

**PHILADELPHIA RESEARCH INITIATIVE / ABT SRBI  
PHILADELPHIA K-12 EDUCATION SURVEY  
FINAL TOPLINE  
December 11 – December 22, 2009**

SCHOOLTYPE

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
PUBLIC	576 100%	-	-
CHARTER	-	111 100%	-
CATHOLIC	-	-	115 100%

GENDER. CHILD'S GENDER

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	396	198	197
TOTAL WEIGHTED	569	109	114
MALE	276 48%	46 42%	54 48%
FEMALE	293 52%	63 58%	59 52%
NUMBER OF ANSWERS IN	569	109	114

Q1. TO BEGIN WITH, FOR HOW MANY YEARS HAVE YOU LIVED IN PHILADELPHIA OR HAVE YOU LIVED HERE ALL OF YOUR LIFE?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
LESS THAN ONE	1 *	-	2 1%
ONE OR TWO	4 1%	1 *	1 *
3 - 5	22 4%	2 2%	2 2%
6 - 10	37 6%	5 4%	4 3%
11 - 20	69 12%	8 7%	5 4%
21 - 30	39 7%	10 9%	6 5%
MORE THAN 30	49 8%	5 4%	5 4%
ALL MY LIFE	355 62%	80 72%	91 78%

\* = less than 1%

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Q2. IN GENERAL, HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE JOB PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE DOING HERE IN PHILADELPHIA - EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR, OR POOR?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	66 11%	5 4%	3 3%
GOOD	168 29%	22 20%	13 11%
ONLY FAIR	217 38%	33 29%	30 26%
POOR	113 20%	38 34%	53 46%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	11 2%	13 12%	16 14%

Q3A. HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE JOB PHILADELPHIA'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE DOING GIVING STUDENTS A SOLID BACKGROUND IN MATH AND ENGLISH?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	62 11%	7 6%	4 3%
GOOD	223 39%	25 22%	21 18%
ONLY FAIR	185 32%	33 30%	35 30%
POOR	86 15%	30 27%	32 27%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	20 3%	16 14%	24 20%

Q3B. HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE JOB PHILADELPHIA'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE DOING MAINTAINING A SAFE ENVIRONMENT AWAY FROM DRUGS AND GANG

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	70 12%	8 7%	5 4%
GOOD	200 35%	21 19%	12 10%
ONLY FAIR	152 26%	34 30%	30 26%
POOR	142 25%	36 33%	53 45%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	11 2%	12 10%	16 14%

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Q3C. HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE JOB PHILADELPHIA'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE DOING KEEPING ORDER AND DISCIPLINE IN THE CLASSROOM?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	52 9%	6 5%	3 2%
GOOD	178 31%	20 18%	11 9%
ONLY FAIR	184 32%	35 32%	23 19%
POOR	141 24%	42 38%	59 51%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	22 4%	8 7%	20 17%

Q3D. HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE JOB PHILADELPHIA'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE DOING HAVING THE NECESSARY SUPPLIES AND TECHNOLOGY?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	56 10%	7 6%	8 6%
GOOD	165 29%	25 22%	24 20%
ONLY FAIR	207 36%	35 31%	33 28%
POOR	134 23%	32 29%	28 24%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	14 2%	12 11%	24 20%

Q3E. HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE JOB PHILADELPHIA'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE DOING HAVING WELL QUALIFIED TEACHERS?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	80 14%	12 10%	8 6%
GOOD	266 46%	37 33%	42 36%
ONLY FAIR	168 29%	37 34%	31 26%
POOR	49 8%	13 11%	15 13%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	13 2%	12 11%	21 18%

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Q3F. HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE JOB PHILADELPHIA'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE DOING HAVING ENOUGH EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES FOR STUDENTS?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	63 11%	7 6%	6 5%
GOOD	159 28%	26 23%	25 21%
ONLY FAIR	167 29%	29 26%	31 26%
POOR	175 30%	37 34%	31 26%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	11 2%	12 10%	24 20%

Q3G. HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE JOB PHILADELPHIA'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE DOING CREATING AN ENVIRONMENT THAT ALLOWS STUDENTS TO LEARN?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	72 12%	9 8%	5 4%
GOOD	200 35%	26 24%	16 13%
ONLY FAIR	191 33%	35 31%	34 29%
POOR	103 18%	29 26%	40 35%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	10 2%	12 10%	20 17%

Q4. SOME PEOPLE SAY THAT THE BEST WAY TO IMPROVE EDUCATION IN PHILADELPHIA IS TO STRENGTHEN THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM. OTHERS SAY THE BEST WAY TO IMPROVE EDUCATION IS TO GIVE PARENTS CHOICES OF WHERE TO SEND THEIR CHILDREN TO SCHOOL. HOW ABOUT YOU:

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
STRENGTHEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS	267 46%	43 39%	41 35%
GIVE PARENTS MORE CHOICE OF SCHOOLS	205 36%	52 47%	59 51%
BOTH/NEITHER/OTHER	90 16%	14 12%	12 10%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	13 2%	2 2%	4 3%

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Q5. LET' S TALK ABOUT YOUR CHI LD. HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE JOB [THI S/HI S/HER] SCHOOL IS DOING - EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR, OR POOR?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	208 36%	66 59%	69 59%
GOOD	204 35%	35 31%	38 33%
ONLY FAIR	119 21%	9 8%	7 6%
POOR	42 7%	1 *	2 1%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	3 *	1 *	- -

Q5A. HOW OLD WAS YOUR CHILD WHEN YOU DECIDED ON A [PUBLIC/CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL, OR DID YOU KNOW ALL ALONG?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	396	198	197
TOTAL WEIGHTED	569	109	114
KNEW ALL ALONG	337 59%	32 29%	78 69%
1	4 1%	2 2%	- -
2	3 1%	1 1%	- -
3	13 2%	2 2%	1 1%
4	11 2%	6 6%	3 3%
5	69 12%	15 14%	10 9%
6	32 6%	4 4%	6 6%
7	11 2%	7 6%	2 2%
8	9 2%	4 4%	3 3%
9	4 1%	2 2%	1 1%
10	6 1%	7 7%	1 1%
11	7 1%	5 5%	2 2%
12	9 2%	4 4%	1 1%
13	13 2%	7 7%	1 1%
14	16 3%	8 7%	2 2%
15	6 1%	2 2%	1 1%
16	1 *	2 2%	- -
17	1 *	1 1%	- -
OTHER	3 1%	- -	- -
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	13 2%	- -	- -

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Q5B. WHAT IS THE MAIN REASON YOU SENT YOUR CHILD TO A [PUBLIC/CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	396	198	197
TOTAL WEIGHTED	569	109	114
DIDN'T HAVE ANY CHOICE, NO ALTERNATIVES	139 24%	3 3%	5 5%
SCHOOL QUALITY	70 12%	49 45%	39 35%
SCHOOL CURRICULUM/ CLASSES	32 6%	34 31%	23 20%
SIZE OF CLASSES	3 1%	17 16%	8 7%
SIZE OF SCHOOL	1 *	6 6%	3 3%
MORAL OR RELIGIOUS GROUNDS	11 2%	5 5%	36 32%
PHYSICAL SAFETY	- -	14 13%	24 21%
BETTER FACILITIES	9 2%	12 11%	10 9%
TRANSPORTATION	10 2%	5 5%	1 1%
LOCATION	128 22%	8 8%	4 4%
COST/AFFORDABILITY	134 23%	3 3%	1 1%
TRADITION/PERSONAL EXPERIENCE	20 4%	- -	3 3%
DISCIPLINE	1 *	3 3%	9 8%
PREFERENCE (UNSPECIFIED)	19 3%	7 7%	3 3%
OTHER	34 6%	8 8%	3 3%
NO SINGLE REASON/NO REASON	10 2%	1 1%	- -
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	1 *	- -	1 1%

Q6. OVERALL, WOULD YOU SAY YOU ARE SATISFIED OR DISSATISFIED WITH THE QUALITY OF EDUCATION YOUR CHILD IS RECEIVING?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
VERY SATISFIED	230 40%	80 72%	86 74%
SOMEWHAT SATISFIED	214 37%	25 23%	24 21%
SOMEWHAT DISSATISFIED	78 13%	4 3%	4 3%
VERY DISSATISFIED	52 9%	1 *	1 1%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	3 *	1 1%	- -

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Q7. THINKING BACK OVER THE LAST FEW YEARS, HAS THE QUALITY OF EDUCATION FOR YOUR CHILD GOTTEN BETTER, GOTTEN WORSE, OR STAYED THE SAME.

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
BETTER	260 45%	69 63%	57 49%
SAME	233 40%	35 32%	52 45%
WORSE	60 10%	4 4%	5 4%
N/A DIDN'T HAVE CHILD IN SCHOOL THEN	11 2%	1 1%	1 1%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	11 2%	1 *	1 1%

Q8. HOW LIKELY WOULD YOU BE TO RECOMMEND THIS SCHOOL TO OTHER PARENTS - VERY LIKELY, SOMEWHAT LIKELY, NOT TOO LIKELY OR NOT AT ALL LIKELY?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
VERY LIKELY	267 46%	91 82%	88 76%
SOMEWHAT LIKELY	162 28%	17 15%	23 19%
NOT TOO LIKELY	47 8%	1 1%	3 2%
NOT AT ALL LIKELY	90 16%	2 1%	2 1%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	9 1%	- -	1 *

Q9. IF YOU HAD AN OPPORTUNITY, WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEND YOUR CHILD TO A DIFFERENT SCHOOL OR WOULD YOU STAY WHERE YOU ARE?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
DIFFERENT SCHOOL	258 45%	22 20%	27 23%
STAY IN SAME SCHOOL	302 52%	86 78%	86 74%
DEPENDS	14 2%	2 2%	2 2%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	1 *	1 *	1 *

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Q10. WHAT'S THE MAIN REASON YOU CAN'T SEND YOUR CHILD TO A DIFFERENT SCHOOL?  
 BASE: Would like to send child to a different school

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	180	40	46
TOTAL WEIGHTED	258	22	27
MONEY	118 46%	9 40%	7 26%
TRANSPORTATION	14 6%	1 5%	3 11%
DISTANCE	32 12%	3 15%	1 4%
NOT ENOUGH INFORMATION ABOUT ALTERNATIVES	11 4%	- -	2 9%
CHILD WOULDN'T WANT TO GO	6 2%	- -	1 2%
CHILD COULD NOT GET IN/ WAS NOT ADMITTED	39 15%	3 12%	1 2%
CUT OFF FROM FRIENDS/ NEIGHBORHOOD	1 1%	1 2%	1 2%
BETTER QUALITY SCHOOL SYSTEM	4 2%	1 5%	3 13%
ACCOMMODATIONS FOR SPECIAL NEEDS	7 3%	1 2%	1 2%
LATER YEARS IN HIGH SCHOOL	7 3%	1 2%	1 2%
PERSONAL CHOICE	4 2%	2 7%	2 9%
OTHER	7 3%	1 2%	3 11%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	7 3%	1 5%	2 7%

Q11A. PLEASE RATE HOW WELL YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING IN DIFFERENT AREAS. FOR EACH ONE I READ JUST TELL ME IF YOU THINK THE SCHOOL IS DOING AN EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR OR POOR JOB.  
 \* THE QUALITY OF TEACHERS

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	165 29%	63 57%	57 49%
GOOD	243 42%	38 34%	44 38%
ONLY FAIR	125 22%	8 7%	13 11%
POOR	34 6%	2 1%	2 1%
DEPENDS/OTHER	1 *	- -	- -
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	7 1%	- -	- -

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Q11B. PLEASE RATE HOW WELL YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING IN DIFFERENT AREAS. FOR EACH ONE I READ JUST TELL ME IF YOU THINK THE SCHOOL IS DOING AN EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR OR POOR JOB.  
 \* THE AVAILABILITY OF EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND SPORTS?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	106 18%	40 36%	53 45%
GOOD	185 32%	37 33%	42 36%
ONLY FAIR	138 24%	20 18%	13 11%
POOR	126 22%	11 10%	6 5%
DEPENDS/OTHER	4 1%	1 *	1 1%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	16 3%	2 2%	1 *

Q11C. PLEASE RATE HOW WELL YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING IN DIFFERENT AREAS. FOR EACH ONE I READ JUST TELL ME IF YOU THINK THE SCHOOL IS DOING AN EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR OR POOR JOB.  
 \* THE CONDITION OF PHYSICAL FACILITIES SUCH AS CLASSROOMS?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	128 22%	64 58%	54 46%
GOOD	241 42%	36 32%	47 41%
ONLY FAIR	146 25%	9 8%	12 10%
POOR	55 9%	1 1%	2 2%
DEPENDS/OTHER	1 *	- -	1 *
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	4 1%	1 *	- -

Q11D. PLEASE RATE HOW WELL YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING IN DIFFERENT AREAS. FOR EACH ONE I READ JUST TELL ME IF YOU THINK THE SCHOOL IS DOING AN EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR OR POOR JOB.  
 \* YOUR CHILD'S PHYSICAL SAFETY?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	178 31%	74 67%	84 73%
GOOD	227 39%	30 27%	29 25%
ONLY FAIR	112 19%	5 4%	2 1%
POOR	56 10%	1 1%	1 *
DEPENDS/OTHER	3 *	- -	- -

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Q11E. PLEASE RATE HOW WELL YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING IN DIFFERENT AREAS. FOR EACH ONE I READ JUST TELL ME IF YOU THINK THE SCHOOL IS DOING AN EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR OR POOR JOB.  
 \* THE JOB THE PRINCIPAL IS DOING RUNNING THE SCHOOL?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	184 32%	63 57%	65 56%
GOOD	213 37%	35 32%	37 32%
ONLY FAIR	112 19%	7 6%	12 10%
POOR	52 9%	3 2%	1 1%
DEPENDS/OTHER	4 1%	- -	1 *
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	11 2%	2 2%	1 *

Q11F. PLEASE RATE HOW WELL YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING IN DIFFERENT AREAS. FOR EACH ONE I READ JUST TELL ME IF YOU THINK THE SCHOOL IS DOING AN EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR OR POOR JOB.  
 \* THE SIZE OF CLASSES?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	111 19%	54 49%	48 41%
GOOD	204 35%	42 38%	50 43%
ONLY FAIR	138 24%	12 11%	15 13%
POOR	112 19%	2 1%	2 2%
DEPENDS/OTHER	- -	- -	1 *
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	11 2%	1 *	- -

Q12G. PLEASE TELL ME IF YOU THINK YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING AN EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR OR POOR JOB IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS.  
 \* THE EMPHASIS OF THE CURRICULUM?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	144 25%	71 64%	67 58%
GOOD	221 38%	33 29%	41 35%
ONLY FAIR	148 26%	7 6%	6 5%
POOR	50 9%	1 *	1 *
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	13 2%	1 *	1 1%

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Q12H. PLEASE TELL ME IF YOU THINK YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING AN EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR OR POOR JOB IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS.  
 \* TEACHER COMMUNICATION WITH PARENTS?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	191 33%	67 61%	62 53%
GOOD	198 34%	30 27%	39 34%
ONLY FAIR	101 17%	10 9%	10 9%
POOR	79 14%	2 1%	2 2%
DEPENDS/OTHER	3 *	- -	1 *
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	4 1%	1 1%	1 1%

Q12I . PLEASE TELL ME IF YOU THINK YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING AN EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR OR POOR JOB IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS.  
 \* THE AMOUNT OF ATTENTION TO YOUR CHILD'S INDIVIDUAL NEEDS?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	154 27%	66 60%	59 51%
GOOD	187 32%	31 28%	42 36%
ONLY FAIR	132 23%	12 10%	10 9%
POOR	93 16%	1 *	2 1%
DEPENDS/OTHER	3 *	- -	1 *
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	7 1%	1 1%	1 1%

Q12J. PLEASE TELL ME IF YOU THINK YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING AN EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR OR POOR JOB IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS.  
 \* KEEPING ORDER AND DISCIPLINE IN THE CLASSROOM?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	145 25%	73 66%	78 68%
GOOD	213 37%	30 27%	29 25%
ONLY FAIR	126 22%	6 5%	5 4%
POOR	82 14%	1 1%	- -
DEPENDS/OTHER	- -	- -	1 *
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	10 2%	1 1%	2 1%

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Q12K. PLEASE TELL ME IF YOU THINK YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING AN EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR OR POOR JOB IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS.  
 \* THE SIZE OF THE CLASSES?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	396	198	197
TOTAL WEIGHTED	569	109	114
EXCELLENT	101 18%	62 57%	54 47%
GOOD	195 34%	37 34%	44 39%
ONLY FAIR	157 28%	9 8%	14 12%
POOR	103 18%	1 1%	1 1%
DEPENDS/OTHER	1 *	- -	- -
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	11 2%	1 1%	1 1%

Q12L. PLEASE TELL ME IF YOU THINK YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING AN EXCELLENT, GOOD, ONLY FAIR OR POOR JOB IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS.  
 \* THE SIZE OF THE SCHOOL?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	158 27%	67 60%	61 53%
GOOD	234 41%	35 32%	44 38%
ONLY FAIR	112 19%	6 5%	8 7%
POOR	60 10%	1 *	1 *
DEPENDS/OTHER	1 *	1 1%	1 *
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	10 2%	1 1%	1 *

Q23L. HERE IS THE LAST LIST. PLEASE TELL ME HOW YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING IN EACH AREA.  
 \* HAVING THE RIGHT AMOUNT OF EMPHASIS ON MORAL VALUES

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	134 23%	64 58%	88 76%
GOOD	208 36%	36 32%	24 20%
ONLY FAIR	142 25%	8 7%	2 2%
POOR	67 12%	1 1%	1 1%
DEPENDS/OTHER/ N/A	3 *	1 *	- -
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	22 4%	1 1%	- -

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Q23M. HERE IS THE LAST LIST. PLEASE TELL ME HOW YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING IN EACH AREA.  
 \* GIVING STUDENTS A SOLID BACKGROUND IN MATH AND ENGLISH

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	169 29%	72 65%	70 60%
GOOD	231 40%	29 26%	38 33%
ONLY FAIR	126 22%	9 8%	6 5%
POOR	43 7%	- -	1 1%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	6 1%	1 1%	1 *

Q23N. HERE IS THE LAST LIST. PLEASE TELL ME HOW YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING IN EACH AREA.  
 \* PREPARING OUR CHILD TO DO WELL ON STANDARDIZED TESTS

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	168 29%	71 64%	57 49%
GOOD	210 36%	26 23%	42 36%
ONLY FAIR	131 23%	9 8%	12 10%
POOR	34 6%	2 1%	3 2%
DEPENDS/OTHER/ N/A	10 2%	1 *	- -
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	23 4%	3 2%	2 1%

Q23O. HERE IS THE LAST LIST. PLEASE TELL ME HOW YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING IN EACH AREA.  
 \* HAVING THE NECESSARY COMPUTERS, SUPPLIES AND TECHNOLOGY

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	149 26%	68 62%	61 53%
GOOD	200 35%	33 29%	42 36%
ONLY FAIR	142 25%	7 6%	7 6%
POOR	70 12%	1 1%	5 4%
DEPENDS/OTHER/ N/A	1 *	- -	- -
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	13 2%	2 2%	1 *

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Q23P. HERE IS THE LAST LIST. PLEASE TELL ME HOW YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING IN EACH AREA.  
 \* CREATING A POSITIVE CLIMATE FOR LEARNING

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
EXCELLENT	178 31%	74 67%	76 66%
GOOD	225 39%	29 26%	33 28%
ONLY FAIR	123 21%	7 6%	5 4%
POOR	43 7%	- -	2 1%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	6 1%	2 1%	- -

Q23Q. HERE IS THE LAST LIST. PLEASE TELL ME HOW YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL IS DOING IN EACH AREA.  
 \* THE COMMITMENT OF THE TEACHERS

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	396	198	197
TOTAL WEIGHTED	569	109	114
EXCELLENT	190 33%	71 65%	76 66%
GOOD	221 39%	30 27%	33 29%
ONLY FAIR	115 20%	6 6%	4 4%
POOR	34 6%	1 1%	1 1%
DEPENDS/OTHER/ N/A	1 *	- -	- -
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	7 1%	2 2%	- -

PS1. LET'S TALK ABOUT YOUR CHILD IN THE PHILADELPHIA PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM. DOES THIS CHILD GO TO THE CLOSEST PUBLIC SCHOOL TO WHERE YOU LIVE, OR NOT?  
 BASE: Public School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	-	-
CLOSEST	362 63%	-	-
NOT CLOSEST	210 36%	-	-
OTHER	3 *	-	-
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	1 *	-	-

\* = less than 1%  
 - = question not asked/zero respondents

PS2. DID YOU EVER SERIOUSLY THINK ABOUT SENDING THIS STUDENT TO A PRIVATE, CATHOLIC OR CHARTER SCHOOL, OR NOT?  
 BASE: Public School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	-	-
YES - CONSIDERED IT	356 62%	-	-
BRIEFLY THOUGHT ABOUT IT BUT NOT SERIOUSLY	40 7%	-	-
NO	180 31%	-	-

PS3. IS THIS BECAUSE YOU WERE DISSATISFIED WITH YOUR CHILD'S EDUCATION AT THE LOCAL SCHOOL, OR FOR SOME OTHER REASON?  
 BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	248	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	356	-	-
DISSATISFIED WITH LOCAL SCHOOL	165 46%	-	-
OTHER REASONS	168 47%	-	-
DEPENDS/BOTH/OTHER	20 6%	-	-
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	3 1%	-	-

PS4. WAS THE SCHOOL IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD OR SOMEWHERE ELSE?  
 BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	248	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	356	-	-
NEIGHBORHOOD	171 48%	-	-
SOMEWHERE ELSE	172 48%	-	-
BOTH/OTHER	9 2%	-	-
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	4 1%	-	-

PS5A. PLEASE JUST TELL ME WHETHER YOU DID OR DID NOT SERIOUSLY CONSIDER SENDING YOUR CHILD TO THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF SCHOOLS.  
 \* A CATHOLIC SCHOOL RUN BY THE ARCHDIOCESE  
 BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	248	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	356	-	-
DID CONSIDER	134 37%	-	-
DID NOT CONSIDER	217 61%	-	-
OTHER	1 *	-	-
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	4 1%	-	-

\* = less than 1%  
 - = question not asked/zero respondents

PS5B. PLEASE JUST TELL ME WHETHER YOU DID OR DID NOT SERIOUSLY CONSIDER SENDING YOUR CHILD TO THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF SCHOOLS.

\* A PRIVATE SCHOOL

BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
	=====	=====	=====
TOTAL	248	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	356	-	-
DI D CONSIDER	223 62%	-	-
DI D NOT CONSIDER	132 37%	-	-
OTHER	1 *	-	-

PS5C. PLEASE JUST TELL ME WHETHER YOU DID OR DID NOT SERIOUSLY CONSIDER SENDING YOUR CHILD TO THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF SCHOOLS.

\* A CHARTER SCHOOL

BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
	=====	=====	=====
TOTAL	248	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	356	-	-
DI D CONSIDER	269 75%	-	-
DI D NOT CONSIDER	83 23%	-	-
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	4 1%	-	-

PS5D. PLEASE JUST TELL ME WHETHER YOU DID OR DID NOT SERIOUSLY CONSIDER SENDING YOUR CHILD TO THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF SCHOOLS. ?

\* A PUBLIC SCHOOL NOT IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
	=====	=====	=====
TOTAL	248	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	356	-	-
DI D CONSIDER	190 53%	-	-
DI D NOT CONSIDER	162 46%	-	-
OTHER	1 *	-	-
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	3 1%	-	-

\* = less than 1%

- = question not asked/zero respondents



PS6. WHAT IS THE MAIN REASON WHY DID YOU NOT SEND YOUR CHILD TO A DIFFERENT SCHOOL AFTER CONSIDERING IT?  
 BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
	=====	=====	=====
TOTAL	248	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	356	-	-
LONG WAITING LIST	32 9%	-	-
APPLICATION PROCESS	3 1%	-	-
LOTTERY SYSTEM	7 2%	-	-
WASN'T ACCEPTED (UNSPECIFIED)	26 7%	-	-
A/O ENROLLMENT PROCESS/ REQUIREMENTS MENTIONS	10 3%	-	-
CHILD'S CHOICE/DIDN'T WANT TO GO	14 4%	-	-
SATISFIED/PREFER CURRENT SCHOOL	32 9%	-	-
A/O PREFERENCE MENTIONS	6 2%	-	-
COST/AFFORDABILITY	132 37%	-	-
DI STANCE	14 4%	-	-
LOCATI ON	30 8%	-	-
TRANSPORTATI ON	11 3%	-	-
AVAI LABI LI TY (UNSPECIFIED)	17 5%	-	-
ALL ADMI NI STRATI ON/ MI SSI ON STATEMENT MENTIONS	36 10%	-	-
QUALTI Y OF SCHOOL (UNSPECIFIED)	9 2%	-	-
A/O MENTIONS	14 4%	-	-
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	9 2%	-	-

PS7A. LET ME READ YOU A QUICK LIST OF REASONS OTHERS HAVE GIVEN FOR NOT CHOOSING A DIFFERENT SCHOOL. JUST TELL ME WHETHER EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON FOR YOU.  
 \* HOW MUCH SCHOOL WOULD COST  
 BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
	=====	=====	=====
TOTAL	248	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	356	-	-
MAJOR	207 58%	-	-
MI NOR	53 15%	-	-
NOT A REASON	95 27%	-	-
OTHER	1 *	-	-

\* = less than 1%  
 - = question not asked/zero respondents

PS7B. LET ME READ YOU A QUICK LIST OF REASONS OTHERS HAVE GIVEN FOR NOT CHOOSING A DIFFERENT SCHOOL. JUST TELL ME WHETHER EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON FOR YOU.

\* TRANSPORTATION TIME OR COSTS

BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	248	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	356	-	-
MAJOR	149 42%	-	-
MI NOR	75 21%	-	-
NOT A REASON	131 37%	-	-
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	1 *	-	-

PS7C. LET ME READ YOU A QUICK LIST OF REASONS OTHERS HAVE GIVEN FOR NOT CHOOSING A DIFFERENT SCHOOL. JUST TELL ME WHETHER EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON FOR YOU.

\* DID NOT HAVE ENOUGH INFORMATION

BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	248	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	356	-	-
MAJOR	72 20%	-	-
MI NOR	73 21%	-	-
NOT A REASON	211 59%	-	-

PS7D. LET ME READ YOU A QUICK LIST OF REASONS OTHERS HAVE GIVEN FOR NOT CHOOSING A DIFFERENT SCHOOL. JUST TELL ME WHETHER EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON FOR YOU.

\* QUALITY OF EDUCATION AT THE PUBLIC SCHOOL

BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	245	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	352	-	-
MAJOR	185 53%	-	-
MI NOR	55 16%	-	-
NOT A REASON	102 29%	-	-
OTHER	3 1%	-	-
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	7 2%	-	-

\* = less than 1%

- = question not asked/zero respondents

PS7E. LET ME READ YOU A QUICK LIST OF REASONS OTHERS HAVE GIVEN FOR NOT CHOOSING A DIFFERENT SCHOOL. JUST TELL ME WHETHER EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON FOR YOU.

\* YOUR CHILD DID NOT WANT TO GO

BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	248	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	356	-	-
MAJOR	42 12%	-	-
MI NOR	73 21%	-	-
NOT A REASON	233 65%	-	-
OTHER	6 2%	-	-
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	3 1%	-	-

PS7F. LET ME READ YOU A QUICK LIST OF REASONS OTHERS HAVE GIVEN FOR NOT CHOOSING A DIFFERENT SCHOOL. JUST TELL ME WHETHER EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON FOR YOU.

\* YOUR CHILD COULD NOT GET IN

BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	248	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	356	-	-
MAJOR	131 37%	-	-
MI NOR	56 16%	-	-
NOT A REASON	159 45%	-	-
OTHER	7 2%	-	-
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	3 1%	-	-

PS7G. LET ME READ YOU A QUICK LIST OF REASONS OTHERS HAVE GIVEN FOR NOT CHOOSING A DIFFERENT SCHOOL. JUST TELL ME WHETHER EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON FOR YOU.

\* THE AVAILABILITY OF EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND SPORTS

BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	245	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	352	-	-
MAJOR	69 20%	-	-
MI NOR	113 32%	-	-
NOT A REASON	165 47%	-	-
OTHER	1 *	-	-
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	3 1%	-	-

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PS7H. LET ME READ YOU A QUICK LIST OF REASONS OTHERS HAVE GIVEN FOR NOT CHOOSING A DIFFERENT SCHOOL. JUST TELL ME WHETHER EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON FOR YOU.

\* SPECIAL NEEDS OF YOUR CHILD

BASE: Public School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	245	-	-
TOTAL WEIGHTED	352	-	-
MAJOR	86 24%	-	-
MI NOR	62 18%	-	-
NOT A REASON	200 57%	-	-
OTHER	3 1%	-	-
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	1 *	-	-

OS1. FOR HOW MANY YEARS HAS YOUR CHILD BEEN ATTENDING A [CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL?  
BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
1	-	26 23%	9 8%
2	-	18 16%	11 9%
3	-	24 22%	12 10%
4	-	10 9%	9 7%
5	-	8 7%	6 5%
6	-	6 5%	10 8%
7 OR MORE	-	17 15%	51 44%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	-	2 1%	7 6%

\* = less than 1%

- = question not asked/zero respondents

OS2. WHAT IS THE MAIN REASON YOU DECIDED TO SEND THIS STUDENT TO A [CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL?  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
	=====	=====	=====
TOTAL	- 201	- 200	
TOTAL WEIGHTED	- 111	- 115	
MORE ONE ON ONE/ ATTENTION FOR STUDENTS/ CLASS SIZE	- 13 - 12%	- 4 - 3%	
RELIGIOUS PURPOSES	- 1 - 1%	- 28 - 24%	
LEVEL OF DISCIPLINE	- 7 - 6%	- 11 - 9%	
TEACHING OF MORAL VALUES	- - - -	- 6 - 5%	
QUALITY/BETTER QUALITY OF EDUCATION	- 30 - 27%	- 34 - 29%	
GOOD/BETTER CURRICULUM	- 12 - 11%	- 4 - 3%	
STRUCTURED ENVIRONMENT	- 3 - 3%	- 3 - 2%	
A/O ADMINISTRATION/ MISSION STATEMENT MENTIONS	- 4 - 3%	- 2 - 1%	
DO NOT LIKE PUBLIC SCHOOLS (UNSPECIFIED)	- 8 - 7%	- 7 - 6%	
LIKE/PREFER THIS SCHOOL	- 6 - 5%	- 2 - 2%	
WANTED TO TRY SOMETHING NEW/DIFFERENT	- 3 - 3%	- 1 - *	
TRADITION/PERSONAL EXPERIENCES	- 3 - 3%	- 7 - 6%	
A/O PREFERENCE MENTIONS	- 3 - 3%	- 1 - 1%	
RECOMMENDED	- 6 - 5%	- 1 - 1%	
LOCATION OF SCHOOL	- 5 - 4%	- 3 - 3%	
SAFETY	- 9 - 8%	- 24 - 21%	
SCHOOL QUALITY (UNSPECIFIED)	- 12 - 11%	- 8 - 7%	
PRICE/COST	- 7 - 6%	- 2 - 1%	
A/O MENTIONS	- 6 - 5%	- 4 - 3%	
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	- - - -	- 2 - 1%	

OS3. DID THIS CHILD START IN THE PHILADELPHIA PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM BEFORE GOING TO THE [CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL?  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
	=====	=====	=====
TOTAL	- 201	- 200	
TOTAL WEIGHTED	- 111	- 115	
YES	- 61 - 55%	- 30 - 26%	
NO	- 50 - 45%	- 85 - 73%	
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	- - - -	- 1 - *	

\* = less than 1%

- = question not asked/zero respondents

OS4. DID YOU EVER SERIOUSLY THINK ABOUT SENDING YOUR CHILD TO A DIFFERENT TYPE OF SCHOOL THAN HE OR SHE NOW ATTENDS, OR NOT?  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
YES - CONSIDERED IT	-	47	46
	-	43%	39%
NO	-	63	70
	-	57%	60%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	-	1	-
	-	*	-

OS4A. WHAT TYPES OF SCHOOL DID YOU SERIOUSLY CONSIDER?  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	86	79
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	47	46
A CATHOLIC SCHOOL RUN BY THE ARCHDIOCESE	-	13	2
	-	27%	4%
A PRIVATE SCHOOL	-	21	15
	-	44%	33%
A CHARTER SCHOOL	-	6	21
	-	12%	46%
A PUBLIC SCHOOL	-	11	17
	-	23%	37%
OTHER	-	5	2
	-	10%	5%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	-	1	-
	-	1%	-

OS5. HOW MANY DIFFERENT SCHOOLS DID YOU CONSIDER: JUST 1, 2 OR 3 OR MORE THAN 3?  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	86	79
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	47	46
1 SCHOOL	-	13	14
	-	28%	30%
2 OR 3 SCHOOLS	-	21	25
	-	45%	54%
MORE THAN 3 SCHOOLS	-	12	7
	-	24%	15%
OTHER	-	1	-
	-	1%	-
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	-	1	-
	-	1%	-

\* = less than 1%  
 - = question not asked/zero respondents

OS6. DID YOU CONSIDER ANY SCHOOLS OUTSIDE YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD, OR NOT?

BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents who seriously considered alternate schooling for child

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	86	79
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	47	46
YES	-	35	29
	-	73%	65%
NO	-	13	16
	-	27%	35%

OS7A. I'M GOING TO READ YOU A SHORT LIST OF REASONS WHY SOME PARENTS HAVE SENT THEIR CHILDREN TO A [PUBLIC/CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL. THINKING ABOUT YOUR SITUATION, PLEASE JUST TELL ME IF EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON WHY.

\* THE LEVEL OF DISCIPLINE

BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
MAJOR	-	83	96
	-	75%	83%
MINOR	-	13	13
	-	11%	11%
NOT A REASON	-	14	5
	-	13%	4%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	-	1	1
	-	1%	*

OS7B. I'M GOING TO READ YOU A SHORT LIST OF REASONS WHY SOME PARENTS HAVE SENT THEIR CHILDREN TO A [PUBLIC/CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL. THINKING ABOUT YOUR SITUATION, PLEASE JUST TELL ME IF EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON WHY.

\* THE OVERALL QUALITY OF EDUCATION AND TEACHERS

BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
MAJOR	-	92	98
	-	83%	84%
MINOR	-	10	9
	-	9%	8%
NOT A REASON	-	8	8
	-	7%	7%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	-	1	1
	-	*	*

\* = less than 1%

- = question not asked/zero respondents

OS7C. I'M GOING TO READ YOU A SHORT LIST OF REASONS WHY SOME PARENTS HAVE SENT THEIR CHILDREN TO A [PUBLIC/CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL. THINKING ABOUT YOUR SITUATION, PLEASE JUST TELL ME IF EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON WHY.  
 \* THE TEACHING OF MORAL VALUES  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
MAJOR	-	77	98
	-	70%	85%
MI NOR	-	15	11
	-	14%	9%
NOT A REASON	-	16	6
	-	14%	5%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	-	2	1
	-	2%	*

OS7D. I'M GOING TO READ YOU A SHORT LIST OF REASONS WHY SOME PARENTS HAVE SENT THEIR CHILDREN TO A [PUBLIC/CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL. THINKING ABOUT YOUR SITUATION, PLEASE JUST TELL ME IF EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON WHY.  
 \* THE PHYSICAL SAFETY OF STUDENTS  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
MAJOR	-	85	98
	-	77%	85%
MI NOR	-	14	8
	-	12%	7%
NOT A REASON	-	11	9
	-	10%	8%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	-	1	-
	-	1%	-

OS7E. I'M GOING TO READ YOU A SHORT LIST OF REASONS WHY SOME PARENTS HAVE SENT THEIR CHILDREN TO A [PUBLIC/CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL. THINKING ABOUT YOUR SITUATION, PLEASE JUST TELL ME IF EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON WHY.  
 \* THE SIZE OF CLASSES  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
MAJOR	-	81	53
	-	73%	45%
MI NOR	-	15	35
	-	14%	30%
NOT A REASON	-	13	27
	-	11%	23%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	-	2	2
	-	1%	1%

\* = less than 1%  
 - = question not asked/zero respondents



OS7F. I'M GOING TO READ YOU A SHORT LIST OF REASONS WHY SOME PARENTS HAVE SENT THEIR CHILDREN TO A [PUBLIC/CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL. THINKING ABOUT YOUR SITUATION, PLEASE JUST TELL ME IF EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON WHY.  
 \* THE LOCATION OF THE SCHOOL  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
MAJOR	-	47	55
	-	43%	48%
MI NOR	-	31	39
	-	28%	34%
NOT A REASON	-	31	20
	-	28%	17%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	-	1	1
	-	*	*

OS7G. I'M GOING TO READ YOU A SHORT LIST OF REASONS WHY SOME PARENTS HAVE SENT THEIR CHILDREN TO A [PUBLIC/CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL. THINKING ABOUT YOUR SITUATION, PLEASE JUST TELL ME IF EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON WHY.  
 \* THE AVAILABILITY OF TECHNOLOGY AND CLASSROOM EQUIPMENT  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
MAJOR	-	75	50
	-	68%	43%
MI NOR	-	19	40
	-	17%	35%
NOT A REASON	-	14	24
	-	13%	21%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	-	2	1
	-	1%	*

OS7H. I'M GOING TO READ YOU A SHORT LIST OF REASONS WHY SOME PARENTS HAVE SENT THEIR CHILDREN TO A [PUBLIC/CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL. THINKING ABOUT YOUR SITUATION, PLEASE JUST TELL ME IF EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON WHY.  
 \* SPECIAL NEEDS OF YOUR CHILD  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
MAJOR	-	54	25
	-	49%	21%
MI NOR	-	18	28
	-	16%	24%
NOT A REASON	-	36	61
	-	32%	53%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	-	3	1
	-	2%	1%

\* = less than 1%  
 - = question not asked/zero respondents

OS71. I'M GOING TO READ YOU A SHORT LIST OF REASONS WHY SOME PARENTS HAVE SENT THEIR CHILDREN TO A [PUBLIC/CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL. THINKING ABOUT YOUR SITUATION, PLEASE JUST TELL ME IF EACH WAS A MAJOR REASON, A MINOR REASON OR NOT A REASON WHY.  
 \* THE SIZE OF THE SCHOOL

BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	- 198	- 197	
TOTAL WEIGHTED	- 109	- 114	
MAJOR	- 63	- 49	
	- 58%	- 43%	
MI NOR	- 21	- 38	
	- 19%	- 33%	
NOT A REASON	- 25	- 27	
	- 23%	- 23%	
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	- 1	- 1	
	- 1%	- 1%	

OS8. IS THERE ANY OTHER IMPORTANT REASON WHY YOUR CHILD GOES TO A [CHARTER/CATHOLIC] SCHOOL?

BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	- 201	- 200	
TOTAL WEIGHTED	- 111	- 115	
THE LEVEL OF DISCIPLINE	- 2	- 2	
	- 1%	- 1%	
THE OVERALL QUALITY OF EDUCATION AND TEACHERS	- 10	- 5	
	- 9%	- 4%	
THE TEACHING OF MORAL VALUES	- 1	- 1	
	- *	- 1%	
THE PHYSICAL SAFETY OF STUDENTS	- 4	- 4	
	- 4%	- 3%	
THE SIZE OF CLASSES	- 1	-	
	- 1%	-	
THE LOCATION OF THE SCHOOL	- 1	- 1	
	- *	- *	
SPECIAL NEEDS OF YOUR CHILD	- 1	- 1	
	- *	- *	
RELIGION	- 2	- 12	
	- 1%	- 10%	
FAMILY TRADITION/ PERSONAL EXPERIENCE	- -	- 2	
	- -	- 2%	
ALL SCHOOL CURRICULUM/ CLASSES	- 5	- 1	
	- 4%	- *	
LIKE/PREFER THIS SCHOOL	- 3	- 2	
	- 2%	- 2%	
SCHOOL QUALITY	- 8	- 2	
	- 7%	- 1%	
NO	- 74	- 82	
	- 67%	- 71%	
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	- 2	- 1	
	- 1%	- 1%	

\* = less than 1%

- = question not asked/zero respondents

OS9. WAS THERE ANY PARTICULARLY IMPORTANT SOURCE OF INFORMATION YOUR FAMILY USED WHEN MAKING THIS DECISION, OR NOT?  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
THE LEVEL OF DISCIPLINE	-	-	1
	-	-	*
THE OVERALL QUALITY OF EDUCATION AND TEACHERS	-	4	3
	-	4%	2%
THE PHYSICAL SAFETY OF STUDENTS	-	-	1
	-	-	*
THE SIZE OF CLASSES	-	1	-
	-	*	-
SPECIAL NEEDS OF YOUR CHILD	-	1	-
	-	*	-
RELIGION	-	-	3
	-	-	3%
FAMILY TRADITION/ PERSONAL EXPERIENCE	-	1	8
	-	1%	6%
NO	-	67	81
	-	60%	70%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	-	3	1
	-	2%	1%

OS10A. I'D LIKE YOU TO THINK BACK TO WHEN YOU WERE MAKING THE DECISION OF WHAT TYPE OF SCHOOL TO SEND YOUR CHILD TO. PLEASE TELL ME WHETHER YOU DID OR DID NOT DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING.  
 \* LOOK AT THE SCHOOL'S WEB SITE ON THE INTERNET?  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
DID	-	57	51
	-	51%	44%
DID NOT	-	52	64
	-	47%	55%
DEPENDS	-	1	-
	-	*	-
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	-	2	1
	-	1%	*

OS10B. I'D LIKE YOU TO THINK BACK TO WHEN YOU WERE MAKING THE DECISION OF WHAT TYPE OF SCHOOL TO SEND YOUR CHILD TO. PLEASE TELL ME WHETHER YOU DID OR DID NOT DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING.  
 \* PERSONALLY VISIT THE SCHOOL?  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
DID	-	100	102
	-	90%	88%
DID NOT	-	11	13
	-	10%	11%
DEPENDS	-	-	1
	-	-	*
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	-	-	1
	-	-	*

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OS10C. I'D LIKE YOU TO THINK BACK TO WHEN YOU WERE MAKING THE DECISION OF WHAT TYPE OF SCHOOL TO SEND YOUR CHILD TO. PLEASE TELL ME WHETHER YOU DID OR DID NOT DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING.  
 \* TALK TO PARENTS OF CHILDREN WHO WENT TO THE SCHOOL?  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
DID	-	73	87
	-	66%	75%
DID NOT	-	37	28
	-	33%	24%
DEPENDS	-	1	-
	-	*	-
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	-	-	1
	-	-	*

OS10D. I'D LIKE YOU TO THINK BACK TO WHEN YOU WERE MAKING THE DECISION OF WHAT TYPE OF SCHOOL TO SEND YOUR CHILD TO. PLEASE TELL ME WHETHER YOU DID OR DID NOT DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING.  
 \* TALK TO FAMILY, FRIENDS OR CLERGY?  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
DID	-	72	81
	-	65%	70%
DID NOT	-	37	33
	-	34%	29%
DEPENDS	-	1	-
	-	*	-
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	-	1	1
	-	1%	*

OS10E. I'D LIKE YOU TO THINK BACK TO WHEN YOU WERE MAKING THE DECISION OF WHAT TYPE OF SCHOOL TO SEND YOUR CHILD TO. PLEASE TELL ME WHETHER YOU DID OR DID NOT DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING.  
 \* LOOK AT INFORMATION PROVIDED BY COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS?  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
DID	-	44	33
	-	39%	29%
DID NOT	-	67	81
	-	60%	70%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	-	1	1
	-	*	1%

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OS11. HOW ENTHUSIASTIC WAS YOUR CHILD ABOUT GOING TO THIS SCHOOL - VERY, SOMEWHAT, NOT TOO, OR NOT AT ALL ENTHUSIASTIC?  
 BASE: Charter/Catholic School Parents

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	-	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	-	111	115
VERY	-	68 62%	75 65%
SOMEWHAT	-	26 23%	29 25%
NOT TOO	-	8 7%	2 1%
NOT AT ALL	-	6 5%	6 5%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	-	3 2%	3 2%

Q13. HOW DOES YOUR CHILD GET TO AND FROM SCHOOL: SEPTA, SCHOOL BUS, CAR OR WALKS?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
SEPTA	129 22%	27 24%	28 24%
SCHOOL BUS	43 7%	35 31%	17 14%
CAR/CARPOOL	151 26%	33 29%	49 42%
WALKS	234 41%	12 11%	18 16%
BI KES	-	1 *	-
OTHER/COMBI NATION	17 3%	3 2%	3 2%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	1 *	1 1%	1 *

Q14. HOW MUCH OF A FACTOR WAS TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM SCHOOL IN DECIDING ON WHERE TO SEND YOUR CHILD - A MAJOR FACTOR, MINOR OR NOT A FACTOR?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
MAJOR	177 31%	33 30%	32 28%
MI NOR	119 21%	30 27%	32 28%
NOT A FACTOR	273 47%	46 42%	50 43%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	7 1%	2 1%	1 *

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Q15A. HOW FAR IN SCHOOL DO YOU HOPE YOUR CHILD GOES IN [HIS/HER] EDUCATION?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
ENOUGH TO KNOW THE BASICS EVEN IF NOT FINISHING HIGH SCHOOL	1 *	-	1 *
GRADUATES HIGH SCHOOL	17 3%	4 3%	2 1%
ATTENDS SOME COLLEGE OR A TRADE SCHOOL	56 10%	4 4%	8 6%
GRADUATES FROM A 4 YEAR COLLEGE	148 26%	33 30%	43 37%
GOES ON TO GET A GRADUATE OR PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION	353 61%	69 62%	62 53%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	-	1 *	1 1%

Q15B. HOPES ASIDE, WHAT IS THE BASIC LEVEL OF EDUCATION YOU WOULD BE SATISFIED IF THIS CHILD ACHIEVES?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	396	198	197
TOTAL WEIGHTED	569	109	114
ENOUGH TO KNOW THE BASICS EVEN IF NOT FINISHING HIGH SCHOOL	3 1%	-	-
GRADUATES HIGH SCHOOL	76 13%	11 10%	12 10%
ATTENDS SOME COLLEGE OR A TRADE SCHOOL	98 17%	16 15%	13 12%
GRADUATES FROM A 4 YEAR COLLEGE	237 42%	53 49%	69 60%
GOES ON TO GET A GRADUATE OR PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION	152 27%	27 25%	19 17%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	3 1%	2 2%	1 1%

Q16. IN THE AVERAGE YEAR, HOW OFTEN DO YOU GO TO SCHOOL TO ATTEND EVENTS - MEETINGS, PERFORMANCES OR CEREMONIES FOR YOUR CHILDREN. IS THIS SOMETHING YOU AREN'T ABLE TO DO, DO ONCE OR TWICE A YEAR, DO 3 TO 5 TIMES, OR MORE OFTEN THAN THAT?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
NOT ABLE TO DO IT	27 5%	4 4%	1 *
1 OR 2 TIMES A YEAR	83 14%	9 8%	11 9%
3 TO 5 TIMES	172 30%	35 32%	29 25%
6 OR MORE TIMES	286 50%	60 54%	74 64%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	7 1%	2 2%	1 *

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Q17. HOW INVOLVED DO YOU THINK PARENTS NEED TO BE FOR THEIR CHILDREN TO GET A BASIC EDUCATION... CAN SCHOOLS DO THIS WITH NO ADDITIONAL INVOLVEMENT BY PARENTS, WITH "A LITTLE" INVOLVEMENT, SOME, OR DOES THERE NEED TO BE A GREAT DEAL OF PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT FOR STUDENTS TO GET A GOOD EDUCATION?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
NO INVOLVEMENT	9 1%	1 *	-
A LITTLE	4 1%	4 3%	3 2%
SOME	70 12%	12 11%	21 18%
A GREAT DEAL	491 85%	93 84%	91 79%
DEPENDS/OTHER	1 *	1 1%	-
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	-	1 *	-

Q18. DO YOU THINK THAT PARENTS IN PHILADELPHIA HAVE ENOUGH GOOD CHOICES IN SELECTING A SCHOOL FOR THEIR CHILDREN? OR WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE THEM HAVE MORE CHOICE ABOUT WHERE TO SEND THEIR CHILD OR CHILDREN?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
HAVE ENOUGH GOOD CHOICES	135 23%	25 23%	36 31%
MORE CHOICES DESIRED	422 73%	80 73%	73 63%
DEPENDS	7 1%	3 3%	3 3%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	11 2%	2 1%	3 2%

Q19. IS IT EASY OR HARD FOR PHILADELPHIA PARENTS TO GET ENOUGH INFORMATION ABOUT THEIR CHOICES OF WHERE TO SEND THEIR CHILDREN TO SCHOOL?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
VERY EASY	132 23%	33 29%	35 30%
SOMEWHAT EASY	155 27%	33 29%	34 29%
SOMEWHAT HARD	159 28%	21 19%	20 17%
VERY HARD	101 17%	17 15%	16 14%
DEPENDS	17 3%	4 3%	2 1%
DON' T KNOW/REFUSED	11 2%	4 3%	9 7%

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Q20. HOW MUCH HAVE YOU HEARD OR READ ABOUT CHARTER SCHOOLS? THESE ARE SCHOOLS THAT ARE PUBLICLY FUNDED BUT ALLOWED TO OPERATE WITH A GREAT DEAL OF INDEPENDENCE - A LOT, SOME, JUST A LITTLE OR NOTHING?

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	401	201	200
TOTAL WEIGHTED	576	111	115
A LOT	264 46%	69 63%	56 48%
SOME	152 26%	23 21%	42 36%
JUST A LITTLE	101 17%	13 12%	12 10%
NOTHING	55 9%	4 3%	5 4%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	4 1%	1 1%	1 1%

Q21. ENROLLMENT IN CHARTER SCHOOLS IN PHILADELPHIA HAS BEEN GROWING IN THE LAST FEW YEARS. OVERALL, DO YOU THINK THIS IS A GOOD THING, A BAD THING, OR DON'T YOU HAVE AN OPINION?

BASE: Heard a little/some/lot about Charter Schools

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	360	192	190
TOTAL WEIGHTED	517	106	110
GOOD	303 59%	79 75%	70 64%
BAD	60 12%	7 7%	10 9%
DEPENDS	43 8%	6 6%	6 5%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED/NO OPINION	111 21%	13 12%	23 21%

Q22. DO YOU THINK THAT CHARTER SCHOOLS DO, OR DO NOT HAVE ENOUGH SAFEGUARDS FOR HOW THEY SPEND MONEY AND HOW THEIR STUDENTS DO, OR DON'T YOU HAVE AN OPINION?

BASE: Heard a little/some/lot about Charter Schools

	SCHOOL TYPE		
	PUB- LIC	CHAR- TER	CATH- OLIC
TOTAL	360	192	190
TOTAL WEIGHTED	517	106	110
DO	70 14%	45 42%	18 16%
DO NOT	129 25%	18 17%	27 25%
OTHER	19 4%	3 3%	2 2%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION/REFUSED	299 58%	41 39%	62 57%

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