

Results of ARP ESSER Student Survey

April 11th - 28th 2023



Survey open for approx. 3 weeks



Survey link directly emailed to students



Advertised by flyer, by direct email and announced over intercom



Sent to all students via email grade 6th through 12th



Results reviewed at May 2nd, 2023 Board Meeting

RISD student stakeholder engagement survey seeking meaningful input regarding use of ESSER funds

Responses

Survey participation was minimal across the student body.

- ▶ 77 % Fairlee Student responses
- ▶ 15% Orford Student Responses
- ▶ 7% Vershire Student Responses
- ▶ 0% West Fairlee Student Responses

Most Impactful Past Programs

Top Three Results:

1. Outdoor Education and Farm to School (46%)
2. Social/Emotional Support (31%)
3. Academic Mentorship Program (15%)

What programs that have been implemented so far do you feel are most impactful?

- Outdoor Education/ Farm to School Program
- Rising 6th Grade Academy
- Social Emotional Support Services
- Academic Mentorship Program

Biggest Current Student Issues

Top Three Results:

1. Stress (54%)
2. Anxiety/Depression (23%)
3. Grades (23%)

What is the biggest issue you are facing right now?

- Stress
- Anxiety/Depression
- Grades
- Access to Nutritious Food

Future Programs

Results:

1. After School Academic Support (46%)
2. Continued Healthy Food Options (31%)
3. Counseling Services (23%)

What do you most want to see implemented at Rivendell?

- After School Academic Support
- Counseling Services
- Continue Healthy Food Options

- ▶ *Better sports*
- ▶ *Offer a Time Management Class*
- ▶ *Focus on core academics and retention of good teachers*
- ▶ *Support all students by providing free breakfast, free lunch and extra support systems*
- ▶ *Make classes more interesting, less online work, more flexibility in teaching styles.*

What else can we do to support you as a Rivendell Student? Do you have a suggestion?

Key Takeaways

RISD Students are reporting that stress, anxiety/depression and grades need to be addressed

RISD Students have identified afterschool academic support, continued healthy food options and counseling services as their preferred methods of addressing these needs.

Other priorities identified from comments include increased access to:

- Better Sports
- More Engaged Teaching Staff
- Additional Student Support Systems
- Time Management Guidance
- Access to Free Universal Meals