

Coarsegold Parent Survey Results 2010

1. Rate the overall quality of Coarsegold School.

	Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Needs Improv.	Unsatisfactory
Average %:	29.5%	51.8%	13.4%	4.5%	0.9%

2. How well has your child improved in learning to read and understand what he or she reads?

	Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Needs Improv.	Unsatisfactory
Average %:	38.7%	39.6%	16.0%	4.7%	0.9%

3. How well has your child improved in learning mathematics skills and how to use them to solve problems?

Average %:	38.1%	36.2%	18.1%	5.7%	1.9%
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4. How well has your child improved in learning to write (for example: sentences, paragraphs, stories, letters, reports, etc.)?

	Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Needs Improv.	Unsatisfactory
Average %:	30.5%	37.1%	22.9%	8.6%	1.0%

5. How successful are school personnel in maintaining a safe and secure environment for your child?

	Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Needs Improv.	Unsatisfactory
Average %:	43.8%	33.3%	16.2%	6.7%	0.0%

6. How well has your child's school promoted understanding and appreciation of various racial, ethnic and cultural groups?

	Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Needs Improv.	Unsatisfactory
Average %:	19.0%	42.9%	30.5%	6.7%	1.0%

7. How well is your child challenged to learn to his or her ability?

	Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Needs Improv.	Unsatisfactory
Average %:	23.6%	46.2%	19.8%	9.4%	0.9%

8. How well does the school-to-home communication meet your needs as a parent?

	Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Needs Improv.	Unsatisfactory
Average %:	41.0%	21.9%	17.1%	18.1%	1.9%

9. How well do you feel school personnel (i.e. administration, teachers and staff) create a positive school climate and a good learning environment for your child?

	Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Needs Improv.	Unsatisfactory
Average %:	41.5%	33.0%	18.9%	6.6%	0.0%

10. Rate the quality of the instructional supplies and materials which your child or children uses (ex. textbooks, science materials, etc.).

	Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Needs Improv.	Unsatisfactory
Average %:	17.9%	47.2%	21.7%	13.2%	0.0%

11. How satisfied are you with the maintenance of the buildings and grounds for your child at Coarsegold School?

	Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Needs Improv.	Unsatisfactory
Average %:	34.6%	46.7%	16.8%	0.9%	0.9%

12. Rate the transportation services for your child at Coarsegold School.

	Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Needs Improv.	Unsatisfactory
Average %:	40.4%	37.4%	17.2%	4.0%	1.0%

13. Rate the food services for your child at Coarsegold School.

	Excellent	Good	Satisfactory	Needs Improv.	Unsatisfactory
Average %:	11.8%	37.3%	33.3%	11.8%	5.9%

14. Indicate how you feel about the District Dress Code. The Dress Code should be:

Left as is 37 58% More strict 11 17% Less strict 5 8% No opinion 11 17%

15. To what degree has your child developed skills in the use of technology at school as part of his or her educational program? (For example: Internet, computers, computer learning programs, communications, Accelerated Reader, etc.).

A great deal 14 22% A fair amount 29 45% Not very much 13 20%
 Not at all 5 8% Do not know 3 5%

16. Grades 4-8 only: To what degree has the school's co-curricular and extracurricular programs met the needs of your child? (For example: music, sports, Science Fun Day, Academic Pentathlon, MASS, Drama, Shake-the-Floor, Electives, etc.)

A great deal	A fair amount	Not very much	Not at all	Do not know
45.9%	34.4%	13.1%	3.3%	3.3%

17. Coarsegold School has been helpful in communicating information regarding requirements for high school graduation, college admissions and/or career planning.

Strongly disagree 3 5% Disagree 9 15% Neutral 17 27% Agree 7 11%
 Strongly agree 2 3% Not Applicable 24 39%

18. Please indicate if your child participates in any of the following programs. Mark all that apply:

Special Education (RSP,SDC)	GATE	School Interventions	None of these
7.2%	25.8%	2.1%	64.9%

19. How many children in your home currently attend Coarsegold School?

1	34	53%
2	26	41%
3	3	5%
5 or more	1	2%

20. How long has your child (ren) attended Coarsegold School?

Less than one year	10	16%
1-2 years	9	14%
3-5 years	23	37%
6-16 years	21	33%

21. What is the highest level of education of either parent or guardian?

High school graduate	2	3%
Some college or technical school	17	27%
College graduate	26	42%
Advanced college degree	16	26%
Decline to say	1	2%

22. Please indicate the primary race/ethnic group with which you mainly identify.

Asian/Pacific Islander (includes Hmong/Laotian)	2	3%
White/Caucasian	49	77%
Hispanic	1	2%
Native American/Alaska Native	2	3%
Other/Multi-Racial	1	2%
Decline	9	14%

23. Which of the following types of parent involvement opportunities or school events have you either attended or been a participant or member?

School Site Council	5 8%	PTA	30 49%	Book Fair	25 41%
MASS Instructor/Volunteer	10 16%	Classroom Volunteer	42 69%	GATE	8 13%
Room Parent	16 26%	Field Trip Chaperone	47 77%	Dance Chap.	6 10%
Fundraising Activities	28 46%	Back-to-School Night	34 56%	Family Movie Nite	26%
Parent/Teacher Conference	55 90%	Winter Musical Performance	29 48%	Country Fair	66%
Talent Show	10 16%	Science Fun Day	25 41%	8th Grade Graduation	11 18%

24. Do you feel that your child is respected by adults at Coarsegold School?

Always	Usually	Sometimes	Never
43.9%	50.5%	4.7%	0.9%

25. The interactions my child has with other children at Coarsegold School are positive.

Always	Usually	Sometimes	Never
20.6%	69.2%	9.3%	0.9%

26. How do you feel about the amount of homework your child (or children) is assigned each week?

	Too Much	About Right	Not Enough
K	-	82%	18%
1	14%	71%	14%
2	10%	90%	-
3	33%	67%	-
4	8%	77%	15%
5	43%	57%	-
6	6%	88%	6%
7	13%	87%	-
8	22%	78%	-
Average %:	15.0%	78.5%	6.5%

27. Which subject do you have the most difficulty assisting your child with at home?

	Reading/Language Arts	Math	Science	History/Social Science	None
K	9%	-	-	-	91%
1	7%	14%	-	-	79%
2	-	30%	-	-	70%
3	-	17%	-	-	83%
4	-	46%	8%	-	46%
5	-	57%	-	-	43%
6	13%	53%	7%	-	27%
7	19%	38%	6%	6%	31%
8	-	75%	-	-	25%
Av %:	6.6%	34.9%	2.8%	0.9%	54.7%

28. Homework supports my child's learning:

	Greatly	Moderately	Very little	confidential
K	36%	45%	18%	
1	43%	43%	14%	
2	50%	40%	10%	
3	17%	67%	17%	
4	69%	31%	-	
5	29%	29%	43%	
6	19%	56%	25%	
7	29%	43%	29%	
8	22%	78%	-	
Av %:	34.9%	48.1%	17.0%	

Total Responses 64 Families 106-112 Students represented