

Pickens County Schools Community Survey

Q1. Which of the following best describes you:

Answer Choices	Responses	
I am a parent, guardian, or relative of a Pickens County student.	72.50%	414
I am a Pickens County student.	3.68%	21
I am a Pickens County School System employee or employee's relative.	6.13%	35
I have business interests in or near Pickens County.	1.93%	11
I am a concerned citizen and/or resident of Pickens County or the surrounding area.	15.76%	90

Weighted Average

Q6. Honesty:	3.95
Q31. Strong work ethic:	3.91
Q2. Willing to listen to students, parents, community, and staff:	3.9
Q3. Willing to make tough decisions:	3.9
Q16. High ethical and moral standards:	3.9
Q25. Willing to admit to problems and mistakes:	3.85
Q27. Ability to attract and retain high quality teachers, administrators, and staff for the Pickens County School System:	3.85
Q17. Ability to improve Pickens County's student achievement levels:	3.74
Q8. Experience and knowledge of school system finances and budget:	3.69
Q5. Classroom teaching experience:	3.63
Q14. Likely to serve as Pickens County Superintendent for an extended time:	3.63
Q12. Ability to oversee curriculum and instruction:	3.62
Q30. Ability to improve Pickens County's graduation rate:	3.62
Q13. Projects an image of professionalism and polish:	3.57
Q24. Good public speaker and communicator:	3.57
Q26. Willing to hold educators accountable for student outcomes and results:	3.52

Q22. Ability to work effectively and in harmony with the School Board:	3.49
Q15. School-level administrative experience:	3.48
Q9. Ability to oversee facilities, maintenance, renovation, and construction:	3.41
Q32. Experience in and/or knowledge of legal and personnel matters:	3.39
Q19. Knowledge and/or experience in administration of support functions such as special education, food service, and transportation:	3.37
Q4. Advanced degree(s) in Education Administration:	3.32
Q10. Experience in school system(s) similar to Pickens County:	3.28
Q7. Familiar with the Pickens County School System:	3.26
Q29. High energy level:	3.26
Q21. Civic and community involvement and leadership:	3.25
Q20. Prior service and/or success as a school superintendent:	2.97
Q18. Active in professional organizations:	2.96
Q23. Central office administrative experience:	2.85
Q11. Experience in school system(s) different from Pickens County:	2.79
Q28. History of successful employment with the Pickens County School System:	2.64