# Columbus County Schools District SACS-CASI/School Improvement Staff Survey -- Individual School Report December 15, 2006 

## 56 Respondents

Responses by School

| $\underline{\text { School }}$ |  | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | :--- | :--- |
| Hallsboro-Artesia Elementary | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |  |

Responses by Employee Type

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| :---: | ---: | :---: | :---: |
| Certified | 46 |  | $82.1 \%$ |
| Classified | 10 |  | $17.9 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

Responses by Gender

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| :---: | ---: | :---: | :---: |
| Male | 3 |  | $5.4 \%$ |
| Female | 53 | $94.6 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

Responses by Ethnicity

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| American Indian | 10 |  | $17.9 \%$ |
| Black | 13 | $23.2 \%$ |  |
| Other | 4 | $7.1 \%$ |  |
| White | 29 | $51.8 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 | $100.0 \%$ |  |

Overall grade given this school

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| A | 44 |  | $78.6 \%$ |
| B | 9 |  | $16.1 \%$ |
| C | 3 |  | $5.4 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

Overall grade given this school school district

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| A | 15 |  | $26.8 \%$ |
| B | 32 | $57.1 \%$ |  |
| C | 8 | $14.3 \%$ |  |
| D | 1 | $1.8 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

## Expectations and School Climate

1. Students feel safe at this school.

| $\underline{\text { Opinion }}$ |  | Count |  |
| :---: | ---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Ratio |
| Strongly Agree | 35 |  | $62.5 \%$ |
| Agree | 19 |  | $33.9 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 2 |  | $3.6 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

2. Teachers utilize class time in an effective manner.

| Opinion |  | Count |  |
| :---: | ---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly Agree | 30 |  | $53.6 \%$ |
| Agree | 25 |  | $44.6 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 1 |  | $1.8 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

3. Adults treat students with respect in this school.

| Opinion |  | Count |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
|  |  | Ratio |  |
| Strongly Agree | 24 |  | $42.9 \%$ |
| Agree | 30 |  | $53.6 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 2 |  | $3.6 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

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

| Opinion |  | Count |  |
| :---: | ---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Ratio |
| Strongly Agree | 35 |  | $62.5 \%$ |
| Agree | 20 |  | $35.7 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 1 |  | $1.8 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 24 |  | $42.9 \%$ |
| Agree | 26 |  | $46.4 \%$ |
| Disagree | 5 |  | $8.9 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 1 |  | $1.8 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

6. Teachers at this school enjoy teaching.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 19 |  | $33.9 \%$ |
| Agree | 30 | $53.6 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 2 | $3.6 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 5 | $8.9 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

7. Bullying is NOT a problem at this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 17 |  | $30.4 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | $103.6 \%$ |  |  |
| Agree | 30 | 53.6 |  |
| Disagree | 6 |  | $10.7 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 2 |  | $3.6 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 1 | $1.8 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count | Ratio |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly Agree | 43 | 76.8\% |
| Agree | 9 | 16.1\% |
| Strongly Disagree | 2 | 3.6\% |
| No Opinion | 2 | 3.6\% |
| Response Total: | 56 | 100.0\% |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  | $75.0 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree |  |  | 72 |
| Agree | 10 |  | $17.9 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 2 |  | $3.6 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 2 |  | $3.6 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 73 | $78.2 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Agree | 43 |  | $16.4 \%$ |
| Agree | 9 | $3.6 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Disagree | 2 |  |  |
| No Opinion | 1 | $1.8 \%$ |  |
| No Response to This Item | 1 |  |  |
| Response Total: | 55 | $98.2 \%$ |  |

11. My school allows me to have input on decisions affecting instructional practices and/or programs.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 20 |  | $35.7 \%$ |
| Agree | 26 | $46.4 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 4 | $7.1 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 6 | $10.7 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 24 |  | $42.9 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 26 | $46.4 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 26 | $3.6 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 2 |  | $7.1 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 4 |  |  |

## Discipline

13. Students are well behaved at this school.

| Opinion | Count | Ratio |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly Agree | 16 | 28.6\% |
| Agree | 31 | 55.4\% |
| Disagree | 8 | 14.3\% |
| No Opinion | 1 | 1.8\% |
| Response Total: | 56 | 100.0\% |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 18 |  | $32.1 \%$ |
| Agree | 31 | $55.4 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 5 | $8.9 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 2 | $3.6 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 14 |  | $25.0 \%$ |
| Agree | 36 | $64.3 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 4 | $7.1 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 2 | $3.6 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

16. Rules are fair at this school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 22 |  | $39.3 \%$ |
| Agree | 31 | $55.4 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 1 | $1.8 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 2 | $3.6 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

## Effective Instruction

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

| Opinion | Count |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Ratio |  |  |
| Strongly Agree | 23 | $42.6 \%$ |
| Agree | 29 | $53.7 \%$ |
| Disagree | 1 | $1.9 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 1 | $1.9 \%$ |
| No Response to This Item | 2 |  |
| Response Total: | 54 | $96.4 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 18 |  | $32.7 \%$ |
| Agree | 31 | $56.4 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 5 | $9.1 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 1 | $1.8 \%$ |  |
| No Response to This Item | 1 |  |  |
| Response Total: | 55 | $98.2 \%$ |  |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 18 |  | $32.1 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 34 | $60.7 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 34 | $3.6 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 2 | $3.6 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 2 | 3.6 |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 28 |  | $50.0 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 28 | $44.6 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 25 | $3.6 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 2 |  | $1.8 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 1 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

21. Student work is graded fairly and equitably.

| $\underline{\text { Opinion }}$ |  | Count |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 26 |  | $46.4 \%$ |
| Agree | 27 | $48.2 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 3 |  | $5.4 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 41 |  | $75.9 \%$ |
| Agree | 13 | $24.1 \%$ |  |
| No Response to This Item | 2 |  |  |
| Response Total: | 54 | $96.4 \%$ |  |

23. Students are provided challenging class work.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 28 |  | $50.0 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 28 | $44.6 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 25 |  | $3.8 \%$ |
| Disagree | 1 |  | $1.6 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 2 | $3.6 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 | $100.0 \%$ |  |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 13 |  | $23.2 \%$ |
| Agree | 32 | $57.1 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 6 | $10.7 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 5 | $8.9 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 28 |  | $50.0 \%$ |
| Strongly Agree | 27 | $30.4 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 17 |  | $16.1 \%$ |
| Disagree | 9 |  | $1.8 \%$ |
| Strongly Disagree | 1 |  | $1.8 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 1 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 17 | $31.5 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Agree | 17 | $55.6 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 30 | $3.7 \%$ |  |
| Strongly Disagree | 2 | 3 | $3.3 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 5 | 9.3 |  |

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

| Opinion | Count |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Ratio |  |  |
| Strongly Agree | 22 |  |
| Agree | 25 | $46.3 \%$ |
| Disagree | 4 | $7.4 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 3 | $5.6 \%$ |
| No Response to This Item | 2 |  |
| Response Total: | 54 | $96.4 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 26 |  | $46.4 \%$ |
| Agree | 21 | $37.5 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 6 |  | $10.7 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 3 |  | $5.4 \%$ |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 17 |  | $30.4 \%$ |
| Agree | 32 | $57.1 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 3 | $5.4 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 4 | $7.1 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 8 | $14.5 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 12 | $21.8 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 4 | $7.3 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 31 | $56.4 \%$ |  |
| No Response to This Item | 1 |  |  |
| Response Total: | 55 | $98.2 \%$ |  |

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

| Opinion | Count | Ratio |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly Agree | 7 | 12.7\% |
| Agree | 12 | 21.8\% |
| Disagree | 2 | 3.6\% |
| No Opinion | 34 | 61.8\% |
| No Response to This Item | 1 |  |
| Response Total: | 55 | 98.2 ${ }^{\circ}$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 4 |  | $7.3 \%$ |
| Agree | 12 | $21.8 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 1 |  | $1.8 \%$ |
| No Opinion | 38 |  | $69.1 \%$ |
| No Response to This Item | 1 |  |  |
| Response Total: | 55 |  | $98.2 \%$ |

## Communication and Parent/Guardian Involvement

33. Parents/guardians volunteer to help in school.

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 26 |  | $46.4 \%$ |
| Agree | 27 | $48.2 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 2 | $3.6 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 1 | $1.8 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

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

| Opinion | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Strongly Agree | 27 |  | $48.2 \%$ |
| Agree | 27 | $48.2 \%$ |  |
| Disagree | 1 | $1.8 \%$ |  |
| No Opinion | 1 | $1.8 \%$ |  |
| Response Total: | 56 |  | $100.0 \%$ |

35. Parents/guardians like to visit this school.

| Opinion | Count | Ratio |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strongly Agree | 30 | 55.6\% |
| Agree | 22 | 40.7\% |
| No Opinion | 2 | 3.7\% |
| No Response to This Item | 2 |  |
| Response Total: | 54 | 96.4 |

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

| Opinion |  | Count |  | Ratio |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | :--- | :--- |
| Strongly Agree | 35 |  | $63.6 \%$ |  |
| Agree | 20 |  | $36.4 \%$ |  |
| No Response to This Item | 1 |  |  |  |
| Response Total: | 55 |  | $98.2 \%$ |  |

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## Strengths - Staff Survey

Item 4 Responses: The principal knows what is going on in classes.


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


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


## Weaknesses - Staff Survey

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


Item 24 Responses: Students work diligently to make good grades 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.


