# Columbus County Schools <br> District SACS-CASI/School Improvement Parent Survey -- Individual School Report December 15, 2006 

## 316 Respondents

Responses by School

| School | Count | $\underline{\text { Ratio }}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Hallsboro-Artesia Elementary | 316 | 100.0\% |
| Response Totas | 316 | 100. |

Responses by Grade

| $\underline{\text { Grade }}$ | $\underline{\text { Count }}$ |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Grade PreK | 1 |  | $0.3 \%$ |
| Grade K | 60 |  | $19.8 \%$ |
| Grade 1 | 74 |  | $24.4 \%$ |
| Grade 2 | 43 |  | $14.2 \%$ |
| Grade 3 | 57 |  | $18.8 \%$ |
| Grade 4 | 68 |  | $22.4 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 303 |  | $95.9 \%$ |

Responses by Gender

| Gender | Count |  | Ratio |
| :---: | ---: | :--- | :--- |
| Male | 126 |  | $42.3 \%$ |
| Female | 172 |  | $57.7 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 298 |  | $94.3 \%$ |

Responses by Ethnicity

| Ethnicity | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| American Indian | 94 |  | $32.6 \%$ |
| Asian | 0 | $0.0 \%$ |  |
| Black | 86 | $29.9 \%$ |  |
| Hispanic | 15 | $5.2 \%$ |  |
| Multi-racial | 14 | $4.9 \%$ |  |
| White | 76 | $26.4 \%$ |  |
| Other | 3 | $1.0 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 288 | $91.1 \%$ |  |

Overall grade given this school

| Grade | Count |  | Ratio |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | $47.4 \%$ |
| School Grade-A | 143 |  | $47.1 \%$ |
| School Grade-B | 118 |  | $39.1 .3 \%$ |
| School Grade-C | 34 |  | $11.7 \%$ |
| School Grade-D | 5 |  | $1.7 \%$ |
| School Grade-F | 2 |  | $0.7 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 302 |  | $95.6 \%$ |

Overall grade given this school school district

| Grade | Count |  | Ratio |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  | $24.6 \%$ |
| District Grade-A | 74 |  | $52.2 \%$ |
| District Grade-B | 157 |  | $54.9 \%$ |
| District Grade-C | 54 |  | $17.9 \%$ |
| District Grade-D | 16 |  | $5.3 \%$ |
| District Grade-F | 0 |  | $0.0 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 301 |  | $95.3 \%$ |

Which of the following technology do you have at home?

| Response |  | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | :--- | :--- |
| Computer | 75 |  | $25.3 \%$ |  |
| Computer and Internet | 143 |  | $48.3 \%$ |  |
| Neither | 78 |  | $26.4 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 296 |  | $93.7 \%$ |  |

## Expectations and School Climate

1. My child feels safe at this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 119 |  | $40.5 \%$ |
| Agree | 157 | $53.4 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 8 | $2.7 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Disagree | 3 | $1.0 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 7 | $2.4 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 294 | $93.0 \%$ |  |

2. My child's teachers utilize class time in an effective manner.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 126 |  | $41.6 \%$ |
| Agree | 152 | $50.2 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 12 | $4.0 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Disagree | 0 |  |  |
| No Opinion | 13 | $4.3 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 303 | $95.9 \%$ |  |

3. Adults treat students with respect in this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 86 |  | $27.6 \%$ |
| Agree | 174 | $55.8 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 27 | $8.7 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Disagree | 7 | $2.2 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 18 | $5.8 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 312 | $98.7 \%$ |  |

4. The principal knows what is going on in classes.

| $\underline{\text { Opinion }}$ | $\underline{\text { Count }}$ |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 126 |  | $42.6 \%$ |
| Agree | 127 |  | $42.9 \%$ |
| Disagree | 23 |  | $7.8 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 2 |  | $0.7 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 18 |  | $6.1 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 296 |  | $93.7 \%$ |

5. All staff members care about what happens to the students.

| $\underline{\text { Opinion }}$ | $\underline{\text { Count }}$ |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 85 |  | $28.1 \%$ |
| Agree | 138 |  | $45.7 \%$ |
| Disagree | 45 |  | $14.9 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 11 |  | $3.6 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 23 |  | $7.6 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 302 |  | $95.6 \%$ |

6. Teachers at this school enjoy teaching.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 81 |  | $26.9 \%$ |
| Agree | 167 |  | $55.5 \%$ |
| Disagree | 17 |  | $5.6 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 3 |  | $1.0 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 33 |  | $11.0 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 301 |  | $95.3 \%$ |

7. Bullying is NOT a problem at this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 49 |  | $15.5 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 444 |  | $45.6 \%$ |
| Agree | 144 |  | $24.7 \%$ |
| Disagree | 78 |  | $2.8 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 9 |  | $2.4 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 36 |  | $11.4 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 316 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

8. Alcohol use on campus is NOT widespread among students who attend this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  | $59.5 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 175 |  | $34.0 \%$ |
| Agree | 100 |  | 3 |
| Disagree | 2 |  | $0.7 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 2 |  | $0.7 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 15 |  | $5.1 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 294 |  | $93.0 \%$ |

9. Tobacco use on campus is NOT widespread among students who attend this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 178 |  | $59.3 \%$ |
| Agree | 104 |  | $34.7 \%$ |
| Disagree | 3 |  | $1.0 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 1 |  | $0.3 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 14 |  | $4.7 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 300 |  | $94.9 \%$ |

10. Drug use on campus is NOT a serious problem among students who attend this school.

| Opinion | Count | Ratio |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| No Response to This Item | 178 | 59.3\% |
| No Response to This Item | 104 | 34.7\% |
| No Response to This Item | 3 | 1.0\% |
| No Response to This Item | 1 | 0.3\% |
| No Response to This Item | 14 | 4.7\% |
| Response Total: | 300 | 94.9\% |

11. My child's teachers allow me to have input on decisions affecting instructional practices for my child.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 112 |  | $37.6 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 147 |  | $49.3 \%$ |
| Agree | 147 |  |  |
| Disagree | 17 |  | $5.7 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 3 |  | $1.0 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 19 |  | $6.4 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 298 |  | $94.3 \%$ |

12. All students have an equal opportunity to participate in activities (clubs, musical groups, athletics, etc.).

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 115 |  | $38.2 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 151 | $50.2 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 151 | $3.0 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 9 | $3.0 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Disagree | 9 | $3.6 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 17 | 5.3 |  |

## Discipline

13. Students are well behaved at this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 86 |  | $27.2 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | $82.8 \%$ |  |  |
| Agree | 167 |  | $52.8 \%$ |
| Disagree | 31 |  | $9.8 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 13 |  | $4.1 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 19 |  | $6.0 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 316 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

14. Staff members are consistent with enforcing rules and using appropriate measures when rules are broken.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 95 | $31.5 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Agree | 168 | $55.6 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 168 | $8.3 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 25 | $1.0 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Disagree | 3 | $3.6 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 11 | $3.6 \%$ |  |

15. Students are taught strategies on how to avoid fights and arguments in school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 71 | $24.7 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Agree | 148 | $51.6 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 148 | $7.7 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 22 | $0.7 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Disagree | 2 | $0.3 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 44 | $15.3 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 287 | $90.8 \%$ |  |

16. Rules are fair at this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 83 |  | $28.5 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 165 | $56.7 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 165 |  | $4.8 \%$ |
| Disagree | 14 |  | $2.1 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 6 |  | $7.9 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 23 |  | 7 |

## Effective Instruction

17. Teachers utilize a variety of instructional techniques to meet the needs of students.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 91 |  | $32.4 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 9.9 |  | $57.3 \%$ |
| Agree | 161 |  | $3.8 \%$ |
| Disagree | 8 |  | $2.1 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 3 |  | $6.4 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 18 |  | 6.9 |

18. In classes, students spend time using computers or other technology.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 85 |  | $28.4 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 85 |  | $58.5 \%$ |
| Agree | 175 | $4.0 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 12 |  | $3.3 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 7 |  | $2.7 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 20 | $6.7 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 299 | $94.6 \%$ |  |

19. In classes, students learn about things interesting to them.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 78 |  | $26.9 \%$ |
| Agree | 182 |  | $62.8 \%$ |
| Disagree | 13 |  | $4.5 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 2 |  | $0.7 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 15 |  | $5.2 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 290 |  | $91.8 \%$ |

20. Homework assignments consist of things that teachers cover in class with students.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 105 | $34.8 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 182 | $60.3 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 2 | $0.7 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Disagree | 0 |  |  |
| No Opinion | 13 | $4.3 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 302 | $95.6 \%$ |  |

21. Student work is graded fairly and equitably.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  | $31.6 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 94 |  | $63.3 \%$ |
| Agree | 188 |  | $6.7 \%$ |
| Disagree | 8 |  | $2.7 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 2 |  | $0.7 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 5 |  | $1.7 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 297 |  | $94.0 \%$ |

22. Students are expected to do good work at this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  | $49.2 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 148 |  | $48.5 \%$ |
| Agree | 146 |  | $4.7 \%$ |
| Disagree | 2 |  | $0.7 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 0 |  |  |
| No Opinion | 5 |  | $1.7 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 301 |  | $95.3 \%$ |

23. Students are provided challenging class work.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 112 | $38.6 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Agree |  | $56.9 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 165 |  | 5 |
| Disagree | 3 | $1.0 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Disagree | 4 | $1.4 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 6 | $2.1 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 290 | $91.8 \%$ |  |

24. Students work diligently to make good grades at this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 85 |  | $28.3 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 183 | $61.0 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 183 | $2.0 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 6 | $0.7 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Disagree | 2 |  | $8.0 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 24 |  | $8.9 \%$ |

25. There are enough materials and supplies at this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 61 |  | $21.2 \%$ |
| Agree | 123 |  | $42.7 \%$ |
| Disagree | 55 |  | $19.1 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 21 |  | $7.3 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 28 |  | $9.7 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 288 |  | $91.1 \%$ |

26. Someone at this school provides students with assistance when they are having trouble with class or homework.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 84 |  | $29.7 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 830 |  | $45.9 \%$ |
| Agree | 130 |  | $7.8 \%$ |
| Disagree | 22 |  | $3.2 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 9 |  | $3.4 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 38 |  | $13.4 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 283 |  | $89.6 \%$ |

27. Tests measure what teachers have taught in their class.

| Opinion | Count | Ratio |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly Agree | 87 | 30.3\% |
| Agree | 170 | 59.2\% |
| Disagree | 9 | 3.1\% |
| Strongly Disagree | 1 | 0.3\% |
| No Opinion | 20 | 7.0\% |
| Response Total: | 287 | 90.8 |

28. Arts Education (Ex. Music, Drama, Art, etc.) is an important part of the curriculum.

| Opinion | Count | Ratio |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly Agree | 110 | 38.6\% |
| Agree | 130 | 45.6\% |
| Disagree | 8 | 2.8\% |
| Strongly Disagree | 12 | 4.2\% |
| No Opinion | 25 | 8.8\% |
| Response Total: | 285 | 90.2\% |

29. Foreign Language should be part of the curriculum for grades K-12.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  | 351 |
| Strongly Agree |  | $35.4 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 110 |  | $38.6 \%$ |
| Disagree | 25 |  | $8.8 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 7 |  | $2.5 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 42 |  | $14.7 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 285 |  | $90.2 \%$ |

30. Graduation requirements have been distributed and explained to students, parents, and staff members.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 38 |  | $13.8 \%$ |
| Agree | 121 |  | $43.8 \%$ |
| Disagree | 15 |  | $5.4 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 6 |  | $2.2 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 96 | $34.8 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 276 | $87.3 \%$ |  |

31. Students are provided guidance and information about course selections and graduation requirements.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 34 |  | $11.4 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 113 |  | $38.0 \%$ |
| Agree | 113 |  | $7.4 \%$ |
| Disagree | 22 |  | $1.0 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 3 |  | $42.1 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 125 |  | $4.0 \%$ |

32. This school has provided opportunities to prepare students for the SAT, ACT, or PSAT.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 45 |  | $15.2 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 45 |  | $32.4 \%$ |
| Agree | 96 |  | $3.7 \%$ |
| Disagree | 11 |  | $1.4 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 4 |  | $47.3 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 140 |  |  |

## Communication and Parent/Guardian Involvement

33. Parents/guardians volunteer to help in school.

| Opinion | Count | Ratio |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly Agree | 96 | 32.9\% |
| Agree | 157 | 53.8\% |
| Disagree | 7 | 2.4\% |
| Strongly Disagree | 3 | 1.0\% |
| No Opinion | 29 | 9.9\% |
| Response Total: | 292 | 92.4 |

34. This school lets parents/guardians know how their child(ren) are doing on a regular basis.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 95 |  | $34.2 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 968 |  | $56.8 \%$ |
| Agree | 158 |  | $4.3 \%$ |
| Disagree | 12 |  | $3.4 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 4 |  | $3.2 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 9 |  | $38.0 \%$ |

35. Parents/guardians like to visit this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 106 |  | $37.2 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 161 | $56.5 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 161 | 0 | $0.7 \%$ |
| Disagree | 2 | $0.7 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Disagree | 2 | $4.9 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 14 |  | 4.9 |

36. Parents/guardians are provided timely information of school events as well as other activities related to this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 121 |  | $42.0 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 123 |  | $51.4 \%$ |
| Agree | 148 |  | $4.2 \%$ |
| Disagree | 12 |  |  |
| Strongly Disagree | 0 |  |  |
| No Opinion | 7 |  | $2.4 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 288 |  | $91.1 \%$ |

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## Strengths - Parent Survey

Item 2 Responses: My child's teachers utilize class time in an effective manner.


Item 8 Responses: Alcohol use on campus is NOT widespread among students who attend this school.


Item 9 Responses: Tobacco use on campus is NOT widespread among students who attend this school.


Item 20 Responses: Homework assignments consist of things that teachers cover in class with students.


Item 22 Responses: Students are expected to do good work at this school.


## Weaknesses - Parent Survey

Item 7 Responses: Bullying is NOT a problem at this school.


Item 25 Responses: There are enough materials and supplies at this school.


Item 30 Responses: Graduation requirements have been distributed and explained to students, parents, and staff members.


Item 31 Responses: Students are provided guidance and information about course selections and graduation requirements.


Item 32 Responses: This school has provided opportunities to prepare students for the SAT, ACT, or PSAT.


