**Top 5 Most Helpful Ways for Schools to Engage with Parents/Families**

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<td>Provide parents with multiple measures on how their child is doing academically</td>
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<td>Respond within 48 hours of when parents/families submit questions/comments</td>
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<td>Giving teachers dedicated time in their day to communicate with students’ families</td>
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<td>Providing accommodations to allow parents/families with disabilities to access information, activities, or opportunities to engage with the school</td>
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<td>Connecting students’ families with additional support or resources they may need, such as access to food or housing</td>
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**How Welcoming is the School Environment**

- Very Welcoming (4 to 5): 48%
- Somewhat Welcoming (2 to 3): 32%
- Neutral/Unwelcoming (1 to 5): 21%

**Agree/Disagree Statements** (% Strongly/Somewhat Agree)

- I feel like the teachers, faculty, and staff at my child’s school respect me: 79%
- When I share feedback or concerns with my child’s school, I feel like my input is heard and listened to: 71%

**57% rate last year’s parent-teacher conferences as excellent or very good**

**58% say their child’s school makes it easy to share thoughts with school administration**

**58% say their child’s school makes it easy to share thoughts with teachers**

**48% are very confident they know who to ask or how to find information from their child’s school**

**% Rates Their Child’s School as Excellent**

- Communicating w/ me in ways I can access easily: 31%
- Providing academic updates to see if child on grade level: 26%
- Being responsive to my questions/concerns: 27%
- Helping me get to know school staff: 18%