

### Girdwood School Overview

#### Statement of Program

Girdwood K-8 School serves a small community at the base of Mount Alyeska. Our education program is based on Anchorage School District curriculum and state standards. The program includes instruction in all academic areas, as well as physical education, music, art and technology. We also offer band and orchestra at the upper grade levels, bilingual tutoring, special education, speech/language services and gifted enrichment for students who qualify.

Girdwood K-8 is a learning community that fosters high academic achievement and community involvement. Parents and volunteers are active in our classrooms, and spend hours supervising after-school activities through our Four Valleys Community School Program. We actively work to develop a strong sense of community in our students through service-learning projects, school activities and cooperative learning experiences. Ultimately, our goal is to produce healthy, active students who are well-educated and prepared for high school, both socially and academically.

From the School Report Card

School Goals	
Goal	Level of Achievement
The percentage of students who score below 350 on the state math assessment will decrease.	Not Attained
The percentage of students who score below 350 on the state writing assessment will decrease.	Partially Attained

From the School Report Card

Budget*	
2006-07 Actual Expenditures	\$1,245,738
2007-08 Revised Budgeted Amount	\$1,257,524
2008-09 Proposed Budget	\$1,262,097

\*Dollars budgeted or expended are general fund only  
From IFAS

Girdwood School Characteristics			
	School	District	Source of Information
Membership	153	48,858	Fall OASIS
Capacity (K-8)	90.53%	N/A	2008-18 ASD Capital Improvement Plan
Attendance Rate	93.17%	92.83%	NCLB Summer Data Collection
Retention Rate K-8	0.00%	0.60%	SMS and NCLB Summer Data Collection
Transiency Rate	14.88%	26.07%	NCLB Summer Data Collection
Economically Disadvantaged	30	17,717	Fall OASIS
Average Weekly Volunteer Hours	38	4,660	Department of Education Report Card Report
Dropout Rate	3.13%	3.93%	NCLB Summer Data Collection and Fall Oasis
Students Taking the Alternate Assessment	1	228	SMS
Change in Enrollment	5.52%	-0.76%	Fall Oasis

Teacher Qualification				
Number of Teachers	Percent Fully Licensed	Percent With Advanced Degrees	Number Nationally Board Certified	Percent of Classes Taught by "Highly Qualified Teachers"
17	100.00%	41.17%	1	90.47%

Girdwood School Business Partnerships
Rotary Club of Girdwood

From the School Report Card

Ethnicity Report							
African-American/Black	Alaska Native/American Indian	Asian	Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	White	Hispanic	Multi-Ethnic	Total
0	2	2	0	133	11	5	153

From Fall Oasis

Full Academic Year		
Students Enrolled	Students Enrolled for FAY	Percent FAY
156	147	94.23%

From participation file (Grades 3-10)

Total Dropout Rate – Girdwood School								
	African-American/Black	Alaska Native/American Indian	Asian	Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	White	Hispanic	Multi-Ethnic	Total
Enrollment	0	1	0	0	25	4	2	32
Final Dropouts	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
% of Dropouts	N/A	0.00%	N/A	N/A	4.00%	0.00%	0.00%	3.13%

From NCLB Summer Data Collection and Fall OASIS

**Girdwood School  
2007-08 Adequate Yearly Progress  
Status Report**

Meets AYP

AMO For Language Arts: 77.18%  
AMO For Mathematics: 66.09%

Group	Participation Rate				"FAY" (D) Tested & Enrolled "FAY"	Language Arts Performance				Mathematics Performance			
	(A) Number Enrolled	(B) Number Tested	Participation Rate (%)	(C) Participation Rate Met		(E) Proficient on LA	(F) Percent Proficient on LA	(G) LA Target	(H) Met AMO for LA	(I) Proficient on Mathematics	(J) Percent Proficient in Mathematics	(K) Mathematics Target	(L) Met AMO for Mathematics
All Students	114	114	100%	Yes	107	98	91.6%	67.7%	Yes	93	86.9%	55.4%	Yes
AF AM	<5	<5	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
AKNA/AI	<5	<5	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian/NH/OPI	<5	<5	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	98	98	100%	Yes	91	85	93.4%	66.9%	Yes	82	90.1%	54.5%	Yes
Hispanic	10	10	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
ME	<5	<5	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
EDS	21	21	100%	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
SWD	28	28	100%	Yes	27	19	70.4%	58.4%	Yes	22	81.5%	44.9%	Yes
LEP	6	6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Attendance Rate: Met

93.2% (Threshold is 85%)

N/A is used to indicate:

(1) Subgroups with 20 or fewer students enrolled on the first day of testing shall not be included in participation rate calculation.

(2) Subgroups with 25 or fewer students enrolled for the "full academic year" shall not have the performance score computed.

\* For the groups where the number enrolled is less than or equal to 40, participation is met when no more than two miss the test. Groups can also meet this target using the average of the past two or three years.

\*\* When a group achieves a "Yes" without meeting the listed target, it has done so using either the 99% confidence interval or Safe Harbor.

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Girdwood School  
2007-08 Adequate Yearly Progress  
Growth Report

The AYP growth reports are generated by the Alaska State Department of Education and Early Development. The reports can be found online at: [http://www.asdk12.org/depts/assess\\_eval/AYP/State\\_AS\\_D\\_AYG\\_0708.pdf](http://www.asdk12.org/depts/assess_eval/AYP/State_AS_D_AYG_0708.pdf)

SBA Proficiency Comparison by Grade for Girdwood School																
	Reading Percent Proficient				Writing Percent Proficient				Mathematics Percent Proficient				Science* Percent Proficient			
	04-05	05-06	06-07	07-08	04-05	05-06	06-07	07-08	04-05	05-06	06-07	07-08	04-05	05-06	06-07	07-08
All Students	87.88%	90.29%	94.95%	92.04%	93.94%	93.07%	92.93%	90.27%	84.00%	82.35%	89.00%	89.19%	N/A	N/A	N/A	82.86%
Grade 3	90% or more	78.95%	80% or more	76.19%	90% or more	84.21%	80% or more	80.95%	90% or more	78.95%	80% or more	90% or more	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 4	75.00%	90% or more	90% or more	80% or more	80% or more	90% or more	90% or more	80% or more	70.59%	80.95%	86.36%	80% or more	N/A	N/A	N/A	76.47%
Grade 5	84.21%	73.68%	90% or more	80% or more	84.21%	84.21%	90% or more	80% or more	78.95%	68.48%	86.36%	80% or more	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 6	80% or more	80% or more	80% or more	90% or more	80% or more	80% or more	80% or more	90% or more	80% or more	80% or more	80% or more	90% or more	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 7	80% or more	75% or more	90% or more	80% or more	80% or more	75% or more	90% or more	80% or more	80% or more	75% or more	90% or more	80% or more	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grade 8	80% or more	80% or more	60% or more	80% or more	80% or more	80% or more	60% or more	80% or more	80% or more	80% or more	60% or more	72.22%	N/A	N/A	N/A	20% or more

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SBA Proficient & Not Proficient by NCLB Groups for Girdwood School								
	Reading		Writing		Mathematics		Science**	
	Percent Proficient	Percent Not Proficient	Percent Proficient	Percent Not Proficient	Percent Proficient	Percent Not Proficient	Percent Proficient	Percent Not Proficient
All Students	92.04%	7.96%	90.27%	9.73%	89.19%	10.81%	82.86%	17.14%
AF AM	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
AKNA/AI	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
NH/OPI	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
White	93.81%	6.19%	92.78%	7.22%	92.63%	7.37%	82.76%	17.24%
Hispanic	70.00%	30.00%	70.00%	30.00%	70.00%	30.00%	*	*
ME	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
EDS	76.19%	23.81%	71.43%	28.57%	76.19%	23.81%	40% or more	60% or fewer
Non-EDS	95.65%	4.35%	94.57%	5.43%	92.22%	7.78%	83.33%	16.67%
SWD	70.37%	29.63%	70.37%	29.63%	81.48%	18.52%	57.14%	42.86%
Non-SWD	95% or more	5% or fewer	96.51%	3.49%	91.67%	8.33%	89.29%	10.71%
LEP	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Not LEP	92.73%	7.27%	90.91%	9.09%	90.74%	9.26%	85.29%	14.71%
Migrant	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Not Migrant	91.74%	8.26%	90.83%	9.17%	90.65%	9.35%	82.35%	17.65%
Female	91.53%	8.47%	91.53%	8.47%	84.21%	15.79%	80.00%	20.00%
Male	92.59%	7.41%	88.89%	11.11%	94.44%	5.56%	20% or more	80% or fewer

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SBA Mean Scale Score Comparison by NCLB Groups for Girdwood School								
	Reading		Writing		Mathematics		Science***	
	06-07	07-08	06-07	07-08	06-07	07-08	06-07	07-08
All Students	413.37	414.36	407.00	406.02	396.63	387.71	N/A	349.77
AF AM	424.00	*	391.00	*	368.00	*	N/A	*
AKNA/AI	352.75	*	349.25	*	*	*	N/A	*
Asian**	*	*	*	*	340.00	*	N/A	*
NH/OPI**	N/A	*	N/A	*	N/A	*	N/A	*
White	417.44	422.65	411.33	414.76	405.90	397.38	N/A	348.45
Hispanic	385.60	356.40	352.20	355.30	351.80	320.90	N/A	*
ME	419.20	*	438.40	*	369.80	*	N/A	*
EDS	370.84	365.71	359.26	365.62	329.63	350.38	N/A	338.20
Non-EDS	423.48	425.47	418.34	415.24	412.35	396.42	N/A	351.70
SWD	349.13	347.33	361.38	347.15	330.50	347.59	N/A	333.71
Non-SWD	425.76	435.41	415.80	424.50	409.23	400.61	N/A	353.79
LEP	392.67	*	398.00	*	368.71	*	N/A	*
Not LEP	414.71	417.35	407.58	408.36	398.73	389.89	N/A	352.74
Migrant	416.33	*	402.67	*	*	*	N/A	*
Not Migrant	413.28	414.57	407.14	405.99	398.04	387.60	N/A	351.09
Female	405.60	408.29	397.52	403.31	381.38	365.47	N/A	346.65
Male	421.31	421.00	416.67	408.98	411.88	411.19	N/A	353.93

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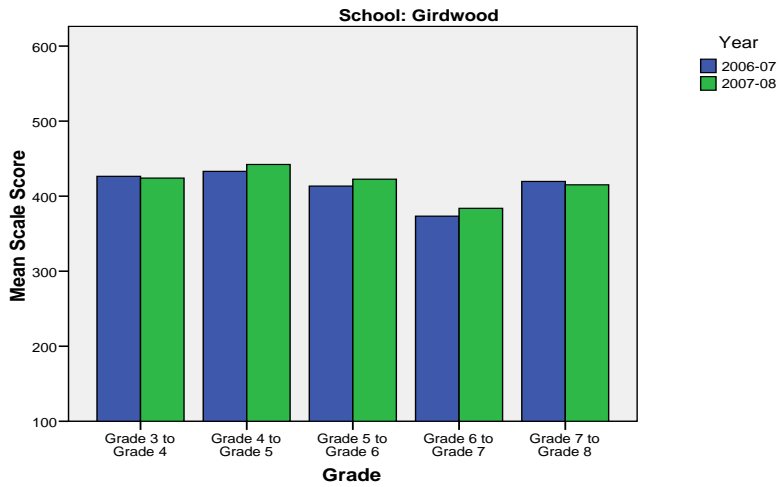
\*\* Prior to 2007-08 the Asian category includes Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander. In 2007-08 Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander is a separate ethnic category.

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Girdwood Elementary School SBA Change Average Scale Score by NCLB Groups: Reading															
	Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years			Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years			Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years			Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years			Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years		
	Grade 3- in 06-07	Grade 4 in 07-08	Difference	Grade 4- in 06-07	Grade 5 in 07-08	Difference	Grade 5- in 06-07	Grade 6 in 07-08	Difference	Grade 6-in 06-07	Grade 7 in 07-08	Difference	Grade 7 in 06-07	Grade 8 in 07-08	Difference
All Students	426.38	424.06	-2.31	433.12	442.18	9.06	413.36	422.59	9.23	373.31	383.69	10.38	419.61	415.11	-4.50
AF AM	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
AKNA/AI	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
NH/OPI	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
White	420.36	416.71	-3.64	436.44	445.13	8.69	427.32	435.68	8.37	389.80	398.70	8.90	424.21	422.50	-1.71
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
ME	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
EDS	*	*	*	*	*	*	376.67	375.17	-1.50	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-EDS	426.38	424.06	-2.31	445.47	456.07	10.60	427.13	440.38	13.25	373.31	383.69	10.38	425.36	424.29	-1.07
SWD	*	*	*	358.43	368.43	10.00	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-SWD	436.17	437.42	1.25	485.40	493.80	8.40	429.84	439.32	9.47	388.40	392.20	3.80	432.80	425.27	-7.53
LEP	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Not LEP	426.38	424.06	-2.31	433.12	442.18	9.06	424.38	434.19	9.81	373.31	383.69	10.38	422.00	418.88	-3.12
Migrant	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Not Migrant	426.38	424.06	-2.31	436.44	445.13	8.69	409.43	421.67	12.24	373.31	383.69	10.38	422.35	419.82	-2.53
Female	444.38	436.50	-7.88	420.67	443.50	22.83	382.42	397.67	15.25	362.25	365.75	3.50	403.25	419.50	16.25
Male	408.38	411.63	3.25	439.91	441.45	1.55	450.50	452.50	2.00	391.00	412.40	21.40	452.33	406.33	-46.00

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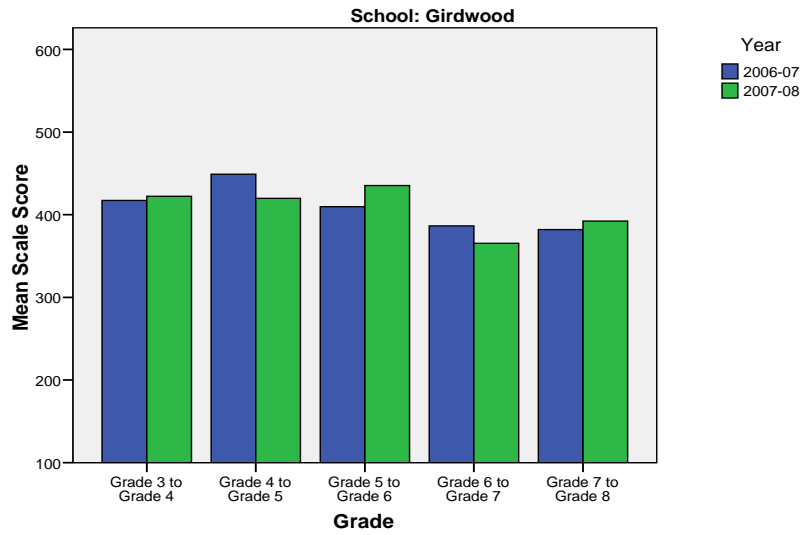
**Change in Mean Scale Score in SBA Reading by Grade Between 2006-07 and 2007-08**



Girdwood Elementary School SBA Change Average Scale Score by NCLB Groups: Writing															
	Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years			Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years			Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years			Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years			Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years		
	Grade 3- in 06-07	Grade 4 in 07-08	Difference	Grade 4- in 06-07	Grade 5 in 07-08	Difference	Grade 5- in 06-07	Grade 6 in 07-08	Difference	Grade 6-in 06-07	Grade 7 in 07-08	Difference	Grade 7 in 06-07	Grade 8 in 07-08	Difference
All Students	417.31	422.25	4.94	449.12	419.82	-29.29	409.82	435.41	25.59	386.54	365.38	-21.15	382.06	392.28	10.22
AF AM	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
AKNA/AI	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
NH/OPI	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
White	415.50	417.71	2.21	454.25	424.44	-29.81	420.11	447.63	27.53	403.00	379.10	-23.90	393.93	401.00	7.07
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
ME	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
EDS	*	*	*	*	*	*	376.33	414.00	37.67	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-EDS	417.31	422.25	4.94	465.60	435.07	-30.53	422.38	443.44	21.06	386.54	365.38	-21.15	394.79	403.43	8.64
SWD	*	*	*	385.86	354.43	-31.43	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-SWD	427.17	434.75	7.58	493.40	465.60	-27.80	423.16	448.37	25.21	397.20	375.40	-21.80	391.67	401.93	10.27
LEP	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Not LEP	417.31	422.25	4.94	449.12	419.82	-29.29	416.19	444.43	28.24	386.54	365.38	-21.15	387.06	394.06	7.00
Migrant	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Not Migrant	417.31	422.25	4.94	454.25	424.44	-29.81	405.71	432.10	26.38	386.54	365.38	-21.15	384.24	398.53	14.29
Female	443.25	455.75	12.50	432.17	413.50	-18.67	377.33	410.92	33.58	369.63	349.75	-19.88	377.92	391.58	13.67
Male	391.38	388.75	-2.63	458.36	423.27	-35.09	448.80	464.80	16.00	413.60	390.40	-23.20	390.33	393.67	3.33

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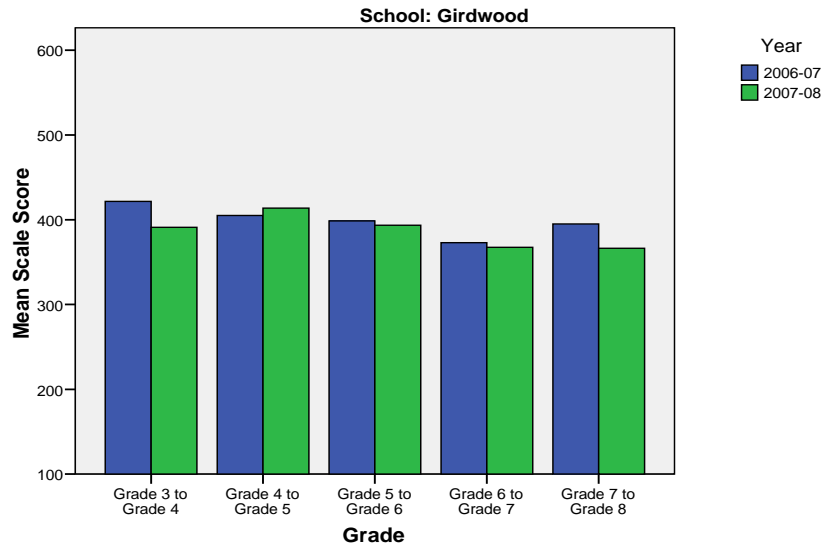
**Change in Mean Scale Score in SBA Writing by Grade between 2006-07 and 2007-08**



Girdwood Elementary School SBA Change Average Scale Score by NCLB Groups: Mathematics															
	Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years			Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years			Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years			Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years			Average Scale Score of Students Tested in District Both Years		
	Grade 3- in 06-07	Grade 4 in 07-08	Difference	Grade 4- in 06-07	Grade 5 in 07-08	Difference	Grade 5- in 06-07	Grade 6 in 07-08	Difference	Grade 6-in 06-07	Grade 7 in 07-08	Difference	Grade 7 in 06-07	Grade 8 in 07-08	Difference
All Students	421.67	391.00	-30.67	405.06	413.61	8.56	398.52	393.57	-4.95	372.85	367.38	-5.46	395.06	366.22	-28.83
AF AM	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
AKNA/AI	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
NH/OPI	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
White	414.92	384.77	-30.15	419.63	420.63	1.00	413.83	411.06	-2.78	390.80	388.30	-2.50	408.00	377.21	-30.79
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
ME	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
EDS	*	*	*	*	*	*	354.17	346.00	-8.17	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-EDS	421.67	391.00	-30.67	427.75	431.06	3.31	416.27	412.60	-3.67	372.85	367.38	-5.46	415.07	380.64	-34.43
SWD	*	*	*	332.57	364.57	32.00	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Non-SWD	438.55	403.91	-34.64	451.18	444.82	-6.36	409.39	401.22	-8.17	387.00	374.40	-12.60	399.93	371.13	-28.80
LEP	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Not LEP	421.67	391.00	-30.67	408.88	413.35	4.47	405.45	401.70	-3.75	372.85	367.38	-5.46	403.59	371.35	-32.24
Migrant	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Not Migrant	421.67	391.00	-30.67	414.94	420.47	5.53	394.15	391.55	-2.60	372.85	367.38	-5.46	398.88	372.41	-26.47
Female	435.29	401.29	-34.00	368.33	383.00	14.67	353.36	353.82	0.45	344.50	333.13	-11.38	377.58	358.00	-19.58
Male	409.75	382.00	-27.75	423.42	428.92	5.50	448.20	437.30	-10.90	418.20	422.20	4.00	430.00	382.67	-47.33

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**Change in Mean Scale Score in SBA Mathematics by Grade between 2006-07 and 2007-08**



Reading: SBA Results Compared for Girdwood School, District and State Grades 3 Through 8															
	% Advanced Proficient			% Proficient			% Below Proficient			% Far Below Proficient			% Tested		
	School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State
All Students	64.60%	38.61%	35.30%	27.43%	45.52%	46.56%	*	11.58%	12.97%	*	4.29%	5.17%	99.12%	98.05%	97.94%
AF AM	*	20.12%	22.21%	*	55.62%	54.98%	*	17.52%	16.21%	*	6.73%	6.60%	N/A	97.98%	97.78%
AKNA/AI	*	20.15%	14.81%	*	51.64%	49.30%	*	19.31%	24.94%	*	8.90%	10.95%	100.00%	96.39%	97.37%
Asian	*	29.64%	28.01%	*	50.64%	52.04%	*	14.74%	15.18%	*	4.98%	4.77%	100.00%	97.62%	97.61%
NH/OPI	*	12.60%	N/A	*	51.94%	N/A	*	25.90%	N/A	*	9.56%	N/A	N/A	98.90%	N/A
White	70.10%	50.90%	46.49%	23.71%	39.95%	43.39%	*	6.89%	7.36%	*	2.27%	2.75%	98.98%	98.60%	98.28%
Hispanic	40.00%	30.89%	30.70%	30.00%	49.16%	50.38%	*	14.21%	13.55%	*	5.74%	5.37%	100.00%	97.34%	97.53%
ME	*	32.47%	34.01%	*	49.62%	49.07%	*	13.27%	12.57%	*	4.64%	4.36%	100.00%	97.82%	97.79%
EDS	42.86%	21.54%	21.10%	33.33%	51.31%	49.69%	*	19.35%	20.49%	*	7.81%	8.72%	100.00%	97.14%	96.26%
Not EDS	69.57%	49.56%	45.28%	26.09%	41.80%	44.36%	*	6.60%	7.69%	*	2.04%	2.68%	98.92%	98.64%	99.15%
SWD	25.93%	8.82%	8.14%	44.44%	37.82%	38.31%	*	33.71%	32.65%	*	19.65%	20.90%	96.43%	93.27%	93.15%
Non-SWD	76.74%	43.48%	39.53%	22.09%	46.78%	47.84%	*	7.96%	9.91%	*	1.78%	2.72%	100.00%	98.88%	98.73%
LEP	*	4.74%	3.22%	*	44.46%	40.71%	*	35.15%	37.99%	*	15.65%	18.08%	100.00%	94.73%	96.22%
Not LEP	66.36%	41.77%	39.59%	26.36%	45.62%	47.34%	*	9.38%	9.63%	*	3.23%	3.44%	99.10%	98.37%	98.17%
Migrant	*	25.70%	17.57%	*	50.39%	48.79%	*	17.73%	24.37%	*	6.17%	9.28%	100.00%	98.34%	98.39%
Not Migrant	65.14%	39.17%	36.54%	26.61%	45.31%	46.40%	*	11.31%	12.17%	*	4.21%	4.88%	99.09%	98.04%	97.90%
Female	61.02%	42.90%	39.17%	30.51%	45.32%	46.50%	*	8.81%	10.60%	*	2.97%	3.73%	98.33%	98.31%	98.22%
Male	68.52%	34.48%	31.63%	24.07%	45.71%	46.62%	*	14.24%	15.22%	*	5.56%	6.53%	100.00%	97.80%	97.67%

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Writing: SBA Results Compared for Girdwood Elementary School, District and State Grades 3 Through 8															
	% Advanced Proficient			% Proficient			% Below Proficient			% Far Below Proficient			% Tested		
	School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State
All Students	47.79%	27.07%	23.70%	42.48%	50.50%	50.11%	*	18.74%	21.85%	*	3.68%	4.35%	99.12%	98.06%	97.90%
AF AM	*	15.01%	15.31%	*	50.54%	51.99%	*	28.56%	27.20%	*	5.90%	5.49%	N/A	97.90%	97.74%
AKNA/AI	*	12.82%	9.04%	*	47.11%	42.88%	*	32.62%	38.67%	*	7.45%	9.41%	100.00%	96.29%	97.46%
Asian	*	22.53%	21.55%	*	51.80%	51.59%	*	21.53%	22.96%	*	4.14%	3.91%	100.00%	97.62%	97.66%
NH/OPI	*	9.67%	N/A	*	44.89%	N/A	*	37.43%	N/A	*	8.01%	N/A	N/A	99.18%	N/A
White	52.58%	35.36%	31.09%	40.21%	50.58%	52.31%	*	12.00%	14.29%	*	2.06%	2.31%	98.98%	98.64%	98.18%
Hispanic	*	22.08%	21.17%	50.00%	51.64%	53.17%	30.00%	21.76%	21.86%	*	4.52%	3.80%	100.00%	97.21%	97.50%
ME	*	22.75%	23.39%	*	52.23%	51.91%	*	20.93%	21.00%	*	4.09%	3.69%	100.00%	97.93%	97.74%
EDS	19.05%	14.29%	13.35%	52.38%	49.64%	47.75%	*	29.40%	31.93%	*	6.67%	6.97%	100.00%	97.25%	96.30%
Not EDS	54.35%	35.30%	30.98%	40.22%	51.05%	51.77%	*	11.89%	14.75%	*	1.76%	2.50%	98.92%	98.59%	99.06%
SWD	14.81%	5.35%	5.11%	55.56%	35.43%	33.71%	*	45.12%	46.56%	*	14.10%	14.62%	96.43%	93.24%	93.34%
Non-SWD	58.14%	30.63%	26.60%	38.37%	52.97%	52.67%	*	14.42%	17.99%	*	1.98%	2.74%	100.00%	98.90%	98.65%
LEP	*	3.36%	2.24%	*	37.41%	31.03%	*	47.27%	52.70%	*	11.96%	14.03%	100.00%	94.73%	96.32%
Not LEP	49.09%	29.29%	26.57%	41.82%	51.72%	52.66%	*	16.08%	17.72%	*	2.91%	3.05%	99.10%	98.39%	98.11%
Migrant	*	15.77%	10.63%	*	50.89%	44.71%	*	27.07%	36.80%	*	6.26%	7.85%	100.00%	98.68%	98.47%
Not Migrant	47.71%	27.57%	24.61%	43.12%	50.48%	50.49%	*	18.38%	20.80%	*	3.57%	4.10%	99.09%	98.04%	97.86%
Female	44.07%	33.89%	29.80%	47.46%	50.20%	50.67%	*	13.82%	16.93%	*	2.09%	2.60%	98.33%	98.36%	98.14%
Male	51.85%	20.53%	17.91%	37.04%	50.79%	49.58%	*	23.47%	26.51%	*	5.21%	6.00%	100.00%	97.78%	97.66%

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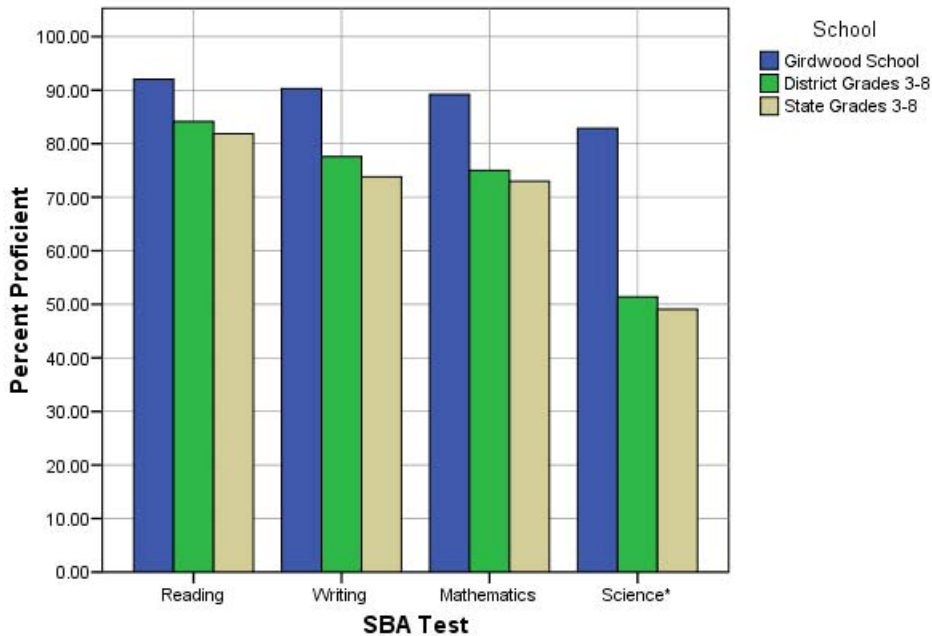
Mathematics: SBA Results Compared for Girdwood Elementary School, District and State Grades 3 Through 8															
	% Advanced Proficient			% Proficient			% Below Proficient			% Far Below Proficient			% Tested		
	School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State
All Students	53.15%	36.95%	33.70%	36.04%	38.06%	39.29%	6.31%	14.29%	15.45%	4.50%	10.70%	11.56%	97.37%	98.28%	97.99%
AF AM	*	17.09%	19.61%	*	38.54%	39.87%	*	22.99%	21.22%	*	21.38%	19.30%	N/A	97.83%	97.69%
AKNA/AI	*	21.50%	17.00%	*	38.00%	37.92%	*	21.08%	23.33%	*	19.42%	21.75%	100.00%	96.39%	97.40%
Asian	*	34.33%	32.09%	*	40.86%	40.88%	*	15.57%	15.68%	*	9.25%	11.35%	100.00%	99.07%	98.87%
NH/OPI	*	14.60%	N/A	*	37.19%	N/A	*	22.31%	N/A	*	25.90%	N/A	N/A	99.45%	N/A
White	57.89%	47.30%	42.58%	34.74%	36.34%	39.19%	4.21%	10.36%	11.56%	3.16%	6.00%	6.68%	96.94%	98.52%	98.11%
Hispanic	*	29.07%	28.37%	50.00%	40.32%	42.03%	*	17.01%	17.37%	*	13.59%	12.23%	100.00%	98.54%	98.47%
ME	*	31.79%	33.40%	*	40.88%	40.35%	*	15.16%	14.73%	*	12.17%	11.52%	100.00%	97.89%	97.69%
EDS	28.57%	21.61%	21.26%	47.62%	40.40%	40.11%	*	19.65%	20.40%	*	18.33%	18.23%	100.00%	97.65%	96.47%
Not EDS	58.89%	46.84%	42.46%	33.33%	36.55%	38.71%	4.44%	10.83%	11.96%	3.33%	5.78%	6.87%	96.77%	98.69%	99.09%
SWD	33.33%	10.62%	10.10%	48.15%	28.34%	29.17%	*	24.52%	25.02%	*	36.52%	35.71%	96.43%	93.02%	93.40%
Non-SWD	59.52%	41.24%	37.38%	32.14%	39.64%	40.87%	*	12.62%	13.95%	*	6.50%	7.80%	97.67%	99.19%	98.74%
LEP	*	7.31%	5.68%	*	34.33%	31.83%	*	27.23%	29.34%	*	31.13%	33.15%	100.00%	97.76%	97.39%
Not LEP	53.70%	39.81%	37.49%	37.04%	38.42%	40.30%	5.56%	13.04%	13.57%	3.70%	8.73%	8.64%	97.30%	98.33%	98.07%
Migrant	*	26.43%	20.76%	*	42.67%	38.94%	*	16.91%	21.96%	*	14.00%	18.34%	100.00%	98.57%	98.39%
Not Migrant	53.27%	37.41%	34.60%	37.38%	37.86%	39.32%	4.67%	14.17%	14.99%	4.67%	10.56%	11.09%	97.27%	98.27%	97.96%
Female	38.60%	37.65%	34.14%	45.61%	38.61%	40.21%	8.77%	14.04%	15.27%	7.02%	9.70%	10.39%	95.00%	98.57%	98.20%
Male	68.52%	36.28%	33.27%	25.93%	37.53%	38.43%	*	14.53%	15.62%	*	11.66%	12.68%	100.00%	98.00%	97.78%

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Science: SBA Results Compared for Girdwood School, District and State Grades 4 and 8															
	% Advanced Proficient			% Proficient			% Below Proficient			% Far Below Proficient			% Tested		
	School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State
All Students	45.71%	25.38%	23.7%	37.14%	26.01%	25.4%	*	26.06%	26.2%	*	22.55%	24.7%	94.59%	97.08%	95.12%
AF AM	*	9.79%	9.8%	*	19.13%	22.2%	*	31.89%	32.1%	*	39.18%	35.9%	N/A	97.34%	94.43%
AKNA/AI	*	8.46%	7.9%	*	23.69%	16.0%	*	32.31%	29.5%	*	35.54%	46.6%	100.00%	94.89%	94.33%
Asian	*	13.86%	14.8%	*	21.73%	21.4%	*	32.28%	31.3%	*	32.13%	32.5%	N/A	97.99%	97.34%
NH/OPI	*	6.50%	N/A	*	9.76%	N/A	*	26.83%	N/A	*	56.91%	N/A	N/A	98.80%	N/A
White	41.38%	37.32%	33.8%	41.38%	29.41%	30.0%	*	21.36%	22.9%	*	11.91%	13.3%	93.55%	97.28%	95.06%
Hispanic	*	16.36%	17.1%	*	25.89%	26.7%	*	29.73%	30.3%	*	28.02%	25.9%	100.00%	96.97%	96.17%
ME	*	18.71%	20.6%	*	25.29%	25.6%	*	29.76%	29.1%	*	26.24%	24.7%	100.00%	96.81%	95.49%
EDS	*	9.29%	11.6%	60.00%	22.22%	20.6%	*	31.02%	29.1%	*	37.47%	38.7%	100.00%	96.38%	94.11%
Not EDS	50.00%	35.51%	32.2%	33.33%	28.39%	28.8%	*	22.94%	24.2%	*	13.15%	14.9%	93.75%	97.53%	95.85%
SWD	42.86%	6.74%	6.2%	*	14.12%	12.6%	42.86%	29.29%	28.7%	*	49.84%	52.5%	87.50%	91.51%	90.86%
Non-SWD	46.43%	28.29%	26.4%	42.86%	27.86%	27.3%	*	25.56%	25.8%	*	18.29%	20.4%	96.55%	98.02%	95.82%
LEP	*	2.30%	1.6%	*	6.46%	5.1%	*	27.98%	23.4%	*	63.27%	69.9%	100.00%	97.08%	95.25%
Not LEP	47.06%	27.92%	26.9%	38.24%	28.16%	28.3%	*	25.85%	26.6%	*	18.06%	18.1%	94.44%	97.08%	95.11%
Migrant	*	11.72%	10.2%	*	27.93%	18.2%	*	28.97%	27.2%	*	31.38%	44.4%	100.00%	95.08%	96.15%
Not Migrant	47.06%	25.97%	24.6%	35.29%	25.92%	25.9%	*	25.94%	26.1%	*	22.17%	23.3%	94.44%	97.17%	95.05%
Female	45.00%	24.22%	22.2%	35.00%	26.04%	26.1%	*	27.78%	27.4%	*	21.96%	24.2%	90.91%	97.46%	95.33%
Male	46.67%	26.50%	25.1%	40.00%	25.97%	24.7%	*	24.41%	25.1%	*	23.12%	25.1%	100.00%	96.72%	94.93%

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2007-08 SBA Results Compared for Girdwood School, District and State



\* 2007-08 was the first year Science was administered for grades 4, 8 and 10 on the SBA.

Girdwood Elementary School TerraNova Grade 5 Percent in Each Quartile								
Reading	Above Average		Average				Below Average	
	4th Quartile (76-99 percentile)		3rd Quartile (51-75 percentile)		2nd Quartile (26-50 percentile)		1st Quartile (1-25 percentile)	
	School	District	School	District	School	District	School	District
07-08	63.16%	25.65%	15.79%	24.08%	*	23.73%	*	26.55%
06-07	57.1%	33.1%	33.3%	26.1%	*	23.6%	*	17.2%
05-06	42.1%	30.4%	10.5%	26.8%	31.6%	24.5%	15.8%	18.3%
04-05	42.1%	29.2%	26.3%	27.6%	15.8%	24.5%	15.8%	18.7%
03-04	33.3%	30.6%	25.0%	26.9%	33.3%	24.2%	8.3%	18.3%
<b>Language</b>								
07-08	42.11%	26.79%	36.84%	27.20%	*	24.12%	*	21.89%
06-07	61.9%	34.7%	23.8%	26.9%	*	21.4%	*	17.0%
05-06	36.8%	34.0%	31.6%	26.5%	26.3%	22.0%	5.3%	17.5%
04-05	52.6%	32.1%	15.8%	28.3%	21.1%	21.2%	10.5%	18.4%
03-04	16.7%	34.1%	25.0%	26.5%	41.7%	21.7%	16.7%	17.7%
<b>Mathematics</b>								
07-08	57.89%	25.45%	26.32%	26.40%	*	24.47%	*	23.68%
06-07	52.4%	29.7%	28.6%	31.6%	*	21.2%	*	17.4%
05-06	26.3%	28.4%	15.8%	31.9%	47.4%	22.3%	10.5%	17.5%
04-05	52.6%	26.9%	15.8%	31.1%	21.1%	22.9%	10.5%	19.1%
03-04	25.0%	28.3%	25.0%	29.3%	50.0%	22.6%	0.0%	19.8%

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Girdwood Elementary School TerraNova Grade 7 Percent in Each Quartile								
Reading	Above Average		Average				Below Average	
	4th Quartile (76-99 percentile)		3rd Quartile (51-75 percentile)		2nd Quartile (26-50 percentile)		1st Quartile (1-25 percentile)	
	School	District	School	District	School	District	School	District
07-08	35.71%	30.31%	28.57%	32.50%	*	24.54%	*	12.66%
06-07	63.2%	35.6%	21.1%	28.0%	*	21.5%	*	14.9%
05-06	66.7%	34.6%	33.3%	28.4%	0.0%	21.8%	0.0%	15.3%
04-05	70.6%	33.9%	23.5%	27.1%	5.9%	21.7%	0.0%	17.4%
03-04	43.8%	35.1%	37.5%	28.2%	18.8%	21.4%	0.0%	15.3%
<b>Language</b>								
07-08	42.86%	30.26%	*	29.23%	42.86%	25.08%	*	15.43%
06-07	68.4%	35.4%	21.1%	28.7%	*	21.5%	*	14.3%
05-06	22.2%	34.9%	66.7%	28.4%	11.1%	21.4%	0.0%	15.3%
04-05	64.7%	34.4%	17.6%	28.2%	17.6%	20.5%	0.0%	16.9%
03-04	50.0%	35.3%	31.3%	28.5%	18.8%	21.7%	0.0%	14.5%
<b>Mathematics</b>								
07-08	28.57%	32.27%	21.43%	26.81%	28.57%	24.16%	21.43%	16.76%
06-07	42.1%	31.5%	31.6%	28.3%	*	23.0%	*	17.2%
05-06	40.0%	31.4%	40.0%	27.8%	20.0%	23.4%	0.0%	17.4%
04-05	64.7%	29.7%	17.6%	26.4%	17.6%	22.9%	0.0%	20.9%
03-04	18.8%	30.2%	50.0%	27.6%	18.8%	23.9%	12.5%	18.4%

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2007-08 TerraNova 3rd Edition Count in Each Quartile for Girdwood School Grade 5				
	Quartile 4 Count	Quartile 3 Count	Quartile 2 Count	Quartile 1 Count
Reading	12	3	*	*
Language	8	7	*	*
Math	11	5	*	*
<b>Grade 7</b>				
Reading	5	4	*	*
Language	6	*	6	*
Math	4	3	4	3

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**Climate Survey Results for Girdwood Elementary School**

The Anchorage School District administered the School Climate and Connectedness Surveys in spring 2008 to students in grades 5-12, all school staff and parents/guardians of students in grades K-12. The surveys were done to provide schools with information about perceptions and experiences related to school climate for use in setting school goals and redirecting resources. In the spring of 2008 grades 3 and 4 students were involved in a pilot survey for measuring school climate and connectedness. The results are currently under review by the American Institutes for Research.

Respondents were asked to answer a series of questions that were related to a certain concept. For each item, there were five options from which to choose a response. The answer options ranged from strongly disagree (1) to strongly agree (5).

Student Survey Response Rate – Grades 5-12			
	Girdwood School	Overall Elementary Schools	District**
# Surveys Completed	67	5,579	21,629
# Reportable Surveys	58	4,969	18,654
# Students Enrolled*	75	6,331	28,945
Reportable Response Rate	77.33%	78.49%	64.45%

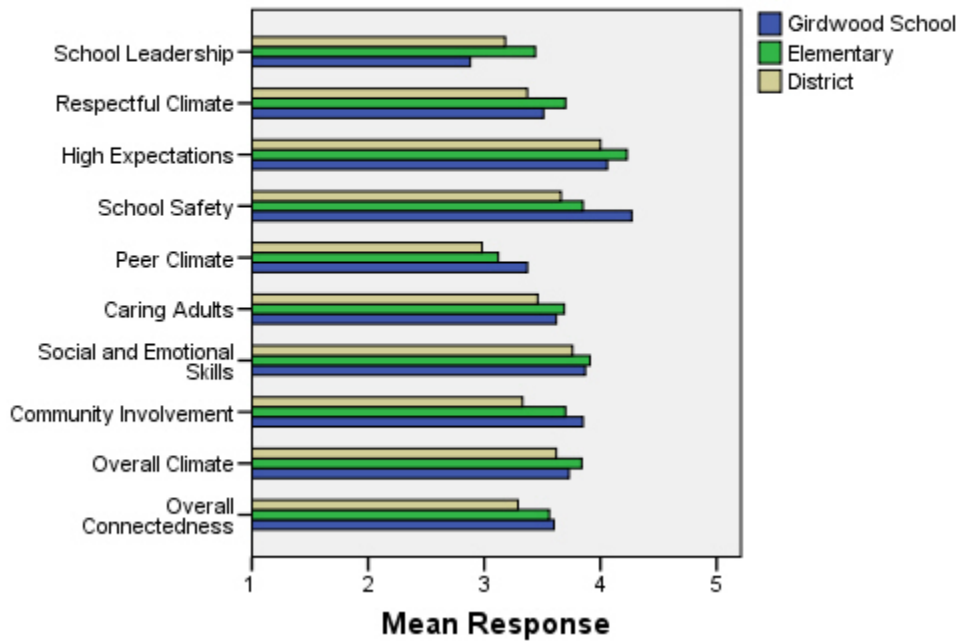
\*Number enrolled as of April 1, 2008

\*\*District data does not include KCC responses

Each question in the survey related to a factor or concept, and a score was calculated based on the mean response for the questions related to each factor. The factors measured in the survey were:

- **School Leadership and Student Involvement:** This factor reflects students’ feelings about the decision making of school leaders as well as student participation in the school governance. Students selected responses between 1 and 5 where 1 indicates a low level of school leadership and student involvement and 5 indicates a high level of school leadership and student involvement.
- **Respectful Climate:** This factor reflects students’ feelings about fairness of rules and respect for students’ contributions. Students selected responses between 1 and 5 where 1 indicates a lack of a respectful climate and 5 indicates a highly respectful climate for students.
- **High Expectations:** This factor reflects students’ feelings about their own expectations as well as those of adults in their school and community. Students selected responses between 1 and 5 where 1 indicates a lack of high expectations and 5 indicates a high level of high expectations.
- **School Safety:** This factor reflects students’ feelings about bullies and gangs at school as well as general crime and violence in the community. Students selected responses between 1 and 5 where 1 indicates a low level of school safety and 5 indicates a high level of school safety.
- **Peer Climate:** This factor reflects students’ feelings about how respectful students are to one another and how helpful students are to other students. Students selected responses between 1 and 5 where 1 indicates a more negative peer climate and 5 indicates a very positive peer climate at the school.
- **Caring Adults:** This factor reflects students’ feelings about how close they feel to adults in the school. Students selected responses between 1 and 5 where 1 indicates a lack of caring adult relationships and 5 indicates strong caring adult relationships at the school.
- **Social and Emotional Learning:** This factor reflects students’ ability to think about the consequences of their actions and to empathize with others. Students selected responses between 1 and 5 where 1 indicates that students at the school perceive themselves as having poorer social and emotional learning, and 5 indicates higher levels of social and emotional learning.
- **Community Involvement:** This factor reflects students’ feelings about how supportive and welcoming the school is with parents and the community. Students selected responses between 1 and 5 where 1 indicates a less supportive and welcoming environment and 5 indicates a more supportive and welcoming environment.
- **Overall Climate:** The overall climate score was computed as the mean of three scales: school leadership, high expectations and school safety.
- **Overall Connectedness:** Overall connectedness score was computed as a mean of four scales: respectful climate, peer climate, caring adults and community involvement.

### Climate and Connectedness Student Survey - Girdwood



Student Survey Mean Response by Factors Related to School Climate - Overall District			
	Girdwood School	Overall Elementary Schools	District
School Leadership	2.88	3.44	3.18
Respectful Climate	3.51	3.70	3.37
High Expectations	4.06	4.23	4.00
School Safety	4.27	3.85	3.66
Peer Climate	3.37	3.12	2.98
Caring Adults	3.62	3.69	3.46
Social and Emotional Skills	3.87	3.91	3.76
Community Involvement	3.85	3.70	3.33
Overall Climate	3.73	3.84	3.62
Overall Connectedness	3.60	3.56	3.29

Range is from a low of 1 to a high of 5

Students were also asked to answer questions related to school danger. The following table provides the responses for those questions:

Student Survey Results of the School Danger Questions - Percent of Students Responding in Each Category					
	0 Times	1-2 Times	3-6 Times	7-12 Times	> 12 Times
<b>Girdwood School</b>					
Under the influence of drugs?	77.59%	18.97%	3.45%	0.00%	0.00%
Under the influence of alcohol?	82.76%	15.52%	1.72%	0.00%	0.00%
Destroy things (vandalism)?	36.21%	43.10%	15.52%	1.72%	3.45%
Get into fights?	31.03%	46.55%	15.52%	1.72%	5.17%
Steal things?	56.90%	32.76%	5.17%	1.72%	3.45%
Threaten or bully?	39.66%	29.31%	17.24%	8.62%	5.17%
Under the influence of inhalants?	74.14%	20.69%	1.72%	1.72%	1.72%
Carry weapons?	84.48%	12.07%	3.45%	0.00%	0.00%
<b>Overall Elementary Schools</b>					
Under the influence of drugs?	91.87%	5.65%	1.22%	0.31%	0.96%
Under the influence of alcohol?	91.42%	6.01%	1.16%	0.51%	0.90%
Destroy things (vandalism)?	46.82%	32.08%	12.45%	3.30%	5.36%
Get into fights?	22.32%	35.75%	22.56%	7.96%	11.41%
Steal things?	49.79%	27.92%	12.01%	4.33%	5.95%
Threaten or bully?	32.34%	28.83%	17.08%	7.78%	13.97%
Under the influence of inhalants?	71.03%	17.07%	6.14%	2.63%	3.12%
Carry weapons?	79.22%	15.35%	3.17%	0.59%	1.68%
<b>District</b>					
Under the influence of drugs?	60.45%	15.05%	9.54%	3.92%	11.04%
Under the influence of alcohol?	63.11%	16.37%	8.90%	4.43%	7.19%
Destroy things (vandalism)?	41.26%	29.47%	15.45%	5.88%	7.94%
Get into fights?	26.40%	35.20%	21.96%	7.11%	9.33%
Steal things?	44.80%	25.68%	13.81%	6.98%	8.74%
Threaten or bully?	32.21%	26.21%	16.68%	9.27%	15.63%
Under the influence of inhalants?	72.79%	14.21%	5.66%	2.48%	4.87%
Carry weapons?	69.45%	19.15%	5.34%	2.01%	4.06%

Student Survey Results of the Mean Factor Score by Ethnicity (Self-Reported)							
	AKNA/AI	AF AM	Hispanic	Asian/NH	White	Other	Multi-Ethnic
<b>Girdwood School</b>							
School Leadership	2.30	1.80	4.00	3.80	2.81	2.47	3.47
Respectful Climate	3.17	2.33	4.25	4.50	3.53	2.44	3.50
High Expectations	3.57	2.86	3.86	4.29	4.09	3.57	4.38
School Safety	3.80	3.00	5.00	3.00	4.36	3.60	4.00
Peer Climate	2.80	2.00	4.20	2.80	3.38	3.00	3.67
Caring Adults	3.80	2.20	3.00	2.00	3.75	2.93	3.90
Social and Emotional Skills	3.33	***	4.17	4.13	3.91	3.24	3.93
Community Involvement	3.64	2.29	4.00	3.14	3.91	3.19	4.19
Overall Climate	3.22	2.55	4.29	3.70	3.74	3.21	3.95
Overall Connectedness	3.35	2.20	3.86	3.11	3.68	2.89	3.89
<b>Overall Elementary Schools</b>							
School Leadership	3.56	3.50	3.52	3.55	3.37	3.44	3.42
Respectful Climate	3.75	3.60	3.66	3.72	3.71	3.69	3.63
High Expectations	4.12	4.23	4.23	4.22	4.26	4.19	4.25
School Safety	3.75	3.63	3.73	3.68	4.03	3.66	3.79
Peer Climate	3.12	2.94	3.12	3.18	3.16	3.05	3.05
Caring Adults	3.64	3.73	3.64	3.59	3.74	3.60	3.76
Social and Emotional Skills	3.86	3.84	3.91	3.95	3.93	3.90	3.89
Community Involvement	3.66	3.60	3.67	3.66	3.75	3.66	3.70
Overall Climate	3.81	3.79	3.84	3.81	3.89	3.76	3.82
Overall Connectedness	3.56	3.49	3.51	3.53	3.60	3.49	3.56
<b>District</b>							
School Leadership	3.33	3.14	3.19	3.28	3.14	3.17	3.15
Respectful Climate	3.48	3.18	3.32	3.39	3.39	3.37	3.33
High Expectations	3.98	3.94	3.96	4.02	4.02	4.00	4.01
School Safety	3.60	3.48	3.55	3.47	3.78	3.51	3.62
Peer Climate	3.01	2.85	2.94	3.05	3.00	2.92	2.93
Caring Adults	3.49	3.43	3.37	3.33	3.51	3.42	3.46
Social and Emotional Skills	3.73	3.66	3.73	3.81	3.78	3.75	3.74
Community Involvement	3.37	3.22	3.31	3.29	3.34	3.34	3.31
Overall Climate	3.64	3.52	3.57	3.59	3.65	3.56	3.60
Overall Connectedness	3.33	3.17	3.24	3.26	3.31	3.26	3.27

\*\*\*Results can not be calculated because of missing responses

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The response rate is not high enough to provide statistically reliable results for Girdwood School's Parent/Guardian Survey Results.