



Family-School Relationships Survey: Fall 2022

Helping students do their best in school requires a team effort. Parents, students, and schools all play important roles in this process. To help all of us learn how to make your child's schooling experience as positive and beneficial as possible, please give us your honest, thoughtful responses to the questions below.

Perceptions of Child

In this section, we would like to learn more about your perceptions of your child and your child's interactions with his/her school.

1. How much of a sense of belonging does your child feel at his/her school?

- No belonging at all A little bit of belonging Some belonging Quite a bit of belonging Tremendous belonging

2. How well do you feel your child's school is preparing him/her for his/her next academic year?

- Not well at all Slightly well Somewhat well Quite well Extremely well

3. How well do the activities offered at your child's school match his/her interests?

- Not well at all Slightly well Somewhat well Quite well Extremely well

4. At your child's school, how well does the overall approach to discipline work for your child?

- Not well at all Slightly well Somewhat well Quite well Extremely well

5. How comfortable is your child in asking for help from school adults?

- Not comfortable at all Slightly comfortable Somewhat comfortable Quite comfortable Extremely comfortable

6. Given your child's cultural background, how good a fit is his/her school?

- Not good at all Slightly good Somewhat good Quite good Extremely good

7. How well do the teaching styles of your child's teachers match your child's learning style?

- Not well at all Slightly well Somewhat well Quite well Extremely well

8. My child feels emotionally safe at school.

- Completely disagree Somewhat disagree Somewhat agree Completely agree

9. In an average day, how many hours of "screen time" (time in front of computers, television, texting, video games, etc.) does your child spend?

- 0-2 3-5 6-8 9-11 12-14 15 or more



20. How well does your child's school provide resources to support your student's social and emotional needs?

- Not well at all
 Slightly Well
 Somewhat Well
 Quite Well
 Extremely well

21. What can the school do to help your child engage in learning activities more productively at home?

22. If you were in charge of the school, how would you try to engage more parents from your community?

23. What are important things your child's school does to create a positive social and emotional climate for students? What steps could your student's school take to improve the social and emotional climate of the school for students?

Perceptions of School Safety

Please give us your perceptions related to the safety of your child in different situations.

24. How often do you worry about violence at your child's school?

- Almost never
 Once in a while
 Sometimes
 Frequently
 Almost always

25. If a student is bullied at your child's school, how difficult is it for him/her to get help from an adult?

- Not at all difficult
 Slightly difficult
 Somewhat difficult
 Quite difficult
 Extremely difficult

26. How likely is it that someone from your child's school will bully him/her online?

- Not at all likely
 Slightly likely
 Somewhat likely
 Quite likely
 Extremely likely

27. Overall, how physically unsafe does your child feel at school?

- Not at all unsafe
 Slightly unsafe
 Somewhat unsafe
 Quite unsafe
 Extremely unsafe

28. Which method(s) would be useful to receive news and information about your child's school? This would be for non-emergency information such as events, fundraisers, school activities, etc. (Check all that apply.)

- School website
 Email
 SMS text message
 A school app with smartphone notifications
 Social Media
 Automated Phone Call
 Printed newsletters home in backpacks



29. Which method(s) are not good ways to receive school news and information? ****This seems redundant with the question above, but it does help us zero in on communication methods that are not useful.**

- School website Email SMS text message A school app with smartphone notifications Social Media Automated Phone Call Printed newsletters sent home in backpacks

30. The WPS mission statement reads: Walpole Public School educates all students to achieve success. With your child in mind, please describe what "achieve success" looks like to you.

Background Questions

For the final section, we need to know a bit of background information about you so that we can describe the types of families who completed the survey and the child they were reporting about.

31. What grade is your child in?

- Pre-Kindergarten Kindergarten 1st grade 2nd grade 3rd grade 4th grade 5th grade
 6th grade 7th grade 8th grade 9th grade 10th grade 11th grade 12th grade

32. What is your gender?

- Female Male Nonbinary

33. What is your child's gender?

- Female Male Nonbinary

34. What is your race or ethnicity?

- American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Hispanic or Latino Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White Two or More Races/Ethnicities Other

35. If you selected "Two or More Races/Ethnicities" or "Other," and would like to provide more of a description, please use the space below.

36. What is your relationship to your child?

- Mother Father Step-mother Step-father Grandmother Grandfather Aunt Uncle Guardian Other



37. If you selected "Other," please describe your relationship to your child.

38. What is your child's race or ethnicity?

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| American
Indian or Alaska
Native | Asian | Black or African
American | Hispanic or
Latino | Native Hawaiian
or Other Pacific
Islander | White | Two or More
Races/Ethnicities | Other |

39. If you selected "Two or More Races/Ethnicities" or "Other," and would like to provide more of a description, please use the space below.

40. In which year were you born?

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| 1941-45 | 1946-50 | 1951-55 | 1956-60 | 1961-65 | 1966-70 |
| <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| 1971-75 | 1976-80 | 1981-85 | 1986-90 | 1991-95 | 1996-2000 |

41. Please indicate the primary language spoken in your childhood home. (Please indicate only one).

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| Chinese | English | French | German | Italian | Korean |
| <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | |
| Russian | Spanish | Tagalog | Vietnamese | Other/multiple
languages | |

42. If you selected "Other/multiple languages," please describe what language(s) were primarily spoken in your childhood home in the space below.

43. Please indicate the primary language you speak with your child currently. (Please check only one).

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| Russian | Spanish | Tagalog | Vietnamese | Other/multiple
languages | |

44. If you selected "Other/multiple languages," please describe what language(s) you speak with your child currently in the space below.
