

BALTIMORE CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Parent School Survey 2018-19 Results

The Office of Achievement and Accountability administers the parent school survey to capture families' perceptions of their schools' environment, relationships, safety, and teaching and learning practices. Beginning in 2018-19, MSDE administered a climate survey for educators and students across Maryland, which will be shared on the official Maryland Report Cards scheduled for release in December 2019.

The parent survey has 27 questions that score responses across nine dimensions: safety, creativity and the arts, learning climate, physical environment, school resources, the administration, family involvement, overall satisfaction, and grit. Each question is answered on a 1 (strongly disagree) to 4 (strongly agree) scale, and the percentage of 3 (agree) or 4 (strongly agree) responses are calculated to determine the percent agreement with survey items at the school and district level.

School Number	410			
School Name	Mergenthaler Vocational-Technical High School			
	2017-18	2018-19	Change	District Average 2018-19
Response Count	147	415	268	19837
Estimated Number Eligible	1641	1706	65	
Estimated Response Rate	9.0%	24.3%	15.4%	
Administration Dimension	68.5%	67.2%	-1.3%	84.0%
Creativity & the Arts Dimension	85.8%	82.9%	-2.9%	89.8%
Physical Environment Dimension	76.0%	60.9%	-15.1%	84.7%
Grit Dimension	95.8%	90.9%	-4.9%	96.6%
Learning Climate Dimension	76.8%	80.8%	4.0%	87.8%
Family Involvement Dimension	74.0%	72.8%	-1.2%	85.1%
School Resources Dimension	57.5%	77.6%	20.0%	86.2%
Safety Dimension	76.5%	72.4%	-4.1%	89.0%
Satisfaction with School Dimension	73.6%	82.1%	8.5%	87.9%
OVERALL	70.5%	75.4%	4.9%	86.6%

* A value of "S" indicates survey responses were suppressed due to inadequate response rate (less than 50 responses and less than 10% of student enrollment). Change values may be slightly different than observed differences due to rounding. For details on survey calculations, suppression rules, and how individual questions align to dimension scores, please view the notes section on the school level survey spreadsheet at <https://www.baltimorecityschools.org/data>.