

Survey on Use of Calculators

Below is the first draft of a survey prepared to determine parents' attitudes about their children's use of calculators. In your groups, rewrite each item as you think it should appear on the final draft. Be prepared to explain any changes you would recommend.

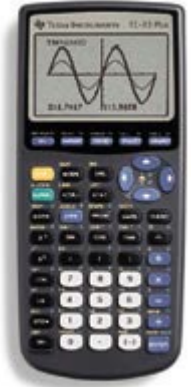
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1. How old are you? _____

2. Do you consider yourself good in mathematics? Yes No

3. Which type of calculator do you prefer to use?

- a. Solar powered
- b. Battery powered
- c. Scientific
- d. Other: _____



4. How often do you use a calculator and for what purposes?

5. Based on recent research, it has been found that technological advancement in today's society will eventually affect the use of calculators in schools. Do you agree or disagree?

agree disagree

6. No student who has not demonstrated success in basic skills should be permitted to use a calculator in the classroom? Do you agree or disagree?

agree disagree

7. Should immature junior high school students be exposed to the mindless activity of using a calculator to solve math problems?

yes no

8. When should calculators be used in school?
