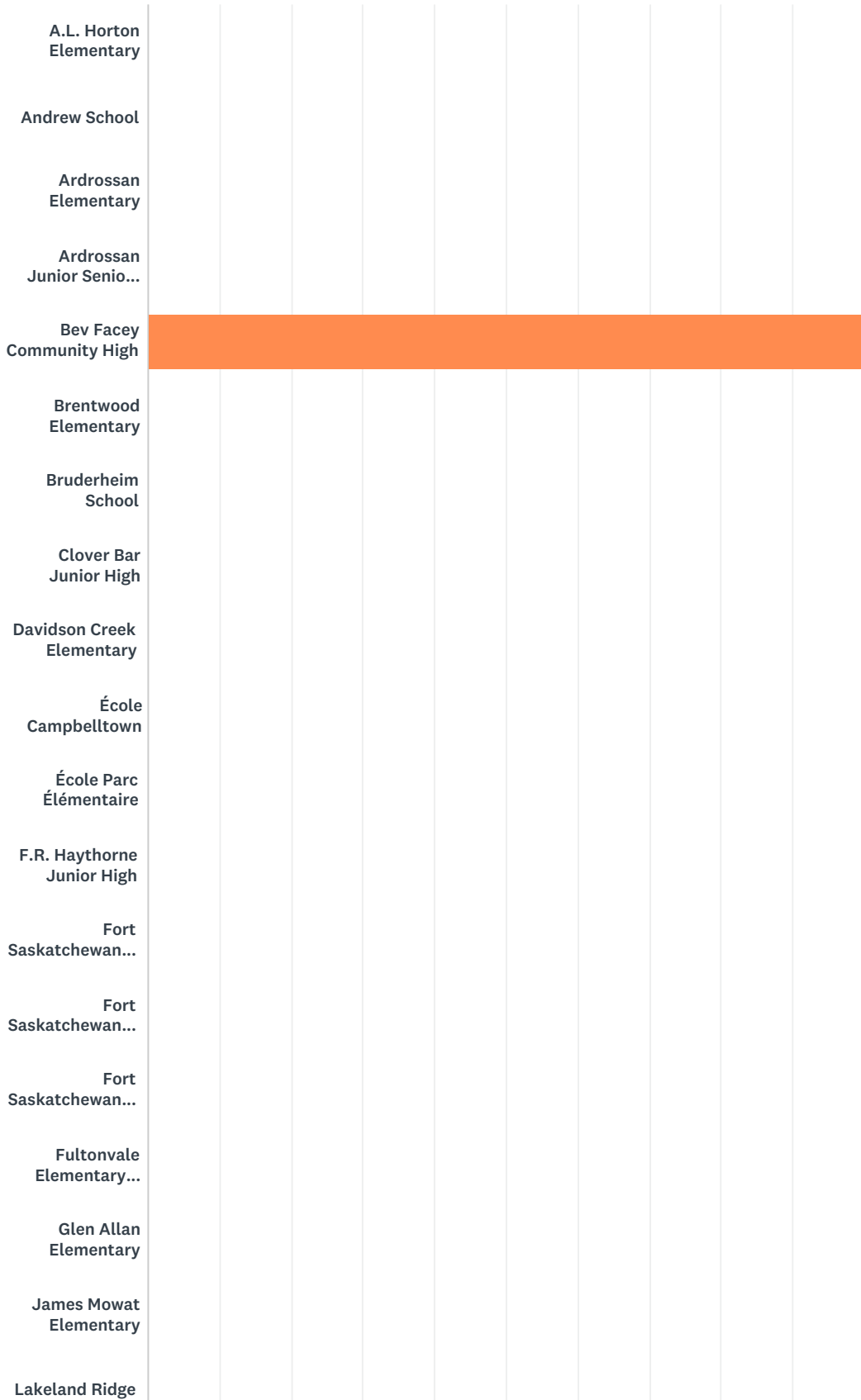


Q1 What school does your child currently attend?

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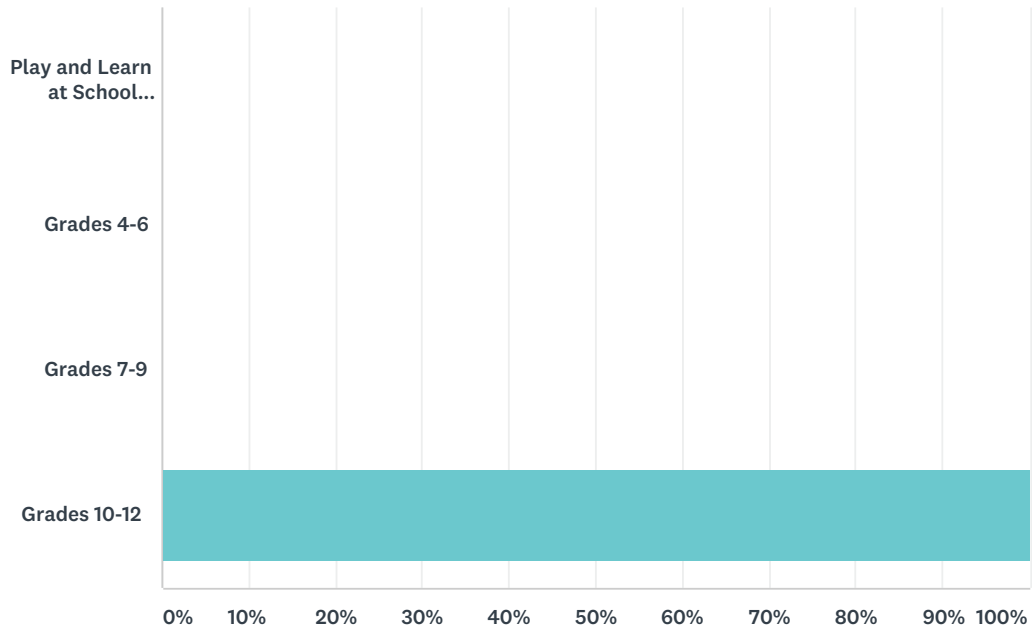
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A.L. Horton Elementary	0.00%	0
Andrew School	0.00%	0
Ardrossan Elementary	0.00%	0
Ardrossan Junior Senior High	0.00%	0
Bev Facey Community High	100.00%	205
Brentwood Elementary	0.00%	0
Bruderheim School	0.00%	0
Clover Bar Junior High	0.00%	0
Davidson Creek Elementary	0.00%	0
École Campbelltown	0.00%	0
École Parc Élémentaire	0.00%	0
F.R. Haythorne Junior High	0.00%	0
Fort Saskatchewan Christian	0.00%	0
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Fort Saskatchewan Senior High	0.00%	0
Fultonvale Elementary Junior High	0.00%	0
Glen Allan Elementary	0.00%	0
James Mowat Elementary	0.00%	0
Lakeland Ridge	0.00%	0
Lamont Elementary	0.00%	0
Lamont High	0.00%	0
Mills Haven Elementary	0.00%	0
Mundare School	0.00%	0
Next Step/Outreach	0.00%	0
Pine Street Elementary	0.00%	0
Rudolph Hennig Junior High	0.00%	0
Salisbury Composite High	0.00%	0
Sherwood Heights Junior High	0.00%	0
SouthPointe School	0.00%	0
Strathcona Christian Academy Elementary	0.00%	0
Strathcona Christian Academy Secondary	0.00%	0
Uncas Elementary	0.00%	0
Vegreville Composite High	0.00%	0
Wes Hosford Elementary	0.00%	0

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Westboro Elementary	0.00%	0
Win Ferguson Elementary	0.00%	0
Woodbridge Farms Elementary	0.00%	0
Wye Elementary	0.00%	0
TOTAL		205

Q2 What grade is your child currently in?

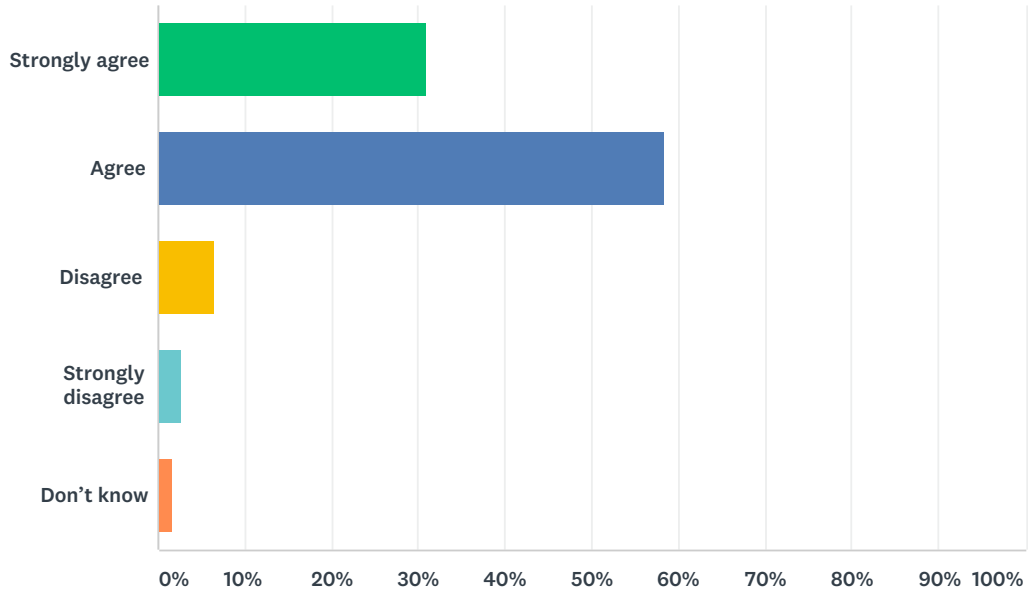
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Play and Learn at School (PALS)KindergartenGrades 1-3	0.00% 0
Grades 4-6	0.00% 0
Grades 7-9	0.00% 0
Grades 10-12	100.00% 205
TOTAL	205

Q3 My child's individual needs are met.

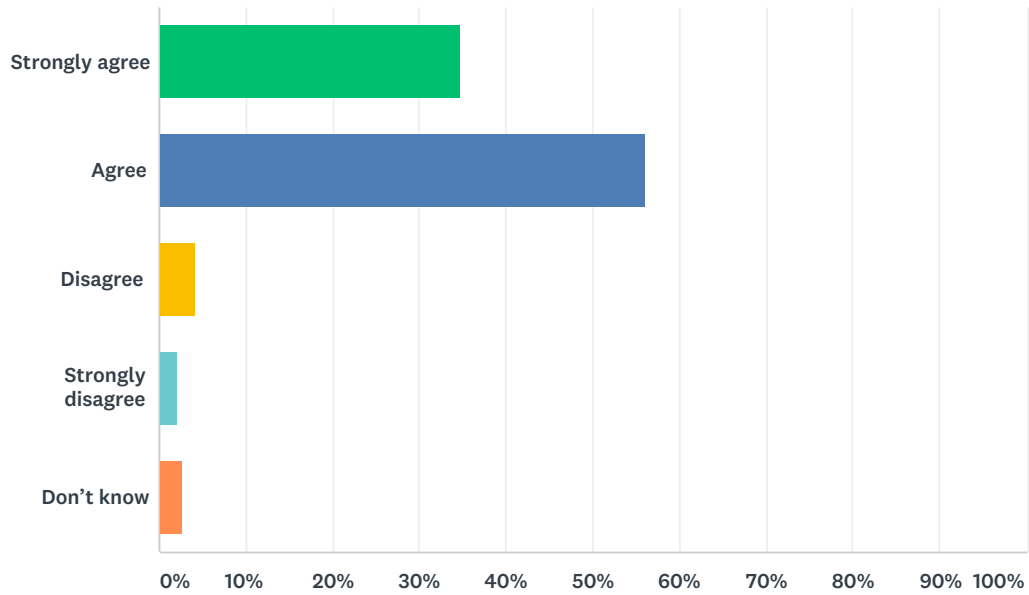
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	31.02%	58
Agree	58.29%	109
Disagree	6.42%	12
Strongly disagree	2.67%	5
Don't know	1.60%	3
TOTAL		187

Q4 My child is encouraged at school to do his or her best.

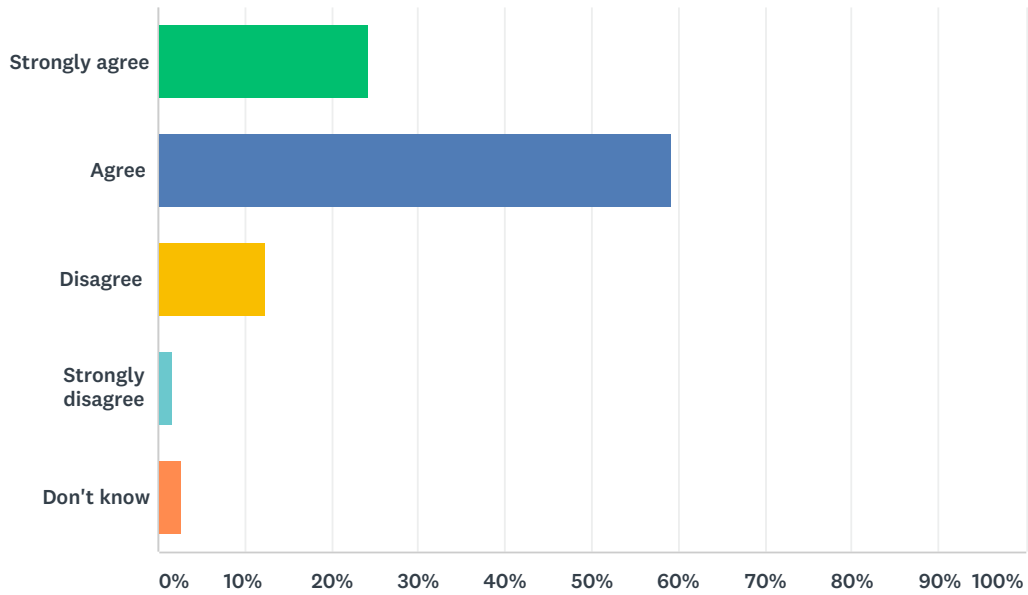
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	34.76%	65
Agree	56.15%	105
Disagree	4.28%	8
Strongly disagree	2.14%	4
Don't know	2.67%	5
TOTAL		187

Q5 My child is demonstrating growth in literacy.

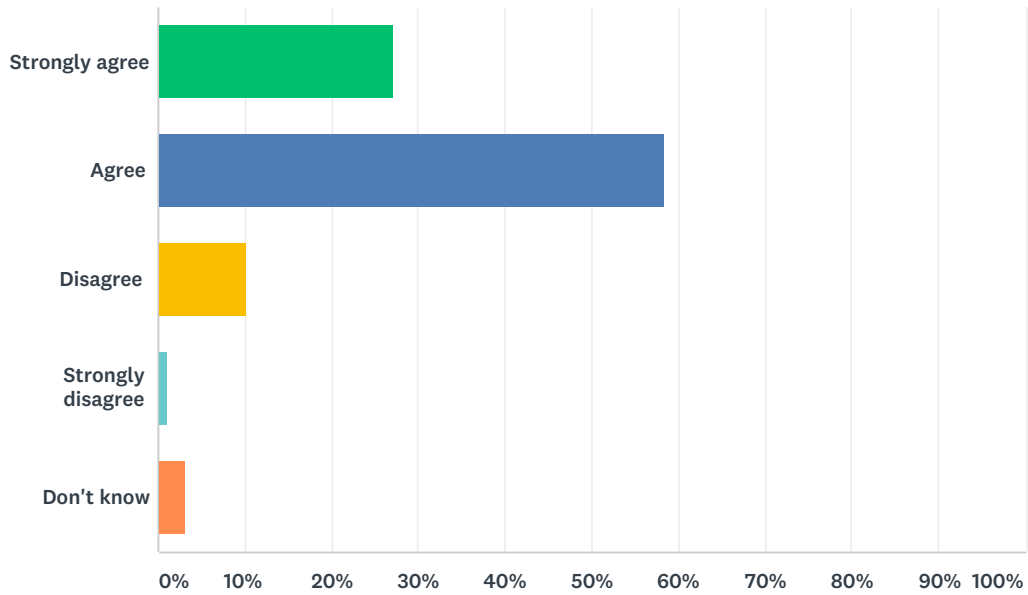
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	24.19%	45
Agree	59.14%	110
Disagree	12.37%	23
Strongly disagree	1.61%	3
Don't know	2.69%	5
TOTAL		186

Q6 My child is demonstrating growth in numeracy.

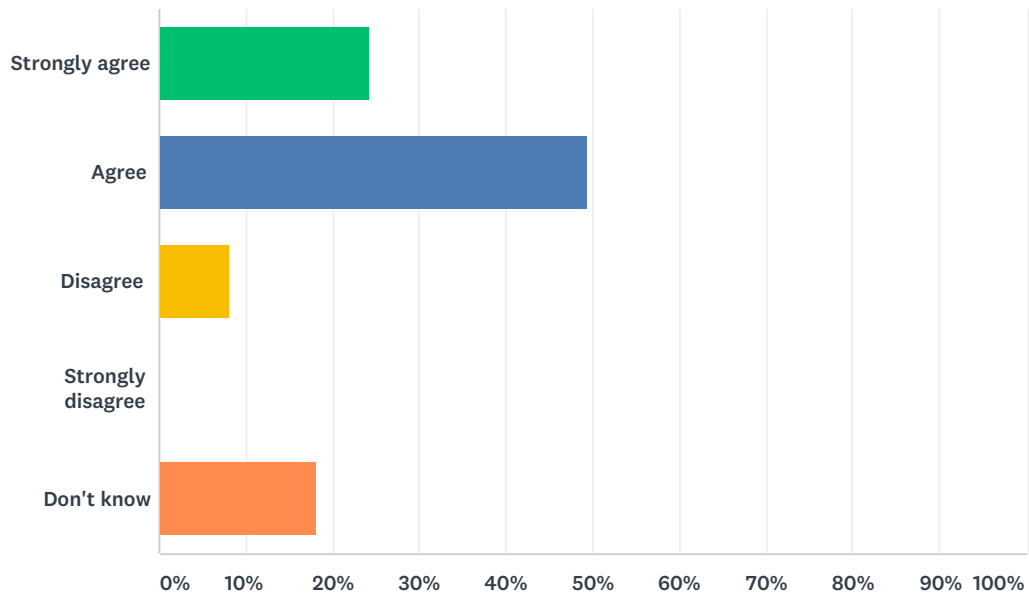
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	27.27%	51
Agree	58.29%	109
Disagree	10.16%	19
Strongly disagree	1.07%	2
Don't know	3.21%	6
TOTAL		187

Q7 My child has an understanding of First Nations, Métis and Inuit culture and history.

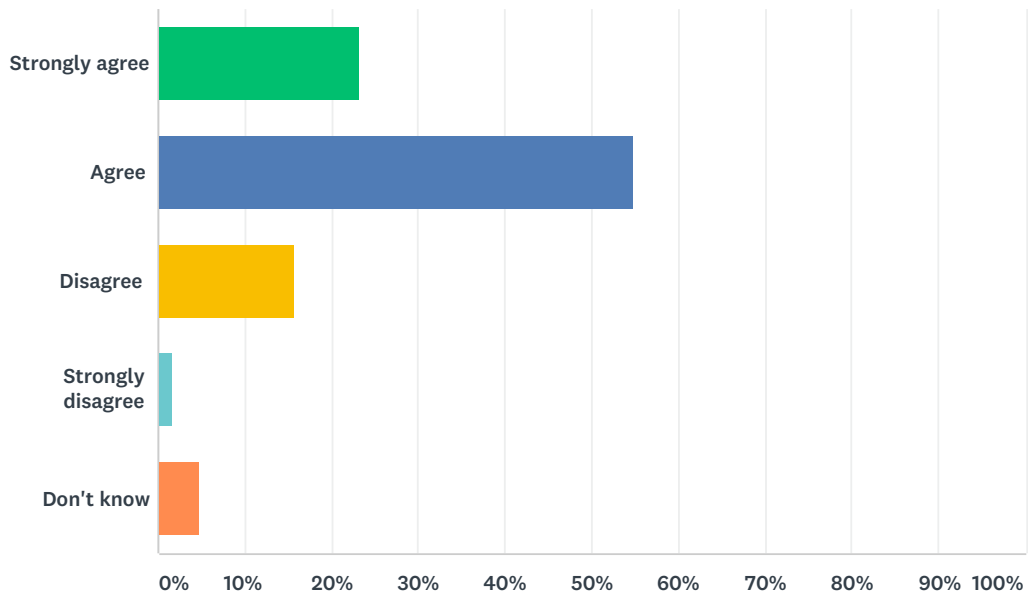
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	24.19%	45
Agree	49.46%	92
Disagree	8.06%	15
Strongly disagree	0.00%	0
Don't know	18.28%	34
TOTAL		186

Q8 My child is being taught knowledge, skills and attitudes necessary to be successful in life.

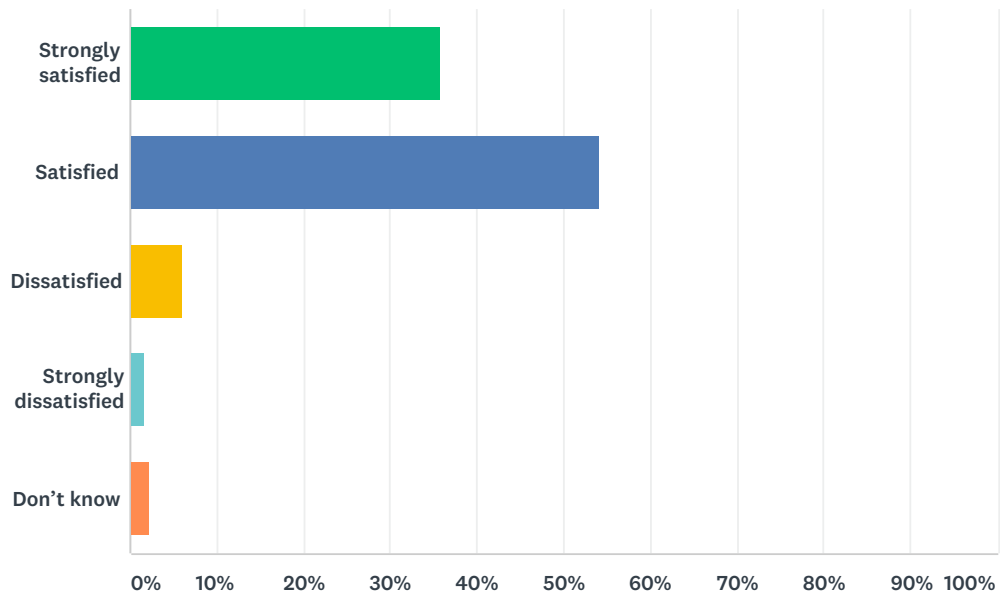
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	23.12%	43
Agree	54.84%	102
Disagree	15.59%	29
Strongly disagree	1.61%	3
Don't know	4.84%	9
TOTAL		186

Q9 How satisfied are you with the quality of education your child is receiving at his or her school?

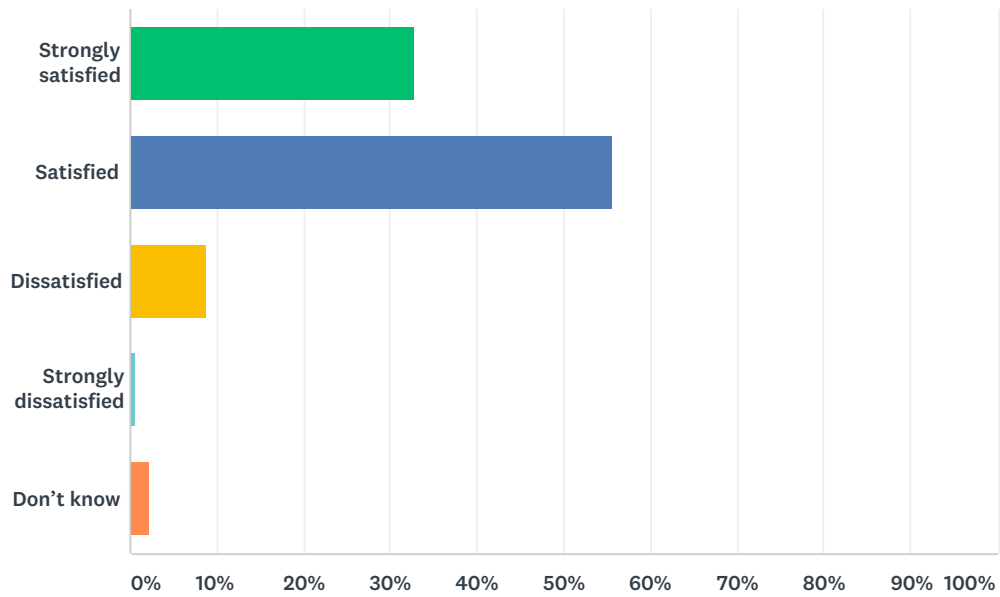
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly satisfied	35.75%	64
Satisfied	54.19%	97
Dissatisfied	6.15%	11
Strongly dissatisfied	1.68%	3
Don't know	2.23%	4
TOTAL		179

Q10 How satisfied are you with the quality of teaching at your child's school?

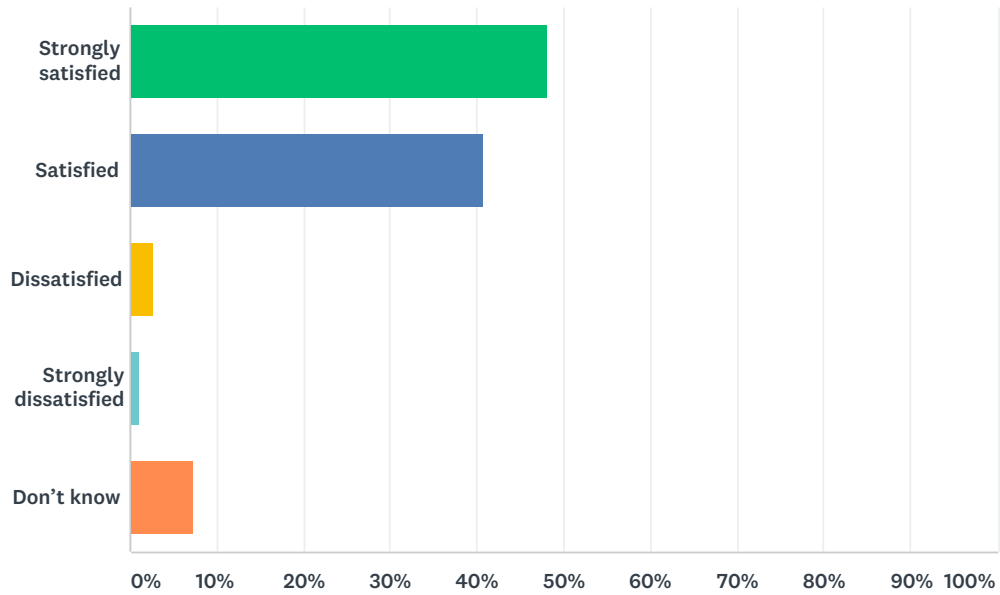
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly satisfied	32.78%	59
Satisfied	55.56%	100
Dissatisfied	8.89%	16
Strongly dissatisfied	0.56%	1
Don't know	2.22%	4
TOTAL		180

Q11 How satisfied are you with the leadership in your child's school?

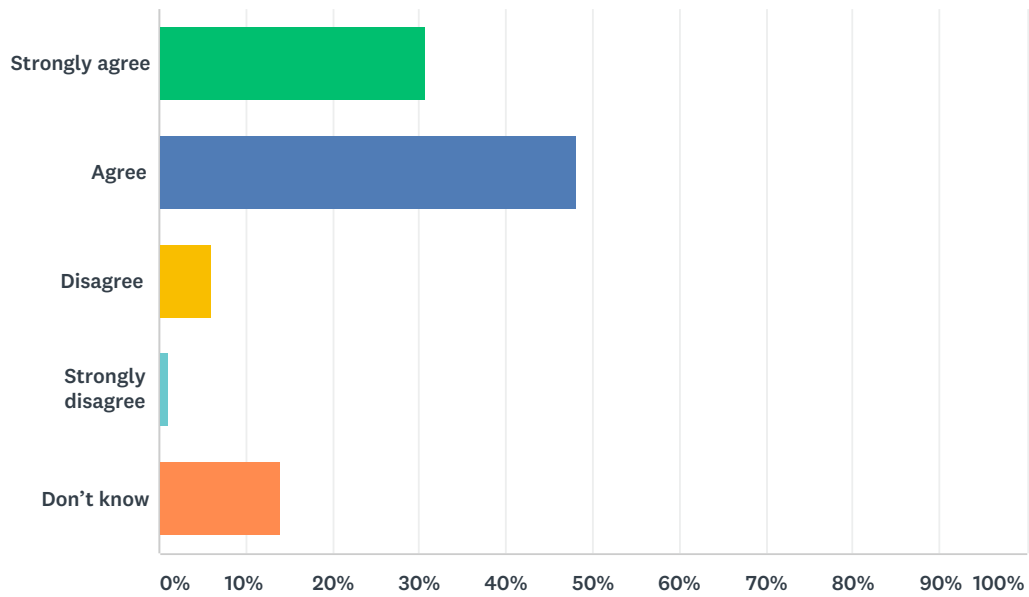
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly satisfied	48.04%	86
Satisfied	40.78%	73
Dissatisfied	2.79%	5
Strongly dissatisfied	1.12%	2
Don't know	7.26%	13
TOTAL		179

Q12 The rights and responsibilities of citizenship are reinforced in my child's school.

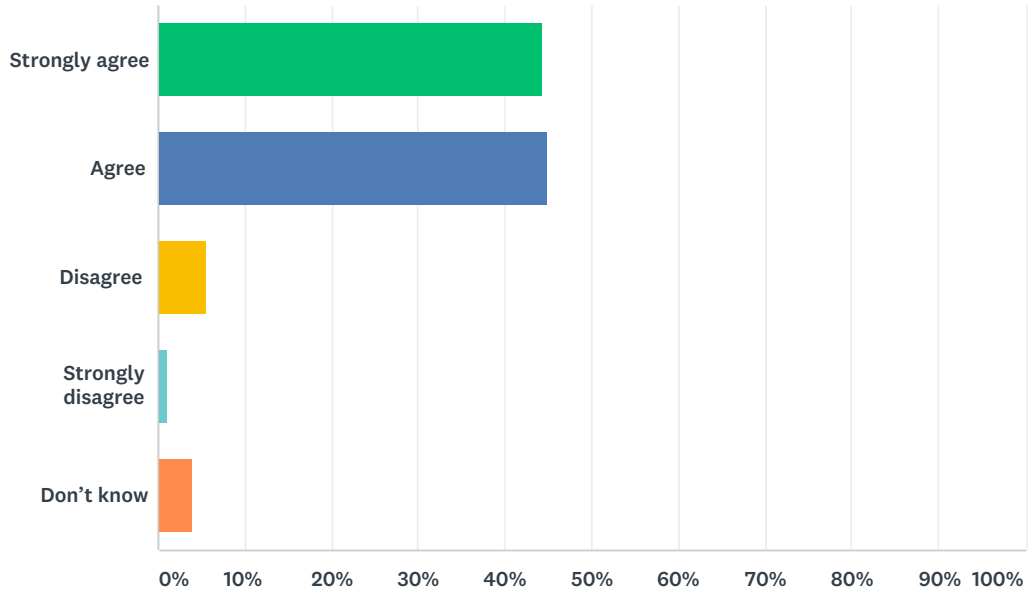
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	30.73%	55
Agree	48.04%	86
Disagree	6.15%	11
Strongly disagree	1.12%	2
Don't know	13.97%	25
TOTAL		179

Q13 The school staff care about my child.

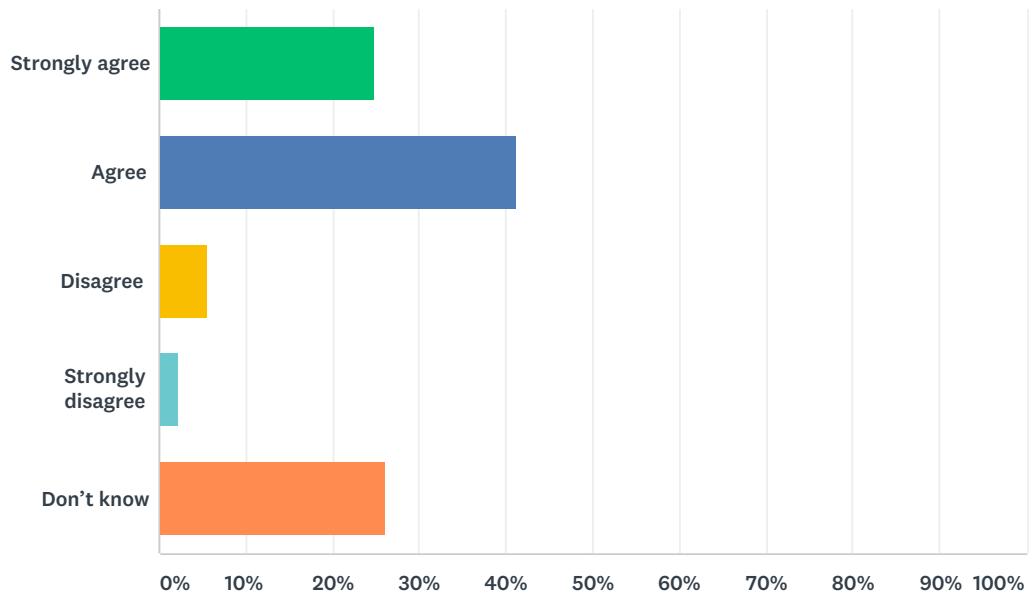
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	44.44%	80
Agree	45.00%	81
Disagree	5.56%	10
Strongly disagree	1.11%	2
Don't know	3.89%	7
TOTAL		180

Q14 Discipline is handled in a fair and reasonable manner in my child's school.

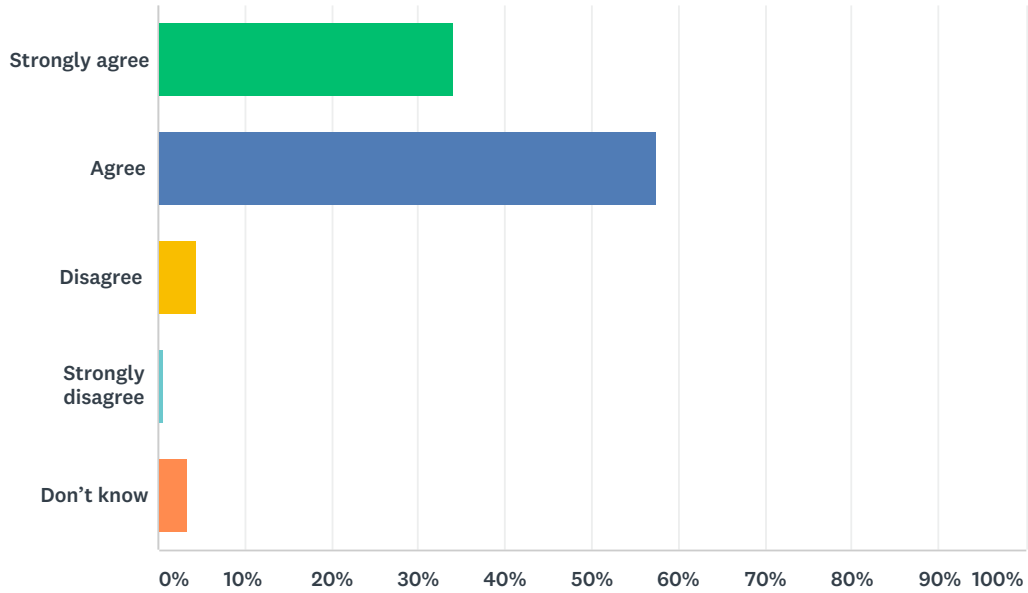
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	25.00%	45
Agree	41.11%	74
Disagree	5.56%	10
Strongly disagree	2.22%	4
Don't know	26.11%	47
TOTAL		180

Q15 My child's school is safe.

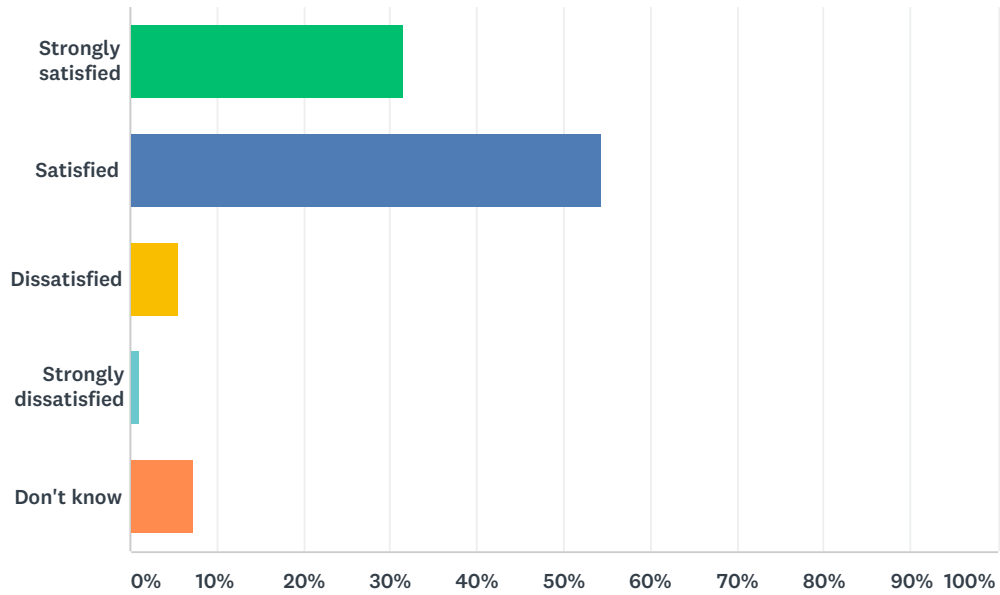
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	34.08%	61
Agree	57.54%	103
Disagree	4.47%	8
Strongly disagree	0.56%	1
Don't know	3.35%	6
TOTAL		179

Q16 How satisfied are you with the resources available to support your child's learning?

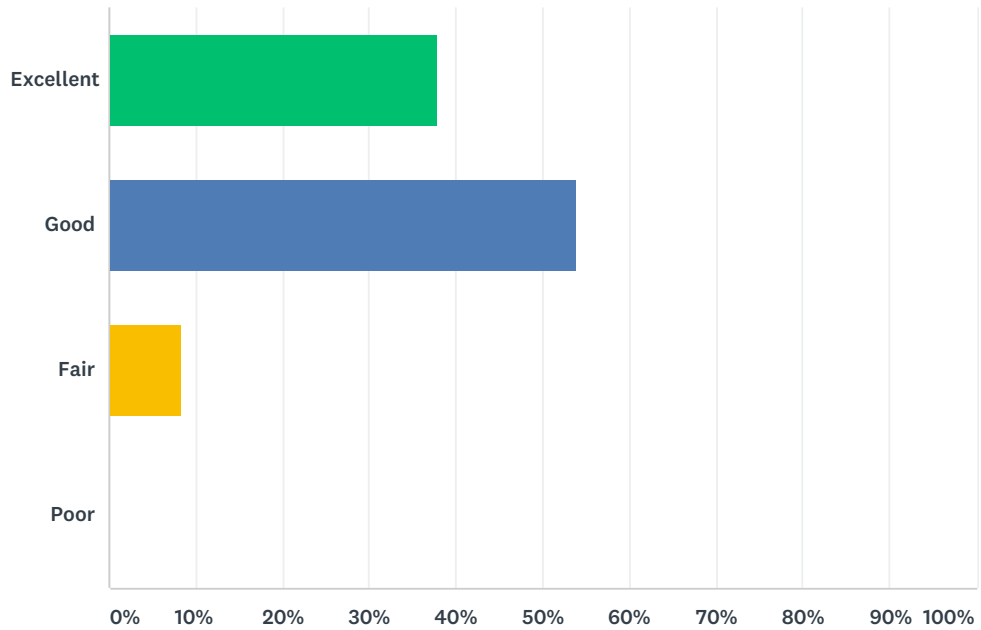
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly satisfied	31.67%	57
Satisfied	54.44%	98
Dissatisfied	5.56%	10
Strongly dissatisfied	1.11%	2
Don't know	7.22%	13
TOTAL		180

Q17 How would you rate the physical condition of your child's school?

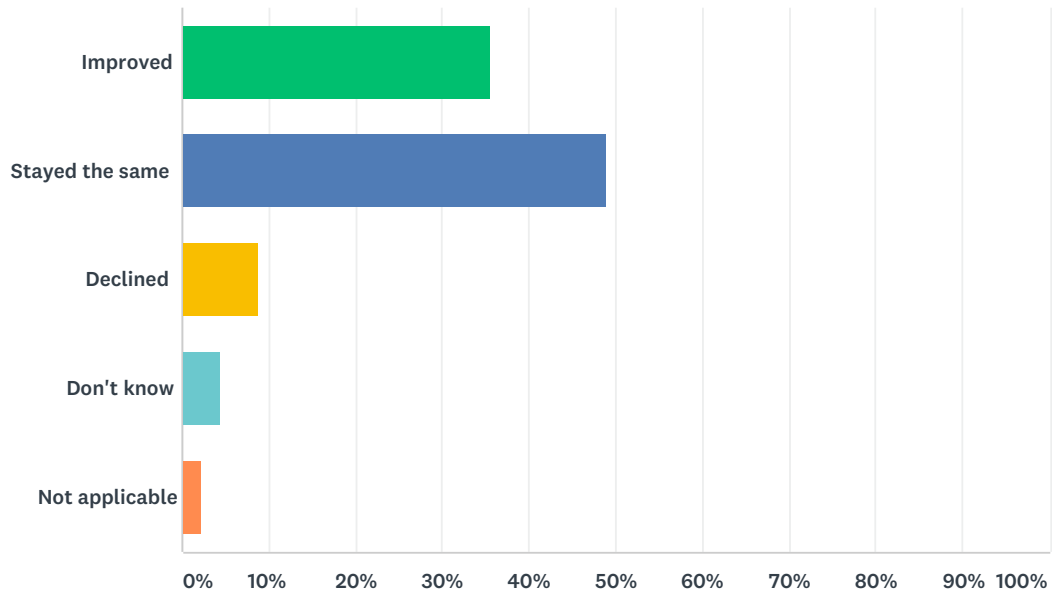
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Excellent	37.78%	68
Good	53.89%	97
Fair	8.33%	15
Poor	0.00%	0
TOTAL		180

Q18 In your opinion, has the quality of education your child has experienced at school improved, stayed the same or declined in the past three years?

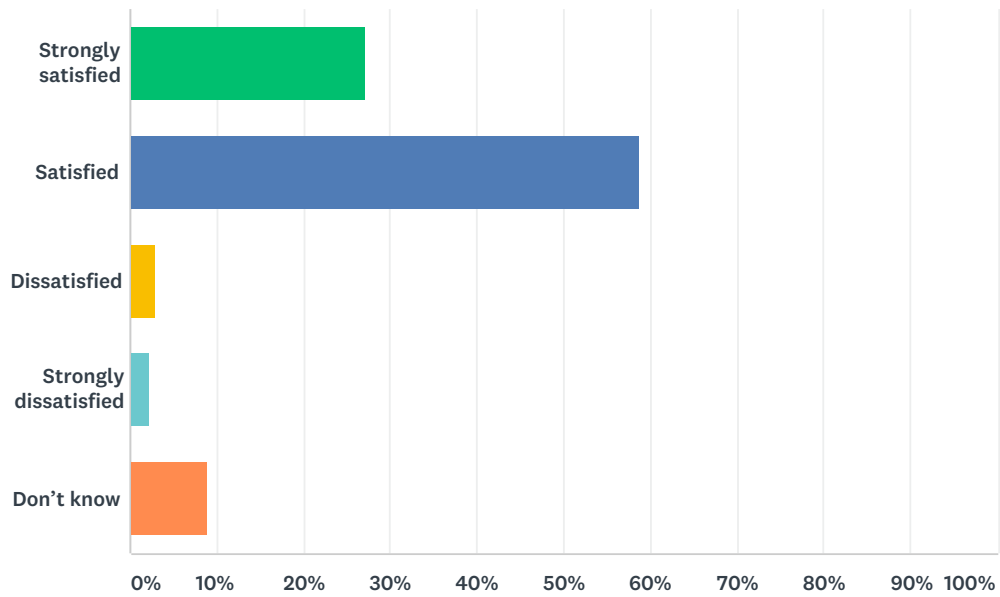
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Improved	35.56%	64
Stayed the same	48.89%	88
Declined	8.89%	16
Don't know	4.44%	8
Not applicable	2.22%	4
TOTAL		180

Q19 How satisfied are you with the opportunity to be involved in decisions at your child's school?

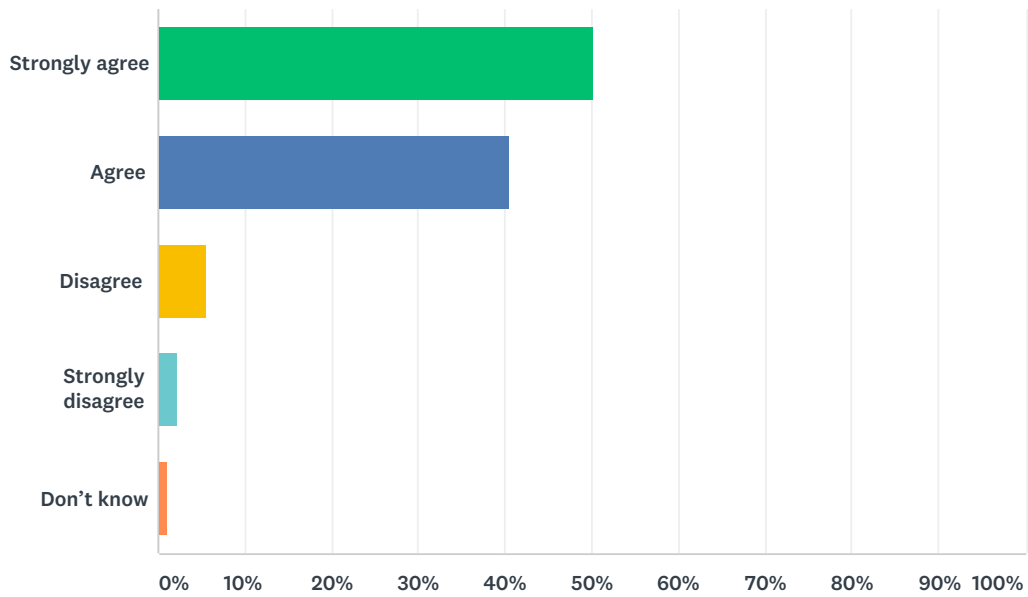
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly satisfied	27.12%	48
Satisfied	58.76%	104
Dissatisfied	2.82%	5
Strongly dissatisfied	2.26%	4
Don't know	9.04%	16
TOTAL		177

Q20 The school keeps me informed about my child's progress and achievement.

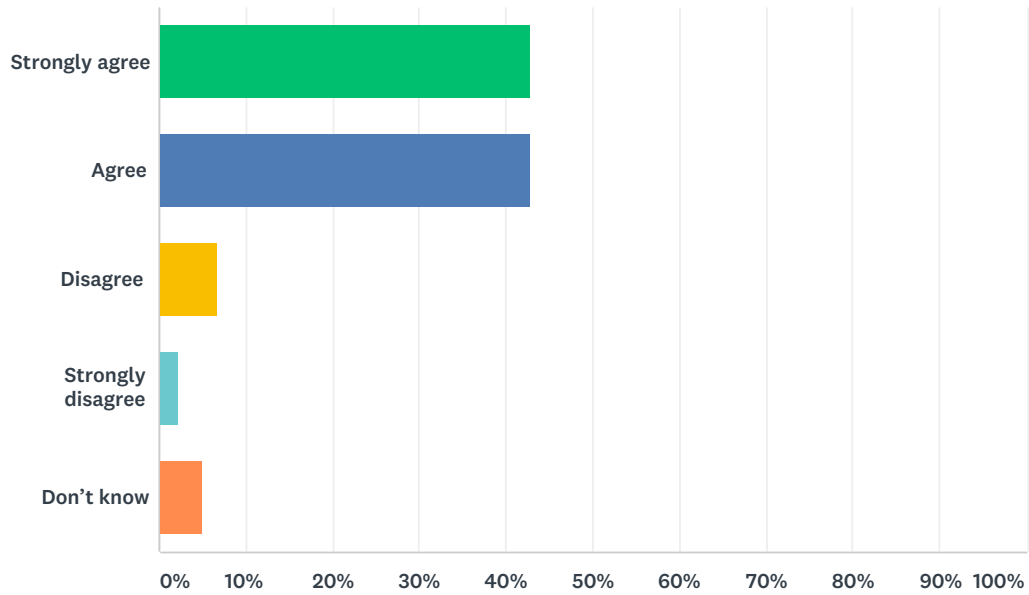
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	50.28%	89
Agree	40.68%	72
Disagree	5.65%	10
Strongly disagree	2.26%	4
Don't know	1.13%	2
TOTAL		177

Q21 There is open and honest communication within my child's school.

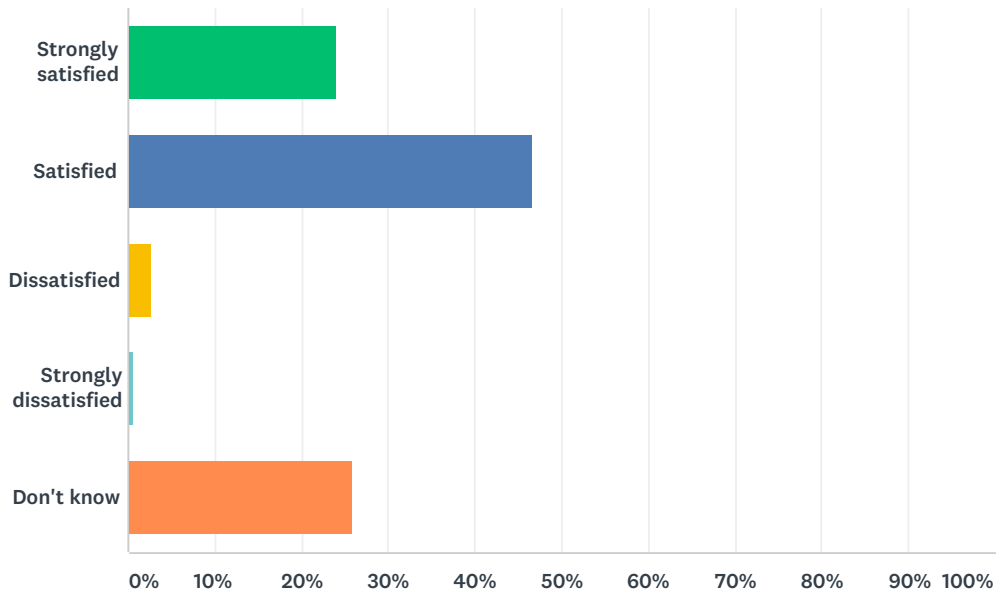
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	42.94%	76
Agree	42.94%	76
Disagree	6.78%	12
Strongly disagree	2.26%	4
Don't know	5.08%	9
TOTAL		177

Q22 How satisfied are you with the community partnerships that may be established at your school? For example: Saffron, KEYS program, Green Certificate, lunch programs, after-school programs, RAP, Tools for School, Scratch Day, Entrepreneurial Adventure, scholarships/grants, etc.

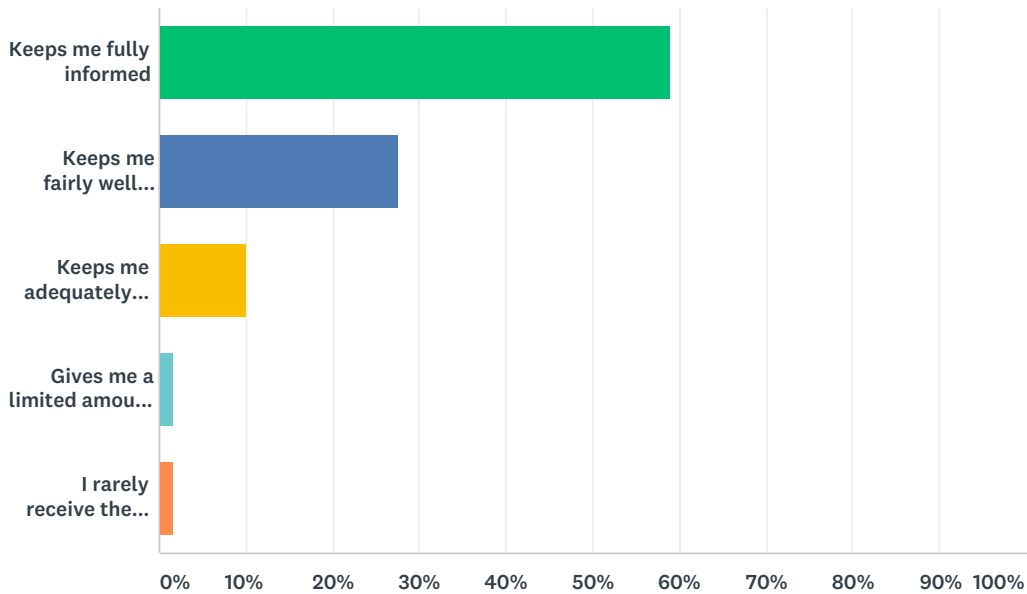
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly satisfied	24.16%	43
Satisfied	46.63%	83
Dissatisfied	2.81%	5
Strongly dissatisfied	0.56%	1
Don't know	25.84%	46
TOTAL		178

Q23 Elk Island Public Schools appreciates the opportunity to stay connected with parents about news, activities, programs and other matters of importance. What is your impression of the communication you receive from your child's school?

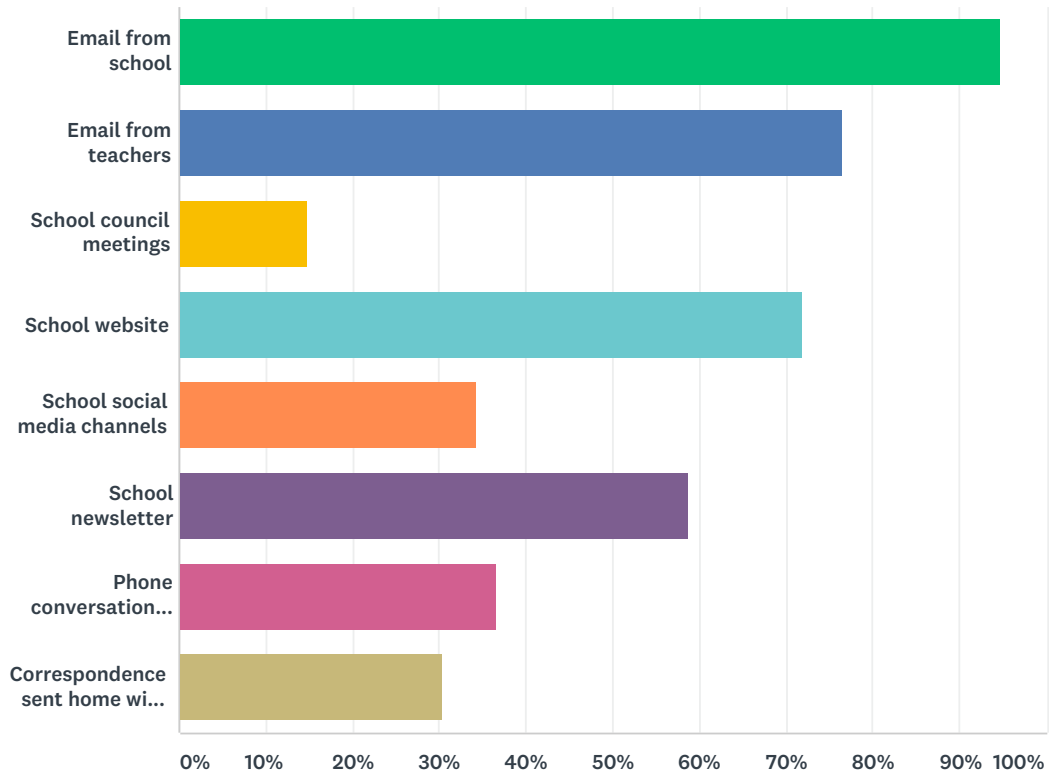
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Keeps me fully informed	58.99%	105
Keeps me fairly well informed	27.53%	49
Keeps me adequately informed	10.11%	18
Gives me a limited amount of information	1.69%	3
I rarely receive the information I need	1.69%	3
TOTAL		178

Q24 Do you regularly make use of the following to keep up to date on school activities, programs, etc.? Check all that apply.

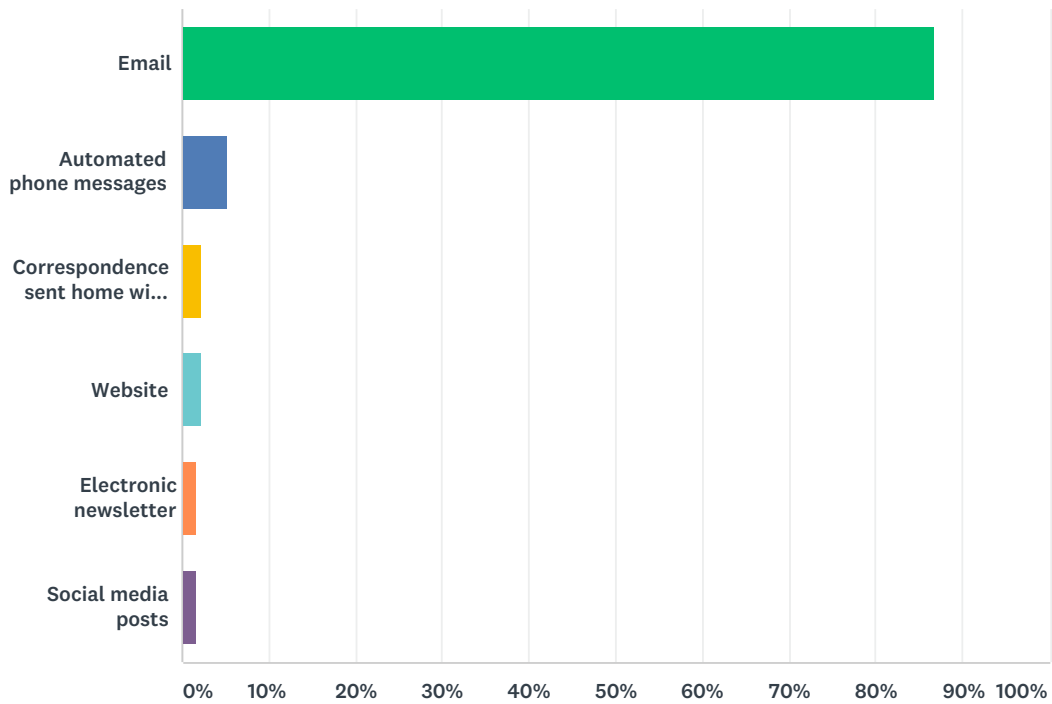
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Email from school	94.86%	166
Email from teachers	76.57%	134
School council meetings	14.86%	26
School website	72.00%	126
School social media channels	34.29%	60
School newsletter	58.86%	103
Phone conversations with the school or teachers	36.57%	64
Correspondence sent home with your child	30.29%	53
Total Respondents: 175		

Q25 What is your most preferred method of communication from the school and Division?

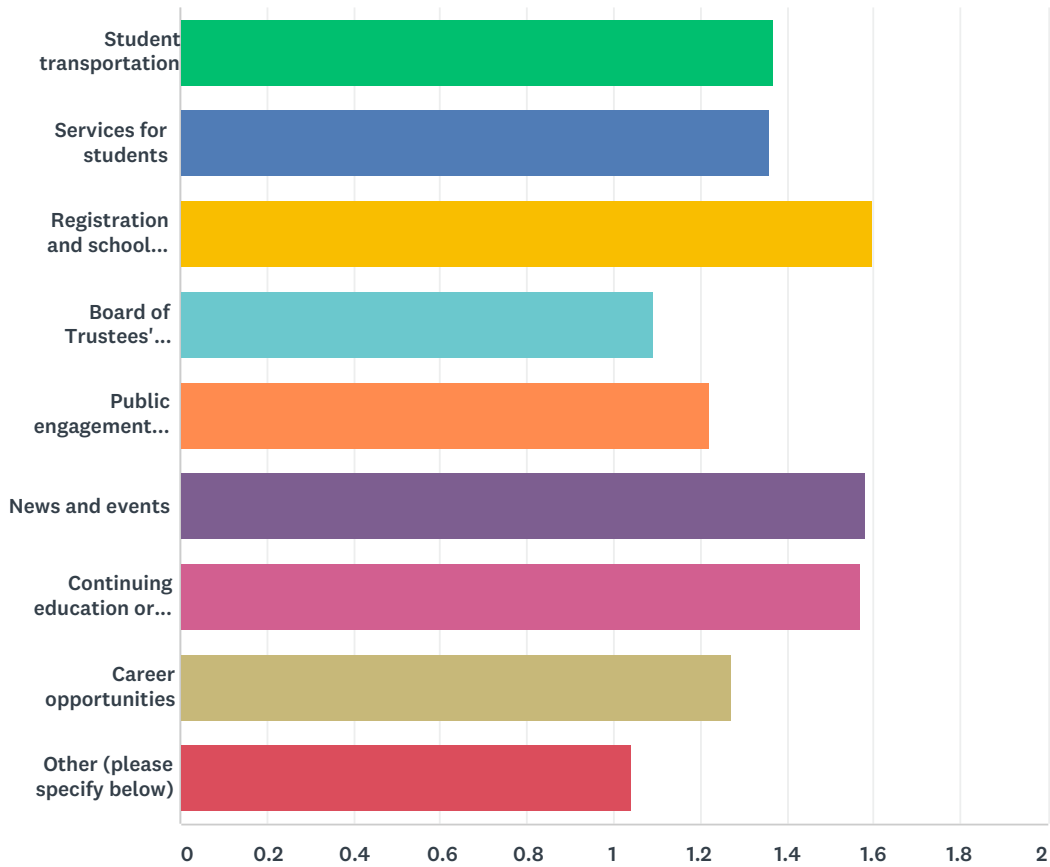
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Email	86.78%	151
Automated phone messages	5.17%	9
Correspondence sent home with your child	2.30%	4
Website	2.30%	4
Electronic newsletter	1.72%	3
Social media posts	1.72%	3
TOTAL		174

Q26 Do you visit the Division website (www.eips.ca) for information on:

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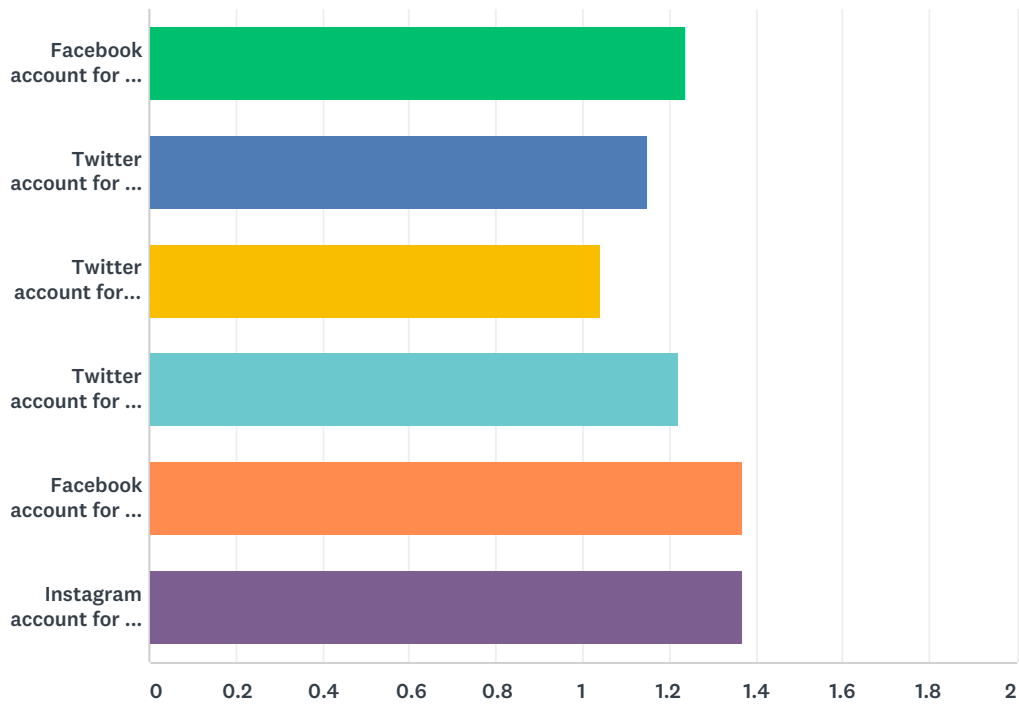


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3	calendar	3/18/2019 10:38 AM
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5	Calendar	3/17/2019 2:19 PM
6	Schedule times & grad information	3/12/2019 6:41 AM
7	School Caendar	3/12/2019 5:18 AM

Q27 The Division and schools often share news and information on social media. Do you follow:

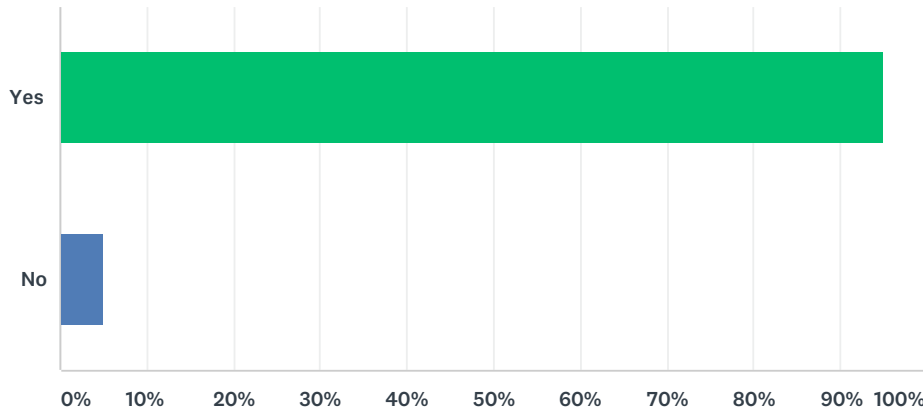
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	YES	NO	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Facebook account for the Division (Facebook.com/ElkIslandPublicSchools)	24.10% 40	75.90% 126	166	1.24
Twitter account for the Division (@eips)	15.34% 25	84.66% 138	163	1.15
Twitter account for EIPS Student Transportation (@eipsST)	3.75% 6	96.25% 154	160	1.04
Twitter account for my child's school	22.29% 37	77.71% 129	166	1.22
Facebook account for my child's school, if applicable	36.90% 62	63.10% 106	168	1.37
Instagram account for my child's school, if applicable	37.28% 63	62.72% 106	169	1.37

Q28 Does your child have a cellphone or personal device—such as a smartwatch, tablet, laptop or Chromebook—he or she brings to school?

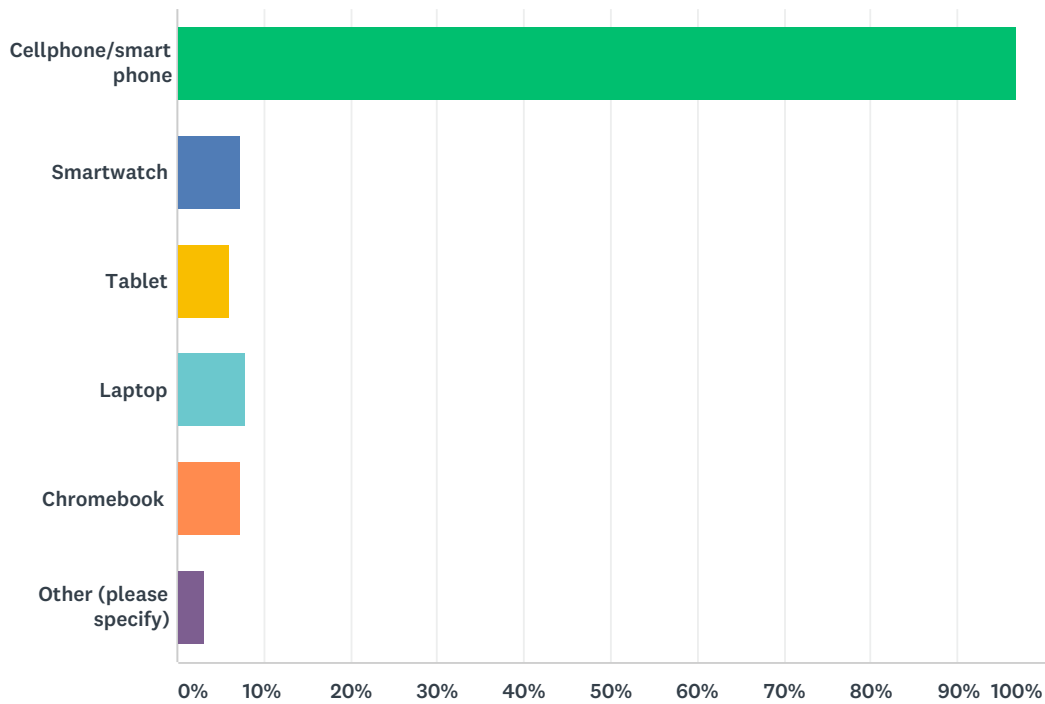
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	94.89%	167
No	5.11%	9
TOTAL		176

Q29 Please specify the types of personal devices your child brings to school. Select all that apply.

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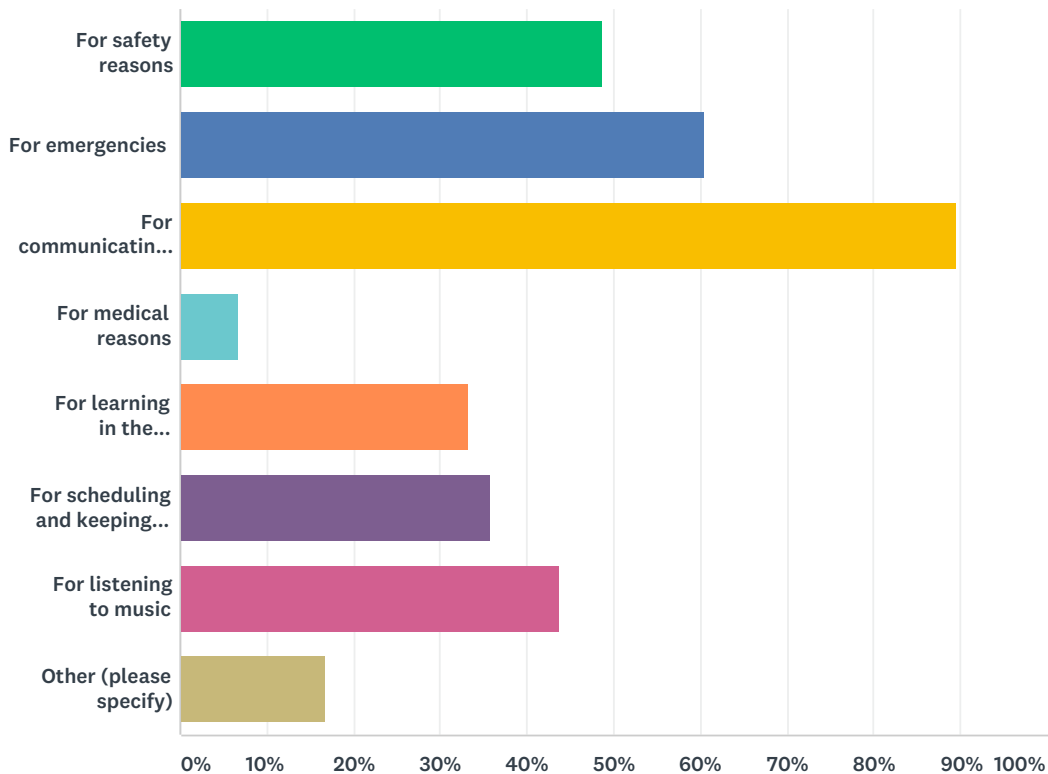


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Cellphone/smartphone	96.93%	158
Smartwatch	7.36%	12
Tablet	6.13%	10
Laptop	7.98%	13
Chromebook	7.36%	12
Other (please specify)	3.07%	5
Total Respondents: 163		

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1	iPod	3/20/2019 7:02 PM
2	iPod Touch	3/18/2019 11:53 AM
3	iPod touch	3/11/2019 8:14 PM
4	Desktop (pc)	3/11/2019 2:05 PM
5	Sometimes lap top	3/11/2019 1:41 PM

Q30 Why does your child bring a cellphone or personal device to school? Select all that apply.

Answered: 162 Skipped: 43



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
For safety reasons	48.77% 79
For emergencies	60.49% 98
For communicating with family and caregivers	89.51% 145
For medical reasons	6.79% 11
For learning in the classroom	33.33% 54
For scheduling and keeping track of assignments	35.80% 58
For listening to music	43.83% 71
Other (please specify)	16.67% 27
Total Respondents: 162	

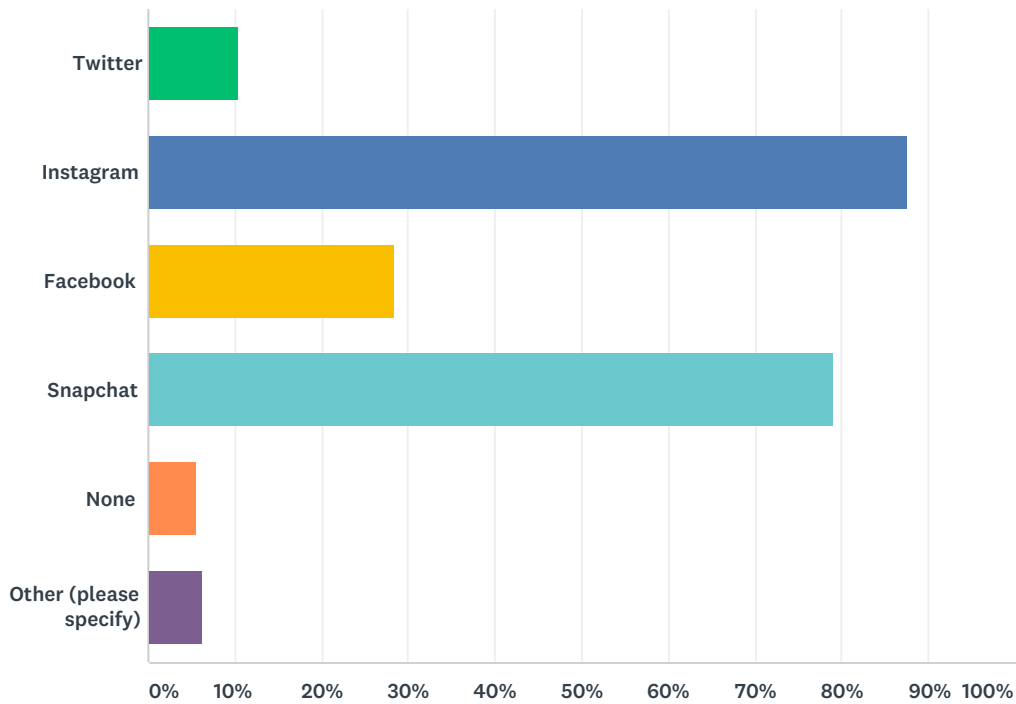
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2	Social media	3/25/2019 4:25 PM
3	Because everyone else has one and your made fun of if you don't have one	3/24/2019 8:03 PM
4	keeping in touch with her friends, I don't like it	3/24/2019 12:25 AM

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5	He watches YouTube during breaks and texts friends	3/22/2019 8:21 PM
6	Team communication	3/21/2019 8:21 AM
7	For communicating with friends at school	3/20/2019 8:34 PM
8	for communicating with friends/playing games at lunch	3/20/2019 7:19 PM
9	For sport teams communication	3/20/2019 7:00 PM
10	Because it's allowed	3/20/2019 6:55 PM
11	Friendship yapping time	3/20/2019 2:22 PM
12	scheduling of activities related to work, both his and ours(parents) and vehicles	3/20/2019 9:20 AM
13	communicating with students outside of class, for work after school is out	3/18/2019 11:11 AM
14	socialization	3/18/2019 10:42 AM
15	Football communication info	3/18/2019 10:22 AM
16	for contact with friends during breaks/lunch/bus ride	3/13/2019 4:23 PM
17	to stay connected to friends	3/13/2019 4:16 PM
18	calculator	3/13/2019 9:53 AM
19	Everyone has one, so she needs one	3/13/2019 9:37 AM
20	he is 17 brings his cell phone everywhere.	3/12/2019 5:14 PM
21	For work to contact her.	3/12/2019 2:14 PM
22	Socializing	3/11/2019 7:39 PM
23	for communicating with sports teams	3/11/2019 4:45 PM
24	For communicating with peers	3/11/2019 4:41 PM
25	Interacting with friends	3/11/2019 3:48 PM
26	Communicate with friends	3/11/2019 2:05 PM
27	communicating and social activities with friends	3/11/2019 1:58 PM

Q31 What social media platforms does your child use? Select all that apply.

Answered: 162 Skipped: 43



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Twitter	10.49%	17
Instagram	87.65%	142
Facebook	28.40%	46
Snapchat	79.01%	128
None	5.56%	9
Other (please specify)	6.17%	10
Total Respondents: 162		

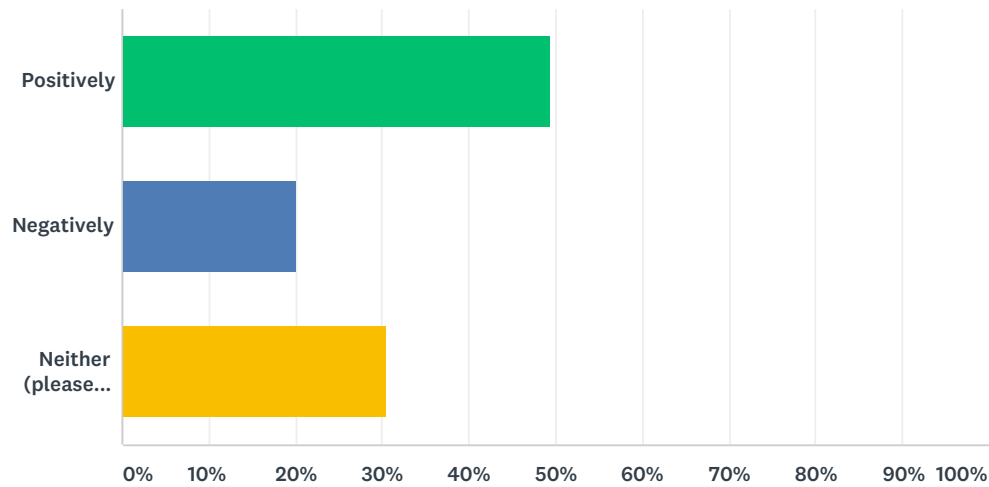
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2	Hangouts	3/20/2019 7:02 PM
3	Remind	3/20/2019 7:00 PM
4	Whatsapp	3/20/2019 10:28 AM
5	He has alot, and more... lots I have never heard of. And GAMES... Grrr.	3/18/2019 3:41 PM
6	YOU NAME IT, she uses it!	3/18/2019 2:09 PM
7	TeamLinkt	3/18/2019 10:22 AM
8	Remind	3/12/2019 2:14 PM

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9	Tumblr	3/12/2019 5:22 AM
10	just texting and messaging	3/11/2019 1:58 PM

Q32 How does using social media impact your child's relationships with peers?

Answered: 160 Skipped: 45



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Positively	49.38%	79
Negatively	20.00%	32
Neither (please specify)	30.63%	49
TOTAL		160

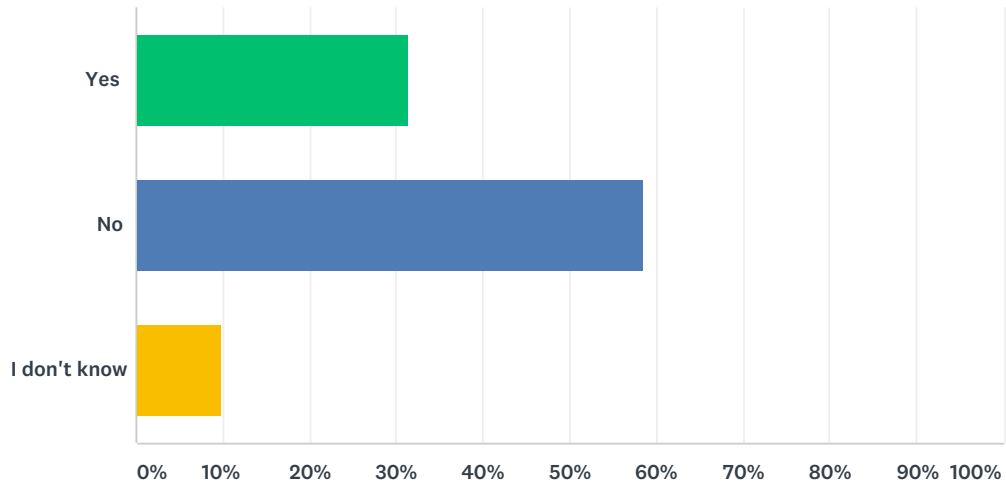
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2	He's not super committed to it.	3/26/2019 9:00 AM
3	Both positive and negative	3/25/2019 4:25 PM
4	It was previously very negative, now it is ok	3/24/2019 12:25 AM
5	They keep in contact when apart but are unsocialable when together	3/22/2019 7:23 PM
6	Both pos and neg implications	3/22/2019 1:29 PM
7	Neutral	3/21/2019 11:27 PM
8	sometimes positive, sometimes negative	3/21/2019 11:59 AM
9	My son does not use his cell phone much to communicate	3/21/2019 7:45 AM
10	Both positive and negative	3/20/2019 8:33 PM
11	Both, dependent on the matter at hand	3/20/2019 6:29 PM
12	Unsure	3/20/2019 5:13 PM
13	He's simply connected that's about it	3/20/2019 3:04 PM
14	I dont know	3/20/2019 10:28 AM
15	mostly positive. some negativity on snap chat from seeing girls bully other girls. fortunately she reported it to me and I engaged teh school principal fromt ehhschool the student attended	3/20/2019 10:22 AM
16	It has both a positive AND negative impact.	3/20/2019 9:45 AM

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17	some of its just cr**	3/20/2019 9:20 AM
18	Both positively and negatively	3/19/2019 8:36 PM
19	both positively and negatively	3/18/2019 10:42 AM
20	Private kid, doesn't like people taking his picture	3/18/2019 10:22 AM
21	Good and Bad	3/18/2019 9:03 AM
22	she has her online friends, and her school friends	3/17/2019 2:24 PM
23	It's neutral. Sometimes good, sometimes not.	3/13/2019 1:33 PM
24	I think it has both positive and negative impacts	3/13/2019 1:08 PM
25	Not sure	3/13/2019 11:59 AM
26	In stead of Neither I'd say both. Positive—It's how they communicate with each other. My child has had no personal attacks negative consequences from that. The negative impact is that it is always in his hand and is very distracting.	3/13/2019 10:23 AM
27	Both	3/13/2019 9:23 AM
28	I don't see a problem	3/13/2019 12:49 AM
29	does not use social media	3/12/2019 7:45 PM
30	not sure how it affects him	3/12/2019 5:14 PM
31	It depends what day it is!! Good days and bad using social media.	3/12/2019 2:14 PM
32	Both apply	3/12/2019 7:23 AM
33	Both positive and negative	3/11/2019 11:44 PM
34	Some of both	3/11/2019 8:01 PM
35	it does not	3/11/2019 7:41 PM
36	He's had some good some bad experiences	3/11/2019 5:34 PM
37	it's both positive and negative at times	3/11/2019 4:45 PM
38	Can be good and bad	3/11/2019 4:42 PM
39	Both positive and negative. Connects more, but there is more Fear Of Missing Out and opens up to anxiety/social issues.	3/11/2019 4:41 PM
40	Both- we have taught our children to only follow people they personally know and have a positive relationship with	3/11/2019 3:48 PM
41	My child is not being impacted with peers	3/11/2019 3:18 PM
42	P	3/11/2019 3:11 PM
43	Both!!! It keeps him included but he also sees when they are not including him.	3/11/2019 2:29 PM
44	He is a male so far less inclined to use social media	3/11/2019 2:05 PM
45	My son isn't a fan of using social media sites and tends not to use them. He has on occasion when convinced by a friend but ends up deleting the site. Hi friends don't seem to mind that he doesn't use them and text him instead.	3/11/2019 1:58 PM
46	You need another option for: Both positive and negative. Depends what's happening.	3/11/2019 1:54 PM
47	There are both positive and negative aspects of social media too complicated to explain here	3/11/2019 1:48 PM
48	?	3/11/2019 1:35 PM
49	Not on social media	3/11/2019 1:34 PM

Q33 Has your child ever experienced cyberbullying?

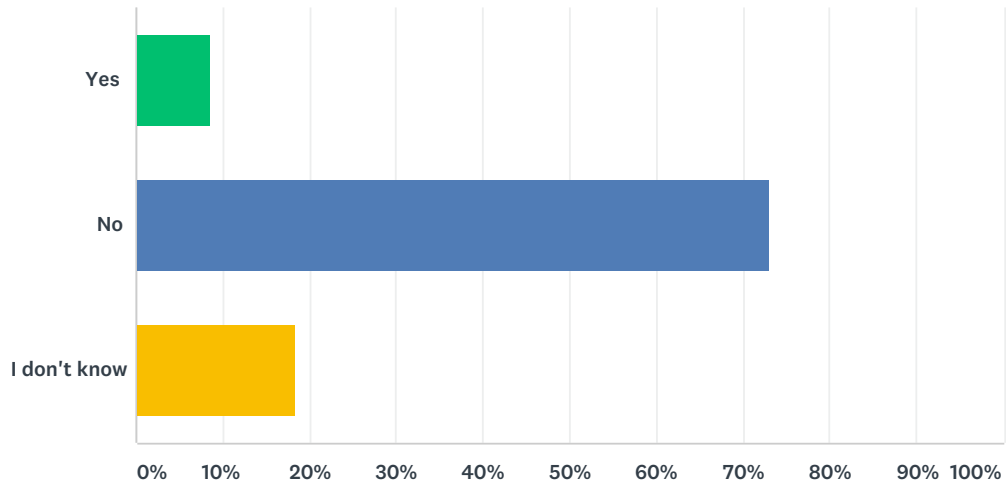
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	31.48%	51
No	58.64%	95
I don't know	9.88%	16
TOTAL		162

Q34 Has your child ever cyberbullied someone?

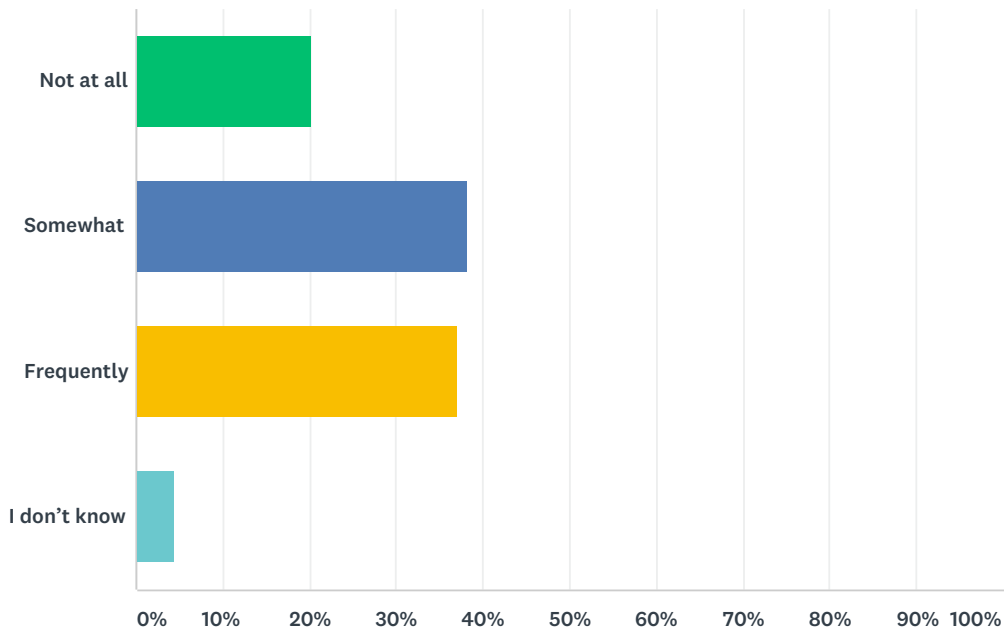
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	8.59%	14
No	73.01%	119
I don't know	18.40%	30
TOTAL		163

Q35 To what extent do you believe a cellphone or personal device in the classroom distracts your child from learning?

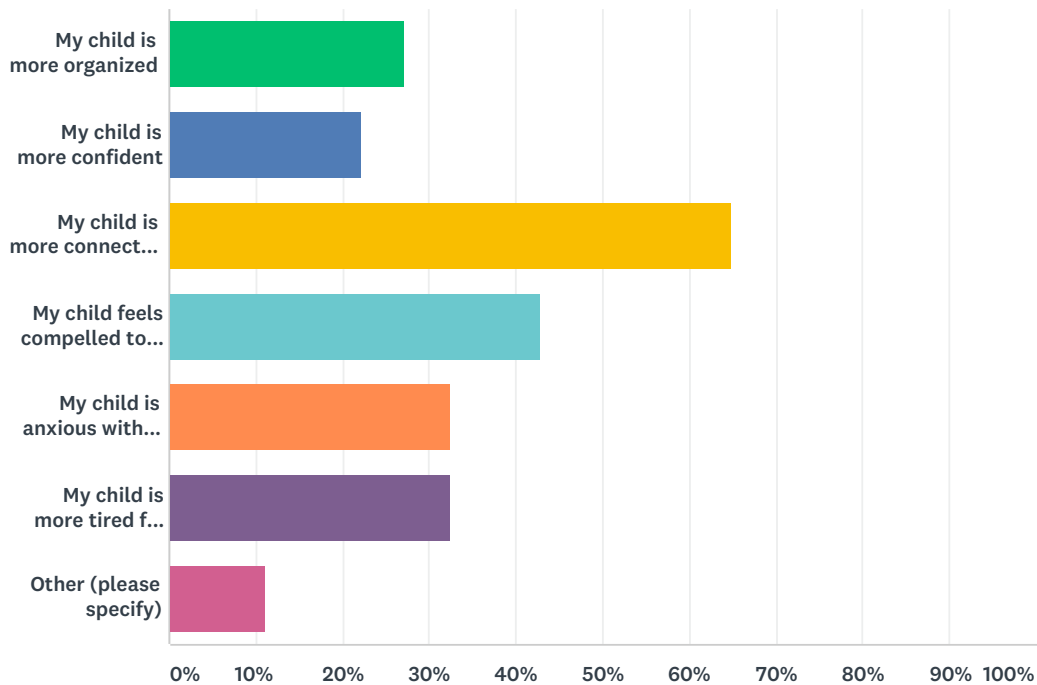
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Not at all	20.37%	33
Somewhat	38.27%	62
Frequently	37.04%	60
I don't know	4.32%	7
TOTAL		162

Q36 How does using a cellphone or personal device affect your child’s personal well-being, either positively or negatively? Select all that apply.

Answered: 154 Skipped: 51



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
My child is more organized	27.27%	42
My child is more confident	22.08%	34
My child is more connected to friends	64.94%	100
My child feels compelled to respond	42.86%	66
My child is anxious without it	32.47%	50
My child is more tired from late night use	32.47%	50
Other (please specify)	11.04%	17
Total Respondents: 154		

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	The connection never ends from morning to morning this really is messed up	3/24/2019 8:03 PM
2	Negatively- provides false sense of reality	3/21/2019 1:34 PM
3	I think it is distracting in class, and should not be allowed	3/21/2019 11:59 AM
4	Totally distracted	3/20/2019 2:22 PM
5	He is able to communicate with me when he needs to.	3/20/2019 10:28 AM
6	Has the focus of a gnat! And cannot live without it!	3/18/2019 2:09 PM

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7	My child was negatively impacted by texting with school friends in Junior High School and by using Instagram in High School. Therefore, my child no longer uses social media but feels "left out" by not participating in social media group chats, etc.	3/18/2019 11:53 AM
8	When used responsibly, can reduce some classroom interference	3/18/2019 11:11 AM
9	Doesn't have texting or calling privilege	3/18/2019 10:22 AM
10	less self esteem. less self confidence	3/13/2019 4:16 PM
11	She has not learned how to interact with people, she hides behind her phone	3/13/2019 9:37 AM
12	My child feels the need to always be connected on social media, and this causes anxiety.	3/12/2019 2:14 PM
13	My child wishes cell pone weren't allowed in classrooms. Only at lunchtime.	3/11/2019 4:45 PM
14	Gives my child a communication device for family	3/11/2019 3:18 PM
15	Check in with me once a day. Phone stays in locker not in the classroom	3/11/2019 2:41 PM
16	It is an information resource	3/11/2019 2:05 PM
17	N/a	3/11/2019 1:34 PM

Q37 What rules do you have for your child related to the use of cellphones or personal devices at school?

Answered: 132 Skipped: 73

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Do not use in class without permission. Should stay in locker unless teacher wants you to have it in class.	3/28/2019 9:40 PM
2	To follow the school rules and policy	3/28/2019 6:54 PM
3	Not to use during class time, keep volume off.	3/28/2019 6:53 AM
4	Never during class.	3/26/2019 7:41 PM
5	Not to be used for texting or snapchat during class.	3/26/2019 9:00 AM
6	Only can use it if it's allowed	3/25/2019 4:25 PM
7	Do not go on it during class time unless teacher allows. Show respect to adults.	3/25/2019 8:59 AM
8	Same as the school	3/24/2019 8:03 PM
9	He's not to use it during class.	3/24/2019 12:43 PM
10	She knows I have requested teachers to take it away, I do NOT like it being used at school at all. I am very upset that I have been told in the past that teachers can't take them away!	3/24/2019 12:25 AM
11	Should not affect the class	3/24/2019 12:00 AM
12	He will be 18 next month, he sets his own rules	3/22/2019 8:21 PM
13	I don't implement any and would be disappointed if they used it in class.	3/22/2019 7:23 PM
14	Not to be used in class time unless the teacher has directed it for use eg/for looking up definitions of words. If I hear from teacher it's becoming a distraction, it's gone.	3/22/2019 1:29 PM
15	Limited use at home during family time.	3/22/2019 1:28 PM
16	Not to use unless required for classroom research. Can use between classes.	3/22/2019 9:26 AM
17	They need to respect the wishes of each teachers rules	3/22/2019 6:37 AM
18	Don't see many rules around cell phone use	3/21/2019 11:27 PM
19	Not to be used in classes, just at breaks and lunch	3/21/2019 1:34 PM
20	Ask him not to use it during class, but we are not there to enforce	3/21/2019 11:59 AM
21	off in class	3/21/2019 11:16 AM
22	Use at break and lunch times only, except for when it is needed for an assignment.	3/21/2019 8:21 AM
23	for emergency only, to communicate pick up times and location if I can arrange for him to not take the bus, and if he needs it with teacher permission to research something school related	3/21/2019 7:45 AM
24	I don't have any but would expect the school to have rules surrounding their use. I do not feel they should be used in the classroom at all, except for a specific learning purpose.	3/20/2019 8:34 PM
25	I had the rule that he could not bring his phone to school, but a teacher mandated that he must use it in that class, which sent that plan out the window. Since being required to bring it, I notice that his usage during the day has gradually escalated. It is definitely a negative impact on his learning, and it is entirely frustrating that this was a requirement by a teacher. Sure, he should better monitor himself, but he is a kid and is struggling with that. My solution was no phone at school. Sadly, in many classes, phones are now part of their lessons.	3/20/2019 7:19 PM
26	Not to be used in class	3/20/2019 7:02 PM
27	School first. Use when necessary.	3/20/2019 7:02 PM

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28	Pay attention in class and only use your phone on your time. Respect others you are on the cell phone with	3/20/2019 7:00 PM
29	None, they are allowed in all classes and I can't monitor when I'm not there. Teachers don't enforce no use	3/20/2019 6:55 PM
30	Find my iPhone must be on at all times so I can track if they leave the school	3/20/2019 6:29 PM
31	I suggest that he uses it only for educational reasons during class.	3/20/2019 6:01 PM
32	Limit use	3/20/2019 5:13 PM
33	Follow teacher rules	3/20/2019 4:28 PM
34	Teacher rules	3/20/2019 3:04 PM
35	Use when allowed and as a resource.	3/20/2019 2:49 PM
36	Use only when given permission, I know this is not always followed	3/20/2019 2:22 PM
37	Not on phone unless need to contact family for emergencies or scheduling	3/20/2019 1:36 PM
38	No game playing until work is completed. Parents must be followers on any social media app. A minimum 80% average. must be maintained in order to keep this privilege.	3/20/2019 1:02 PM
39	not during class time	3/20/2019 12:52 PM
40	Should only be used in the classroom for study related use (calculator, research, etc.).	3/20/2019 11:48 AM
41	Not to use cellphone in class room	3/20/2019 11:06 AM
42	Follow the school policy	3/20/2019 10:49 AM
43	No using it if not allowed in class	3/20/2019 10:44 AM
44	Respond to keep it safe, must keep marks above a certain threshold to continue to have access	3/20/2019 10:39 AM
45	Stay off and pay attention in class . Tablet is fine for homework	3/20/2019 10:38 AM
46	only for communication with parents.	3/20/2019 10:22 AM
47	We ask that she not use it during class unless authorized by the teacher. She is NEVER allowed to have it in class during exams.	3/20/2019 9:45 AM
48	obey the school policies, let me know where he is and who he is with	3/20/2019 9:20 AM
49	Use only when necessary for class.	3/19/2019 10:40 PM
50	No device in bedroom after certain time, adult has to be in room when on device. We do regular phone checks, irregular phone checks, checking account from other devices, etc, etc.	3/19/2019 8:36 PM
51	We ask him not to use it during class time but I know he doesn't listen to that advice.	3/19/2019 6:26 PM
52	School and teachers must come first! She is allowed to use it, only if given permission by the teacher / class	3/19/2019 2:09 PM
53	If teachers request no use in class, follow that rule.	3/19/2019 7:06 AM
54	Not to be used during class time unless required for learning purposes such as looking up things on the internet	3/18/2019 4:57 PM
55	He is not supposed to be on it in class..... But I hear from the teachers, he is on it frequently.... .But they say that he isn't the only one... most of them are on them!	3/18/2019 3:41 PM
56	Not allowed in her room and I have full ability to take it away, if we see fit. Not gonna lie, it is a fight EVERYDAY!	3/18/2019 2:09 PM
57	The personal device should be used minimally -- when required (by the teacher) in the classroom, and for communicating with us (parents) during breaks. Do not allow other students to take photos of you and do not take photos of others unless "necessary" and with their approval.	3/18/2019 11:53 AM
58	Respect teachers' in-class rules. If a text is received and is not urgent, do not respond until break.	3/18/2019 11:11 AM
59	do not use in class unless accepted by the teacher. we defer to the school/teacher's rules	3/18/2019 10:42 AM
60	If he's using it during class time, I've given his teachers my consent to confiscate it & he'll need my permission to get it back from the teacher/office.	3/18/2019 10:22 AM

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61	She is not to use a cell phone in class unless she is instructed to.	3/18/2019 9:03 AM
62	They can only use it once they are done their work in the classroom and "if" the teacher says it is alright for them to do so.	3/17/2019 2:24 PM
63	Don't use it while in class..	3/17/2019 11:00 AM
64	Only to contact family	3/15/2019 12:21 PM
65	he is not to be using his phone in class unless required for calculations or research and is approved by the teacher	3/14/2019 9:41 AM
66	In class only use if needed for texting. If using Social media or non important things please wait until after class	3/14/2019 7:16 AM
67	Cell phones are not to be used during class time. If it creates a distraction during class, it should be left in her locker.	3/13/2019 5:26 PM
68	My child switches it off when she is supposed to do so. She follows the rules.	3/13/2019 4:23 PM
69	i ask that they not be used during class time - i can guarantee this is not followed	3/13/2019 4:16 PM
70	We don't monitor too much as long as the marks stay up. Family acknowledges that frequent use results in lower marks.	3/13/2019 1:33 PM
71	She has to follow the school/teacher rules for her device.	3/13/2019 1:08 PM
72	I tell them to follow the teachers rule	3/13/2019 11:59 AM
73	None. I trust that he's not letting it distract him and following the requests of his teachers in each of his classes.	3/13/2019 10:23 AM
74	Only used on breaks or for emergencies	3/13/2019 10:11 AM
75	none	3/13/2019 9:53 AM
76	None - I am not there to enforce them	3/13/2019 9:37 AM
77	None	3/13/2019 12:49 AM
78	None	3/12/2019 11:15 PM
79	No games. No you tube.	3/12/2019 8:46 PM
80	he needs to respect and obey the school rules regarding what he accesses on his phone while at school	3/12/2019 7:45 PM
81	I don't make the school rules. I avoid texting him when classes are on. However i have no idea what is exactly happening in class when he texts me.	3/12/2019 5:14 PM
82	No phones at dinner table.	3/12/2019 4:39 PM
83	Not during class time.	3/12/2019 2:39 PM
84	Turn off cell phone in class.	3/12/2019 2:14 PM
85	Should only be used during breaks between classes or in the case of an emergency.	3/12/2019 11:51 AM
86	Should not be out in class. Respect the classroom rules regarding cell phones.	3/12/2019 10:31 AM
87	None.	3/12/2019 9:11 AM
88	Use your common sense.	3/12/2019 7:23 AM
89	Not to be used in class.	3/12/2019 6:48 AM
90	Follow the rules of the school	3/12/2019 6:46 AM
91	School Rules	3/12/2019 5:22 AM
92	They are to pay attention in class, not be playing games and if asked to not take out their phone, don't.	3/11/2019 11:44 PM
93	No use in class unless emergency	3/11/2019 10:26 PM
94	No cp inside the classroom unless needed	3/11/2019 8:32 PM
95	Follow teacher's rules. Don't use for non-educational reasons in school	3/11/2019 8:14 PM

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96	No usage of cell phone's during any family functions or supper with the family or when ccompleting home work.	3/11/2019 8:01 PM
97	he turns it on to do not disturb during class, not a rule just common sense ...	3/11/2019 7:41 PM
98	Don't play on it during class. Listen and learn.	3/11/2019 7:39 PM
99	No usage unless approved by teacher	3/11/2019 6:34 PM
100	Do not use during class unless emergency	3/11/2019 6:23 PM
101	Use only on breaks	3/11/2019 6:23 PM
102	Yes	3/11/2019 6:18 PM
103	It's not to be used during school except to keep track of assignments and emergency message from parents. Or if teacher asks students to use it for assignment.	3/11/2019 5:34 PM
104	Listen to staff. Don't use in class if not allowed	3/11/2019 5:22 PM
105	none. she leaves her phone in her locker	3/11/2019 4:45 PM
106	Consequences when I hear that the phone is being used inappropriately, but have heard from teachers that this is very hard to police as there does not seem to be a policy or support to enforce from the administration.	3/11/2019 4:42 PM
107	To follow the rules of the classroom.	3/11/2019 4:41 PM
108	Text or phone only in case of emergency, or text me only during rehearsal.	3/11/2019 4:30 PM
109	Don't bring in class	3/11/2019 4:14 PM
110	Do not use when the teacher is teaching Be respectful and safe	3/11/2019 4:03 PM
111	Certain apps are blocked during school hours.	3/11/2019 3:48 PM
112	Only use at lunch or when aloud to I class by teachers	3/11/2019 3:34 PM
113	Cell phone is not to be used in the classroom unless an assignment is given and students can look up information online or when doing kahoots	3/11/2019 3:18 PM
114	No phone after 9	3/11/2019 3:11 PM
115	I do not want my child to have her phone in class. She can keep it in her locker	3/11/2019 2:42 PM
116	No data, no social media, not allowed during class. Phone is on the kitchen counter at bedtime.	3/11/2019 2:41 PM
117	Only use it when finished work.	3/11/2019 2:29 PM
118	I don't make rules for the school to enforce.	3/11/2019 2:22 PM
119	They shouldn't be on I class	3/11/2019 2:22 PM
120	parks phone in focus classroom during class time, access during lunch or spare	3/11/2019 2:16 PM
121	No e	3/11/2019 2:08 PM
122	None	3/11/2019 2:05 PM
123	None. He knows that if he is using it inappropriately, it will be taken away.	3/11/2019 1:59 PM
124	Use it only as permitted	3/11/2019 1:58 PM
125	Be respectful when in class. Teacher's rules go. What that teacher feels is appropriate is what you need to abide by. If each teacher is different, so be it.	3/11/2019 1:54 PM
126	Cell phone stay in the locker or pocket during class.	3/11/2019 1:53 PM
127	Only when necessary.	3/11/2019 1:51 PM
128	Only at breaks, lunch, and after school to contact me (the parent), but I know my student is on it quite often.	3/11/2019 1:51 PM
129	Use only if allowed and as long as grades stay up. I have contacted my child's teachers and informed them if they feel the need to confiscate it for any reason to not hesitate to do so and keep it for as long as they deem necessary (class, day, week, month).	3/11/2019 1:48 PM
130	Use it only at appropriate times	3/11/2019 1:41 PM

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131	Anything I find inappropriate get the cell phone taken away.	3/11/2019 1:41 PM
132	Family contact/emergencies only. Call and text logs are reviewed regularly.	3/11/2019 1:35 PM

Q38 How do cellphones and personal devices in the classroom enhance learning and coursework?

Answered: 132 Skipped: 73

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Not sure they do. I think they are more of a distraction.	3/28/2019 9:40 PM
2	Research, keeping track of class schedules and deadlines (through email)	3/28/2019 6:54 PM
3	I don't think cell phone in class room is helpful at all. A lap top may be if an individual wants to do notes on it but honestly, most kids do not know how to keyboard efficiently enough to do this in my opinion.	3/28/2019 6:53 AM
4	I don't know.	3/26/2019 7:41 PM
5	Don't think it does.	3/26/2019 9:00 AM
6	Kahoots	3/25/2019 4:25 PM
7	Teachers use Google Classroom, kids are allowed to use their phones to look up related issues	3/25/2019 8:59 AM
8	They don't work, teachers are being fooled for awhile, then it's game on to chat with friend, all cell phones should be band in schools	3/24/2019 8:03 PM
9	I don't believe they do.	3/24/2019 12:43 PM
10	I don't think they do, for my child anyway, she is more interested in using it for communication with her friends and making plans.	3/24/2019 12:25 AM
11	Not sure it does	3/24/2019 12:00 AM
12	My son uses it for notes. It could also use it for google searches. These day a lot of text books are on line.	3/22/2019 8:21 PM
13	they don't	3/22/2019 7:23 PM
14	Can be a quick reference or information gathering device. Mine don't use as such but could see how it could be used as a scheduler/agenda as in those elementary years	3/22/2019 1:29 PM
15	It's more of a distraction.	3/22/2019 1:28 PM
16	As a family that has fundraised for smartboards and computer equipment in the past, it is a huge costsaving.	3/22/2019 9:26 AM
17	Can look up information. Audio notes, calendar tracking assignments	3/22/2019 6:37 AM
18	Some teachers use, but hear that they are mostly a distraction or are not used properly.	3/21/2019 11:27 PM
19	Not too sure.	3/21/2019 1:34 PM
20	I don't think they add in learning and coursework. They should be ban from the classroom	3/21/2019 11:59 AM
21	help with organization research	3/21/2019 11:16 AM
22	Textbook is online Research purposes Organization/communication with partners	3/21/2019 8:21 AM
23	if he needs to research something and if it is accepted by the teacher	3/21/2019 7:45 AM
24	My son has learning disabilities. He feels competent searching different things on the internet however I feel he is using it more to communicate with his friends and to go on social media than what it is intended for in school.	3/20/2019 8:34 PM
25	Phones are handy for students to do research on. I don't think the online quizzes that teachers have them use their phones for are at all useful.	3/20/2019 7:19 PM
26	Don't know	3/20/2019 7:02 PM
27	I'm sure the use of tablets / laptops could supplement the need for paper supplies and te t books.	3/20/2019 7:02 PM

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28	Communication for projects and assignments, google research for definitions and topics and countries	3/20/2019 7:00 PM
29	I don't think they do	3/20/2019 6:55 PM
30	Enables them to google for info (rather than hours spent in the library like I had to) as well as use as a calculator in an emergency. Also they enjoy cahoots	3/20/2019 6:29 PM
31	Research	3/20/2019 6:01 PM
32	Not sure if it does	3/20/2019 5:13 PM
33	Research	3/20/2019 4:28 PM
34	Information availability	3/20/2019 3:04 PM
35	using as a resource tool and tracking/coordinating assignments	3/20/2019 2:49 PM
36	They do not	3/20/2019 2:22 PM
37	Quicker answers, easier to find	3/20/2019 1:36 PM
38	The major benefit is being able to look up information easily and having useful apps (such as a calculator) in one device.	3/20/2019 1:02 PM
39	not sure	3/20/2019 12:52 PM
40	There is lots of opportunity to use cellphones appropriately in the classroom and to teach that appropriate use as children go out into the world.	3/20/2019 12:07 PM
41	Should only be used in the classroom for study related use (calculator, research, etc.).	3/20/2019 11:48 AM
42	Sometime it is helpful to get information quickly.	3/20/2019 11:06 AM
43	Probably very little	3/20/2019 10:49 AM
44	Organization	3/20/2019 10:44 AM
45	Useful for getting materials for homework, and reviewing schedules	3/20/2019 10:39 AM
46	Cellphones no. Too easy to go kn facebooknor media . Tablet use shud b supervised . Too many kids messing around in class on their chromebook and not paying attention	3/20/2019 10:38 AM
47	Only a laptop would. classroom is no place for a cell	3/20/2019 10:22 AM
48	They are able to look things up quickly should they need to do research.	3/20/2019 9:45 AM
49	research, unfamiliar terms, calculator, schedules, notes, communication with teachers, review his marks and account, assignments-google, collaboration with other students for group assignments	3/20/2019 9:20 AM
50	For research.	3/19/2019 10:40 PM
51	I am not sure. Bev Facey need to do a deep dive on the GOALS program. The teachers teaching right now have little experience in dealing with special needs students and their educational needs and are so busy with things going on in their personal life that the students are a distant second. My son has noted on more than one occasion, "he is learning nothing by going on the Chrome books all the time."	3/19/2019 8:36 PM
52	It doesn't	3/19/2019 6:26 PM
53	Possibly give them access to information (i.e. Google), but i would have no problem if they were restricted during class	3/19/2019 2:09 PM
54	Able to quickly use for research, listening to music helps concentrate, keep track of assignments	3/19/2019 7:06 AM
55	It can be a valuable resource if used properly	3/18/2019 4:57 PM
56	They DON'T. They could, if the kids could stay focused and have no notifications, but their frontal lobes aren't even developed! How are they supposed to make good life decisions...	3/18/2019 3:41 PM
57	THEY DO NOT ENHANCE.... they completely take away from the learning!	3/18/2019 2:09 PM
58	I do not think, in my child's experience, that students having cellphones/personal devices in the classroom has been necessary or helpful.	3/18/2019 11:53 AM
59	If the device is used in a way that encourages or increases interaction or engagement between the student and teacher/class, this enhances the learning experience.	3/18/2019 11:11 AM

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60	I can't see any reason they would be beneficial.	3/18/2019 10:42 AM
61	They don't!	3/18/2019 10:22 AM
62	They can be a great resource for access to internet.	3/18/2019 9:03 AM
63	Google is very similar to a built in encyclopedia.	3/17/2019 2:24 PM
64	Doesn't	3/17/2019 11:00 AM
65	My child works better with music	3/15/2019 12:21 PM
66	maybe for research purposes	3/14/2019 9:41 AM
67	Using google, etc to search and find something when working. Obviously not during tests unless open book tests.	3/14/2019 7:16 AM
68	By keeping track of assignments and other schedules and responsibilities. By allowing access to information in a timely way.	3/13/2019 5:26 PM
69	My daughter can search information very quickly on her phone; it's an amazing research tool.	3/13/2019 4:23 PM
70	depending on the student positive - organization, etc negative - not paying attention, not learning, disrespecting of others time, small attention span - I do NOT agree with Cell Phones in classes at all - I feel we should follow Ontario and BAN all cellphone/smartphone, smartwatches etc from use while at school.	3/13/2019 4:16 PM
71	It's helpful in researching material.	3/13/2019 1:33 PM
72	My daughter does use her phone for research and homework.	3/13/2019 1:08 PM
73	Access to info can be positive	3/13/2019 11:59 AM
74	I'm pretty sure it doesn't.	3/13/2019 10:23 AM
75	keeping track of notes and assignments	3/13/2019 10:11 AM
76	I don't know	3/13/2019 9:53 AM
77	They don't - I have asked my kids about this and they almost never need a phone to participate - teachers are not consistently using these as a tool	3/13/2019 9:37 AM
78	Access to the internet, taking pictures when needed	3/13/2019 12:49 AM
79	No	3/12/2019 11:15 PM
80	I don't they do	3/12/2019 8:46 PM
81	quick access to internet answers and to a calculator i guess	3/12/2019 7:45 PM
82	They don't. I see absolutely no need for cell phone use during class.	3/12/2019 5:14 PM
83	Research	3/12/2019 4:39 PM
84	Can be used as a learning resource.	3/12/2019 2:39 PM
85	I don't think they do enhance learning, unless they are doing a group project or something like that.	3/12/2019 2:14 PM
86	Access to information (internet) as long as it is not a distraction.	3/12/2019 11:51 AM
87	If they have Google app such as docs they can be working on written work in class on a cell phone, but it's not ideal My daughter also has a chromebook if she needs to write essays, etc.	3/12/2019 10:31 AM
88	It doesnt.	3/12/2019 9:11 AM
89	Teacher has them access information via cellphones	3/12/2019 7:23 AM
90	I do not know	3/12/2019 6:46 AM
91	Researching information	3/12/2019 5:22 AM
92	Google anything	3/11/2019 11:44 PM
93	Resources for info	3/11/2019 10:26 PM
94	Maybe google something school related	3/11/2019 8:32 PM
95	Students add assignments to calendar. Access Google Classroom assignments and information.	3/11/2019 8:14 PM

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96	They may be used as a helpful resources tool, this way the schools aren't spending so much money on other device's or having to keep upgrading devices as kids and parents keep devices current.	3/11/2019 8:01 PM
97	not sure	3/11/2019 7:41 PM
98	Ability to access internet, calculator, gain fast information	3/11/2019 7:39 PM
99	Unavailability of Chrome book	3/11/2019 6:34 PM
100	Notes, scheduling, look up information on topic	3/11/2019 6:23 PM
101	Likes the updates on Power School. He watches his marks	3/11/2019 6:23 PM
102	Organizing, using the web for research, group work	3/11/2019 6:18 PM
103	It allows access to technology sites instantly and in all classrooms raster than having to go to a lab. A wider array of resources at the fingertips.	3/11/2019 5:34 PM
104	He uses calendar to track assignments to stay organized. Uses it to google	3/11/2019 5:22 PM
105	I do not believe cell phones enhance anything in the classroom but severe distraction. Personal computers should be used only at the teacher's discretion.	3/11/2019 4:45 PM
106	At times, teachers encourage students to look up things online.	3/11/2019 4:42 PM
107	Very rarely	3/11/2019 4:41 PM
108	only if used for learning purposes, with the teacher approval.	3/11/2019 4:30 PM
109	Most teachers appear to utilize Google classroom or allow the students to look up things on phones - I always wonder about the kids who don't have a phone - what do they do?	3/11/2019 4:03 PM
110	Depends on the class. Easy acces to translation apps, online dictionaries, thesaurus. I appreciate when teachers ask student to place phones on desks/ shoe organizers	3/11/2019 3:48 PM
111	Research, notes , organization	3/11/2019 3:34 PM
112	A quick means to look up information and note and track upcoming assignments, quizzes, exams, etc.	3/11/2019 3:18 PM
113	They don't	3/11/2019 3:11 PM
114	Cell phones are a huge distraction. They do not enhance learning at all. Kids are watching Netflix on their laptops instead of paying attention in class.	3/11/2019 2:42 PM
115	They don't	3/11/2019 2:41 PM
116	Just for searches. It's more of a babysitter for teachers	3/11/2019 2:29 PM
117	Help him get his thoughts organized.	3/11/2019 2:22 PM
118	I don't believe they enhance any learning	3/11/2019 2:22 PM
119	i don't see the need for them during class if there is access to computer or chrome books	3/11/2019 2:16 PM
120	Access to online info	3/11/2019 2:08 PM
121	It's a resorce if useage is incorporated into course design	3/11/2019 2:05 PM
122	-research -communication through google classroom and email with the teacher -he accesses powerschool so he can stay on top of his marks -often he will google something that he needs to do artwork, project, writing, etc...	3/11/2019 1:59 PM
123	Not sure they do	3/11/2019 1:58 PM
124	They essentially have a little computer in their hands and access to so much information at their fingertips. I think it can be a tool like anything else.	3/11/2019 1:54 PM
125	They don't	3/11/2019 1:53 PM
126	Instant information.	3/11/2019 1:51 PM

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127	Cellphones are a distraction in developing proper cognitive skills. Students CANNOT focus on two things at once on a thorough level. I believe students should be encouraged to practice real world situations. When I think of jobs such as cashiers, hair dressers, receptionists, and nurses, NOT one of those people I have been in contact with have their earbuds in or checking their phone during working periods. If technology is needed, a laptop should be provided or used as needed. Too many teachers use phones and music for classroom management.	3/11/2019 1:51 PM
128	I feel they should not be allowed in class at all. We are teaching our children they do not have to remember anything, they can just look it up	3/11/2019 1:48 PM
129	My son uses it to track homework, assignments, marks and research	3/11/2019 1:41 PM
130	They don't	3/11/2019 1:41 PM
131	Able to find so much global information anytime.	3/11/2019 1:41 PM
132	Calendar reminders	3/11/2019 1:35 PM

Q39 What factors and expectations should the Division consider as it develops a policy for the use of cellphones and personal devices in schools?

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#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	No cell phones in class. If they are brought to school they need to stay in locker or in backpack. It's hard enough to teach without having to compete with a cell phone.	3/28/2019 9:40 PM
2	Factor each individual student's maturity. Not all students are the same- there are many unable to not use a phone or to not be distracted. If the class is suitable for cell phone use during free work class time, for example, there should be no reason not to allow it. I believe ultimately a teacher can tell if a student is distracting themselves or others through their devices.	3/28/2019 6:54 PM
3	Should not allow in classes at all, stay in lockers during class time	3/28/2019 6:53 AM
4	Think about teachers and the level of distraction they need to deal with when students are able to always use their phone/device.	3/26/2019 9:00 AM
5	Personally , I don't see the need for phones in class	3/25/2019 4:25 PM
6	Take the kids out of the class who ignore teachers and use their phones. Do not ban completely. It makes no sense to do this in the current tech age. Will teachers stay off their phones?	3/25/2019 8:59 AM
7	All cell/smart phone should be band in schools, cell phone camera are taking picture, recording and posting without parents permission to do so. Moments in a teens life should not be posted permently on the web.	3/24/2019 8:03 PM
8	Students shouldn't have their phones in class.	3/24/2019 12:43 PM
9	I believe cell phones should be collected at the door and kept in the teachers' vicinity and NO USE WHATSOEVER. Students rush thru work to be able to use their cell phones! parents should be advised their child can communicate with them during breaks and lunch!!!!	3/24/2019 12:25 AM
10	As long as they learn and the phone is not an interference	3/24/2019 12:00 AM
11	Age of student, disturbance in the classroom. Possibly the emphasis should be on education and management vs banning.	3/22/2019 8:21 PM
12	I don't feel they are relevent in the classroom. I personally call the school in an emergency not my child	3/22/2019 7:23 PM
13	It would be great if they could be left out of the classroom completely to avoid "personal" usage as opposed to "school learning" usage but I'm not sure how realistic that is.	3/22/2019 1:29 PM
14	Well developed action plan to use phones in specific capacities with guarded supervision.	3/22/2019 1:28 PM
15	If a child is not respecting the rules of devises put out by each teacher should not impact ALL children. In case of school emergencies the children are better equipped with each having a chance to communicated with people outside the school	3/22/2019 6:37 AM
16	Be consistent between schools as the kids talk so much more between schools... because of the devices. Have strong backing from principals. I've heard from teachers that it's mostly a losing battle to keep kids from bringing to class, and I look to admin as doing a poor job in that regard.	3/21/2019 11:27 PM
17	Phones should NOT be in the classroom in ALL grades. Laptops can be in classrooms if there is a specific project that it's needed for.	3/21/2019 1:34 PM
18	They should consider how distracting they are.	3/21/2019 11:59 AM
19	consistancy	3/21/2019 11:16 AM
20	Cell phones to be kept in a particular place and picked up after class	3/21/2019 8:21 AM
21	not for social media, for emergency use only,	3/21/2019 7:45 AM

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22	Consider their immediate purpose-should not be allowed a blanket use just because of a learning disability-should have a specific purpose/reason for using it and then it should be put away. If they don't need it for schoolwork, it should be turned off and only allowed on during breaks.	3/20/2019 8:34 PM
23	It's for sure cheaper for the schools if kids are using their own personal devices for research, and online research is part of our world. That said, the use of phones during class is something some children are just not coping well with. A consistent policy across classrooms would be very beneficial as it seems the rules vary greatly.	3/20/2019 7:19 PM
24	Not in class room use	3/20/2019 7:02 PM
25	Be reasonable. Don't be driven by the minority that may have caused issues.	3/20/2019 7:02 PM
26	Not sure . Some kids abuse the privilege immensely which is wrecking it for those that don't and abide by their class and teachers rules	3/20/2019 7:00 PM
27	Just as in the work world. Use only on breaks and lunches, personal time.	3/20/2019 6:55 PM
28	They can be distracting in class and I think unless the teacher has deemed there a specific reason that enhances learning in each particular class, that the phone should be turned off during classes	3/20/2019 6:29 PM
29	Unsure	3/20/2019 6:01 PM
30	Cell phones at school should only be used for classroom assignments and if necessary to communicate with parents. Students should not be allowed to be on social media with friends all day. It is distracting to learning.	3/20/2019 5:13 PM
31	If caught using device in class, teacher can take it away for duration of class. They are a distraction, and if interfering with learning, should be removed.	3/20/2019 4:28 PM
32	None this should be classroom based - there are times when cell phone use is fine in the classroom and times where it isn't - high school especially - figure it out on a class by class basis	3/20/2019 3:04 PM
33	To help as a learning aid as it would be used in the real world settings and to help in learning in the classroom.	3/20/2019 2:49 PM
34	Get rid of them 100% make them learn to use the brain, build critical skills, build job skills as I do not see these things being known by my child now	3/20/2019 2:22 PM
35	Lots going on with family and schedules outside of school	3/20/2019 1:36 PM
36	I am not in favor of a cell phone / device ban. Kids need to learn to manage their time on their own despite distractions. A ban will not help them learn this. As a result of a ban some kids will probably be more distracted trying to find ways to work around the ban or be more tardy as they try to maximize device time outside class.	3/20/2019 1:02 PM
37	should not be allowed during class time at all.	3/20/2019 12:52 PM
38	Children should not be allowed to order take out food delivery at school.	3/20/2019 12:07 PM
39	Should only be used in the classroom for study related use (calculator, research, etc.). Zero tolerance for cyber bullying.	3/20/2019 11:48 AM
40	Cellphones should be allowed in school but not in class room	3/20/2019 11:06 AM
41	Learning	3/20/2019 10:49 AM
42	That some kids are more easily distracted rhan others	3/20/2019 10:44 AM
43	I would limit them before high school. (For theft if nothing else)	3/20/2019 10:39 AM
44	Cellphones turned off and handed in at class, or put away. Tablet only. Maybe have a filter in school so no social media is allowed. Only approved school sites	3/20/2019 10:38 AM
45	see # 38 response	3/20/2019 10:22 AM
46	I think setting rules ahead of time would help manage it better in classrooms, rather than rules be set per class, they should be set school wide.	3/20/2019 9:45 AM
47	responsible use and security measures around use, if child is distracted by using in classtime warnings repeated offence call to parents, no phone if chronic offender - be sure though that it is a true distraction and not a teacher using an excuse for poor teaching. If the students are bored then that is a different issue	3/20/2019 9:20 AM
48	The grade and whether the teacher would like the students to use it when necessary.	3/19/2019 10:40 PM

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49	That there is a policy developed that staff will follow as well. My son states his teacher is always on his phone.	3/19/2019 8:36 PM
50	We would support no cellphones in class.	3/19/2019 6:26 PM
51	Should be more restrictions on use during class	3/19/2019 2:09 PM
52	Teachers should enforce the cell phone cubby if they do not want students to use during class. They have to turn in their cell phones during exams so they could expect to leave in a box during class teachers just need to enforce if that is what they require	3/19/2019 7:06 AM
53	That the students should be respectful when using it, and give their teachers proper attention instead of playing on their phones. That students should be permitted to have their cell phones with them if they are being respectful to the teachers and peers. I do not believe that all students should be treated the same if some are being responsible and others are not. I like my child having a cell phone with him to be able to communicate with his family during the day and we are able to stay connected. As well as able to use it for research.	3/18/2019 4:57 PM
54	NO CELL PHONES / PERSONAL DEVICES IN THE CLASSROOMS!	3/18/2019 3:41 PM
55	All devices should not be allowed during learning... only for specific tasks that are monitored. Our children need to learn how to use devices, but, they are not able to make wise choices of when is a good time to use them or not...	3/18/2019 2:09 PM
56	(1) I do not think that having a PERSONAL cellphone/device should be mandatory in school. My child did not have a personal device when starting Jr. High school but found it necessary to buy one when some (but not all) teachers assumed that all students had personal devices and asked them to use them to play educational games, etc. as part of the class instruction. My child felt "left out" and embarrassed when she did not have a personal device and the teacher assumed that everyone did. The school should provide computers/devices if they are required in school, or teachers should not assume and require that students have their own. (2) The Division and each school should have, and enforce, stricter rules about students and teachers taking photos of each other. I value privacy and do not want others posting pictures of my child to the internet and social media.	3/18/2019 11:53 AM
57	Any policy which limits or controls its use, may impact any innovative approach to the use of devices in classrooms. Teachers must be able to adopt and integrate as they see fit (without policy restrictions). Offending students should be reasonably managed with appropriate discipline (such as current 'late' notices) depending on the nature of the use/disruption.	3/18/2019 11:11 AM
58	develop a ZERO tolerance cellphone policy in all classrooms. Lunch and in between classes would be up to the students.	3/18/2019 10:42 AM
59	Personal devices should be muted & kept in student lockers during class time. Messages can be checked between classes. Parents & students should be held accountable for any disruption during class time. If students use their devices for homework organization, write required info on paper & copy to calendar on device. Accountability & common sense is lacking in today's society. "What is allowed will happen"!	3/18/2019 10:22 AM
60	Does the use of a cell phone enhance the task at hand?	3/18/2019 9:03 AM
61	Don't let it interfere with classwork, but don't be rigid about kids using them outside the classroom, or at the end of a class in which the student is done his or her work.	3/17/2019 2:24 PM
62	Eliminate the wifi the students get	3/15/2019 12:21 PM
63	should not be allowed in class unless required	3/14/2019 9:41 AM
64	They are part of life now. Times have changed and it is the new generations way of communication. They should be available as a tool to help	3/14/2019 7:16 AM
65	By high school students should be taught to audit their time on social media and technology. a student in high school needs fewer external restrictions if they have been taught to do this well.	3/13/2019 5:26 PM
66	Using a cellphone in class is a privilege, not a right. If a teacher tells the students not to bring them in or to turn them off, that is what they should do, no questions asked.	3/13/2019 4:23 PM

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67	We all have been educated in the school systems at some point, I know from experience - I was safe, I could be reached by the office if needed, I could write my due dates down for when I got home to put on my calendar, with all data on the net - they should have access to school laptops - so many per class (we used books). It was a confidence and esteem builder to not have see your friends until lunch/end of day - it is very concerning that some of our *shy, awkward, quiet, loud, different, socially silly etc...young girls/boys in our schools today - with social media - find it so much harder than we did in the past. This is such a problem, it sticks with them for life -it is forever online. Question - Is this really how we want to form our future with our children? *This doesn't affect all children - based on many ideals, ethics, external and internal factors etc...	3/13/2019 4:16 PM
68	Perhaps a policy surrounding marks vs usage	3/13/2019 1:33 PM
69	I want my daughter to be allowed to have her phone so she can contact me in an emergency or if she has transportation issues. I do worry that letting the students have their phones in class can lead to them being distracted by the phones. I think allowing them to have their devices is ok if they are using them for academic purposes.	3/13/2019 1:08 PM
70	I think they should only be allowed when being used for research	3/13/2019 11:59 AM
71	They should remain in their locker. They can check it when they are there. If parents really need to contact their kids that can call the office.	3/13/2019 10:23 AM
72	devices are only used for classroom activity	3/13/2019 10:11 AM
73	No phones in class for all grades. Computers in high schools	3/13/2019 9:53 AM
74	same rules for all schools and students - no exceptions	3/13/2019 9:37 AM
75	The fact that some kids use their phones appropriately, but some do abuse them- these are the kids that should have it taken away	3/13/2019 12:49 AM
76	How much screen time students are on phones. It's to much.	3/12/2019 8:46 PM
77	no cell phone use in the class rooms during class time. way to easy for distractions to take place.	3/12/2019 5:14 PM
78	No phones in elementary.	3/12/2019 4:39 PM
79	Computers and lap tops are useful when doing group projects, but cell phones bring no added value.	3/12/2019 2:14 PM
80	Classrooms are places of learning, if cell phones are a distraction, then they should not be allowed.	3/12/2019 10:31 AM
81	How distracting they are. The fact that 99% of teenagers will be socializing with friends instead of working on assignments just because they have the access to	3/12/2019 9:11 AM
82	The same rules MUST apply to teachers as well.	3/12/2019 7:23 AM
83	Learning responsible use. I think age is a huge factor in policy use. A younger child will need more restrictions as an older child should know better than to use it during class.	3/12/2019 6:48 AM
84	Use them only as a tool in the classroom (like a calculator / dictionary / encyclopedia) and not for social interactions	3/12/2019 5:22 AM
85	Should be thought of as a privilege not a right.	3/11/2019 11:44 PM
86	Medical and keeping up with parents regarding scheduling for school and other activities	3/11/2019 10:26 PM
87	I think I'm okay with no cp inside the classroom	3/11/2019 8:32 PM
88	Age of students. What teachers think would be best.	3/11/2019 8:14 PM
89	Limited to what they are leaning in school at the time of need.	3/11/2019 8:01 PM
90	not sure	3/11/2019 7:41 PM
91	Everything in moderation.	3/11/2019 7:39 PM
92	They shouldn't be aloud to have them in classrooms unless needed for school work for a project or something. But they should never be aloud on them during class time for personal use.	3/11/2019 7:38 PM
93	No usage policy	3/11/2019 6:34 PM
94	Cellphones only emergencies unless otherwise stated by teacher. Laptops for research and notes	3/11/2019 6:23 PM
95	Ban them	3/11/2019 6:23 PM

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96	Bullying consequences	3/11/2019 6:18 PM
97	Cannot be a distraction. Very strict, enforced rules of use. Cyber bullying must be strongly dealt with if it occurs and is brought to schools attention. At least a week suspension and mandatory counselling, reconciliation with victim if wanted.	3/11/2019 5:34 PM
98	Treat kids with respect. High school kids shouldn't be treated like elementary kids. They should be able to use common sense and judgement	3/11/2019 5:22 PM
99	No cell phones in class rooms. Every teacher I know tells me how distracting they are.	3/11/2019 4:45 PM
100	Not all students have access to technology at school on a regular and ongoing basis. My child's cellphone is a reliable source of information which enhances research and learning.	3/11/2019 4:45 PM
101	I am not sure, but would expect that it is followed up on as I seem to see the policing burden put on the teachers and very little on administration in the schools which means that very little changes - but again this might also be part of the problem that Bev Facey has NO policy!??	3/11/2019 4:42 PM
102	Research and opinions of staff in the school.	3/11/2019 4:41 PM
103	Ban the cell phones during class. Use it only for learning purposes if applied in class, or in case of emergency.	3/11/2019 4:30 PM
104	The students should be taught how rude it is to be on a phone when an adult or anyone for that matter is addressing them - This is about behavioural and social expectations - which ideally should be coming from home but we all know that isn't always the case.	3/11/2019 4:03 PM
105	They should not be at Elementary Schools. The technology required is in the schools already.	3/11/2019 3:48 PM
106	A lot of teachers use devices in class for learning, taking notes etc ... trying to change this at this point I wonder it's futile!!!!	3/11/2019 3:34 PM
107	If a student is not being distracted by his/her cell phone or personal device, then they should be allowed to have it. However, if a student is distracted by it, or using it to play games, snapchat friends, etc. then the device should be taken away. Cell phone or personal devices should not be allowed on days of quizzes, exams, etc.	3/11/2019 3:18 PM
108	No use in class	3/11/2019 3:11 PM
109	No cell phones in class ever. Limited personal devices, determined by the school or the teacher for special circumstances.	3/11/2019 2:42 PM
110	They do not need to be used. School provide computer labs etc.	3/11/2019 2:41 PM
111	I think you should look at it like a job. Are they allowed at work??? They shouldn't be unless you need it to search up information. It should be out of the way at all other times	3/11/2019 2:29 PM
112	Not all children will have the finances to access technology - don't leave them behind.	3/11/2019 2:22 PM
113	would prefer school wide policy rather than individual teachers using discretion, junior high phones only brought out in last 5 min of class to record assignments.... no cells in elementary at all during day including lunch. if child must bring should only be used before entering school & leaving for day. with medical reasons as exception i.e. diabetes	3/11/2019 2:16 PM
114	Teacher and student concerns	3/11/2019 2:08 PM
115	Ban cell phones until grade 11 Watch this: https://youtu.be/Cl6rX96oYnY	3/11/2019 2:05 PM
116	I think teachers are professionals and they should be allowed to decide if students can have access to technology in class for learning. If not, students should not have access to technology but that should be up to the teacher's discretion.	3/11/2019 1:59 PM
117	I believe it is a big distraction for many students. The need to "response right away" or having to wait to respond can get in the way of learning/attention.	3/11/2019 1:58 PM
118	There is no ONE SIZE FITS all. I think each teacher should be able to decide what works in their classroom depending on the material and the course work. Trying to shove a "no cell phone" policy down the throat is an archaic way of thinking and I wouldn't support that. Flexibility and respect should be the fundamental elements.	3/11/2019 1:54 PM
119	Cellphone should not be in the classrooms, unless there is a special project that the teacher tells the students about ahead of time.	3/11/2019 1:53 PM

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120	Students need to unplug 100% of the time in classrooms unless needed for curriculum instruction. Too many teachers use it as their classroom management to keep kids quiet.	3/11/2019 1:51 PM
121	The long term impact on learning. Without an internet connection our children are lost and would not know where to turn for information	3/11/2019 1:48 PM
122	Not all students use them irresponsibly. Guidelines should be set up with clear expectations. If the student does not meet these expectations, they should lose the privilege of using them.	3/11/2019 1:41 PM
123	Phones should not be allowed during classes	3/11/2019 1:41 PM
124	We managed without cell phones in class for many, many years.	3/11/2019 1:41 PM
125	Silent mode only. Devices left inside of school bags during class.	3/11/2019 1:35 PM

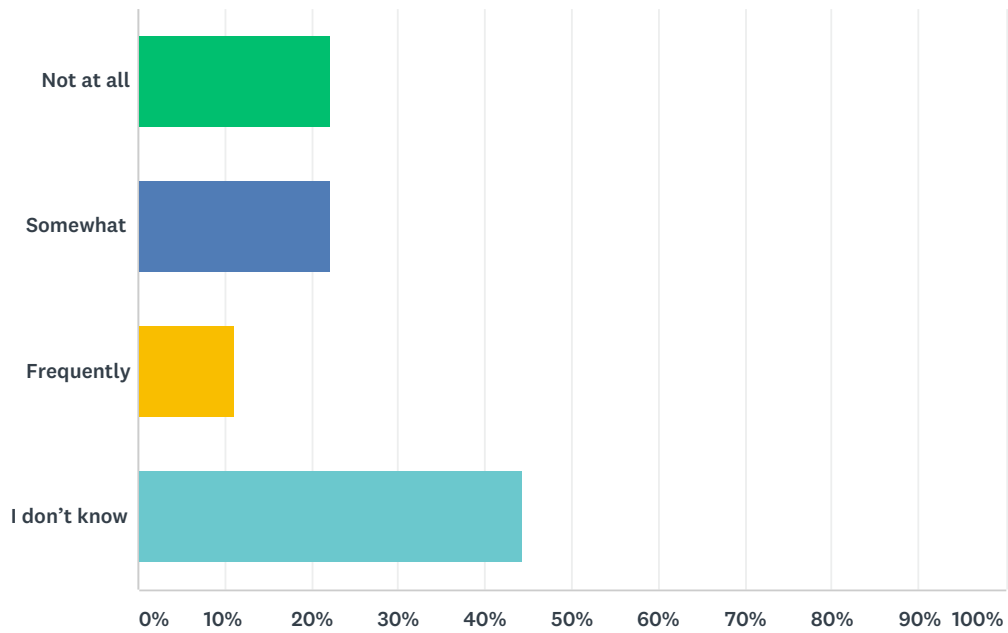
Q40 Why have you or your child made the decision for him or her to not have a cellphone or personal device at school?

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#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	It's a distraction, and it's costly	3/23/2019 10:12 AM
2	Fear of it being lost or stolen. Not really needed for the PLACE program.	3/22/2019 2:43 PM
3	I don't want him to be distracted by his phone or ipad	3/12/2019 10:35 AM
4	Does not need it	3/12/2019 10:05 AM
5	My child has a cellphone but no other device	3/11/2019 5:44 PM
6	She does have one	3/11/2019 5:03 PM
7	Doesn't have a sim card	3/11/2019 4:25 PM
8	He doesn't want one.	3/11/2019 4:12 PM

Q41 To what extent do cellphones or personal devices—that others bring into the classroom—distract your child from learning?

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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Not at all	22.22%	2
Somewhat	22.22%	2
Frequently	11.11%	1
I don't know	44.44%	4
TOTAL		9

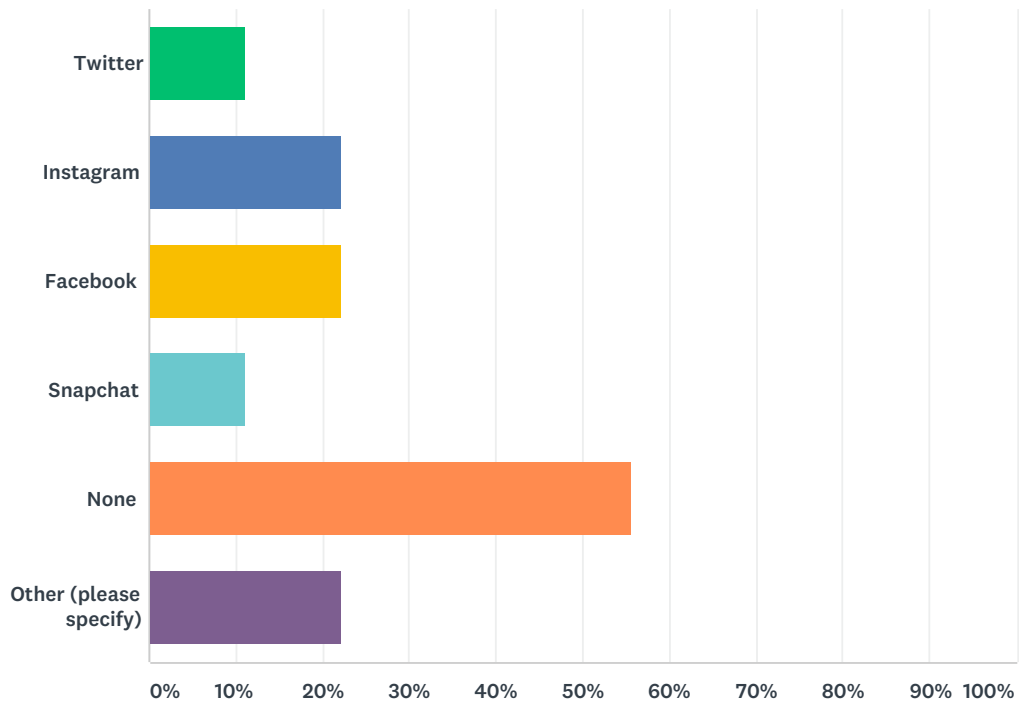
Q42 How does not having a cellphone or personal device at school affect your child's personal well-being—either positively, negatively or both?

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#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Neutral	3/22/2019 2:43 PM
2	not sure	3/12/2019 10:35 AM
3	My child is responsible and understands when it is appropriate to use their device My other child didn't have the same understanding	3/11/2019 5:44 PM
4	She has her phone and she feels safer	3/11/2019 5:03 PM
5	Stays more focused	3/11/2019 4:25 PM
6	He absolutely does not care.	3/11/2019 4:12 PM

Q43 What social media platforms does your child use outside of school? Select all that apply.

Answered: 9 Skipped: 196



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Twitter	11.11% 1
Instagram	22.22% 2
Facebook	22.22% 2
Snapchat	11.11% 1
None	55.56% 5
Other (please specify)	22.22% 2
Total Respondents: 9	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Whats App	3/23/2019 10:12 AM
2	Handicapped so doesn't understand how to use.	3/22/2019 2:43 PM

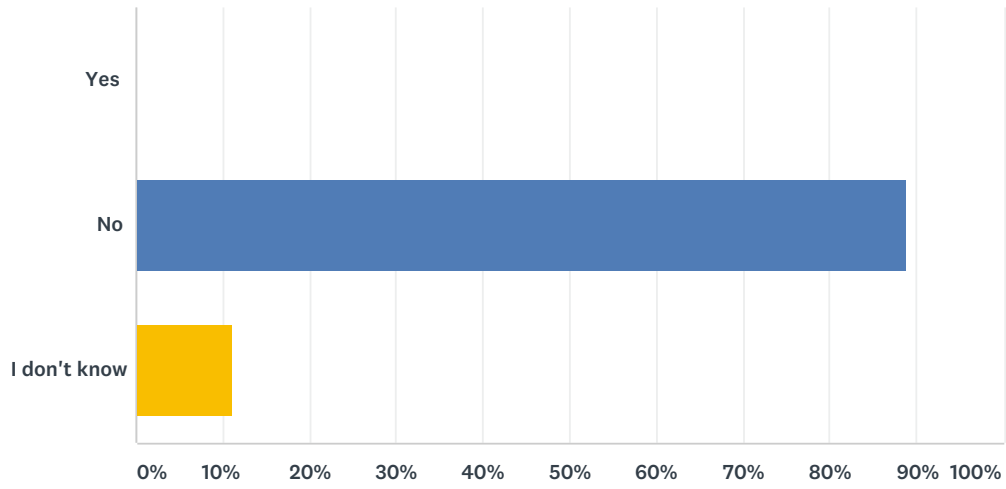
Q44 How has social media impacted your child's relationships with their peers—either positively, negatively or both?

Answered: 6 Skipped: 199

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	It hasn't to my knowledge.	3/22/2019 2:43 PM
2	positively	3/12/2019 10:35 AM
3	My child is able to talk about what others are doing interested in, or things that interest her. Face to face communication at school and in the community seems to be difficult but not socially inappropriate. Just lacks confidence	3/11/2019 5:44 PM
4	There is a lot of bitchy girls stuff going on	3/11/2019 5:03 PM
5	Does not use	3/11/2019 4:25 PM
6	He has autism & has no interest.	3/11/2019 4:12 PM

Q45 Has your child ever experienced cyberbullying?

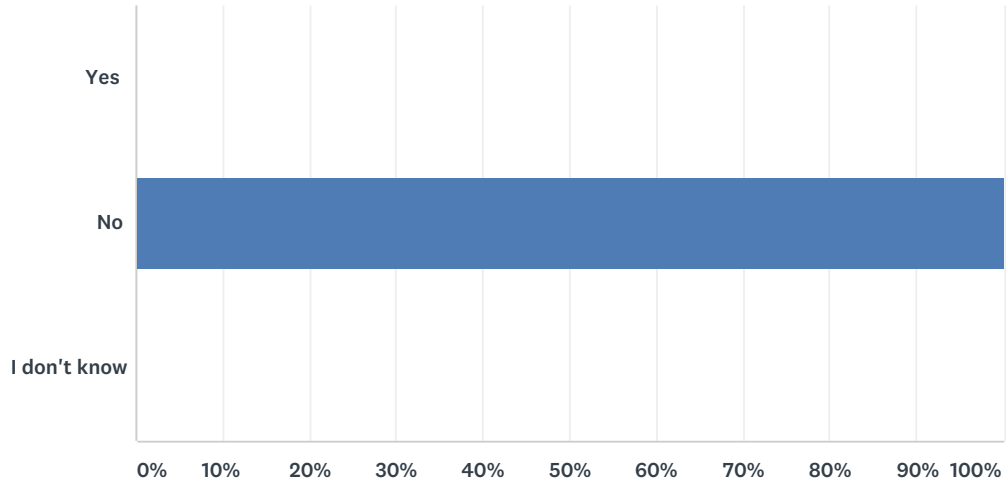
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	0.00%	0
No	88.89%	8
I don't know	11.11%	1
TOTAL		9

Q46 Has your child ever cyberbullied someone?

Answered: 9 Skipped: 196



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	0.00%	0
No	100.00%	9
I don't know	0.00%	0
TOTAL		9

Q47 How do cellphones and personal devices in the classroom enhance learning and coursework?

Answered: 6 Skipped: 199

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	School supplies what is needed.	3/22/2019 2:43 PM
2	More distracting than helpful....personal use often overrides any research etc. that is supposed to be happening on the device during a particular subject.	3/12/2019 10:05 AM
3	Easy to access information Offers different information for one concept thereby enhancing students understanding Great if used properly My child watches excessive amounts of tv at home. Seems like a time waster but then her grades are excellent. Thinking back to my youth I day dreamed instead. Used correctly technology is great!	3/11/2019 5:44 PM
4	They can look up things on their own.	3/11/2019 5:03 PM
5	Don't believe they do	3/11/2019 4:25 PM
6	Cellphones no way, no how. Other devices possibly, policing them would likely be problematic. It's unlikely the benefit would outweigh the trouble they'd be.	3/11/2019 4:12 PM

Q48 What factors and expectations should the Division consider as it develops a policy for the use of cellphones and personal devices in schools?

Answered: 7 Skipped: 198

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	As long as it doesn't interfere with learning, I have no problem with it.	3/22/2019 2:43 PM
2	I think they are too much of a distraction for kids to police themselves. They should not be allowed in the classroom.	3/12/2019 10:35 AM
3	Should not be used for personal use during class time	3/12/2019 10:05 AM
4	Teach children to access information from many sources in order to make an informed decision. Technology should be used to get the job done well not quickly. Teach respectful use of technology - not when someone is teaching/ talking, not when you're eating, socializing, discussing unless you're looking for related material, to share with info respectfully and when necessary,	3/11/2019 5:44 PM
5	Certainly not my area of expertise	3/11/2019 5:03 PM
6	Should not be allowed in class	3/11/2019 4:25 PM
7	I do not believe they should be in the classroom except as assistive technology for those who require it.	3/11/2019 4:12 PM