+Includes responses from teaching and non-teaching staff							

### **Data Use**

How often does your department/team:	Pecan Springs 2016	ALL EL 2016
Discuss your department/team's professional needs and goals.	59%	65%
Discuss assessment data for individual students.	72%	74%
Set learning goals for groups of students.	69%	76%
Group students across classes based on learning needs.	64%	67%
Provide support for new teachers.	67%	79%
Provide support for struggling teachers.	67%	76%
Share instructional strategies.	72%	84%

### **Managing Student Conduct**

**Pecan Springs** 

ALL EL 2016

Students at this school understand expectations for their conduct.+

2011	2012	2013
	83%	92%
	46%	75%
	88%	92%
	79%	89%
	75%	91%
	82%	97%
	83%	94%
	74%	94%

Instructional Practice and Support							ALL
	Pecan Springs						EL
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2016
Teachers in this school use assessment data to inform their instruction.	98%	97%	100%	94%	94%	94%	98%
Teachers work in professional learning communities to develop and align instructional practices.	91%	91%	97%	92%	81%	84%	95%
Provided supports (i.e., instructional coaching, professional learning communities, etc.) translate to improvements in instructional practices by teachers.	84%	79%	94%	86%	83%	84%	93%
Teachers are encouraged to try new things to improve instruction.	80%	78%	85%	66%	86%	76%	95%
Teachers at my school are assigned classes that maximize their likelihood of success with students.	76%	35%	78%	78%	59%	70%	83%
Teachers have autonomy to make decisions about instructional delivery (i.e., pacing, materials and pedagogy).	59%	53%	53%	57%	67%	50%	86%
I have detailed knowledge of the content covered and instructional methods used by other teachers at this school.	*	*	*	*	*	76%	82%

<sup>\*</sup>This item was not asked.

**Community Support and Engagement** 

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	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2016
Parents/guardians are influential decision makers in this school.	33%	24%	31%	56%	42%	35%	80%
This school works directly with parents/guardians to improve the educational climate in students' homes.	59%	56%	68%	75%	74%	71%	90%
This school maintains clear, two-way communication with the community.	71%	78%	81%	78%	79%	73%	94%
This school does a good job of encouraging parent/guardian involvement.	73%	67%	74%	81%	83%	81%	92%
Teachers provide parents/guardians with useful information about student learning.	93%	89%	94%	84%	94%	88%	97%
Parents/guardians know what is going on in this school.	63%	61%	71%	75%	69%	67%	91%
Parents/guardians support teachers, contributing to their success with students.	51%	50%	54%	69%	66%	61%	85%
Community members support teachers, contributing to their success with students.	64%	76%	80%	92%	94%	81%	91%
The community we serve is supportive of this school.	48%	66%	63%	84%	82%	68%	92%

## **Professional Development**

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	2011	2012	2013	1 <b>Springs</b> 2014	2015	2016	EL 2016
Sufficient resources are available for professional development.	73%	55%	76%	83%	83%	91%	2010
An appropriate amount of time is provided for professional development.	80%	67%	67%	81%	80%	88%	
Professional development offerings are data driven.	87%	82%	82%	82%	77%	90%	
Professional learning opportunities are aligned with the school's improvement plan.	90%	76%	82%	85%	90%	90%	
Professional development is differentiated to meet the needs of individual teachers.	60%	63%	61%	64%	64%		
Professional development deepens teachers' content knowledge.	93%	83%	85%	81%	86%		
Teachers are encouraged to reflect on their own practice.	81%	76%	85%	86%	86%		
Follow up is provided from professional development in this school.	55%	65%	63%	71%	56%		
Professional development provides ongoing opportunities for teachers to work with colleagues to refine teaching practices.	76%	58%	62%	77%	71%		
Professional development is evaluated and results are communicated to teachers.	47%	48%	59%	64%	61%		
Professional development enhances teachers' abilities to implement instructional strategies that meet diverse student learning needs.	77%	81%	91%	81%	92%		
Professional development enhances teachers' abilities to improve student learning.	82%	85%	91%	86%	91%	_	

Teachers have sufficient access to appropriate instructional materials.

Teachers have sufficient access to instructional technology, including computers, printers, software and Internet access.

Teachers have sufficient access to office equipment