Elementary Student Engagement Instrument

Your honest answers to this questionnaire will be important for understanding what you think of your school and how to keep improving it. Your answers will be confidential - that means nobody at your school will see what you put for any of the below items. School staff will only see information for groups of items or students.

Please use a pencil. Write your "Student Number" in the "Student Number" boxes provided on this form, and then darken the circles corresponding to each digit of your Student Number.

Do not begin marking your answers until your teacher starts reading the items aloud.

1. My family/guardian(s) are there for me when I need them.
   - STRONGLY AGREE
   - AGREE
   - IN THE MIDDLE
   - DISAGREE
   - STRONGLY DISAGREE

2. If I don’t do well in school it’s because I’m not smart.
   - STRONGLY AGREE
   - AGREE
   - IN THE MIDDLE
   - DISAGREE
   - STRONGLY DISAGREE

3. My teachers are there for me when I need them.
   - STRONGLY AGREE
   - AGREE
   - IN THE MIDDLE
   - DISAGREE
   - STRONGLY DISAGREE

4. Other students here like me the way I am.
   - STRONGLY AGREE
   - AGREE
   - IN THE MIDDLE
   - DISAGREE
   - STRONGLY DISAGREE

5. Adults at my school listen to the students.
   - STRONGLY AGREE
   - AGREE
   - IN THE MIDDLE
   - DISAGREE
   - STRONGLY DISAGREE

6. Other students care about me.
   - STRONGLY AGREE
   - AGREE
   - IN THE MIDDLE
   - DISAGREE
   - STRONGLY DISAGREE

7. Students at my school are there for me when I need them.
   - STRONGLY AGREE
   - AGREE
   - IN THE MIDDLE
   - DISAGREE
   - STRONGLY DISAGREE

8. My education will create many chances for me to reach my future goals.
   - STRONGLY AGREE
   - AGREE
   - IN THE MIDDLE
   - DISAGREE
   - STRONGLY DISAGREE

9. I don’t pay attention during class.
   - STRONGLY AGREE
   - AGREE
   - IN THE MIDDLE
   - DISAGREE
   - STRONGLY DISAGREE

10. The rules at my school are fair.
    - STRONGLY AGREE
    - AGREE
    - IN THE MIDDLE
    - DISAGREE
    - STRONGLY DISAGREE

11. Continuing to learn after high school is important.
    - STRONGLY AGREE
    - AGREE
    - IN THE MIDDLE
    - DISAGREE
    - STRONGLY DISAGREE

12. My family/guardian(s) want to know when something good happens at school.
    - STRONGLY AGREE
    - AGREE
    - IN THE MIDDLE
    - DISAGREE
    - STRONGLY DISAGREE

13. Most teachers care about me as a person, not just a student.
    - STRONGLY AGREE
    - AGREE
    - IN THE MIDDLE
    - DISAGREE
    - STRONGLY DISAGREE

14. Students here respect what I have to say.
    - STRONGLY AGREE
    - AGREE
    - IN THE MIDDLE
    - DISAGREE
    - STRONGLY DISAGREE

15. My teachers are honest with me.
    - STRONGLY AGREE
    - AGREE
    - IN THE MIDDLE
    - DISAGREE
    - STRONGLY DISAGREE

16. I plan to go to college after I graduate from high school.
    - STRONGLY AGREE
    - AGREE
    - IN THE MIDDLE
    - DISAGREE
    - STRONGLY DISAGREE

17. I will learn only if teachers give me a reward.
    - STRONGLY AGREE
    - AGREE
    - IN THE MIDDLE
    - DISAGREE
    - STRONGLY DISAGREE

18. School is important for reaching my future goals.
    - STRONGLY AGREE
    - AGREE
    - IN THE MIDDLE
    - DISAGREE
    - STRONGLY DISAGREE

19. When I have problems at my school, my family/guardian(s) are ready to help me.
    - STRONGLY AGREE
    - AGREE
    - IN THE MIDDLE
    - DISAGREE
    - STRONGLY DISAGREE

20. Adults at my school are fair towards students most of the time.
    - STRONGLY AGREE
    - AGREE
    - IN THE MIDDLE
    - DISAGREE
    - STRONGLY DISAGREE

21. I like talking to the teachers here.
    - STRONGLY AGREE
    - AGREE
    - IN THE MIDDLE
    - DISAGREE
    - STRONGLY DISAGREE

22. I enjoy talking to the students here.
    - STRONGLY AGREE
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<td>25. I don't understand why I get the grades I do.</td>
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<td>29. Teachers at my school care about the students.</td>
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<td>30. I will learn only if my parent/guardian(s) give me a reward.</td>
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<td>31. How often did you come to class and find yourself:</td>
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<td>(a) without what you need to do coursework</td>
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