

Project 5000 Opinions Appendix

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I. Survey Instrument

**Project 5000 Opinions (P5KO)
2013 Survey on Delaware Public Education K-12**

1) Are you a Delaware Resident? (only surveying Delaware residents)

- How would you identify where you live?
 - New Castle County above the canal outside the city
 - City of Wilmington
 - New Castle County below the canal
 - Kent County
 - East Sussex County
 - West Sussex County

- What school district do you live in? _____
 - I don't know

**2) Would you share your contact information with P5KO (Name, Address, and E-mail)?
We will not share this information. Please check out our website: www.P5KO.org.**

- Name: _____
- Address: _____
- E-mail: _____
- Phone: _____

3) How familiar are you with the K-12 public education in the State of Delaware?

- I am familiar with Delaware public schools
- I am somewhat familiar with Delaware public schools
- I am not familiar with Delaware Public schools

4) Do you have a child or children in Delaware K-12 schools, public or private?

- Yes
- No

If yes, (check all that apply)

- traditional public school
- charter school
- private/parochial school

5) I currently work in a Delaware Public School

- Yes
- No

6) What effect do you think charter schools have had on public education in Delaware?

- Positive effect
- Negative effect
- No effect
- Don't know
- Refuse

7) When considering Delaware public schools what is your primary expectation of public schools?

- Prepare students to be good citizens
- Prepare students to go to college
- Prepare students to get a good job
- Other _____
- Don't know

8) What grade would you give Delaware's public schools?

- Grade from A (best) to F (failing)
 - A
 - B
 - C
 - D
 - F
- What is the key reason (or reasons) you chose the grade you did?
 - _____
 - _____

9) If your child attends a Delaware public school, what grade would you give that school?

- Grade from A (best) to F (failing)

- A
- B
- C
- D
- F

- What is the key reason (or reasons) you chose the grade you did?

10) When you think about public schools in Delaware, over the past five years, would you say that schools have improved, gotten worse or stayed the same?

- Improved
- Gotten Worse
- Stayed the Same
- Don't know

- What were the key reasons for your answer?

11) If parents could choose their child's teacher, what do you think would be the most important factor for them in choosing the best possible teacher for their child?

- Knowing that the teacher would be caring toward your child
- Knowing that the teacher has years of experience
- Knowing that the teacher is well-versed in the subject he/she is teaching
- Knowing that the teachers' students demonstrate achievement on state testing
- Other

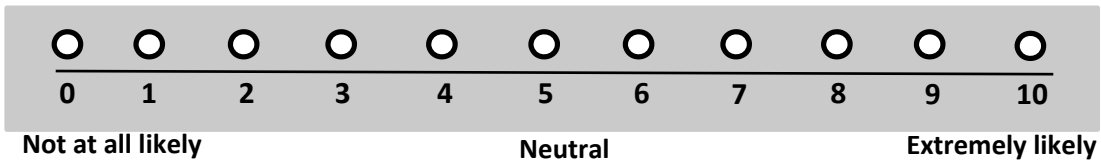
12) What do you think are the biggest problems that the public schools in your community must deal with?

- _____
- _____

13) How much would you say the quality of education provided by Delaware's K-12 public schools differs from school district to school district?

- a great deal
- quite a lot
- not too much
- not at all
- don't know

14) On a scale of 0 to 10, how likely are you to recommend Delaware's public schools (traditional and charters) to a friend with school age children moving to Delaware?



What types of changes would have to occur for you to raise your score to a 9 or 10?

- _____
- _____
- _____

Thank you for your time.

May I ask a final question, what year were you born? _____

II. Anecdotal Findings Summary (Sampled from open-ended survey questions)

Perception

"I don't think that our public schools are preparing percentage-wise enough students for college" - 53 yo woman from NCCo

"I choice out of my district - it was not a good fit for my children" - 49 yo parent from NCCo

"[Public schools are] struggling to give kids what's required to be successful in college. [They are] overcrowded and understaffed" - 47 yo man from NCCo (private school parent)

"I see a lot of children who cannot read" "I see a lot of children who drop out or have dropped out of school" - 42 yo citizen from Wilmington

"Most kids hate school and aren't learning. It's the school's fault for not pushing them or making it exciting" - 24 yo woman from Wilmington

"Public high schools locally have bad reputations and with two daughters I don't know how safe I feel sending them there" - 43 yo man from Wilmington (Private school parent)

"My children have been blessed enough to attend good schools. But they're not all like that. My children are currently choiced" - 37 yo parent from Wilmington (public and charter)

"The elementary schools I would give a higher grade and the high schools I would give a lower [grade]" - woman from Souther NCCo (charter parent)

"Too much difference between school districts" "Brandywine SD has improved with positive changes in curriculum" - 41 yo woman from NCCo (public parent)

"Elementary school education has improved dramatically and the addition of full-day kindergarten has been positive" "I would definitely recommend my son's secondary high school that he attends but would never recommend the school in our feeder pattern" - 44 yo woman from NCCo (public parent)

"...if you look at any school system there are issues with faculty, student services, and over-testing that make accepting the school system and curriculum unappealing" - 45 yo woman from South NCCo (public parent)

"I chose 'C' because most kids that attend public schools are not prepared for college" - 25 yo man from Wilmington (public parent)

"My child is extremely well served, but the majority of children are not" "Some great improvements in individual schools, but more neglect on a school by school basis" "Lack of equitable resources in city schools!" - 35 yo woman from Wilmington (public parent)

"I see improvements with STEM education, college credit courses and job readiness for advanced students along with Spanish/English improvements for immigrant students, but failures to make achievements for poor performing students or those needing stronger family support" - woman from Wilmington

"I don't think that the public school system is doing a good job preparing students for modern challenges" - 36 yo man from Wilmington

"Race to the Top hasn't done much to improve things" - 69 yo woman from NCCo

"Kids seem to be thriving - when making education a priority" - 64 yo man from Southern NCCo

"Many high school graduates need remedial classes in English, Reading, and Math when they enter college - the number of these students seem to increase each year" - 56 yo woman from NCCo

"I live in the best school district in the state. I've heard positive opinions from other parents" - 36 yo woman from Southern NCCo (Appo)

"Teaching to the test rather than the subjects they need" - 38 yo woman from KC (public and charter parent)

"They don't actually care about the kids, just as long as they pass the test so the teachers don't get fired" -20 yo woman from KC

"Both of my daughters have received their education in Delaware and are satisfied" -42 yo woman from KC (public parent)

"The opportunity is/has always been there to be successful" -61 yo man from KC

"I think they do a pretty good job, but standards could be higher. Some 'honor students' do not seem to be working on a college level but are getting A's in high school" - 34 yo woman from KC (charter parent)

"I went to public school and I'm a good person and citizen of Delaware" -woman from Dover

"Excellent school, teachers and administration are fantastic and go above and beyond for students" -35 yo woman from KC (public parent)

"Schools spend too much effort into DCAS vs more rounded overall curriculum in math and science early in formative years" -49 yo man from KC (public parent)

"Buildings are overcrowded" -47 yo woman from E Sussex (public parent)

"Top heavy - too many dollars spent on non-teaching personnel" -79 yo man from E Sussex

"Parents don't involve themselves in kids' schooling" -30 yo man from W Sussex

"Most kids do not go to college after graduation" "Most kids do not get good jobs after graduation" -63 yo woman from W Sussex (public parent)

"The ratio of minority staff has diminished greatly" "Delaware has some good schools, but quality education for all is not there. There is still racism in our schools which goes unaddressed" -woman from Indian River

"Considering all the cultural and environmental factors impacting on education today, Delaware does a good job educating its youth" -80 yo man from E Sussex

"Making great strides to give kids quality education" -woman from W Sussex

"Even the 'bottom' schools are making positive changes" -55 yo man from W Sussex

"Too much of a gap between the good and the bad. Need to help all the schools" -49 yo woman from W Sussex (public parent)

"A lot of schools are struggling to keep up. Poor learning environments are thwarting kids capabilities" - 55 yo man from W Sussex

"A lot of positive things going on at Seaford and Sussex Tech" - 75 yo woman from W Sussex

"Sussex Tech is a superior school. [My son] is getting real world preparation with on the job training combined with superior academics" - 50 yo woman from Georgetown (public parent)

"Seems that the state is finally holding the underperforming districts unaccountable" - 59 yo woman from Laurel

"I graduated from a Delaware public school and it is evident that it has deteriorated" - 47 yo woman from Wilmington

Expectations

"Equitable improvements across the board. Acknowledging resources differ based on parents resources and background. Less socioeconomic segregation." - 37 yo woman from Wilmington (public parent)

"Do away with school choice" - 49 yo woman from W Sussex (public parent)

"Less emphasis on state testing" - 45 yo man from Wilmington

"Stop teaching kids with the main goal to pass state testing" - 24 yo woman from Middletown

"More focus on basic skills - not pushing students through" - 60 yo woman from Wilmington

"I would have to see safer and healthier environments in most schools, smaller class sizes statewide, and increased test scores and academic achievement" - 43 yo woman from NCCo (private parent)

"Better communication with parents at home" - 51 yo woman from Bear (public parent)

"Discipline fairness across races" - 40 yo man from NCCo (charter parent)

"Consolidate school districts" "Shrink class sizes" - 45 yo man from Wilmington (public parent)

"Everyone in Delaware knows Appoquinimink district is the best. Why? Money" - 41 yo man from Bear

"Focusing more on college education not trade schools" 29 yo woman from Wilmington

"Statewide reform to level the playing field" - 49 yo man from Bear

"Make good education more accessible" - 55 yo man from New Castle

"Give the city kids the same chance as kids in the suburbs" - 47 yo woman from Wilmington (public parent)

"The school needs more gifted and talented programming in order to academically challenge students" - 49 yo woman from Lewes (public parent)

"The officials [need to] take more time to see what is going on in the community" - 32 yo woman from Seaford (public parent)

"More uniformity in quality from district to district" - 68 yo man from Bethany Beach

"More state involvement with individual districts" 58 yo woman from Laurel

Charter Schools

"Using the models of the successful charter schools as a guide to enhance traditional public schools" - woman from NCCo Charters

"The addition of the charter schools has improved those schools, [but] charter schools have negatively impacted mainstream schools however" - 53 yo woman from NCCo (private parent)

"Losing quality kids to charter/private schools" - 55 yo woman from NCCo

"More charter schools for the 'rest' of the kids" - 43 yo man from NCCo

"Most people seem to send their kids to private or parochial

or charter schools” - 47 yo woman from Wilmington

“I had to move my child to a charter school for her to be challenged in her grade level” - 41 yo woman from Wilmington (charter parent)

“Using the models of the successful charter schools as a guide to enhance traditional public schools” – woman from NCCo

“I think the charter schools have made public schools step up their programs” - 55 yo woman from NCCo

“I believe the charter schools are doing better than the traditional schools. I feel that if we could offer private type education to our public school children we would have better prepared students” - 48 yo woman from Milford

“Make charter schools more accessible for everyone” - 36 yo woman from Seaford (public parent)

Teachers

“Teachers aren’t always aware of children’s different learning styles and thus don’t cater to those styles to maximize the child’s understanding of materials” - 36 yo woman from NCCo

“Teachers have no control in the classroom [and] trouble students have no accountability” - 42 yo woman from NCCo

“Make sure the teachers have what they need to be able to teach the students. Give them better pay and they may want to stay” - 58 yo woman from NCCo

“Poor performing teachers are retained in position” - 50 yo man from NCCo (public parent)

“Competitive salary to attract good teachers” - 67 yo man from Wilmington

“There are too many teachers or staff members in the school system that really do not care about the students and if they excel. They just teach for a paycheck” - 33 yo woman from Wilmington (public parent)

“Give teachers the freedom to teach - no teaching to the test” - 55 yo woman from NCCo (public and private parent)

“Some teachers are not good at teaching or don’t know how to deal with teens, but most teachers are well prepared and helpful” - 19 yo woman from Kent Co

“Our good teachers have mostly retired” - 85 yo man from Kent Co

“The teachers and counselors care about your child’s education and helping them to succeed. This was my experience with Sussex Tech and my son” - 50 yo woman from E Sussex

“We need superior well trained teachers and strong principals who know how to manage - pay them well and let them do their job” - 80 yo woman from E Sussex

“Too much pressure is placed on the teacher rather than on the parents” - 26 yo man from E Sussex

“More qualified teachers who truly care about student success” - 63 yo woman from E Sussex

III. Weighted Data Analysis

A. Geographic Breakdowns

1) County

By County (weighted)					
Q3: How familiar are you with K-12 public education in the State of Delaware?					
	Familiar	Somewhat Familiar	Not Familiar	No Answer	Respondents
Kent County	54%	31%	15%	0%	567
New Castle County	56%	24%	19%	1%	3,605
Sussex County	44%	38%	17%	1%	1,068
State	53%	29%	18%	1%	5,240

Q4: Do you have a child or children in Delaware K-12 schools, public or private?									
	Private	Charter	Charter & Private	Public	Public & Private	Public & Charter	All Three	No Child	No Answer
Kent County	2%	2%	0%	22%	1%	1%	0%	71%	0%
New Castle County	3%	4%	1%	22%	1%	2%	0%	67%	0%
Sussex County	1%	2%	0%	20%	0%	1%	0%	76%	0%
State	2%	3%	0%	21%	1%	1%	0%	70%	0%

Q6: What effect do you think charter schools have had on public education in Delaware?				
	Negative	No Effect	Positive	Don't Know
Kent County	13%	11%	45%	31%
New Castle County	13%	9%	50%	28%
Sussex County	16%	7%	46%	31%
State	14%	9%	48%	29%

Q7: When considering Delaware public schools what is your primary expectation of public schools?									
	All Three	Citizen & College	Citizen	College	College & Job	Don't Know	Job	No Answer	Other
Kent County	13%	2%	16%	44%	0%	3%	17%	1%	6%
New Castle County	17%	3%	12%	39%	0%	8%	13%	4%	5%
Sussex County	8%	1%	20%	30%	1%	3%	30%	1%	8%
State	14%	2%	14%	38%	0%	6%	17%	3%	6%

Q8: What grade would you give Delaware's public schools?

	A+B	C+D+F	A	B	C	D	F	U
Kent County	59%	38%	7%	52%	31%	6%	1%	3%
New Castle County	38%	51%	10%	28%	36%	11%	4%	11%
Sussex County	49%	41%	5%	45%	31%	8%	2%	10%
State	44%	46%	8%	36%	34%	9%	3%	10%

Q9: If your child attends a Delaware public school, what grade would you give that school?

	A	B	C	D	F	U
Kent County	29%	46%	14%	3%	2%	7%
New Castle County	30%	30%	20%	6%	4%	11%
Sussex County	34%	37%	14%	7%	2%	7%
Total	31%	34%	18%	5%	3%	9%

Q10: When you think about public schools in Delaware, over the past five years, would you say that schools have improved, gotten worse or stayed the same?

	Improved	Same	Worse	Don't Know	No Answer
Kent County	32%	28%	17%	21%	2%
New Castle County	30%	23%	23%	20%	4%
Sussex County	34%	21%	19%	25%	1%
State	31%	24%	21%	21%	3%

Q11: If parents could choose their child's teacher, what do you think would be the most important factor for them in choosing the best possible teacher for their child?

	Caring	Experience	Well-Versed	State Tests	All	Other	Unknown
Kent County	23%	9%	48%	6%	7%	6%	1%
New Castle County	25%	11%	33%	6%	12%	8%	5%
Sussex County	25%	6%	51%	6%	4%	8%	2%
State	25%	9%	39%	6%	9%	8%	3%

Q13: How much would you say the quality of education provided by Delaware's K-12 public schools differs from school to school district?

	A great deal	Quite a lot	Not too much	Not at all	Don't know	No answer
Kent County	15%	29%	33%	1%	22%	2%
New Castle County	28%	26%	20%	1%	20%	6%
Sussex County	21%	33%	18%	1%	24%	2%
State	24%	28%	22%	1%	21%	4%

Q14: On a scale of 0 to 10, how likely are you to recommend Delaware's public schools to a friend with school age children moving to Delaware?					
(Weighted)	Promoters	Passives	Detractors	No Answer	Loyalty Index
Kent County	20%	41%	37%	2%	-17%
New Castle County	17%	27%	46%	11%	-29%
Sussex County	17%	39%	38%	6%	-21%
State	17%	32%	43%	8%	-25%

2) Wilmington City Districts

Q6: What effect do you think charter schools have had on public education in Delaware?					
	Negative	No Effect	Positive	Don't Know	Respondents
District 1	13%	9%	48%	30%	115
District 2	9%	12%	44%	35%	108
District 3	12%	7%	50%	31%	86
District 4	3%	9%	45%	43%	110
District 5	18%	8%	45%	29%	167
District 6	11%	7%	48%	34%	271
District 7	10%	14%	51%	25%	226
District 8	28%	5%	49%	18%	39
Other	8%	12%	43%	38%	777
Total	10%	10%	46%	34%	1,899

Q7: When considering Delaware public schools what is your primary expectation of public schools?						
	College	Job	Citizen	All 3	Other	Respondents
District 1	46%	11%	10%	17%	17%	120
District 2	38%	7%	11%	19%	25%	118
District 3	23%	7%	11%	30%	29%	98
District 4	31%	10%	8%	23%	29%	114
District 5	41%	8%	6%	19%	26%	186
District 6	37%	13%	6%	20%	25%	290
District 7	39%	8%	9%	20%	25%	251
District 8	16%	19%	23%	16%	26%	43
Other	36%	10%	9%	19%	26%	828
Total	36%	10%	9%	20%	25%	2,048

Q8: What grade would you give Delaware's public schools?					
	A + B	C	D + F	Unknown	Respondents
District 1	47%	33%	5%	16%	120
District 2	41%	28%	14%	17%	118
District 3	35%	27%	11%	28%	98
District 4	44%	29%	9%	18%	114
District 5	31%	29%	18%	22%	186
District 6	51%	22%	16%	11%	290
District 7	49%	25%	9%	16%	251
District 8	42%	26%	14%	19%	43
Others	42%	27%	13%	19%	828
Total	42%	27%	13%	19%	2,048

Q9: If your child attends a Delaware public school, what grade would you give that school?					
	A + B	C	D + F	Unknown	Respondents
District 1	64%	26%	2%	9%	47
District 2	54%	28%	2%	15%	46
District 3	49%	8%	0%	44%	39
District 4	49%	25%	7%	19%	57
District 5	49%	22%	12%	17%	83
District 6	54%	18%	17%	11%	89
District 7	67%	18%	4%	10%	92
District 8	50%	13%	0%	38%	8
Others	41%	31%	25%	4%	239
Total	51%	24%	14%	12%	700

Q10: When you think about public schools in Delaware, over the past five years, would you say that schools have improved, gotten worse or stayed the same?					
	Improved	Same	Worse	Don't Know	Respondents
District 1	30%	18%	30%	23%	114
District 2	29%	21%	28%	23%	111
District 3	43%	16%	22%	19%	88
District 4	31%	25%	18%	26%	107
District 5	31%	26%	26%	17%	170
District 6	42%	16%	20%	22%	279
District 7	32%	24%	25%	19%	233
District 8	31%	19%	17%	33%	42
Others	36%	21%	19%	24%	779
Total	35%	21%	22%	22%	1,923

Q11: If parents could choose their child's teacher, what do you think would be the most important factor for them in choosing the best possible teacher for their child?

	Caring	Experience	Well-Versed	State Tests	All	Other/DN	Responses
District 1	23%	16%	27%	3%	19%	13%	120
District 2	24%	18%	17%	9%	20%	12%	118
District 3	17%	12%	18%	4%	24%	23%	98
District 4	30%	8%	18%	5%	29%	11%	114
District 5	32%	12%	17%	6%	18%	15%	186
District 6	20%	25%	26%	5%	10%	14%	290
District 7	30%	15%	20%	2%	20%	13%	251
District 8	35%	14%	23%	2%	7%	19%	43
Other	21%	17%	25%	5%	17%	16%	828
Total	24%	17%	22%	5%	17%	15%	2,048

Q13: How much would you say the quality of education provided by Delaware's K-12 public schools differs from school district to school district?

	A great deal	Quite a lot	Not too much	Not at all	Don't know	No answer	Respondents
District 1	30%	20%	21%	1%	21%	8%	120
District 2	28%	25%	12%	1%	25%	9%	118
District 3	37%	16%	10%	1%	22%	13%	98
District 4	34%	12%	18%	2%	27%	7%	114
District 5	38%	20%	16%	1%	16%	9%	186
District 6	40%	17%	18%	1%	17%	7%	290
District 7	33%	19%	19%	2%	18%	9%	251
District 8	19%	28%	16%	0%	28%	9%	43
Other	31%	19%	17%	2%	19%	11%	828
State	33%	19%	17%	2%	20%	10%	2,048

Q14: On a scale of 0 to 10, how likely are you to recommend Delaware's public schools to a friend with school age children moving to Delaware?

	Detractors	Passives	Promoters	No Answer	Respondents	NPS
District 1	33.3%	27.5%	22.5%	16.7%	120	-10.8%
District 2	43.2%	21.2%	22.9%	12.7%	118	-20.3%
District 3	31.6%	23.5%	23.5%	21.4%	98	-8.2%
District 4	33.3%	26.3%	25.4%	14.9%	114	-7.9%
District 5	40.9%	24.7%	23.1%	11.3%	186	-17.7%
District 6	47.2%	19.3%	17.9%	15.5%	290	-29.3%
District 7	34.3%	25.5%	22.3%	17.9%	251	-12.0%
District 8	41.9%	20.9%	25.6%	11.6%	43	-16.3%
Total	38.8%	22.6%	22.6%	16.0%	2048	-16.2%

3) School Districts

Q6: What effects do you think charter schools have had on public education in Delaware?

District	School District	Negative	No Effect	Positive	Don't Know	Respondents
Unknown		22%	9%	43%	25%	120
0		10%	12%	47%	31%	849
1	Appoquinimink (NCC)	13%	10%	44%	33%	409
2	Brandywine (NCC)	12%	11%	58%	19%	861
3	Capital (KC)	14%	8%	52%	27%	864
4	Cape Henlopen (SC)	14%	6%	43%	37%	220
5	Christina (NCC)	18%	10%	49%	23%	158
6	Colonial (NCC)	12%	8%	53%	27%	61
7	Caesar Rodney (KC)	13%	9%	48%	30%	312
8	Delmar (SC)	14%	10%	41%	35%	128
9	Indian River (SC)	19%	17%	21%	43%	18
10	Laurel (SC)	5%	14%	47%	34%	44
11	Lake Forest (KC)	10%	13%	50%	28%	141
12	Milford (SC)	18%	6%	44%	32%	263
13	Red Clay (NCC)	11%	10%	55%	24%	66
14	Seaford (SC)	15%	5%	40%	40%	299
15	Smyrna(KC)	18%	10%	45%	27%	113
16	Woodbridge (SC)	11%	8%	62%	20%	65
	State	14%	9%	48%	29%	4,991

Q7: What is your primary expectation of public schools?

School District	All Three	Citizen & College	Citizen	College	College & Job	Don't Know	Job	No Answer	Other	Respondents
	7%	2%	18%	31%	0%	12%	13%	3%	13%	127
	22%	3%	9%	34%	0%	10%	14%	4%	5%	904
Appoquinimink (NCC)	14%	4%	15%	40%	1%	6%	13%	4%	4%	439
Brandywine (NCC)	14%	3%	13%	42%	0%	6%	13%	3%	5%	933
Capital (KC)	16%	2%	13%	37%	0%	7%	13%	4%	7%	920
Cape Henlopen (SC)	16%	2%	9%	42%	1%	9%	14%	5%	3%	233
Christina (NCC)	19%	4%	11%	46%	1%	3%	10%	2%	4%	161
Colonial (NCC)	18%	0%	22%	40%	0%	1%	12%	0%	7%	62
Caesar Rodney (KC)	12%	2%	15%	44%	1%	3%	17%	0%	6%	314
Delmar (SC)	12%	2%	19%	44%	0%	2%	19%	0%	2%	129
Indian River (SC)	11%	0%	0%	43%	0%	6%	29%	0%	11%	18
Laurel (SC)	12%	0%	8%	41%	0%	4%	30%	0%	5%	45
Lake Forest (KC)	1%	0%	16%	25%	0%	10%	48%	0%	0%	142
Milford (SC)	11%	1%	25%	31%	0%	1%	19%	1%	10%	266
Red Clay (NCC)	8%	2%	18%	35%	2%	1%	29%	0%	6%	67
Seaford (SC)	1%	0%	12%	27%	0%	2%	55%	0%	2%	300
Smyrna(KC)	0%	0%	14%	23%	0%	12%	50%	1%	0%	114
Woodbridge (SC)	0%	0%	15%	23%	0%	12%	50%	0%	0%	66
State	14%	2%	14%	38%	0%	6%	17%	2%	6%	5,240

Q8: What grade would you give Delaware's public schools?

District	School District	A	B	C	D	F	U	Respondents
Unknown		3%	39%	21%	18%	9%	9%	127
0		13%	34%	30%	9%	2%	13%	904
1	Appoquinimink (NCC)	9%	29%	40%	8%	2%	12%	439
2	Brandywine (NCC)	11%	25%	39%	11%	5%	9%	933
3	Capital (KC)	7%	24%	38%	14%	6%	10%	920
4	Cape Henlopen (SC)	6%	29%	35%	10%	3%	16%	233
5	Christina (NCC)	12%	39%	34%	7%	1%	7%	161
6	Colonial (NCC)	7%	58%	22%	10%	2%	2%	62
7	Caesar Rodney (KC)	7%	50%	33%	5%	2%	3%	314
8	Delmar (SC)	9%	55%	30%	3%	0%	4%	129
9	Indian River (SC)	6%	47%	36%	11%	0%	0%	18
10	Laurel (SC)	10%	52%	31%	6%	0%	1%	45
11	Lake Forest (KC)	8%	55%	28%	7%	1%	1%	142
12	Milford (SC)	4%	34%	34%	10%	2%	16%	266
13	Red Clay (NCC)	4%	62%	22%	4%	2%	6%	67
14	Seaford (SC)	4%	62%	31%	1%	1%	1%	300
15	Smyrna(KC)	4%	39%	46%	6%	2%	4%	114
16	Woodbridge (SC)	15%	61%	20%	3%	0%	2%	66
	State	8%	36%	34%	9%	3%	10%	5,240

Q9: If your child attends a Delaware public school, what grade would you give that school?

District	School District	A	B	C	D	F	U	Respondents
Unknown		26%	26%	25%	7%	10%	6%	39
0		30%	25%	25%	6%	3%	10%	250
1	Appoquinimink (NCC)	40%	29%	23%	2%	2%	5%	152
2	Brandywine (NCC)	30%	30%	17%	8%	2%	13%	327
3	Capital (KC)	26%	30%	17%	8%	7%	13%	303
4	Cape Henlopen (SC)	20%	35%	20%	6%	2%	17%	65
5	Christina (NCC)	34%	41%	20%	0%	1%	4%	70
6	Colonial (NCC)	30%	54%	0%	9%	0%	8%	14
7	Caesar Rodney (KC)	28%	44%	14%	2%	3%	9%	96
8	Delmar (SC)	31%	51%	9%	3%	0%	6%	35
9	Indian River (SC)	5%	57%	19%	19%	0%	0%	6
10	Laurel (SC)	52%	23%	14%	0%	10%	0%	12
11	Lake Forest (KC)	19%	67%	5%	7%	0%	2%	42
12	Milford (SC)	37%	41%	2%	7%	2%	11%	48
13	Red Clay (NCC)	49%	25%	14%	6%	0%	6%	23
14	Seaford (SC)	18%	36%	30%	12%	1%	2%	86
15	Smyrna(KC)	16%	32%	41%	3%	0%	8%	37
16	Woodbridge (SC)	59%	29%	6%	6%	0%	0%	34
	State	31%	34%	18%	5%	3%	9%	1,639

Q10: When you think about public schools in Delaware, over the past five years, would you say that schools have improved, gotten worse or stayed the same?

District	School District	Improved	Same	Worse	Don't Know	No Answer	Respondents
Unknown		17%	30%	29%	21%	2%	127
0		34%	19%	19%	23%	4%	904
1	Appoquinimink (NCC)	28%	29%	20%	21%	3%	439
2	Brandywine (NCC)	34%	22%	24%	17%	3%	933
3	Capital (KC)	26%	22%	28%	20%	5%	920
4	Cape Henlopen (SC)	26%	19%	29%	20%	6%	233
5	Christina (NCC)	37%	30%	12%	19%	2%	161
6	Colonial (NCC)	36%	24%	18%	20%	2%	62
7	Caesar Rodney (KC)	30%	28%	16%	24%	2%	314
8	Delmar (SC)	34%	35%	15%	15%	1%	129
9	Indian River (SC)	43%	32%	19%	6%	0%	18
10	Laurel (SC)	45%	24%	19%	12%	0%	45
11	Lake Forest (KC)	46%	17%	17%	21%	0%	142
12	Milford (SC)	34%	22%	11%	32%	1%	266
13	Red Clay (NCC)	45%	21%	15%	15%	4%	67
14	Seaford (SC)	16%	23%	47%	14%	0%	300
15	Smyrna(KC)	20%	18%	46%	16%	0%	114
16	Woodbridge (SC)	58%	20%	8%	15%	0%	66
	State	31%	24%	21%	21%	3%	5,240

Q11: If parents could choose their child's teacher, what do you think would be the most important factor for them in choosing the best possible teacher for their child?

District	School District	Caring	Experience	Well-Versed	State Tests	All	Other	Unknown	Respondents
Unknown		15%	13%	43%	12%	5%	9%	4%	127
0		22%	12%	35%	4%	13%	9%	5%	904
1	Appoquinimink (NCC)	34%	7%	31%	6%	12%	6%	5%	439
2	Brandywine (NCC)	28%	11%	31%	6%	11%	8%	5%	933
3	Capital (KC)	23%	11%	34%	6%	13%	8%	5%	920
4	Cape Henlopen (SC)	20%	10%	30%	10%	13%	10%	7%	233
5	Christina (NCC)	26%	9%	41%	3%	8%	10%	2%	161
6	Colonial (NCC)	28%	5%	42%	6%	8%	8%	2%	62
7	Caesar Rodney (KC)	23%	10%	46%	7%	7%	6%	1%	314
8	Delmar (SC)	25%	5%	51%	7%	5%	5%	2%	129
9	Indian River (SC)	31%	11%	52%	0%	6%	0%	0%	18
10	Laurel (SC)	26%	6%	53%	5%	3%	4%	3%	45
11	Lake Forest (KC)	30%	7%	49%	5%	1%	8%	0%	142
12	Milford (SC)	26%	5%	46%	7%	4%	10%	1%	266
13	Red Clay (NCC)	20%	4%	55%	6%	8%	2%	6%	67
14	Seaford (SC)	19%	5%	73%	2%	2%	0%	0%	300
15	Smyrna(KC)	31%	14%	42%	7%	0%	5%	1%	114
16	Woodbridge (SC)	26%	8%	52%	5%	0%	11%	0%	66
	State	25%	9%	39%	6%	9%	8%	3%	5,240

Q13: How much would you say the quality of education provided by Delaware's K-12 public schools differs from school district to school district?

District	School District	A great deal	Quite a lot	Not too much	Not at all	Don't know	No answer	Respondents
Unknown		24%	28%	27%	2%	16%	3%	127
0		29%	22%	22%	1%	19%	7%	904
1	Appoquinimink (NCC)	25%	31%	17%	0%	22%	5%	439
2	Brandywine (NCC)	28%	26%	19%	1%	20%	5%	933
3	Capital (KC)	29%	24%	20%	2%	20%	5%	920
4	Cape Henlopen (SC)	23%	27%	23%	1%	20%	6%	233
5	Christina (NCC)	32%	30%	19%	0%	16%	3%	161
6	Colonial (NCC)	20%	21%	27%	0%	32%	0%	62
7	Caesar Rodney (KC)	17%	29%	31%	1%	20%	3%	314
8	Delmar (SC)	11%	26%	40%	0%	23%	0%	129
9	Indian River (SC)	23%	54%	11%	6%	6%	0%	18
10	Laurel (SC)	12%	28%	27%	1%	33%	0%	45
11	Lake Forest (KC)	17%	35%	33%	2%	13%	0%	142
12	Milford (SC)	20%	34%	12%	1%	30%	3%	266
13	Red Clay (NCC)	17%	41%	21%	4%	15%	2%	67
14	Seaford (SC)	29%	36%	24%	0%	11%	0%	300
15	Smyrna(KC)	32%	31%	20%	1%	17%	0%	114
16	Woodbridge (SC)	12%	36%	32%	9%	11%	0%	66
	State	24%	28%	22%	1%	21%	4%	5,240

Q14: On a scale of 0 to 10, how likely are you to recommend Delaware's public schools to a friend with school age children moving to Delaware?

District	School District	Promoters	Passives	Detractors	No Answer	NPS	Respondents
Unknown		16%	28%	48%	7%	-32%	127
0		19%	27%	40%	14%	-20%	904
1	Appoquinimink (NCC)	19%	27%	46%	8%	-27%	439
2	Brandywine (NCC)	16%	24%	52%	8%	-36%	933
3	Capital (KC)	12%	28%	50%	10%	-39%	920
4	Cape Henlopen (SC)	14%	32%	41%	13%	-27%	233
5	Christina (NCC)	19%	38%	39%	4%	-20%	161
6	Colonial (NCC)	24%	39%	37%	0%	-13%	62
7	Caesar Rodney (KC)	22%	39%	37%	2%	-15%	314
8	Delmar (SC)	16%	46%	35%	2%	-19%	129
9	Indian River (SC)	13%	42%	46%	0%	-33%	18
10	Laurel (SC)	12%	53%	35%	0%	-24%	45
11	Lake Forest (KC)	17%	60%	23%	0%	-6%	142
12	Milford (SC)	19%	27%	45%	9%	-27%	266
13	Red Clay (NCC)	20%	43%	33%	4%	-13%	67
14	Seaford (SC)	12%	68%	20%	0%	-8%	300
15	Smyrna(KC)	5%	58%	36%	1%	-31%	114
16	Woodbridge (SC)	45%	32%	23%	0%	23%	66
	State	17%	32%	43%	8%	-25%	5,240

4) Political Districts (Senate)

Q6: What effects do you think charter schools have had on public education in Delaware?						
District	State Senator	Negative	No Effect	Positive	Don't Know	Respondents
Unkown		22%	9%	43%	25%	120
0		10%	12%	47%	31%	798
1	Harris B. McDowell III	10%	7%	44%	38%	277
2	Margaret Rose Henry	13%	13%	43%	32%	348
3	Robert I. Marshall	10%	10%	56%	24%	985
4	Gregory F. Lavelle	10%	4%	70%	16%	55
5	Catherine Cloutier	18%	12%	44%	26%	115
6	Ernesto B. Lopez	18%	6%	44%	32%	258
7	Patricia M. Blevins	13%	12%	55%	19%	121
8	David P. Sokola	17%	4%	61%	17%	72
9	Karen E. Peterson	21%	10%	44%	25%	83
10	Bethany A. Hall-Long	18%	7%	51%	24%	145
11	Bryan Townsend	16%	10%	44%	30%	85
12	Nicole Poore	11%	7%	54%	29%	108
13	David B. McBride	11%	7%	43%	40%	116
14	Bruce C. Ennis	16%	12%	48%	24%	76
15	David G. Lawson	9%	10%	42%	38%	89
16	Colin R. J. Bonini	12%	15%	39%	34%	103
17	Brian J. Bushweller	15%	8%	49%	28%	299
18	F. Gary Simpson	11%	11%	47%	31%	101
19	Brian Pettyjohn	8%	9%	49%	34%	219
20	Gerald W. Hocker	20%	7%	61%	12%	33
21	Robert L. Venables Sr.	15%	7%	44%	34%	385
	State	14%	9%	48%	29%	4,991

Q7 When considering Delaware public schools what is your primary expectation of public schools?											
District	State Senator	All Three	Citizen & College	Citizen	College	College & Job	Don't know	Job	No Answer	Other	Respondents
Unknown		7%	2%	18%	31%	0%	12%	13%	3%	13%	127
0		21%	3%	9%	34%	0%	10%	14%	4%	5%	850
1	Harris B. McDowell III	20%	3%	12%	34%	1%	10%	10%	6%	4%	300
2	Margaret Rose Henry	17%	3%	10%	37%	1%	10%	13%	7%	2%	377
3	Robert I. Marshall	22%	4%	8%	36%	1%	11%	7%	8%	3%	1,083
4	Gregory F. Lavelle	4%	0%	15%	51%	0%	0%	18%	0%	12%	56
5	Catherine Cloutier	8%	5%	21%	42%	0%	0%	18%	0%	5%	119
6	Ernesto B. Lopez	11%	1%	24%	32%	0%	1%	19%	1%	10%	261
7	Patricia M. Blevins	15%	0%	13%	46%	0%	9%	11%	0%	6%	125
8	David P. Sokola	15%	3%	18%	30%	0%	3%	21%	3%	8%	74
9	Karen E. Peterson	11%	3%	16%	44%	0%	5%	14%	2%	7%	85
10	Bethany A. Hall-Long	14%	3%	8%	49%	0%	4%	12%	3%	7%	148
11	Bryan Townsend	11%	0%	16%	38%	0%	6%	20%	1%	7%	89
12	Nicole Poore	12%	3%	11%	46%	1%	5%	13%	0%	9%	109
13	David B. McBride	15%	2%	11%	48%	0%	8%	13%	3%	1%	121
14	Bruce C. Ennis	26%	3%	20%	34%	1%	4%	10%	0%	2%	78
15	David G. Lawson	17%	1%	14%	41%	1%	1%	16%	0%	8%	89
16	Colin R. J. Bonini	11%	3%	20%	40%	0%	2%	20%	0%	5%	104
17	Brian J. Bushweller	12%	1%	15%	47%	0%	3%	16%	0%	5%	301
18	F. Gary Simpson	10%	0%	12%	33%	0%	7%	33%	0%	5%	103
19	Brian Pettyjohn	4%	0%	17%	29%	0%	3%	42%	0%	4%	221
20	Gerald W. Hocker	8%	4%	15%	34%	4%	1%	31%	0%	4%	33
21	Robert L. Venables Sr.	1%	0%	13%	25%	0%	7%	53%	0%	1%	387
	State	14%	2%	14%	38%	0%	6%	17%	2%	6%	5,240

Q8: What grade would you give Delaware's public schools?								
District	State Senator	A	B	C	D	F	U	Respondents
Unknown		3%	39%	21%	18%	9%	9%	127
0		13%	34%	29%	9%	2%	13%	850
1	Harris B. McDowell III	13%	24%	35%	6%	3%	20%	300
2	Margaret Rose Henry	8%	27%	34%	4%	5%	21%	377
3	Robert I. Marshall	17%	23%	28%	10%	5%	16%	1083
4	Gregory F. Lavelle	4%	12%	64%	8%	6%	6%	56
5	Catherine Cloutier	6%	35%	47%	11%	1%	0%	119
6	Ernesto B. Lopez	3%	35%	34%	10%	2%	15%	261
7	Patricia M. Blevins	5%	42%	32%	15%	3%	4%	125
8	David P. Sokola	1%	22%	51%	12%	8%	5%	74
9	Karen E. Peterson	3%	25%	43%	17%	5%	7%	85
10	Bethany A. Hall-Long	10%	29%	41%	10%	4%	6%	148
11	Bryan Townsend	2%	28%	38%	13%	8%	10%	89
12	Nicole Poore	6%	30%	38%	14%	4%	8%	109
13	David B. McBride	11%	26%	37%	17%	1%	9%	121
14	Bruce C. Ennis	10%	43%	25%	14%	2%	7%	78
15	David G. Lawson	5%	54%	31%	7%	2%	1%	89
16	Colin R. J. Bonini	8%	52%	34%	4%	0%	3%	104
17	Brian J. Bushweller	7%	51%	32%	5%	2%	4%	301
18	F. Gary Simpson	8%	50%	32%	6%	2%	2%	103
19	Brian Pettyjohn	5%	60%	28%	2%	2%	2%	221
20	Gerald W. Hocker	8%	64%	12%	7%	0%	8%	33
21	Robert L. Venables Sr.	6%	54%	34%	3%	1%	2%	387
	State	8%	36%	34%	9%	3%	10%	5240

Q9: If your child attends a Delaware public school, what grade would you give that school?								
District	State Senator	A	B	C	D	F	U	Respondents
Unknown		26%	26%	25%	7%	10%	6%	39
0		31%	24%	25%	6%	4%	10%	228
1	Harris B. McDowell III	38%	29%	20%	2%	4%	8%	91
2	Margaret Rose Henry	21%	32%	20%	3%	2%	21%	158
3	Robert I. Marshall	28%	31%	17%	10%	1%	13%	405
4	Gregory F. Lavelle	36%	9%	18%	9%	9%	18%	12
5	Catherine Cloutier	36%	33%	24%	6%	0%	0%	35
6	Ernesto B. Lopez	39%	41%	2%	4%	2%	11%	49
7	Patricia M. Blevins	38%	38%	7%	6%	5%	6%	36
8	David P. Sokola	55%	33%	0%	0%	0%	12%	10
9	Karen E. Peterson	11%	33%	29%	7%	6%	14%	31
10	Bethany A. Hall-Long	30%	36%	21%	2%	4%	7%	59
11	Bryan Townsend	23%	39%	17%	0%	15%	6%	19
12	Nicole Poore	24%	29%	17%	13%	3%	13%	31
13	David B. McBride	30%	32%	24%	2%	2%	9%	33
14	Bruce C. Ennis	57%	23%	16%	0%	0%	4%	22
15	David G. Lawson	10%	53%	17%	4%	3%	13%	31
16	Colin R. J. Bonini	34%	39%	13%	7%	3%	3%	30
17	Brian J. Bushweller	32%	47%	9%	2%	1%	8%	85
18	F. Gary Simpson	26%	43%	13%	10%	7%	1%	29
19	Brian Pettyjohn	35%	47%	8%	3%	0%	6%	58
20	Gerald W. Hocker	56%	3%	24%	17%	0%	0%	9
21	Robert L. Venables Sr.	29%	31%	29%	8%	1%	3%	139
	State	31%	34%	18%	5%	3%	9%	1,639

Q10: When you think about public schools in Delaware, over the past five years, would you say that schools have improved, gotten worse or stayed the same?

District	State Senator	Improved	Same	Worse	Don't Know	No Answer	Respondents
Unknown		17%	30%	29%	21%	2%	127
0		35%	18%	19%	23%	4%	850
1	Harris B. McDowell III	36%	24%	14%	21%	6%	300
2	Margaret Rose Henry	30%	22%	21%	18%	8%	377
3	Robert I. Marshall	40%	17%	22%	13%	8%	1083
4	Gregory F. Lavelle	28%	20%	22%	30%	0%	56
5	Catherine Cloutier	18%	33%	24%	25%	0%	119
6	Ernesto B. Lopez	34%	22%	11%	32%	1%	261
7	Patricia M. Blevins	40%	23%	26%	11%	0%	125
8	David P. Sokola	12%	27%	33%	27%	0%	74
9	Karen E. Peterson	24%	19%	36%	19%	2%	85
10	Bethany A. Hall-Long	33%	31%	16%	18%	2%	148
11	Bryan Townsend	19%	25%	32%	20%	4%	89
12	Nicole Poore	20%	22%	33%	23%	2%	109
13	David B. McBride	24%	24%	28%	20%	5%	121
14	Bruce C. Ennis	37%	27%	16%	18%	2%	78
15	David G. Lawson	31%	27%	20%	21%	2%	89
16	Colin R. J. Bonini	30%	41%	15%	13%	1%	104
17	Brian J. Bushweller	32%	27%	16%	24%	1%	301
18	F. Gary Simpson	42%	21%	23%	14%	0%	103
19	Brian Pettyjohn	36%	25%	21%	17%	2%	221
20	Gerald W. Hocker	50%	12%	20%	15%	4%	33
21	Robert L. Venables Sr.	25%	20%	41%	14%	0%	387
	State	31%	24%	21%	21%	3%	5,240

Q11: If parents could choose their child's teacher, what do you think would be the most important factor for them in choosing the best possible teacher for their child?

District	State Senator	Caring	Experience	Well-Versed	State Tests	All	Other	Unknown	Respondents
Unknown		15%	13%	43%	12%	5%	9%	4%	127
0		22%	12%	36%	4%	12%	9%	5%	850
1	Harris B. McDowell III	28%	9%	26%	6%	17%	5%	9%	300
2	Margaret Rose Henry	24%	11%	22%	5%	18%	10%	10%	377
3	Robert I. Marshall	25%	14%	20%	3%	20%	7%	11%	1083
4	Gregory F. Lavelle	31%	6%	39%	14%	0%	10%	0%	56
5	Catherine Cloutier	36%	3%	43%	6%	5%	7%	0%	119
6	Ernesto B. Lopez	27%	5%	46%	6%	4%	10%	1%	261
7	Patricia M. Blevins	23%	11%	39%	12%	12%	3%	0%	125
8	David P. Sokola	21%	12%	44%	6%	6%	12%	0%	74
9	Karen E. Peterson	24%	14%	28%	12%	10%	11%	2%	85
10	Bethany A. Hall-Long	23%	10%	45%	3%	9%	9%	2%	148
11	Bryan Townsend	25%	8%	42%	7%	9%	7%	2%	89
12	Nicole Poore	27%	7%	40%	9%	8%	7%	2%	109
13	David B. McBride	26%	10%	31%	10%	13%	6%	5%	121
14	Bruce C. Ennis	30%	7%	32%	4%	11%	15%	1%	78
15	David G. Lawson	27%	9%	39%	4%	10%	8%	2%	89
16	Colin R. J. Bonini	26%	5%	50%	9%	2%	7%	2%	104
17	Brian J. Bushweller	22%	10%	48%	7%	7%	6%	1%	301
18	F. Gary Simpson	25%	5%	55%	5%	2%	6%	2%	103
19	Brian Pettyjohn	22%	8%	57%	3%	4%	4%	2%	221
20	Gerald W. Hocker	18%	1%	58%	7%	7%	0%	7%	33
21	Robert L. Venables Sr.	24%	7%	60%	4%	1%	3%	0%	387
	State	25%	9%	39%	6%	9%	8%	3%	5,240

Q13: How much would you say the quality of education provided by Delaware's K-12 public schools differs from school district to school district?

District	State Senator	A great deal	Quite a lot	Not too much	Not at all	Don't know	No answer	Respondents
Unknown		24%	28%	27%	2%	16%	3%	127
0		29%	22%	21%	1%	19%	6%	850
1	Harris B. McDowell III	24%	22%	19%	0%	25%	9%	300
2	Margaret Rose Henry	35%	16%	19%	1%	18%	11%	377
3	Robert I. Marshall	44%	17%	12%	3%	14%	10%	1,083
4	Gregory F. Lavelle	20%	36%	17%	0%	27%	0%	56
5	Catherine Cloutier	16%	48%	16%	0%	18%	1%	119
6	Ernesto B. Lopez	20%	34%	12%	1%	30%	3%	261
7	Patricia M. Blevins	28%	29%	22%	0%	20%	1%	125
8	David P. Sokola	19%	38%	20%	0%	23%	0%	74
9	Karen E. Peterson	15%	29%	28%	1%	21%	6%	85
10	Bethany A. Hall-Long	34%	25%	19%	0%	21%	1%	148
11	Bryan Townsend	20%	29%	30%	2%	18%	1%	89
12	Nicole Poore	20%	33%	26%	1%	18%	2%	109
13	David B. McBride	20%	24%	23%	3%	26%	4%	121
14	Bruce C. Ennis	21%	31%	23%	0%	22%	3%	78
15	David G. Lawson	17%	25%	26%	1%	28%	2%	89
16	Colin R. J. Bonini	11%	32%	34%	1%	22%	0%	104
17	Brian J. Bushweller	17%	28%	33%	0%	20%	2%	301
18	F. Gary Simpson	14%	34%	23%	1%	28%	0%	103
19	Brian Pettyjohn	19%	39%	27%	2%	13%	0%	221
20	Gerald W. Hocker	18%	36%	26%	4%	11%	4%	33
21	Robert L. Venables Sr.	29%	35%	21%	2%	13%	0%	387
	State	24%	28%	22%	1%	21%	4%	5,240

Q14: On a scale of 0 to 10, how likely are you to recommend Delaware's public schools to a friend with school age children moving to Delaware?

District	Senator	Promoters	Passives	Detractors	No Answer	NPS	Respondents
Unknown		16%	28%	48%	7%	-32%	127
0		20%	27%	39%	14%	-19%	850
1	Harris B. McDowell III	21%	20%	45%	14%	-24%	300
2	Margaret Rose Henry	19%	26%	35%	19%	-16%	377
3	Robert I. Marshall	19%	25%	39%	16%	-20%	1,083
4	Gregory F. Lavelle	6%	19%	73%	2%	-67%	56
5	Catherine Cloutier	13%	37%	48%	1%	-35%	119
6	Ernesto B. Lopez	19%	28%	45%	8%	-27%	261
7	Patricia M. Blevins	17%	29%	53%	2%	-36%	125
8	David P. Sokola	3%	30%	63%	4%	-60%	74
9	Karen E. Peterson	9%	28%	55%	7%	-46%	85
10	Bethany A. Hall-Long	16%	36%	43%	5%	-27%	148
11	Bryan Townsend	14%	26%	55%	5%	-42%	89
12	Nicole Poore	11%	35%	48%	6%	-37%	109
13	David B. McBride	13%	28%	50%	9%	-37%	121
14	Bruce C. Ennis	23%	31%	42%	4%	-20%	78
15	David G. Lawson	18%	43%	36%	3%	-17%	89
16	Colin R. J. Bonini	16%	44%	37%	3%	-21%	104
17	Brian J. Bushweller	22%	40%	37%	1%	-15%	301
18	F. Gary Simpson	13%	48%	37%	2%	-25%	103
19	Brian Pettyjohn	15%	58%	25%	2%	-9%	221
20	Gerald W. Hocker	23%	43%	31%	4%	-8%	33
21	Robert L. Venables Sr.	16%	57%	26%	1%	-10%	387
	State	17%	32%	43%	8%	-25%	5,240

5) Political Districts (Representatives)

Q6: What effects do you think charter schools have had on public education in Delaware?

District	State Representative	Negative	No Effect	Positive	Don't Know	Respondents
Unknown		22%	9%	43%	25%	120
0		10%	12%	47%	31%	798
1	Charles Potter Jr.	9%	16%	45%	29%	264
2	Stephanie T. Bolden	8%	13%	48%	30%	287
3	Helene M. Keeley	11%	10%	52%	27%	686
4	Gerald L. Brady	18%	10%	65%	7%	132
5	Melanie George Smith	6%	7%	44%	43%	67
6	Debra J. Heffernan	18%	5%	44%	33%	85
7	Bryon H. Short	7%	7%	49%	38%	67
8	S. Quinton Johnson	10%	11%	53%	26%	76
9	Rebecca Walker	22%	11%	50%	16%	62
10	Dennis E. Williams	13%	14%	40%	33%	73
11	Jeffrey N. Spiegelman	8%	3%	46%	43%	30
12	Deborah Hudson	12%	9%	60%	19%	35
13	John L. Mitchell Jr.	4%	12%	73%	11%	125
14	Peter C. Schwartzkopf	17%	6%	48%	28%	111
15	Valerie Longhurst	13%	7%	48%	32%	46
16	James Johnson	11%	12%	38%	39%	88
17	Michael P. Mulrooney	16%	0%	54%	30%	56
18	Michael A. Barbieri	24%	8%	41%	28%	38
19	Kimberly Williams	21%	9%	42%	28%	58
20	Stephen T. Smyk	19%	5%	39%	37%	147
21	Michael Ramone	19%	8%	51%	22%	50
22	Joseph E. Miro	12%	3%	76%	9%	34
23	Paul S. Baumbach	17%	7%	56%	20%	42
24	Edward S. Osienski	15%	2%	41%	42%	45
25	John A. Kowalko Jr.	27%	0%	52%	21%	42
26	John J. Viola	15%	14%	44%	26%	45
27	Earl G. Jaques Jr	15%	9%	50%	26%	49
28	William J. Carson	13%	13%	45%	29%	32
29	W. Charles Paradee	11%	9%	46%	34%	64
30	William R. "Bobby" Outten	11%	30%	14%	46%	19
31	Darryl M. Scott	15%	8%	50%	27%	262
32	Andria L. Bennett	15%	18%	36%	31%	52
33	Harold J. Peterman	17%	27%	34%	23%	23
34	Donald A. Blakey	9%	5%	46%	41%	66
35	David L. Wilson	13%	11%	42%	34%	185
36	Harvey R. Kenton	7%	8%	60%	25%	38
37	Ruth Briggs King	1%	11%	56%	31%	24
38	Ronald E. Gray	24%	6%	59%	12%	19
39	Daniel B. Short	15%	3%	42%	39%	261
40	Timothy D. Dukes	13%	11%	52%	24%	173
41	John C. Atkins	14%	20%	55%	12%	15
	State	14%	9%	48%	29%	4,991

Q7 When considering Delaware public schools what is your primary expectation of public schools?

District	State Representative	All Three	Citizen & College	Citizen	College	College & Job	Don't Know	Job	No Answer	Other	Respondents
Unknown		7%	2%	18%	31%	0%	12%	13%	3%	13%	127
0		21%	3%	9%	34%	0%	10%	14%	4%	5%	850
1	Charles Potter Jr.	15%	1%	16%	40%	2%	10%	8%	4%	2%	284
2	Stephanie T. Bolden	21%	7%	6%	36%	0%	14%	9%	3%	3%	308
3	Helene M. Keeley	21%	4%	11%	38%	1%	9%	8%	5%	3%	751
4	Gerald L. Brady	13%	2%	12%	47%	0%	4%	13%	7%	3%	143
5	Melanie George Smith	15%	2%	7%	49%	0%	8%	15%	3%	1%	69
6	Debra J. Heffernan	16%	3%	16%	34%	1%	3%	17%	1%	10%	89
7	Bryon H. Short	10%	6%	13%	48%	0%	7%	7%	6%	3%	76
8	S. Quinton Johnson	12%	7%	9%	52%	0%	4%	10%	2%	4%	78
9	Rebecca Walker	29%	1%	8%	39%	1%	5%	10%	0%	6%	63
10	Dennis E. Williams	16%	3%	16%	38%	0%	6%	16%	4%	0%	78
11	Jeffrey N. Spiegelman	42%	0%	17%	20%	0%	0%	14%	0%	7%	30
12	Deborah Hudson	9%	3%	15%	30%	0%	0%	33%	0%	9%	37
13	John L. Mitchell Jr.	31%	1%	5%	25%	0%	16%	6%	12%	3%	136
14	Peter C. Schwartzkopf	10%	0%	19%	41%	1%	1%	18%	1%	10%	112
15	Valerie Longhurst	9%	2%	15%	48%	2%	3%	12%	0%	9%	47
16	James Johnson	14%	3%	4%	37%	0%	13%	18%	9%	1%	96
17	Michael P. Mulrooney	21%	2%	8%	39%	0%	8%	15%	2%	5%	57
18	Michael A. Barbieri	11%	3%	19%	46%	0%	5%	6%	3%	7%	41
19	Kimberly Williams	13%	0%	14%	47%	0%	7%	13%	1%	5%	61
20	Stephen T. Smyk	13%	2%	30%	24%	0%	1%	19%	1%	10%	149
21	Michael Ramone	3%	3%	21%	46%	0%	5%	15%	0%	9%	51
22	Joseph E. Miro	12%	3%	9%	49%	0%	0%	15%	3%	9%	34
23	Paul S. Baumbach	13%	2%	26%	25%	0%	2%	21%	0%	9%	43
24	Edward S. Osienski	10%	0%	25%	38%	0%	9%	12%	0%	7%	47
25	John A. Kowalko Jr.	14%	0%	12%	41%	0%	5%	12%	2%	14%	44
26	John J. Viola	15%	0%	11%	39%	0%	2%	26%	2%	5%	47
27	Earl G. Jaques Jr	7%	2%	15%	57%	0%	2%	7%	4%	6%	49
28	William J. Carson	16%	0%	26%	38%	3%	0%	10%	0%	6%	33
29	W. Charles Paradee	13%	3%	14%	43%	2%	2%	16%	0%	8%	64
30	William R. "Bobby" Outten	15%	0%	2%	41%	0%	12%	19%	0%	11%	19
31	Darryl M. Scott	11%	1%	15%	47%	0%	3%	16%	0%	6%	264
32	Andria L. Bennett	15%	4%	19%	41%	0%	2%	17%	0%	2%	53
33	Harold J. Peterman	8%	0%	0%	49%	0%	0%	35%	0%	8%	23
34	Donald A. Blakey	12%	2%	21%	38%	0%	3%	21%	0%	3%	66
35	David L. Wilson	1%	0%	14%	25%	0%	8%	50%	0%	0%	187
36	Harvey R. Kenton	13%	0%	14%	37%	0%	4%	28%	0%	3%	39
37	Ruth Briggs King	5%	0%	22%	36%	0%	0%	28%	0%	10%	25
38	Ronald E. Gray	12%	6%	17%	40%	6%	1%	13%	0%	6%	19
39	Daniel B. Short	1%	0%	13%	26%	0%	1%	57%	0%	2%	261
40	Timothy D. Dukes	0%	0%	14%	23%	0%	13%	49%	1%	0%	175
41	John C. Atkins	2%	0%	2%	33%	0%	0%	63%	0%	0%	15
	State	14%	2%	14%	38%	0%	6%	17%	2%	6%	5,240

Q8: What grade would you give Delaware's public schools?

District	State Representative	A	B	C	D	F	U	Respondents
Unknown		3%	39%	21%	18%	9%	9%	127
0		13%	34%	29%	9%	2%	13%	850
1	Charles Potter Jr.	11%	25%	41%	3%	3%	17%	284
2	Stephanie T. Bolden	17%	13%	41%	6%	4%	20%	308
3	Helene M. Keeley	21%	21%	27%	13%	6%	13%	751
4	Gerald L. Brady	7%	27%	39%	6%	9%	12%	143
5	Melanie George Smith	11%	31%	36%	16%	0%	6%	69
6	Debra J. Heffernan	3%	27%	49%	11%	1%	8%	89
7	Bryon H. Short	13%	25%	37%	10%	1%	13%	76
8	S. Quinton Johnson	12%	30%	39%	4%	3%	12%	78
9	Rebecca Walker	16%	38%	30%	13%	0%	3%	63
10	Dennis E. Williams	13%	37%	31%	3%	3%	13%	78
11	Jeffrey N. Spiegelman	0%	66%	24%	0%	4%	7%	30
12	Deborah Hudson	6%	22%	48%	9%	12%	3%	37
13	John L. Mitchell Jr.	6%	50%	23%	8%	0%	12%	136
14	Peter C. Schwartzkopf	3%	34%	33%	13%	4%	13%	112
15	Valerie Longhurst	6%	23%	50%	12%	2%	6%	47
16	James Johnson	6%	29%	27%	6%	5%	27%	96
17	Michael P. Mulrooney	6%	37%	31%	12%	2%	12%	57
18	Michael A. Barbieri	8%	17%	50%	11%	3%	11%	41
19	Kimberly Williams	6%	23%	43%	13%	5%	10%	61
20	Stephen T. Smyk	3%	36%	35%	7%	1%	18%	149
21	Michael Ramone	3%	28%	45%	20%	5%	0%	51
22	Joseph E. Miro	3%	12%	64%	12%	3%	6%	34
23	Paul S. Baumbach	0%	26%	51%	14%	5%	4%	43
24	Edward S. Osienski	0%	25%	42%	11%	9%	12%	47
25	John A. Kowalko Jr.	5%	16%	48%	14%	9%	7%	44
26	John J. Viola	5%	26%	33%	18%	8%	9%	47
27	Earl G. Jaques Jr	2%	34%	30%	18%	11%	5%	49
28	William J. Carson	10%	48%	26%	10%	0%	7%	33
29	W. Charles Paradee	5%	51%	35%	8%	2%	0%	64
30	William R. "Bobby" Outten	8%	64%	21%	8%	0%	0%	19
31	Darryl M. Scott	8%	51%	30%	6%	2%	3%	264
32	Andria L. Bennett	8%	53%	32%	4%	0%	4%	53
33	Harold J. Peterman	0%	51%	45%	4%	0%	0%	23
34	Donald A. Blakey	9%	51%	35%	2%	0%	3%	66
35	David L. Wilson	12%	54%	25%	6%	1%	1%	187
36	Harvey R. Kenton	10%	50%	27%	10%	3%	0%	39
37	Ruth Briggs King	5%	48%	38%	0%	5%	5%	25
38	Ronald E. Gray	6%	59%	13%	12%	0%	12%	19
39	Daniel B. Short	4%	61%	32%	1%	1%	0%	261
40	Timothy D. Dukes	8%	47%	36%	5%	1%	3%	175
41	John C. Atkins	2%	85%	12%	0%	0%	2%	15
	State	8%	36%	34%	9%	3%	10%	5,240

Q9: If your child attends a Delaware public school, what grade would you give that school?								
District	State Representative	A	B	C	D	F	U	Respondents
Unknown		26%	26%	25%	7%	10%	6%	39
0		31%	24%	25%	6%	4%	10%	228
1	Charles Potter Jr.	36%	23%	33%	1%	1%	7%	107
2	Stephanie T. Bolden	32%	22%	21%	6%	1%	18%	127
3	Helene M. Keeley	28%	33%	17%	9%	1%	12%	289
4	Gerald L. Brady	16%	29%	16%	10%	9%	21%	45
5	Melanie George Smith	33%	27%	25%	3%	3%	9%	21
6	Debra J. Heffernan	28%	50%	16%	5%	0%	0%	22
7	Bryon H. Short	37%	22%	22%	4%	7%	7%	28
8	S. Quinton Johnson	24%	53%	17%	0%	3%	3%	29
9	Rebecca Walker	44%	27%	19%	0%	0%	10%	29
10	Dennis E. Williams	48%	24%	21%	3%	0%	4%	30
11	Jeffrey N. Spiegelman	46%	25%	15%	0%	0%	15%	8
12	Deborah Hudson	27%	28%	9%	9%	0%	27%	12
13	John L. Mitchell Jr.	46%	34%	7%	2%	1%	10%	31
14	Peter C. Schwartzkopf	39%	29%	4%	7%	4%	18%	29
15	Valerie Longhurst	26%	26%	16%	16%	0%	16%	19
16	James Johnson	7%	42%	14%	4%	3%	29%	35
17	Michael P. Mulrooney	20%	45%	16%	10%	0%	10%	11
18	Michael A. Barbieri	18%	36%	28%	0%	0%	18%	12
19	Kimberly Williams	28%	35%	15%	0%	7%	15%	18
20	Stephen T. Smyk	42%	58%	0%	0%	0%	0%	19
21	Michael Ramone	8%	24%	53%	15%	0%	0%	14
22	Joseph E. Miro	48%	33%	17%	0%	0%	2%	7
23	Paul S. Baumbach	67%	33%	0%	0%	0%	0%	3
24	Edward S. Osienski	20%	37%	9%	9%	24%	0%	12
25	John A. Kowalko Jr.	33%	22%	22%	11%	0%	11%	9
26	John J. Viola	15%	30%	15%	0%	24%	15%	7
27	Earl G. Jaques Jr	36%	30%	22%	0%	12%	0%	18
28	William J. Carson	59%	41%	0%	0%	0%	0%	6
29	W. Charles Paradee	9%	52%	17%	5%	4%	13%	23
30	William R. "Bobby" Outten	6%	88%	6%	0%	0%	0%	7
31	Darryl M. Scott	32%	47%	9%	3%	1%	8%	77
32	Andria L. Bennett	37%	38%	12%	6%	6%	0%	16
33	Harold J. Peterman	22%	47%	16%	16%	0%	0%	6
34	Donald A. Blakey	29%	47%	12%	0%	0%	12%	17
35	David L. Wilson	23%	61%	5%	7%	2%	2%	53
36	Harvey R. Kenton	33%	33%	13%	11%	11%	0%	10
37	Ruth Briggs King	44%	28%	14%	0%	0%	14%	8
38	Ronald E. Gray	63%	0%	6%	31%	0%	0%	4
39	Daniel B. Short	20%	32%	32%	12%	0%	2%	76
40	Timothy D. Dukes	38%	30%	24%	4%	0%	4%	71
41	John C. Atkins	48%	26%	26%	0%	0%	0%	7
	State	31%	34%	18%	5%	3%	9%	1,639

Q10: When you think about public schools in Delaware, over the past five years, would you say that schools have improved, gotten worse or stayed the same?

District	State Representative	Improved	Same	Worse	Don't Know	No Answer	Respondents
Unknown		17%	30%	29%	21%	2%	127
0		35%	18%	19%	23%	4%	850
1	Charles Potter Jr.	35%	23%	25%	15%	3%	284
2	Stephanie T. Bolden	36%	20%	23%	17%	4%	308
3	Helene M. Keeley	39%	17%	23%	16%	5%	751
4	Gerald L. Brady	28%	22%	23%	20%	7%	143
5	Melanie George Smith	28%	20%	24%	24%	5%	69
6	Debra J. Heffernan	22%	30%	23%	24%	1%	89
7	Bryon H. Short	36%	29%	13%	18%	4%	76
8	S. Quinton Johnson	35%	31%	10%	20%	4%	78
9	Rebecca Walker	37%	29%	17%	16%	0%	63
10	Dennis E. Williams	26%	29%	18%	23%	4%	78
11	Jeffrey N. Spiegelman	48%	20%	11%	21%	0%	30
12	Deborah Hudson	27%	21%	27%	25%	0%	37
13	John L. Mitchell Jr.	55%	13%	12%	9%	12%	136
14	Peter C. Schwartzkopf	35%	17%	15%	33%	0%	112
15	Valerie Longhurst	23%	18%	34%	21%	4%	47
16	James Johnson	27%	18%	22%	22%	11%	96
17	Michael P. Mulrooney	24%	37%	23%	13%	4%	57
18	Michael A. Barbieri	13%	14%	38%	30%	6%	41
19	Kimberly Williams	23%	32%	27%	17%	1%	61
20	Stephen T. Smyk	32%	26%	7%	33%	2%	149
21	Michael Ramone	32%	19%	35%	14%	0%	51
22	Joseph E. Miro	24%	22%	27%	27%	0%	34
23	Paul S. Baumbach	12%	32%	28%	28%	0%	43
24	Edward S. Osinski	19%	17%	40%	24%	0%	47
25	John A. Kowalko Jr.	16%	33%	26%	23%	2%	44
26	John J. Viola	15%	31%	29%	18%	7%	47
27	Earl G. Jaques Jr	22%	25%	36%	17%	0%	49
28	William J. Carson	32%	26%	26%	13%	4%	33
29	W. Charles Paradee	27%	27%	21%	22%	3%	64
30	William R. "Bobby" Outten	58%	17%	14%	12%	0%	19
31	Darryl M. Scott	32%	27%	16%	25%	1%	264
32	Andria L. Bennett	36%	41%	9%	13%	0%	53
33	Harold J. Peterman	40%	42%	14%	4%	0%	23
34	Donald A. Blakey	30%	33%	17%	18%	2%	66
35	David L. Wilson	39%	19%	20%	22%	0%	187
36	Harvey R. Kenton	36%	30%	28%	5%	0%	39
37	Ruth Briggs King	41%	21%	18%	16%	5%	25
38	Ronald E. Gray	59%	13%	12%	17%	0%	19
39	Daniel B. Short	15%	21%	49%	13%	0%	261
40	Timothy D. Dukes	35%	18%	31%	15%	0%	175
41	John C. Atkins	43%	20%	23%	14%	0%	15
	State	31%	24%	21%	21%	3%	5,240

Q11: If parent could choose their child's teacher, what do you think would be the most important factor for them in choosing the best possible teacher for their child?

District	State Representative	Caring	Experience	Well-Versed	State Tests	All	Other	Unknown	Respondents
Unknown		15%	13%	43%	12%	5%	9%	4%	127
0		22%	12%	36%	4%	12%	9%	5%	850
1	Charles Potter Jr.	32%	11%	25%	8%	16%	5%	3%	284
2	Stephanie T. Bolden	31%	9%	23%	4%	21%	8%	5%	308
3	Helene M. Keeley	26%	16%	21%	3%	18%	8%	8%	751
4	Gerald L. Brady	23%	17%	33%	4%	7%	6%	10%	143
5	Melanie George Smith	26%	9%	33%	11%	14%	3%	5%	69
6	Debra J. Heffernan	30%	7%	40%	6%	6%	9%	3%	89
7	Bryon H. Short	30%	6%	31%	7%	16%	3%	7%	76
8	S. Quinton Johnson	15%	12%	44%	3%	14%	9%	2%	78
9	Rebecca Walker	33%	6%	36%	1%	5%	17%	1%	63
10	Dennis E. Williams	34%	6%	28%	3%	18%	4%	6%	78
11	Jeffrey N. Spiegelman	38%	14%	21%	3%	4%	20%	0%	30
12	Deborah Hudson	36%	6%	31%	12%	3%	12%	0%	37
13	John L. Mitchell Jr.	18%	12%	26%	4%	25%	2%	14%	136
14	Peter C. Schwartzkopf	26%	7%	45%	6%	3%	12%	1%	112
15	Valerie Longhurst	26%	7%	44%	9%	4%	7%	4%	47
16	James Johnson	12%	10%	26%	7%	18%	16%	12%	96
17	Michael P. Mulrooney	24%	10%	30%	10%	11%	10%	6%	57
18	Michael A. Barbieri	22%	5%	30%	15%	17%	4%	6%	41
19	Kimberly Williams	35%	8%	36%	9%	6%	5%	1%	61
20	Stephen T. Smyk	28%	3%	46%	7%	5%	9%	1%	149
21	Michael Ramone	23%	12%	33%	14%	3%	15%	0%	51
22	Joseph E. Miro	30%	0%	39%	15%	6%	9%	0%	34
23	Paul S. Baumbach	17%	19%	49%	2%	0%	13%	0%	43
24	Edward S. Osienski	24%	9%	35%	7%	13%	11%	0%	47
25	John A. Kowalko Jr.	21%	5%	39%	9%	12%	12%	2%	44
26	John J. Viola	24%	11%	45%	5%	7%	5%	5%	47
27	Earl G. Jaques Jr	36%	15%	40%	4%	2%	4%	0%	49
28	William J. Carson	26%	3%	52%	6%	13%	0%	0%	33
29	W. Charles Paradee	28%	6%	39%	5%	11%	7%	3%	64
30	William R. "Bobby" Outten	31%	17%	40%	4%	8%	0%	0%	19
31	Darryl M. Scott	22%	9%	49%	5%	7%	6%	1%	264
32	Andria L. Bennett	28%	9%	40%	15%	4%	2%	2%	53
33	Harold J. Peterman	16%	4%	55%	14%	0%	4%	6%	23
34	Donald A. Blakey	24%	5%	52%	8%	3%	8%	2%	66
35	David L. Wilson	27%	9%	55%	3%	1%	6%	0%	187
36	Harvey R. Kenton	20%	6%	63%	0%	3%	7%	0%	39
37	Ruth Briggs King	22%	10%	43%	5%	10%	5%	5%	25
38	Ronald E. Gray	23%	1%	47%	12%	12%	0%	6%	19
39	Daniel B. Short	19%	3%	74%	2%	1%	0%	0%	261
40	Timothy D. Duker	27%	11%	47%	7%	0%	7%	0%	175
41	John C. Atkins	10%	2%	86%	2%	0%	0%	0%	15
	State	25%	9%	39%	6%	9%	8%	3%	5,240

Q13: How much would you say the quality of education provided by Delaware's K-12 public schools differs from school district to school district?

District	State Representative	A great deal	Quite a lot	Not too much	Not at all	Don't know	No answer	Respondents
Unknown		24%	28%	27%	2%	16%	3%	127
0		29%	22%	21%	1%	19%	6%	850
1	Charles Potter Jr.	33%	17%	19%	1%	22%	9%	284
2	Stephanie T. Bolden	42%	21%	12%	2%	17%	6%	308
3	Helene M. Keeley	39%	19%	15%	3%	17%	8%	751
4	Gerald L. Brady	32%	21%	14%	3%	20%	11%	143
5	Melanie George Smith	20%	18%	28%	5%	25%	5%	69
6	Debra J. Heffernan	17%	46%	17%	0%	16%	3%	89
7	Bryon H. Short	26%	22%	20%	0%	26%	6%	76
8	S. Quinton Johnson	35%	29%	22%	0%	11%	2%	78
9	Rebecca Walker	31%	20%	21%	0%	24%	4%	63
10	Dennis E. Williams	25%	34%	15%	0%	20%	6%	78
11	Jeffrey N. Spiegelman	12%	52%	16%	0%	21%	0%	30
12	Deborah Hudson	18%	30%	15%	0%	34%	3%	37
13	John L. Mitchell Jr.	49%	13%	11%	0%	14%	12%	136
14	Peter C. Schwartzkopf	29%	32%	12%	2%	25%	1%	112
15	Valerie Longhurst	17%	38%	28%	0%	13%	4%	47
16	James Johnson	25%	20%	20%	1%	21%	12%	96
17	Michael P. Mulrooney	25%	28%	25%	2%	20%	0%	57
18	Michael A. Barbieri	15%	32%	22%	2%	20%	8%	41
19	Kimberly Williams	14%	38%	27%	0%	17%	3%	61
20	Stephen T. Smyk	14%	35%	12%	0%	35%	4%	149
21	Michael Ramone	18%	31%	30%	0%	21%	0%	51
22	Joseph E. Miro	18%	42%	15%	0%	24%	0%	34
23	Paul S. Baumbach	19%	37%	19%	0%	25%	0%	43
24	Edward S. Osienski	18%	22%	34%	5%	17%	5%	47
25	John A. Kowalko Jr.	26%	31%	14%	0%	29%	0%	44
26	John J. Viola	23%	35%	24%	0%	18%	0%	47
27	Earl G. Jaques Jr	33%	21%	23%	0%	22%	0%	49
28	William J. Carson	13%	26%	32%	0%	26%	4%	33
29	W. Charles Paradee	19%	22%	25%	2%	29%	3%	64
30	William R. "Bobby" Outten	20%	29%	19%	0%	32%	0%	19
31	Darryl M. Scott	17%	26%	34%	0%	22%	2%	264
32	Andria L. Bennett	10%	43%	32%	2%	13%	0%	53
33	Harold J. Peterman	18%	38%	31%	4%	8%	0%	23
34	Donald A. Blakey	16%	27%	34%	0%	23%	0%	66
35	David L. Wilson	17%	36%	32%	1%	14%	0%	187
36	Harvey R. Kenton	9%	34%	30%	1%	27%	0%	39
37	Ruth Briggs King	16%	43%	16%	0%	20%	5%	25
38	Ronald E. Gray	23%	41%	17%	1%	17%	0%	19
39	Daniel B. Short	32%	36%	21%	0%	11%	0%	261
40	Timothy D. Dukes	22%	33%	25%	5%	15%	0%	175
41	John C. Atkins	10%	27%	43%	20%	0%	0%	15
	State	24%	28%	22%	1%	21%	4%	5,240

Q14: On a scale of 0 to 10, how likely are you to recommend Delaware's public schools to a friend with school age children moving to Delaware?

District	State Representative	Promoters	Passives	Detractors	No Answer	NPS	Respondents
Unknown		16%	28%	48%	7%	-32%	127
0		20%	27%	39%	14%	-19%	850
1	Charles Potter Jr.	23%	19%	46%	12%	-24%	284
2	Stephanie T. Bolden	21%	25%	38%	15%	-17%	308
3	Helene M. Keeley	21%	23%	42%	14%	-22%	751
4	Gerald L. Brady	18%	21%	49%	11%	-31%	143
5	Melanie George Smith	12%	36%	44%	8%	-31%	69
6	Debra J. Heffernan	11%	23%	59%	7%	-47%	89
7	Bryon H. Short	26%	22%	42%	10%	-16%	76
8	S. Quinton Johnson	21%	39%	34%	7%	-13%	78
9	Rebecca Walker	22%	25%	50%	3%	-28%	63
10	Dennis E. Williams	21%	34%	38%	7%	-17%	78
11	Jeffrey N. Spiegelman	16%	63%	17%	4%	-1%	30
12	Deborah Hudson	6%	37%	57%	0%	-51%	37
13	John L. Mitchell Jr.	14%	33%	36%	17%	-23%	136
14	Peter C. Schwartzkopf	20%	25%	47%	9%	-27%	112
15	Valerie Longhurst	12%	37%	50%	2%	-38%	47
16	James Johnson	15%	28%	32%	24%	-17%	96
17	Michael P. Mulrooney	14%	34%	45%	8%	-31%	57
18	Michael A. Barbieri	16%	11%	62%	11%	-46%	41
19	Kimberly Williams	7%	31%	58%	4%	-51%	61
20	Stephen T. Smyk	16%	31%	44%	8%	-28%	149
21	Michael Ramone	9%	37%	51%	3%	-42%	51
22	Joseph E. Miro	3%	12%	82%	3%	-79%	34
23	Paul S. Baumbach	2%	40%	57%	0%	-55%	43
24	Edward S. Osienski	5%	25%	62%	8%	-57%	47
25	John A. Kowalko Jr.	5%	26%	55%	14%	-50%	44
26	John J. Viola	18%	22%	55%	5%	-37%	47
27	Earl G. Jaques Jr	14%	32%	52%	1%	-39%	49
28	William J. Carson	19%	48%	32%	0%	-13%	33
29	W. Charles Paradee	19%	34%	44%	3%	-25%	64
30	William R. "Bobby" Outten	17%	47%	36%	0%	-19%	19
31	Darryl M. Scott	22%	39%	38%	1%	-16%	264
32	Andria L. Bennett	24%	45%	28%	2%	-4%	53
33	Harold J. Peterman	4%	55%	40%	0%	-36%	23
34	Donald A. Blakey	17%	41%	39%	3%	-23%	66
35	David L. Wilson	17%	63%	19%	0%	-2%	187
36	Harvey R. Kenton	22%	39%	38%	0%	-16%	39
37	Ruth Briggs King	11%	43%	36%	10%	-25%	25
38	Ronald E. Gray	29%	30%	41%	0%	-13%	19
39	Daniel B. Short	11%	67%	21%	0%	-9%	261
40	Timothy D. Dukes	21%	47%	31%	1%	-11%	175
41	John C. Atkins	23%	65%	12%	0%	12%	15
	State	17%	32%	43%	8%	-25%	5,240

B. Demographic Breakdowns

1. Age

Q6: What effects do you think charter schools have had on public education in Delaware?					
Age Group	Negative	No Effect	Positive	Don't Know	Respondents
Refused	10%	9%	56%	25%	769
18-24	11%	11%	42%	36%	763
25-29	13%	12%	43%	32%	433
30-34	13%	7%	48%	31%	459
35-39	10%	10%	49%	31%	408
40-44	14%	10%	52%	24%	519
45-49	14%	9%	49%	29%	362
50-54	14%	9%	57%	20%	348
55-59	14%	10%	50%	27%	274
60-65	23%	4%	39%	34%	275
65 and Up	19%	8%	44%	30%	381
Total	14%	9%	48%	29%	4,991

Q7: When considering Delaware public schools what is your primary expectation of public schools?										
Age Group	All Three	College	Citizen	Citizen & College	College & Job	Don't Know	Job	No Answer	Other	Respondents
Refused	19%	2%	11%	32%	0%	8%	17%	6%	5%	849
18-24	11%	3%	13%	49%	0%	5%	12%	1%	5%	791
25-29	16%	3%	18%	40%	0%	6%	12%	2%	3%	449
30-34	18%	3%	14%	38%	0%	7%	14%	1%	5%	476
35-39	13%	1%	10%	52%	1%	6%	13%	1%	4%	420
40-44	14%	3%	9%	37%	1%	9%	16%	4%	7%	549
45-49	16%	0%	11%	42%	1%	7%	17%	3%	4%	385
50-54	15%	3%	10%	39%	0%	4%	22%	0%	6%	357
55-59	14%	2%	15%	33%	0%	4%	27%	1%	5%	279
60-65	13%	1%	18%	22%	0%	5%	32%	3%	7%	284
65 and Up	11%	2%	28%	24%	0%	3%	18%	3%	10%	401
Total	14%	2%	14%	38%	0%	6%	17%	2%	6%	5,240

Q8: What grade would you give Delaware's public schools?							
Age Group	A	B	C	D	F	U	Respondents
Refused	12%	37%	28%	8%	3%	11%	849
18-24	5%	36%	40%	11%	3%	5%	791
25-29	9%	28%	46%	8%	1%	8%	449
30-34	9%	39%	30%	10%	3%	10%	476
35-39	14%	32%	32%	10%	3%	9%	420
40-44	10%	36%	31%	7%	3%	13%	549
45-49	6%	37%	35%	8%	3%	11%	385
50-54	8%	37%	33%	11%	6%	5%	357
55-59	6%	42%	36%	6%	5%	6%	279
60-65	7%	39%	34%	5%	2%	14%	284
65 and Up	5%	35%	29%	13%	2%	16%	401
Total	8%	36%	34%	9%	3%	10%	5,240

Q9: If your child attends a Delaware public school, what grade would you give that school?							
Age Group	A	B	C	D	F	U	Respondents
Refused	26%	30%	19%	9%	6%	10%	198
18-24	29%	31%	29%	2%	0%	9%	89
25-29	35%	31%	13%	8%	2%	11%	168
30-34	32%	30%	23%	4%	1%	10%	237
35-39	34%	39%	15%	3%	3%	7%	231
40-44	34%	34%	17%	2%	2%	11%	292
45-49	27%	38%	19%	6%	4%	6%	197
50-54	32%	31%	16%	8%	4%	9%	112
55-59	25%	26%	24%	10%	4%	12%	52
60-65	29%	41%	9%	5%	7%	10%	32
65 and Up	24%	41%	11%	14%	0%	10%	31
Total	31%	34%	18%	5%	3%	9%	1,639

Q10: When you think about public schools in Delaware, over the past five years, would you say that schools have improved, gotten worse or stayed the same?						
Age Group	Improved	Same	Worse	Don't Know	No Answer	Respondents
Refused	37%	17%	20%	18%	8%	849
18-24	29%	26%	26%	18%	2%	791
25-29	28%	18%	24%	28%	2%	449
30-34	35%	21%	14%	29%	2%	476
35-39	28%	28%	18%	25%	1%	420
40-44	36%	19%	23%	18%	4%	549
45-49	36%	27%	18%	17%	3%	385
50-54	30%	26%	29%	14%	1%	357
55-59	26%	27%	26%	19%	1%	279
60-65	29%	25%	22%	23%	2%	284
65 and Up	28%	27%	13%	29%	4%	401
Total	31%	24%	21%	21%	3%	5,240

Q11: If parents could choose their child's teacher, what do you think would be the most important factor for them in choosing the best possible teacher for their child?

Age Group	Caring	Experience	Well-Versed	State Tests	State All	Other	Unknown	Respondents
Refused	23%	13%	33%	3%	9%	9%	10%	849
18-24	29%	16%	34%	8%	5%	6%	2%	791
25-29	30%	10%	34%	6%	12%	5%	3%	449
30-34	28%	8%	34%	6%	15%	8%	2%	476
35-39	24%	6%	40%	6%	14%	9%	1%	420
40-44	21%	8%	39%	6%	13%	8%	5%	549
45-49	21%	4%	44%	5%	11%	10%	3%	385
50-54	25%	7%	49%	4%	6%	9%	1%	357
55-59	21%	7%	46%	6%	13%	7%	1%	279
60-65	17%	7%	53%	7%	8%	4%	3%	284
65 and Up	25%	6%	41%	8%	6%	9%	5%	401
Total	25%	9%	39%	6%	9%	8%	3%	5,240

Q13: How much would you say the quality of education provided by Delaware's K-12 public schools differs from school district to school district?

Age Group	A great deal	Quite a lot	Not too much	Not at all	Don't know	No answer	Respondents
Refused	32%	17%	20%	2%	17%	11%	849
18-24	17%	27%	34%	1%	20%	1%	791
25-29	29%	27%	19%	2%	20%	3%	449
30-34	29%	23%	19%	0%	26%	3%	476
35-39	28%	27%	18%	2%	21%	3%	420
40-44	25%	30%	18%	1%	19%	6%	549
45-49	29%	35%	13%	1%	19%	3%	385
50-54	25%	34%	22%	1%	15%	3%	357
55-59	17%	33%	25%	1%	23%	1%	279
60-65	19%	31%	25%	0%	23%	2%	284
65 and Up	19%	30%	17%	1%	30%	4%	401
Total	24%	28%	22%	1%	21%	4%	5,240

Q14: On a scale of 0 to 10, how likely are you to recommend Delaware's public schools to a friend with school age children moving to Delaware?

Age Group	Promoters	Passives	Detractors	NPS	Respondents
Refused	16%	41%	43%	-27%	694
18-24	16%	34%	49%	-33%	741
25-29	18%	31%	51%	-33%	413
30-34	19%	37%	44%	-25%	428
35-39	23%	31%	46%	-23%	378
40-44	24%	34%	43%	-19%	480
45-49	23%	35%	42%	-18%	352
50-54	19%	36%	46%	-27%	340
55-59	17%	44%	40%	-23%	270
60-65	13%	44%	42%	-29%	266
65 and Up	18%	27%	55%	-36%	362
Total	19%	35%	46%	-28%	4,724

2. Familiarity with Public Schools

Q6: What effects do you think charter schools have had on public education in Delaware?					
Familiarity	Negative	No Effect	Positive	Don't Know	Respondents
Familiar	15%	11%	52%	21%	2,479
Somewhat familiar	15%	9%	46%	31%	1,490
Not familiar	6%	4%	37%	53%	1,009
No answer	14%	0%	83%	3%	13
State	14%	9%	48%	29%	4,991

Q7: When considering Delaware public schools what is your primary expectation of public schools?										
Familiarity	All Three	College	Citizen	Citizen & College	College & Job	Don't know	Job	No Answer	Other	Respondents
Familiar	15%	3%	14%	43%	0%	3%	15%	1%	6%	2,580
Somewhat familiar	11%	2%	16%	36%	0%	2%	24%	1%	7%	1,530
Not familiar	19%	1%	11%	26%	0%	20%	15%	6%	3%	1,087
No answer	1%	0%	8%	20%	1%	2%	7%	62%	0%	43
State	14%	2%	14%	38%	0%	6%	17%	3%	6%	5,240

Q8: What grade would you give Delaware's public schools?							
Familiarity	A	B	C	D	F	U	Respondents
Familiar	9%	37%	35%	11%	5%	4%	2,580
Somewhat familiar	5%	42%	38%	9%	1%	5%	1,530
Not familiar	10%	25%	25%	5%	1%	33%	1,087
No answer	12%	2%	21%	0%	1%	65%	43
State	8%	36%	34%	9%	3%	10%	5,240

Q9 was a subset for total so when divided into further categories the sample size was statistically insufficient.

Q10: When you think about public schools in Delaware, over the past five years, would you say that schools have improved, gotten worse or stayed the same?						
Familiarity	Improved	Same	Worse	Don't know	No Answer	Respondents
Familiar	35%	27%	25%	11%	2%	2,580
Somewhat familiar	28%	23%	21%	26%	2%	1,530
Not familiar	28%	13%	9%	44%	7%	1,087
No answer	7%	17%	7%	3%	68%	43
State	31%	24%	21%	21%	3%	5,240

Q11: If parents could choose their child's teacher, what do you think would be the most important factor for them in choosing the best possible teacher for their child?								
Familiarity	Caring	Experience	Well-Versed	State Tests	All	Other	Unknown	Respondents
Familiar	26%	10%	39%	7%	10%	7%	2%	2,580
Somewhat familiar	24%	8%	47%	6%	6%	6%	2%	1,530
Not familiar	23%	10%	28%	6%	13%	12%	8%	1,087
No answer	17%	1%	8%	0%	1%	5%	69%	43
State	25%	9%	39%	6%	9%	8%	4%	5,240

Q13: How much would you say the quality of education provided by Delaware's K-12 public schools differs from school district to school district?

Familiarity	A great deal	Quite a lot	Not too much	Not at all	Don't know	No answer	Respondents
Familiar	27%	32%	23%	1%	14%	3%	2,580
Somewhat familiar	18%	31%	25%	1%	23%	2%	1,530
Not familiar	26%	11%	13%	1%	40%	9%	1,087
No answer	27%	14%	1%	0%	2%	56%	43
State	24%	28%	22%	1%	21%	4%	5,240

Q14: On a scale of 0 to 10, how likely are you to recommend Delaware's public schools to a friend with school age children moving to Delaware?

Familiarity	Promoters	Passives	Detractors	NPS	Respondents
Familiar	21%	36%	44%	-23%	2,438
Somewhat familiar	14%	38%	48%	-34%	1,461
Not familiar	20%	28%	52%	-32%	816
No answer	26%	35%	39%	-14%	9
State	19%	35%	46%	-27%	4,724

3. Current Parents of Students in Public, Private, or Charter Schools

Q6: What effect do you think charter schools have had on public education in Delaware?

	Child Public	Child Charter	Child Private	No Child in School	Totals
Negative	16%	5%	8%	14%	14%
No effect	13%	10%	6%	8%	9%
Positive	42%	75%	68%	47%	48%
Don't Know	29%	10%	18%	32%	29%
Respondents	1,204	212	118	3,317	4,991

Q7: When considering Delaware public schools what is your primary expectations of public schools?

	Child Public	Child Charter	Child Private	No Child in School	Totals
All Three	16%	11%	12%	14%	14%
Citizen	13%	14%	11%	15%	14%
College	44%	49%	46%	35%	38%
Job	13%	13%	20%	19%	17%
Other Answer	13%	14%	13%	18%	16%
Respondents	1,248	215	123	3,510	5,240

Q8: What grade would you give Delaware's Public Schools?					
	Child Public	Child Charter	Child Private	No Child in School	Totals
A	13%	6%	1%	7%	8%
B	42%	31%	9%	36%	36%
C	31%	40%	49%	34%	34%
D	7%	13%	23%	9%	9%
F	3%	8%	12%	2%	3%
Unknown	4%	2%	5%	12%	10%
Respondents	1,248	215	123	3,510	5,240

Q9 was a subset for total so when divided into further categories the sample size was statistically insufficient.

Q10: When you think about public schools in Delaware, over the past five years, would you say that schools have improved, gotten worse or stayed the same?					
	Child Public	Child Charter	Child Private	No Child in School	Totals
Improved	38%	31%	16%	30%	31%
Same	26%	22%	29%	22%	24%
Worse	22%	26%	38%	20%	21%
Other	14%	21%	18%	28%	24%
Respondents	1,248	215	123	3,510	5,240

Q11: If parents could choose their child's teacher, what do you think would be the most important factors for them in choosing the best possible teacher for their child?					
	Child Public	Child Charter	Child Private	No Child in School	Totals
Caring	27%	21%	29%	24%	25%
Experience	9%	6%	6%	10%	9%
Well-Versed	39%	34%	41%	40%	39%
State Tests	6%	14%	4%	6%	6%
All of Above	12%	14%	10%	9%	9%
Other	8%	12%	11%	12%	11%
Respondents	1,248	215	123	3,510	5,240

Q13: How much would you say the quality of education provided by Delaware's public schools differs from school district to school district?					
	Child Public	Child Charter	Child Private	No Child in School	Totals
A great deal	28%	24%	34%	23%	24%
Quite a lot	32%	40%	27%	26%	28%
Not too much	20%	25%	20%	23%	22%
Not at all	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%
Don't Know	17%	8%	15%	23%	21%
No Answer	3%	2%	3%	5%	4%
Respondents	1,248	215	123	3,510	5,240

Q14: On a scale of 0 to 10, how likely are you to recommend Delaware's public schools to a friend with school age children moving to Delaware?					
	Child Public	Child Charter	Child Private	No Child in School	Totals
Detractors	38%	46%	75%	48%	46%
Passives	37%	32%	20%	36%	35%
Promoters	26%	22%	5%	17%	19%
NPS	-12%	-24%	-69%	-31%	-27%
Respondents	1,177	202	116	3,091	4,724

4. Current Public School Employees

Q6: What effect do you think charter schools have had on public education in Delaware?					
	Pub Schl Emp	Non Schl Emp	Refused	No Answer	Totals
Negative	30%	12%	8%	14%	14%
No effect	11%	9%	12%	8%	9%
Positive	44%	47%	53%	47%	48%
Don't Know	15%	32%	27%	32%	29%
Respondents	201	4,563	51	176	4,991

Q7: When considering Delaware public schools what are your primary expectations of public schools?					
	Pub Schl Emp	Non Schl Emp	Refused	No Answer	Totals
All Three	15%	15%	13%	6%	14%
Citizen	26%	13%	21%	19%	14%
College	31%	39%	40%	30%	38%
Job	13%	18%	12%	17%	17%
Other Answer	14%	16%	15%	29%	16%
Respondents	205	4,763	54	218	5,240

Q8: What grade would you give Delaware's Public Schools?					
	Pub Schl Emp	Non Schl Emp	Refused	No Answer	Totals
A	10%	9%	3%	0%	8%
B	45%	37%	37%	17%	36%
C	34%	33%	48%	39%	34%
D	7%	8%	8%	25%	9%
F	3%	3%	3%	11%	3%
Unknown	1%	10%	2%	9%	10%
Respondents	205	4,763	54	218	5,240

Q9 was a subset for total so when divided into further categories the sample size was statistically insufficient.

Q10: When you think about public schools in Delaware, over the past five years, would you say that schools have improved, gotten worse or stayed the same?

	Pub Schl Emp	Non Schl Emp	Refused	No Answer	Totals
Improved	43%	32%	38%	16%	31%
Same	22%	23%	25%	35%	24%
Worse	26%	20%	15%	34%	21%
Other	10%	26%	23%	15%	24%
Respondents	205	4,763	54	218	5,240

Q11: If parents could choose their child's teacher, what do you think would be the most important factors for them in choosing the best possible teacher for their child?

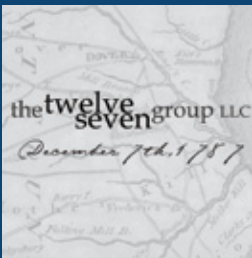
	Pub Schl Emp	Non Schl Emp	Refused	No Answer	Totals
Caring	28%	24%	43%	21%	25%
Experience	11%	10%	11%	3%	9%
Well-Versed	36%	40%	26%	39%	39%
State Tests	4%	6%	5%	8%	6%
All of Above	9%	10%	0%	6%	9%
Other	12%	10%	16%	23%	11%
Respondents	205	4,763	54	218	5,240

Q13: How much would you say the quality of education provided by Delaware's public schools differs from school district to school district?

	Pub Schl Emp	Non Schl Emp	Refused	No Answer	Totals
A great deal	26%	24%	8%	24%	24%
Quite a lot	36%	26%	41%	43%	28%
Not too much	26%	22%	17%	13%	22%
Not at all	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%
Don't Know	11%	22%	31%	12%	21%
No Answer	1%	4%	3%	6%	4%
Respondents	205	4,763	54	218	5,240

Q14: On a scale of 0 to 10, how likely are you to recommend Delaware's public schools to a friend with school age children moving to Delaware?

	Pub Schl Emp	Non Schl Emp	Refused	No Answer	Totals
Detractors	33%	45%	50%	68%	46%
Passives	41%	36%	39%	24%	35%
Promoters	26%	19%	11%	8%	19%
NPS	-8%	-26%	-38%	-60%	-27%
Respondents	197	4,291	50	186	4,724



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