

# Harvard Graduate School of Education Pre K-12 OUSD Parent Survey <br>

In this survey, we are interested in learning more about your thoughts, feelings, and attitudes towards your child's school.

Because different children often have different experiences in the same school, if you have more than one child in school, we'd like you to focus on the experience of just one child in a particular school.

## 1. Please write only the FIRST name of your child who is attending your school.

## 2. Please select your school (Choose only one):

- Allendale
- Brookfield
- Fremont
- Lafayette
- REACH
- Sankofa

In this first section, we'd like to learn more about some of your roles, beliefs, and attitudes as well as some of the activities that you do as the parent of a school-aged child.

## 3. How often do you meet in person with teachers at your child's school?

- Almost never
- Once or twice per year
- Every few months
- Monthly
- Weekly or more

## 4. How involved have you been with a parent group(s) at your child's school?

- Not at all involved
- A little involved
- Somewhat involved
- Quite involved
- Extremely involved

**5. In the past year, how often have you discussed your child's school with other parents from the school?**

- Almost never
- Once or twice
- Every few months
- Monthly
- Weekly or more

**6. In the past year, how often have you helped out at your child's school?**

- Almost never
- Once or twice
- Every few months
- Monthly
- Weekly or more

**7. How involved have you been in fundraising efforts at your child's school?**

- Not at all involved
- A little involved
- Somewhat involved
- Quite involved
- Extremely involved

**8. In the past year, how often have you visited your child's school?**

- Almost never
- Once or twice
- Every few months
- Monthly
- Weekly or more

**9. In the past year, how often have you communicated with the school about ways that you can help your child's learning at home?**

- Almost never
- Once or twice
- Every few months
- Monthly
- Weekly or more

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

**10. How often does your child struggle to get organized for school?**

- Almost never
- Once in a while
- Sometimes
- Frequently
- Almost all the time

**11. How much effort does your child put into school-related tasks?**

- Almost no effort
- A little bit of effort
- Some effort
- Quite a bit of effort
- A tremendous amount of effort

**12. When working on school activities at home, how easily is your child distracted?**

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

**13. How regularly does your child read for fun?**

- Almost never
- Once in a while
- Sometimes
- Frequently
- Almost all the time

**14. How well does your child manage his or her emotions?**

- Not well at all
- Mildly well
- Fairly well
- Quite well
- Extremely well

**15. How often does your child give up on learning activities that he or she finds hard?**

- Almost never
- Once in a while
- Sometimes
- Frequently
- Almost all the time

**16. How motivated is your child to learn the topics covered in class?**

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

**17. In general, how well does your child learn from feedback about his or her work?**

- Not well at all
- Mildly well
- Fairly well
- Quite well
- Extremely well

**18. On average, how well does your child work independently on learning activities at home?**

- Not well at all
- Mildly well
- Fairly well
- Quite well
- Extremely well

Demographics

**19. What is your gender?**

- Female
- Male

**20. What is your child's gender?**

- Female
- Male

**21. Which race/ethnicity best describes you? (Please choose only one.)**

- American Indian or Alaskan Native
- Asian / Pacific Islander
- Black or African American
- Hispanic American
- White / Caucasian
- Multiple ethnicity / Other (please specify)

**22. What grade is your child in?**

**23. What is your relationship to your child?**

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

**24. Which race/ethnicity best describes your child? (Please choose only one.)**

- American Indian or Alaskan Native
- Asian / Pacific Islander
- Black or African American
- Hispanic American
- White / Caucasian
- Multiple ethnicity / Other (please specify)

**25. What year were you born?**

**26. What was the primary language spoken in your childhood home? (Please choose only one.)**

- Chinese
- English
- French
- German
- Italian
- Korean
- Russian
- Spanish
- Tagalog
- Vietnamese
- Other/multiple languages (please specify)

**27. What is the primary language you speak with your child currently? (Please choose only one.)**

- Chinese
- English
- French
- German
- Italian
- Korean
- Russian
- Spanish
- Tagalog
- Vietnamese
- Other/multiple languages (please specify)