

2025-26 SB Budget Community Survey

On a scale of 1 to 5, with 1 being strongly disagree and 5 being strongly agree, please rate the following statements:

		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
1	The School Board budget must align to the strategic plan and both must reflect parental and community values.					
2	The School Board budget must link all proposed line item expenditures to the strategic plan.					
3	The NCPS budget and strategic plan must address specific, measurable outcomes.					
4	The School budget should be tied to Administration's ability to meet thresholds such as timely and accurate reconciliations with the county treasurer and adherence to Board of Supervisor appropriations requirements.					
5	The School Board budget must prioritize essential building blocks of education (reading, writing and math) before any administrative and overhead expenses are considered.					
6	If budget cuts are required, The School Board must maintain items that are directly related to education and cut non-essential services and personnel first.					
7	Teachers, paraprofessionals and other direct student contact employees should be paid one time bonuses when their students overachieve academically.					
8	High School graduates should be proficient in reading, writing and math and possess the skills to successfully get a job, enter trade school, or pursue college. The budget should focus on activities that provide proficiency in those skills and abilities.					

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9	Serious discussions between the community and the School Board must occur to determine the definition of community standards.					
10	Resources (time and energy, not necessarily money), must be dedicated to developing and nurturing student skills that include critical thinking, logic and civics.					
11	School Board meetings should be recorded and posted online so that working residents and parents can view the proceedings.					
12	The School Board policies must reflect community and parental values.					

Mail your survey no later than November 1st to:

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