## Department of Education and Early Childhood Integrated Student Survey

Grades 6-12 Responses: Detailed Report 2021-2022
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| Competence |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 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. | 8.5\% | 12.8\% | 53.8\% | 25.0\% | 78.8\% | 72 |
| 2. I can succeed in my schoolwork. | 5.8\% | 11.4\% | 49.4\% | 33.4\% | 82.8\% | 71 |
| 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... | 37.7\% | 42.8\% | 19.6\% |  |  | 72 |
| Note: Too easy includes A little easy. <br> Too hard includes $A$ little hard. |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| Autonomy |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 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. | 28.1\% | 12.8\% | 43.9\% | 15.1\% | 59.0\% | 72 |
| 5. | I feel free to express myself at school. | 28.5\% | 19.9\% | 36.5\% | 15.1\% | 51.6\% | 71 |
| 6. | I can work at my own pace at school. | 14.1\% | 21.4\% | 46.7\% | 17.8\% | 64.5\% | 72 |
| 7. | I have choices in how I show what I have learned. | 6.9\% | 22.6\% | 46.0\% | 24.5\% | 70.5\% | 72 |
| 8. | Teachers/adults in this school listen to my ideas and opinions. | 9.9\% | 18.4\% | 44.3\% | 27.3\% | 71.6\% | 72 |

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

| Relatedness |  |  |  |  |  |  | \# of <br> Responses |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| What best describes your feelings and ideas this school year? |  | Really false | Sort of false | Sort of true | Really true | True |  |
| 9. | My teachers like me and care about me. | 9.9\% | 17.1\% | 45.4\% | 27.7\% | 73.1\% | 71 |
| 10 | There is at least one adult at school I can go to for help. | 12.7\% | 8.4\% | 30.6\% | 48.3\% | 78.9\% | 72 |
| 11 | I feel my teachers think I am good at things. | 11.4\% | 18.6\% | 42.1\% | 27.9\% | 70.0\% | 71 |
| 12 | I like to be with my teachers. | 21.2\% | 30.9\% | 35.7\% | 12.2\% | 47.9\% | 72 |

[^0]| Relevance <br> 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. | 27.2\% | 29.8\% | 42.9\% |  |  | 70 |
| 14. The things I learn at school help me to understand the world. | 20.3\% | 30.3\% | 49.3\% |  |  | 70 |
| 15. The things I learn at school are important for my future. | 22.7\% | 15.7\% | 61.6\% |  |  | 71 |
| Note: Disagree includes Strongly disagree. <br> Agree includes Strongly agree. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Resilience | Not at all | A little | Somewhat | Quite a bit | A lot | $\begin{gathered} \text { \# of } \\ \text { Responses } \end{gathered}$ |
| 16. I am able to solve problems without harming myself or others (for example by using drugs, alcohol or violence). | 7.4\% | 7.0\% | 8.6\% | 11.3\% | 65.7\% | 71 |
| 17. I know where to go in my community to get help. | 12.5\% | 8.4\% | 25.6\% | 20.0\% | 33.5\% | 71 |
| 18. Getting an education is important to me. | 10.2\% | 1.3\% | 17.1\% | 22.3\% | 49.1\% | 71 |
| 19. I try to finish what I start. | 4.4\% | 7.2\% | 15.7\% | 37.4\% | 35.3\% | 70 |
| 20. I have people I look up to. | 8.3\% | 7.2\% | 14.6\% | 19.4\% | 50.5\% | 71 |
| 21. My parent(s)/caregiver(s) know a lot about me. | 0.0\% | \#VALUE! | 26.0\% | 5.2\% | 68.8\% | 70 |
| 22. My family stands by me during difficult times. | 5.8\% | 5.7\% | 14.2\% | 25.2\% | 49.1\% | 71 |
| 23. My friends stand by me during difficult times. | 11.3\% | 9.9\% | 11.5\% | 21.3\% | 45.9\% | 71 |
| 24. I have opportunities to develop skills that will be useful later in life (like job skills and skills to care for others). | 5.6\% | 2.9\% | 20.2\% | 28.3\% | 42.9\% | 70 |
| 25. I am treated fairly in my community. | 8.6\% | 7.0\% | 22.0\% | 32.5\% | 29.9\% | 70 |
| 26. I feel I belong at my school. | 19.4\% | 10.1\% | 20.8\% | 23.6\% | 26.3\% | 72 |
| 27. I enjoy my cultural and family traditions. | 5.7\% | 9.4\% | 11.4\% | 18.1\% | 55.4\% | 72 |


| 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. | 14.3\% | 9.9\% | 28.3\% | 47.5\% | 75.8\% | 71 |
| 29. I like to spend time with my parents. | 12.9\% | 2.7\% | 27.7\% | 56.6\% | 84.4\% | 72 |
| 30. I feel I do things well at home. | 4.4\% | 10.1\% | 38.8\% | 46.8\% | 85.6\% | 72 |
| 31. My parents like me and care about me. | 1.5\% | 7.2\% | 13.0\% | 78.4\% | 91.4\% | 71 |
| 32. I feel my parents think that I am good at things. | 5.9\% | 9.8\% | 39.8\% | 44.4\% | 84.3\% | 72 |
| 33. I feel like I have a choice about when and how to do my household chores. | 21.6\% | 12.8\% | 30.7\% | 35.0\% | 65.7\% | 71 |

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

| Support from Friends |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| What best describes your feelings and ideas in the last week. | Really false | Sort of false | Sort of true | Really true | True | \# of Responses |
| 34. I feel free to express myself with my friends. | 8.6\% | 13.0\% | 26.5\% | 51.9\% | 78.4\% | 71 |
| 35. I feel I have a choice about which activities to do with my friends. | 4.2\% | 12.7\% | 51.8\% | 31.4\% | 83.2\% | 70 |
| 36. I feel I do things well when I am with my friends. | 8.5\% | 11.2\% | 43.2\% | 37.1\% | 80.3\% | 72 |
| 37. My friends like me and care about me. | 11.3\% | 9.4\% | 29.5\% | 49.8\% | 79.2\% | 72 |
| 38. I feel my friends think I am good at things. | 12.6\% | 11.2\% | 40.8\% | 35.5\% | 76.3\% | 72 |
| 39. I like to spend time with my friends. | 2.8\% | 6.9\% | 21.4\% | 68.9\% | 90.3\% | 71 |

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

## School Connectedness

| How strongly do you agree with each of the following? | Disagree | Agree | \# of <br> Responses |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 40. | I feel close to people at my school. | $25.4 \%$ | $74.6 \%$ |
| 72 |  |  |  |
| 41. | I feel I am part of my school. | $27.1 \%$ | $72.9 \%$ |
| 42. | $38.1 \%$ | $61.9 \%$ | 71 |
| 43. | I am happy to be at my school. | $27.0 \%$ | $73.0 \%$ |
| 42 | 72 |  |  |
| 44. | I feel safe in my school. | $21.2 \%$ | $78.8 \%$ |
| 45. | $28.8 \%$ | $71.2 \%$ | 72 |

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


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

| Learning Environment <br> 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 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 57. | The purpose of the lesson was clear to me. | 4.5\% | 31.4\% | 64.1\% | 70 |
| 58. | The teacher checked to make sure I understood at least once. | 5.5\% | 39.0\% | 55.5\% | 70 |
| 59. | I had an opportunity to work collaboratively with a partner, or in a small group. | 4.2\% | 48.9\% | 46.9\% | 70 |
| 60. | We used a rubric to self-assess our learning. | 12.7\% | 40.1\% | 47.2\% | 70 |
| 61. | We co-constructed a rubric. | 29.4\% | 36.5\% | 34.1\% | 68 |
| 62. | 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. | 0.0\% | 27.3\% | 72.7\% | 70 |
| 63. | The teacher gave me a chance to explain my thinking. | 4.3\% | 37.2\% | 58.5\% | 70 |
| 64. | The teacher took my interests and strengths into account when assigning schoolwork. | 21.7\% | 39.2\% | 39.1\% | 69 |
|  | I got feedback from the teacher that helped me to improve what I was working on. | 8.6\% | 43.1\% | 48.3\% | 70 |
| 66. | I understood what was taught. | 3.0\% | 18.8\% | 78.2\% | 70 |
|  | I could have learned just as well by reading or researching on my own. | 13.4\% | 42.7\% | 43.9\% | 68 |
|  | It was hard to pay attention because of the disruptions in class. | 8.4\% | 50.7\% | 40.9\% | 69 |
| 69. | I am expected to work hard in my subjects/courses. | 3.1\% | 13.4\% | 83.5\% | 68 |
| Language and Culture |  |  | Neither |  |  |
| What do you think of the following statements about language and culture? |  | Disagree | Agree or Disagree | Agree | Responses |
| 70. | I am comfortable speaking French outside of school. | 43.6\% | 20.5\% | 35.9\% | 72 |
| 71. | I understand when my teacher speaks French to me in class. | 25.5\% | 24.7\% | 49.8\% | 72 |
|  | Respecting other cultures is something that students should learn as early as possible. | 5.5\% | 19.4\% | 75.1\% | 72 |


|  |  | English Program | French Immersion | \# of Responses |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | What program are you in? | 61.7\% | 38.3\% | 72 |
| Bullying |  |  |  |  |
| In the last two months, have you been bullied at school in the ways listed below? |  | Yes |  | \# of Responses |
| 74. | Physical attacks. | 21.8\% |  | 70 |
| 75. | Verbal attacks. | 40.0\% |  | 71 |
| 76. | Cyber-attacks. | 20.2\% |  | 71 |
| 77. | Exclusion. | 20.2\% |  | 70 |
|  | Someone stole from you or damaged your things. | 34.7\% |  | 71 |
|  | Someone made mean comments about your race, religion or personal features. | 20.3\% |  | 71 |
|  | Someone made sexual jokes, comments or gestures to you. | 27.2\% |  | 71 |
|  |  | Yes |  | \# of Responses |
|  | In the last two months, have you bullied another student at school in any of the ways listed above? | 27.4\% |  | 71 |
| Think of the last time you were bullied. What did you do? |  |  |  | \# of Responses |
| 82. | I ignored it | 35.9\% |  | 42 |
|  | I stood up to the bully or fought back | 28.5\% |  | 42 |
|  | I tried talking to the bully | 18.9\% |  | 42 |
| 85. | I told an adult at the school about it | 7.2\% |  | 42 |
| 86. | I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it | 16.9\% |  | 42 |
| 87. | I told another student about it | 17.2\% |  | 42 |
| 88. | I called a helpline or other support service | 0.0\% |  | 42 |
|  | I have not been bullied (did not answer the above questions) | 40.8\% |  | 71 |

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer between items 82 to 88.

| If you were bullied, including online bullying, when did it happen most often? |  |  | \# of Responses |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 90. | Before school | 7.7\% | 67 |
| 91. | During classes | 14.9\% | 67 |
| 92. | Between classes | 10.4\% | 67 |
| 93. | During recess or lunch | 16.4\% | 67 |
| 94. | During extra-curricular activities (e.g., sports, clubs) | 5.9\% | 67 |
| 95. | After school | 21.1\% | 67 |
|  | I have not been bullied (did not answer the above questions) | 58.0\% | 67 |
| Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer for items 90 to 95. |  |  |  |
| Do you avoid any places in your school because of bullying? |  |  | \# of Responses |
|  | Classrooms (including library and computer rooms) | 8.0\% | 26 |
|  | Hallways | 38.4\% | 26 |
| 99. | Gym | 7.4\% | 26 |
| 100 | Change rooms or locker rooms | 26.8\% | 26 |
| 101 | Washrooms | 38.0\% | 26 |
| 102 | Lunchroom or cafeteria | 10.9\% | 26 |
| 103 | Outside on school property (e.g., playground, parking lot) | 30.3\% | 26 |
| 104 | Bus | 23.0\% | 26 |
| Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer for items 97 to 104. |  |  |  |
| Think of the last time you saw or heard another student being bullied. What did you do? |  |  | \# of Responses |
| 105 | I ignored it | 33.1\% | 37 |
| 106 | I stood up to the bully or fought back | 23.8\% | 37 |
| 107 | I tried talking to the bully | 10.6\% | 37 |
| 108 | I told an adult at the school about it | 27.1\% | 37 |
| 109 | I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it | 5.4\% | 37 |
| 110 | I told another student about it | 13.7\% | 37 |
| 111 | I tried to help the person being bullied | 22.2\% | 37 |
|  | I have not seen or heard another student (did not answer the above questions) | 47.8\% | 71 |

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer for items 105 to 111.


| Demographics |  |  |  |  |
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| About you... | Responses |  |  | \# of Responses |
| 123. What grade are you in? | Grade 6 | 46.1\% |  | 72 |
|  | Grade 7 | 20.2\% |  |  |
|  | Grade 8 | 33.7\% |  |  |
|  | Grade 9 | 0.0\% |  |  |
|  | Grade 10 | 0.0\% |  |  |
|  | Grade 11 | 0.0\% |  |  |
|  | Grade 12 | 0.0\% |  |  |
| Responses |  |  |  | \# of <br> Responses |
| 124. How old are you today (in years)? | 0 2.8\% |  |  | 72 |
|  | 11 | 40.4\% |  |  |
|  | 12 | 20.6\% |  |  |
|  | 13 | 33.3\% |  |  |
|  | 14 | 2.9\% |  |  |
|  | 15 | 0.0\% |  |  |
|  | 16 | 0.0\% |  |  |
|  | 17 | 0.0\% |  |  |
|  | 18 | 0.0\% |  |  |
|  | 19 | 0.0\% |  |  |
|  |  |  | Responses | \# of <br> Responses |
| What language do you speak at home most of the time? | English |  | 95.7\% | 72 |
|  | French |  | 0.0\% |  |
|  | English and French equally |  | 2.8\% |  |
|  | Mi'kmaw |  | 0.0\% |  |
|  | Wolastoqey |  | 0.0\% |  |
|  | Other |  | 1.5\% |  |


|  |  |  | Responses |  | \# of Responses |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 126. How do you identify? | Man / boy |  |  | 43.5\% | 69 |
|  | Woman / girl |  |  | 52.0\% |  |
|  | Non-binary |  |  | 4.5\% |  |
|  | Two spirit |  |  | 0.0\% |  |
|  | Responses |  |  |  | \# of Responses |
| 127. Which of the following best describes you? |  |  |  | 75.7\% | 66 |
|  |  |  |  | * |  |
|  | Gay / Lesbian Bisexual |  |  | 15.7\% |  |
|  | Pansexual |  |  | * |  |
|  | Two spirit |  |  | 0.0\% |  |
|  | Asexual |  |  | * |  |
|  | I am not yet sure of my sexual identity |  |  | * |  |
|  | No Yes |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Responses |
| 128. Do you identify as First Nations (including Mi'kmaw, Wolastoqey or Passamaquoddy), Metis and/or Inuk/Inuit? | 90.2\% 9.8\% |  |  |  | 70 |
|  |  |  |  | Yes | \# of <br> Responses |
| 129. If you answered yes to the previous question, please select which of the following apply to you. | First Nations person living in a First Nation community |  |  | * | 4 |
|  | First Nations person not living in a First |  |  | * | 4 |
|  | Metis |  |  | * | 4 |
|  | Inuit |  |  | * | 4 |
|  | No Yes |  |  |  | \# of Responses |
| 130. Were you born in Canada? | 2.9\% 97.1\% |  |  |  | 72 |
|  | $\begin{gathered} 1 \text { year to } 2 \\ \text { years } \end{gathered} 3 \text { to } 5 \text { years }$ | $\begin{gathered} 5 \text { years or } \\ \text { less } \end{gathered}$ | 6 to 10 years | 11 or more years | \# of Responses |
| 131. If you were not born in Canada, how long have you lived in Canada? | * * | * | * | * | 2 |


[^0]:    Note: True includes Sort of true for me and Really true for me.

