Elementary Needs Assessment Survey

1. Please indicate the number of students you have currently attending at any of the following sites.							
	1	2	3	4	5	Response Count	
Beach Elementary School	59.9% (115)	37.5% (72)	2.6% (5)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	192	
Havens Elementary School	60.0% (81)	36.3% (49)	3.7% (5)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	135	
Wildwood Elementary School	59.7% (74)	37.1% (46)	3.2% (4)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	124	
Piedmont Middle School	95.7% (90)	4.3% (4)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	94	
Piedmont High School	85.3% (29)	11.8% (4)	2.9% (1)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	34	
Millennium High School	100.0% (2)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	2	
				answei	red question	448	
				skipp	ed question	7	

2. How long have you and your family been residents of Piedmont?						
		Response Percent	Response Count			
One year or less		10.0%	44			
Two to three years		20.0%	88			
Four to five years		16.1%	71			
Six to seven years		15.0%	66			
Eight to nine years		11.6%	51			
Ten years or more		27.3%	120			
	answer	ed question	440			
	skipp	ed question	15			

3. How many of your student(s) in Kindergarten through 12th grade attend a school outside of the school district?								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Number of Students	70.7% (29)	29.3% (12)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (

4. What elementary school site doe	es your child attend?		
		Response Percent	Response Count
Beach		42.3%	150
Havens		30.1%	107
Wildwood		27.6%	98
	answere	ed question	355
	skippe	ed question	100

5. For your student(s) that attend a Piedmont Elementary School, what grade are they in for the 2008-2009 academic year?						
	Child 1	Child 2	Child 3	Child 4	Child 5	Response Count
Kindergarten	71.9% (64)	28.1% (25)	3.4% (3)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	89
First	66.2% (43)	38.5% (25)	3.1% (2)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	65
Second	67.1% (57)	32.9% (28)	1.2% (1)	1.2% (1)	0.0% (0)	85
Third	66.3% (55)	36.1% (30)	3.6% (3)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	83
Fourth	77.9% (67)	24.4% (21)	1.2% (1)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	86
Fifth	74.0% (54)	21.9% (16)	1.4% (1)	0.0% (0)	2.7% (2)	73
				answei	red question	344
				skipp	ed question	111

6. Reading						
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	Response Count
E1. The reading program provides my child with a good grasp of basic reading skills such as decoding, vocabulary development, reading fluency and reading comprehension.	47.5% (163)	46.1% (158)	3.2% (11)	0.6% (2)	2.6% (9)	343
E2. My child is encouraged to read for pleasure outside of school.	56.7% (194)	38.3% (131)	3.5% (12)	0.0% (0)	1.5% (5)	342
E3. My child is provided opportunities to appreciate literature.	52.0% (179)	43.0% (148)	2.6% (9)	0.6% (2)	1.7% (6)	344
E4. My child is provided with sufficient support to meet her/his needs in the reading program.	43.9% (151)	45.6% (157)	5.8% (20)	1.5% (5)	3.2% (11)	344
E5. My child is provided with sufficient challenge in the reading program.	35.8% (123)	49.7% (171)	7.8% (27)	2.0% (7)	4.7% (16)	344
E6. My child is guided to select books appropriately based on reading level, interest, and need.	35.9% (123)	46.4% (159)	10.8% (37)	1.7% (6)	5.2% (18)	343
E7. Overall, my child's reading program meets his/her needs.	39.9% (137)	49.6% (170)	6.4% (22)	1.5% (5)	2.6% (9)	343
				answei	red question	345
				skipp	ed question	110

7. Writing						
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	Response Count
E8. My child is learning writing conventions such as grammar, punctuation, capitalization, spelling and usage appropriate to grade level.	42.2% (145)	51.5% (177)	4.7% (16)	0.9% (3)	0.9% (3)	344
E9. My child is learning to write in various styles and forms appropriate to the assignment and grade level, such as stories, research papers, poetry, or letters.	44.0% (151)	49.0% (168)	3.5% (12)	1.5% (5)	2.0% (7)	343
E10. My child is learning to revise and edit her/his written work.	31.5% (108)	52.8% (181)	9.3% (32)	1.5% (5)	5.0% (17)	343
E11. My child is provided with sufficient support to meet her/his needs in the writing program.	35.4% (121)	49.7% (170)	9.9% (34)	2.0% (7)	2.9% (10)	342
E12. My child is provided with sufficient challenge in the writing program.	35.0% (120)	50.1% (172)	10.2% (35)	1.5% (5)	3.2% (11)	343
E13. The amount of writing my child is asked to do is appropriate.	29.8% (102)	50.0% (171)	12.9% (44)	2.0% (7)	5.3% (18)	342
E14. My child is asked to write in many subject areas.	28.9% (99)	50.0% (171)	10.5% (36)	1.2% (4)	9.4% (32)	342
E15. Overall, my child's language arts program meets his/her needs.	32.7% (112)	52.6% (180)	9.9% (34)	2.0% (7)	2.6% (9)	342
				answe	red question	344
				skipp	ed question	111

8. Mathematics						
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	Response Count
E16. My child is getting a good foundation in basic computational skills such as addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division.	39.7% (135)	50.3% (171)	6.2% (21)	2.4% (8)	1.5% (5)	340
E17. My child is learning math concepts appropriate to the grade level such as place value, properties of numbers, etc.	37.1% (127)	53.2% (182)	5.3% (18)	1.8% (6)	2.6% (9)	342
E18. My child is learning to apply math concepts to "real-world" situations (e.g., counting money, telling time and calculating prices).	43.3% (148)	50.6% (173)	5.0% (17)	0.6% (2)	0.6% (2)	342
E19. The math program offers a good balance between hands-on experience, problem solving strategies, basic skill practice and conceptual understanding.	37.1% (126)	43.5% (148)	11.2% (38)	2.4% (8)	5.9% (20)	340
E20. My child is learning to check his/her work before turning it in.	17.5% (60)	40.8% (140)	25.4% (87)	0.9% (3)	15.5% (53)	343
E21. My child is provided with sufficient support in math when needed.	30.4% (103)	47.8% (162)	8.3% (28)	1.8% (6)	11.8% (40)	339
E22. My child is provided with sufficient challenge in math.	29.1% (99)	49.7% (169)	13.2% (45)	3.5% (12)	4.4% (15)	340
E23. Overall, my child's math program meets his/her needs.	28.5% (96)	51.3% (173)	11.3% (38)	4.5% (15)	4.5% (15)	337
				answe	red question	343
				skipp	ped question	112

9. This has been the first year, for each elementary site to implement the Everyday Math Program.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	Response Count	
E23a. I have had sufficient information and sufficient opportunities to learn about the Everyday Math Program?	26.6% (91)	56.7% (194)	9.9% (34)	2.6% (9)	4.1% (14)	342	
E23b. Teachers are meeting the needs of my child using the Everyday Math Program?	24.3% (82)	42.6% (144)	12.1% (41)	4.7% (16)	16.3% (55)	338	
	answered question					342	
				skipp	ed question	113	

10. Science						
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	Response Count
E24. My child's science program provides a variety of "hands-on" experiences that require critical thinking, observations, experimentation and data collection.	34.5% (118)	52.0% (178)	3.8% (13)	0.3% (1)	9.4% (32)	342
E25. My child's science program adequately explores topics of life, earth and physical sciences.	36.5% (125)	50.9% (174)	4.4% (15)	0.6% (2)	7.6% (26)	342
E26. The science program is helping to stimulate my child's interest in science and the natural world.	38.1% (130)	49.0% (167)	7.9% (27)	1.2% (4)	3.8% (13)	341
E27. Overall, my child's science program meets his/her needs.	35.2% (120)	48.4% (165)	7.9% (27)	1.5% (5)	7.0% (24)	341
				answe	red question	343
				skipp	ed question	112

11. Social Studies							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	Response Count	
E28. My child's social studies program develops an understanding of the world and its many cultures by studying people, families, communities or cultures.	30.5% (104)	55.4% (189)	5.0% (17)	0.0% (0)	9.1% (31)	341	
E29. My child's social studies program develops knowledge of geography, history, government, and current events as appropriate.	30.2% (103)	52.2% (178)	6.5% (22)	0.3% (1)	10.9% (37)	341	
E30. My child is learning critical thinking skills and is making connections between current events and events in the past (age appropriate).	21.8% (74)	50.7% (172)	10.6% (36)	0.0% (0)	16.8% (57)	339	
E31. The social studies program is helping to stimulate my child's interest in the world and the people in it.	27.8% (95)	52.6% (180)	9.1% (31)	0.0% (0)	10.5% (36)	342	
E32. Overall, my child's social studies program meets his/her needs.	24.8% (84)	56.0% (190)	6.5% (22)	0.6% (2)	12.1% (41)	339	
	answered question					342	
	skipped question					113	

12. Visual and Performing Arts							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	Response Count	
E33. My child is provided enough art opportunities in the classroom and through school art programs.	35.0% (120)	46.9% (161)	13.1% (45)	1.5% (5)	3.5% (12)	343	
E34. My child has enough opportunities to participate in performances such as plays.	22.1% (75)	39.7% (135)	23.5% (80)	4.1% (14)	10.6% (36)	340	
E35. The Music Program provides a balance among listening, reading, performing and appreciating music.	21.3% (73)	41.1% (141)	10.2% (35)	1.7% (6)	25.7% (88)	343	
				answe	red question	343	
				skipp	ed question	112	

13. Instrumental Music Program								
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	Not Applicable	Response Count	
E36. My child benefits from the 4-5 instrumental music program. If your child does not participate in the 4-5 instrumental program, please mark N/A.	17.4% (59)	23.0% (78)	2.9% (10)	0.9% (3)	1.8% (6)	54.0% (183)	339	
		answered question						
		skipped question						

14. Physical Education and Health							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	Response Count	
E37. The physical education program provides opportunities for my child to develop a variety of motor skills and abilities appropriate to the grade level.	33.0% (113)	55.3% (189)	4.4% (15)	1.2% (4)	6.1% (21)	342	
E38. The physical education program improves my child's understanding of the importance of developing a healthy lifestyle and helps them develop one.	26.3% (90)	48.2% (165)	11.1% (38)	1.2% (4)	13.2% (45)	342	
E39. My child's physical education program improves knowledge of rules and strategies of particular games and sports.	26.9% (92)	53.2% (182)	7.9% (27)	1.5% (5)	10.5% (36)	342	
E40. The physical education program promotes good sportsmanship.	30.4% (102)	46.7% (157)	3.9% (13)	1.8% (6)	17.3% (58)	336	
E41. My child's physical education program allows for personal growth and success.	25.9% (89)	47.2% (162)	7.0% (24)	2.0% (7)	17.8% (61)	343	
E42. I see evidence that my child has increasing knowledge of behaviors that reduce the risk of becoming involved in dangerous situations, and how to react to situations in ways that help to protect her/his health.	16.5% (56)	30.9% (105)	16.5% (56)	2.6% (9)	33.5% (114)	340	
				answe	red question	343	
		skipped question					

15. Technology						
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	Response Count
E43. My child has a good foundation in basic computer skills appropriate to grade level (keyboard skills, appropriate use of internet, word processing, presentation programs, etc.)	33.4% (113)	47.6% (161)	7.7% (26)	0.9% (3)	10.4% (35)	338
E44. Sessions in the computer lab help support the curriculum while improving technology skills.	35.3% (119)	41.2% (139)	3.3% (11)	0.6% (2)	19.6% (66)	337
E45. My child is using various forms of technology in multiple subject areas such as language arts, math, social science or science as is appropriate to the grade.	27.8% (93)	38.5% (129)	6.6% (22)	0.9% (3)	26.3% (88)	335
E46. Technology is integrated into my child's instructional program.	28.3% (95)	40.8% (137)	8.6% (29)	1.5% (5)	20.8% (70)	336
E47. My child is aware of "cyber- safety" issues, and uses the internet appropriately for grade level.	16.4% (55)	33.4% (112)	12.8% (43)	2.4% (8)	34.9% (117)	335
	answered question					339
	skipped question					116

16. Homework						
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	Response Count
E48. My child receives homework that is appropriate to age, ability, and need.	28.4% (95)	52.1% (174)	12.6% (42)	3.6% (12)	3.3% (11)	334
E49. My child's homework supports and reinforces the lessons and concepts taught in class.	29.4% (98)	55.0% (183)	3.9% (13)	1.8% (6)	9.9% (33)	333
E50. My child's homework is well-balanced between daily assignments and long-term projects as appropriate to grade level.	27.8% (93)	54.2% (181)	10.2% (34)	2.4% (8)	5.4% (18)	334
E51. My child is able to do most homework with reasonable assistance.	38.9% (129)	52.1% (173)	4.5% (15)	1.2% (4)	3.3% (11)	332
E52. I am comfortable helping my student with homework when asked.	45.6% (150)	48.6% (160)	2.4% (8)	0.3% (1)	3.0% (10)	329
E53. "Due dates" for my child's work are communicated appropriately.	42.2% (140)	47.6% (158)	4.5% (15)	0.9% (3)	4.8% (16)	332
	answered question					335
skipped question						120

17. Homework Quantity and Difficulty Level								
	Just right	Too much	Not enough	Inconsistent	Response Count			
E54. The amount of homework my child receives is generally:	64.8% (214)	17.9% (59)	12.7% (42)	4.5% (15)	330			
E55. For my child the difficulty level of most homework is:	69.0% (223)	4.6% (15)	17.6% (57)	8.7% (28)	323			
		331						
			si	kipped question	124			

18. Homework (cont'd)							
	0-1 hours	1-2 hours	2-3 hours	3-4 hours	Inconsistent	Don't Know	Response Count
E55a. On an average day, how much time does your student spend on homework assigned by the school?	66.7% (224)	26.5% (89)	1.8% (6)	0.6% (2)	2.4% (8)	2.1% (7)	336
E55b. On an average day, how much time does your student spend on homework assigned by non-school entities such as tutors?	85.4% (269)	2.9% (9)	0.3% (1)	0.0% (0)	3.8% (12)	7.6% (24)	315
E55c. On an average day, how much time does your student spend participating in after-school activities?	37.0% (124)	44.8% (150)	9.3% (31)	2.7% (9)	4.8% (16)	1.5% (5)	335
		answered question					
					skipped	question	119

19. Assessment:								
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	Response Count		
E56. I see evidence that assessment tools are being used to shape my child's instruction	21.7% (73)	42.3% (142)	12.5% (42)	2.4% (8)	21.1% (71)	336		
E57. The section of the K-5 progress report indicating achievement of standards (Needs Support, Progressing, Meeting Standards, Exceeding Standards (4th and 5th grades only) helps me understand how well my child is meeting standards.	22.5% (75)	52.1% (174)	15.3% (51)	4.5% (15)	5.7% (19)	334		
E58. The comment section of the progress report provides me with useful information about my child.	44.9% (151)	45.5% (153)	7.7% (26)	1.2% (4)	0.6% (2)	336		
E59. Parent teacher conferences are important to me and my child.	74.0% (250)	22.5% (76)	3.0% (10)	0.3% (1)	0.3% (1)	338		
E60. Two conferences per year are appropriate.	44.8% (152)	40.7% (138)	10.0% (34)	3.5% (12)	0.9% (3)	339		
E61. My child's teacher and other adults contact me about my child when needed, even if it's not conference time.	34.8% (118)	38.3% (130)	14.7% (50)	2.9% (10)	9.1% (31)	339		
E62. I am provided with information that helps me understand my child's standardized test scores (STAR testing).	16.2% (53)	36.0% (118)	19.2% (63)	2.7% (9)	25.9% (85)	328		
E63 I would like more information to help me understand my child's STAR test scores.	17.4% (57)	30.2% (99)	26.5% (87)	4.6% (15)	21.3% (70)	328		
E64. In general, the classroom assessment results I receive help me know how to work with the school to help my child.	22.9% (77)	48.2% (162)	15.8% (53)	4.5% (15)	8.6% (29)	336		
E65. Overall I am pleased with the kinds of assessment information I am given about my child.	24.6% (83)	55.9% (189)	13.0% (44)	3.3% (11)	3.3% (11)	338		

answered question	339
skipped question	116

20. School Climate and Environment							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	Response Count	
E65. The school facilities are well maintained.	38.5% (131)	53.2% (181)	6.8% (23)	1.2% (4)	0.3% (1)	340	
E66. The restrooms are kept clean and well supplied.	31.4% (106)	42.3% (143)	6.8% (23)	1.5% (5)	18.0% (61)	338	
E67. The district and the school are committed to helping my child meet high standards.	40.3% (135)	49.6% (166)	4.8% (16)	2.4% (8)	3.0% (10)	335	
E68. I am aware of the district's Essential Outcomes.	10.1% (34)	15.1% (51)	33.7% (114)	10.1% (34)	31.1% (105)	338	
E69. The school rules and norms are clearly stated and fairly applied.	27.0% (90)	52.0% (173)	6.9% (23)	1.5% (5)	12.6% (42)	333	
E70. The classroom rules and norms are clearly stated and fairly applied.	31.8% (107)	55.8% (188)	5.0% (17)	0.3% (1)	7.1% (24)	337	
E71. My child feels safe at school and on the playground.	48.1% (163)	46.0% (156)	4.1% (14)	1.5% (5)	0.3% (1)	339	
E72. When problems arise, adults are available to help my child.	34.8% (118)	53.4% (181)	5.6% (19)	1.5% (5)	4.7% (16)	339	
E73. My child feels comfortable seeking help from adults at the school site.	35.5% (121)	53.1% (181)	6.5% (22)	1.2% (4)	3.8% (13)	341	
E74. The school helps my child develop healthy self-esteem.	30.9% (105)	54.4% (185)	5.9% (20)	1.5% (5)	7.4% (25)	340	
E75. The school fosters a respect for individuals and diversity.	35.8% (121)	53.8% (182)	4.4% (15)	1.2% (4)	4.7% (16)	338	
E76. Students show respect for each other as well as the property of others.	26.9% (91)	54.1% (183)	13.6% (46)	1.5% (5)	3.8% (13)	338	

	skipped question					
	answered question					
E84. Overall, I am happy with my child's school experience.	44.5% (151)	49.3% (167)	3.8% (13)	0.6% (2)	1.8% (6)	339
E83. My child is provided with enriching "extras" through assemblies, community service opportunities, special activities, etc.	36.3% (122)	53.3% (179)	5.1% (17)	0.9% (3)	4.5% (15)	336
E82. The counseling program has a positive impact on the school environment and/or my child.	23.2% (78)	22.3% (75)	1.8% (6)	1.8% (6)	50.9% (171)	336
E81. Field trips are appropriate and reinforce student learning.	46.8% (159)	47.9% (163)	2.4% (8)	1.5% (5)	1.5% (5)	340
E80. My child's school experience is promoting their enthusiasm and desire for learning.	36.1% (122)	53.0% (179)	6.5% (22)	1.5% (5)	3.0% (10)	338
E79. My child is developing a sense of community/social responsibility.	30.9% (104)	58.8% (198)	6.2% (21)	0.6% (2)	3.6% (12)	337
E78. My child is learning to apply conflict resolution skills.	21.7% (73)	54.5% (183)	8.6% (29)	0.3% (1)	14.9% (50)	336
E77. My child has opportunities to contribute to the school in positive ways.	35.7% (121)	56.6% (192)	3.5% (12)	0.0% (0)	4.1% (14)	339

21. Communications						
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	No Opinion	Response Count
E85. I read and value classroom newsletters.	62.2% (212)	35.8% (122)	0.9% (3)	0.0% (0)	1.2% (4)	341
E86. I read and value weekly site newsletters.	59.8% (204)	36.4% (124)	0.9% (3)	0.3% (1)	2.6% (9)	341
E87. I attend and value Parent Education Nights.	26.2% (87)	40.4% (134)	10.8% (36)	0.3% (1)	22.3% (74)	332
E88. I attend and value Parent Club meetings.	12.3% (41)	31.9% (106)	21.7% (72)	0.9% (3)	33.1% (110)	332
E89. I attend and value School Site Council meetings.	3.7% (12)	16.3% (53)	24.9% (81)	1.5% (5)	53.5% (174)	325
E90. I attend and value Back to School Night.	63.4% (213)	33.6% (113)	1.5% (5)	0.0% (0)	1.5% (5)	336
E91. I attend and value Open House.	62.8% (213)	34.2% (116)	1.5% (5)	0.3% (1)	1.2% (4)	339
E92. I read and value the information provided via e-mail.	59.7% (203)	38.8% (132)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	1.5% (5)	340
E93. The number of e-mails is reasonable.	49.3% (168)	46.0% (157)	2.9% (10)	0.9% (3)	0.9% (3)	341
E94. I feel comfortable contacting my child's teacher(s) with questions or concerns.	66.3% (226)	30.5% (104)	2.3% (8)	0.6% (2)	0.3% (1)	341
E95. I feel comfortable contacting the principal with questions or concerns.	50.4% (171)	35.4% (120)	7.1% (24)	2.4% (8)	4.7% (16)	339
E96. I feel welcomed, appreciated, and supported by my child's school.	53.1% (180)	39.5% (134)	3.8% (13)	0.9% (3)	2.7% (9)	339
E97. I prefer on-line communications over paper.	54.8% (184)	27.4% (92)	8.9% (30)	1.8% (6)	7.1% (24)	336
				answe	red question	341
				skipp	ed question	114

22. Comments on Elementary Needs Assessment Section: Comments will be provided to the Board of Education and District Administration. Response Count 108

skipped question

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23. Overall Curriculum Issues - Overall, the district has provided my child(ren) with						
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	No Opinion	Response Count
D1 a strong foundation in basic skills.	44.0% (133)	50.0% (151)	3.6% (11)	0.3% (1)	2.0% (6)	302
D2 opportunities to develop critical thinking skills.	35.1% (106)	53.0% (160)	5.0% (15)	0.3% (1)	6.6% (20)	302
D3 enrichment activities and challenging materials as needed.	36.2% (109)	51.2% (154)	8.0% (24)	1.7% (5)	3.0% (9)	301
D4 additional support in the classroom when needed.	36.2% (109)	46.5% (140)	7.3% (22)	1.0% (3)	9.0% (27)	301
D5 a program that meets the individual learning needs of my child.	28.1% (84)	50.2% (150)	12.0% (36)	2.3% (7)	7.4% (22)	299
answered question					red question	303
skipped question					152	

24. For questions D6 and D7, mark NA (Not Applicable) if you do not have personal experience.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	No Opinion	NA	Response Count
D6. My child is well prepared academically for the transition from elementary to middle school.	8.8% (26)	17.9% (53)	3.4% (10)	1.0% (3)	1.7% (5)	67.2% (199)	296
D7. My child is well prepared academically for the transition from middle school to high school.	3.2% (9)	5.3% (15)	1.1% (3)	0.0% (0)	1.1% (3)	89.5% (255)	285
	answered question						296
	skipped question						159

25. Organization/Time Management/Study Skills (appropriate to grade level) Overall, the district is helping my child(ren) learn how to ...

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	No Opinion	Response Count
D8organize his/her work.	24.7% (74)	53.5% (160)	10.7% (32)	1.0% (3)	10.0% (30)	299
D9meet deadlines as appropriate for grade level.	25.4% (76)	55.9% (167)	8.7% (26)	0.0% (0)	10.0% (30)	299
D10allocate time wisely as appropriate for grade level.	21.3% (64)	55.7% (167)	11.7% (35)	0.3% (1)	11.0% (33)	300
D11develop good personal study habits.	21.1% (63)	53.2% (159)	10.4% (31)	0.7% (2)	14.7% (44)	299
D12study for and take tests as appropriate for grade level.	21.7% (65)	47.3% (142)	7.7% (23)	0.3% (1)	23.0% (69)	300
D13apply appropriate research skills.	22.6% (67)	51.5% (153)	7.1% (21)	0.0% (0)	18.9% (56)	297
D14effectively use the library/media center.	28.3% (85)	59.0% (177)	2.0% (6)	0.0% (0)	10.7% (32)	300
	answered question					
skipped question						155

26. Social/Academic Skills (appropriate to grade level)							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	No Opinion	Response Count	
D15. My child is encouraged to respect the rights and feelings of others.	45.0% (135)	52.0% (156)	1.3% (4)	0.0% (0)	1.7% (5)	300	
D16. My child is being shown how to make appropriate choices.	37.0% (111)	53.0% (159)	2.3% (7)	0.3% (1)	7.3% (22)	300	
D17. My child is learning how to work well collaboratively.	40.3% (120)	53.0% (158)	3.0% (9)	0.3% (1)	3.4% (10)	298	
D18. My child is learning how to work well independently.	36.6% (109)	57.7% (172)	2.7% (8)	0.3% (1)	2.7% (8)	298	
D19. My child is provided opportunities to develop leadership skills as appropriate.	26.8% (80)	51.7% (154)	6.7% (20)	1.7% (5)	13.1% (39)	298	
D20. My child is being helped to develop effective communication skills.	32.4% (97)	55.5% (166)	4.3% (13)	1.0% (3)	6.7% (20)	299	
D21. My child is being motivated to do his/her best work.	33.7% (100)	49.2% (146)	10.4% (31)	1.7% (5)	5.1% (15)	297	
		red question	300				
skipped question						155	

27. For questions D22 and D23, mark NA (Not Applicable) if you do not have personal experience.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	No Opinion	NA	Response Count
D22. My child is being well prepared socially for the transition from elementary school to middle school.	6.8% (20)	15.7% (46)	4.4% (13)	1.0% (3)	6.5% (19)	65.5% (192)	293
D23. My child is being well prepared socially for the transition from middle school to high school.	1.8% (5)	5.3% (15)	1.8% (5)	0.4% (1)	1.4% (4)	89.5% (255)	285
	answered question						294
	skipped question						161

28. Communications:							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	No Opinion	Response Count	
D24. I read and value the District Newsletter posted on the PUSD website.	10.7% (32)	22.7% (68)	24.4% (73)	1.7% (5)	40.5% (121)	299	
D25. I watch/attend and value School Board meetings on KCOM or via the Internet.	5.7% (17)	26.2% (78)	23.5% (70)	4.0% (12)	40.6% (121)	298	
D26. I read and value the District information provided via e-mail.	21.2% (63)	55.2% (164)	7.4% (22)	1.7% (5)	14.5% (43)	297	
D27. The number of e-mails is reasonable.	23.1% (68)	60.7% (179)	2.4% (7)	0.3% (1)	13.6% (40)	295	
D28. I read and value the district website.	11.1% (33)	42.6% (127)	16.1% (48)	1.0% (3)	29.2% (87)	298	
D29. I feel comfortable contacting the district office staff with questions or concerns.	13.9% (41)	42.7% (126)	13.6% (40)	3.1% (9)	26.8% (79)	295	
D30. I am informed about the district's seismic retrofit program.	15.5% (46)	55.1% (163)	11.5% (34)	3.7% (11)	14.2% (42)	296	
D31. I prefer on-line communications over paper.	44.1% (130)	40.0% (118)	7.5% (22)	1.0% (3)	7.5% (22)	295	
	answered question						
	skipped question						

29. Overall Satisfaction							
	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	Rating Average	Response Count	
In general, how satisfied have you been with your experience of the Piedmont Unified School District and its schools?	57.8% (193)	36.8% (123)	4.8% (16)	0.6% (2)	1.48	334	
		334					
				skipped	question	121	