### NJ SCI Pilot Survey

Students Grades 3-5 Data Report

Township of Ocean Intermediate School

May 2022



This report contains data from the New Jersey School Climate Improvement (NJ SCI) Survey. Items in the survey are organized into domains, or main conceptual areas of school climate. Means and response distributions are available for each domain as well as individual items within domains. Item level means represents the average score on an item for all respondents that answered that item. Item level distributions represent the number and percentage of respondents that selected each available response option (e.g., strongly disagree, disagree, agree, strongly agree) for an item. Total number of respondents in each item may vary if respondents skip (an) item(s) or select "Not Applicable." Overall means for each domain are calculated by taking the average of means from individual items within a respective domain. Similarly, overall response distributions are calculated by taking the average percentage distribution for individual items within a respective domain. Please note that mean scores on the domain and item-level pages are ranked highest to lowest.

<sup>\* =</sup> Item includes a "not applicable" option and may have a lower response number compared to other items.

### **Stakeholder Summary**

Overall								
Overall	189							
By: Grade								
Grade 3	0							
Grade 4	0							
Grade 5	175							
Not Specified	14							
By: Ge Combined totals here may respondents for this stakehol may be so	exceed overall number of der as more than one option							
Boy/Male	91							
Girl/Female	77							
l use a different word(s)	11							
Non-binary	0							
Transgender	0							
By: Race/Ethnicity Combined totals here may exceed overall number of respondents for this stakeholder as more than one option								

may be selected.

A group not listed here

By: Race/Ethnicity
Combined totals here may exceed overall number of
respondents for this stakeholder as more than one option
may be selected.

American Indian or Alaska Native	4
Asian	11
Black or African-American	16
Hispanic or Latino/a	27
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
White	114
By: English at I	Home
No	39
Not Specified	12
Yes	138
By: Language Survey S	Submitted In
English	173
Haitian Creole	0
Not Specified	12
Portuguese	1
Spanish	3

#### **Overall Summary**

Domain	Mean	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total Respondents
Sense of Physical Safety	3.22	5%	11%	41%	43%	185
Student Sense of Belonging	3.12	6%	14%	41%	38%	183
Supports for Student Social and Emotional Learning	3.02	7%	15%	49%	29%	182
Supportive Staff-Student Relationships	2.99	7%	17%	44%	31%	185
Behavioral Expectations	2.96	7%	19%	45%	29%	186
Academic Culture and Classroom Practices	2.93	7%	26%	33%	33%	189
Prosocial Student Interpersonal Behaviors	2.86	7%	22%	49%	22%	185
Student Voice and Involvement	2.73	12%	23%	45%	20%	178
Negative Student Interpersonal Behaviors	2.45	29%	23%	21%	27%	184

Note: Response options in the Academic Culture and Classroom Practices domain range from "None" "Some" "Most" and "All." Response options for the Negative Student Interpersonal Behaviors domain range from "A Big Problem" "A Medium Problem" "A Small Problem" and "Not A Problem."

#### **Academic Culture and Classroom Practices**

Item	Mean	None	Some	Most	All	Total Respondents
4. In this school: of my teachers expect me to work hard.	3.77	3% 6	3% 6	6% 12	87% 162	186
10. In this school: of my teachers help me learn from my mistakes on work.	3.40	4% 7	15% 27	19% 36	62% 115	185
9. In this school: of my teachers would give me extra help with my work if I needed it.	3.39	3% 5	13% 24	27% 50	57% 106	185
11. In this school: of my teachers tell me how I can do better on my work.	3.23	5% 10	16% 30	28% 52	50% 93	185
8. In this school: of my teachers give me chances to work with other students.	3.06	4% 7	21% 38	42% 77	34% 63	185
2. In this school: of the students care about doing well on work.	2.92	1% 2	26% 48	53% 100	20% 37	187
12. In this school: of my teachers explain how schoolwork will help me in the future.	2.77	16% 29	21% 39	34% 64	29% 54	186
1. In this school: of the students stay on task in class.	2.74	1% 2	31% 58	61% 114	7% 14	188
6. In this school: of my teachers teach about topics I like.	2.70	6% 11	37% 70	38% 71	19% 35	187
3. In this school: of the students keep trying when the work is hard.	2.68	0% 0	42% 78	48% 90	10% 19	187
5. <b>In this school:</b> of my teachers teach about people like me.	2.41	23% 43	31% 56	27% 50	19% 34	183
7. In this school: of my teachers give me chances to pick the type of work I have to do.	2.07	22% 41	55% 101	16% 30	7% 12	184

# **Behavioral Expectations**

Item	Mean	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total Respondents
13. In this school: adults let students know how they should behave while in school.	3.35	2% 3	5% 10	49% 92	44% 81	186
16. In this school: adults help students make things right when they hurt others.	3.12	4% 8	12% 23	51% 94	33% 61	186
19. The rules help make my school a better place.	3.03	6% 11	17% 32	44% 81	32% 59	183
15. In this school: adults treat all students the same when they follow the rules.	3.02	7% 13	18% 33	41% 75	34% 62	183
18. I think the rules at our school are fair.	2.90	7% 13	19% 34	51% 94	23% 42	183
17. In this school: adults say or do something nice when I follow the rules.	2.90	7% 13	21% 38	48% 89	24% 45	185
14. In this school: adults treat all students the same when they break the rules.	2.43	16% 29	39% 71	32% 59	13% 24	183

# Sense of Physical Safety

Item	Mean	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total Respondents
24. Adults at this school help keep everyone safe.	3.38	3% 6	5% 9	42% 78	50% 92	185
21. I feel safe in my classrooms.	3.35	5% 10	5% 9	38% 70	51% 93	182
20. I feel safe during the school day.	3.16	5% 10	13% 24	42% 76	40% 73	183
22. I feel safe outside of the classroom.	3.14	6% 11	13% 24	42% 76	39% 71	182
23. I feel safe on the way to and from school.	3.09	5% 9	18% 33	40% 74	37% 68	184

## **Supportive Staff-Student Relationships**

Item	Mean	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total Respondents
26. Adults in my school: would help me if I was being treated badly.	3.25	4% 8	10% 18	42% 78	43% 80	184
27. Adults in my school: treat me with respect.	3.20	4% 7	10% 18	49% 90	38% 69	184
28. There are one or more adults in my school who really care about me.	3.15	3% 6	13% 24	48% 88	35% 64	182
25. Adults in my school: want to get to know me.	2.86	5% 9	25% 46	49% 90	21% 39	184
29. I am comfortable speaking to an adult in my school if something is bothering me.	2.50	21% 38	29% 53	30% 56	20% 37	184

## **Prosocial Student Interpersonal Behaviors**

Item	Mean	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total Respondents
34. Students at this school: are friends with other students who are not the same as them.	3.24	3% 5	6% 11	56% 102	35% 64	182
35. Students at this school: play with students who move, learn, or talk in different ways.	3.09	4% 7	12% 22	55% 98	29% 52	179
30. Students at this school: help each other if they need it.	2.96	5% 9	16% 29	58% 106	22% 40	184
32. Students at this school: speak up if someone might hurt others.	2.83	6% 11	27% 49	46% 84	21% 39	183
31. Students at this school: are kind to one another.	2.58	9% 17	36% 65	42% 77	13% 23	182
33. Students at this school: are able to work out their problems with other students.	2.46	14% 25	36% 66	39% 71	10% 19	181

# **Student Sense of Belonging**

Item	Mean	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total Respondents
40. I have one or more good friends at this school.	3.60	2% 4	4% 7	26% 47	68% 123	181
36. I am proud to be a student at this school.	3.24	4% 7	10% 18	44% 79	42% 74	178
39. I feel like I belong at this school.	3.03	6% 11	17% 30	45% 80	32% 57	178
37. I can be myself at this school.	2.87	10% 18	22% 39	40% 72	29% 52	181
38. People at this school like me for who I am.	2.84	9% 16	20% 35	50% 88	21% 38	177

## **Negative Student Interpersonal Behaviors**

Item	Mean	A Big Problem	A Medium Problem	A Small Problem	Not A Problem	Total Respondents
47. Students at this school pick on each other because of: how they move or walk.	2.92	21% 39	16% 30	11% 20	51% 93	182
48. Students at this school pick on each other because of: how they speak.	2.86	20% 36	16% 29	22% 40	42% 76	181
46. Students at this school pick on each other because of: how they learn.	2.82	20% 36	18% 32	23% 42	40% 72	182
45. Students at this school pick on each other because of: their race or where they are from.	2.67	32% 58	10% 18	19% 34	40% 73	183
49. Students at this school pick on each other because of: how they look.	2.33	35% 64	20% 36	22% 41	23% 42	183
44. Students at this school: are mean to each other online or through text.	2.28	35% 63	24% 44	19% 35	22% 39	181
43. Students at this school: leave kids out of groups on purpose.	2.13	30% 55	36% 65	26% 47	9% 16	183
41. Students at this school: say mean things to each other in person.	2.11	29% 54	36% 67	28% 52	6% 11	184
42. Students at this school: push, hit, or kick each other on purpose.	1.97	41% 76	29% 53	22% 40	8% 15	184

## **Supports for Student Social and Emotional Learning**

Item	Mean	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total Respondents
59. In my school we learn: how our actions affect others.	3.26	5% 9	8% 14	43% 77	44% 78	178
58. In my school we learn: how to make good choices.	3.21	3% 5	8% 15	54% 97	35% 62	179
62. In my school we learn: how to value all people for who they are.	3.20	5% 9	10% 17	45% 80	40% 70	176
55. In my school we learn: to stop and think before we do something.	3.15	4% 8	10% 18	51% 91	34% 61	178
60. In my school we learn: how to respect how others feel.	3.15	4% 7	13% 22	48% 84	35% 62	175
61. In my school we learn: how to make things right if we hurt others.	3.09	7% 12	9% 15	54% 94	31% 54	175
56. In my school we learn: what we are good at.	3.06	7% 13	14% 25	44% 77	35% 62	177
57. In my school we learn: how to reach our goals.	3.05	6% 10	14% 24	51% 90	30% 53	177
63. In my school we learn: how to help the community outside of school.	3.02	6% 11	14% 25	50% 88	29% 51	175
50. In my school we learn: ways to ask for help when we need it.	2.92	7% 12	18% 32	53% 94	23% 41	179
51. In my school we learn: ways to work out problems with others.	2.91	7% 12	17% 31	54% 98	22% 39	180
53. In my school we learn: what to do when we feel stress.	2.76	10% 18	24% 43	47% 84	19% 35	180
54. In my school we learn: what to do when we have upset feelings.	2.75	11% 19	22% 40	49% 88	18% 33	180

Item	Mean	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total Respondents
52. In my school we learn: ways of showing our feelings.	2.72	10% 18	25% 45	48% 87	17% 30	180

#### **Student Voice and Involvement**

Item	Mean	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total Respondents
66. In this school, I have chances to: help the community.	2.99	8% 14	13% 23	50% 88	29% 50	175
69. I am in clubs or other groups at school.*	2.90	14% 23	19% 32	30% 49	37% 61	165
64. In this school, I have chances to: share what I think about things.	2.78	9% 16	19% 33	57% 100	15% 27	176
65. In this school, I have chances to: help lead activities and events.	2.74	10% 18	24% 42	49% 87	17% 31	178
67. I have chances to help pick activities in the classroom or school.	2.62	14% 24	25% 44	46% 80	15% 26	174
68. I have chances to help make rules in the classroom or school.	2.38	15% 27	40% 70	35% 62	9% 16	175