

PARENT SURVEY RESULTS 2008-2009

WALNUT CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Survey Report

Strong relationships among staff, students, and

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	Walnut Creek 2008-2009	All EL 2008-2009
Respectful School Community	3.38	

Table 4. Subscale Averages for Walnut Creek

Support for Parent Involvement.

Adequacy of Communication about Student Progress and Expectations. This scale consists of 7 items that measure the adequacy of communication with parents about staff expectations for their child and their child's academic progress. The individual item and subscale averages are provided in Table 7.

Table 7. Adequacy of Communication about Student Progress and Expectations



Parent Achievement Press. This subscale consists of 5 items that describe the extent to which parents exert pressure for high standards by engaging in conversations about academic priorities both their child and the school staff. The individual item and subscale averages are provided in Table 9.

"I talk with my child about"	Walnut Creek 2008-2009	All EL 2008-2009
26. The importance of doing well in school.	3.81	3.85
27. What he/she is learning in school.	3.80	3.85
28. Future college and career plans.	3.50	3.43
Student-Focused Achievement Press Average	3.70	3.71
"I talk with school staff about the importance of having"		
23. High standards.	2.39	2.44
24. Good teachers.	2.51	2.52
School-Focused Achievement Press Average	2.45	2.49

Table 9. I	Parent	Achievemen	t Press
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Parents also were asked to indicate their perception of the quality of the education that their child receives at Walnut Creek. Results for this item for the past two years can be found in Table 10.

Table 10. Quality of Education

	Walnut Creek 2007-2008	Walnut Creek 2008-2009	All EL 2008-2009
9. I believe that my child is getting a good	3.47	3.47	3.53
education.			

Parents also were asked to report on the kinds of activities they participate in at the school. Table 11 on the following page summarizes the pe Table 11. Percentage of Parents Reporting That They Participate in School Activities