



Speak Up 2007  
K-2 Student Survey

**Speak Up 2009**  
*Grades K - 2: Individual Survey*

Dear Student,

We would like to learn about how you are using computers and the Internet for your schoolwork and in your play

Your ideas are important to us! The ideas of students just like you are used to improve schools all around the

All of your answers are kept secret. No one will ask your name on this survey. No one will know your answers.

If you come across words that you do not know, don't worry about it. Just go on to the next question.

Thank you for sharing your ideas with us! And don't forget to share your good ideas with your teachers and parents as well.

## Survey Questions/Responses

### 1 What grade are you in?

Preschool  
Kindergarten  
Grade 1  
Grade 2

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### 2 Are you a...

Girl  
Boy

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### 3 Thinking about others in your class, do you...

Know more than other students about technology  
Know about the same as other students about technology  
Know less than other students about technology

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### 4 Which of these things do you use?

Cell Phone (no Internet)  
Smart Cell Phone (with the Internet like an iPhone or Blackberry)  
Desktop computer  
Laptop computer or Tablet PC  
MP3 player or iPod  
Video Game Player like xBox, Nintendo or Wii  
Hand-held game like a Nintendo DS, GameBoy or Leapfrog  
Other

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### 5 What kind of computer do you use outside of school?

A home computer with no Internet  
A home computer with slow Internet  
A home computer with fast Internet  
I only use the computer at a library or in my afterschool program  
I only use a computer at my school

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### 6 How often do you use the computers at your school?

Every day  
Sometimes  
Once in a while  
Never  
I don't know

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### 7 How do you use computers for schoolwork? (Check all that apply)

Check on my grades  
Create a PowerPoint or a video  
Send emails to my teacher  
Send emails to my friends  
Watch videos about science  
Learn how to type on the computer  
Listen to books being read out loud  
Send my homework to my teacher  
Do science experiments  
Play learning games  
Practice my writing  
Practice my math  
Take tests  
Use the Internet to learn about things  
None of the above

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### 8 How do you use the Internet outside of school?

Download or listen to music  
Play in 3D virtual worlds like Webkinz, Club Penguin or Whyville  
Play video or online games  
Send E-mails or Instant Messages  
Update my profile on websites like Webkinz, Club Penguin or Whyville  
Go to websites to learn about things  
Write for a blog (like a journal)  
Do art projects  
Watch videos  
Go to websites for TV shows or sports  
Share photos  
Create a list of websites I want to share with others  
I don't use the Internet outside of school  
None of the above

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### 9 What is the best way for you to learn about being safe on the Internet?

From my friends  
From my parents  
From my teacher  
Learn on my own just by using computers  
Take a special class at my school  
Take a class after school (YMCA, Boys & Girls Club, Scouts)  
Watch videos about it  
Use computers in my class  
I don't know

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### 10 What types of online or video games do you play most often?

Games on a cell phone  
Computer software games  
Video player games like Xbox or Wii  
Handheld games like Nintendo DS, GameBoy or Leapfrog  
Games on a website with other kids  
Games on a website by myself  
I don't use any of these  
Other

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### 11 How would playing games like that help you in your schoolwork?

I would learn more about the subject  
I would be more interested in the subject  
I would learn how to work in teams  
Games make it easier to learn  
School would be more fun  
I could work on my own  
I could try new things with the game  
I would know what I have learned  
I would try harder  
I don't know  
None of the above

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### 12 Besides winning, what do you like most about playing video or online games? (Check all that apply)

I can play with other kids  
I can play a game that interests me  
I can make new friends  
I can play on my own

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I can pretend to be someone else  
The game changes when I do certain things  
I like it when the game gets harder  
I can play with my parents or family members  
I have to think about solving the problems  
I like learning new things  
I can get exercise like Wii sports  
I don't know  
I don't play video or online games

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### 13 Do you like math?

Yes  
No  
Sometimes  
I don't know

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### 14 Which of these would help you learn math?

Doing problems that are about real world stuff  
Talking about math problems with my classmates  
Reading stories about jobs that use math  
Having a teacher who likes math  
Doing problems from my textbook  
Watching videos about math  
Solve math puzzles or word problems  
Understanding why math is important in my life  
Using calculators  
Using math blocks, counters, shapes  
Use online or computer based math games  
Do activities or experiments that use math  
None of the above  
I don't know

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### 15 Do you know someone who has taken an online class for school or for their job? If yes, who?

I don't know anyone who has taken an online class  
My mother  
My father  
My brother or sister  
A friend  
Another family member or guardian  
Other

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**16 From what you know, would you like to take an online class for school?**

Yes

No

Maybe

Not sure

I don't know what that is.

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**17 Pretend you are building a new school. What would you include in that new school for kids to use? (Check all that apply)**

Projectors for the computers

Cell phones or smart phones to use at school

Email, instant messaging and text messaging

Document camera (called an ELMO)

Online, computer and video games

High tech science tools

Interactive whiteboards (such as Smartboard, Polyvision)

Ability to use the Internet anywhere at school

Laptop computer for every student

MP3 players or iPods

Online classes

Online textbooks

School website or portal

Tools to create podcasts or videos

Tools to help me organize my schoolwork

Tools to work with others (such as: blogs, wikis, Google Docs, etc)

Other

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**18 Pretend that you are a teacher at your school. How would you use technology to help your students learn math or science?**