

Family Involvement Survey Results

Rapid City Elementary School

Survey invitations sent	49	
Returned w/ invalid address	9	
Responses	10	25%

What grade is your child in?

pre-K	0
K	3
1	2
2	2
3	2
4	2
5	1

Do you feel that you have been well informed of the family involvement activities that have taken place at your child's school?

yes	6	67%
no	3	33%

What is the best way to communicate information to you?

newsletter	2	22%
flyer	0	0%
email	7	78%
other	0	0%

Have you participated in any events as a parent and/or family this school year?

If so, how many?

0	2
1	1
2	1
3	3
several	3

Which events did you attend?

Family Fun	5	Christmas Pancake Breakfasts	0
Winterfest	4	Coffee w/Principal	0
Christmas Concert	2	Doughnuts w/Dads	0
Field Trip	2	Fun Run	0
Helped in Class	2	Girl Scouts	0
Literacy Workshop	2	Halloween	0
Book Club	1	Instrumental Petting Zoo	0
Can't remember	1	Lunches w/kids	0
Game Night	1	Nutrition	0
PTA Fundraisers	1	P/T Conferences	0
School Improvement	1	Parent Workshop	0
Basketball Games	0	PreK Evening Activities	0
Blazer Bash	0	PreK Parent Committee	0
Book Fair	0		

If not, why were you unable to attend?

previous out of town commitments

they always have the fun nights early and I can't get off work at 5pm, get all three kids from daycare and make it back to the school in time.

On a scale from 1-10, please rate your overall satisfaction of the events you attended.

	highly dissatisfied			neither				highly satisfied			
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	NA
Parent Workshops	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	4
Family Fun Events	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	3	1
Coffee and Donuts	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	4
Book Clubs	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	4
Literacy Night	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0

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What kind of family involvement activities would you like to see happen next year?

cannot think of any at this moment

Didn't know about literacy night or book clubs, would like to see more hands on activities, maybe takehome activity or craft to take home. Loved to see the author would like to see more of that.

I'd love family nights to start later so we could attend.

Kaliseum swimming and skating event.

Are you likely to attend more family involvement activities in the future?

yes 7

no 1

comments we have a lot of family activities and fun at home and enjoy our family time so to go to school and do it so much isn't as big of a deal.

I'm sure we will try to attend in the future especially once my other 2 boys are in the same school.

Please list any other comments or concerns.

I have always enjoyed my daughter going to this school but this year I have not been much happy. I would like to see some improvement with communication with the teachers and some of the staff.

You know I used to be more involved with school functions but then I became a foster parent and it is hard to combine community events with parenting a foster care child. You just never know when you might run into someone or something the foster child might not want to do or see. I think it is just easier to play it by ear and try to give extra attention to my 1st and 2nd grader at home. I really am sorry about this attitude but sometimes you have to do what is best for everyone. I do want to say that I was called last week by Terri Noffsinger to contribute some baked goods to a craft show. And the kids and I had a great time making them together. So if there are more things I can do to help out the community that way I would be more than happy to do this. It was a great time and we thoroughly enjoyed it. The kids got a great sense of accomplishment out of it. Thanks

we really need a year book for our kids to have! I had one when I went to Rapid City and they are great memories to treasure!

If head start, preschool and/or daycare were available in Rapid City it would make coordinating the whole family easier; however, even the new Discovery Point doesn't accommodate the little ones, 3 and under.

Great job!