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1. How many districts participated?*

158

*49% Response Rate, compared to 56% last year

**55 districts participated for the first time this year, and 103 districts have 2 years of data available now.

2. Does your district currently provide trainings on family engagement for:

	Yes	No	Unsure
Teachers	101	48	6
Administrators	105	49	1
Parents/Guardians/Caregivers	59	76	20
Other Staff	59	76	19

3. Does your district have a family engagement plan?

Yes	No	Unsure
93	52	12

4. How much staff time (Percent FTE) is dedicated to overseeing family engagement efforts in your district?

Count	
8	No staff time
112	1-25%
11	26-50%
2	51-75%
4	76-100%
7	More than one full time position
13	Unsure

5. What percentage of families in your district do you think your district is currently successfully partnering with to support their child or children's education?

Count	
18	0-25%
57	26-50%
52	51-75%
21	76-100%
7	Unsure

6. Approximately what percentage of children in your district are being raised by their grandparents?

Count	
12	0-5%
29	6-10%
35	11-15%
29	16-20%
17	More than 20%
30	Unsure

7. How does your district evaluate the impact of your family engagement efforts? Select all that apply.

Count	
46	No district-level evaluation is in place, but teachers/other staff may evaluate their efforts on their own
117	Informal feedback is provided by some families throughout the school year
79	Surveys at events for families
124	Attendance at events
54	Annual survey of all families
28	Focus groups with families
37	Family engagement is measured by its impact on student outcomes
8	Other <i>See table below</i>
2	Unsure

Other Evaluation Responses:

- Title 1 Parent Program Evaluation Survey
- It is part of the 5-year strategic plan
- Parent engagement in central office as well as each school building monitor daily interaction with parents, e.g inbound calls outbound calls and in-person visits this information is put in an monthly report. Any parent that volunteer in the district is also monitored and monthly...
- Preschool does an annual survey
- We have a survey going home on May 14, 2020
- Tracking contacts and impact on outcomes
- PTO meeting feedback
- Staff evaluations
- Goal on OIP - positive contact
- Google Forms Parent Survey completed but all do not respond
- DLT discussion and analysis

8. Are schools in your district required to develop a family engagement plan (or family engagement strategies within the larger school plan)?

Yes	No	Unsure
72	65	14

9. Do schools in your district have a family engagement specialist on staff (such as a family liaison, family engagement coordinator, etc.)?

Yes	No	Unsure
43	108	2

9. Are schools in your district required to have a team including family representatives that helps with school planning?

Yes	No	Unsure
67	70	15

10. Our schools could benefit from trainings for our staff on family engagement related to... (Select all that apply)

Count	
88	Communication with families
48	Family engagement in STEM learning
103	Family engagement in Early Literacy
129	Engaging with families during remote learning
92	Engaging with grandparents raising their grandchildren
98	Building relationships with all families
109	Family engagement in Mental Health/Trauma
71	Community partnerships that support families
79	Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS) Family Engagement
57	Family engagement in transitions (between schools, or post-secondary)
60	Family engagement in Individualized Education Plans or other Special Education Supports
39	Systems-level family engagement (Ohio Improvement Process, Building a Team with Families, Evaluating Services, etc)
1	Other
3	Unsure

11. How interested would your district be in receiving training and coaching support to implement the National Network of Partnerships Schools model as a new improvement strategy for schools in your district?

Very Interested	Somewhat Interested	Not Interested at this time	Unsure
28	63	33	17

12. Response rate by Region:

	# of Responses	Number of District Surveys Sent	District Rate of Return
Region 1	18	26	69%
Region 2	3	12	25%
Region 3	0	15	0%
Region 4	5	6	83%
Region 5	22	23	96%
Region 6	9	17	53%
Region 7	15	22	68%
Region 8	7	14	50%
Region 9	4	11	36%
Region 10	4	31	13%
Region 11	6	31	19%
Region 12	16	31	52%
Region 13	13	28	46%
Region 14	6	14	43%
Region 15	12	22	55%
Region 16	18	20	90%
TOTAL	158	323	49%