EMOTIONAL HEALTH & MATURITY

SCHOOL READINESS AS ASSESSED BY THE EDI. SIMCOE COUNTY 2006

Description of Domain and Sub-Domains

Sub Domain	Indication of Readiness	Related EDI Questions	
Prosocial and helping behaviour	Children who often show most of the helping behaviours: helping someone hurt, sick or upset, offering to help spontaneously, invite bystanders to join in.	Would you say this child: Will try to help someone who has been hurt If there is a quarrel or dispute will try to stop it Comforts a child who is crying or upset Spontaneously helps to pick up objects which another child has dropped Helps other children who are feeling sick	 Offers to help other children who have difficulty with a task Volunteers to help clear up a mess someone else has made Will invite bystanders to join in a game
Anxious and fearful behaviour	Children who rarely or never show most of the anxious behaviours; they are happy and able to enjoy school, and are comfortable being left at school by caregivers.	Would you say this child: Is upset when left by parent/guardian Seems to be unhappy, sad or depressed Appears fearful or anxious Is incapable of making decisions	 Cries a lot Is nervous, high-strung, or tense Appears worried Is shy
Aggressive behaviour	Children who rarely or never show most of the aggressive behaviours; they do not use aggression as means of solving a conflict, do not have temper tantrums, and are not mean to others.	Would you say this child: Gets into physical fights Bullies or is mean to others Kicks, bites, hits other children or adults Takes things that do not belong to him/her	 Laughs at other children's discomfort Is disobedient Has temper tantrums
Hyperactivity and inattention	Children who never show most of the hyperactive behaviours; they are able to concentrate, settle to chosen activities, wait their turn, and most of the time think before doing something.	Would you say this child: Is distractible, has trouble sticking to any activity Has difficulty awaiting turn in games or groups Cannot settle for more than a few moments Is impulsive, acts without thinking	FidgetsIs inattentiveCan't sit still, is restless

Domain Results

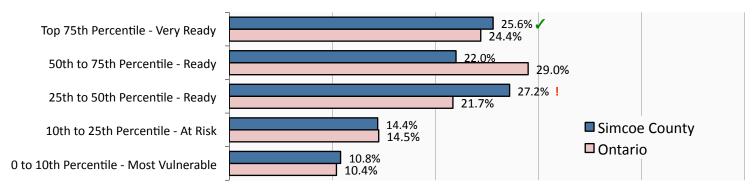
The mean score out of 10 is significantly *higher* in Simcoe County than in Ontario.

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Sub-Domain Results

	Sub-Domains	% Not Ready in Simcoe	% Not Ready in Ontario
Children who are	Prosocial and helping behaviour	4.1%!	1.3%
"Ready" Overall	Anxious and fearful behaviour	0%	0%
(75-100th Percentile)	Aggressive behaviour	0.2%	0.1%
(Hyperactivity and inattention	0.4%	0.7%
Children who are	Prosocial and helping behaviour	69.2% <u>!</u>	64.5%
"At Risk" Overall	Anxious and fearful behaviour	3.7%	4.3%
(10-25 th Percentile)	Aggressive behaviour	21.1%!	10.1%
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Children who are "Most	Prosocial and helping behaviour	87.4% !	84.5%
Vulnerable" Overall	Anxious and fearful behaviour	12.6%	13.2%
(0-10 th Percentile)	Aggressive behaviour	50.7%	53.4%
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Distribution within the Domain



Emotional Health & Maturity: Neighbourhoods Most Vulnerable (Children in the Lowest 0-10th Percentile) Sparrow Lake Medionte & Seivern North Penetanguishene Tiny North Midland West Orillia North & Cumberland Beach Midland East Tay Severn South & Warminster Orillia Central Orillia West Orillia East Orillia South Ramara & Washago North Springwater & South Tiny Georgian Bay Oro Collingwood West Collingwood East Wasaga East Collingwood South & Nottawa Wasaga West South Springwater Clearview North East & Stayner Barrie 3 Barrie 1 Lake Simcoe Barrie 6 Barrie 2 Barrie 22 Barrie 10 Barrie 7 Clearview South-West & Creemore Barrie 11 Barrie 17 - Big Bay & Sandy Cove Orillia Barrie 15 Barrie 16 Angus & Borden Stroud & Churchill Cáillia North & Cumberland Beach % Most Vulnerable Adjala Lake Simcoe (0-10th Percentile) Odda Contral Alliston North 2.4 - 4.5Aliston South 4.6 - 8.7 Bradferd 1 Severn South & Warminster Bradford 3 8.8 - 12.0 Orillia East Tosorondo Orillia South 12.1 - 16.0 16.1 - 21.2 South Simcoe Oro. 21.3 - 28.0 Midland/Penetang Barrie South Splingwater Barrie 3 Barrie 1 Medona & Severn North Ballie 6 Oro Penetanguishene Tiny North Battle 5 Midland West Midland East A Barrie 2 8emie g Lake Simcoe Barrie 7 Georgian Bay Barrie 22 Barrie 10 Bande 18 North Springwater & South Tin y Cookstown & Oro. Wasaga East South Springwater Barrie 13 Barrie 17 Collingwood/Wasaga Beach Stroud & Churchill Barrie 14 Barrie 15 North Springwater & South Finy Georgian Bay Alliston Bradford Colling wood West Colling wood East Leftoy & Giford Essa West Adjala Lake Simcoe Wasaga West Bradford 1 Bradford 2 Month Tourness Colling wood South & Nottawa Alliston North Bradford 3 Alliston South Gearview North East & Stayner Tosorontie South Simoge