



Westwood International School

School Attitude Survey- Parent Form

This instrument investigates your feelings and concerns about your **current** experiences at Westwood. The survey is anonymous and the information will be used to improve the environment for staff, students and parents. If you have more than one child attending the school, we would appreciate a response for each child, as each child's experience of the school can be a little different and we value information about every child equally.

Please rate your agreement with the following statements using the adjacent scale:

SD- Strongly Disagree **D-** Disagree **N-** Neither Agree or Disagree **A-** Agree **SA-** Strongly Agree

My child's teacher(s) is/are knowledgeable.	SD	D	N	A	SA
My child's teacher(s) communicate effectively.	SD	D	N	A	SA
My child's teacher(s) is/are enthusiastic.	SD	D	N	A	SA
My child's teacher(s) care for and support my child.	SD	D	N	A	SA
I feel the teacher(s) take a special interest in my child.	SD	D	N	A	SA
My child's teacher(s) do/does not seem to know my child very well.	SD	D	N	A	SA
My child is happy when they come home from school.	SD	D	N	A	SA
Discipline is not an issue in my child's class.	SD	D	N	A	SA
Discipline is appropriate in the school as a whole.	SD	D	N	A	SA
There is a need for more focus to be placed on discipline at the school.	SD	D	N	A	SA
The work my child undertakes in class is at an appropriate level.	SD	D	N	A	SA
My child's class work is related to real world problems.	SD	D	N	A	SA
I am satisfied with the academic resources available to my child.	SD	D	N	A	SA
There are ample resources available to my child in the school library.	SD	D	N	A	SA
There are adequate computing resources available to my child.	SD	D	N	A	SA
The facilities of the school are good.	SD	D	N	A	SA
When I call the school I feel I matter.	SD	D	N	A	SA
If I talk to school administration they are responsive to my needs.	SD	D	N	A	SA
The school is well managed.	SD	D	N	A	SA
Communication from the school is effective.	SD	D	N	A	SA
I never know what is happening at school until the last moment.	SD	D	N	A	SA
School reports tell me what I need to know about my child's abilities.	SD	D	N	A	SA
The school sets high standards.	SD	D	N	A	SA

My child has a supportive group of school friends.	SD	D	N	A	SA
The school fosters my child's social development.	SD	D	N	A	SA
I have heard of bullying at the school.	SD	D	N	A	SA
My child has been bullied at school.	SD	D	N	A	SA
The school provides additional opportunities (sport/music/drama, etc.)	SD	D	N	A	SA
There is too much required of my child out of school hours.	SD	D	N	A	SA
My child has developed an understanding of their place in the world through the school's program.	SD	D	N	A	SA
My child is learning that other cultures have different ways of approaching problems.	SD	D	N	A	SA
The curriculum is different here from others my child has been exposed to.	SD	D	N	A	SA
My child is becoming aware of how different world views lead to different expressions of ideas.	SD	D	N	A	SA
I am happy with the choice of school for my child.	SD	D	N	A	SA
Having teachers from different cultural backgrounds helps develop my child's acceptance of diversity.	SD	D	N	A	SA
I am confident that the quality of education in this school is equal to that my child would receive in my homeland.	SD	D	N	A	SA
School management is very approachable.	SD	D	N	A	SA
I feel like I know what is going on at the school.	SD	D	N	A	SA
I feel like I know what is happening in the classroom.	SD	D	N	A	SA
Overall I am happy with the way the school is governed.	SD	D	N	A	SA

The Three best things about this school are:

Three things that I feel should be improved at the school are:

Is there anything you wish to add relating to the school environment?

Child's Sex: Male Female My child is in Primary Secondary (7-13)

In which country were you born? _____ Where was your child born? _____

If you were born overseas: When did you arrive in Botswana Y____/M _____

In which other countries has your child been educated? _____

How long has your child been at Westwood? _____

Do you speak more than one language at home? YES NO