

# Sarasota School of Arts and Sciences Annual Parent Results

2023 Annual PARENT Survey

**How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements about this school?**

Question	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Neither agree or disagree/ Choose not to answer	Total
My child's teachers make themselves available to me.	5.92%	12.50%	41.45%	34.21%	5.92%	152
This school promptly responds to my phone call, messages, or e-mails.	7.84%	7.19%	40.52%	42.48%	1.96%	153
This school is a friendly place overall.	6.54%	7.19%	39.22%	45.10%	1.96%	153
I feel comfortable talking to someone at this school about my child.	8.50%	5.88%	37.25%	45.10%	3.27%	153

**How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements about this school?**

Question	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Neither agree or disagree/ Choose not to answer	Total
At this school, my child feels he/she belongs.	5.92%	11.18%	44.74%	33.55%	4.61%	152
This school communicates how important it is to respect the practices of all cultures.	5.30%	9.27%	37.75%	37.09%	10.60%	151
This school sees me as a partner in my child's education.	7.24%	9.87%	41.45%	32.24%	9.21%	152
This school encourages me to be an active partner in educating my child.	6.58%	12.50%	40.79%	36.18%	3.95%	152

## How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements about this school?

Question	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Neither agree or disagree/ Choose not to answer	Total
I know what my child needs to learn at his/her grade level or know where to find the information.	6.80%	18.37%	41.50%	30.61%	2.72%	147
When I work with staff at this school, they use words I can understand about my child's education and progress.	6.12%	6.80%	34.01%	45.58%	7.48%	147
This school gives me enough information to know if my child is making progress.	8.16%	12.24%	42.18%	37.41%	0.00%	147
My recommendations and ideas are included when discussing my child's education.	4.76%	10.88%	34.01%	27.21%	23.13%	147
This school provides high quality services to help students with emotional or behavioral needs.	7.48%	11.56%	27.89%	25.85%	27.21%	147
This school helps me figure out what emotional and behavioral skills my child needs to develop (e.g., problem solving and coping skills).	5.48%	22.60%	24.66%	21.92%	25.34%	146
When my child does something good at school, I usually hear about it from the school.	11.64%	32.19%	30.82%	13.70%	11.64%	146

## How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements about this school?

Question	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Neither agree or disagree/ Choose not to answer	Total
This school has high expectations for all students.	5.52%	10.34%	39.31%	37.93%	6.90%	145
This school encourages all students to take challenging classes no matter their race, ethnicity, nationality, and/or cultural background (e.g., accelerated courses, advanced work programs, honor level courses, gifted courses, AP or IB courses.)	6.90%	5.52%	31.72%	42.76%	13.10%	145
This school has quality programs for my child's talents, gifts, or special needs.	7.59%	8.28%	30.34%	48.28%	5.52%	145

**How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements about this school?**

<b>Question</b>	<b>Strongly Disagree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>Strongly Agree</b>	<b>Neither agree or disagree/ Choose not to answer</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>This school takes effective measures to ensure the safety of students.</b>	5.56%	6.94%	33.33%	53.47%	0.69%	144
<b>This school has made it clear to my child what he/she should do if there is an emergency, natural disaster (tornado, flood) or a dangerous situation (e.g., violent person on campus) during the school day.</b>	5.59%	3.50%	32.17%	54.55%	4.20%	143
<b>I feel my child is safe going to or from this school.</b>	4.90%	5.59%	31.47%	55.94%	2.10%	143

**How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements about this school?**

<b>Question</b>	<b>Strongly Disagree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>Strongly Agree</b>	<b>Neither agree or disagree/ Choose not to answer</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>The school building is clean and well-maintained.</b>	4.90%	2.80%	28.67%	59.44%	4.20%	143
<b>Adequate COVID safety precautions are taken at this school.</b>	4.90%	4.90%	26.57%	46.85%	16.78%	143

**This question is about bullying. Bullying is systematically and chronically inflicting physical hurt or psychological distress on one or more students or employees. Bullying includes instances of cyberbullying. Bullying may include, but is not limited to, repetitive instances of teasing, social exclusion, threats, intimidation, stalking, physical violence, theft, harassment, public or private humiliation, or destruction of property. How much of a problem is bullying at this school? Mark one response.**

<b>This question is about bullying. Bullying is systematically and chronically inflicting physical hurt or psychological distress on one or more students or employees. Bullying includes instances of cyberbullying. Bullying may include, but is not limited to, repetitive instances of teasing, social exclusion, threats, intimidation, stalking, physical violence, theft, harassment, public or private humiliation, or destruction of property. How much of a problem is bullying at this school? Mark one response.</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
<b>Serious problem</b>	<b>9.03%</b>
<b>Somewhat of a problem</b>	<b>31.94%</b>
<b>Not a problem at all</b>	<b>28.47%</b>
<b>Don't know or does not apply</b>	<b>30.56%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>144</b>

This question is about cyberbullying. Cyberbullying is bullying that takes place using electronic technology. Examples of cyberbullying include mean text messages or e-mails, rumors sent by e-mail or posted on social networking sites, and embarrassing pictures, videos, websites or fake profiles. How much of a problem is cyberbullying at this school? Mark one response.

<p>This question is about cyberbullying. “Cyberbullying” means bullying through the use of technology or any electronic communication, which includes, but is not limited to, any transfer of signs, signals, writing, images, sounds, data, or intelligence of any nature transmitted in whole or in part by a wire, radio, electromagnetic system, photoelectronic system, or photooptical system, including, but not limited to, electronic mail, Internet communications, instant messages, or facsimile communications. Cyberbullying includes the creation of a web page or weblog in which the creator assumes the identity of another person, or the knowing impersonation of another person as the author of posted content or messages, if the creation or impersonation creates any of the conditions enumerated in the definition of bullying. Cyberbullying also includes the distribution by electronic means of a communication to more than one person or the posting of material on an electronic medium that may be accessed by one or more persons, if the distribution or posting creates any of the conditions enumerated in the definition of bullying. How much of a problem is cyberbullying at this school? Mark one response.</p>	<b>Percentage</b>
<b>Serious problem</b>	4.17%
<b>Somewhat of a problem</b>	21.53%
<b>Not a problem at all</b>	19.44%
<b>Don't know or does not apply</b>	54.86%
<b>Total</b>	144

How much of a problem is the following at this school? Mark one response.

Question	Serious problem	Somewhat of a problem	Not a problem at all	Neither agree or disagree/ Choose not to answer	Total
<b>Racial/ethnic conflict among students is a problem at this school.</b>	2.80%	15.38%	51.05%	30.77%	143
<b>Physical fighting between students is a problem at this school.</b>	6.29%	23.08%	41.96%	28.67%	143

## How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Question	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Neither agree or disagree/ Choose not to answer	Total
I receive District-level messaging and information and feel informed.	4.90%	4.20%	44.76%	43.36%	2.80%	143
This school makes frequent contact with parents (e.g., events, open house).	6.29%	6.99%	40.56%	42.66%	3.50%	143
This school notifies parents or guardians effectively in the case of a school-wide emergency.	4.93%	5.63%	34.51%	46.48%	8.45%	142
This school communicates policies and procedures clearly to parents or guardians.	6.29%	5.59%	39.16%	47.55%	1.40%	143
This school gives me information about how to get other services (i.e., childcare, parent support, respite, WIC, food stamps, emergency assistance, etc.)	7.69%	11.89%	22.38%	25.17%	32.87%	143

## Where do you get general information about this school? Check all that apply.

Where do you get general information about this school? Check all that apply. - Selected Choice	Percentage
Website	15.81%
Text messages	15.58%
School Social Media (e.g. Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, Twitter)	8.14%
Remind or other communications app	1.63%
Outbound phone call	9.30%
Other	0.70%
Newsletter (print or digital)	16.28%
Marquee	1.16%
E-mail messages	31.40%
<b>Total</b>	<b>430</b>

**Where do you get general information about the Sarasota County Schools district office? Check all that apply.**

<b>Where do you get general information about the Sarasota County Schools district office? Check all that apply. - Selected Choice</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
E-mail messages	32.12%
Website	13.64%
School Social Media (e.g. Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, Twitter)	4.55%
Text messages	23.64%
Remind or other communications app	0.30%
Outbound phone call	21.21%
Newsletter (print or digital)	3.94%
Marquee	0.30%
Other	0.30%
<b>Total</b>	<b>330</b>

**Where do you get information about your child's performance in school? Check all that apply.**

<b>Where do you get information about your child's performance in school? Check all that apply. - Selected Choice</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
The teacher/school e-mails me	13.53%
The teacher/school calls me	1.33%
Test score reports	9.02%
Teacher conference	4.24%
Report cards	23.34%
Progress report	13.79%
Other	1.06%
Family Access (Parent) portal	33.69%
<b>Total</b>	<b>377</b>

How would you PREFER to receive information from your child's school? Check all that apply.

How would you PREFER to receive information from your child's school? Check all that apply. - Selected Choice	Percentage
To find it on the school website	5.76%
Outbound recorded call	11.26%
Text message	25.92%
E-mail	33.77%
Newsletter (print or digital)	13.35%
Remind or other communications app	3.66%
Other	0.52%
School Social Media (e.g. Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, Twitter)	5.76%
<b>Total</b>	<b>382</b>

How would you PREFER to receive information from Sarasota County Schools district office? Check all that apply.

How would you PREFER to receive information from Sarasota County Schools district office? Check all that apply. - Selected Choice	Percentage
E-mail	41.25%
To find it on the school website	6.60%
School Social Media (e.g. Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, Twitter)	4.29%
Text message	26.07%
Remind or other communications app	1.98%
Outbound recorded call	13.20%
Newsletter (print or digital)	6.27%
Other	0.33%
<b>Total</b>	<b>303</b>



## Do you know how to access the Family Access (Parent) portal?

Do you know how to access the Family Access (Parent) portal?	Percentage
Yes	99.28%
No	0.72%
Total	139

## How often do you access the Family Access (Parent) portal?

How often do you access the Family Access (Parent) portal?	Percentage
Once a week	62.04%
Never	4.38%
More than once a week	27.01%
Daily	6.57%
Total	137

## How can this school help you help your child do better in school? Check all that apply.

How can this school help you help your child do better in school? Check all that apply.	Percentage
Homework strategies	18.35%
Behavior management	4.71%
Time management	21.41%
Reading strategies	12.94%
Strengthening focus	16.47%
Writing strategies	12.94%
Math strategies	13.18%
Total	425