



Spring 2013 School Administrator Questionnaire Questionnaire A

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Use a black or blue ball point pen to complete this questionnaire.

RETURN THIS COMPLETED QUESTIONNAIRE DIRECTLY TO YOUR SCHOOL COORDINATOR OR AN ECLS-K:2011 STAFF MEMBER. <u>DO NOT MAIL</u> THIS QUESTIONNAIRE UNLESS YOU ARE ASKED TO DO SO BY STUDY STAFF AND ARE PROVIDED WITH AN ENVELOPE FOR MAILING.



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The collection of information in this survey is authorized by 20 U.S. Code, Section 9541. Participation is voluntary. You may skip questions you do not wish to answer; however, we hope that you will answer as many questions as you can. Your responses are protected from disclosure by federal statute (20 U.S. Code, Section 9573). All responses that relate to or describe identifiable characteristics of individuals may be used only for statistical purposes and may not be disclosed, or used, in identifiable form for any other purpose except as required by law. Data will be combined to produce statistical reports. No individual data that links your name, address, telephone number, or identification number with your responses will be included in the statistical reports.





Dear School Administrator,

This questionnaire is an important part of a major longitudinal study of children's early educational experiences beginning with kindergarten and continuing through grade 5. You have received this questionnaire because one or more of the children in your school are participants in this study.

This questionnaire contains several brief sections:

- a) School characteristics
- b) School facilities and resources
- c) School-family-community connections
- d) School policies and practices
- e) School programs for particular populations
- f) Federal programs: Title I, Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP), and Title III (if applicable)
- g) Staffing and teacher characteristics
- h) School administrator characteristics

This information is vital to the study. Please feel free to ask other knowledgeable members of your staff to provide the information necessary to complete various sections of the questionnaire. However, we ask that you, yourself, please complete the final section, which is about your own background and characteristics. Taking part in the study is voluntary. You may stop at any time or choose not to answer a question you do not want to answer. Although we realize you are very busy, we urge you to complete this questionnaire as completely and accurately as possible. The information you provide is being collected for research purposes only and will be protected from disclosure to the fullest extent allowable by law (Education Sciences Reform Act of 2002, 20 U.S.C. § 9573). Information from multiple individuals will be combined to produce statistical reports; no information that identifies you will be included in any reports or provided to students, their parents, or other school staff.

Please record your answers directly on the questionnaire by marking the appropriate answer (as described in the instructions on page 6) or by writing your responses in the space provided. Your best estimates are acceptable answers.

DEFINITIONS

For the purposes of this study, the following definitions apply:

- Kindergarten: Traditional year of school primarily for 5-year-olds prior to first grade.
- <u>Transitional (or readiness) kindergarten</u>: Extra year of school for kindergarten-age eligible children who are judged not ready for kindergarten.
- <u>Transitional first (or prefirst) grade</u>: Extra year of school for children who have attended kindergarten but have been judged not ready for first grade.
- <u>Ungraded</u>: A classroom containing children with an age span of two or more years, not formally identified by grade(s).



Special programs. Reference is made in this questionnaire to Title I and Title III programs, individualized education programs (IEP), individualized family service plans (IFSP), Section 504 plans, and Response to Intervention (RtI). For this study, the following definitions apply:

- <u>Title I: "Improving the Academic Achievement of the Disadvantaged."</u> Title I is a program of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) of 1965, as reauthorized under the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001. The purpose of this program is to ensure that all children have a fair, equal, and significant opportunity to obtain a high-quality education and reach, at a minimum, proficiency on state academic achievement standards and state academic assessments.
- <u>Title III: "Language Instruction for Limited English Proficient and Immigrant Students."</u> Title III is a program of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) of 1965, as reauthorized under the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001. One of the main purposes of this program is to help ensure that children who have limited proficiency in English, including immigrant children and youth, attain English proficiency, develop high levels of academic attainment in English, and meet the same state academic content and student academic achievement standards as all students are expected to meet.
- Individualized Education Program (IEP): A written statement of the educational program designed to
 meet the individual needs of a school-aged child with a disability that is judged to affect the child's
 educational performance. Children who receive special education services under the Individuals with
 Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) are expected to have an IEP or an IFSP.
- Individualized Family Service Plan (IFSP): A written statement of the educational program and other services designed to enhance the family's capacity to meet the developmental needs of an infant or toddler (preschool-aged) with a disability. The plan includes a description of the appropriate services needed to assist transition into elementary school.
- <u>Section 504 plan</u>: A written plan to provide appropriate services to a child with a disability, whether or not the disability is judged to affect the child's educational performance. Speech therapy services may often be specified as part of a Section 504 plan.
- Response to Intervention (RtI): A multi-step approach to providing early and progressively intensive intervention and monitoring within the general education setting. In principle, RtI begins with research-based instruction and behavioral support provided to students in the general education classroom, followed by screening of all students to identify those who may need systematic progress monitoring, intervention, or support. Students who are not responding to the general education curriculum and instruction are provided with increasingly intensive interventions through a "tiered" system, and they are regularly monitored to assess their progress and inform the choice of future interventions, including possibly special education for students determined to have a disability.

Language. Reference is made to English language learners (ELL), as well as to instructional programs for ELL students in this questionnaire. For this study, the following definitions apply:

- <u>Language-minority (LM) student</u>: A student in whose home a non-English language typically is spoken.
 This group includes students whose English is fluent enough to benefit from instruction in academic subjects offered in English as well as students who are English language learners.
- English language learner (ELL): A student whose native language is one other than English and whose skills in listening, speaking, reading, or writing English are such that he or she has difficulty understanding school instruction in English.



TYPES OF LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS (LIEPs)

Programs that focus on developing students' literacy in two languages

- Two-way immersion program (TWI) or two-way bilingual program: The goal of these programs is to develop strong skills and proficiency in both students' home language and English. These programs may also be called dual language programs. These programs include students whose native language is not English (but who all speak the same non-English language) and students whose native language is English. Instruction is provided in both languages, typically starting with a smaller proportion of instruction in English, and gradually moving to half of the instruction in each language. Students typically stay in these programs throughout elementary school.
- Developmental bilingual program, late exit transitional program, or maintenance bilingual education program: The goal of these programs is to develop some skills and proficiency in students' home language and strong skills and proficiency in English. Content is taught in both languages by teachers fluent in both languages. These programs may also be called dual language programs. Instruction at lower grades is in the students' home language with a gradual transition to English. Students typically transition into mainstream classrooms with their English-speaking peers. The programs can vary in the focus placed on acquiring literacy in students' home language, but students generally do continue to receive some degree of support in their home language after the transition to English classrooms.
- Transitional program, early exit bilingual program, or early exit transitional program: The goal of these programs is to develop English proficiency skills as soon as possible, without delaying learning of academic core content. Instruction begins in students' home language but rapidly moves to English. Students typically are transitioned into mainstream classrooms with their English-speaking peers as soon as possible.
- Heritage language program or indigenous language program: The goal of these programs is to develop literacy in two languages. Content is taught in both languages by teachers fluent in both languages.
 These programs typically target non-English speakers with weak literacy skills in their home language.

Programs that focus on developing students' literacy solely in English

- Sheltered English instruction or content-based English as a Second Language (ESL) program: The goal of
 these programs is to develop proficiency in English while learning content in an all-English setting.
 Students from various linguistic and cultural backgrounds can be in the same class. Instruction is adapted
 to students' proficiency in English and is supported by visual aids and support in the students' home
 languages as available. Fully developed prototypes of this program include Sheltered Instruction
 Observational Protocol (SIOP) and Specially Designed Academic Instruction in English (SDAIE).
- <u>Structured English Immersion (SEI):</u> The goal of SEI is to develop fluency in English. This program usually serves only English language learners. All instruction is in English, though the instruction is adjusted to the English proficiency level of students so subject matter is comprehensible. Teachers may have some receptive skills in the students' home language(s) and generally use sheltered instructional techniques.
- <u>Pull-out English as a Second Language (ESL) or English Language Development (ELD):</u> The goal of
 these programs is to develop fluency in English. ELL students leave their mainstream classroom for part
 of the day to receive ESL instruction, which generally focuses on grammar, vocabulary, and
 communication skills, not academic content. There typically is no support provided for students' home
 languages.
- <u>Push-in English as a Second Language (ESL) program:</u> The goal of push-in ESL is to develop fluency in English. Students receive ESL instruction in a mainstream classroom, with instruction in English with some native language support if needed. The ESL teacher or an instructional aide provides clarification, translation if needed, and uses ESL strategies.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR HELP.

¹ National Clearinghouse for English Language Acquisition. (n.d.). Types of language instruction educational programs (LIEPs). Retrieved [January 6, 2012] from http://www.ncela.gwu.edu/files/uploads/5/Language Instruction Educational Programs.pdf.



MARKING DIRECTIONS

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AND USE A BLACK OR BLUE BALL POINT PEN TO COMPLETE THIS QUESTIONNAIRE. DO NOT USE PENCIL OR FELT-TIP PEN.

MARKING BOXES

It is important that you mark an "X" in the box next to your answers and print clearly.

Shown below is the correct way to mark your answers, along with examples of incorrect ways.

Correct Mark:



Incorrect Marks:

Light and thin, outside the box, thick or scrawled.



How to Change an Answer:

Completely black out the box of the incorrect answer and mark an "X" in the box next to the correct answer.



PRINTING ANSWERS IN BOXES

Answers should be printed clearly and should not touch or cross any of the box lines. Do not cross zeroes or sevens. That is, do not write a zero with a line through it like this – θ , and do not write a seven with a line through it like this – 7.

Write one number per box like this:

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0

Write words like this:

John Smith



SECTION A. SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

A 1.	How many days are children required to attend school this academic year? $\it WBELOW$.	RITE IN NUMBER
	Number of school days	
A2.	What are the start and end dates for this school for the 2012-2013 school year AND DAY.	? WRITE IN MONTH
	START DAY YEAR	
	END MONTH DAY YEAR	
A 3.	School enrollment. WRITE IN THE APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF CHILDREN F FOLLOWING. IF NO CHILDREN HAVE LEFT OR ENROLLED IN YOUR SCHOOL SCHOOL YEAR, WRITE "0" ON THE APPLICABLE LINE.	
		Number of children
	Total enrollment in your school around October 1, 2012, or the date nearest to that for which data are available	
	b. Number of children who have enrolled in your school since October 1, 2012	
	c. Number of children who have left your school since October 1, 2012, and have not returned	
A4 .	Approximately what is the <u>Average Daily Attendance</u> for your school this year PERCENT OR NUMBER BELOW. TO CALCULATE PERCENT, DIVIDE THE NUI STUDENTS ATTENDING ON AN AVERAGE DAY BY THE NUMBER OF STUDEN AND THEN MULTIPLY BY 100.	MBER OF
	% Average Daily Attendance That is, number of students attending on an average day number of students enrolled	X 100
	OR	
	Average Number Attending Daily	



A5.	Mark all grade levels included in your school THIS QUESTIONNAIRE FOR DEFINITIONS OF TYPES.		
	Ungraded	1st	7th
	Prekindergarten	2nd	☐ 8th
	Transitional (or readiness) kindergarten	3rd	☐ 9th
	Kindergarten	4th	☐ 10th
	Transitional first (or prefirst) grade	5th	11th
		6th	12th
A6.	Which of the following characterizes your scl	nool? MARK ALL TH.	AT APPLY.
	Regular public school (not including magnet	school)	
	Public magnet school		
	Charter school		
	Catholic school		
	Diocesan		
	Parish		
	Private order		
	Other private school, religious affiliation		
	Private school affiliated with NAIS, no religion	ous affiliation	
	Other private school, no religious or NAIS at	filiation	
	Early Childhood Center (school/center include	des preschool and/or e	early grades)
	Special education school – primarily serves	children with disabilitie	es
	Year-round school		
	Bureau of Indian Education (BIE) or tribal so	hool	
	IF YOU MARKED "CHARTER SCHOO IF YOU DID NOT MARK "CHARTER S		·
A7.	In what year did this school start providing i IN YEAR BELOW.	nstruction as a publi	c CHARTER school? WRITE
	Year		
A8.	Which of the following characterizes your pu	ıblic CHARTER scho	ol? MARK ONE RESPONSE.
	For profit		
	Not for profit		



A9. Approximately what percentage of the children in your school belongs to each of the following racial/ethnic groups? COMPLETE EITHER THE NUMBER OR PERCENT COLUMN. ENTER "0" IF YOUR SCHOOL HAS NO CHILDREN IN THAT RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUP. THE NUMBER COLUMN SHOULD ADD TO YOUR TOTAL SCHOOL ENROLLMENT OR THE PERCENT COLUMN SHOULD ADD TO 100%

	ADL	10 100%.	Number of children	OR	Percent
	a.	Hispanic/Latino of any race			%
	b.	American Indian or Alaska Native, not Hispanic or Latino			%
	C.	Asian, not Hispanic or Latino			%
	d.	Black or African American, not Hispanic or Latino			 %
	e.	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, not Hispanic or Latino			%
	f.	White, not Hispanic or Latino			%
	g.	Two or more races, not Hispanic or Latino			\\
	h.	Total school enrollment (sum of a through g)			100%
A10. A11.		If your school is a private, magnet, or charter school	ool attend from <u>c</u>	outsid	e of this school's
	assi	gned attendance area because WRITE IN PERCENT	'AGES BELOW. II Perce		E, WRITE "0." Don't know
	a.	They have special needs (gifted and talented, children w disabilities, etc.) and attend to receive a specialized progor service?	ith	9	
	b.	They transferred into the school because their previous school did not make adequate yearly progress (AYP)? (Adequate yearly progress is your state's measure of year progress toward achieving state academic standards.)	arly	9	6
	C.	They attend this school under public school choice for reasons other than their assigned school did not make A' (that is, excluding those who are reported in b)?	YP	9	6 🗌
A12.		ut what percentage of the children enrolled in this sche lunch? WRITE IN PERCENTAGE BELOW. IF NONE,		for fre	e or reduced-



A13. What time does school officially start in the morning? WRITE IN TIME BELOW.





B2.

SECTION B. SCHOOL FACILITIES AND RESOURCES

B1. In general, how adequate are each of the following school facilities for meeting the needs of the children in your school? MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW.

	Do not have	Never adequate	Often not adequate	Sometimes not adequate	Always adequate
a. Cafeteria					
b. Computer lab					
c. Library/media center					
d. Art room					
e. Gymnasium					
f. Music room					
g. Playground					
h. Classrooms					
i. Auditorium					
j. Multi-purpose room					
How many children is this scho		gned to acco	ommodate?	WRITE IN NUME	BER BELOW.
Number of child	II CI I				



SECTION C. SCHOOL-FAMILY-COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

		Yes	No
a.	Before-school child care		
b.	After-school child care		
C.	Hearing screening		
d.	Vision screening		
	? Please include programs run by the school and those run by ou NO ON EACH ROW.		
On	NO ON EACH ROW.	Yes	<u>No</u>
	Parenting education programs (for example, classes on child development, education in being a parent, understanding children	Yes	No
a.	Parenting education programs (for example, classes on child	Yes	No
a.	Parenting education programs (for example, classes on child development, education in being a parent, understanding children with special needs)	Yes	<u>No</u>
a. b.	Parenting education programs (for example, classes on child development, education in being a parent, understanding children with special needs) Adult literacy program (including Adult Basic Education)	Yes	No D D D D D D D D D D D D D D D D D D
a. b. c.	Parenting education programs (for example, classes on child development, education in being a parent, understanding children with special needs) Adult literacy program (including Adult Basic Education) Family literacy program Health or social services offered collaboratively by service	Yes	No
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C3.	Please indicate how often each of the following activities is provided by your school.	MARK ONE
	RESPONSE ON FACH ROW	

	_	Never	Once a year	2 to 3 times a year	4 to 6 times a year	7 or more times a year
a.	PTA, PTO, or Parent-Teacher-Student organization meetings					
b.	Reports (report cards) of child's performance provided to parents					
C.	Information on the child's standardized assessment scores provided to parents					
d.	Teacher-parent conferences					
e.	School performances to which parents are invited					
f.	Classroom programs like class plays, boo nights, or family math nights	ok 🔲				

C4. Indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about the school's community and parents. MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW.

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree
Parents are actively involved in this school's programs.					
 The community served by this school is supportive of its goals and activities. 					
c. Parents of children in this school are welcome to observe classes any time they are in session.					



C5.	How much of a problem are the following in the neighborhood where this school is located?	MARK
	ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW	

	Big problem	Somewhat of a problem	No problem	Don't know
Tensions based on racial, ethnic, or religious differences				
 Selling or using drugs or excessive drinking in public 				
c. Gangs				
d. Vacant houses and buildings				
e. Crime in the neighborhood				
f. Violence in the neighborhood				

C6.	To the best of your knowledge how often do the following types of problems occur at your school?
	MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW.

		Happens daily	Happens at least once a week	Happens at least once a month	Happens on occasion	Never happens
a.	Children bringing weapons to school					
b.	Theft					
C.	Physical conflicts among students					
d.	Children bringing in or using alcohol at school					
e.	Children bringing in or using illegal drugs at school					
f.	Vandalism of school property					
g.	Student bullying					
h.	Widespread disorder in classrooms					
i.	Class cutting					

C7.	Does your school take either of the following measures to ensure the safety of children?
	MARK YES OR NO ON EACH ROW.

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a.	Security guards		
b.	Metal detectors		



C9.

C8. To what extent is each of the following matters a problem in this school? Indicate whether each is a SERIOUS problem, a MODERATE problem, a MINOR problem, or NOT a problem in this school. MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW.

		Serious problem	Moderate problem	Minor problem	Not a problem
a.	Student tardiness				
b.	Student absenteeism				
C.	Student aggressive or disruptive behavior	. 🔲			
d.	Teacher absenteeism				
e.	Teacher turnover				
f.	Overcrowding				
	ing the past year, to what extent did any RK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW.	of the follo Not at all	wing changes Small extent	occur at your Moderate extent	school? Large extent
a.	Funding levels decreased				
b.	Enrollment increased				
C.	Enrollment decreased				
d.	The number of students receiving free or reduced-price lunch increased				
e.	Student mobility increased (that is, the number of students transferring in and out of the school increased)				
f.	There has been a reduction in staffing				
g.	Class sizes increased				
h.	Class sizes decreased				
i.	Salaries increased				
j.	Salaries decreased				
k.	Number of English language learners increased				



C10. During the past year, did any of the following changes occur at your <u>school</u>? MARK YES OR NO ON EACH ROW.

		Yes	No
a.	Salaries were frozen		
b.	Changes were made to the school's assigned attendance area (IF YOURS IS A PRIVATE, CHARTER, OR MAGNET SCHOOL, PLEASE SKIP ITEM b.)		



SECTION D. SCHOOL POLICIES AND PRACTICES

prac	ctices or policies? MARK TRUE OR FALSE ON EACH ROW.	True	False
a.	This school has a formal retention policy.		
b.	Children can be retained for maturational reasons (for example, social/emotional immaturity).		
C.	Children can be retained at the request of their parents.		
d.	Children can be retained due to academic deficiencies (for example, below grade level).		
e.	Children can be retained due to failing a school-wide standardized test.		
f.	Children can be retained more than once in each grade.		
g.	Children can be retained without their parents' permission.		
h.	Children with disabilities can be retained.		
i.	Children can be retained in kindergarten.		
	w many first-grade children were retained at their current grade le ITE NUMBER BELOW. IF NONE, WRITE "0." Number of first-grade children retained last year	evel last sch	ool year?



D5.	Beha	school-wide positive behavio avioral Support, Positive Beh RK ONE RESPONSE.							
	=	Yes No							
D6.		each of the following stateme sagree. MARK ONE RESPON			and MATH, i	ndicate h	now strongl	y you agı	ee
	Fo	r READING	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Don't know	
	a.	This school has a set of clear, predetermined, grade-level benchmarks (that is, cut scores, goals/targets, or percentiles) that are used to determine which students are struggling or at risk of failure in READING.							
	b.	At this school, we use data from screening tests to determine if core instruction in READING is meeting the needs of most of our students.							
	Fo	r MATH							
	C.	This school has a set of clear, predetermined, grade-level benchmarks (that is, cut scores, goals/targets, or percentiles) that are used to determine which students are struggling or at risk of failure in MATH.							
	d.	At this school, we use data from screening tests to determine if core instruction in MATH is meeting the needs of most of our students.							



D7.		Response to Intervention (Rti) currently fully implemented? MARK ONE RESPO		nool in <u>second gra</u>	ide, either partially
	PR	SPONSE TO INTERVENTION (RTI) IS A OGRESSIVELY INTENSIVE INTERVENT UCATION SETTING. SEE PAGE 4 FOR	TION AND MONITO	DRING WITHIN TH	
	=	Yes			
	Ш	No (SKIP TO Q E1)			
D8.		Rtl currently implemented at your scho SPONSE ON EACH ROW.	ool in <u>second grad</u>	e in the following	areas? MARK ONE
			Yes, fully implemented in second grade	Yes, partially implemented in second grade	No, not implemented in second grade
	a.	Math			
	b.	Reading			
	C.	Writing			
	d.	Behavior/Social skills			
D9.		proximately how many years ago did yeny subject? MARK ONE RESPONSE.	our school begin	implementing RtI	in <u>second grade</u>
		Less than 1 year ago			
		1 to 2 years ago			
		More than 2 years ago			
D10.	par	the 2012-2013 school year, how has yents/guardians to help them understance. RK ALL THAT APPLY.			
	a.	Communication through written material newsletters	ls such as letters, e	mail, school websi	te, or
	b.	Communication through workshops, disc PTA meetings	cussion groups, or o	other meetings suc	h as
	C.	Communication through individual meet	ings with parents o	r phone calls	
	d.	Information is not distributed on this topi	ic		



SECTION E. SCHOOL PROGRAMS FOR PARTICULAR POPULATIONS

Language-Minority Students and Families

E1.	Do any of the children in this school come from a home where a language other than English is spoken? MARK ONE RESPONSE.
	Yes No (SKIP TO Q E5)
E2.	What percentage of children in this school and in <u>second grade</u> are English language learners (ELL)?
	SEE PAGES 4 AND 5 FOR DEFINITIONS RELATED TO LANGUAGE. WRITE IN THE PERCENTAGES BELOW.
	% ELL among all students in school
	% ELL among all students in second grade
E3.	Please indicate what type(s) of specialized language instruction is provided to second-grade English language learners in your school. MARK ALL THAT APPLY.
	EXAMPLES OF THE PROGRAMS INCLUDED IN EACH CATEGORY ARE PROVIDED BELOW. SEE PAGE 5 FOR DEFINITIONS OF THESE EXAMPLES.
	Programs that focus on developing students' literacy in two languages. For example:
	 Two-way immersion program or two-way bilingual program Developmental bilingual program, late exit transitional program, or maintenance bilingual education program
	 Transitional program, early exit bilingual program, or early exit transitional program Heritage language program or indigenous language program
	Programs that focus on developing students' literacy solely in English. For example:
	 Sheltered English instruction or content-based English as a Second Language (ESL) program
	Structured English Immersion (SEI)
	 Pull-out English as a Second Language (ESL) or English Language Development (ELD) Push-in ESL program
	Other program(s) (PLEASE SPECIFY)
	No specialized language program is provided to <u>second-grade</u> English language learners or
	there are no second-grade English language learners in this school.



E4.		any of the following services provided to families of children frou uage other than English is spoken? MARK YES OR NO ON EAR		ds where a
			Yes	No
	a.	Translators are made available to parents for parent/teacher and parent/school staff meetings and/or meetings are conducted in the parents' non-English language.		
	b.	Translations of written communications are provided to these families.		
	C.	Home visits are made to families of these children.		
	d.	An outreach worker assists in enrolling these children when first entering school.		
	e.	The school conducts special parent meetings for families from a non-English background.		
E5.	Sinc	th Special Needs te the beginning of this school year (2012-2013), how many studented at your school to determine if they are eligible for an IEF Total number of newly evaluated students at your school		
E6.	2013	nose students who have been NEWLY evaluated at your schools), how many were found eligible for an IEP, including those weech only? WRITE NUMBER IN BOX.		
		Total number of newly evaluated students found eligible a	at your school	
E7.	stuc	nt method(s) are used in your school to determine special educations with learning disabilities? MARK YES OR NO ON EACH FOR THESE METHODS IS USED AT YOUR SCHOOL, MARK YES FOR	ROW. IF A CO	MBINATION
			Yes	No
	a.	IQ-achievement discrepancy model which shows whether there is a discrepancy between <i>expected</i> performance and <i>actual</i> performance		
	b.	Response to Intervention (RtI) model		



E9.

E8. Approximately what percentage of your <u>second-graders</u> are in each of the following instructional programs? WRITE PERCENTAGES IN BOXES. IF NONE, WRITE "0" AND INDICATE IF THE PROGRAM IS NOT OFFERED IN <u>SECOND GRADE</u> OR IN ANY GRADE IN YOUR SCHOOL.

	Percent	Not offered in second grade	Not offered in any grade
Special education with an Individualized Education Program (IEP)	<u> </u>		
b. Receive accommodations through a 504 plan	<u> </u>		
 Reading instruction for students performing below grade level in reading 	<u> </u>		
d. Math instruction for students performing below grade level in math	<u> </u>		
e. A gifted and talented program	<u> </u>		
Where are children with Individualized Education MARK ONE RESPONSE.	on Programs (IE	Ps) typically serve	ed in this school?
Children with IEPs are not served in this school	ol.		
Children with IEPs typically spend most of their	r day in separate	classes.	
Children with IEPs typically spend most of their	r day in the regula	ar classroom.	



SECTION F. FEDERAL PROGRAMS: TITLE I, ADEQUATE YEARLY PROGRESS, AND TITLE III 1

The following items pertain to public schools only.
IF YOURS IS A PRIVATE SCHOOL CHECK HERE. (SKIP TO Q G1)
<u>itle I Funding and Programs</u>
1. Did your school receive Federal Title I funds for this school year? MARK ONE RESPONSE.
Yes
No (SKIP TO Q F4)
PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING DEFINITIONS THAT ARE RELEVANT TO QUESTION F2 BELOW:
 A targeted assistance program uses Title I funds to provide supplemental academic services (usually in reading and/or math) to specific students, sometimes referred to as "Title I students," who have been identified as low achieving.
 A schoolwide program may use Title I funds to improve the quality of educational programs and services throughout the school. A school may use Title I funds for a schoolwide program if at least 40 percent of its students are from low-income families, or if it receives a waiver permitting it to operate a schoolwide program.
Is your school operating a Title I targeted assistance or schoolwide program? MARK ONE RESPONSE. Targeted assistance program Schoolwide program

¹ Title I and Title III and their accompanying requirements are programs of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA), as reauthorized by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001. See the introductory section of this questionnaire for more information on these programs.



	EAC	s your school use Title I funds for any of the following purposes? CH ROW.	<i>,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,</i>	ON TO ON
			Yes	<u>No</u>
	a.	To serve children in a pull-out setting		
	b.	To serve children in an in-class setting		
	C.	To reduce class sizes		
	d.	To provide extended time learning opportunities before and/or after school for children		
	e.	To provide professional development activities		
	f.	To provide family literacy services		
	g.	To provide summer learning opportunities		
	h.	To serve children in preschool		
Title II	l Fun	ding and Programs		
		Yes No (SKIP TO Q F6)		
F5.		s your school use Title III funds for any of the following purposes	? MARK YE	S OR NO ON
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Federal Requirements

го.	(AYP)? (Adequate Yearly Progress is your state's measure of yearly progress toward achieving state academic standards.) MARK ONE RESPONSE.			
	Yes (SKIP TO Q F9)			
	□ No			
	Not applicable (SKIP TO Q F9)			
F7.	At the end of the LAST school year (2011-2012), was this school identified for improvement due to Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) requirements? (A school is identified for improvement if it does not make Adequate Yearly Progress for two consecutive years or more in the same content area.) MARK ONE RESPONSE.			
	Yes			
	No (SKIP TO Q F9)			



F9.

F8. Please indicate in part 1 whether any of the following actions have taken place in your school in the past three years. For each action that you mark as having taken place, please indicate in part 2 whether the action took place at your school in response to being identified for improvement due to AYP requirements. MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW FOR PART 1. IF YES IS MARKED IN PART 1, MARK ONE RESPONSE IN PART 2 FOR THAT ROW.

		PART 1		PAR	Т 2
		Action taken place in the past three years?		in respons	1, was action se to being improvement?
		Yes	No	Yes	<u>No</u>
a.	Developed or revised a two-year school improvement plan				
b.	Offered students the choice to transfer to another public school				
C.	Offered supplemental educational services to students from low-income families				
d.	Replaced school staff				
e.	Implemented a new curriculum based on scientifically based research				
f.	Extended the school day or school year				
g.	Appointed an outside expert to advise the school on its progress toward making AYP				
h.	Reorganized the school (that is, significant changes were made to both the school's staffing and governance)				
i.	Offered professional development				
Doe	s this school have grade 3 students?	MARK ONE F	RESPONSE.		
ㅁ	No. (SKIP TO Q G1)				



F10. Based on recent state assessments, what percentage of the grade 3 students in your school in the PRIOR school year (2011-2012) scored "proficient" or above in the subjects in this table? Please also indicate the percentage of students scoring proficient or above that was needed to meet your AYP (Adequate Yearly Progress) goals for that school year. WRITE PERCENTAGES BELOW. IF THE AYP COLUMN IS NOT APPLICABLE FOR YOUR SCHOOL OR IF GRADE 3 STUDENTS IN YOUR SCHOOL DO NOT TAKE A STATE ASSESSMENT, WRITE "NA" IN THE APPROPRIATE COLUMN.

	Percentage of students whose achievement level was "proficient" or above in 2011-2012	Percentage required by AYP goals in 2011-2012
a. Reading/Language Arts	%	%
b. Mathematics	%	%
c. Science (WRITE NA IF NO STUDENTS WERE ASSESSED IN SCIENCE)	%	



SECTION G. STAFFING AND TEACHER CHARACTERISTICS

G1. Approximately how many staff members does your school currently have in the following categories?

PLEASE PROVIDE RESPONSES IN COLUMN (1) FOR STAFF MEMBERS WHO WORK FULL TIME AT YOUR SCHOOL AND IN COLUMN (2) FOR STAFF WHO WORK PART TIME AT YOUR SCHOOL. IF A STAFF MEMBER IS SHARED WITH OTHER SCHOOLS, COUNT THAT PERSON AS "PART TIME" IN YOUR SCHOOL.

PLACE EACH STAFF MEMBER IN ONLY ONE STAFF CATEGORY; IF A STAFF MEMBER FITS MORE THAN ONE CATEGORY, PICK THE CATEGORY MOST DESCRIPTIVE OF HIS/HER WORK.

WRITE NUMBERS IN BOXES. IF THERE ARE NO STAFF IN YOUR SCHOOL IN A CATEGORY, WRITE "0."

		(1)	(2)
		Number who work full time in your school	Number who work part time in your school
a.	Regular classroom teachers		
b.	ESL/bilingual education/language immersion/ELL instruction teachers		
C.	Drama, music, or art teachers		
d.	Gym/PE or health teachers		
e.	Special education teachers and related service providers (for example, speech therapist, physical therapist, adaptive physical education, etc.)		
f.	Teachers of gifted/talented students		
g.	Reading teachers, specialists, and interventionists		
h.	Math teachers, specialists, and interventionists		
i.	School nurses or health professionals		
j.	School psychologists or social workers		
k.	Guidance counselors		
I.	Paraprofessionals (for example, classroom aides)		
m.	Library media specialists/librarians		
n.	Computer/technology teachers or support staff		



G2.	Does your school currently have any staff members who do the following as their primary role
	or one of their primary roles? MARK YES OR NO ON EACH ROW. INCLUDE THOSE WHO ARE
	FULL- OR PART-TIME STAFF MEMBERS AT YOUR SCHOOL.

		Yes	No
a.	A school staff member who provides ongoing training or support to classroom teachers in the delivery of effective READING instruction		
b.	A school staff member who provides ongoing training or support to classroom teachers in the delivery of effective MATH instruction		
C.	A school staff member who provides ongoing training or support to classroom teachers in the delivery of effective behavioral supports		
d.	A school staff member who supports teachers in collecting, organizing, and managing assessment data		
e.	A school staff member who supports teachers in the interpretation and use of assessment data to guide instruction		

G3. Teacher mobility. WRITE IN THE APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF REGULAR CLASSROOM TEACHERS FOR EACH OF THE FOLLOWING. IF NO TEACHERS HAVE LEFT OR STARTED AT YOUR SCHOOL DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR, WRITE "0" ON THE APPLICABLE LINE.

	Number of teachers
Number of regular classroom teachers who have begun teaching in your school since October 1, 2012	
Number of regular classroom teachers who have left your school since October 1, 2012, and have not returned	
Number of regular classroom teachers for whom this school year is their first year of teaching	
Number of regular classroom teachers for whom this school year is their first year teaching in this school	



G5.

G4. What percentage of your part-time and full-time teachers, including regular classroom, ESL/bilingual, remedial, special education, art, music, and physical education teachers, belongs to each of the following racial/ethnic groups?

COMPLETE EITHER THE NUMBER OR PERCENT COLUMN. ENTER "0" IF YOUR SCHOOL HAS NO TEACHERS IN THAT RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUP. THE NUMBER COLUMN SHOULD ADD TO YOUR TOTAL NUMBER OF TEACHERS OR THE PERCENT COLUMN SHOULD ADD TO 100%.

				lumber of teachers	OR P	ercent
a.	Hispanic/Latino of any race					<u></u> %
b.	American Indian or Alaska Native, no	ot Hispanic o	· Latino			%
C.	Asian, not Hispanic or Latino					%
d.	Black or African American, not Hispa	inic or Latino				%
e.	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Isla or Latino	nder, not His	panic			%
f.	White, not Hispanic or Latino					\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \
g.	Two or more races, not Hispanic or L	_atino				%
h.	Total number of teachers (sum of	a through g			1	0 0 %
	cate how much you agree or disagi f. MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH		following s	tatements al	oout your	school and
		Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree
a.	There is a consensus among administrators and teachers		П			П
	on goals and expectations.		_	_		
b.	on goals and expectations. We have an active professional development program for teachers.					
b.	We have an active professional development program for					



G6.	G6. Are monetary incentives such as cash bonuses, salary increases, or different steps on the sa schedule used in your school to reward teachers for MARK YES OR NO ON EACH ROW.				
		Yes	No		
	a. Improved student performance on state tests?				
	b. Reaching target goals on state tests?				
G7.	If a person other than the school principal has completed the previous the following information for the individual who completed them, of individual — for the individual who completed the majority of the s	r — if more th	an one		
	LAST NAME FIRST NAM	E	MIDDLE INITIAL		
	TITLE				
G8.	How long has the individual listed above been employed at this sci	hool? WRITE	YEARS AND		
	YEAR(S) MONTH(S)				

The school principal or headmaster should complete the remainder of this questionnaire. If a designee is chosen to complete this in his or her place, please be sure that the background and education characteristics provided are about the school's principal or headmaster.



SECTION H. SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR CHARACTERISTICS

H1.	What is your gender? MARK ONE RESPONSE.	
	Male	
	Female	
H2.	In what year were you born? WRITE IN YEAR BELOW.	
	1 9 YEAR	
Н3.	Are you Hispanic or Latino? MARK ONE RESPONSE.	
	Yes	
	☐ No	
H4.	Which best describes your race? MARK ONE OR MORE RECONSIDER YOURSELF TO BE.	ESPONSES TO INDICATE WHAT YOU
	American Indian or Alaska Native	
	Asian	
	Black or African American	
	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	
	White	
H5.	How many years of experience do you have in each of the in which you worked part time? WRITE THE NUMBER OF SCHOOL YEAR. IF THIS IS YOUR FIRST YEAR, WRITE "1."	
		Number of years
	a. Years as a teacher before becoming a principal	
	b. Total number of years as a principal	
	c. Number of years as principal at this school	



H6. Through which, if any, of the types of training programs below did you receive preparation for fulfilling your role as a school administrator? MARK YES OR NO ON EACH ROW.

			Yes	No		
	a.	Traditional university-based training and certification program				
	b.	District-based training program (for example, the Boston Principal Fellowship, New York City Leadership Academy's Aspiring Principals Program, Chicago's LAUNCH program)				
	C.	City-based training program (for example, Cleveland's First Ring Leadership Academy)				
	d.	State-based training program (for example, New Jersey EXCEL)				
	e.	Training and/or certification program run by a national non-profit organization (for example, KIPP School Leadership Program, New Leaders for New Schools)				
	f.	Another school administration preparation program				
H7.	Wha	at is the highest level of education you have completed? MARK O	NE RESPOI	VSE.		
	П	High school diploma or equivalent/GED				
		Associate's degree				
	Bachelor's degree					
	At least one year of coursework beyond a Bachelor's degree but not a graduate degree					
	Master's degree					
		Education specialist or professional diploma based on at least one year Master's degree level	r of coursew	ork past a		
		Doctorate or an advanced professional degree beyond a Master's degree	ree (for exan	nple, MD)		
H8.		nt was your major field(s) of study in the highest degree you comp	leted? MAF	RK YES OR NO		
			Yes	No		
	a.	Early childhood education				
	b.	Elementary education				
	C.	Education administration/management				
	d.	Special education				
	e.	Other education-related major (such as secondary education, educational psychology, science education, music education, etc.)				
	f.	Non-education major (such as history, English, etc.)				



H10.

H11.

H9. Please estimate how many hours you spend on average per week in the following activities. WRITE IN NUMBER OF HOURS BELOW. IF NONE, WRITE "0."

		per week
a.	Working with teachers on instructional issues	
b.	Internal school management (weekly calendars, vendors, office, memos, etc.)	
C.	Student discipline/attendance	
d.	Monitoring hallways, playground, lunchroom	
e.	Teaching	
f.	Talking and meeting with parents	
g.	Meeting with students	
h.	Paperwork required by local, state, or federal authorities	
	It is your best estimate of the number of children in your school you know be RESPONSE. Nearly every child 76% or more 51% to 75% 26% to 50% 25% or less	y name? MARK
	ng school hours, do you speak a language other than English with studen se native language is not English? MARK ONE RESPONSE.	ts at your school
	Yes	
	No	



H12.	Do you speak a language other than English with students' families whose native language is not English? MARK ONE RESPONSE.		
	Yes		
	□ No		
H13.	If you do not speak a language other than English with EITHER students OR students' families whose native language is not English, mark here and SKIP TO Q H15.		
H14.	What language(s) other than English do you speak with students at your school or with their families? MARK ALL THAT APPLY.		
	Spanish		
	Vietnamese		
	A Chinese language		
	Japanese		
	☐ Korean		
	A Filipino language		
	Arabic		
	Other (PLEASE SPECIFY)		
H15.	Date Questionnaire Completed:		
	MONTH DAY YEAR		
Que	stionnaire completed by:		
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	LAST NAME FIRST NAME MIDDLE INITIAL		

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION!









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