

MID-YEAR PARENT SATISFACTION SURVEY – 2009-10

We value the input our parents and students give us on a daily basis. We take your feedback seriously and want to ensure that we are addressing all of your concerns. It also helps us to know what we are doing well. In this spirit, we ask that you take a few minutes and give us your feedback!

1. How satisfied are you with the overall quality of your child’s education at Sol Aureus?

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	2%	8%	24%	64%

2. How satisfied are you with the overall classroom instruction at Sol Aureus?

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	2%	14%	36%	46%

3. How satisfied are you with the level of communication between teachers and your family?

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	4%	10%	34%	50%

4. How satisfied are you with the communication between the administrative office & your family?

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	2%	14%	22%	60%

5. How satisfied are you with the progress your child is making at Sol Aureus?

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	2%	6%	36%	54%

6. How satisfied are you with the quality of feedback you receive about your child’s performance? (for example report cards, progress reports, the online grade program?)

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
3%	2%	6%	30%	60%

7. How satisfied are you with the principal's leadership of the school?

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	2%	4%	18%	74%

8. How satisfied are you with the quality of homework assignments given to your child?

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	2%	10%	40%	46%

9. To what extent do you feel welcomed at the school when you visit?

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	2%	4%	34%	57%

10. Compared to your child's previous school, to what extent is he/she being challenged at Sol Aureus?

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	4%	4%	14%	76%

11. Compared to your child's last school, how does Sol Aureus compare in terms of the overall quality of education your child is receiving?

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	2%	4%	22%	70%

12. How satisfied are you with the quality of instruction in:

a. English Language Arts

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	4%	8%	29%	57%

b. Science

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	4%	6%	35%	52%

c. Social Studies

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	2%	10%	30%	56%

d. Math

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	2%	10%	28%	58%

13. How satisfied are you with the use of **Study Island**?

1	2	3	4	5
Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
2%	4%	8%	31%	55%

14. Would you recommend Sol Aureus to another family?

YES	NO
94%	6%

In the space below, please make any comments that you might have regarding Sol Aureus. Feel free to share any thoughts, such as things that you might like about the school or are pleased with, or areas in which you feel the school needs to improve. Your input would be greatly appreciated.

Comments:

We are very pleased with the school. Her study habits have improved drastically. Thank you.

I would like to see grade K-6, 7th-8th grades as well. I'd like to see all of my children at this school. Please keep up the great work.

Gracias por preocuparse siempre por los niños y por tener siempre informados a los padres de todo lo que pasa dentro y fuera de la escuela. Sobre todo por tener la atención y el tiempo por preocuparse por los padres que no hablamos inglés. Muchas gracias.

[Thanks for always worrying for children and parents have also always informed of everything that happens inside and outside of school. Especially for having the attention and time for caring for parents who do not speak English. Thank you very much.]

I "John Doe" would like there to be sports for the school and clubs.

My child somewhat has a hard time learning and understanding every single subject in school. HE only learns and understands when he gets help from home.

I would like teacher/parent conferences.

Parents would like to celebrate their children's birthdays so that the children feel special on their day. Some sort of acknowledgement would be appreciated at least once a month. The children do not take the folders home. There has to be a check and balance such as text messages.

SACP Charter Amendment

Appendix H

I feel that Sol Aureus is a well organized school. I appreciate the time and the extras that the teachers give to the students. My child is doing much better here at this school then she has at her other schools. The teachers here work well with the students and family, its not about the pay check it really shows that there here to give the kids the tools to exceed towards their future (they care about our kids education).

What about advanced student are their needs being met. What about electives how are they offered. What about collaborating with other school sites to meet need such as music or sports.

I think that moving my daughter to Sol Aureus was the best thing I could have done for her. The teachers are great and they really look out for the best interest in their student, they really get to know each student as individuals and I feel that is very important when working with children.

I would like to see better access to tutoring. Make the environment a little less constricted, allow more positive independence. I would like to see more avenues for extracurricular activities such as debate, drama, student union, etc.

I/we ,miss the extracurricular/art type/dance activities from previous years. I haven't felt very connected to the teachers/school this year, would like an opportunity to complete my parent hours in needy fashion. Not always available for parent meetings/trainings I wish the times/days would vary to accommodate other schedules. Thank you for this opportunity to share comments. I really appreciate all the staff's dedication to education.

We are very happy with the education our daughter is receiving at S.A.C. Prep. We believe she will adequately prepared for 9th grade next year. Thanks to the excellent teachers and administration! We have recommended S.A.C. Prep to our friends.

I accidentally marked the wrong answer on the 1st 5 questions. I am satisfied with the great progress "JaNeice" has made academically. She has also matured. I am satisfied with the communication and the very fact that I am welcomed to come back for help even after she graduates.

I like the attention and help that my child receive when she need extra help. I disagree with the whole class getting punished behind one person's actions.

It's kind of frustrating that Study Island is mandatory because at this time it is very difficult for me to get my child to a computer.

This is the best educational program I have seen in Sacramento since I have dealt with the education of children since 1997. I would highly recommend your school to anyone. I am proud that my child is attending S.A.C. Prep. Keep up the great work that your school is doing with the children.

Sac Prep has definitely helped my child to achieve above and beyond what traditional schools require and because of this, I feel she is further ahead than other children who have not been afforded this opportunity. Charter school has changed my childs perspective and has boosted her confidence. Thanks Sac. Prep for all you do for us!

Great job and caring teachers.

No complaints – very satisfied.

What is the overall purpose of the Saturday School. Many times the day before Sat. School is a short day or off day? Why can't they stay in school on Friday & eliminate Saturday School?

I would like the communication with the teachers more focused on my son's wk, attitude, & overall performance.

Footnote: The one anonymous respondent who gave "1's" or "Very Unsatisfactory" also marked "YES" in response to the question would they recommend Sol Aureus to another family.