

2011 Parent Opinion Questionnaire Results--Canterbury Elementary School

I. Background Information

Please check the school to which this questionnaire pertains:

Belmont Elementary Canterbury Elementary Belmont Middle School Belmont High School

18 Surveys returned

Number of your children presently enrolled in the Shaker school system:

6 1 11 2 1 3 0 4 0 5 or more 0 info not recorded

II. School Philosophy and Goals

- 1 I feel welcome in my child's school.
- 2 The school sets high standards for my child's academic performance
- 3 The school sets appropriate standards for my child's behavior
- 4 The school helps teach children to be responsible citizens

Strongly Agree	Agree	Does Not Apply	Strongly Disagree	Does not Apply
16	1	0	1	0
11	7	0	0	0
11	7	0	0	0
12	5	0	0	1

Comments: See attached sheets

III Curriculum and Instruction

- 5 Effective teaching and learning are top priorities at the school
- 6 My child receives appropriate instruction in the "basics"
- 7 The curriculum builds on what my child learned in previous years
- 8 My child sees the value in what he/she is learning
- 9 My child is being well prepared for his/her future
- 10 Information is presented in a way my child understands
- 11 Teachers assign clear and meaningful homework
- 12 Appropriate technology is being used in the classrooms
- 13 The physical education program offers a variety of good activities
- 14 The music program meets the needs of all students
- 15 The art program meets the needs of all students
- 16 Library technology and resources are current and well maintained
- 17 My child has access to library resources when necessary
- 18 My child is encouraged to participate in accelerated/advanced courses

Strongly Agree	Agree	Does Not Apply	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
11	7	0	0	0
10	8	0	0	0
7	8	2	1	0
9	9	0	0	0
8	10	0	0	0
9	7	0	2	0
9	7	0	2	0
5	10	2	1	0
8	8	0	2	0
14	3	1	0	0
5	5	1	5	2
6	9	1	2	0
8	9	0	1	0
4	3	3	6	2

Comments: See attached sheets

IV School Facilities and Financial Support

- 19 The school building is clean
- 20 The school grounds are well maintained
- 21 The school equipment is well maintained
- 22 The school building provides a good learning environment
- 23 Our school receives adequate financial support from the community

Strongly Agree	Agree	Does Not Apply	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
8	10	0	0	0
9	7	0	2	0
5	12	0	1	0
9	8	0	1	0
4	10	1	3	0

Comments: See attached sheets

V Administration, Faculty and Services

- 24 The Superintendent of Schools provides effective district leadership
- 25 The Superintendent of Schools is accessible and responsive to me
- 26 School administrators provide effective school leadership
- 27 School administrators are accessible and responsive to me
- 28 Guidance counselors are accessible and responsive to parents
- 29 Services provided by school counselors are supportive of students' present needs and future aspirations
- 30 My child knows who to talk to if they are having a problem
- 31 Teachers are accessible and responsive to parents
- 32 Teachers contact parents promptly with academic concerns
- 33 Teachers interact with parents in a fair and respectful manner
- 34 Teachers set challenging educational goals for my child

Strongly Agree	Agree	Does Not Apply	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
1	11	4	1	1
1	5	11	1	0
7	8	1	1	1
11	4	1	1	1
10	4	2	1	1
8	8	1	0	1
8	9	0	0	1
11	7	0	0	0
4	9	2	3	0
9	8	0	1	0
9	7	1	1	0

V Administration, Faculty and Services (cont)

- 35 Teachers and staff work together to meet my child's needs
- 36 There seems to be a good relationship between most students and teachers in our school
- 37 Class sizes are appropriate
- 38 Students with special needs are accommodated
- 39 Student confidentiality is respected
- 40 The School Resource Officer is an asset to our school community
- 41 The school's health services are professional and appropriate
- 42 School transportation is safe for students

Strongly Agree	Agree	Does Not Apply	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
8	7	1	2	0
11	6	1	0	0
8	7	1	2	0
5	5	5	1	0
5	10	2	1	0
2	2	14	0	0
8	9	1	0	0
6	10	1	1	0

Comments: See attached sheets

VI Educational Community

- 43 The opinions and concerns of parents are well received and valued
- 44 The school provides many ways for parents to get involved
- 45 Our schools and communities work together to educate children
- 46 The school climate is positive and respectful
- 47 Discipline is fair and consistent
- 48 Student individuality is respected at school
- 49 My child feels safe at school
- 50 Student accomplishments are appropriately recognized
- 51 Overall, my child enjoys school

Strongly Agree	Agree	Does Not Apply	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
6	8	2	1	1
12	5	0	1	0
10	6	0	2	0
11	6	1	0	0
10	6	0	2	0
10	6	0	2	0
13	4	0	1	0
11	5	0	2	0
10	8	0	0	0

Comments: See attached sheets

VII Communication

- 52 The community is informed about school policies and activities
- 53 The school keeps me informed about my child's performance
- 54 Results of school wide assessments are clearly communicated
- 55 School newsletters provide useful and important information
- 56 The district and school websites are an effective means of communication
- 57 The websites are easy to navigate
- 58 I use WebSchool to monitor my child's academic progress (BMS and BHS students only)
- 59 We currently have internet access at home

Strongly Agree	Agree	Does Not Apply	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
8	7	0	3	0
6	12	0	0	0
7	8	1	2	0
10	7	0	1	0
6	10	0	2	0
6	8	0	4	0
1	2	15	0	0
Yes	No	Not Indicated		
18	0	0		