



2013 2014 AISD Parent Survey Pearce Middle School

Strong relationships among staff, students, and parents are critical to student success. These survey results provide campuses with feedback on how parents feel about their treatment by school staff, the school's educational environment, and various school based opportunities parents would like for their children. The following report contains the results of the 2013 2014 Parent Survey for Austin Independent School District (AISD) for Pearce Middle School. The district report can be found at: www.austinisd.org/dre.

Demographic Information

Table 1. Number of respondents for Pearce Middle School, 2013 2014

	Pearce Middle School	All Middle Schools
# of surveys returned	80	2,750
# of students	465	16,133
% of students represented	17	17

Table 3. Distribution of respondents relative to Pearce's population, 2013 2014

Grade	% of respondents	% school population
6th	43	27
7th	29	32
8th	28	41

Table 2. Distribution of respondents and students by ethnicity and race, 2013 2014

	% of respondents	% school population
Ethnicity		
Hispanic/Latino	61	63
Race		
American Indian/Alaskan Native	3	22
Asian	4	5
Black/African American	25	32
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	0	0
White	8	45

Note. Students' grade and ethnicity were self reported. Ethnicity and race designations allows respondents to first select his/her ethnicity (Hispanic/Latino or non Hispanic/Latino) and one or more of five race values. Percentages may not equal 100%. Population data reflect enrollment as of the October 2013 PEIMS snapshot date.

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Item Results

School Staff	% Agree/Strongly agree Pearce 2013 2014	% Agree/Strongly agree All Middle Schools 2013 2014
The principal...		
treats me with courtesy and respect.	96	98
treats my child with courtesy and respect.	97	98
provides me with opportunities for two way communication (phone calls, meetings, emails, etc.).	93	96
is leading the school in the right direction academically.	94	97
The assistant principal...		
treats me with courtesy and respect.	99	98
treats my child with courtesy and respect.	99	98
provides me with opportunities for two way communication (phone calls, meetings, emails, etc.).	96	97
The teachers...		
treat me with courtesy and respect.	95	98
treat my child with courtesy and respect.	96	97
have helped me to become more involved in my child's education.	92	94
value my input in academic decisions about my child.	94	95
provide me with opportunities for two way communication (phone calls, meetings, emails, etc.).	95	96
have my child's best interest in mind when it comes to academic achievement.	96	96
provide my child with a high quality learning environment.	91	96

School Staff, cont.	% Agree/Strongly agree Pearce 2013 2014	% Agree/Strongly agree All Middle Schools 2013 2014
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The counselors...

treat me with courtesy and respect.	99	98
treat my child with courtesy and respect.	99	98
have helped me support my child's education.	99	97
value my input in academic decisions about my child.	97	97
provide me with opportunities for two way communication (phone calls, meetings, emails, etc.).	96	96

The school staff (for example, secretary, bookkeeper, etc.)...

treat me with courtesy and respect	97	97
treat my child with courtesy and respect.	97	98

Information provided by school staff	% Agree/Strongly agree Pearce 2013 2014	% Agree/Strongly agree All Middle Schools 2013 2014
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School staff provide me with enough information about the following:

School expectations about student learning	93	95
School expectations about student behavior	93	96
Positive feedback about my child	96	92
My child's academic performance	96	94
My child's behavior	96	94
My child's attendance	93	97
My child's preparedness for state academic tests	94	91
My child's high school graduation requirements	91	89



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School characteristics, cont.	% Agree/Strongly agree Pearce 2013 2014	% Agree/Strongly agree All Middle Schools 2013 2014
I believe that my child likes to go to school.	94	95
My child is treated with respect by other students.	92	93
I know who to contact at my child's school if I have a question or concern about my child's education.	96	96
I feel comfortable contacting staff at my child's school if I have a question or concern.	96	95
When I contact school staff, I get a timely response.	92	93
My child's school offers enough creative learning opportunities for my child.	92	95
My child has adequate opportunities to learn about healthy lifestyle choices at school.	92	95
My child has adequate opportunities to learn about other languages and cultures in classes or clubs at school.	94	95
My child has adequate opportunity to use technology at school.	94	95
Our local community supports our school.	87	95
Our school works hard to engage the local community.	95	94

Superintendent	% Agree/Strongly agree Pearce		% Agree/Strongly agree All Middle Schools	
	2013	2014	2013	2014
The Superintendent does a good job asking for input from parents.	87		91	
The Superintendent does a good job communicating with parents.	87		91	
The Superintendent does a good job managing the district's budget and staffing needs.	91		90	
The Superintendent has made a positive impact on students' academic progress.	88		90	

District office staff and district systems	% Agree/Strongly agree Pearce		% Agree/Strongly agree All Middle Schools	
	2013	2014	2013	2014
Staff at the district's main offices are responsive to my needs.	92		92	
Staff at the district's main offices treat me with courtesy and respect.	92		94	
AISSD's online Parent Cloud / Parent Connection / Gradespeed system helps me to monitor my child's academic progress.	97		95	
The district's automated phone calls are a good source of information for me.	97		96	
The district's website is a good source of information for me.	97		94	