



Silicon Valley 2017 Annual Survey Results

from a Spring 2017 survey of school staff including administrators,
teachers, and support staff at schools partnering with Playworks to achieve
safe and healthy play



School Climate and Partnership

99%

of staff AGREE that Playworks
improves overall **school climate**

98%

of staff AGREE that Playworks creates
a **safe and effective learning
environment**

99%

of staff want to **continue partnering**
with Playworks



Learning Through Play

98%

of staff report an INCREASE in the
number of students engaged in
healthy play at recess

17 =

Average number of **HOURS teachers
recovered** transitioning students from
recess to learning

Youth Leadership

94%

of staff report that **Junior Coaches**
take on a leadership role during
recess



Outcomes In the Classroom

Percent of staff who report an INCREASE in:

Students' level of
participation in academic
activities

98%

Level of cooperation among
students during class

98%

Students' ability to focus on
class activities

97%

Percent of staff who report a DECREASE in:

Playground conflicts spilling
into the classroom

84%

Amount of class time spent
resolving conflicts

85%

Number of disruptive events
in the classroom

90%



Outcomes On the Playground

Percent of staff who report an INCREASE in:

Number of students who
are physically active

97%

Level of cooperation among
students at recess

97%

Students' use of conflict
resolution strategies

96%

Percent of staff who report a DECREASE in:

Number of bullying
incidents

88%

Number of conflicts
(physical or verbal)

85%

Number of disciplinary
incidents

87%

Total responses = 372