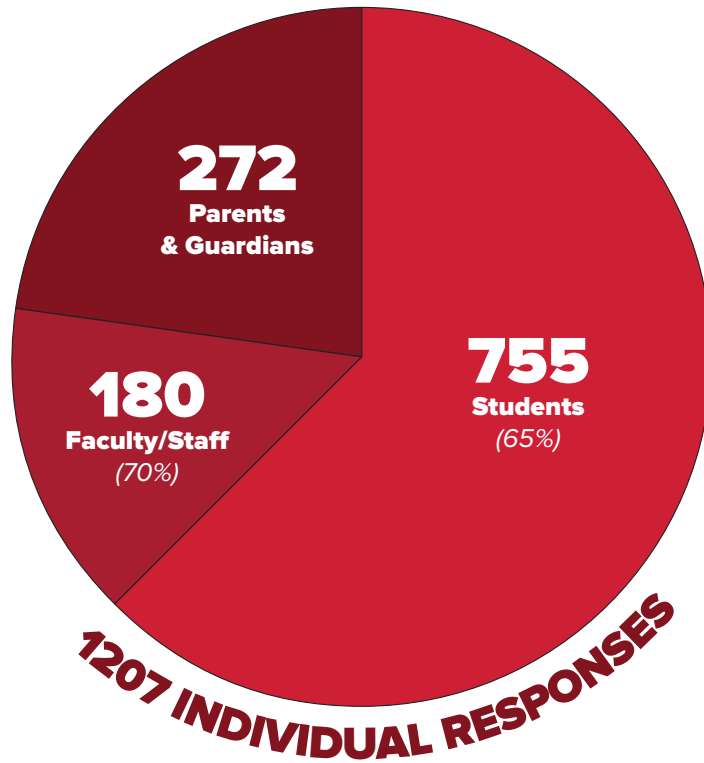


2023-2024 SEATTLE ACADEMY PULSE SURVEY RESULTS



SURVEY GOALS AND BACKGROUND

This December 2023 was the second year this SAAS Pulse Survey was sent to all members of the SAAS community: students, parents and guardians, and faculty and staff. The survey was designed to allow comparisons across groups and also through time as the survey is repeated in sequential years.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1. **Responses were very similar to last year:** The proportion of positive and negative responses to each question was statistically the same as the results we got in last year's survey for almost every question. For an interpretation of the two differences, see later in this report.
2. **Affirmation:** The results affirm that we are a school that fosters interpersonal connections and of learning.
3. **Next questions:** The relative stability of the quantitative responses offers the opportunity to solicit targeted and nuanced feedback on specific topics. In the near term a focus will be on giving surveys to get feedback from specific groups (such as grade levels of students) or about specific topics.



SCAN HERE:
To view last year's results

WE ARE AN INSTITUTION OF CONNECTIONS

Students: I have a connection with at least one trusted adult at school.



Parents & Guardians: My student(s) has at least one trusted adult at school.



Faculty & Staff: Somone at work seems to care about me as a person.



WE ARE AN INSTITUTION THAT FOSTERS LEARNING AND GROWTH

Students: In this school year, I have had opportunities at school to learn and grow.



Parents & Guardians: In this school year, my student(s) has had opportunities at school to learn and grow.



Faculty & Staff: In this school year, I have had opportunities at work to learn and grow.



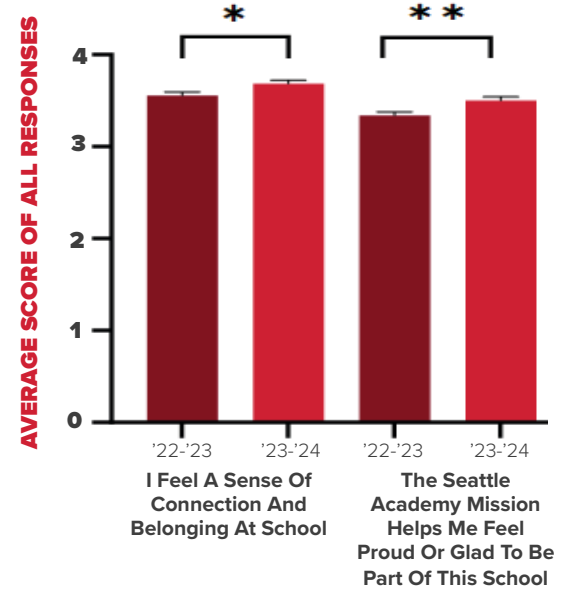
- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

To the left of each bar is the total percent “disagree” and “strongly disagree”
To the right of each bar is the total percent “agree” and “strongly agree”

**Percents do not sum to 100% because the remaining percent is the answers of “neutral” and is omitted from the graph.*

STATISTICAL CHANGE SINCE LAST SCHOOL YEAR

The two questions for which there were statistically-significant differences between last year and this year showed increases in the overall average value of student responses to questions about a sense of connection and belonging, and the SAAS mission. While the differences are positive, the percentage change is so small that these differences are not yet being regarded as actionable.



Each question on the survey was offered as a scale from 1 to 5, with strongly disagree = 1 and strongly agree = 5. Graph shows the average and standard error of the mean for all responses to each question.

- * p<0.02 for connection and belonging,
- ** p<0.005 for mission. Unpaired t-test