

PLESD School Climate Student (6-8) Survey

1. What grade are you in?		
6th	82	30%
7th	101	37%
8th	88	32%
Total	271	100%
2. I enjoy school.		
Strongly Agree	40	15%
Agree	142	53%
Disagree	30	11%
Strongly Disagree	24	9%
Don't Know	33	12%
Total	269	100%
3. I feel safe at school.		
Strongly Agree	66	24%
Agree	153	57%
Disagree	20	7%
Strongly Disagree	10	4%
Don't Know	21	8%
Total	270	100%
4. My friends treat me well.		
Strongly Agree	99	37%
Agree	142	53%
Disagree	9	3%
Strongly Disagree	5	2%
Don't Know	13	5%
Total	268	100%

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5. I treat my friends well.		
Strongly Agree	141	53%
Agree	113	42%
Disagree	2	1%
Strongly Disagree	3	1%
Don't Know	7	3%
Total	266	100%
6. When I have a problem there is an adult at school I can talk to.		
Strongly Agree	75	28%
Agree	96	36%
Disagree	32	12%
Strongly Disagree	31	12%
Don't Know	33	12%
Total	267	100%
7. When I have a problem there is an adult at home or in my neighborhood I can talk to.		
Strongly Agree	129	48%
Agree	98	37%
Disagree	16	6%
Strongly Disagree	12	4%
Don't Know	13	5%
Total	268	100%
8. My teacher(s) treat me with respect.		
Strongly Agree	103	39%
Agree	112	42%
Disagree	17	6%
Strongly Disagree	13	5%
Don't Know	21	8%
Total	266	100%

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9. I treat my teacher(s) with respect.		
Strongly Agree	111	42%
Agree	131	49%
Disagree	9	3%
Strongly Disagree	3	1%
Don't Know	11	4%
Total	265	100%
10. My teacher(s) have high expectations for my school work.		
Strongly Agree	123	46%
Agree	110	42%
Disagree	5	2%
Strongly Disagree	5	2%
Don't Know	22	8%
Total	265	100%
11. My teacher(s) have high expectations for my school behavior.		
Strongly Agree	132	50%
Agree	107	40%
Disagree	7	3%
Strongly Disagree	4	2%
Don't Know	15	6%
Total	265	100%
12. My parent(s) expect me to work hard and get good grades.		
Strongly Agree	197	74%
Agree	66	25%
Disagree	0	0%
Strongly Disagree	2	1%
Don't Know	0	0%
Total	265	100%

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13. My parent(s) have high expectations for my school behavior.		
Strongly Agree	170	64%
Agree	85	32%
Disagree	2	1%
Strongly Disagree	2	1%
Don't Know	5	2%
Total	264	100%
14. Most students follow the school rules at my school.		
Strongly Agree	16	6%
Agree	107	41%
Disagree	69	26%
Strongly Disagree	35	13%
Don't Know	37	14%
Total	264	100%
15. Most students at my school treat other students with respect.		
Strongly Agree	17	6%
Agree	127	48%
Disagree	61	23%
Strongly Disagree	26	10%
Don't Know	33	12%
Total	264	100%
16. These are major problems at my school (please mark all that apply)		
Name calling	154	66%
Teasing	149	64%
Making fun of someone because of how they look (short/tall, color of skin,	141	60%
Bullying	98	42%
Cheating	96	41%
Depressed students	69	29%
Inappropriate sexual behavior	63	27%
Fighting	60	26%
Other, please explain	60	26%
Racial discrimination	57	24%
Drug and alcohol use	33	14%
Sexually explicit text/ IM/ Email/ online messages	32	14%
Cyber bullying	30	13%

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17. When students misbehave at my school there are consequences.		
Strongly Agree	84	33%
Agree	123	49%
Disagree	21	8%
Strongly Disagree	9	4%
Don't Know	16	6%
Total	253	100%
18. I have been bullied at school this year.		
0 times	163	63%
1-2 times	57	22%
3-5 times	16	6%
More than 5 times	21	8%
Total	257	100%
19. If you were bullied this year, where did it take place?		
Other, please specify	67	46%
On the playground	59	40%
In a classroom	35	24%
In the lunchroom	31	21%
On the bus	20	14%
Through text messaging, instant messaging, email, or on line	20	14%
Walking to or from school	15	10%
20. I told a teacher or a staff member at school about being bullied this year?		
I have not been bullied.	154	63%
I told an adult at school every time I was bullied.	15	6%
I told an adult at school some of the times I was bullied.	23	9%
I never told an adult at school that I was bullied.	54	22%
Total	246	100%

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21. When I told a teacher or a staff member about being bullied they took care of the problem?		
Strongly Agree	37	16%
Agree	53	23%
Disagree	15	7%
Strongly Disagree	18	8%
Don't Know	107	47%
Total	230	100%
22. I plan to go to college when I graduate from high school?		
Strongly Agree	186	75%
Agree	46	18%
Disagree	4	2%
Strongly Disagree	3	1%
Don't Know	10	4%
Total	249	100%

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Total Responses	6th Grade	7th Grade	8th Grade	Question 23: The best thing about school is:
127	33	49	45	My friends
51	24	14	13	My teachers
32	18	6	8	Learning new things
25	7	7	11	Lunch and/or Recess
16	2	9	5	Nothing
12	5	5	2	It is fun
10		10		Renaissance class
9	2	4	3	Science
9	5	1	3	P.E.
6	3	1	2	All the nice people.
6	3	2	1	Principal.
5	3	2	0	Band
5	3		2	Math
4		4		Everything
4		1	3	I don't know
4	2	2		English Language Arts
4	4			Electives
3	2	1		Dances
3			3	Getting good grades
3	1		2	Sports
3	1	1	1	Safe
3	1		2	Social Studies
3	1	1	1	Resource Class
2	1	1		Not Bullied
2	2			Library
2		2		Food
1		1		Art
1	1			Computer lab

