

Pleasantdale School District 107

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In April, the administration launched a community survey to collect feedback from parents, staff, and students in grades four through eight. The goal was to get information on these groups' experiences in our schools and use this information to plot improvements. The district contracted with School Perceptions, a well respected and independent research firm, to develop and execute the survey administration. The survey completion window was two weeks for each constituent group. Below are the response rates for each constituent group.

- Parents: 217
- Students: 419
- Staff: 99

In future years, the School Perceptions survey will be given every even numbered year and the Illinois 5Essentials Survey of Learning Conditions will be given every odd numbered year. This cycle of survey administration is sure to give us a clear picture of our schools' climate and culture as well as not lead to survey fatigue.

With such a detailed survey and a high response rate, there was a sizable amount of data to review. The administration has reviewed this data and created a [video](#) that outlines both the highlights and areas for growth based on the survey data. The video provides the viewer with feedback from each constituent group as well as a cross section of the data. The data suggests that, overall, the district is meeting the needs of students, parents, and staff; however, there are areas for improvement. These areas include leadership, handling of student discipline, and use of instructional technology.

Moving forward, administrators will use data to inform decisions in our professional goals and priorities during our strategic planning process. Additionally, building level leadership teams have been given access to the data and will set school improvement goals using this information.

Main Takeaways:

- Survey garnered a high response rate from all constituents.
- A public video outlines some specifics of the results.
- Survey data will be used to set goals and move our district forward.

Mission

Ensure that each student is a passionate learner empowered with the Academic and social skills to responsibly choose and excel in life pursuits.