

2009-2010 HHS Parent Survey

1. There are high expectations for student achievement in my child's classrooms.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
English	41.3% (104)	<b>50.4% (127)</b>	6.7% (17)	0.8% (2)	0.8% (2)	1.00	252
Math	46.8% (118)	<b>48.4% (122)</b>	3.2% (8)	0.8% (2)	0.8% (2)	1.00	252
Social Studies	30.4% (76)	<b>50.4% (126)</b>	12.0% (30)	4.0% (10)	3.2% (8)	1.00	250
Foreign Language	36.5% (92)	<b>44.4% (112)</b>	10.7% (27)	2.0% (5)	6.3% (16)	1.00	252
Science	<b>50.8% (128)</b>	42.5% (107)	4.4% (11)	0.4% (1)	2.0% (5)	1.00	252
Health	19.0% (46)	31.8% (77)	4.1% (10)	0.8% (2)	<b>44.2% (107)</b>	1.00	242
Music	22.7% (55)	26.0% (63)	3.3% (8)	0.8% (2)	<b>47.1% (114)</b>	1.00	242
Art	15.0% (36)	29.2% (70)	3.8% (9)	0.8% (2)	<b>51.3% (123)</b>	1.00	240
Physical Education	10.8% (26)	33.2% (80)	8.3% (20)	2.1% (5)	<b>45.6% (110)</b>	1.00	241
	<b>answered question</b>						<b>254</b>
	<b>skipped question</b>						<b>3</b>

<b>2. The academic standards in my child's classrooms are appropriate.</b>							
	<b>Strongly Agree</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Strongly Disagree</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>Rating Average</b>	<b>Response Count</b>
English	37.8% (93)	<b>51.2%</b> <b>(126)</b>	8.5% (21)	1.2% (3)	1.2% (3)	1.00	246
Math	41.7% (103)	<b>49.0%</b> <b>(121)</b>	6.5% (16)	1.6% (4)	1.2% (3)	1.00	247
Social Studies	31.6% (77)	<b>52.0%</b> <b>(127)</b>	11.1% (27)	3.3% (8)	2.0% (5)	1.00	244
Foreign Language	34.2% (83)	<b>49.4%</b> <b>(120)</b>	8.2% (20)	2.5% (6)	5.8% (14)	1.00	243
Science	38.1% (93)	<b>51.2%</b> <b>(125)</b>	6.1% (15)	2.0% (5)	2.5% (6)	1.00	244
Health	21.9% (51)	31.3% (73)	2.1% (5)	0.4% (1)	<b>44.2%</b> <b>(103)</b>	1.00	233
Music	22.2% (52)	27.8% (65)	1.3% (3)	0.4% (1)	<b>48.3%</b> <b>(113)</b>	1.00	234
Art	13.9% (32)	29.6% (68)	2.2% (5)	0.4% (1)	<b>53.9%</b> <b>(124)</b>	1.00	230
Physical Education	14.2% (33)	29.7% (69)	4.7% (11)	2.2% (5)	<b>49.1%</b> <b>(114)</b>	1.00	232
	<b><i>answered question</i></b>						<b>249</b>
	<b><i>skipped question</i></b>						<b>8</b>

**3. My child's teachers make their expectations for assignments and performances clear.**

	<b>Strongly Agree</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Strongly Disagree</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>Rating Average</b>	<b>Response Count</b>
English	34.6% (83)	<b>53.8%</b> <b>(129)</b>	7.1% (17)	1.7% (4)	2.9% (7)	1.00	240
Math	37.5% (90)	<b>49.6%</b> <b>(119)</b>	7.1% (17)	3.3% (8)	2.5% (6)	1.00	240
Social Studies	30.0% (71)	<b>50.2%</b> <b>(119)</b>	11.8% (28)	3.8% (9)	4.2% (10)	1.00	237
Science	33.9% (81)	<b>53.6%</b> <b>(128)</b>	7.5% (18)	2.5% (6)	2.5% (6)	1.00	239
Foreign Language	29.3% (70)	<b>50.2%</b> <b>(120)</b>	10.0% (24)	2.9% (7)	7.5% (18)	1.00	239
Health	20.2% (46)	29.4% (67)	2.6% (6)	1.3% (3)	<b>46.5%</b> <b>(106)</b>	1.00	228
Music	20.1% (45)	27.7% (62)	0.4% (1)	0.9% (2)	<b>50.9%</b> <b>(114)</b>	1.00	224
Art	15.0% (34)	28.3% (64)	0.9% (2)	0.9% (2)	<b>54.9%</b> <b>(124)</b>	1.00	226
Physical Education	15.2% (35)	26.5% (61)	1.7% (4)	1.7% (4)	<b>54.8%</b> <b>(126)</b>	1.00	230
	<b><i>answered question</i></b>						<b>242</b>
	<b><i>skipped question</i></b>						<b>15</b>

<b>4. My child's teachers appropriately enforce the behavioral expectations in their classes.</b>							
	<b>Strongly Agree</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Strongly Disagree</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>Rating Average</b>	<b>Response Count</b>
English	27.6% (63)	<b>57.5%</b> <b>(131)</b>	4.8% (11)	0.0% (0)	10.1% (23)	1.00	228
Math	29.8% (68)	<b>56.1%</b> <b>(128)</b>	4.4% (10)	0.0% (0)	9.6% (22)	1.00	228
Social Studies	25.1% (57)	<b>53.7%</b> <b>(122)</b>	7.9% (18)	1.8% (4)	11.5% (26)	1.00	227
Science	30.1% (69)	<b>54.1%</b> <b>(124)</b>	4.4% (10)	0.9% (2)	10.5% (24)	1.00	229
Foreign Language	24.0% (54)	<b>51.6%</b> <b>(116)</b>	7.1% (16)	1.8% (4)	15.6% (35)	1.00	225
Health	15.7% (35)	32.3% (72)	2.2% (5)	0.0% (0)	<b>49.8%</b> <b>(111)</b>	1.00	223
Music	16.6% (37)	28.3% (63)	2.2% (5)	0.4% (1)	<b>52.5%</b> <b>(117)</b>	1.00	223
Art	11.8% (26)	27.3% (60)	2.3% (5)	0.0% (0)	<b>58.6%</b> <b>(129)</b>	1.00	220
Physical Education	11.6% (26)	31.3% (70)	2.2% (5)	0.0% (0)	<b>54.9%</b> <b>(123)</b>	1.00	224
	<b>answered question</b>						<b>232</b>
	<b>skipped question</b>						<b>25</b>

5. My child's teachers recognize and build upon my child's interests and abilities.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
English	27.9% (67)	<b>48.3% (116)</b>	16.7% (40)	3.3% (8)	3.8% (9)	1.00	240
Math	25.9% (62)	<b>49.0% (117)</b>	15.9% (38)	4.6% (11)	4.6% (11)	1.00	239
Social Studies	25.5% (60)	<b>43.0% (101)</b>	20.9% (49)	5.5% (13)	5.1% (12)	1.00	235
Science	25.7% (61)	<b>48.9% (116)</b>	15.6% (37)	4.2% (10)	5.5% (13)	1.00	237
Foreign Language	24.4% (58)	<b>45.8% (109)</b>	15.5% (37)	4.2% (10)	10.1% (24)	1.00	238
Health	13.1% (30)	30.1% (69)	5.2% (12)	2.2% (5)	<b>49.3% (113)</b>	1.00	229
Music	19.6% (45)	25.7% (59)	2.6% (6)	1.7% (4)	<b>50.4% (116)</b>	1.00	230
Art	12.8% (29)	26.1% (59)	3.5% (8)	0.9% (2)	<b>56.6% (128)</b>	1.00	226
Physical Education	11.0% (25)	28.6% (65)	6.2% (14)	1.8% (4)	<b>52.4% (119)</b>	1.00	227
	<b>answered question</b>						<b>243</b>
	<b>skipped question</b>						<b>14</b>

6. The school provides a safe environment for my child.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	43.4% (109)	<b>50.2% (126)</b>	3.6% (9)	2.4% (6)	0.4% (1)	1.00	251
	<b>answered question</b>						<b>251</b>
	<b>skipped question</b>						<b>6</b>

7. The guidance staff provides support and assistance for my child.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	30.4% (76)	<b>49.2% (123)</b>	12.4% (31)	4.4% (11)	3.6% (9)	1.00	250
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>250</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>7</b>

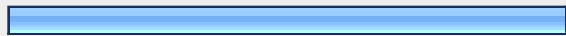
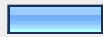
8. If your son/daughter participates in athletics, please rate your overall satisfaction with the athletic program.							
	Excellent	Good	Average	Poor	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	<b>37.7% (93)</b>	28.7% (71)	9.3% (23)	3.6% (9)	20.6% (51)	1.00	247
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>247</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>10</b>


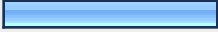
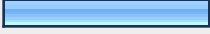

9. Comments related to questions 1-8:							
							Response Count
							94
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>94</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>163</b>

10. My child's school welcomes parent involvement. Please describe any specific ideas about how we can encourage parents to become more involved at HHS.							
							Response Count
							67
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>67</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>190</b>

11. I am able to work with school personnel to meet my child's needs.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	25.4% (63)	<b>57.7% (143)</b>	7.3% (18)	3.2% (8)	6.5% (16)	1.00	248
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>248</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>9</b>

12. I feel welcome to discuss my child's experiences in school with his teachers.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	31.2% (78)	<b>49.2% (123)</b>	12.0% (30)	3.6% (9)	4.0% (10)	1.00	250
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>250</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>7</b>

13. I attended Open House/Back to School Night this year.			
		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		86.1%	217
No		13.9%	35
	<i>answered question</i>		<b>252</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>		<b>5</b>

14. My level of involvement with my child's academics is:			
		Response Percent	Response Count
Very High		24.5%	62
High		32.8%	83
Moderate		31.2%	79
Minimal		11.5%	29
<i>answered question</i>			<b>253</b>
<i>skipped question</i>			<b>4</b>

15. Written information generated by my child's school is easy to understand.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	28.9% (71)	<b>61.0% (150)</b>	7.7% (19)	2.0% (5)	0.4% (1)	1.00	246
<i>answered question</i>							<b>246</b>
<i>skipped question</i>							<b>11</b>

16. I know whom to contact at school if I have a question about a specific service.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	25.9% (64)	<b>56.3% (139)</b>	14.6% (36)	2.4% (6)	0.8% (2)	1.00	247
<i>answered question</i>							<b>247</b>
<i>skipped question</i>							<b>10</b>

17. Communication from my child's school is timely and accurate.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	23.4% (58)	<b>59.7%</b> <b>(148)</b>	11.7% (29)	4.0% (10)	1.2% (3)	1.00	248
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>248</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>9</b>

18. My child's teacher returns phone calls or emails.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	26.0% (64)	<b>43.1%</b> <b>(106)</b>	6.1% (15)	2.0% (5)	22.8% (56)	1.00	246
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>246</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>11</b>

19. I am getting enough feedback on how my child is doing in school.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	18.0% (44)	<b>53.5%</b> <b>(131)</b>	22.9% (56)	5.3% (13)	0.4% (1)	1.00	245
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>245</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>12</b>

20. The Portal is new this year and is meant to increase communication among students, parents, and teachers about academic progress. Please respond to the following statement. I find the Portal helpful.

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	21.8% (53)	<b>31.7% (77)</b>	9.9% (24)	6.6% (16)	30.0% (73)	1.00	243
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>243</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>14</b>

21. I have a clear understanding of the curriculum in my child's classroom.

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	8.6% (21)	<b>49.2% (120)</b>	34.0% (83)	4.9% (12)	3.3% (8)	1.00	244
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>244</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>13</b>

22. I find the new format of the Principal's Weekly helpful.

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	18.7% (46)	<b>43.9% (108)</b>	20.7% (51)	13.8% (34)	2.8% (7)	1.00	246
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>246</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>11</b>

23. The school web page provides helpful information about my child's school.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	14.0% (34)	<b>58.7% (142)</b>	17.8% (43)	5.8% (14)	3.7% (9)	1.00	242
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>242</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>15</b>

24. One of the changes Hanover High School implemented based on our last parent survey was a new report card system. My child's report card is helpful and easy to understand.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	17.0% (42)	<b>68.4% (169)</b>	9.3% (23)	2.0% (5)	3.2% (8)	1.00	247
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>247</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>10</b>

25. I feel welcome in the Main Office of my child's school.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	35.0% (86)	<b>55.3% (136)</b>	2.0% (5)	1.2% (3)	6.5% (16)	1.00	246
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>246</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>11</b>

26. Office staff at the school deal with me in a fair and respectful manner.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	38.9% (95)	<b>51.2% (125)</b>	1.6% (4)	1.2% (3)	7.0% (17)	1.00	244
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>244</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>13</b>

27. Office personnel at the school return phone calls or emails in a timely fashion.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	29.1% (71)	<b>45.1% (110)</b>	4.1% (10)	1.2% (3)	20.5% (50)	1.00	244
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>244</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>13</b>

28. School administrators respond to the concerns of parents.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	17.4% (42)	<b>45.6% (110)</b>	10.8% (26)	4.1% (10)	22.0% (53)	1.00	241
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>241</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>16</b>

29. When I took a problem to the Principal, I felt heard and the decision was explained clearly.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	5.7% (14)	6.5% (16)	2.4% (6)	4.5% (11)	<b>80.8% (198)</b>	1.00	245
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>245</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>12</b>

30. When I took a problem to the Dean of Students, I felt heard and the decision was explained clearly.							
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
HHS	11.8% (29)	9.3% (23)	1.6% (4)	0.8% (2)	<b>76.4% (188)</b>	1.00	246
	<i>answered question</i>						<b>246</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>						<b>11</b>

**31. Please use the rating scale below to indicate your level of satisfaction with the curriculum and instruction in the various subject areas.**

	Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	Poor	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
English	<b>40.8%</b> <b>(95)</b>	38.2% (89)	14.6% (34)	5.6% (13)	0.0% (0)	0.9% (2)	1.00	233
Mathematics	<b>43.6%</b> <b>(102)</b>	38.5% (90)	12.0% (28)	3.0% (7)	2.1% (5)	0.9% (2)	1.00	234
Social Studies	30.6% (72)	<b>35.7%</b> <b>(84)</b>	22.1% (52)	6.4% (15)	3.0% (7)	2.1% (5)	1.00	235
Science	<b>41.8%</b> <b>(97)</b>	34.1% (79)	16.4% (38)	4.3% (10)	0.9% (2)	2.6% (6)	1.00	232
Foreign Language	<b>35.6%</b> <b>(83)</b>	31.3% (73)	18.0% (42)	6.4% (15)	2.6% (6)	6.0% (14)	1.00	233
Health	23.9% (53)	22.5% (50)	10.4% (23)	0.9% (2)	0.0% (0)	<b>42.3%</b> <b>(94)</b>	1.00	222
Music	30.9% (69)	14.3% (32)	3.1% (7)	1.3% (3)	0.4% (1)	<b>49.8%</b> <b>(111)</b>	1.00	223
Art	20.5% (45)	20.0% (44)	5.9% (13)	0.5% (1)	0.0% (0)	<b>53.2%</b> <b>(117)</b>	1.00	220
Drama Classes	5.5% (12)	4.1% (9)	2.3% (5)	0.9% (2)	0.0% (0)	<b>87.1%</b> <b>(189)</b>	1.00	217
Physical Education	19.6% (44)	24.1% (54)	8.0% (18)	2.7% (6)	0.9% (2)	<b>44.6%</b> <b>(100)</b>	1.00	224
Technology	10.1% (22)	13.3% (29)	8.3% (18)	2.8% (6)	0.5% (1)	<b>65.1%</b> <b>(142)</b>	1.00	218
Dresden Plan	9.2% (20)	10.1% (22)	1.8% (4)	0.9% (2)	0.0% (0)	<b>78.0%</b> <b>(170)</b>	1.00	218
Special Education	4.1% (9)	2.3% (5)	1.4% (3)	0.9% (2)	2.3% (5)	<b>88.9%</b> <b>(193)</b>	1.00	217
504	4.2% (9)	3.7% (8)	1.9% (4)	1.4% (3)	1.9% (4)	<b>86.9%</b> <b>(186)</b>	1.00	214
Overall Rating	30.8% (66)	<b>46.3%</b> <b>(99)</b>	11.7% (25)	3.7% (8)	0.5% (1)	7.0% (15)	1.00	214

Drama	5.3% (11)	6.3% (13)	1.9% (4)	0.5% (1)	0.5% (1)	<b>85.6% (178)</b>	1.00	208
	<i>answered question</i>							<b>235</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>							<b>22</b>

<b>32. Comments specific to curriculum and instruction:</b>	
	<b>Response Count</b>
	77
	<i>answered question</i>
	<b>77</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>
	<b>180</b>

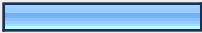
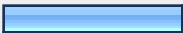
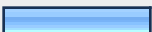
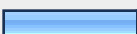
**33. Please use the rating scale below to indicate your level of satisfaction with Hanover High School's effort to help your child meet our school-wide Core Competencies.**

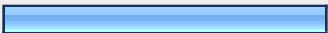
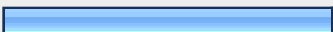
	Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	Poor	N/A	Rating Average	Response Count
Reads actively and critically	<b>38.6%</b> (86)	35.4% (79)	14.8% (33)	7.2% (16)	1.3% (3)	2.7% (6)	1.00	223
writes/creates effectively	30.6% (68)	<b>39.2%</b> (87)	18.5% (41)	8.6% (19)	0.9% (2)	2.3% (5)	1.00	222
Speaks/presents effectively	22.4% (50)	<b>45.7%</b> (102)	22.4% (50)	4.9% (11)	0.4% (1)	4.0% (9)	1.00	223
Listens attentively and critically	28.6% (64)	<b>42.4%</b> (95)	17.9% (40)	6.7% (15)	0.4% (1)	4.0% (9)	1.00	224
Identifies and uses a variety of resources for obtaining information	26.3% (59)	<b>41.1%</b> (92)	21.9% (49)	6.7% (15)	0.9% (2)	3.1% (7)	1.00	224
Employs multiple strategies in critical thinking, problem solving, and performance	27.2% (61)	<b>42.4%</b> (95)	20.5% (46)	4.0% (9)	1.3% (3)	4.5% (10)	1.00	224
Demonstrates knowledge and skills in a variety of forms in different disciplines	31.3% (70)	<b>40.2%</b> (90)	20.1% (45)	2.7% (6)	1.3% (3)	4.5% (10)	1.00	224
Works effectively and responsibly as an individual and in groups	38.4% (86)	<b>38.8%</b> (87)	13.4% (30)	4.5% (10)	0.9% (2)	4.0% (9)	1.00	224
Acts as a responsible citizen using the democratic process to address concerns and effect change in the community, state, nation and world	34.7% (78)	<b>37.3%</b> (84)	15.6% (35)	4.9% (11)	0.9% (2)	6.7% (15)	1.00	225
Demonstrates an understanding of the necessary balance between resource needs of human beings and the finite nature of the environment.	26.8% (60)	<b>41.1%</b> (92)	17.4% (39)	6.3% (14)	1.8% (4)	6.7% (15)	1.00	224
	<b>answered question</b>							<b>225</b>
	<b>skipped question</b>							<b>32</b>

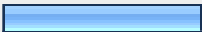
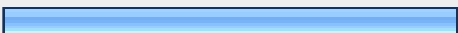
34. Please tell us one thing you particularly appreciated about your child's experience at the school so far this year.		
		Response Count
		164
	<i>answered question</i>	164
	<i>skipped question</i>	93

35. Please tell us one thing you would like us to do to improve your child's experience in the future.		
		Response Count
		149
	<i>answered question</i>	149
	<i>skipped question</i>	108

36. Please share any additional feedback that you think would help our school in the future.		
		Response Count
		112
	<i>answered question</i>	112
	<i>skipped question</i>	145

37. My child's grade level is:			Response Percent	Response Count
Grade 9			30.3%	71
Grade 10			27.4%	64
Grade 11			22.2%	52
Grade 12			20.1%	47
			<i>answered question</i>	<b>234</b>
			<i>skipped question</i>	<b>23</b>

38. Gender of your child			Response Percent	Response Count
Male			49.8%	115
Female			50.2%	116
			<i>answered question</i>	<b>231</b>
			<i>skipped question</i>	<b>26</b>

39. My gender:			Response Percent	Response Count
Male			30.3%	70
Female			69.7%	161
			<i>answered question</i>	<b>231</b>
			<i>skipped question</i>	<b>26</b>