

Rainier Beach High School 2-Year School Climate Survey Report



Level: High School
Survey: Student Survey

Category:	School Environment	2011-12 Results				2012-13 Results				1-Yr. Change	
		#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	School	DISTRICT
	My teachers set clear rules for how to behave in class	150	197	76%	75%	97	128	76%	73%	0%	-2%
	Adults at school treat students fairly	114	194	59%	62%	81	128	63%	62%	5%	0%
	Adults at school care about me	118	193	61%	58%	81	127	64%	59%	3%	1%
	I enjoy going to school most days	100	199	50%	49%	61	129	47%	47%	-3%	-2%
	I feel respected and appreciated by other students at school	111	194	57%	61%	64	125	51%	60%	-6%	-2%
	I feel like there is an adult at school who I can trust and talk to	123	196	63%	57%	78	121	65%	56%	2%	0%
	I get along with students who are different from me	125	193	65%	77%	80	127	63%	76%	-2%	-1%
	Its easy for me to make friends in this school	126	197	64%	69%	81	123	66%	67%	2%	-2%
	I feel connected to my school	106	193	55%	52%	67	126	53%	51%	-2%	-2%
	I feel safe in my classrooms	134	197	68%	78%	80	122	66%	75%	-2%	-3%
	I feel safe in the neighborhood by my school	106	196	54%	69%	55	127	43%	67%	-11%	-2%
	I feel safe in school bathrooms	135	195	69%	73%	83	123	68%	73%	-2%	0%
	I feel safe on school playing fields	138	192	72%	78%	81	128	63%	77%	-9%	-1%
	I feel safe traveling to and from school	125	192	65%	77%	78	125	62%	76%	-3%	-1%
	Students in my classes follow the rules	65	191	34%	46%	51	127	40%	46%	6%	0%
	Students in my classes are respectful to adults	78	191	41%	54%	53	125	42%	54%	2%	0%
	Students in my classes are friendly to each other	101	191	53%	67%	60	124	48%	66%	-4%	0%
	Students of different races or backgrounds are respected in this school	115	191	60%	75%	77	123	63%	75%	2%	0%
	Category Totals	2070	3492	59%	65%	1308	2258	58%	64%		

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Category:	Academics & Classroom Instruction	2011-12 Results				2012-13 Results				1-Yr. Change	
		#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	School	DISTRICT
	My teachers encourage me to work hard and expect me to succeed	154	197	78%	77%	109	135	81%	76%	3%	-1%
	My teachers ask me to participate even if I dont raise my hand	105	194	54%	51%	78	132	59%	50%	5%	-1%
	My teachers notice if what we are learning is too easy for me	96	195	49%	30%	75	129	58%	29%	9%	-1%
	My teachers explain to me how to do better on my work	123	195	63%	56%	89	130	69%	54%	5%	-2%
	My teachers notice if I have trouble learning something	103	195	53%	44%	75	127	59%	42%	6%	-2%
	My teachers knows how to teach us difficult things	120	193	62%	61%	94	129	73%	60%	11%	-2%
	My teachers regularly set clear learning goals for my classes	122	191	64%	61%	85	128	66%	59%	3%	-1%
	I have a lot of chances to be part of class discussions or activities	124	193	64%	69%	84	131	64%	69%	0%	-1%
	I learn a lot almost every day	112	197	57%	50%	86	131	66%	47%	9%	-3%
	What I learned last year prepared me for what Im learning this year	115	191	60%	53%	74	124	60%	51%	-1%	-3%
	What I learn in school is interesting to me	98	192	51%	45%	64	130	49%	43%	-2%	-2%
	School work challenges me	106	193	55%	56%	74	122	61%	54%	6%	-2%
	Doing well in school is important to me	157	191	82%	84%	105	127	83%	83%	1%	-1%
	My school gives me the opportunity to try and learn different things	131	193	68%	69%	87	125	70%	66%	2%	-2%
	I feel my thoughts and opinions are valued in my classes	108	192	56%	53%	68	121	56%	51%	0%	-2%
	Students must work hard to earn good grades in this school	155	191	81%	76%	103	126	82%	74%	1%	-2%
	Students in my classes are focused on learning	85	193	44%	45%	60	121	50%	44%	6%	-1%
	Students in my classes help each other learn	100	193	52%	54%	69	127	54%	52%	2%	-2%
	Category Totals	2114	3479	61%	57%	1479	2295	64%	56%		

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Level: High School
Survey: Student Survey

Category:	College & Career	2011-12 Results				2012-13 Results				1-Yr. Change	
		#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	School	DISTRICT
	My family expects me to go to college	165	192	86%	89%	112	129	87%	89%	1%	-1%
	My friends expect me to go to college	150	195	77%	79%	96	126	76%	79%	-1%	0%
	My teachers and counselors expect me to go to college	159	192	83%	84%	110	128	86%	84%	3%	0%
	My friends are planning to attend a community college or vocational school	108	189	57%	40%	76	128	59%	39%	2%	-1%
	My friends are planning to attend a four-year college	122	190	64%	72%	88	126	70%	72%	6%	0%
	Getting a college degree is important to my future	165	188	88%	87%	107	128	84%	85%	-4%	-1%
	My school is preparing me well to go to college	137	187	73%	71%	90	125	72%	68%	-1%	-2%
	My school is preparing me well to succeed after high school	140	189	74%	72%	90	126	71%	68%	-3%	-3%
	Category Totals	1146	1522	75%	74%	769	1016	76%	73%		

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Rainier Beach High School 2-Year School Climate Survey Report



Level: High School
Survey: Staff Survey

Category:	2011-12 Results				2012-13 Results				1-Yr. Change	
	#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	School	DISTRICT
Leadership & Professional Culture										
The principal encourages and supports open communication	13	13	100%	79%	21	24	88%	72%	-13%	-7%
The principal treats all faculty members fairly	12	14	86%	77%	20	22	91%	71%	5%	-6%
The principal is an effective manager of school operations	12	14	86%	82%	16	24	67%	75%	-19%	-7%
The principal communicates a clear vision for our school	12	14	86%	80%	9	20	45%	70%	-41%	-10%
This school has an effective process for making group decisions and solving problems	7	14	50%	67%	8	20	40%	56%	-10%	-11%
This school has a collaborative work culture	10	14	71%	73%	17	24	71%	65%	-1%	-8%
Conflict among staff is resolved in a timely and effective manner	10	14	71%	69%	13	19	68%	61%	-3%	-8%
Continuous professional learning is highly valued by staff	12	14	86%	76%	20	24	83%	70%	-2%	-6%
My colleagues and I share information effectively at this school	7	14	50%	74%	15	23	65%	70%	15%	-4%
I trust the staff in this school	11	14	79%	81%	16	19	84%	80%	6%	-1%
I agree with my schools mission and values	12	14	86%	90%	21	22	96%	86%	10%	-4%
I feel included in the decision-making process at this school	8	14	57%	69%	14	21	67%	60%	10%	-8%
I have positive working relationships with my administrators	12	14	86%	84%	23	23	100%	82%	14%	-2%
I feel respected and appreciated by other staff at this school	13	14	93%	84%	19	22	86%	83%	-6%	-1%
I feel supported by my school administrators	11	14	79%	79%	19	23	83%	75%	4%	-4%
I feel respected by my school administrators	12	14	86%	80%	16	19	84%	78%	-2%	-2%
I feel encouraged by my school administrators	11	14	79%	76%	11	18	61%	70%	-17%	-6%
The principal sets high standards for my teaching practice	10	11	91%	85%	17	23	74%	74%	-17%	-11%
The principal has helped us move forward and implement our C-SIP	10	12	83%	78%	14	20	70%	67%	-13%	-10%
The principal is an effective instructional manager	8	11	73%	70%	14	23	61%	59%	-12%	-12%
School administrators regularly visit my classroom	9	11	82%	61%	17	23	74%	47%	-8%	-13%
School administrators regularly discuss my students progress with me	6	11	55%	40%	12	22	55%	34%	0%	-6%
School administrators work closely with staff to improve instructional practice	6	11	55%	56%	13	24	54%	46%	0%	-9%
School administrators carefully track student academic progress	7	11	64%	61%	12	21	57%	49%	-7%	-12%
Category Totals	241	315	77%	74%	377	523	72%	67%		

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Level: High School
Survey: Staff Survey

Category:	Instructional Practice & Professional Development	2011-12 Results				2012-13 Results				1-Yr. Change	
		#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	School	DISTRICT
	Teachers care about how students are doing in their class	12	13	92%	96%	19	22	86%	95%	-6%	-1%
	Teachers encourage students to work hard and expect them to succeed	12	13	92%	91%	22	24	92%	91%	-1%	0%
	Teachers make learning interesting and challenging for students	11	13	85%	82%	15	20	75%	78%	-10%	-4%
	Students know where to get extra help at school if they need it	13	14	93%	83%	19	21	91%	80%	-2%	-3%
	This school provides me with tools to work with a diverse set of students	10	14	71%	68%	17	24	71%	63%	-1%	-5%
	This school implements a clear plan of action when a student struggles academically	7	12	58%	61%	7	22	32%	52%	-27%	-9%
	This school uses data to inform our instruction	5	11	45%	67%	11	21	52%	57%	7%	-10%
	This school meets regularly and often to discuss student data	5	12	42%	58%	11	22	50%	45%	8%	-14%
	My teaching incorporates social and emotional learning	11	12	92%	77%	15	21	71%	72%	-20%	-6%
	We share a common understanding of instructional best practices	7	12	58%	68%	14	22	64%	61%	5%	-7%
	We have adequate time to plan collaboratively	3	12	25%	36%	8	22	36%	35%	11%	-1%
	We observe each others classrooms to share and reflect on our teaching	1	12	8%	21%	2	23	9%	18%	0%	-4%
	I have access to strategies and materials to support all learners in our classes	8	12	67%	67%	13	24	54%	62%	-12%	-5%
	I received valuable cultural competency training to help me connect with students	6	11	55%	56%	17	22	77%	46%	23%	-10%
	I receive the support I need to address student behavior and discipline problems	4	11	36%	66%	7	21	33%	58%	-3%	-8%
	I receive the support I need to differentiate and modify instruction for my students	5	11	45%	57%	10	22	46%	50%	0%	-7%
	Valuable support is regularly available from coaches or mentor teachers at this school	6	11	55%	48%	10	22	46%	42%	-9%	-6%
	School-based professional development activities have fostered my growth this year	5	11	45%	48%	13	23	57%	44%	11%	-4%
	Category Totals	131	217	60%	65%	230	398	58%	59%		

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Rainier Beach High School 2-Year School Climate Survey Report



Level: High School
Survey: Family Survey

Category: School Quality	2011-12 Results				2012-13 Results				1-Yr. Change	
	#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	School	DISTRICT
Adults at school care a lot about my child's academic success and personal well being	25	28	89%	85%	22	25	88%	83%	-1%	-3%
The school staff is knowledgeable and respectful of different cultures	23	28	82%	90%	19	22	86%	74%	4%	-16%
The school provides a well-rounded education (art music science sports etc)	21	28	75%	84%	19	22	86%	82%	11%	-2%
I am satisfied with the overall quality of instruction provided by teachers	24	28	86%	80%	17	22	77%	80%	-8%	-1%
I am satisfied with the leadership provided by the school principal	25	27	93%	85%	19	22	86%	79%	-6%	-6%
How clear are the school's expectations for how students should behave?	24	27	89%	86%	16	22	73%	81%	-16%	-5%
How safe does your child feel at this school?	25	28	89%	89%	20	22	91%	89%	2%	0%
How challenged is your child by his or her school work?	22	28	79%	79%	18	22	82%	77%	3%	-2%
The school preparing my child well for college career and life	19	25	76%	75%	17	21	81%	74%	5%	-1%
Category Totals	208	247	84%	84%	167	200	84%	80%		

Level: High School
Survey: Family Survey

Category: School-Family Engagement	2011-12 Results				2012-13 Results				1-Yr. Change	
	#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	#Positive	#Responses	%Positive	District	School	DISTRICT
The school does a good job sharing information about my child's academic progress	18	28	64%	78%	20	24	83%	75%	19%	-3%
I feel welcome whenever I visit the school	26	29	90%	88%	22	24	92%	81%	2%	-7%
I am informed of opportunities to help out or volunteer at school	21	28	75%	82%	16	22	73%	79%	-2%	-3%
I am informed of meetings where issues important to families are discussed	24	25	96%	87%	16	22	73%	85%	-23%	-2%
The communication between the school and families supports students learning	22	26	85%	79%	19	22	86%	73%	2%	-6%
The school provides support for families to help their children learn at home	18	26	69%	58%	17	22	77%	50%	8%	-8%
When I have a concern I know who to contact	22	28	79%	77%	21	22	96%	76%	17%	-2%
How is your school responsive to families input and concerns?	22	25	88%	75%	17	22	77%	64%	-11%	-11%
The school treats families, students and community members with dignity and respect	22	27	81%	88%	20	22	91%	83%	9%	-6%
Category Totals	195	242	81%	80%	168	202	83%	74%		

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