

2012-2013 Austin ISD Parent Survey Kocurek ES

Strong relationships among staff, students and staff are critical to student success. In particular, parent involvement in education is associated with a high level of student achievement. These survey results provide campuses with feedback on how parents feel about their treatment by school staff, the school's educational environment, and various school-based opportunities parents would like for their children. The following report contains the results of the 2012-2013 Parent Survey for Austin Independent School District (AISD) for Kocurek ES. The district report can be found at: <http://www.austinisd.org/dre>

Kocurek ES Demographic Information

Table 1. Number of respondents
for Kocurek ES 2012-2013

	Surveys Returned	Total Students	% of Students Represented
Kocurek ES	162	595	27.23%
All Elementary Schools	14417	48897	29.48%

Table 3. Distribution of respondents and students
by
ethnicity and race for Kocurek ES, 2012-2013

Ethnicity	% of respondents	% of School Population
American Indian	0.64%	0.34%
Asian	1.92%	2.35%
Black/African American	8.97%	5.38%
Hispanic	60.90%	61.85%
Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander	0.64%	0.17%
Two or more races	4.49%	4.37%
White	22.44%	25.55%

Table 2. Distribution of respondents
relative to
Kocurek ES's population, 2012-2013

Grade Level	% of respondents	% of School Population
EC	0.63%	0.17%
PK	11.25%	8.57%
KG	8.75%	15.13%
01	20.63%	16.81%
02	23.75%	16.81%
03	5.63%	13.95%
04	11.25%	14.29%
05	18.13%	14.29%

**Table 4. Parent Survey Items Related to COURTESY
For Kocurek ES
2012-2013**

Survey Items	% Strongly Agree/Agree Kocurek ES	% Strongly Agree/Agree All Elementary Schools
The principal treats me with courtesy and respect.	94.89%	97.23%
The principal treats my child with courtesy and respect.	95.52%	97.99%
The assistant principal treats me with courtesy and respect.	97.97%	97.30%
The assistant principal treats my child with courtesy and respect.	98.64%	97.75%
The office staff treat me with courtesy and respect.	88.13%	95.62%
The office staff treat my child with courtesy and respect.	92.76%	97.26%
The teachers treat me with courtesy and respect.	98.74%	98.68%
The teachers treat my child with courtesy and respect.	98.72%	98.29%
The counselors treat me with courtesy and respect.	97.67%	97.68%
The counselors treat my child with courtesy and respect.	98.47%	98.25%
My child is treated with respect by other students.	93.20%	93.20%

**Table 5. Parent Survey Items Related to COMMUNICATION
For Kocurek ES
2012-2013**

Survey Items	% Strongly Agree/Agree Kocurek ES	% Strongly Agree/Agree All Elementary Schools
The principal provides me with opportunities for two-way communication.	93.75%	94.99%
The assistant principal provides me with opportunities for two-way communication.	97.87%	95.54%
The teachers provide me with opportunities for two-way communication.	98.71%	97.81%
The counselors provide me with opportunities for two-way communication.	96.77%	95.77%
School staffs are easily accessible when I need to talk to them.	94.70%	95.37%
I receive information about my child or my child's school that is in my preferred language.	97.45%	98.07%

**Table 6. Parent Survey Items Related to ACADEMICS
For Kocurek ES
2012-2013**

Survey Items	% Strongly Agree/Agree Kocurek ES	% Strongly Agree/Agree All Elementary Schools
School staff provide me with enough information about school expectations about student learning.	93.21%	97.01%
School staff provide me with enough information about my child's academic performance.	94.30%	97.43%
School staff provide me with enough information about my child's preparedness for state academic tests.	87.86%	95.51%
I believe that my child likes to go to school.	94.34%	96.67%
The educational experience at my child's school is just as good as or better than that at any other AISD school.	91.11%	94.44%
My child's teacher(s) provide a high quality learning environment.	96.08%	97.42%
School staffs encourage my child to study and learn.	98.05%	98.08%
My child's school is a safe learning environment.	98.09%	97.06%
My child's school is monitored well to ensure safety.	95.33%	91.76%

**Table 7. Parent Survey Items Related to INVOLVEMENT
For Kocurek ES
2012-2013**

Survey Items	% Strongly Agree/Agree Kocurek ES	% Strongly Agree/Agree All Elementary Schools
The teachers have helped me to become more involved in my child's education.	96.05%	96.74%
The teachers value my input in decisions about my child.	95.24%	97.32%
The counselors have helped me support my child's education.	97.62%	96.10%
The counselors value my input in decisions about my child.	97.48%	96.59%
School staff provide me with enough information about opportunities for me to be involved in school.	94.56%	96.56%
I know who to contact at my child's school if I have a question or concern about my child's education.	95.60%	97.53%
School staffs use suggestions I make about my child's education.	91.74%	94.82%
My child's school offers convenient opportunities for me to be involved in my child's education.	90.79%	95.72%

**Table 8. Parent Survey Items Related to INFORMATION/ FEEDBACK
For Kocurek ES
2012-2013**

Survey Items	% Strongly Agree/Agree Kocurek ES	% Strongly Agree/Agree All Elementary Schools
School staff provide me with enough information about transitions to and from elementary, middle, and high school.	90.65%	93.43%
School staff provide me with enough information about future career opportunities for my child.	85.71%	92.47%
School staff provide me with enough information about college admissions requirements and financing options for my child.	85.71%	91.32%
School staff provide me with enough information about process for handling complaints and concerns.	84.06%	91.99%
School staff provide me with enough information about additional academic services available to my child.	85.93%	93.42%
School staff provide me with enough information about school expectations about student behavior.	95.63%	97.45%
School staff provide me with enough information about the positive feedback about my child.	92.41%	96.90%
School staff provide me with enough information about my child's behavior.	97.47%	97.72%
School staff provide me with enough information about my child's attendance.	97.45%	98.20%
School staff provide me with enough information about my child's high school graduation requirements.	88.54%	93.93%
School staff provide me with enough information about after-school programs or activities for my child.	91.79%	95.14%
I feel comfortable contacting staff at my child's school if I have a question or concern.	96.18%	96.28%
When I contact school staff, I get a timely response.	92.26%	95.47%
I am satisfied with the quality of the transportation services provided by my child's school.	94.39%	92.94%
I am satisfied with the quality of the food services at my child's school.	83.01%	85.08%
The school's website is a useful source of information for me.	88.81%	92.00%

**Table 9. Parent Survey Items Related to the DISTRICT OFFICE
For Kocurek ES
2012-2013**

Survey Items	% Strongly Agree/Agree Kocurek ES	% Strongly Agree/Agree All Elementary Schools
The frequency with which I receive information through the district's automated phone calls is adequate.	91.24%	91.48%
The district's website is a good source of information for me.	96.75%	94.15%
The Superintendent does a good job asking for input from parents.	87.16%	91.29%
The Superintendent does a good job communicating with parents.	86.24%	90.29%
The Superintendent does a good job managing the district's budget and staffing needs.	81.82%	88.90%
The Superintendent has made a positive impact on students' academic progress.	83.51%	90.86%
Staffs at the district's main offices are responsive to my needs.	94.32%	93.63%
Staffs at the district's main offices treat me with courtesy and respect.	94.44%	95.25%
The district provides enough information on enrollment options at other AISD schools.	79.34%	88.54%
AISD's online Parent Connection/ Gradespeed system helps me monitor my child's academic progress.	93.00%	95.26%
The district's automated phone calls are a good source of information for me.	87.12%	90.72%

**Table 10. Top 10 Items
For Kocurek ES
2012-2013**

Survey Items	% Strongly Agree/ Agree
The teachers treat me with courtesy and respect.	98.74%
The teachers treat my child with courtesy and respect.	98.72%
The teachers provide me with opportunities for two-way communication.	98.71%
The assistant principal treats my child with courtesy and respect.	98.64%
The counselors treat my child with courtesy and respect.	98.47%
My child's school is a safe learning environment.	98.09%
School staffs encourage my child to study and learn.	98.05%
The assistant principal treats me with courtesy and respect.	97.97%
The assistant principal provides me with opportunities for two-way communication.	97.87%
The counselors treat me with courtesy and respect.	97.67%

**Table 11. Bottom 10 Items
For Kocurek ES
2012-2013**

Survey Items	% Strongly Agree/ Agree
I am satisfied with the quality of the food services at my child's school.	83.01%
School staff provide me with enough information about process for handling complaints and concerns.	84.06%
School staff provide me with enough information about college admissions requirements and financing options for my child.	85.71%
School staff provide me with enough information about future career opportunities for my child.	85.71%
School staff provide me with enough information about additional academic services available to my child.	85.93%
School staff provide me with enough information about my child's preparedness for state academic tests.	87.86%
The office staff treat me with courtesy and respect.	88.13%
School staff provide me with enough information about my child's high school graduation requirements.	88.54%
The school's website is a useful source of information for me.	88.81%
School staff provide me with enough information about transitions to and from elementary, middle, and high school.	90.65%