## PARENT/GUARDIAN SURVEY DATA -A LOOK AT LYON CSD

Lyon County School District (Lyon CSD) is committed to providing a high-quality education and the best possible learning experience to our students. To help ensure that we are meeting the needs of our students and families, we recently conducted a parent/guardian feedback survey. This survey was designed to help us better understand the areas in which we are meeting your expectations, as well as the areas in which we can improve. Questions were modeled after the Lyon CSD Portrait of a Learner which is the guiding compass along the learning journey in our schools and district. You'll recall that the Lyon CSD Portrait of a Learner is the culmination of what students, parents/guardians, staff, and community members told us they wanted out of the learning experience in the Lyon CSD and its schools.

By gathering feedback from parents/guardians, we can make informed decisions that will positively impact the education of our students and help us ensure we are providing the learning experience you requested. We are grateful to those who participated in the survey and we want to assure you that the feedback will be used to enhance school/district operations and the student learning experience. Thank you for partnering with us as we work together to help our students achieve their goals and provide them with the individual learning experience they deserve.



#### THE DATA - SCHOOL FEEDBACK SURVEY

Summary: 1261 total respondents, 28 of whom were respondents without students in Lyon CSD.

Question Asked	% of Parents/Guardians who Strongly Agree, Agree, or are Neutral	% of Parents/Guardians who Disagree or Strongly Disagree	% of Parents/Guardians who did not respond	Respondents who indicated that they did not have students in Lyon CSD
	1261 respondents			28 Respondents
My child enjoys being at school each day.	87.3% (22.8% Neutral)	10.40%	2.30%	Strongly Agree or Agree: 3 Neutral: 5 Strongly Disagree or Disagree: 1 No Response: 19
My child's school effectively communicates important information, such as school events, academic updates, policy changes, etc.	88.6% (21.5% Neutral)	9.70%	1.70%	Strongly Agree or Agree: 5 Neutral: 4 Strongly Disagree or Disagree: 3 No Response: 16
My child's teacher(s) and administrators are accessible and responsive to my questions or concerns.	93% (18.6% Neutral)	5%	2%	Strongly Agree or Agree: 5 Neutral: 5 Strongly Disagree or Disagree: 2 No Response: 16
My child's school provides my child with personalized learning opportunities.	87.1% (26.7% Neutral)	10.90%	2%	Strongly Agree or Agree: 4 Neutral: 6 Strongly Disagree or Disagree: 1 No Response: 17
I am satisfied with the safety and security measures in place at my child's school.	85.2% (20.1% Neutral)	12.90%	1.90%	Strongly Agree or Agree: 5 Neutral: 4 Strongly Disagree or Disagree: 3 No Response: 16
I am satisfied with the education opportunities at my child's school including course/class afferings, extracurricular offerings, learning materials, application of real-life learning, etc.	83.8% (23.4% Neutral)	14.20%	2%	Strongly Agree or Agree: 3 Neutral: 4 Strongly Disagree or Disagree: 5 No Response: 16
I am provided opportunities to be included in my child's education.	88.5% (22% Neutral)	9.60%	1.90%	Strongly Agree or Agree: 3 Neutral: 7 Strongly Disagree or Disagree: 2 No Response: 16
My child is learning what they need to be successful in life.	87% (25.8% Neutral)	10.90%	2.10%	Strongly Agree or Agree: 5 Neutral: 4 Strongly Disagree or Disagree: 2 No Response: 17
I am satisfied with the overall education my child receives at their school.	87.6% (22.5% Neutral)	10.50%	1.90%	Strongly Agree or Agree: 5 Neutral: 4 Strongly Disagree or Disagree: 3 No Response: 16

### THE DATA - DISTRICT FEEDBACK SURVEY

Question Asked	% of Parents/Guardians who Strongly Agree, Agree, or are Neutral	% of Parents/Guardians who Disagree or Strongly Disagree	% of Parents/Guardians who did not respond	Respondents who indicated that they did not have students in Lyon CSD
	1261 respondents			28 Respondents
I am satisfied with the management and operations of the Lyon County School District.	81.9% (30.8% Neutral)	15.70%	2.40%	Strongly Agree or Agree: 6 Neutral: 6 Strongly Disagree or Disagree: 8 No Response: 8
The Lyon County School District effectively communicates educational opportunities, important updates, resources, etc.	87.3% (26.2% Neutral)	10.20%	2.50%	Strongly Agree or Agree: 7 Neutral: 6 Strongly Disagree or Disagree: 6 No Response: 9

## WHAT AREAS OF PROMISE DO WE SEE?

In our recent survey, we received an overwhelmingly positive response rate from our participants. In fact, the combined percentage of "neutral, agree, and strongly agree" responses across all questions was between 81.9% to 93%. This is a testament to the high level of satisfaction our parents/guardians have with the education their children are receiving while a part of the Lyon CSD and their respective school(s). We are thrilled to see such positive feedback and will continue to strive for excellence in all aspects of our students' education.

#### WHAT AREAS OF IMPROVEMENT DO WE SEE?

To ensure that our children receive a well-rounded education, it is essential that we improve the awareness of education opportunities available at their school, such as course/class offerings, extracurricular activities, learning materials, and the application of real-life learning. We are committed to enhancing opportunities in the future. As part of our efforts, the Lyon CSD has implemented new core curriculum at all levels, expanded work-based learning (WBL) opportunities, and created new career and technical education (CTE) courses in the district. These programs, coupled with the successful dual enrollment Jump Start Program, provide all students with a variety of learning options.

WBL and CTE programs are designed to provide students with hands-on experience in various industries, giving them a chance to learn and apply skills in real-world settings. This type of education can offer significant advantages for students who are interested in pursuing careers in fields that require practical skills/training in addition to academic knowledge. As a part of our WBL and CTE programs, Lyon CSD has also been a pioneer in Nevada with the Practical Assessment Exploration System (PAES) labs where our students with the most need for educational support can receive hands-on, real-world work, and training experiences.

In addition to WBL, CTE, and PAES Labs, Lyon CSD schools offer many other ways to expose students to real-world learning experiences. Schools partner with local businesses and organizations to provide internships, job shadowing, and other career learning opportunities. Schools also incorporate project-based or problem-based learning into the classroom, giving students the opportunity to work on real-world problems and projects. This is happening in our schools thanks to the efforts of our amazing educators as they focus on the Lyon CSD Portrait of a Learner.

## DOES THE DATA FEEL REFLECTIVE OF THE CURRENT STATUS OF OUR LEARNING COMMUNITY? WHY OR WHY NOT?

In today's politically polarized world, public education systems and schools endure growing criticism from external sources who claim that we are failing our children. However, the feedback provided by parents/guardians who have children in Lyon CSD schools contradicts this narrative. Based on our survey and data analysis, we found that those who have children enrolled in our schools are satisfied with their experience. Approximately 80-90% of parents or guardians have responded positively about their experience with the LCSD and schools.

We acknowledge that there is always an opportunity for growth and improvement. Our mission remains consistent as we strive for every student to have a positive learning experience where they are learning for life, connected with others, taking ownership of their learning, and discovering new possibilities.

# THANK YOU!

Once again, thank you for your participation and for your continued support of our schools. We look forward to continuing our work together to create a better future for our children.

