



2012-2013 Austin ISD Parent Survey Richards

Strong relationships among staff, students and staff are critical to student success. In particular, parent involvement in education is associated with a high level of student achievement. 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 2012-2013 Parent Survey for Austin Independent School District (AISD) for Richards. The district report can be found at: <http://www.austinisd.org/dre>

Richards Demographic Information

Table 1. Number of respondents for Richards 2012-2013

	Surveys Returned	Total Students	% of Students Represented
Richards	425	682	62.32%
All High Schools	1952		

Grade Level	% of respondents
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		20.53%
08	11.16%	16.57%
09	14.25%	14.37%
10	12.59%	13.34%
11	6.65%	8.36%
12	7.13%	7.62%

Table 3. Distribution of Respondents and Students

	% of respondents	% of School Population
Asian	3.15%	2.64%
Black/African American	8.47%	8.65%
Hispanic	59.08%	62.76%

Table 4. Parent Survey Items Related to COURTESY
For Richards
2012-2013

Survey Items	% Strongly Agree/Agree Richards	
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Table 6. Parent Survey Items Related to ACADEMICS
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Table 8. Parent Survey Items Related to INFORMATION/ FEEDBACK
For Richards
2012-2013

Survey Items	% Strongly Agree/Agree Richards	% Strongly Agree/Agree All High Schools
School staff provide me with enough information about transitions to and from elementary, middle, and high school.	94.97%	85.55%
School staff provide me with enough information about future career opportunities for my child.	93.83%	78.44%
School staff provide me with enough information about college admissions requirements and financing options for my child.	95.52%	84.68%
School staff provide me with enough information about process for handling complaints and concerns.	89.97%	78.94%
School staff provide me with enough information about additional academic services available to my child.	91.53%	80.30%
School staff provide me with enough information about school expectations about student behavior.	97.36%	93.87%
School staff provide me with enough information about the positive feedback about my child.	93.92%	84.30%
School staff provide me with enough information about my child's behavior.	94.65%	89.39%
School staff provide me with enough information about my child's attendance.	98.33%	94.93%
School staff provide me with enough information about my child's high school graduation requirements.	93.68%	86.56%
School staff provide me with enough information about after-school programs or activities for my child.	97.31%	83.10%
I feel comfortable contacting staff at my child's school if I have a question or concern.	96.11%	89.59%
When I contact school staff, I get a timely response.	94.47%	84.64%
I am satisfied with the quality of the transportation services provided by my child's school.	91.32%	83.76%
I am satisfied with the quality of the food services at my child's school.	80.81%	71.94%
The school's website is a useful source of information for me.	90.72%	86.31%

Table 9. Parent Survey Items Related to the DISTRICT OFFICE
For Richards
2012-2013

Survey Items	% Strongly Agree/Agree Richards	% Strongly Agree/Agree All High Schools
The frequency with which I receive information through the district's automated phone calls is adequate.	87.12%	85.39%
The district's website is a good source of information for me.	92.46%	88.66%
The Superintendent does a good job asking for input from parents.	88.99%	79.91%
The Superintendent does a good job communicating with	84.16%	77.57%

Table 10. Top 10 Items
For Richards
2012-2013

Survey Items	% Strongly Agree/ Agree
The teachers treat me with courtesy and respect.	99.51%
School staffs encourage my child to study and learn.	99.20%
My child's teacher(s) provide a high quality learning environment.	99.02%
The counselors treat me with courtesy and respect.	98.93%
School staff provide me with enough information about my child's attendance.	98.33%
The counselors treat my child with courtesy and respect.	98.16%
The counselors have helped me support my child's education.	98.09%
I receive information about my child or my child's school that is in my preferred language.	98.04%
My child's school is a safe learning environment.	97.84%
My child's school is monitored well to ensure safety.	97.80%