



2007-2008 AISD PARENT SURVEY RESULTS

BRENTWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

The following report contains the results of the 2007-2008 AISD Parent Survey for your campus and all AISD schools at your level. The first section of this report provides a comparison of the campus demographics and the demographics reported by parents who responded to the survey from your campus. The next section describes the percentages of parents selecting specific responses for each survey item, and the final section indicates the actual number of parents who selected each response option. Campus survey results should be examined for areas of strength and opportunities for improvement. Results for all AISD schools at your level and longitudinal results for your campus are presented to provide references for comparison.

How many parents responded to the survey in 2007-2008, and how does this compare to the number of students in the population?

	Brentwood	District EL	District MS	District HS
# of Parents Responding	83	12,493	1,831	1,731
# of Students	443	45,993	16,115	19,522
Ratio of Parent Respondents to Students	19%	27%	11%	9%

Note: Student population data are based on May enrollment in the district, and may differ from the official AEIS report.

What did parents report as their child's ethnicity, and how does this compare to the ethnic distribution of the student population?

	% of Students, as Reported by Brentwood Parent Respondents	% of Students in Brentwood Population
African American	5%	8%
Asian	0%	1%
Hispanic	30%	46%
Native American	0%	1%
White	63%	45%

Note: Some parents chose not to report their child's ethnicity; thus, percentages may not sum to 100%.

What did parents report as their child's grade, and how does this compare to the grade level distribution of the student population?

Grade	% of Students, as Reported by Brentwood Parent Respondents	% of Students in Brentwood Population
EC	1%	2%
PK	7%	22%
K	27%	6%
1 st	24%	17%
2 nd	12%	14%
3 rd	13%	16%
4 th	8%	13%
5 th	7%	10%
6 th	0%	0%

Note: Some parents chose not to report their child's grade level; thus, percentages may not sum to 100%.

USING THE RESULTS OF THE AISD PARENT SURVEY

Please examine your results to determine areas of strength and opportunities for improvement. Areas of strength can be identified by large percentages of parents who “Strongly Agree” or “Agree” with a statement. Opportunities for improvement can be identified by large percentages of parents who “Disagree” or “Strongly Disagree” with a statement. In addition, please look for patterns in which one staff category consistently receives more positive or negative responses than other staff categories. This will help you to identify opportunities for praise and areas in which training may be necessary. If your campus percentages are very different from those reported by parents district-wide, please consider potential reasons for discrepancies.

It is important to look at the responses from year to year to determine whether there are any areas in which percentages have changed by more than a few points. Keep in mind that when response rates are low, the percentages may appear to fluctuate more without necessarily signaling a serious shift in perception. Please consider how representative your parent respondents are of the students in your school. Also, think about any changes in campus policies and practices that may have resulted in positive or negative changes. How can campus staff continue to support the positive changes? How might your staff address any undesirable changes that may have occurred? Because parental perceptions of treatment by school personnel are based on interactions with a variety of school staff, representatives from all areas should be included in discussions regarding school planning and improvement processes.

ITEM RESULTS FOR BRENTWOOD EL

Each survey item is presented below in a table containing your school’s longitudinal results (when available) and this year’s results for all campuses at your level.

4. School staff provide me with information in my home language.

	Brentwood 2006-07	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	6%	1%	2%
Disagree	1%	0%	2%
Agree	24%	23%	33%
Strongly Agree	69%	76%	63%

5. I regularly help my child with school projects and homework.

	Brentwood 2006-07	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	3%	1%	1%
Disagree	1%	2%	2%
Agree	28%	18%	36%
Strongly Agree	68%	78%	61%

6. School staff provide me with positive feedback about my child.

	Brentwood 2005-06	Brentwood 2006-07	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	0%	6%	1%	1%
Disagree	7%	5%	0%	3%
Agree	28%	28%	32%	41%
Strongly Agree	65%	61%	67%	54%

7. School staff treat my child with courtesy and respect.

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	1%	1%
Disagree	0%	3%
Agree	34%	39%
Strongly Agree	65%	57%

8. I feel welcome in my child's classroom.

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	1%	1%
Disagree	2%	2%
Agree	31%	36%
Strongly Agree	65%	61%

9. My child's school uses the suggestions that I make about my child's education.

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	1%	2%
Disagree	7%	6%
Agree	51%	52%
Strongly Agree	40%	41%

10. I have encouraged school staff to maintain high academic standards.

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	2%	2%
Disagree	7%	10%
Agree	52%	50%
Strongly Agree	40%	38%

11. I believe that my child is getting a good education.

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	1%	1%
Disagree	4%	3%
Agree	41%	39%
Strongly Agree	54%	57%

12. My child's school clearly communicates its expectations for my child's learning.

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	1%	1%
Disagree	6%	3%
Agree	48%	42%
Strongly Agree	45%	54%

13. My child's school provides opportunities for me to learn how to help my child succeed in school.

	Brentwood 2007-08	All HS 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	4%	1%
Disagree	9%	5%
Agree	49%	44%
Strongly Agree	38%	51%

14. I know where to get information about my school's ratings.

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	1%	2%
Disagree	6%	7%
Agree	49%	45%
Strongly Agree	44%	46%

15. I have discussed future college/career plans with my child.

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	3%	2%
Disagree	21%	10%
Agree	35%	45%
Strongly Agree	41%	43%

16. I know how to help my child pursue college and career goals.

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	1%	2%
Disagree	11%	8%
Agree	49%	49%
Strongly Agree	39%	42%

17. My child's school is a safe learning environment.

	Brentwood 2005-06	Brentwood 2006-07	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	1%	4%	1%	1%
Disagree	0%	5%	4%	3%
Agree	33%	29%	42%	43%
Strongly Agree	66%	61%	53%	53%

18. A portion of a principal's salary should be related to the performance of his/her students on more than one assessment.

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	13%	10%
Disagree	25%	18%
Agree	33%	42%
Strongly Agree	30%	31%

19. A portion of a teacher's salary should be related to the performance of his/her students on more than one assessment.

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	17%	11%
Disagree	26%	18%
Agree	38%	40%
Strongly Agree	18%	31%

20. I think AISD's transfer policies are satisfactory.

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Strongly Disagree	2%	5%
Disagree	18%	10%
Agree	67%	53%
Strongly Agree	13%	32%

21. The Principal...

	Brentwood 2005-06	Brentwood 2006-07	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Treats me with courtesy and respect.				
Strongly Disagree	4%	5%	1%	2%
Disagree	1%	2%	3%	2%
Agree	27%	35%	36%	40%
Strongly Agree	68%	59%	60%	56%
Has helped me to become more involved in my child's education.				
Strongly Disagree	6%	4%	0%	2%
Disagree	4%	6%	13%	7%
Agree	33%	41%	47%	46%
Strongly Agree	57%	49%	41%	45%
Values my input in academic decisions about my child.				
Strongly Disagree	8%	9%	0%	3%
Disagree	5%	3%	8%	5%
Agree	22%	34%	43%	47%
Strongly Agree	65%	54%	49%	46%
Provides me with opportunities for 2-way communication (phone calls, meetings, email, etc.)				
Strongly Disagree	7%	5%	1%	2%
Disagree	1%	3%	10%	5%
Agree	35%	40%	43%	43%
Strongly Agree	57%	52%	46%	50%

22. Assistant Principals...

	Brentwood 2005-06	Brentwood 2006-07	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Treat me with courtesy and respect.				
Strongly Disagree	3%	8%	6%	2%
Disagree	2%	3%	0%	2%
Agree	29%	39%	56%	44%
Strongly Agree	66%	50%	39%	52%
Have helped me to become more involved in my child's education.				
Strongly Disagree	5%	6%	10%	2%
Disagree	5%	6%	7%	6%
Agree	35%	47%	43%	48%
Strongly Agree	54%	40%	40%	44%
Value my input in academic decisions about my child.				
Strongly Disagree	8%	7%	7%	2%
Disagree	2%	7%	7%	5%
Agree	27%	38%	39%	49%
Strongly Agree	64%	49%	46%	44%
Provide me with opportunities for 2-way communication (phone calls, meetings, email, etc.)				
Strongly Disagree	4%	5%	6%	2%
Disagree	4%	2%	10%	5%
Agree	39%	43%	42%	46%
Strongly Agree	54%	50%	42%	47%

23. Teachers...

	Brentwood 2005-06	Brentwood 2006-07	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Treat me with courtesy and respect.				
Strongly Disagree	0%	4%	1%	1%
Disagree	0%	2%	1%	1%
Agree	21%	23%	23%	31%
Strongly Agree	80%	70%	75%	67%
Have helped me to become more involved in my child's education.				
Strongly Disagree	0%	6%	1%	1%
Disagree	0%	2%	3%	3%
Agree	16%	25%	26%	34%
Strongly Agree	84%	67%	70%	63%
Value my input in academic decisions about my child.				
Strongly Disagree	0%	6%	1%	1%
Disagree	0%	6%	3%	2%
Agree	20%	20%	23%	35%
Strongly Agree	81%	68%	73%	62%
Provide me with opportunities for 2-way communication (phone calls, meetings, email, etc.)				
Strongly Disagree	0%	5%	1%	1%
Disagree	0%	0%	1%	2%
Agree	21%	27%	20%	32%
Strongly Agree	79%	68%	78%	64%

24. Office Staff...

	Brentwood 2005-06	Brentwood 2006-07	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Treat me with courtesy and respect.				
Strongly Disagree	6%	3%	2%	1%
Disagree	5%	2%	2%	2%
Agree	32%	32%	49%	44%
Strongly Agree	65%	63%	46%	52%
Have helped me to become more involved in my child's education.				
Strongly Disagree	8%	3%	1%	2%
Disagree	8%	3%	8%	5%
Agree	34%	48%	48%	47%
Strongly Agree	51%	45%	42%	46%
Value my input in academic decisions about my child.				
Strongly Disagree	7%	2%	2%	2%
Disagree	5%	9%	8%	5%
Agree	32%	40%	49%	47%
Strongly Agree	56%	49%	41%	46%
Provide me with opportunities for 2-way communication (phone calls, meetings, email, etc.)				
Strongly Disagree	7%	3%	3%	2%
Disagree	4%	3%	3%	4%
Agree	32%	43%	55%	46%
Strongly Agree	57%	52%	39%	47%

25. Counselor(s)...

	Brentwood 2005-06	Brentwood 2006-07	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Treat me with courtesy and respect.				
Strongly Disagree	3%	3%	2%	2%
Disagree	0%	5%	0%	3%
Agree	27%	47%	50%	42%
Strongly Agree	71%	46%	48%	53%
Have helped me to become more involved in my child's education.				
Strongly Disagree	3%	2%	5%	2%
Disagree	2%	4%	8%	7%
Agree	36%	48%	38%	45%
Strongly Agree	46%	46%	49%	46%
Value my input in academic decisions about my child.				
Strongly Disagree	5%	2%	3%	2%
Disagree	2%	6%	6%	6%
Agree	27%	38%	41%	45%
Strongly Agree	67%	54%	50%	46%
Provide me with opportunities for 2-way communication (phone calls, meetings, email, etc.)				
Strongly Disagree	3%	3%	3%	2%
Disagree	2%	3%	5%	5%
Agree	33%	44%	39%	44%
Strongly Agree	63%	49%	53%	49%

26. School staff provide me with enough information about the following school and district policies:

	Brentwood 2005-06	Brentwood 2006-07	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Student behavior expectations				
Strongly Disagree	0%	4%	1%	1%
Disagree	1%	4%	1%	2%
Agree	29%	40%	47%	44%
Strongly Agree	70%	52%	51%	53%
Parent involvement policy				
Strongly Disagree	1%	6%	3%	1%
Disagree	6%	5%	7%	3%
Agree	30%	40%	41%	46%
Strongly Agree	62%	49%	49%	50%
Process for handling complaints and concerns				
Strongly Disagree	4%	8%	1%	3%
Disagree	9%	11%	14%	6%
Agree	29%	34%	48%	4%
Strongly Agree	57%	47%	37%	46%

27. School staff provide me with enough information about:

	Brentwood 2005-06	Brentwood 2006-07	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
My child's academic progress				
Strongly Disagree	0%	4%	2%	1%
Disagree	1%	3%	0%	3%
Agree	23%	27%	43%	41%
Strongly Agree	76%	66%	55%	55%
My child's academic plans and goals				
Strongly Disagree	0%	5%	3%	1%
Disagree	7%	5%	6%	6%
Agree	29%	35%	43%	44%
Strongly Agree	64%	55%	49%	49%
My child's preparedness for TAKS				
Strongly Disagree	0%	6%	6%	2%
Disagree	6%	4%	15%	5%
Agree	27%	31%	36%	45%
Strongly Agree	68%	59%	43%	48%
My child's risk of failing a grade				
Strongly Disagree	2%	4%	4%	2%
Disagree	7%	7%	7%	6%
Agree	28%	37%	48%	44%
Strongly Agree	64%	52%	41%	47%
My child's behavior				
Strongly Disagree	0%	5%	1%	1%
Disagree	0%	6%	6%	3%
Agree	26%	29%	40%	42%
Strongly Agree	74%	60%	53%	55%

27 (continued). School staff provide me with enough information about:

	Brentwood 2005-06	Brentwood 2006-07	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
High school graduation requirements				
Strongly Disagree		14%	10%	4%
Disagree		23%	24%	13%
Agree		27%	43%	45%
Strongly Agree		36%	24%	38%
Personal Graduation Plans (PGPs)				
Strongly Disagree		14%	11%	6%
Disagree		18%	32%	13%
Agree		32%	37%	54%
Strongly Agree		36%	21%	27%
Financial Aid and Scholarships				
Strongly Disagree		10%	5%	5%
Disagree		20%	24%	16%
Agree		30%	43%	45%
Strongly Agree		40%	29%	35%
College admission requirements				
Strongly Disagree		11%	12%	6%
Disagree		22%	24%	17%
Agree		28%	47%	43%
Strongly Agree		39%	18%	34%
Career opportunities				
Strongly Disagree		12%	11%	6%
Disagree		18%	22%	18%
Agree		35%	39%	43%
Strongly Agree		35%	28%	33%

28. Which of these school staff provide you with information about the following opportunities?

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
Availability of tutoring		
Counselors	2%	6%
Office Staff	4%	9%
Teachers	22%	4%
Parent Support Specialists	0%	11%
Parent/family involvement opportunities (e.g., PTA, Campus Advisory Council, school events)		
Counselors	5%	6%
Office Staff	11%	15%
Teachers	48%	36%
Parent Support Specialists	11%	24%
Parent/family resources (e.g., parenting or literacy classes, School-to-Community staff, Parent Support staff)		
Counselors	5%	8%
Office Staff	11%	10%
Teachers	48%	27%
Parent Support Specialists	11%	25%

29. In which of the following activities do you participate?

	Brentwood 2007-08	All ES 2007-08
General school meetings (e.g., open house, Back to School Night, Choice Sheet Night, etc.)	77%	59%
Regularly scheduled parent-teacher conferences	42%	75%
School leadership opportunities (e.g., Campus Advisory Council, event committees, etc.)	13%	14%
Parent-Teacher Associates (PTA)/Parent-Teacher-Student Association (PTSA)	44%	31%
Sports or other performance events	72%	36%
Academic events (e.g., science fairs, debate competitions, etc.)	34%	33%
Other special events or conferences (e.g., workshops, Family Night, Learning Walks, etc.)	34%	40%
District-wide events (e.g., La Feria Educativa, Back-to-School Bash, Family Technology Week, etc.)	15%	20%