



## News Release: Hybrid Schools Project Publishes the 2022 National Hybrid Schools Survey

The Hybrid Schools Project is excited to announce the publication of the 2022 National Hybrid Schools Survey. In fall of 2021, the National Hybrid Schools Project conducted a survey of hybrid schools from around the U.S. This will be the first edition of an annual survey the Project conducts on various aspects of hybrid schools' structure, enrollment, operations, and other characteristics.

Hybrid schools are an educational model that blends homeschooling with traditional in-school education. Students typically attend class a few days per week in a brick-and-mortar building with classes, teachers, and assignments, while spending the rest of the week being homeschooled. In hybrid schools, the school establishes most or all of the curriculum.

The hybrid schools participating in this survey are located in all regions of the country: in urban, rural, and suburban locales. Results reveal a clear trend of increasing school openings, especially over the last decade or so.

Additional findings from the report include:

- The average hybrid school enrolls approximately 227 students, with the majority concentrated in Kindergarten through 5th grade.
- Most hybrid schools employ a fairly low number of teachers, and rely primarily on parttime staff; 50 percent of respondents reported employing 19 or fewer teachers, and 79 percent of respondents reported having no full time teachers.
- The average reported annual tuition for a hybrid school is \$4,158.

"This report is the first in what we hope will be an ongoing series of research the Hybrid Schools Project produces," said Hybrid Schools Project Director Eric Wearne. "There is a lot of unexplored territory regarding research specifically on hybrid schools, and we hope to lead the way in conducting it."

The mission of the Hybrid Schools Project is to be the national clearinghouse for research, data, practices, and networking for the burgeoning hybrid home school movement.

Find the full report here.

Visit The National Hybrid Schools Project's website.