Brooklyn Board of Education Special Meeting Agenda Virtual & Central Office Community Room

May 24, 2023 6:00PM

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- 1. Attendance, Establishment of a Quorum, Call to Order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Public Comment
- Approval of Minutes*
 - a. April 26, 2023
- 5. Correspondence and Communication
 - a. Woodstock Academy May Head of School Awards
 - i. Madyson Knox
 - ii. Jason Konsavich
 - iii. Peishi Liu
 - iv. Mia Pannone
 - v. Davis Simpson
 - vi. Owen Tracy
 - b. Thank you -Rachel Blair & Neil Souvigney
 - c. Thank you Walmart #5777
 - d. Letter from KHS American Citizen Classes
 - e. Important upcoming events
 - i. May 25, 2023 Chorus Concert
 - ii. May 29, 2023 Memorial Day, Brooklyn Parade at 9:00 AM
 - iii. June 8, 2023: BMS Music Trip
 - iv. June 12, 2023: BES Fun Day (rain date 6/14/23)
 - v. June 13, 2023: BMS Field Day
 - vi. June 15, 2023: 8th Grade Promotion
 - vii. June 16, 2023: 4th Grade Promotion
 - viii. June 16, 2023: Last Day of School, Early Release

- 6. Administrative Reports
 - a. Brooklyn Enrollment Report
 - b. FY23 Financial Reports
 - c. Brooklyn's Best
- 7. Board of Education Committee Reports
- 8. Board Representatives to other Committees
- 9. Old Business
 - a. Second reading: Policy 9110
 - i. Proposed Policy 9110*
- 10. New Business
 - a. Review School Climate Surveys
- 11. Public Comment
- 12. Adjournment

^{*}Action Item

The Board of Education

Town of Brooklyn 119 Gorman Road Brooklyn, CT 06234

Mae Lyons, Board Chair Justin Phaiah, Secretary Isaias Sostre Melissa Perkins-Banas, Vice-Chair Kayla Burgess Rick Ives

Mission: The Brooklyn Schools will foster a drive for learning within each student to reach his/her greatest potential. To achieve this mission, the school will continually improve its educational programs and services to meet this community's expectations for a quality education for all.

The Brooklyn Board of Education held a meeting in the Central Office Community Room and virtually on April 26, 2023 via Zoom. In attendance were Mrs. Lyons, Dr. Perkins-Banas, Mr. Phaiah, Mrs. Burgess, and Mr. Ives and Mr. Sostre. Mrs. Buell, Superintendent was also present.

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1. Attendance, Establishment of a Quorum, Call to Order

Mrs. Lyons stated that a Quorum has been established. Board members that were present: Melissa Perkins-Banas, Justin Phaiah, Kayla Burgess, Rick Ives, Isaias Sostre and herself, Mae Lyons.

Mrs. Lyons called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Public Comment

Aimee Genna, Meadowbrook Drive, wanted to thank the Board of Education. She stated she was at the Board of Finance meeting on Monday, April 24,2023, and the Board of Education budget was accepted without question due to transparency and documentation that had been provided. She wanted to say thank you to everyone that participated.

- 4. Approval of Minutes
 - a. March 22, 2023 BOE Regular Meeting Minutes

Motion to approve the Regular Meeting Minutes for March 22, 2023. (Perkins-Banas/Burgess)

No discussion **Vote Count:** 6, 0 Unanimous vote to approve

5. Correspondence and Communication

a. CAPPS Award Winners

Mrs. Buell wanted to recognize the Brooklyn students that are the CAPPS Award Winners and introduced the four students in attendance tonight, Elliana Faucher (4th Grade), Vincent Genna (4th Grade), Finley Hamilton (8th Grade) and Tomas Gutierrez (8th Grade). Mrs. Buell read what the teachers had written about each of the students and took a photo of the students with the Board.

b. Important Upcoming Events

Mrs. Buell discussed the following important upcoming events:

• May 8, 2023 - May 12, 2023: Staff/Teacher AppreciationWeek

Mrs. Buell stated that May 8, 2023 starts staff/teacher appreciation week. She stated on behalf of the Brooklyn Board of Education, she will recognize each employee and thank them for their service and hard work.

• May 10, 2023: 5:00 PM Informational Meeting for families regarding the reunification protocol that would be used if there was ever a need

Mrs. Buell stated that May 10, 2023 is a parent event to discuss and provide information about the reunification procedures at the Brooklyn Public Schools. She stated if there is a crisis in the school and we need to reunify, she wants parents to understand that the schools have a team that have been working hard and there are procedures and plans in place.

• May 10, 2023: 7:00 PM *Tentative* Town Hearing to discuss the Town's Budget

Mrs. Buell stated that the tentative Town Hearing is scheduled for May 10, 2023. She stated that each department will present to share their budgets and to respond to any questions the community may have.

Mrs. Lyons stated that the Town Hearing is where the community comments count.

Ms. Burgess asked if line item changes can be made at the Town Hearing. Mrs. Buell stated that line item changes cannot be made with the Board of

Education budget. They can request that the Board of Education reduce their budget by a certain amount of money.

Mr. Ives stated that line item changes can be made on the Town's budget.

Mrs. Lyons stated that the Board of Finance will meet after the Town Hearing to discuss the comments and then changes can then be made.

- May 18, 2023: BES and BMS Art Shows
- May 21, 2023: PTO Golf Tournament
- May 24, 2023: 7:00 PM *Tentative* Town Meeting (Consider changing BOE Meeting time)

Mrs. Buell stated that the Board of Education meeting is scheduled for the same time as the Town Meeting on May 24, 2023 at 7:00 PM. She asked the Board to consider changing the time of the Board meeting to either 6:00 PM or 7:30PM. After discussion, the Board agreed to change the meeting time to 6:00 PM.

Ms. Burgess made a motion to change the Board of Education Meeting time to 6:00 PM on May 24, 2023 due to the Town Meeting. (Burgess/Perkins-Banas)

No discussion

Vote Count: 6, 0

Unanimous vote to approve

Mrs. Buell will notify the Town Clerk of the change and the Board of Education meeting will become a Special Board of Education meeting.

- May 29, 2023: Memorial Day, Brooklyn Parade at 9:00 AM
- May 31, 2023: Chorus Concert
- June 8, 2023: BMS Music Trip
- June 12, 2023: BES Field Day (rain date June 14, 2023)
- June 13, 2023: BMS Field Day
- June 15, 2023: 8th Grade Promotion (Tentative)
- June 16, 2023: 4th Grade Promotion (Tentative)
- June 16, 2023: Last Day of School, Early Release (Tentative)

Mr. Ives made a motion to set the 8th Grade Promotion date of June 15, 2023 and the 4th Grade Promotion date of June 16, 2023.

(Ives/Perkins-Banas)

No discussion

Vote Count: 6, 0

Unanimous vote to approve

6. Administrative Reports

a. Brooklyn Enrollment Report

Mrs. Buell discussed the enrollment report. Brooklyn Elementary School had no changes. Brooklyn Middle School went up by 2. The high school enrollment went down by 2. There is one additional Out of District student. The total enrollment is minus one student.

b. FY23 Financial Reports

Mrs. Buell discussed the financial reports. She stated that she will be requesting a budget transfer request due to not doing smaller requests throughout the year. Mrs. Buell discussed the line item for salaries being over budget; the total benefits line item and total professional services are under budget; the total contracted services line is over budget. She stated she is confident that they will remain on budget and end the year in the black.

c. BOE Transfer Request

Mrs. Buell discussed the budget transfer request to transfer funds from the high school tuition and the unemployment line to the building maintenance and teacher salaries line items for the amount of \$197,420.31. She would like the Board to approve to transfer \$197,420.31 to offset the deficits.

Ms. Burgess made a motion to transfer \$197,420.31 from the two lines identified in the transfer report to cover the over expenditures.

(Burgess/Phaiah)
No discussion

Vote Count: 6, 0

Unanimous vote to approve

d. Brooklyn's Best

BES

- Grade levels met with the intervention team to discuss student data. The teams worked hard to develop groupings to meet the needs of all of the children
- Mr. March worked with the Arts for Learning Connecticut to bring some wonderful assemblies to our students. The Arts for Learning Connecticut is a statewide nonprofit providing creative, cultural, curricular-aligned arts programming in schools across CT.
- Congratulations to Ms. Gardner for passing all of her TEAM requirements! Well done!

BMS

• Good Cookie March 2023:

Grade 5: King/DS/Desabota: Avery Dumas

Carson/Nault: Madyson Schuck

Grade 6: Christopher Speranza, Sophia Nelson

Grade 7: Ian Thayer, Nina Purcell

Grade 8: Cora Hefner, Edward Purcell

- Planning a whole school Field Day
- Thank you to the PTO for supporting our Community Fitness Course by purchasing meals for teachers on conference night!
- We have had a smooth start to Spring sports.
- Little Mermaid was a huge success! The students did an amazing job! Thank you to Mrs. Dehls for a job well done supporting our students.
- Grade levels are planning end-of-year field trips.
- We had community volunteers that came in to speak to our 7th-grade students regarding their immigration experiences. The students learned a lot and were well-prepared for the panel.
- 4th Quarter after-school activities have started this week and we have over 40 students participating in addition to our athletes.

7. Board of Education Committee Reports

None to report

8. Board Representatives to Other Committees

Mr. Ives stated that the mill rate is going up by 1.123. He stated that the Board of Finance had changed the Fire Department budgets slightly and at tonight's meeting, the Board of Finance set the May 10th and 24th for Town Meeting nights. Mr. Ives stated that the Board of Finance is trying to get a 10% surplus in a reserve account, similar to a rainy day fund such as an unexpected problem. He stated that this account had gotten very low and if this budget passes it will be at 7.8%.

9. Old Business

None

10. New Business

a. Annual Healthy Food Certification Statement for School Year 2023-2024

Mrs Buell stated the Annual Healthy Food Certification statement is for the reimbursement for meals and the Board of Education needs to make motions to approve.

Motion 1:

Ms. Burgess made a motion: Pursuant to C.G.S. Section 10-215f, the Brooklyn Board of Education or governing authority certifies that all food items offered for sale to students in the schools under its jurisdiction, and not exempted for the

Connecticut Nutrition Standards published by the Connecticut State Department of Education, will comply with the Connecticut Nutrition Standards during the period of July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024. This certification shall include all food offered for sale to students separately from reimbursable meals at all times and from all sources, including but not limited to school stores, vending machines, school cafeterias, culinary programs, and any fundraising activities on school premises sponsored by the school or non-school organizations and groups. (Burgess/Phaiah)

No discussion

Vote Count: 5 in favor; 1 abstention

Mrs. Lyons: Yes

Dr. Perkins-Banas: Yes

Mr. Phaiah: Yes Mrs. Burgess: Yes

Mr. Ives: Yes

Mr. Sostre: Abstention

Motion Granted: Yes

Motion 2:

Mr. Ives made a motion: The Board of Education or governing authority will allow the sale to students of food items that do not meet the Connecticut Nutrition Standards provided that the following conditions are met: 1.) the sale is in connection with an event occurring after the end of the regular school day or on the weekend; 2.) the sale is at the location of the event; and 3.) the food items are not sold from a vending machine or school store. An "event" is an occurrence that involves more than just a regularly scheduled practice, meeting, or extracurricular activity. For example, soccer games, school plays, and interscholastic debates are events but soccer practices, school rehearsals, and debate team meetings are not. The "regular school day" is the period from midnight before to 30 minutes after the end of the official school day. "Location" means where the event is being held and must be the same place as the food sales.

(Ives/Phaiah)
No discussion

Vote Count: 5 in favor, 1 abstention

Mrs. Lyons: Yes

Dr. Perkins-Banas: Yes

Mr. Phaiah: Yes Mrs. Burgess: Yes Mr. Ives: Yes

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Mr. Sostre: Abstention

Motion Granted: Yes

b. First Reading: Policy 9110

Mrs Buell stated Policy 9110, Bylaws of the Board of Education, is a first read for
the Board. She would like to have a few adjustments made to this policy once the
Board has time to review.

11. Public Comment	
None	
12. Adjournment	
Motion to adjourn at 7:44 p.m. (Perkins-Banas/Phaiah) No Discussion Vote Count: 6, 0 Unanimous vote to approve	
Respectfully Submitted, Donna L. DiBenedello	
Donna L. DiBenedetto Board Clerk	
Justin Phaiah, Board of Education Secretary	Date







April 27, 2023

Madyson Knox 347 Allen Hill Road Brooklyn, CT 06234

Dear Madyson:

It is with great pleasure that I inform you that you have been chosen to receive the May Head of School Award. This award is based on a commitment to The Woodstock Academy and our community, trustworthiness, and respect for peers and staff, as well as leadership and dedication. A student must also be in good academic standing and maintain good or improving grades by passing all classes and be in good disciplinary standing.

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Sincerely,

Christopher Sandford

Head of School

Patricia Buell, Superintendent of Brooklyn Public Schools Cc. The Woodstock Academy Board of Trustees Counseling Department





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Jason Konsavich 26 Anderson Road Brooklyn, CT 06234

Dear Jason:

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Christopher Sandford Head of School

Cc. Patricia Buell, Superintendent of Brooklyn Public Schools

The Woodstock Academy Board of Trustees







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Peishi Liu 207 Day Street Brooklyn, CT 06234

Dear Peishi:

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Mia Pannone 257 Gorman Road Brooklyn, CT 06234

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Cc. Patricia Buell, Superintendent of Brooklyn Public Schools

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Davis Simpson 78 Pheasant Lane Brooklyn, CT 06234

Dear Davis:

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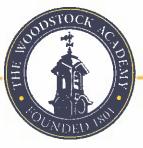
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Patricia Buell, Superintendent of Brooklyn Public Schools Cc.

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April 27, 2023

Owen Tracy 236 Woodward Road Brooklyn, CT 06234

Dear Owen:

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The Brooklyn Public Schools

119 Gorman Road Brooklyn, CT 06234 Phone: (860) 774-9732 Fax: (860) 774-6938 Patricia L. Buell Superintendent buell@brooklynschools.org

May 17, 2023

Rachel Blair Neil Souvigney 104 Underwood Unit 10 Putnam, CT 06260

RE: Donation

Dear Ms. Blair & Mr. Souvigney,

On behalf of the Brooklyn Public Schools, I would like to extend my appreciation for your donation this year toward the school lunch program.

Your kindness to our Brooklyn families is greatly appreciated and a relief to those families in need of assistance.

Your donation will be publicly acknowledged during the May 24, 2023 Board of Education meeting and I would like to once thank you and let you know how thankful we truly are.

Thank you for supporting Brooklyn Public Schools.

Sincerely,

Patricia L. Buell

PB/tm

cc: Justin Phaiah, Board of Education Secretary

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May 18, 2023

Walmart Supercenter #5777 % The Walmart Community Grants Team 450 Providence Road Brooklyn, CT 06234

To Whom It May Concern:

On behalf of the Brooklyn Board of Education and the Brooklyn Public Schools I would like to thank you for awarding Brooklyn Public Schools the Community Grant. The \$2,000 will greatly benefit our Community Fitness Course. Thank you!

This donation will be recognized at the Board of Education meeting on May 24, 2023 at 7:00pm. Thank you for your continued support of the Brooklyn Public Schools and our community!

Sincerely,

Patricia L. Buell

PB/tm

cc: Justin Phaiah, Board of Education Secretary

Dear Brooklyn Board of Education,

We are writing to inform you of a Witness Stone project coming to Brooklyn. The Witness Stone Project is a curriculum guide for restoring history and honoring the humanity of enslaved persons who helped to build our communities. This Witness Stone ceremony is to honor Mr. Dick Putnam. Mr. Putnam was an enslaved person under Israel Putnam, farmer and Revolutionary War hero. Dick Putnam likely labored in the fields day in and day out. Depending on his particular treatment, his life could have been very difficult or not. He could have lived in a shabby hut without the bare minimum for survival, or he could have experienced the more "fortunate" aspects of slavery and lived in nicer conditions. Unfortunately, we don't know, which is why we are doing this memorial. To give Dick Putnam back his humanity, and to remember him, we are honoring him with this memorial. This ceremony will take place on Wednesday, May 31st, from 10-11 A.M. at the old Brooklyn Meeting House at 7 Hartford Road, Brooklyn Connecticut. We hope that you can attend this local event to give back Dick Putnam's identity.

Sincerely,

Kyleigh Bigelow, Julia Jarvis, and Tobin Jarvis,

Brooklynites from Mr. Lewerk's Honors American Citizenship Classes at Killingly High School

F	Brooklyn	Public Sc	hools En	rollment 2	2022-2021	2				
BES Grade	JOURIYII	ubile 30	IIIOOIS EII	Jillilelit 2			05/18/2023			
Level, Sections	Pre-K	К	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Total			
PK AM Class 1	18	18	17	18	19	16	106			
PK PM Class 1	16	18	17	19	20	20	110			
PK AM Class 2	15	18	16	18	20	20	107			
PK PM Class 2	17	18	15	18	20	19	107			
PK AM Class 3	17		15	18	20	18	88			
PK PM Class 3	18									
Total in person	101	72	80	91	99	93	534			
Homeschooled	2	0	3	4	2	2	13			
BMS Grade Level, Sections	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth			Total			
Level, Sections	17	21	20	18			76			
	18	20	22	18			78			
	20	22	22	20			84			
	18	21	20	21			80			
		21		21						
	20	-	19				39			
Total in person	93	84	103	77	-		357			
Homeschooled	2	3	5	7			17			
Homeschooled	2	3	5	/			17			
High School Stud	Ninth	Tenth	Eleventh	Twelfth			Total			
Woodstock Academy	67	41	53	57			218			
Killingly High School	25	11	22	32			90			
Killingly Ag Science	5	0	3	0			8			
Plainfield High School	1	0	1	0			2			
Parish Hill High School				Ů			0			
Putnam High School	0	0	1	0			1			
Griswold High School	-			-			0			
Norwich Free Academy	1	2	2	6			11			
Ellis Technical High School	9	13	16	17			55			
Quinebaug	2	0	3	1			6			
Middle College	0	0	0	0			0			
**LEARN Magnet	U	U	U	U			U			
School	0	0	0	0			0			
Total by Grade	110	67	101	113			391			
OUT OF DISTRIC	T STUDENTS (no	t counted in totals	above)				18			
TOTAL BROOK	LYN STUDENT	ENROLLMENT P	K-21				1300			
Total Enrollment	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
2017-18	1314	1314	1311	1304	1310	1312	1311	1318	1319	1320
2018-19	1332	1336	1327	1326	1325	1325	1320	1333	1338	1339
2019-20	1342	1343	1344	1345	1348	1342	COVID last day 3	3/13/2020		
2020-2021										
(COVID, In/Opt Out)	1260	1242	1243	1246	1245	1227	1230	1244	1251	1251
2021-22	1258.5	1270.5	1275.5	1282.5	1281.5	1280.5	1282.5	1279.5	1281.5	1283.5
2022-2023	1305	1298	1294	1291	1290	1292		1303	1300	
Homeschooled 20-21	30	35	47	30	50	61	61	53	53	53
21-22	19	22								
22-23	32	20	22	22	24	27	27	27	30	
	Sept	June								
2017-18	1314	1320								
2018-19	1332	1339								
2019-20	1342	1342								
2020-2021*	1260	1251								
2021-22	1274	1283.5								
2022-2023	1305									

Acet	Account Name	Budget 22-23	Transfers	Budget 22-23	Ytd Expended	Encumbered	Total Exp/Encum	Balance	% Exp/Encum
1100	Salaries Administration	\$821,699.00	\$-	\$821,699.00	\$741,358.20	\$108,453.33	\$849,811.53	\$28,112.53	103.00%
1103	Salaries- Substitute Teachers	\$95,000.00	\$-	\$95,000.00	\$76,817.22	\$4,500.00	\$83,317.22	\$11,682.78	88.00%
1104	Salaries-Substitute Instructional Aides	\$20,000.00	\$-	\$20,000.00	\$46,097.61	\$-	\$46,097.61	-\$26,097.61	230.00%
1105	Salaries-Intern Support Staff	\$23,373.00	\$23,373.00	\$ -	\$18,247.95	\$ -	\$18,247.95	\$5,125.05	
1110	Salaries-Support Staff	\$1,128,075.00	\$-	\$1,128,075.00	\$906,861.95	\$172,551.77	\$1,079,413.72	\$48,661.28	96.00%
1111	Salaries-Teachers	\$5,496,985.00	\$11,627.00	\$5,485,358.00	\$4,366,780.14	\$1,185,913.86	\$5,552,694.00	-\$55,709.00	101.00%
1112	Salaries-Instructional Aides	\$1,110,808.00	\$-	\$1,110,808.00	\$930,903.32	\$178,531.93	\$1,109,435.25	\$1,372.75	100.00%
1119	ESY Teacher	\$5,760.00	\$-	\$5,760.00	\$5,792.52	\$-	\$5,792.52	-\$32.52	101.00%
1129	ESY Paraprofessional	\$17,280.00	\$-	\$17,280.00	\$16,545.31	\$-	\$16,545.31	\$734.69	96.00%
1130	Salaries-Custodiai O/T	\$2,000.00	\$ -	\$2,000.00	\$6,876.86	\$-	\$6,876.86	-\$4,876.86	344.00%
1151	Additional Compensation-Teachers	\$53,690.00	\$-	\$53,690.00	\$24,420.00	\$9,909.00	\$34,329.00	\$19,361.00	64.00%
1152	fT Summer Salaries	\$7,500.00	\$-	\$7,500.00	\$2,658.75	\$ -	\$2,658.75	\$4,841.25	35.00%
1000	Total Salaries	\$8,782,170.00	\$35,000.00	\$8,747,170.00	\$7,145,359.83	\$1,659,859.89	\$8,805,219.72	-\$23,049.72	101.00%
2110	Health Ins Employer	\$1,774,190.00	\$-	\$1,774,190.00	\$1,551,680.01	\$102,509.99	\$1,654,190.00	\$120,000.00	93.00%
2115	Dental Ins. Employer	\$104,410.00	\$-	\$104,410.00	\$82,932.14	\$9,735.42	\$92,667.56	\$11,742.44	89.00%
2120	HSA	\$193,750.00	\$ ·	\$193,750.00	\$164,479.16	ş	\$164,479.16	\$29,270.84	85.00%
2200	Fica/Medicare Employer portion	\$286,086.00	\$-	\$286,086.00	\$234,234.70	\$44,909.16	\$279,143.86	\$6,942.14	98.00%
2300	Pension/Retirement Expenses	\$266,828.00	\$-	\$266,828.00	\$266,828.00	\$-	\$266,828.00	\$-	100.00%
2510	Tuition Reimbursement	\$15,000.00	\$-	\$15,000.00	\$9,063.00	\$-	\$9,063.00	\$5,937.00	60.00%
2600	Unemployment	\$-	-\$35,000.00	\$35,000.00		\$-	\$-	\$-	0.00%
2700	Workers Compensation	\$85,943.00	\$-	\$85,943.00	\$86,926.89	ş.	\$86,926.89	-\$983.89	101.00%
2800	Life Insurance	\$19,293.00	\$-	\$19,293.00	\$16,310.19	\$4,178.61	\$20,488.80	-\$1,195.80	106.00%
2000	Total Benefits	\$2,745,500.00	-\$35,000.00	\$2,780,500.00	\$2,412,454.09	\$161,333.18	\$2,573,787.27	\$171,712.73	93.00%
3000	Lightning Strike	\$-	\$-	\$40	-\$13,651.39	\$-	-\$13,651.39	\$-	
3020	Legal Services	\$25,000.00	\$-	\$25,000.00	\$21,147.50	\$3,852.50	\$25,000.00	\$-	100.00%
3200	Professional Educational Services	\$171,585.00	-\$18,000.00	\$189,585.00	\$69,620.70	\$12,849.39	\$82,470.09	\$89,114.91	44.00%
3230	Pupil Services	\$2,500.00	\$:	\$2,500.00	\$-	\$-	\$ ·	\$2,500.00	0.00%
3400	Other Professional Services	\$55,800.00	\$10,000.00	\$45,800.00	\$36,986.50	\$3,508.00	\$40,494.50	\$15,305.50	88.00%
3410	Audit	\$28,465.00	\$-	\$28,465.00	\$12,300.00	\$4,965.00	\$17,265.00	\$11,200.00	61.00%
3500	Technical Services	\$32,800.00	\$-	\$32,800.00	\$26,386.47	\$2,889.00	\$29,275.47	\$3,524.53	89.00%
3520	Other Technical Services	\$13,475.00	\$8,000.00	\$5,475.00	\$11,952.00	ş.	\$11,952.00	\$1,523.00	218.00%
3540	Sports Officials	\$5,000.00	\$.	\$5,000.00	\$3,212.36	\$419.33	\$3,631.69	\$1,368.31	73.00%
3000	Total Prof. Services	\$334,625.00	\$.	\$334,625.00	\$167,954.14	\$28,483.22	\$196,437.36	\$124,536.25	59.00%
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4101	Refuse Removal	\$15,000.00	Ş-	\$15,000.00	\$10,358.67	\$2,560.15	\$12,918.82	\$2,061.18	86.00%
4300	Equipment Repairs	\$22,000.00	\$ -	\$22,000.00	\$14,664.83	\$1,960.50	\$16,625.33	\$5,374.67	76.00%
4301	Building Maintenance	\$202,420.31	\$162,420.31	\$40,000.00	\$53,805.43	\$132,733.64	\$186,539.07	\$15,881.24	466.00%
4302	Fire/Security Maintenance	\$16,500.00		\$16,500.00	\$14,191.39	\$961.25	\$15,152.64	\$1,347.36	92.00%
4303	Grounds Maintenance		ş.	\$17,000.00	\$15,241.27	\$4,183.49	\$19,424.76	-\$2,424.76	114.00%
4320	Technology Related Repairs	\$6,000.00		\$6,000.00	\$1,014.40		\$1,014.40	\$4,985.60	17.00%
4411	Water/Sewer	\$27,836.00	ş.	\$27,836.00	\$22,404.95	\$7,804.05	\$30,209.00	-\$2,373.00	109.00%
4430	Rental of Equipment - Copiers	\$58,000.00	\$ ·	\$58,000.00	\$29,549.09	\$9,639.28	\$39,188.37	\$18,811.63	68.00%
4000	Total Contracted Services	\$364,756.31	\$162,420 31	\$202,336.00		\$159,842.36	\$321,072.39	\$43,683.92	159.00%

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5100	Pupil Transportation-Local/High	\$781,333.00		\$781,333.00	\$537,822.35	\$313,883.35	\$851,705.70	-\$70,372.70	109.00%
5110	Student Transportation-Spec. Ed In-State	\$227,424.00	\$-	\$227,424.00	\$234,840.00	\$128,356.00	\$363,196.00	-\$135,772.00	160.00%
5130	TRANS, SPECIAL ED - ESY		\$-	\$39,661.00	\$27,556.25		\$27,556.25	\$12,104.75	69.00%
5150	Transportation-Athletics/Field Trips	\$26,400.00	\$	\$26,400.00	\$5,609.00	\$2,620.75	\$8,229.75	\$18,170.25	31.00%
5200	Property & Liability Insurance	\$74,753.00	\$-	\$74,753.00	\$74,746.00		\$74,746.00	\$7.00	100.00%
5300	Communications	\$12,440.00	\$	\$12, <u>440.00</u>	\$11,099.06	\$87,297.80	\$98,396.86	\$85,956.86	791.00%
5301	Postage	\$3,300.00	\$ -	\$3,300.00	\$2,398.22	\$82.08	\$2,480.30	\$819.70	75.00%
5400	Advertising	\$6,950.00	\$-	\$6,950.00	\$6,710.72	\$.	\$8,710.72	\$239.28	97.00%
5600	Tultion-High School	\$4,519,930.69	-\$162,420.31	\$4,682,351.00	\$4,028,571.71	\$490,529.76	\$4,519,101.47	\$829.22	97.00%
5610	Tutton-Vo Ag	\$28,960.00	\$-	\$28,960.00	\$38,988.55	\$15,595.45	\$54,584.00	-\$25,624.00	188.00%
5630	Tuition-Spec. Ed Private	\$921,151.00	\$-	\$921,151.00	\$703,438.49	\$234,799.09	\$938,237.58	\$17,086.58	102.00%
5640	Tuition-Spec. Ed-In State LEA	\$892,148.00	\$-	\$892,148.00	\$793,687.76	\$156,249.61	\$949,937,37	-\$57,769.37	106.00%
5650	Tuition-Spec. Ed-Private Out of State	\$68,014.00	\$	\$68,014.00	\$20,150.00	\$14,260.00	\$34,410.00	\$33,604.00	51.00%
5800	Travel Reimbursement	\$14,500.00	\$-	\$14,500.00	\$2,107 <u>.86</u>	\$230.84	\$2,338.70	\$12,161.30	18.00%
5910	ADULT EDUCATION	\$28,000.00	\$-	\$28,000.00	\$29,593.00	\$ -	\$29,593.00	-\$1,593.00	106.00%
5000	Total Other Services	\$7,644,964.69	-\$162,420.31	\$7,807,385.00	\$6,517,318.97	\$1,443,904.73	\$7,961,223.70	-\$316,259.01	102.00%
6100	General Supplies	\$62,645.00	\$ ·	\$62,645.00	\$59,538.47	\$17,774.63	\$77,313.10	-\$14,668.10	123.00%
6110	Instructional Supplies	\$66,940.00	\$.	\$66,940.00	\$65,002.20	\$10,797.00	\$75,799.20	-\$8,859.20	113.00%
6120	Admin Supplies	\$25,135.00		\$25,135.00	\$20,659.04	\$2,328.58	\$22,987.62	\$2,147.38	91.00%
6220	Electricity	\$89,547.00	\$-	\$89,547.00	\$48,920.30	\$28,119.70	\$77,040.00	\$12,507.00	88.00%
6230	Propane Gas	\$1,500.00		\$1,500.00	\$-	\$-	\$.	\$1,500.00	0.00%
6240	Fuel Oil	\$96,663.00		\$96,663.00	\$85,164.71	\$11,498.29	\$96,663.00	\$ -	100.00%
6260	Gasoline/Diesel	\$93,176.00		\$93,176.00	\$48,791.67	\$13,022.75	\$61,814.42	\$31,361.58	66.00%
6400	Books	\$5,500.00		\$5,500.00	\$5,099.09	\$-	\$5,099.09	\$400.91	93.00%
6410	Textbooks	\$46,125.00		\$46,125.00	\$25,908.63	\$-	\$25,908.63	\$20,216.37	56.00%
6420	Library Books	\$6,635.00		\$6,635.00	\$3,474.94	\$-	\$3,474.94	\$3,160.06	52,00%
6430	Periodicals	\$2,723.00		\$2,723.00	\$282.48		\$282.48	\$2,440.52	10.00%
6500	Supplies - Technology Related	\$5,000.00		\$5,000.00	\$416.58	\$675.86	\$1,092.42	\$3,907.58	22.00%
6900	Other Supplies		\$.	\$20,580.00	\$7,935.95		\$9,005.03	\$11,574.97	44.00%
6000	Total Supplies	\$522,169.00		\$522,169.00	\$371,194.04	\$85,285.89	\$456,479.93	\$65,689.07	87.00%
3344	Total Supplies	4322,103.00		(322)	44.11.0				
7345	Instructional Equipment	\$68,452.00	¢.	\$68,452.00	\$27,479.04	\$20,045.20	\$47,524.24	\$20,927.76	69.00%
7350	Technology Software	\$31,340.00		\$31,340.00	\$17,006.20		\$17,586.46	\$13,753.54	56.00%
7000		\$99,792.00		\$99,792.00	\$44,485.24	\$20,625.46	\$65,110.70		-
7000	Total Equipment	\$59,132.00	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	499,792.00	\$11,000 <u>.21</u>	\$20,020.40	400,110.10	401,001.00	
8100	Dues and Fees	\$34,195.00	٠.	\$34,195.00	\$28,859.96	\$103.22	\$28,963.18	\$5,231.82	85.00%
	•	\$34,195.00		\$34,195.00	\$28,859.96		\$28,963.18	\$5,231.82	85.00%
8000	Total Dues & Fees	\$12,604.00		\$12,604.00	\$1,786.70		\$1,786.70	\$10,817.30	14.00%
B440		\$12,004.00	**	\$12,004.00	\$1,700.70		\$1,700.70	\$10,011100	14.00%
9140	Contingency	******		\$40.00±00	\$1,786.70		\$1,786.70	\$10,817.30	14.00%
9000_	Total Other	\$12,604.00	· .	\$12,604.00	\$1,786.70	1	91,700.70	410/011/30	14.00%
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1010	Total General Fund	\$20,540,776.00	5-	\$20,540,776.00	\$16,850,643.00	\$3,559,437.95	\$20,410,680.95	\$117,043.66	39.00%



Brooklyn's Best

Brooklyn Elementary School

- Mrs. Corbin, Mrs. Minarik, Ms. Rainville, Mr. Osborn and Ms. Caulfield have all recently completed TEAM!
- Positive Office Referrals: Many students have been receiving referrals for making great choices and being Big-Hearted, Engaged, Acting Safely and being Respectful. The students (and their teachers) are VERY proud!
- SBAC is underway and our students are doing an amazing job. Even our younger students are showing their support by creating posters and notes of encouragement for the third and fourth grade students.
- Mrs. Langevin provided an outstanding professional development to our staff on the early release day
 to give them a glimpse into our new reading intervention program that is aligned with mClass which is
 part of the K-3 state approved universal screen list. Her passion for reading intervention was
 contagious!
- Our art teachers have put so much love and time into the Art Show. We cannot wait to see the event and all the student masterpieces.

Brooklyn Middle School

Good Cookie March						
5th Grade	King/DS/Desabota: Avery Dumas	Carson/Nault: Madyson Schuck				
6th Grade	Christopher Speranza	Sophia Nason				
7th Grade	lan Thayer	Nina Purcell				
8th Grade	Cora Hefner	Edward Purcell				

Good Cookie April					
5th Grade	King/DS/Desabota:	Carson/Nault: Connor Saez			
6th Grade	Henry Goodwin	Aislynn Hassett			

7th Grade	Olivia Devolve	Melanie Dipippo
8th Grade	Mikey Sarkis	Jayliana Camacho

- Thank you to Mrs. Paille for collaborating with Mrs. Gatlin to plan a district-wide Art Show for families.
- 5th and 6th Grade Movie Night was well attended with almost 80 students. Thank you to the staff and Student Council members that stayed after school to facilitate and supervise the event.
- 7th and 8th Grade Dance was well attended with over 100 students. Thank you to the staff that stayed to chaperone the event. The students did a great job planning and decorating for the event.
- Our baseball and softball teams had a successful season of growth and development. Thank you to Mr. Gadomski and Mr. Rewers for your work with our students.
- Thank you to Mrs. Kozey and Ms. Mackewicz for a successful Track and Field season.
- Congratulations to Track and Field Qualifiers for the State Championship:
 - Emelia Langevin (1600m & 800m)
 - Aris Roane (400m, long jump & 200m)
 - Mikey Sarkis (shot put & discus)
 - Ayden Daigle (shot put)
 - Cogan Gosselin (discus)
 - Avery Schaefer (400m)
 - Reagan Scheck (shot put & discus)
 - Kai Brailsford (100m)
 - Kendall Ternowcheck (long jump)
 - Nina Purcell (400m)
 - Kai Brailsford, Ryael Riche & Aiden Daigle (4x4 relay)
- Third Quarter 2022 2023 Lions Club Award Recipients:
 - o 5th: Aliya Asante
 - o 6th: Kaydence Saucier
 - o 7th: Carlita Herrera

4/2023 Suggested Edits

Bylaws of the Board

Number of Members, Terms of Office, Oath of Office three of whom are elected

The Board of Education consists of 6_members, who are elected bi-annually.

Terms of Office

The term of office of a school Board member shall be for two years. Members shall take office at the first regularly scheduled meeting after the election. Before entering upon their official duties, members of the Board of Education shall take the oath of office before the Town Clerk or their designee.

Term of Board Officers

All officers of the Board shall hold office for a term of two years and until their successors are elected and have qualified, except in case of removal as provided in Bylaw 9222.

Bylaw adopted by the Board: June 28, 2017

Bylaws of the Board

Number of Members, Terms of Office, Oath of Office

The Board of Education shall continue to consist of six members. Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes § 9-206(b), three members of the Board of Education shall be elected for a term of four years.

Terms of Office

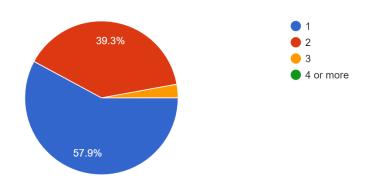
The term of office of the members of the Board of Education shall begin on the Tuesday two weeks after the day of the Town Election, and shall continue until their successors have been elected and have qualified, except in case of removal as provided in Bylaw 9222.

Bylaw adopted by the Board: May 24, 2023

Ref: Town of Brooklyn Ordinance, 2-27.1 Terms of Office of the Members

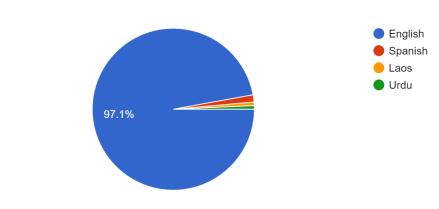
2022-2023 BES Parent Guardian School Climate Survey Results

1. Number of children at Brooklyn Elementary School 140 responses

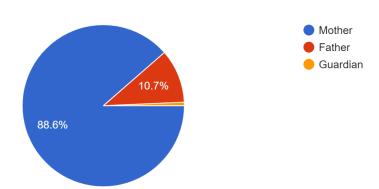


2. My native language is

140 responses

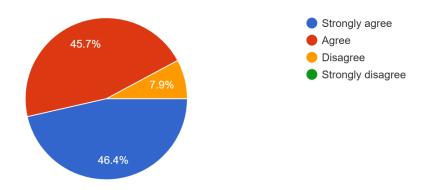


3. I am140 responses

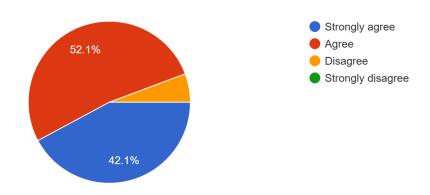


4. In feel informed about my child's progress

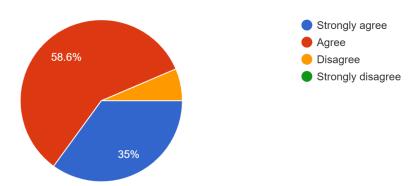
140 responses



5. I know what my child's teacher expects from my child $^{140\,\mathrm{responses}}$

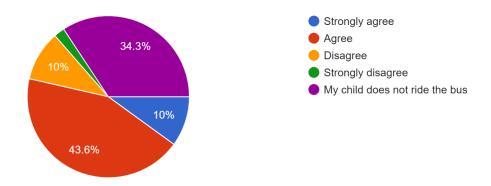


6. My child is safe at school

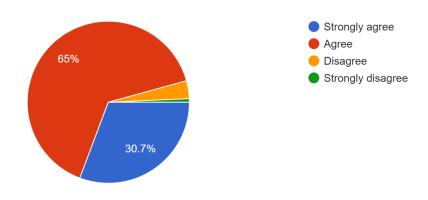


7. My child is safe on the bus

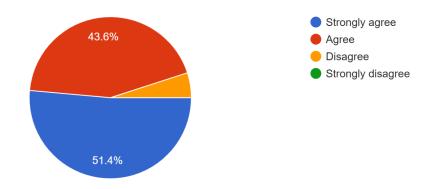
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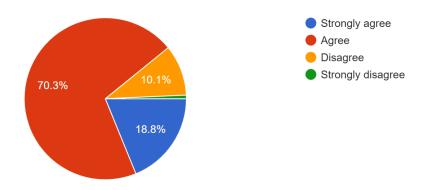
8. There is adequate supervision during school 140 responses



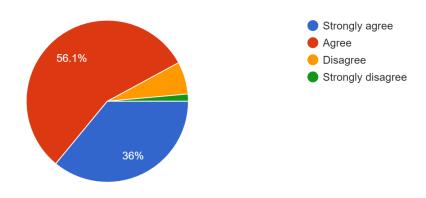
9. Teachers show respect for students 140 responses



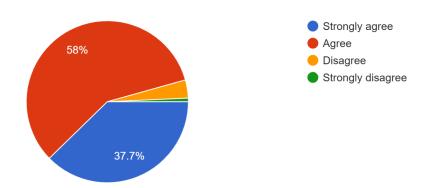
10. Students show respect for other students 138 responses



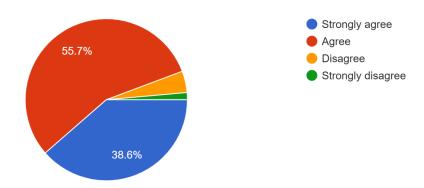
11. The school meets the academic needs of my child 139 responses



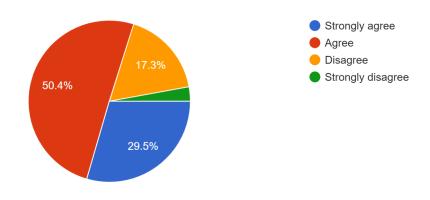
12. The school expects quality work from my child 138 responses



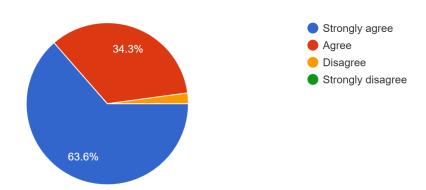
13. Brooklyn Elementary School has an excellent working environment for my child 140 responses



14. I like the schools report card/progress report 139 responses

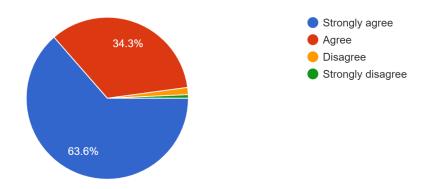


15. I respect the school teachers



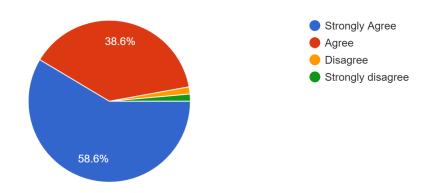
16. I respect the school administration

140 responses

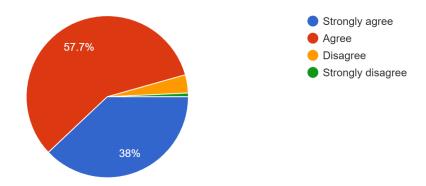


17. I respect the Superintendent

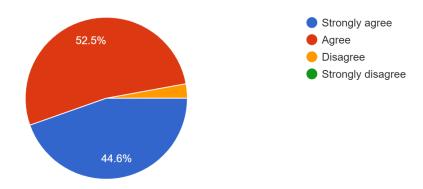
140 responses



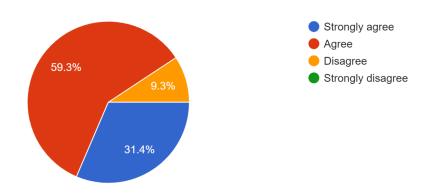
18. Overall, Brooklyn Elementary School performs well academically



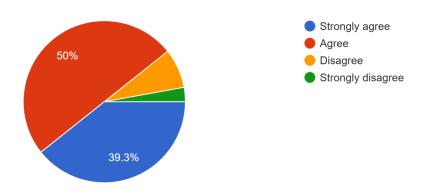
19. Brooklyn Elementary School has a good public image 139 responses



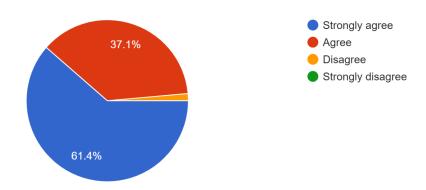
20. The school assessment practices are fair 140 responses



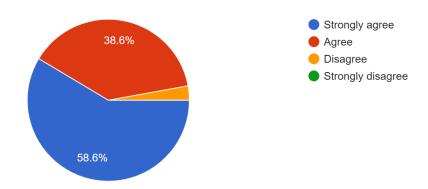
21. My child's teachers help me to help my child at home 140 responses



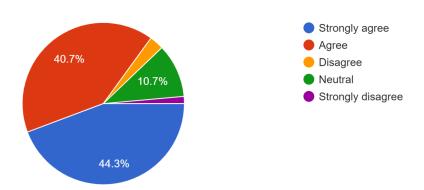
22. I support my child's learning at home 140 responses



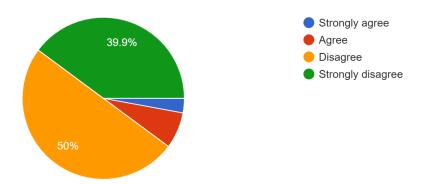
23. My calls and/or emails to school are returned in a timely manner $^{\rm 140\,responses}$



24. At Brooklyn Elementary School there are clear rules against physically hurting other people (for example: hitting, pushing, or tripping)

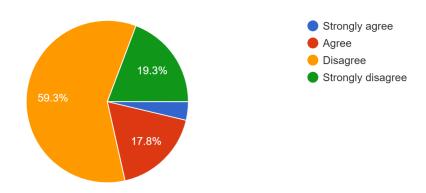


25. I have seen students at Brooklyn Elementary School being physically hurt by other students more than once (for example: pushed, slapped, punched, or beaten up)
138 responses

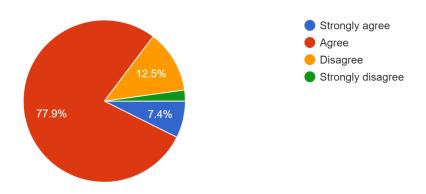


26. At my Brooklyn Elementary School there are a group of students in the school who exclude others and make them feel bad for not being part of the group

135 responses

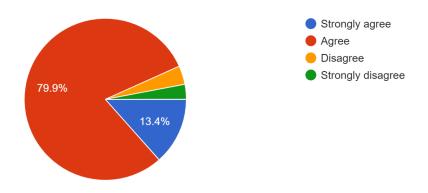


27. At Brooklyn Elementary School, the students will try to stop students from insulting and/or making fun of others

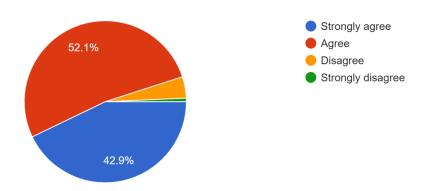


28. At Brooklyn Elementary School, students respect each other's differences (for example: gender, race, culture, disability, sexual orientation, learning difference, etc.)

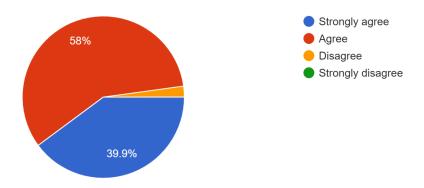
134 responses



29. At Brooklyn Elementary School, parents and/or guardians feel welcome 140 responses

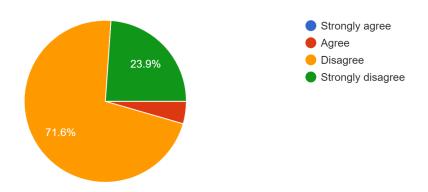


30. Brooklyn Elementary School promotes a culture of respect for all students regardless of race, cultural origins, spiritual beliefs/practices, disability, gender identity or sexual orientation 138 responses



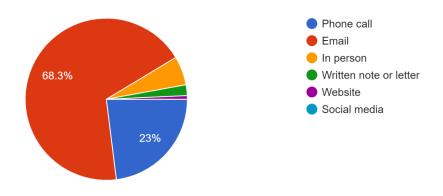
31. Students often bully or harass other students at Brooklyn Elementary School using the internet and/or social media

134 responses

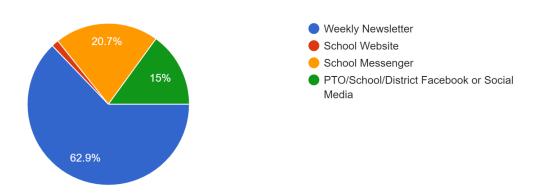


32. My preferred method of communication with the school is

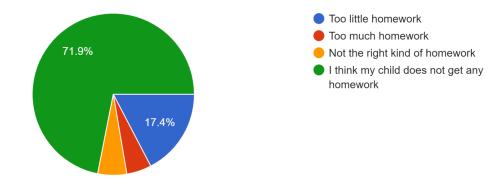
139 responses



33. I get most of my information about school activities by



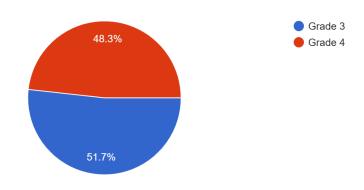
34. Homework: I think my child receives



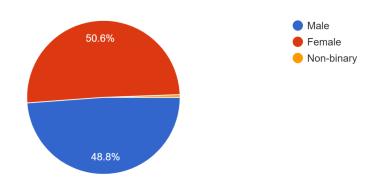
2022-2023 BES Grades 3-4 School Climate Survey Results

1. I am in grade...

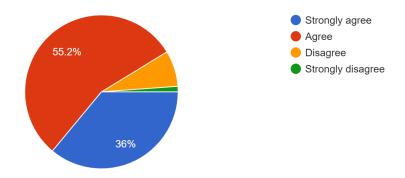
172 responses



2. I am a... 172 responses

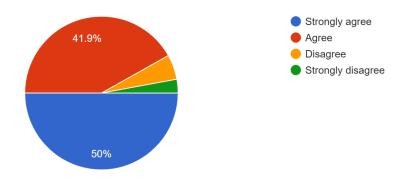


3. When I am at school I feel like I belong



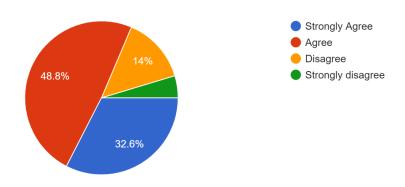
4. When I am at school I am safe

172 responses

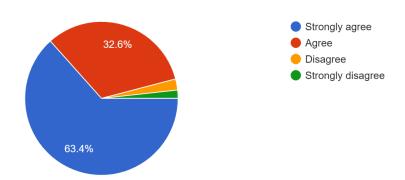


5. I enjoy learning

172 responses

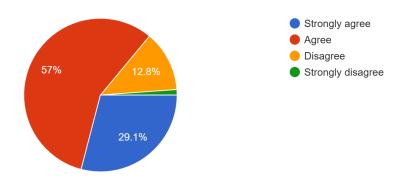


6. I like Brooklyn Elementary School



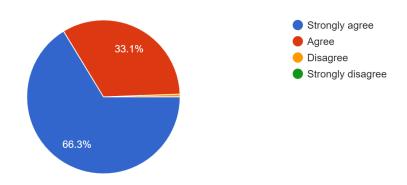
7. At school I have choices in how I learn

172 responses

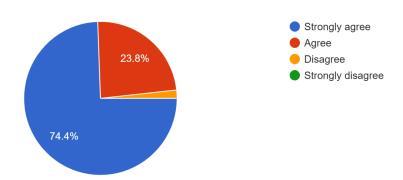


8. My teachers treat me with respect

172 responses

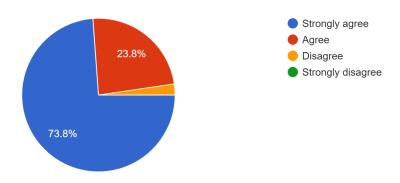


9. My teachers care about me



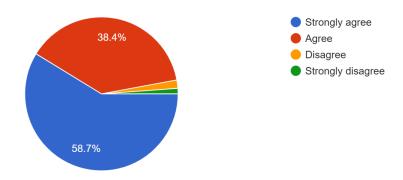
10. My principals care about me

172 responses

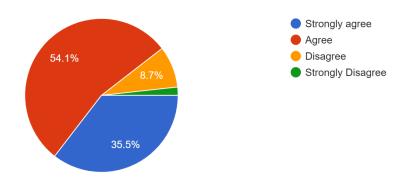


11. My teachers think I will be successful

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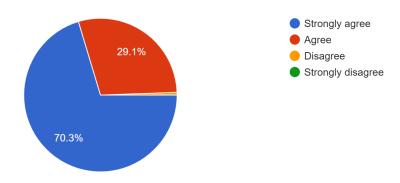


12. My teachers listen to my ideas



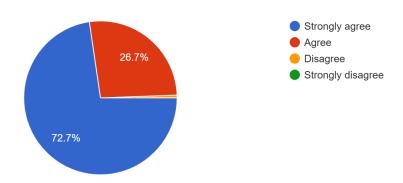
13. My teachers help me learn

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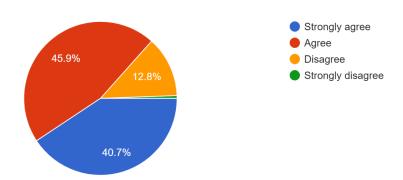


14. My teachers believe I can learn

172 responses

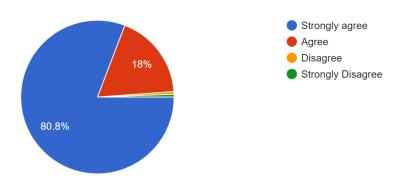


15. I am recognized for good work and/or good effort 172 responses



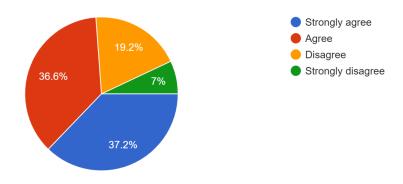
16. The adults care about safety

172 responses

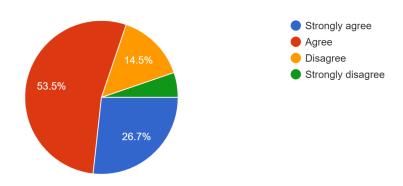


17. When I practice fire drills and lockdown drills it makes me feel safer

172 responses

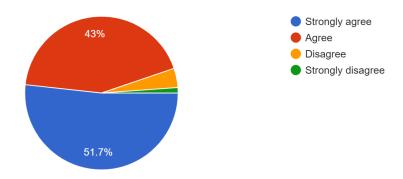


18. I am challenged y the work my teachers ask me to do 172 responses



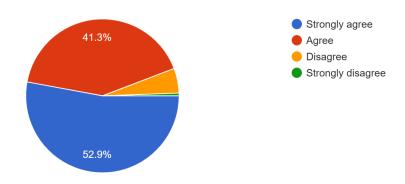
19. I know what I am supposed to be learning in my classes

172 responses

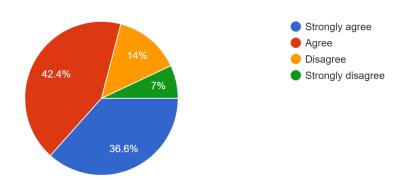


20. I am a good student

172 responses

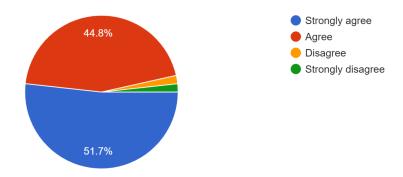


21. I could be a better student



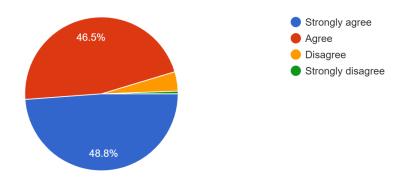
22. My teachers have expectations of me

172 responses

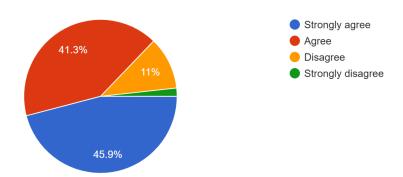


23. I behave well at school

172 responses

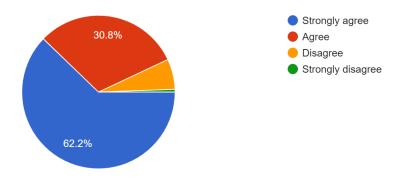


24. Students are treated fairly by teachers



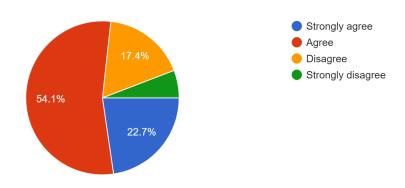
25. Student are treated fairly by the principals

172 responses

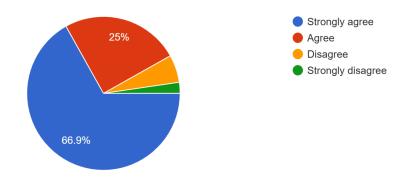


26. Students treat me with respect

172 responses

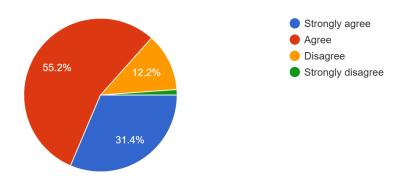


27. There is at least one adult I can go to if I need something $^{\rm 172\,responses}$



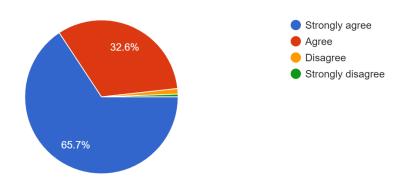
28. Students at my school are friendly

172 responses

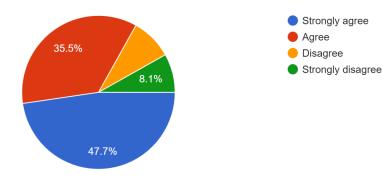


29. I have friends at school

172 responses

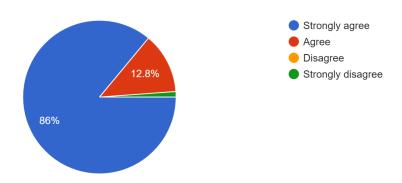


30. I have support for learning at home 172 responses



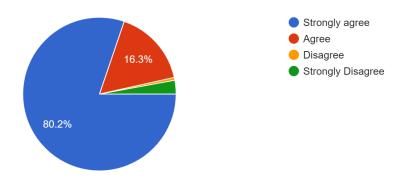
31. My family wants me to do well in school

172 responses

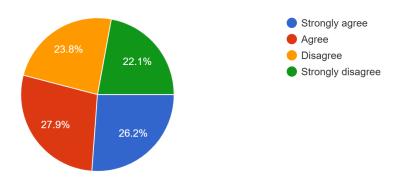


32. At school there are clear rules against physically hurting others (for example: hitting, pushing, or tripping)

172 responses

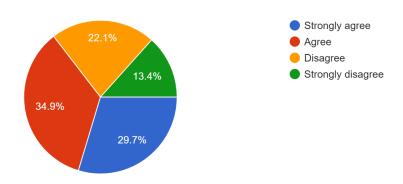


33. I have seen students being physically hurt more than once by other students (for example: pushed, punched, slapped, or beaten up)

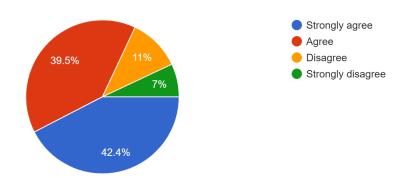


34. There are groups of students who exclude others and make them feel bad for not being a part of the group

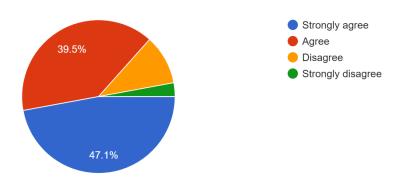
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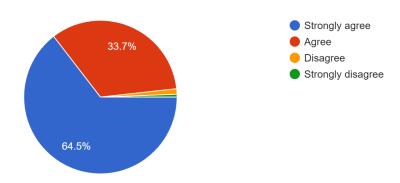
35. Students will try to stop students from insulting or making fun of others $_{\rm 172\,responses}$



36. Students respect each other's differences (for example: gender, race, culture, disability, sexual orientation, learning differences, etc.)

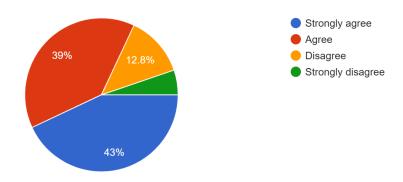


37. My parents/guardians are made to feel welcome at school 172 responses



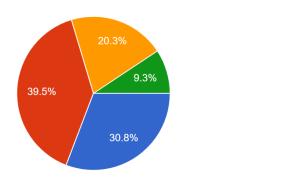
38. I feel safe in the hallways at school

172 responses

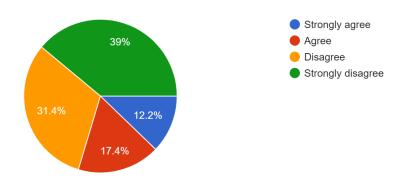


Strongly agreeAgreeDisagreeStrongly disagree

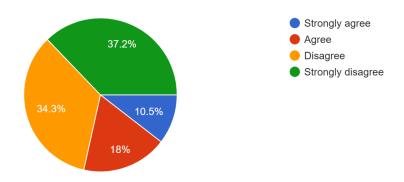
39. I feel safe in the bathrooms at school 172 responses



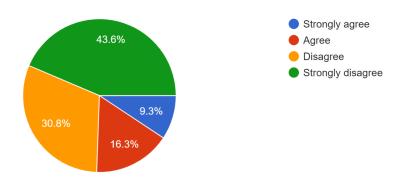
40. Students at the school are bullied or picked on because of their race and/or ethnicity 172 responses



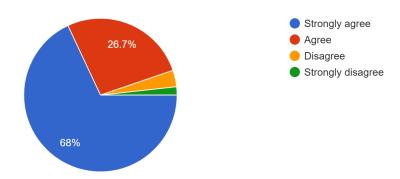
41. Students at the school are bullied and/or picked on because of their spiritual or religious beliefs 172 responses



42. Students at the school are bullied and/or picked on because of their physical or learning disability



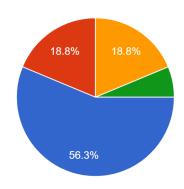
43. I report to an adult when I hear threats and/or bullying $_{\rm 172\,responses}$



2022-2023 BES Staff Climate Survey Results

1. I am a...

32 responses



Ore Academic Teacher

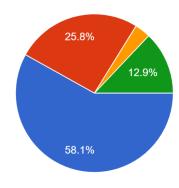
Certified - Other than Core Teacher

Paraprofessional

Non-certified - Other than Paraprofessional

2. I have been in Brooklyn for...

31 responses





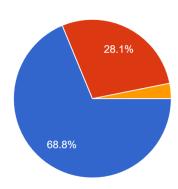
5-10 years

11-15 years

● 16 or more years

3. I feel I belong in this school

32 responses





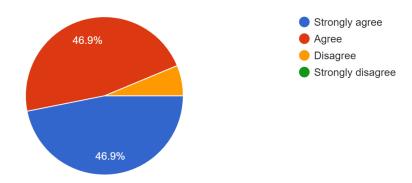
Agree

Disagree

Strongly disagree

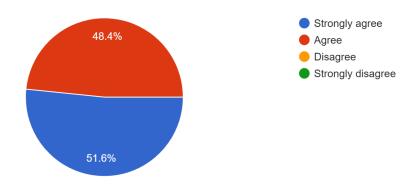
4. I feel supported by my colleagues

32 responses

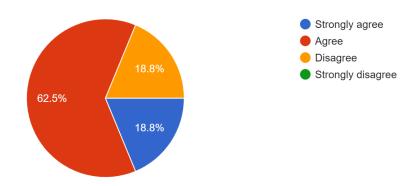


5. I make learning engaging

31 responses

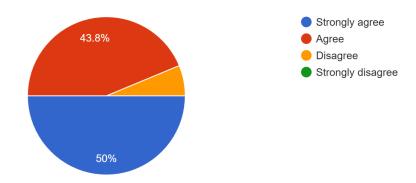


6. I am recognized for good work



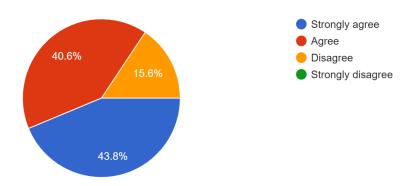
7. I am clear about what my role is

32 responses

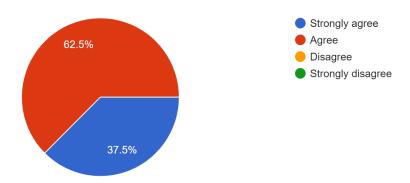


8. I feel that I am treated with respect by my colleagues

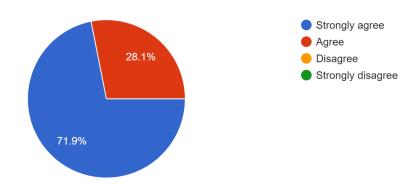
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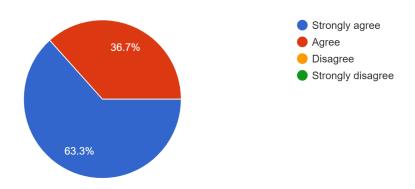
9. I feel I am listened to if I have an idea(s)



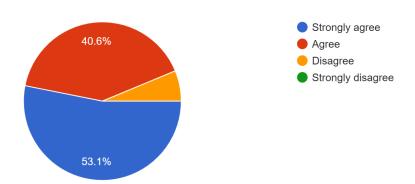
10. My building administrators treat me with respect 32 responses



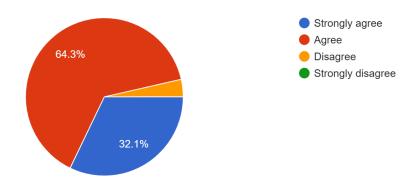
11. My building administrators support my work with my students 30 responses



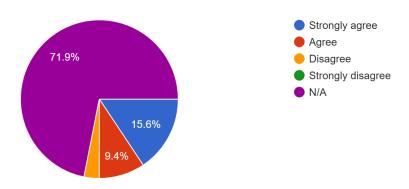
12. My building administrators value shared decision making



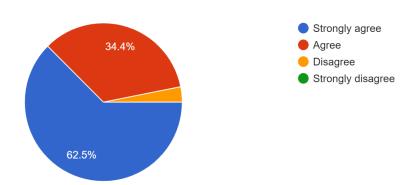
13. I have opportunities to develop my skills as a teacher ^{28 responses}



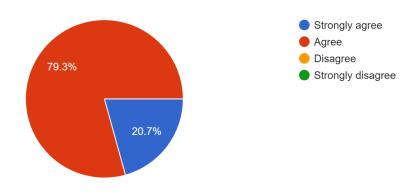
14. I have the opportunity to develop my skills as a paraprofessional or support staff 32 responses



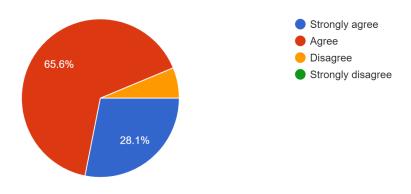
15. I love working at Brooklyn Elementary School 32 responses



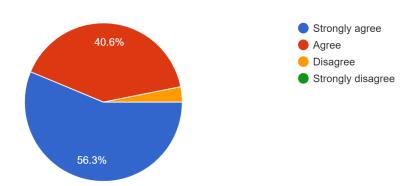
16. I believe that most of the instruction I provide is challenging ^{29 responses}



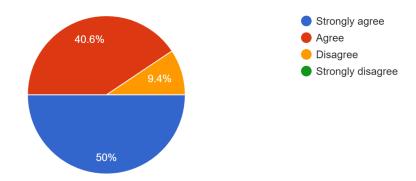
17. I believe that quality work is expected of all students in all classrooms 32 responses



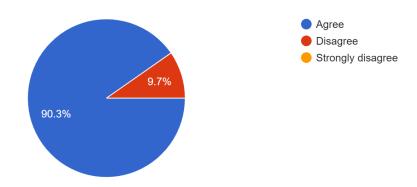
18. I believe that quality work is expected of me 32 responses



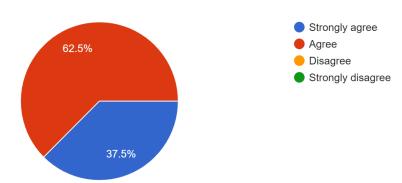
19. I believe the vision for my school year is clear 32 responses



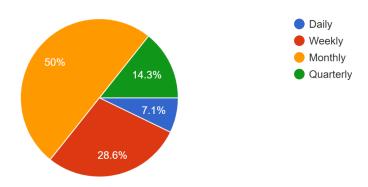
20. I believe the vision for my school is shared by most 31 responses



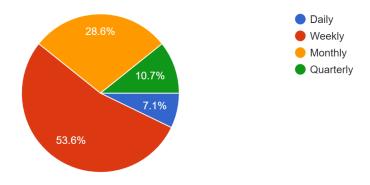
21. I believe that Brooklyn Elementary School has a good public image 32 responses



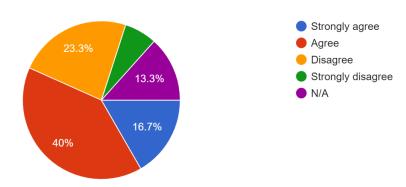
22. I communicate with all/most families about student progress ^{28 responses}



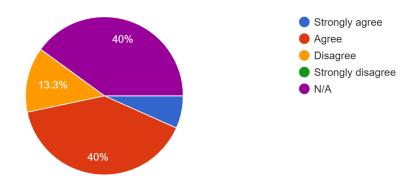
23. I communicate with all/most families about classroom activities ^{28 responses}



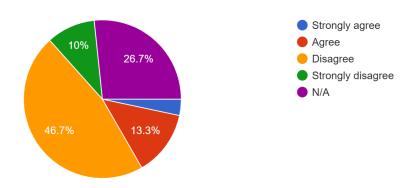
24. I need support to work effectively with students with special needs 30 responses



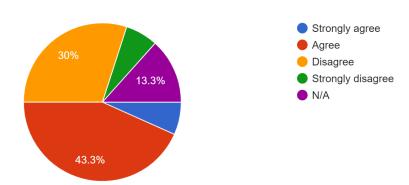
25. I need support to work effectively with EL students 30 responses



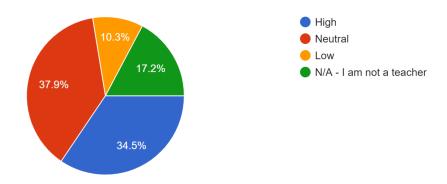
26. I need support to work with students of racially or diverse backgrounds 30 responses



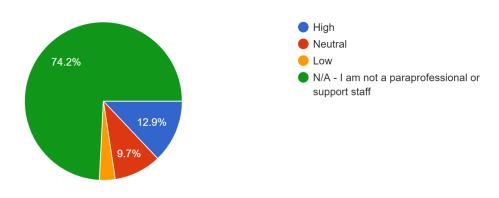
27. I need support to work effectively with low achieving students 30 responses



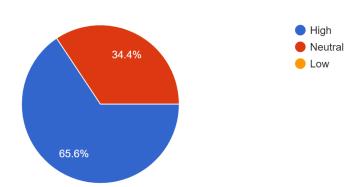
28. As a certified staff member, I think that morale is ^{29 responses}



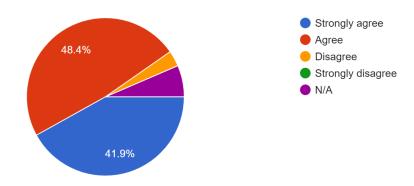
29. As a non-certified staff member, I think morale is 31 responses



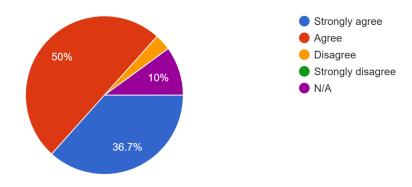
30. I think students would say morale is 32 responses



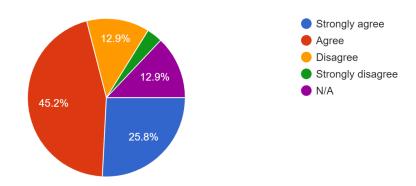
31. Expected student outcomes in my classroom are clear to me 31 responses



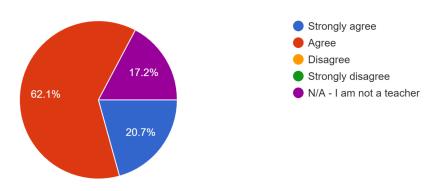
32. Expected student outcomes in my classroom are clear to students 30 responses



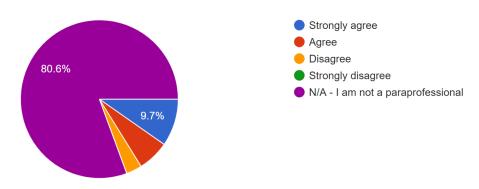
33. I think teacher collaboration across grade and team members is strong 31 responses



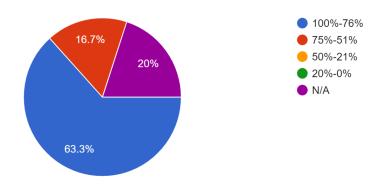
34. As a teacher, I know the state standards that I am expected to teach in all areas ^{29 responses}



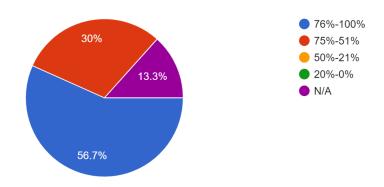
35. As a paraprofessional, I know the state standards that are taught to students 31 responses



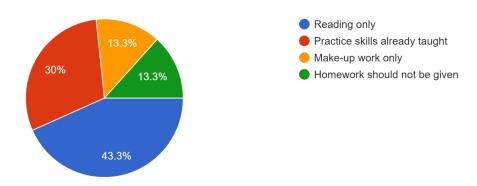
36. The percentage of lessons taught that are clearly articulated and aligned to the state standards 30 responses



37. I provide meaningful feedback on student work/assignments 30 responses

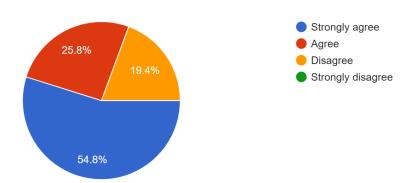


38. I think the following homework should be given to students nightly 30 responses



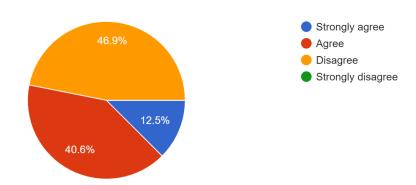
39. In Brooklyn Elementary School, there are clear rules against physically hurting other people (for example: hitting, pushing, or tripping)





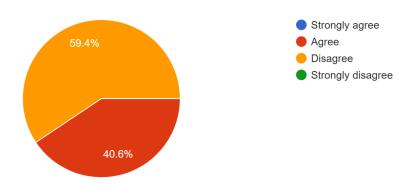
40. In Brooklyn Elementary School, I have seen students push, slap, punch and/or beat up other students more than once

32 responses

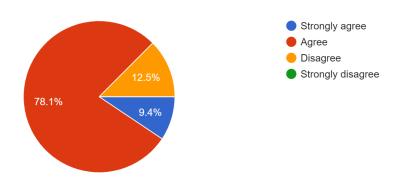


41. There are groups of students at Brooklyn Elementary School who exclude others and make them feel bad for not being part of the group

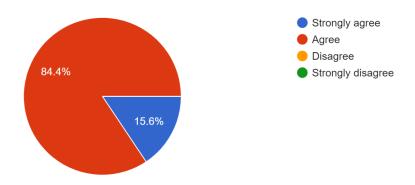
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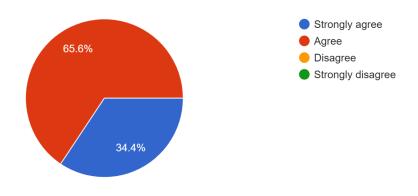
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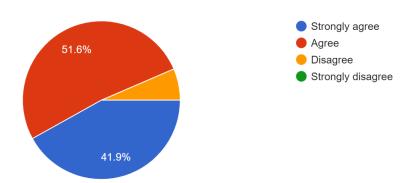
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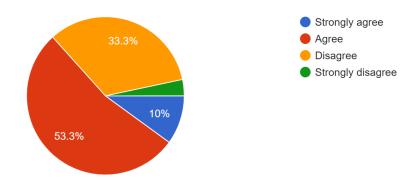
44. Parents and/or guardians are made to feel welcome at Brooklyn Elementary School ^{32 responses}



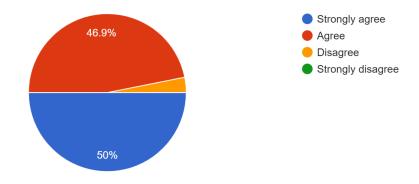
45. I feel safe in the classroom



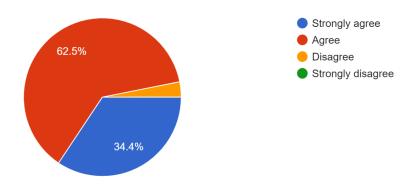
46. I feel that I can discuss personal beliefs and philosophy in the context of classroom instruction 30 responses



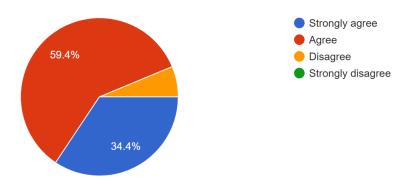
47. Brooklyn Elementary School promotes a culture of respect for all staff, regardless of race, cultural origins, spiritual belief/practices, disabilities, gender identity or sexual orientation ^{32 responses}



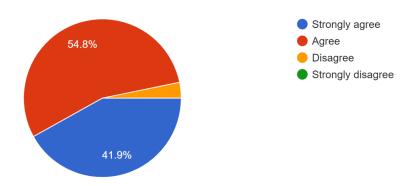
48. The staff in Central Office are helpful when I contact them 32 responses



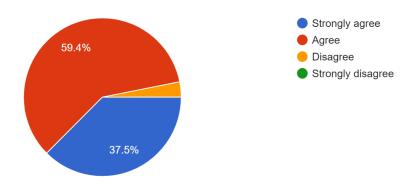
49. The Superintendent respects and fosters communication with all staff members ^{32 responses}



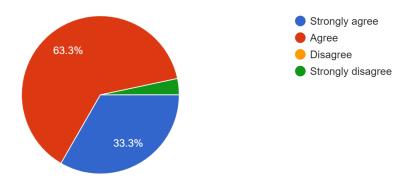
50. The Superintendent respects and fosters communication with all families 31 responses



51. The Superintendent welcomes and listens to ideas and/or questions of others 32 responses



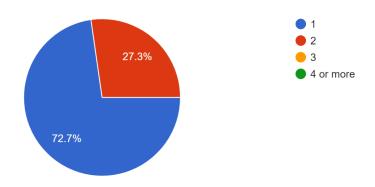
52. The Superintendent supports my work with students and student achievement 30 responses



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1. Number of children at Brooklyn Middle School

33 responses

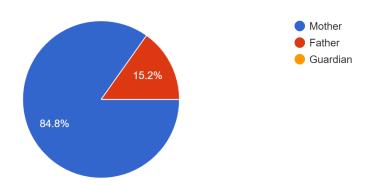


2. My native language is

33 responses

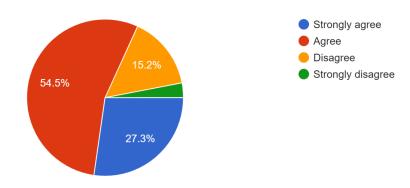


3. I am

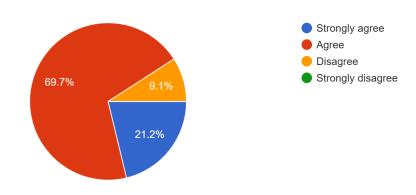


4. I feel informed about my child's progress

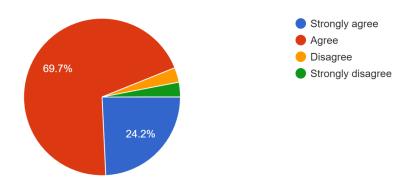
33 responses



5. I know what my child's teacher expects from my child 33 responses

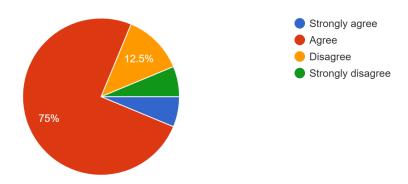


6. My child is safe at school



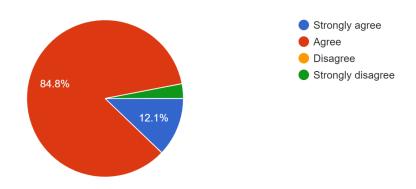
7. My child is safe on the bus

32 responses

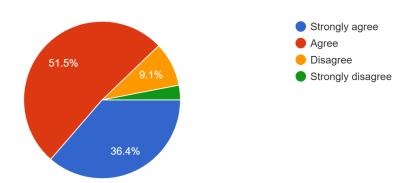


8. There is adequate supervision during school

33 responses

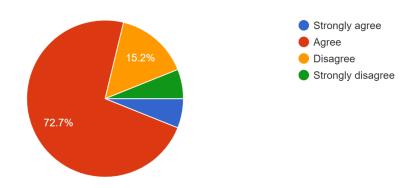


9. Teachers show respect for students



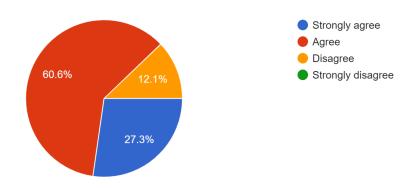
10. Students show respect for other students

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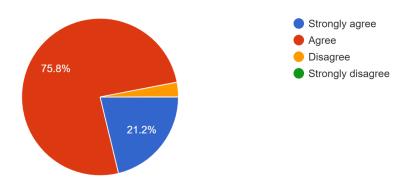


11. Brooklyn Middle school meets the academic needs of my child

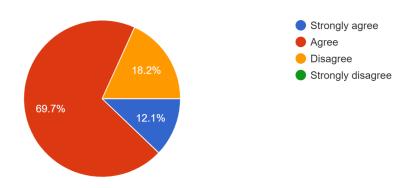
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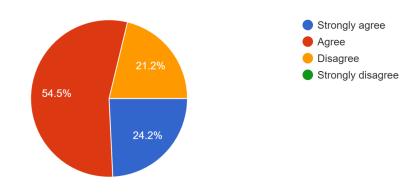
12. Brooklyn Middle school expects quality work of my child



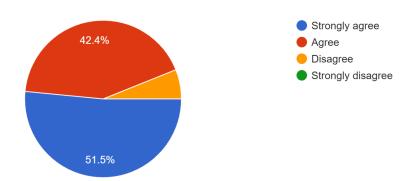
13. Brooklyn Middle School has an excellent working environment for my child 33 responses



14. I like the schools report card/progress report 33 responses

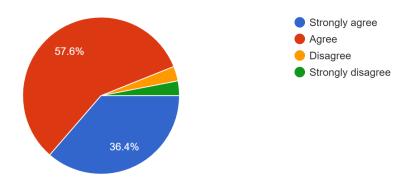


15. I respect the teachers at Brooklyn Middle School 33 responses



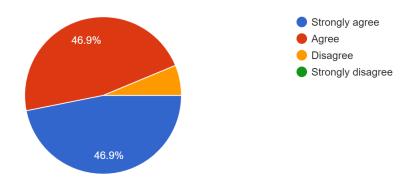
16. I respect the school's Administration

33 responses

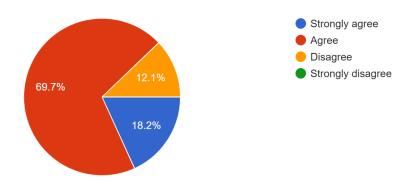


17. I respect the Superintendent

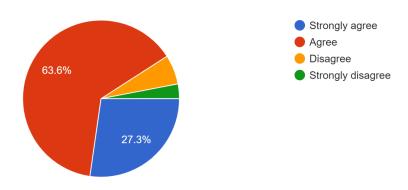
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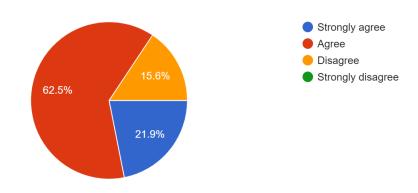
18. Overall, Brooklyn Middle School performs well academically



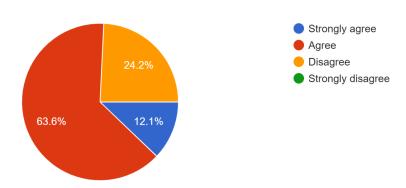
19. Brooklyn Middle School has a good public image 33 responses



20. The school assessment practices are fair 32 responses

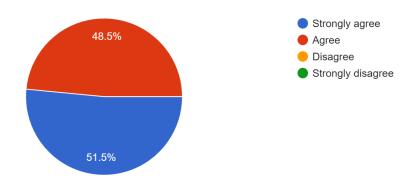


21. My child's teachers help me to help my child at home ³³ responses

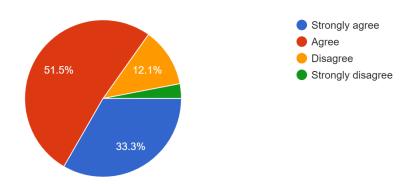


22. I support my child's learning at home

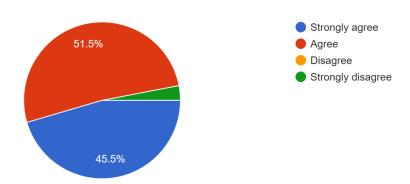
33 responses



23. My calls/emails to Brooklyn Middle School are returned in a timely manner ³³ responses

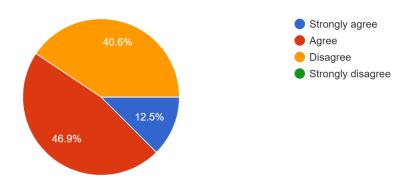


24. At Brooklyn Middle School there are clear rules against physically hurting other people (for example: hitting, pushing, or tripping)



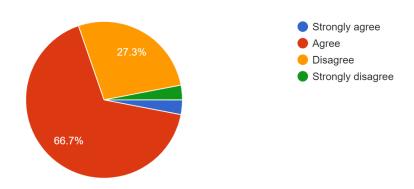
25. At my child's school there are groups of students in the school who exclude others and make them feel bad for not being part of the group

32 responses

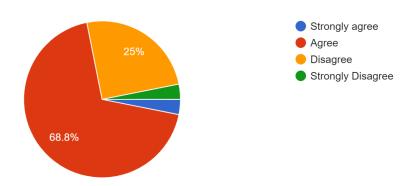


26. At Brooklyn Middle School, the students will try to stop students from insulting or making fun of others

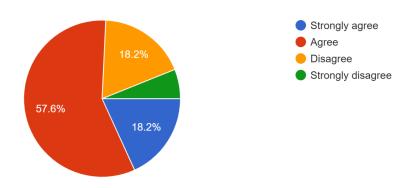
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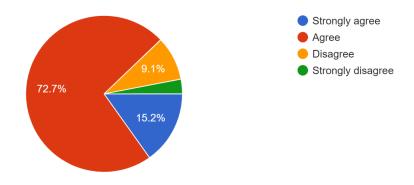
27. At Brooklyn Middle School, students respect each other's differences (for example: gender, race, culture, disability, sexual orientation, learning differences, etc.)



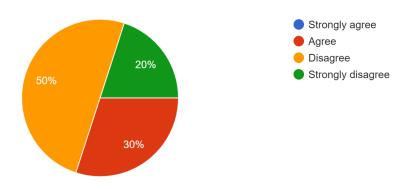
28. At Brooklyn Middle School, parents/guardians feel welcome 33 responses



29. Brooklyn Middle School promotes a culture of respect for all students regardless of race, cultural origins, spiritual beliefs or practice, disability, gender identity or sexual orientation ^{33 responses}

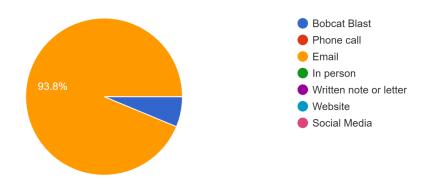


30. Students often bully or harass other students at the school using the internet or social media 30 responses



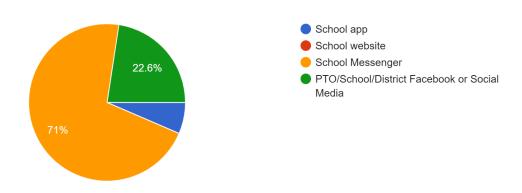
31. My preferred method of communication with the school is

32 responses

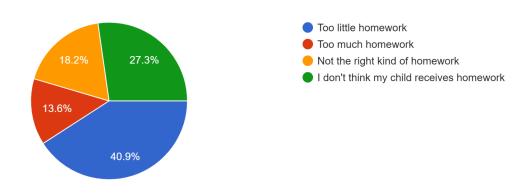


32. I get most of my information about school activities via

31 responses

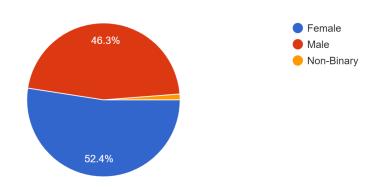


33. Homework: I think my child receives



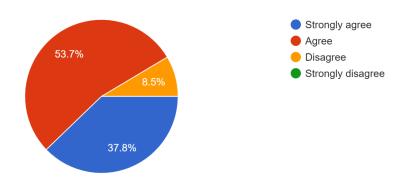
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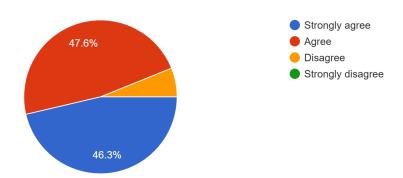


2. When I am at school I feel I belong

82 responses

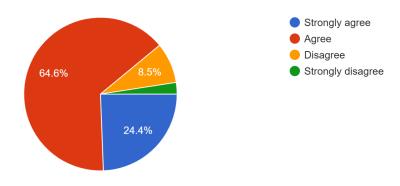


3. When I am at school I feel safe



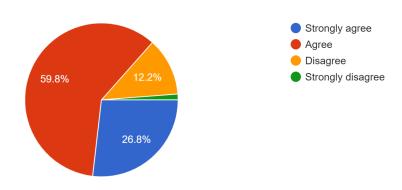
4. I enjoy learning

82 responses

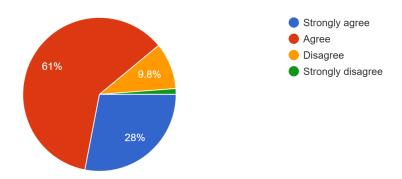


5. I like school

82 responses

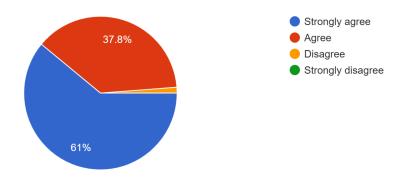


6. At school I have choices in how I learn



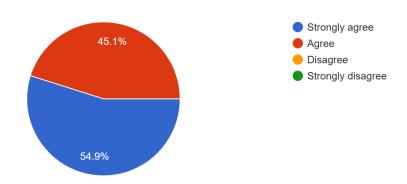
7. My teachers care about me

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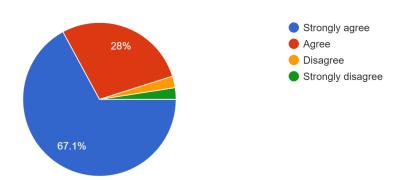


8. My teachers treat me with respect

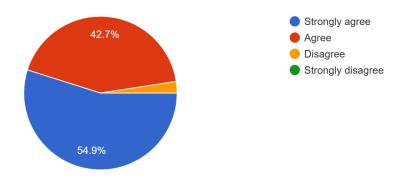
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9. My principals care about me

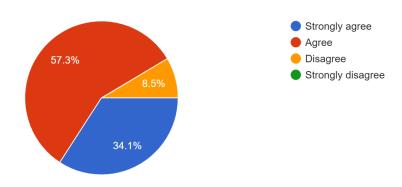


10. My teachers think I will be successful 82 responses

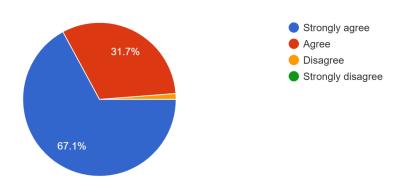


11. My teachers listen to my ideas

82 responses

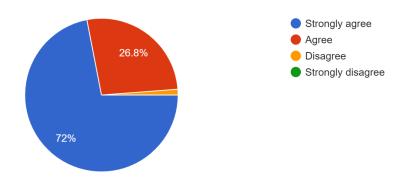


12. My teachers help me learn



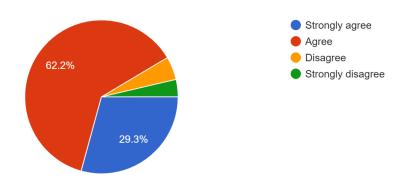
13. My teachers believe I can learn

82 responses

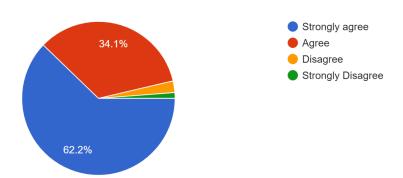


14. I am recognized for good work and/or good effort

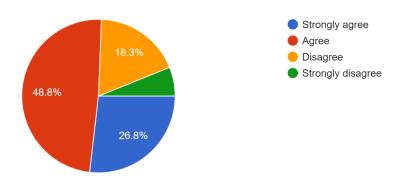
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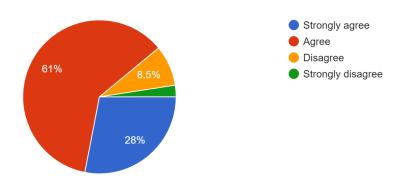
15. The adults care about student safety



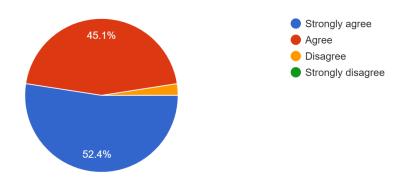
16. When I practice fire drills and lockdown drills it makes me feel safer 82 responses



17. I am challenged by the work my teachers provide me 82 responses

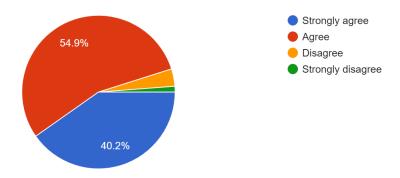


18. I know what I am supposed to be learning in my classes 82 responses



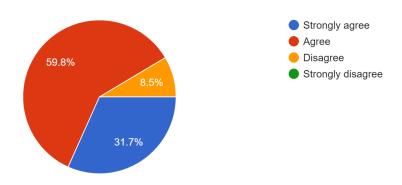
19. I am a good student

82 responses

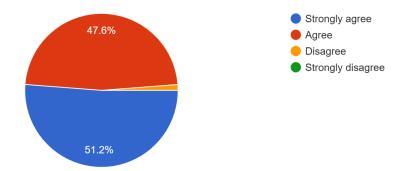


20. I could be a better student

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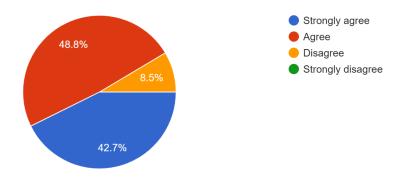


$21. \ \ \text{My teachers have high expectations of me}$



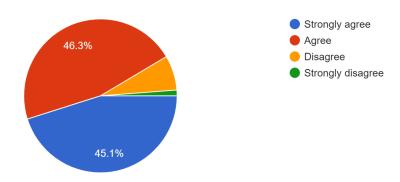
22. I behave well at school

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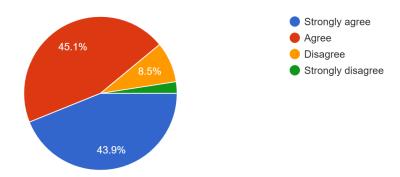


23. Students are treated fairly by teachers

82 responses

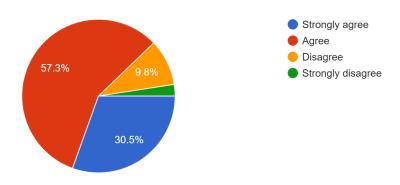


24. Students are treated fairly by principals



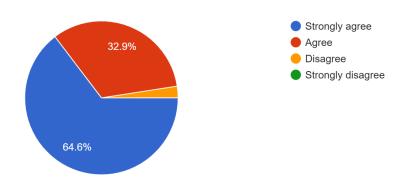
25. Students treat me with respect

82 responses

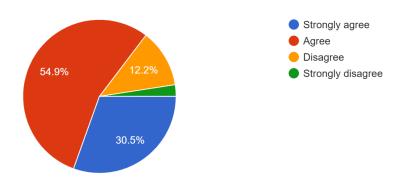


26. There is at least one adult I can go to if I need something

82 responses

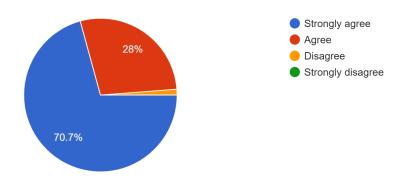


27. Students at my school are friendly



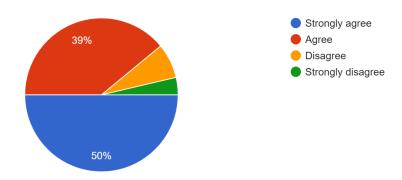
28. I have friends at school

82 responses

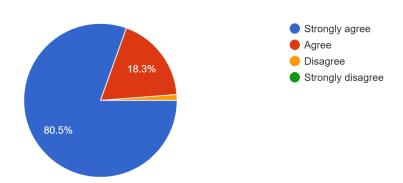


29. I have support for learning at home



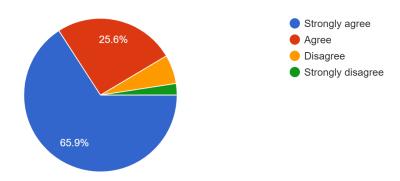


30. My family wants me to do well in school 82 responses



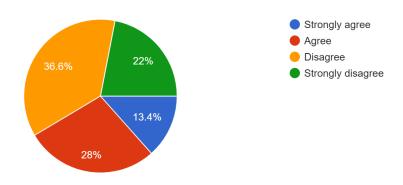
31. At school there are clear rules against physically hurting other people (for example: hitting, pushing or tripping)

82 responses

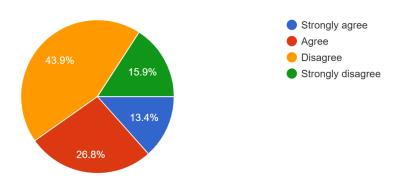


32. I have seen students being physically hurt more than once by other students (for example: pushed, slapped, punched or beaten up)

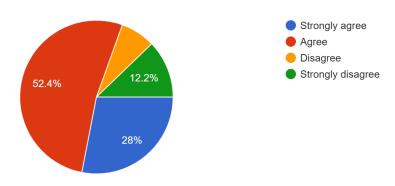
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33. There are a group of students who exclude others and make them feel bad for not being a part of the group

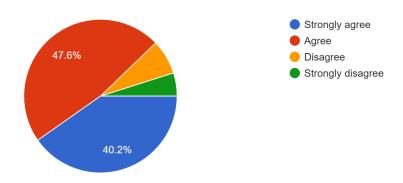


34. Students will try to stop students from insulting or making fun of others 82 responses

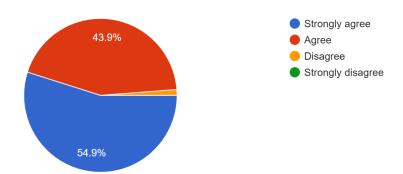


35. Students respect each other's differences (for example: gender, race culture, disability, sexual orientation, learning differences, etc.)

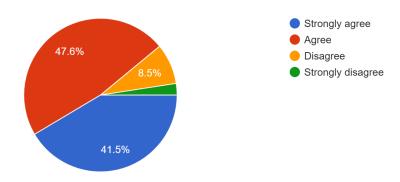
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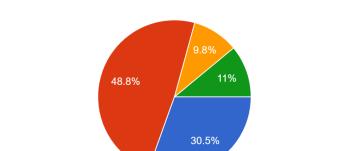
36. My parents/guardians are made to feel welcome at school



37. I feel safe in the hallways at school 82 responses

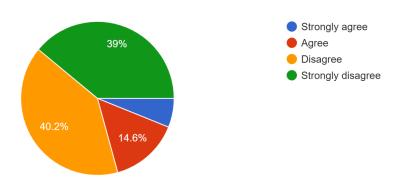


38. I feel safe in the bathrooms at school 82 responses

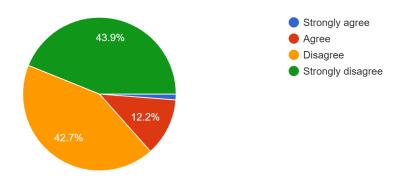


Strongly agreeAgreeDisagreeStrongly disagree

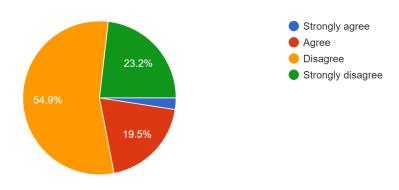
39. Students at the school are bullied or picked on because of their race or ethnicity 82 responses



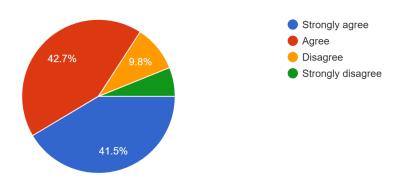
40. Students at school are bullied or picked on because of their spiritual or religious beliefs 82 responses



41. Students at the school are bullied or picked on because of their physical or learning disability 82 responses



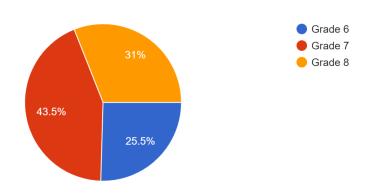
42. I report to an adult when I hear threats or bullying 82 responses



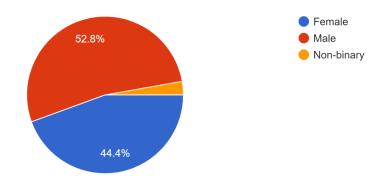
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1. I am in grade

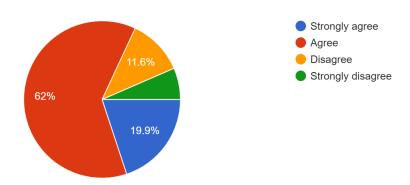
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2. I am216 responses

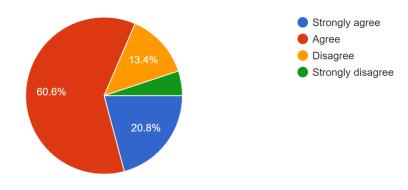


3. When I am at school I feel I belong



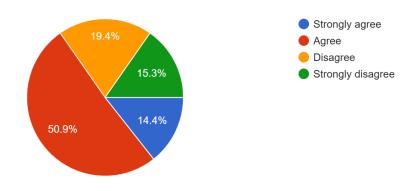
4. When I am at school I am safe

216 responses

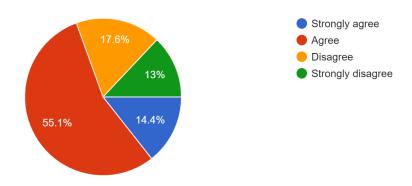


5. I enjoy learning

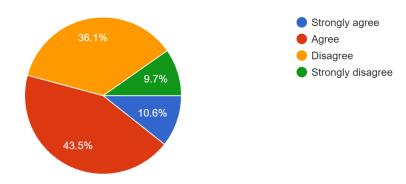
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6. I like the school

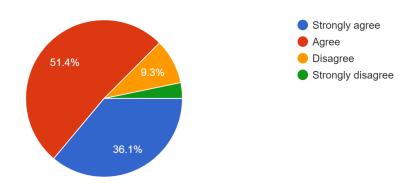


7. At school I have choices in how I learn 216 responses

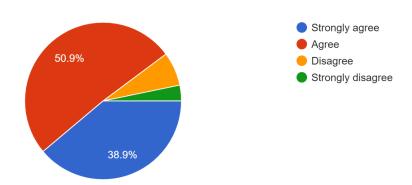


8. My teachers treat me with respect

216 responses

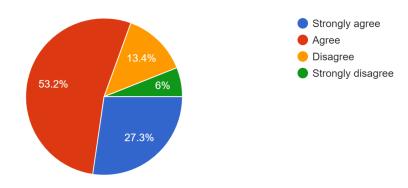


9. My teachers care about me

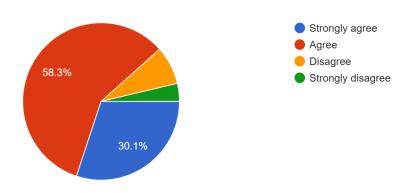


10. My principals care about me

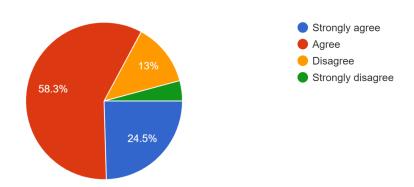
216 responses



11. My teachers think I will be successful ²¹⁶ responses

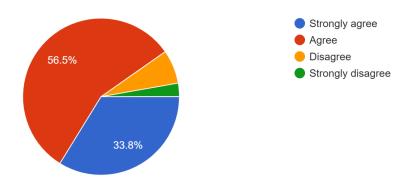


12. My teachers listen to my ideas 216 responses



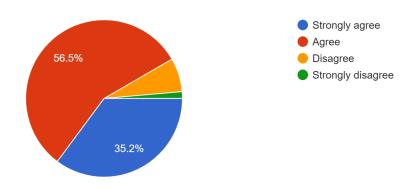
13. My teachers help me learn

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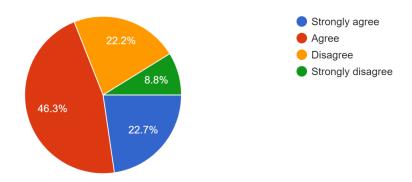


14. My teachers believe I can learn

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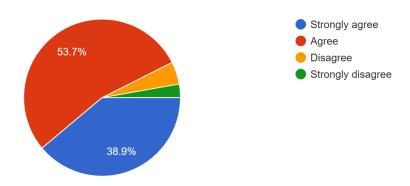


15. I am recognized for good work and/or good effort

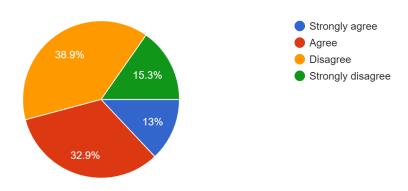


16. The adults care about student safety

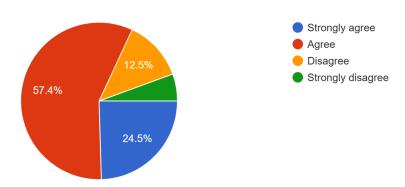
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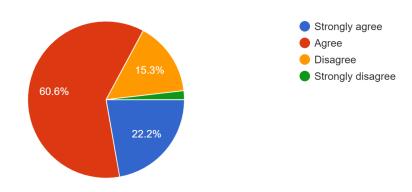
17. When I practice fire drills and lockdown drills it makes me feel safer ²¹⁶ responses



18. I am challenged by the work my teachers provide me ²¹⁶ responses

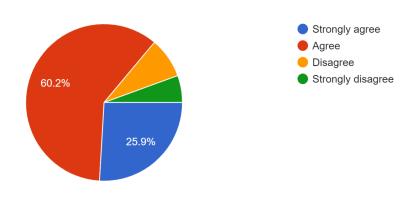


19. I know what I am supposed to be learning in my classes ²¹⁶ responses

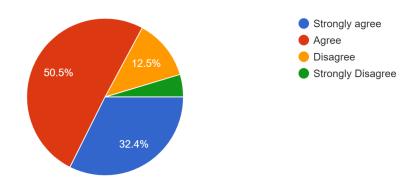


20. I am a good student

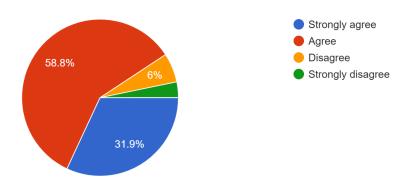
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21. I could be a better student

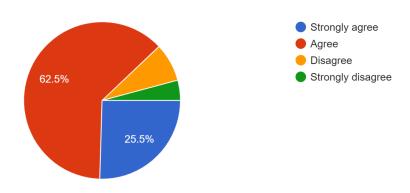


22. My teachers have high expectations of me ²¹⁶ responses

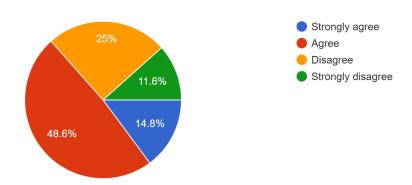


23. I behave well at school

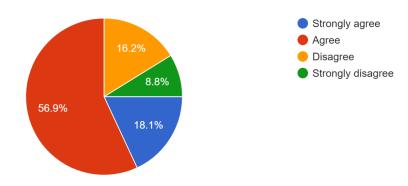
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24. Students are treated fairly by teachers ²¹⁶ responses

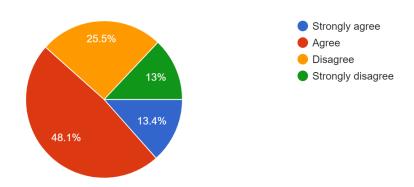


25. Students are treated fairly by the principals ²¹⁶ responses

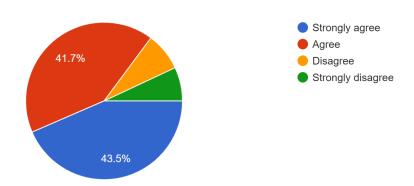


26. Students treat me with respect

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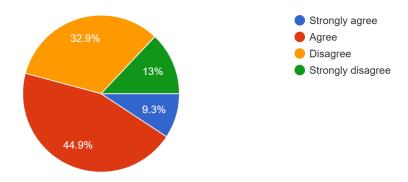


27. There is at least one adult I can go to if I need something $^{\rm 216\,responses}$



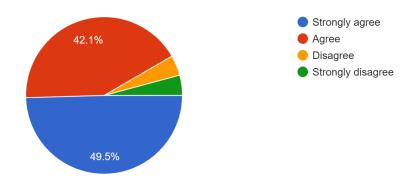
28. Students at my school are friendly

216 responses

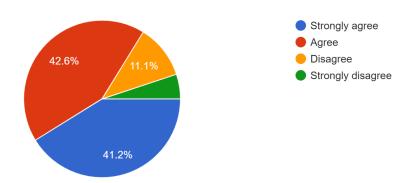


29. I have friends at school

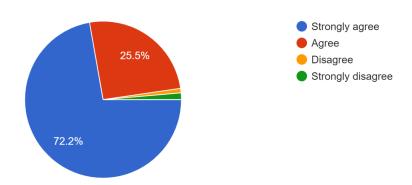
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30. I have support for learning at home

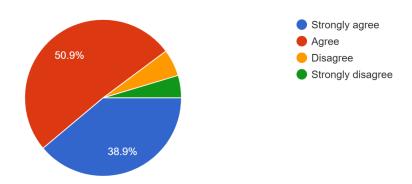


31. My family wants me to do well in school ²¹⁶ responses

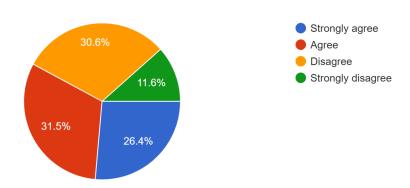


32. At school there are clear rules against physically hurting other people (for example: hitting, pushing or tripping)

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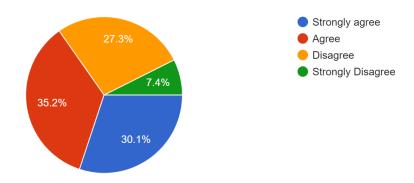


33. I have seen students being physically hurt more than once by other students (for example: pushed, slapped, punched or beaten up)

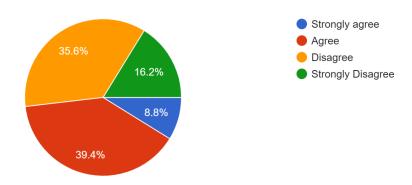


34. There are groups of students who exclude others and make them feel bad for not being a part of the group

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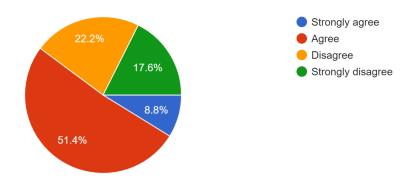


35. Students will try to stop students from insulting or making fun of others $_{\rm 216\,responses}$



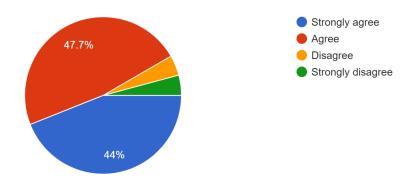
36. Students respect each other's differences (for example: gender, race, culture, disability, sexual orientation, learning differences, etc.)

216 responses

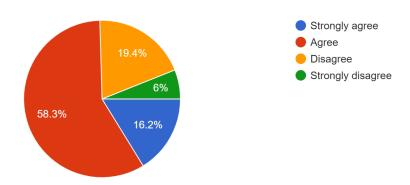


37. My parents/guardians are made to feel welcome at school

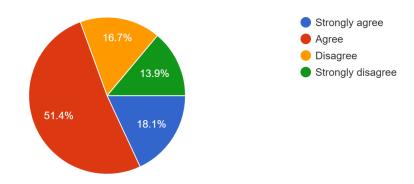
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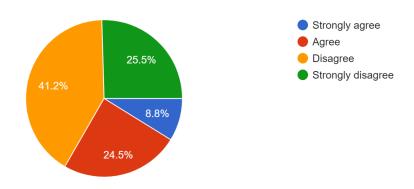
38. I feel safe in the hallways at school



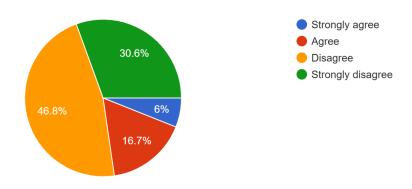
39. I feel safe in the bathrooms at school ²¹⁶ responses



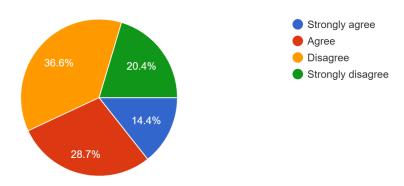
40. Students at school are bullied or picked on because of their race or ethnicity ²¹⁶ responses



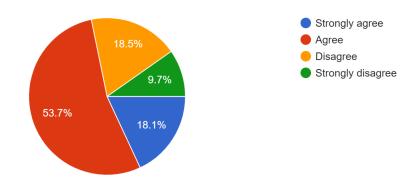
41. Students at the school are bullied or picked on because of their spiritual or religious beliefs ²¹⁶ responses



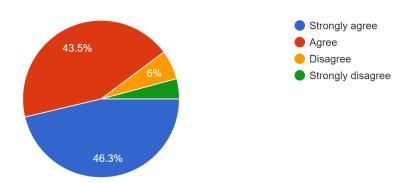
42. Students at the school are bullied or picked on because of the physical or learning disability ²¹⁶ responses



43. I report to an adult when I hear threats or bullying ²¹⁶ responses

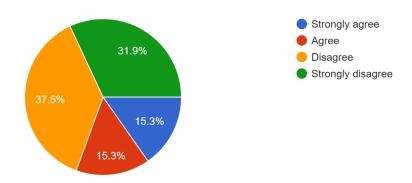


44. I feel I can use the bathrooms that fit my gender identity ${\tt 216\,responses}$

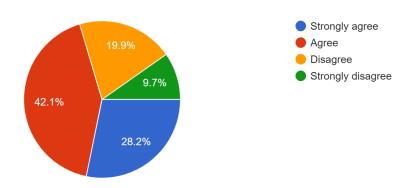


45. I have been bullied or harassed by other students at the school using the internet or social media

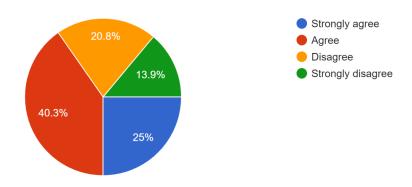
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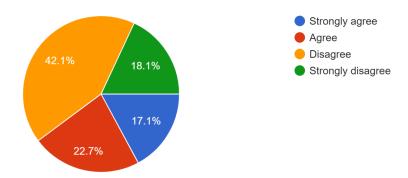
46. I would tell my parents if I saw something on social media that was a threat or bullying ²¹⁶ responses



47. I would tell an adult at school if I saw something on social media that was a threat or bullying 216 responses

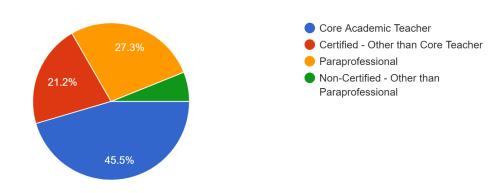


48. Students at the school are bullying or picked on because of their real or perceived sexual orientation



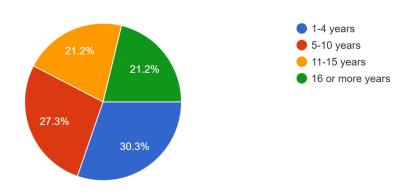
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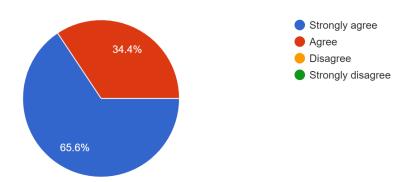


2. I have been in Brooklyn for

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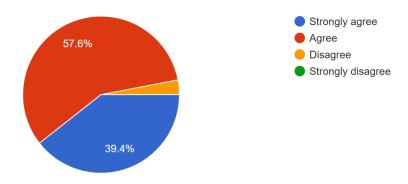


3. I feel I belong in Brooklyn Middle School



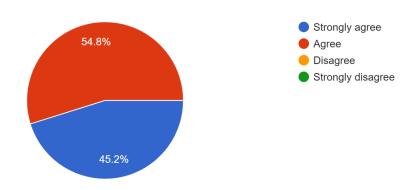
4. I feel supported by my colleagues

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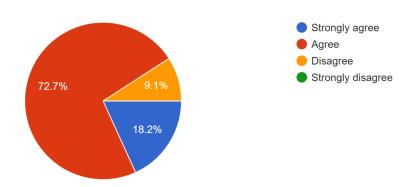


5. I make learning engaging

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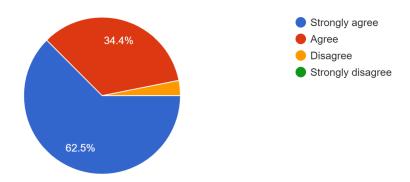


6. I am recognized for good work



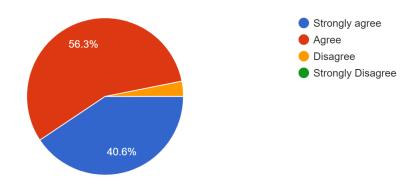
7. I am clear about what my role is

32 responses

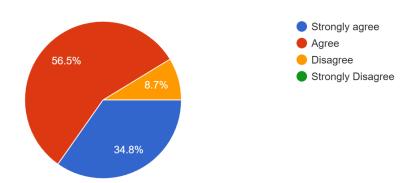


8. I feel I am treated with respect by my colleagues

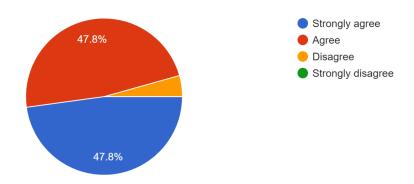
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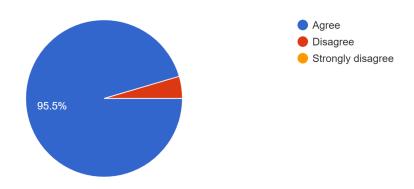
9. I feel I am listed to if I have an idea(s)



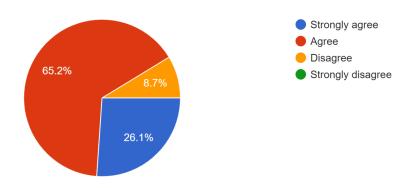
10. My building administrators treat me with respect ^{23 responses}



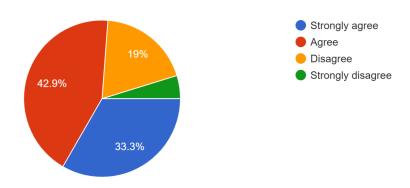
11. My building administrators support my work with my students ^{22 responses}



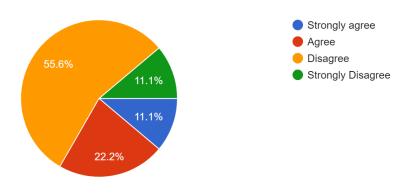
12. My building administrators value decision making ²³ responses



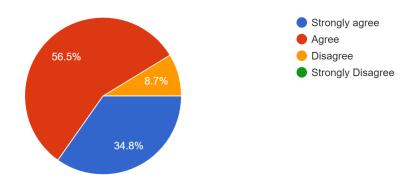
13. I have opportunities to develop my skills as a teacher ^{21 responses}



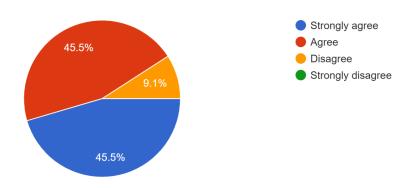
14. I have the opportunity to develop my skills as a paraprofessional or support staff 9 responses



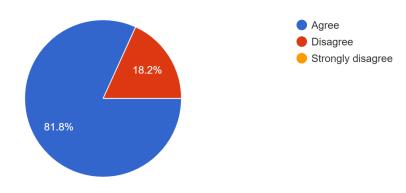
15. I love working at Brooklyn Middle School ²³ responses



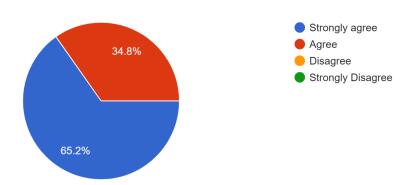
16. I believe that most of the instruction I provide is challenging ²² responses



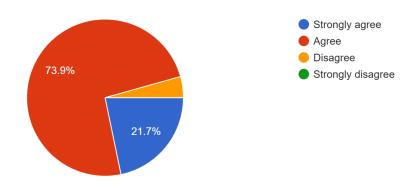
17. I believe that quality work is expected of all students in all classrooms ^{22 responses}



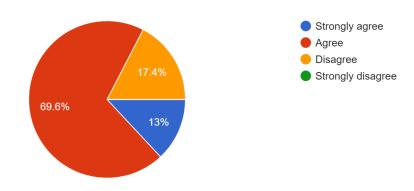
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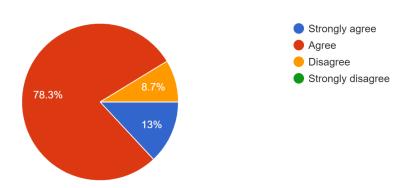
19. I believe the vision for my school year is clear ²³ responses



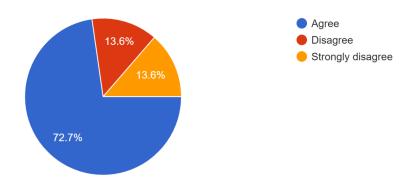
20. I believe the vision for my school is shared by most ²³ responses



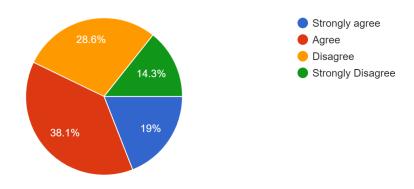
21. I believe that Brooklyn Middle School has a good public image ²³ responses



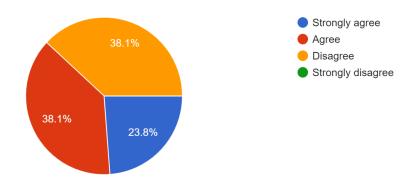
22. I communicate with all/most families about student progress ^{22 responses}



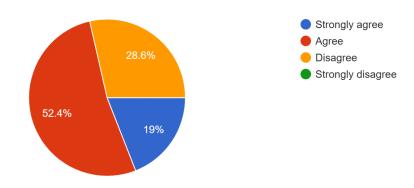
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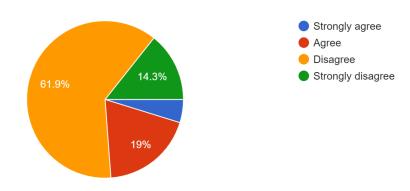
24. I need support to work effectively with students with special needs ²¹ responses



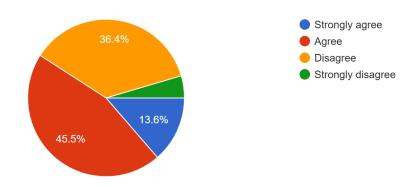
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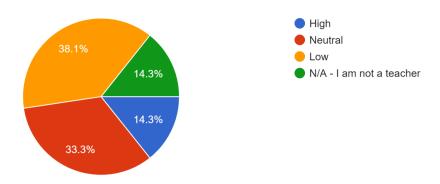
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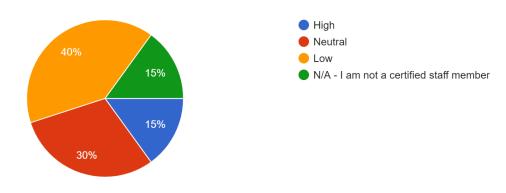
27. I need support to work effectively with low achieving students ^{22 responses}



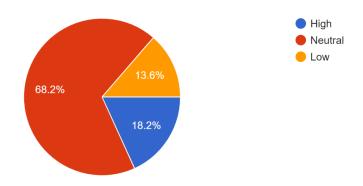
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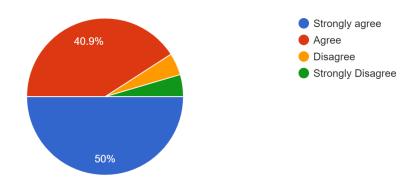
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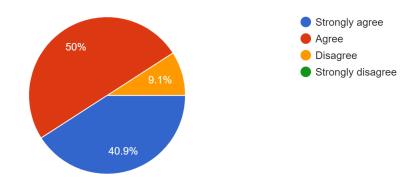
30. I think students would say morale is 22 responses



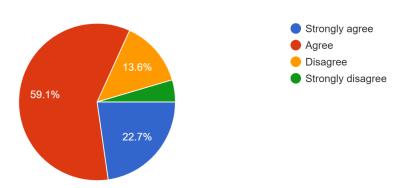
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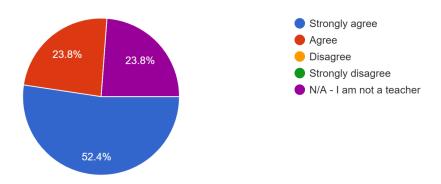
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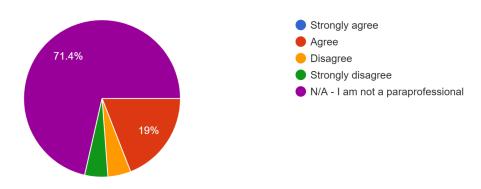
33. I think teacher collaboration across grade and team members is strong ^{22 responses}



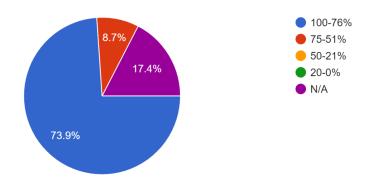
34. As a teacher, I know the state standards that I am expected to teach in all areas ²¹ responses



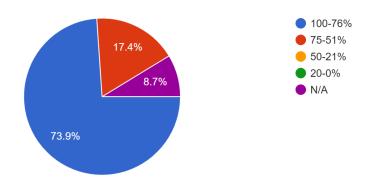
35. As a paraprofessional, I know the state standards that are taught to students $_{\rm 21\,responses}$



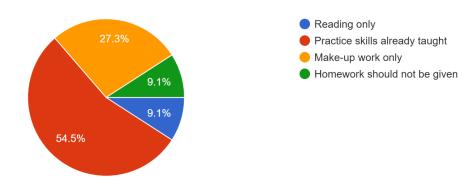
36. The percentage of lessons taught that are clearly articulated and aligned to the state standards ²³ responses



37. I provide meaningful feedback on student work/assignments ²³ responses

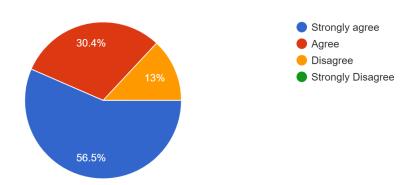


38. I think the following homework should be given to students nightly ^{22 responses}



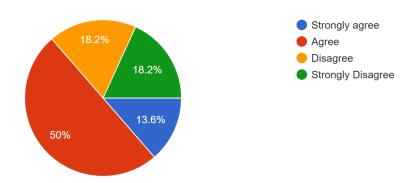
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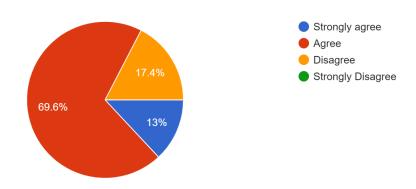
40. In Brooklyn Middle School, I have seen students push, slap, punch and/or beat up other students more than once

22 responses

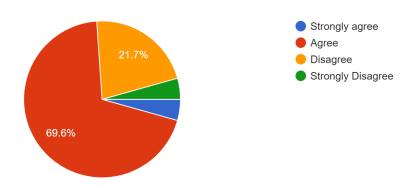


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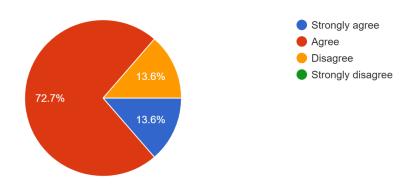


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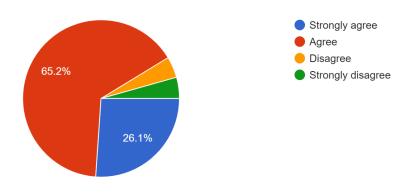


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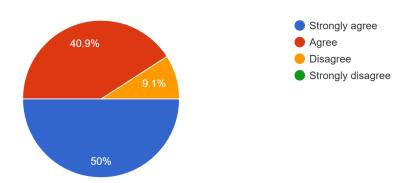
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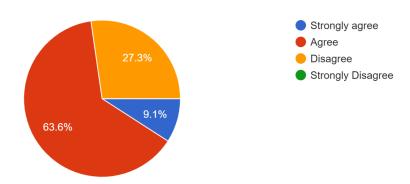
44. Parents and/or guardians are made to feel welcome at Brooklyn Middle School ²³ responses



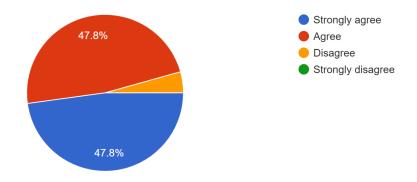
45. I feel safe in the classroom



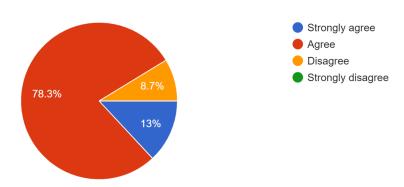
46. I feel that I can discuss personal beliefs and philosophy in the context of classroom instruction ^{22 responses}



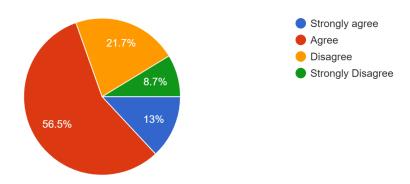
47. Brooklyn Middle School promotes a culture of respect for all staff, regardless of race, cultural origins, spiritual belief/practices, disabilities, gender identity or sexual orientation ²³ responses



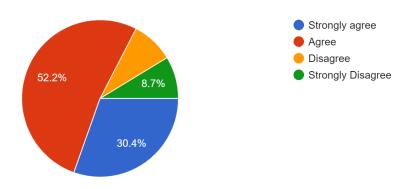
48. The staff in Central Office are helpful when I contact them ²³ responses



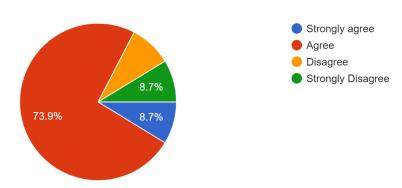
49. The Superintendent respects and fosters communication with all staff members ²³ responses



50. The Superintendent respects and fosters communication with all families ^{23 responses}



51. The Superintendent welcomes and listens to ideas and/or questions of others ²³ responses



52. The Superintendent supports my work with students and student achievement ^{22 responses}

