

Department of Education and Early Childhood Development - Integrated Student Survey

Grades 6-12 Responses: Detailed Report 2022-2023

Miramichi Valley High School (0811) - ASD-N

In collaboration with:
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Competence

What do you think of the following statements about learning in your school?

	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
1. I feel I do things well at school.	8.1%	18.2%	50.2%	23.5%	73.7%	417
2. I can succeed in my schoolwork.	3.3%	10.1%	51.1%	35.6%	86.7%	424

Note: True includes Sort of true for me and Really true for me.

	Too Easy	Just Right	Too Hard	# of Responses
3. The work I am given at school is...	9.8%	47.4%	42.8%	428

Note: Too easy includes A little easy.

Too hard includes A little hard.

Autonomy

What best describes your feelings and ideas this school year?

	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
4. I feel I have a choice about when and how to do my schoolwork.	10.7%	21.5%	39.4%	28.4%	67.8%	409
5. I feel free to express myself at school.	13.8%	23.5%	44.1%	18.6%	62.8%	410
6. I can work at my own pace at school.	8.2%	24.3%	51.3%	16.2%	67.5%	427
7. I have choices in how I show what I have learned.	9.4%	25.4%	51.9%	13.2%	65.2%	424
8. Teachers/adults in this school listen to my ideas and opinions.	6.2%	20.9%	54.6%	18.3%	72.8%	423

Note: True includes Sort of true for me and Really true for me.

Relatedness

What best describes your feelings and ideas this school year?

	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
9. My teachers like me and care about me.	3.6%	16.9%	59.2%	20.2%	79.5%	416
10. There is at least one adult at school I can go to for help.	7.0%	11.3%	38.2%	43.5%	81.7%	425
11. I feel my teachers think I am good at things.	7.1%	18.9%	52.1%	21.9%	74.0%	416
12. I like to be with my teachers.	11.1%	30.7%	47.5%	10.8%	58.3%	412

Note: True includes Sort of true for me and Really true for me.

Relevance

What do you think of the following statements about learning in your school?

	Disagree	Neither Agree or Disagree	Agree	# of Responses
13. In the past two weeks, I learned at least one thing in school that made me want to know more.	16.3%	31.9%	51.7%	425
14. The things I learn at school help me to understand the world.	26.1%	35.1%	38.8%	425
15. The things I learn at school are important for my future.	17.1%	28.9%	54.0%	428

Note: *Disagree* includes *Strongly disagree*.
Agree includes *Strongly agree*.

Resilience

To what extent do the statements below describe you?

	Not at all	A little	Somewhat	Quite a bit	A lot	# of Responses
16. I am able to solve problems without harming myself or others (for example by using drugs, alcohol or violence).	9.9%	6.0%	10.8%	20.7%	52.5%	412
17. I know where to go in my community to get help.	21.4%	15.2%	26.5%	19.8%	17.1%	412
18. Getting an education is important to me.	3.1%	5.2%	14.8%	22.0%	54.9%	413
19. I try to finish what I start.	1.9%	5.6%	21.7%	31.6%	39.2%	414
20. I have people I look up to.	4.5%	8.2%	22.4%	30.0%	34.8%	412
21. My parent(s)/caregiver(s) know a lot about me.	6.8%	7.0%	19.7%	27.3%	39.2%	413
22. My family stands by me during difficult times.	5.5%	12.6%	14.6%	22.7%	44.7%	411
23. My friends stand by me during difficult times.	5.2%	8.3%	21.6%	26.7%	38.3%	410
24. I have opportunities to develop skills that will be useful later in life (like job skills and skills to care for others).	4.2%	7.5%	27.8%	32.7%	27.7%	410
25. I am treated fairly in my community.	4.0%	9.2%	22.3%	37.9%	26.7%	408
26. I feel I belong at my school.	11.4%	13.1%	27.7%	28.0%	19.8%	412
27. I enjoy my cultural and family traditions.	4.1%	5.6%	18.9%	27.4%	44.1%	410

Family Support

What best describes your feelings and ideas in the last week.

	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
28. I feel free to express myself at home.	8.0%	13.7%	33.6%	44.7%	78.3%	414
29. I like to spend time with my parents.	7.3%	15.6%	37.9%	39.3%	77.2%	411
30. I feel I do things well at home.	7.0%	13.2%	47.0%	32.7%	79.8%	415

Note: *True* includes *Sort of true for me* and *Really true for me*.

Family Support (Continued)

<i>What best describes your feelings and ideas in the last week.</i>	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
31. My parents like me and care about me.	3.7%	7.4%	20.0%	69.0%	88.9%	413
32. I feel my parents think that I am good at things.	4.5%	12.5%	35.0%	48.0%	82.9%	411
33. I feel like I have a choice about when and how to do my household chores.	9.6%	18.7%	39.1%	32.7%	71.7%	410

Note: True includes Sort of true for me and Really true for me.

Support from Friends

<i>What best describes your feelings and ideas in the last week.</i>	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
34. I feel free to express myself with my friends.	3.8%	10.2%	40.5%	45.6%	86.1%	416
35. I feel I have a choice about which activities to do with my friends.	4.2%	10.3%	50.5%	35.0%	85.5%	412
36. I feel I do things well when I am with my friends.	3.8%	7.3%	47.1%	41.8%	88.9%	412
37. My friends like me and care about me.	3.5%	4.7%	44.5%	47.2%	91.8%	410
38. I feel my friends think I am good at things.	6.4%	9.5%	52.0%	32.1%	84.1%	409
39. I like to spend time with my friends.	2.2%	4.0%	28.0%	65.8%	93.8%	411

Note: True includes Sort of true for me and Really true for me.

School Connectedness

<i>How strongly do you agree with each of the following?</i>	Disagree	Agree	# of Responses
40. I feel close to people at my school.	25.3%	74.7%	431
41. I feel I am part of my school.	31.7%	68.3%	426
42. I am happy to be at my school.	31.3%	68.7%	429
43. I feel the teachers at my school treat me fairly.	13.6%	86.4%	427
44. I feel safe in my school.	23.7%	76.3%	426
45. I feel my learning needs are met at my school.	18.7%	81.3%	427

Note: Disagree includes Strongly disagree.

Agree includes Strongly agree.

Engagement

What best describes your feelings and ideas this school year?		Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
46.	I am disruptive in school.	52.7%	29.5%	14.8%	3.0%	17.8%	419
47.	I get to school or class late.	46.0%	28.4%	19.3%	6.3%	25.6%	423
48.	I work hard to learn in school.	4.7%	13.8%	49.1%	32.3%	81.4%	423
49.	I pay attention in class.	4.4%	10.9%	55.2%	29.5%	84.7%	424

Note: True includes Sort of true for me and Really true for me.

Learning Environment

In the last two weeks, how often have you noticed the following in your classes?		Did not happen at all	Hardly any / A few classes	Most / All of my classes	# of Responses
50.	The purpose of the lesson was clear to me.	2.5%	35.8%	61.7%	424
51.	The teacher checked at least once to make sure I understood.	4.4%	49.6%	46.0%	424
52.	I had an opportunity to work collaboratively with a partner, or in a small group.	8.5%	59.4%	32.1%	423
53.	We used a rubric to self-assess our learning.	23.3%	55.3%	21.4%	414
54.	We co-constructed a rubric.	50.0%	37.9%	12.1%	413
55.	The teacher showed us how to do something, then worked through an example with us, and then gave us a chance to try it on our own.	4.4%	38.4%	57.2%	421
56.	The teacher gave me a chance to explain my thinking.	8.6%	54.2%	37.2%	422
57.	The teacher took my interests and strengths into account when assigning schoolwork.	25.5%	50.3%	24.2%	419
58.	I got feedback from the teacher that helped me to improve what I was working on.	10.5%	51.2%	38.3%	419
59.	I understood what was taught.	2.4%	34.7%	63.0%	422
60.	I could have learned just as well by reading or researching on my own.	6.6%	54.0%	39.3%	418
61.	It was hard to pay attention because of the disruptions in class.	15.8%	62.2%	22.0%	421
62.	I am expected to work hard in my subjects/courses.	1.7%	16.4%	81.9%	417

Language and Culture

What do you think of the following statements about language and culture?

	Disagree	Neither Agree or Disagree	Agree	# of Responses
63. Respecting other cultures is something that students should learn as early as possible.	2.9%	7.4%	89.8%	426

Note: Disagree includes Strongly disagree.
Agree includes Strongly agree.

	English Program	French Immersion	# of Responses
64. What program are you in?	74.7%	25.3%	425

Bullying

In the last two months, have you been bullied at school in the ways listed below?

	Selected	# of Responses
65. Physical attacks.	5.5%	405
66. Verbal attacks.	23.6%	407
67. Cyber-attacks.	11.7%	402
68. Exclusion.	10.1%	404
69. Someone stole from you or damaged your things.	18.0%	405
70. Someone made mean comments about your race, religion or personal features.	15.8%	406
71. Someone made sexual jokes, comments or gestures to you.	15.9%	404

	Selected	# of Responses
Think of the last time <u>you</u> were bullied. What did you do?		
72. I ignored it	52.4%	250
73. I stood up to the bully or fought back	25.1%	250
74. I tried talking to the bully	7.0%	250
75. I told an adult at the school about it	13.8%	250
76. I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it	15.1%	250
77. I told another student about it	11.9%	250
78. I called a helpline or other support service	0.3%	250

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer for items 72 to 78.

Bullying (Continued)

Think of the last time you were bullied. What did you do? (Continued)

		# of Responses
79.	I have not been bullied (did not answer the above questions) 38.7%	412

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer for items 72 to 78.

If you were bullied, including online bullying, when did it happen most often?

	Selected	# of Responses
80.	Before school 4.5%	405
81.	During classes 12.9%	405
82.	Between classes 10.0%	405
83.	During recess or lunch 17.2%	405
84.	During extra-curricular activities (e.g., sports, clubs) 4.3%	405
85.	After school 17.0%	405
86.	I have not been bullied (did not answer the above questions) 58.1%	405

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer for items 80 to 85.

Do you avoid any places in your school because of bullying?

	Selected	# of Responses
87.	Classrooms (including library and computer rooms) 12.3%	156
88.	Hallways 19.2%	156
89.	Gym 15.7%	156
90.	Change rooms or locker rooms 15.5%	156
91.	Washrooms 47.9%	156
92.	Lunchroom or cafeteria 19.2%	156
93.	Outside on school property (e.g., playground, parking lot) 21.5%	156
94.	Bus 9.3%	156

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer for items 87 to 94.

Bullying (Continued)

What do you think of the following statements about how your school handles bullying?		Disagree	Neither Agree or Disagree	Agree	# of Responses
95.	Adults notice when bullying occurs.	40.4%	37.4%	22.2%	404
96.	There is a safe process for reporting bullying.	27.6%	39.8%	32.6%	403
97.	Adults deal with bullying quickly whenever it happens.	34.8%	38.9%	26.3%	402
98.	My school is good at preventing bullying.	40.0%	39.0%	21.1%	400
99.	Respect for others is valued and taught.	22.0%	34.4%	43.6%	399
100.	Kindness/empathy is valued and taught.	19.1%	35.3%	45.6%	399

Note: Disagree includes Strongly disagree.

Agree includes Strongly agree.

Well-Being

In the last 12 months...		Yes	# of Responses
101.	Did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?	53.5%	411
102.	Did you ever feel so nervous, anxious or on edge or you were unable to stop or control worrying almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?	57.7%	412

		Poor	Fair	Good	Very good	Excellent	Very good / Excellent	# of Responses
103.	In general, would you say your health is...	2.2%	17.5%	33.6%	34.7%	12.1%	46.8%	434

		Low	Medium	High	Best life	# of Responses
		0 - 5	6 - 7	8 - 9	10	
104.	Rating of life satisfaction from 0-10.	23.3%	33.9%	34.9%	7.9%	425

Demographics

About you...		Responses		# of Responses
105.	What grade are you in?	Grade 6	0.0%	434
		Grade 7	0.0%	
		Grade 8	0.0%	
		Grade 9	27.1%	
		Grade 10	21.8%	
		Grade 11	27.6%	
		Grade 12	23.6%	
		Responses		# of Responses
106.	How old are you today (in years)?	10	0.0%	434
		11	0.0%	
		12	0.0%	
		13	2.0%	
		14	24.5%	
		15	20.9%	
		16	27.9%	
		17	21.1%	
		18	2.7%	
		19	0.9%	
		Responses		# of Responses
107.	What language do you speak at home most of the time?	English	91.1%	433
		French	1.1%	
		English and French equally	2.6%	
		Indigenous language	0.9%	
		Other	4.3%	
		Responses		# of Responses
108.	How do you identify?	Man / boy	51.5%	418
		Woman / girl	42.0%	
		Non-binary	6.5%	
		Two spirit	*	

Demographics (Continued)

		Responses					# of Responses
109.	Which of the following best describes you?	Heterosexual / Straight	81.6%				416
		2SLGBQ2A+	15.0%				
		Not sure	3.2%				
<u>Note:</u> 2SLGBQ2A+ includes gay or lesbian, bisexual, pansexual, Two-Spirit, asexual and other.							
		No	Yes				# of Responses
110.	Do you identify as First Nations (including Mi'kmaw, Wolastoqey or Passamaquoddy), Metis and/or Inuk/Inuit?	76.0%	24.0%				406
		No	Yes				# of Responses
111.	Were you born in Canada?	8.3%	91.7%				434
		1 year to 2 years	3 to 5 years	5 years or less	6 to 10 years	11 or more years	# of Responses
112.	If you were not born in Canada, how long have you lived in Canada?	50.7%	8.9%	59.6%	17.8%	22.6%	23