



New London School District

Parent Survey Longitudinal Report
May 17, 2024

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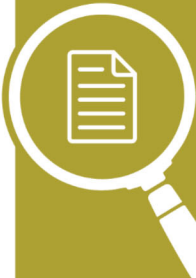
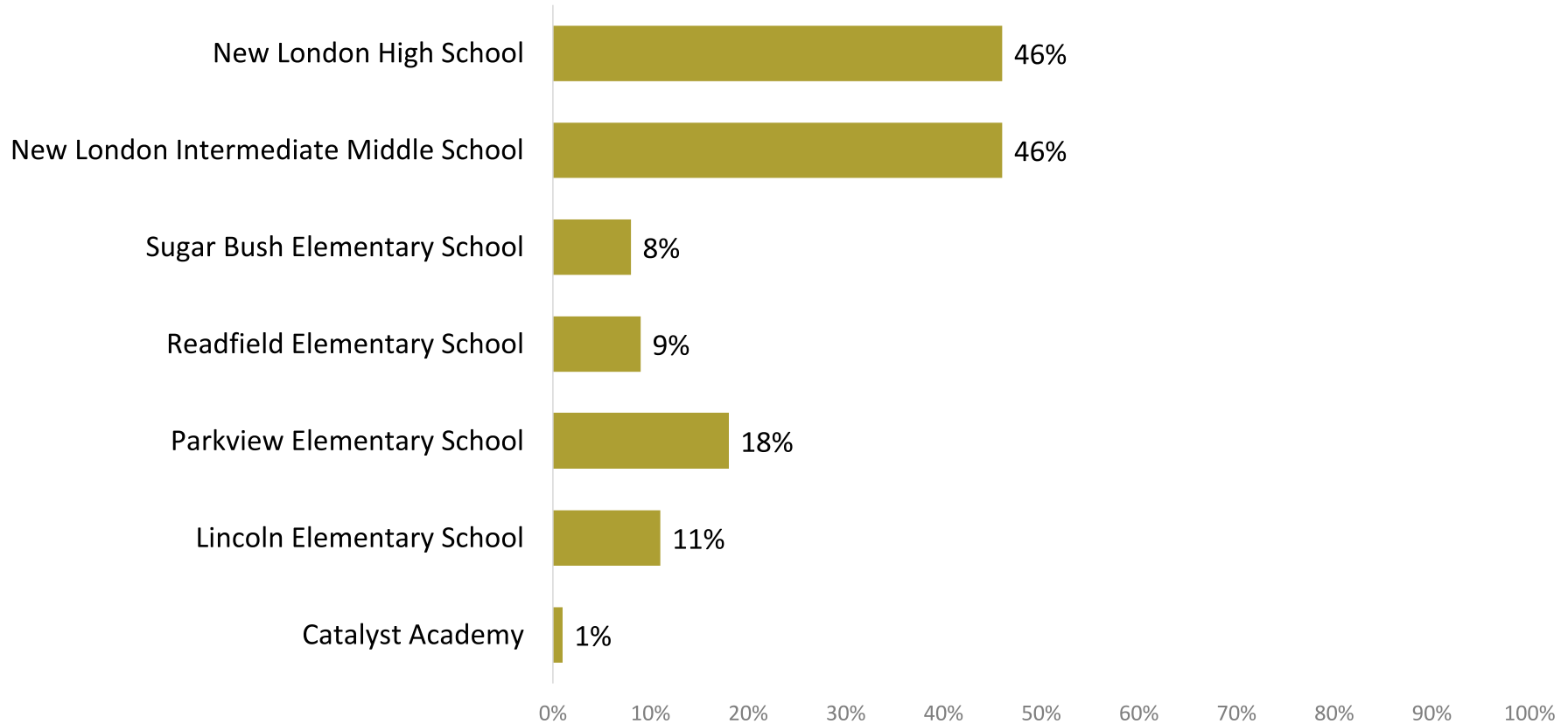
Parent Survey Information

- **April 24, 2024** survey deadline
- **319** respondents
- **17%** participation rate



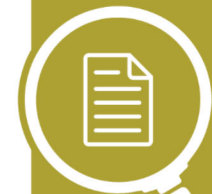
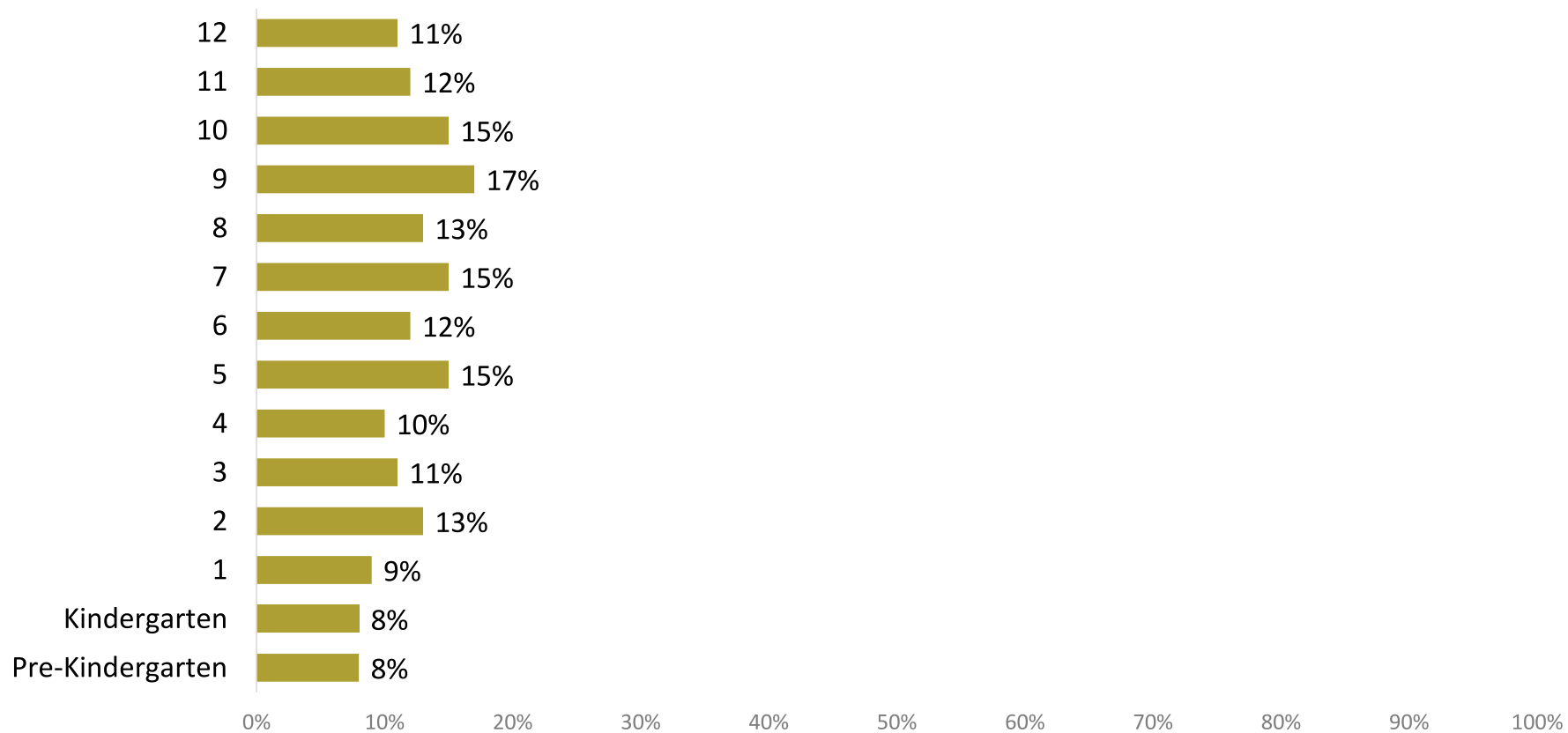
Which schools do your children attend?

(Select all that apply.)

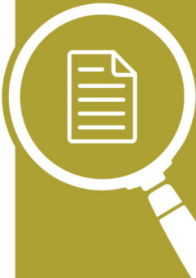
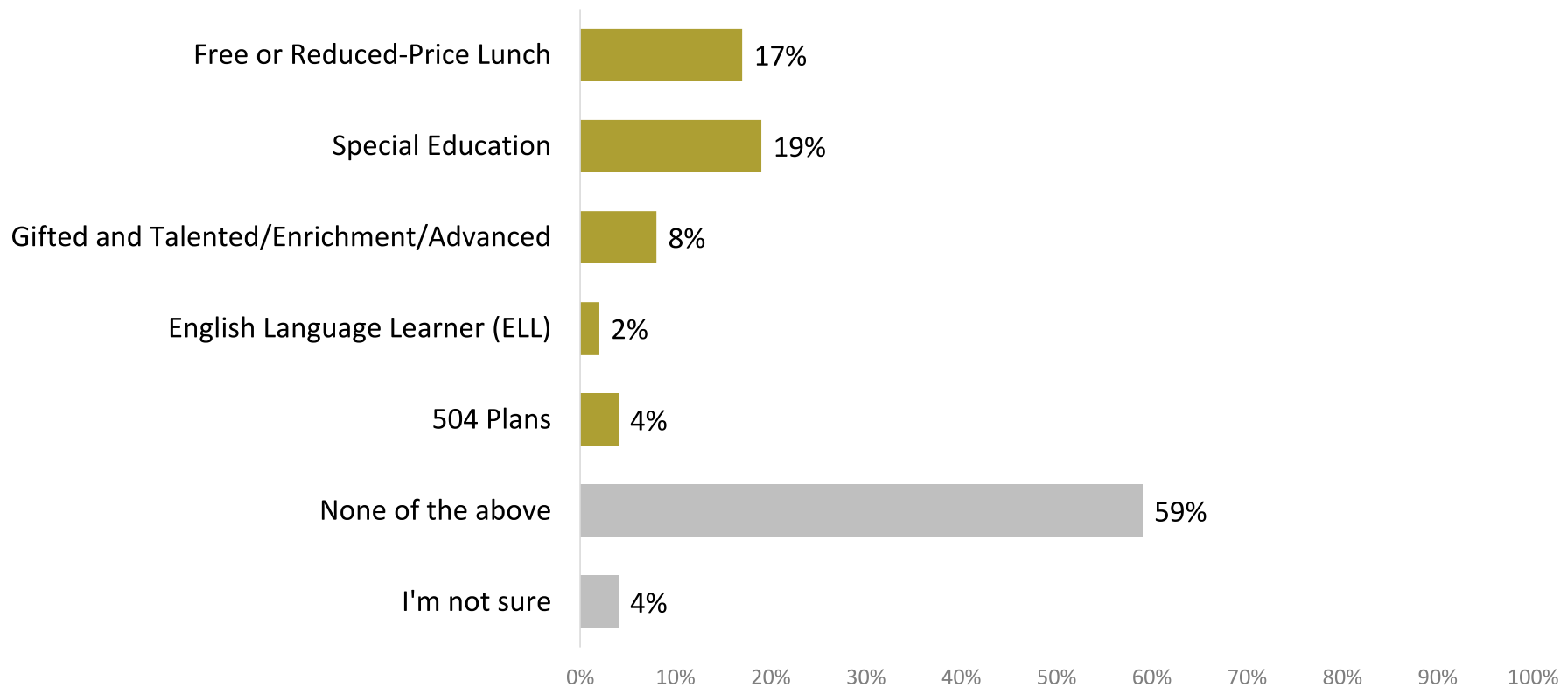


Grade level of your child(ren):

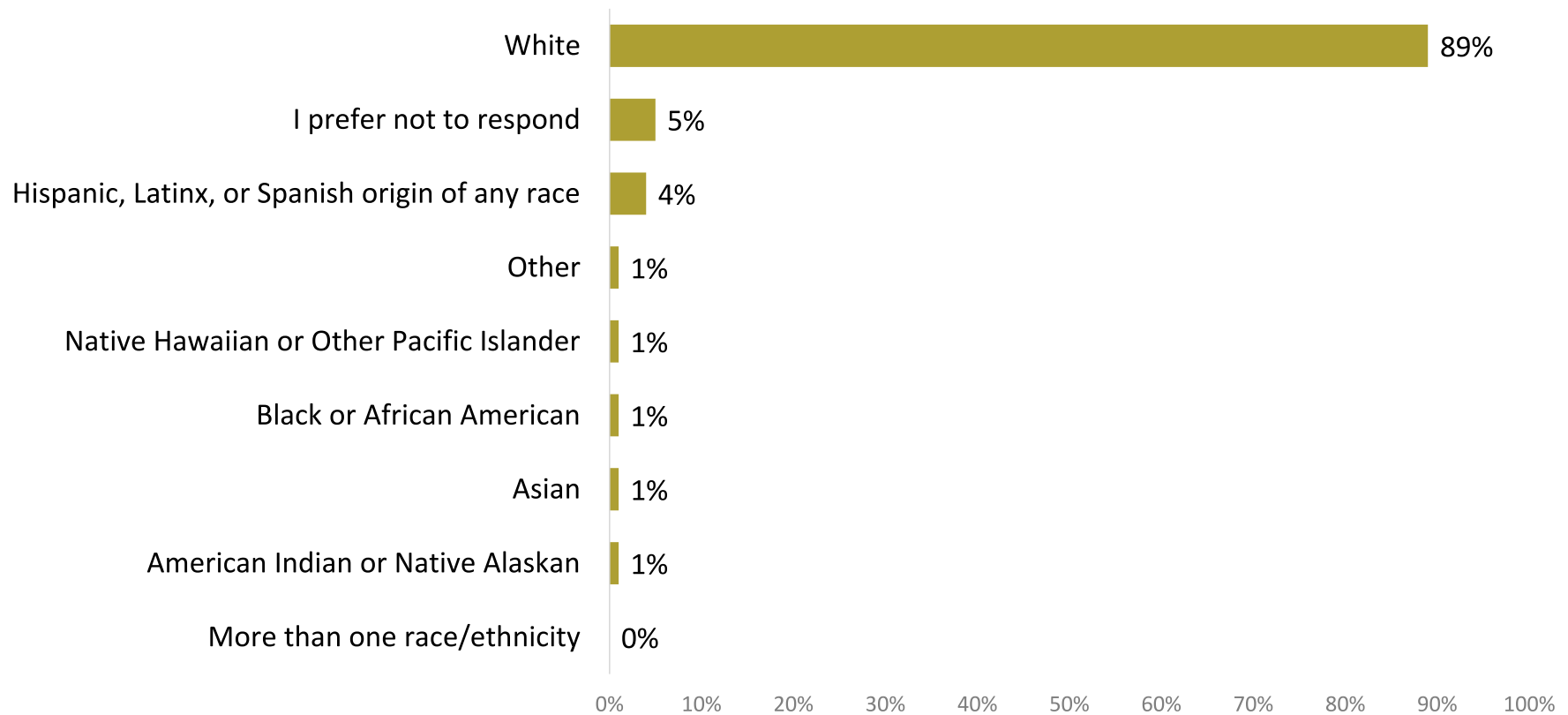
(Select all that apply.)



One or more of my children receive the following services: *(Select all that apply.)*



I identify as: *(Select all that apply)*










Index Analysis

Indexes are designed to provide education leaders with a snapshot of survey results. Key questions within the survey are used to build each index score.

Parent Survey Indexes

Score averages are based on: *Strongly Agree=5, Agree=4, Disagree=2, Strongly Disagree=1.*
 “Don’t know/doesn’t apply” are not included in the calculation.

INDEX	CURRENT SCORE	PREVIOUS SCORE	% CHANGE	COMPARISON
 INFORMED I am kept up to date on my child’s progress and what’s happening at school.	4.04	3.98	1.51%	72 nd
 INCLUDED I am welcomed, respected, and part of the school community.	4.02	4.02	0.00%	73 rd
 EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE My child’s school is effective in helping them learn, develop, and succeed.	3.86	3.90	-1.03%	63 rd
 ATMOSPHERE My child feels safe and supported at school.	4.07	4.10	-0.73%	65 th
 EXPERIENCE My family is accepted, respected, and supported at school.	4.10	4.09	0.24%	71 st





Item Analysis

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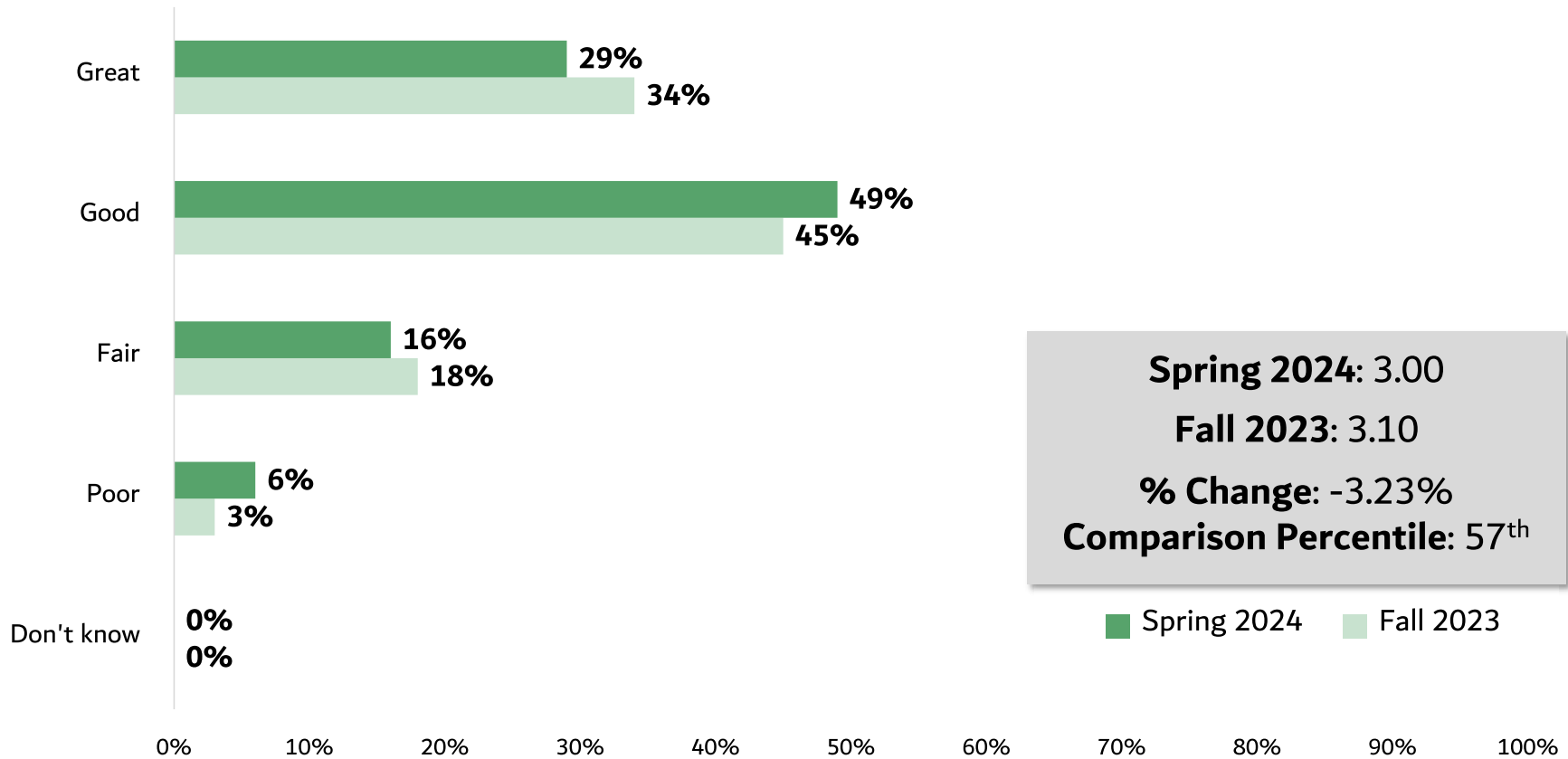
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Survey Section: Leadership & Communication

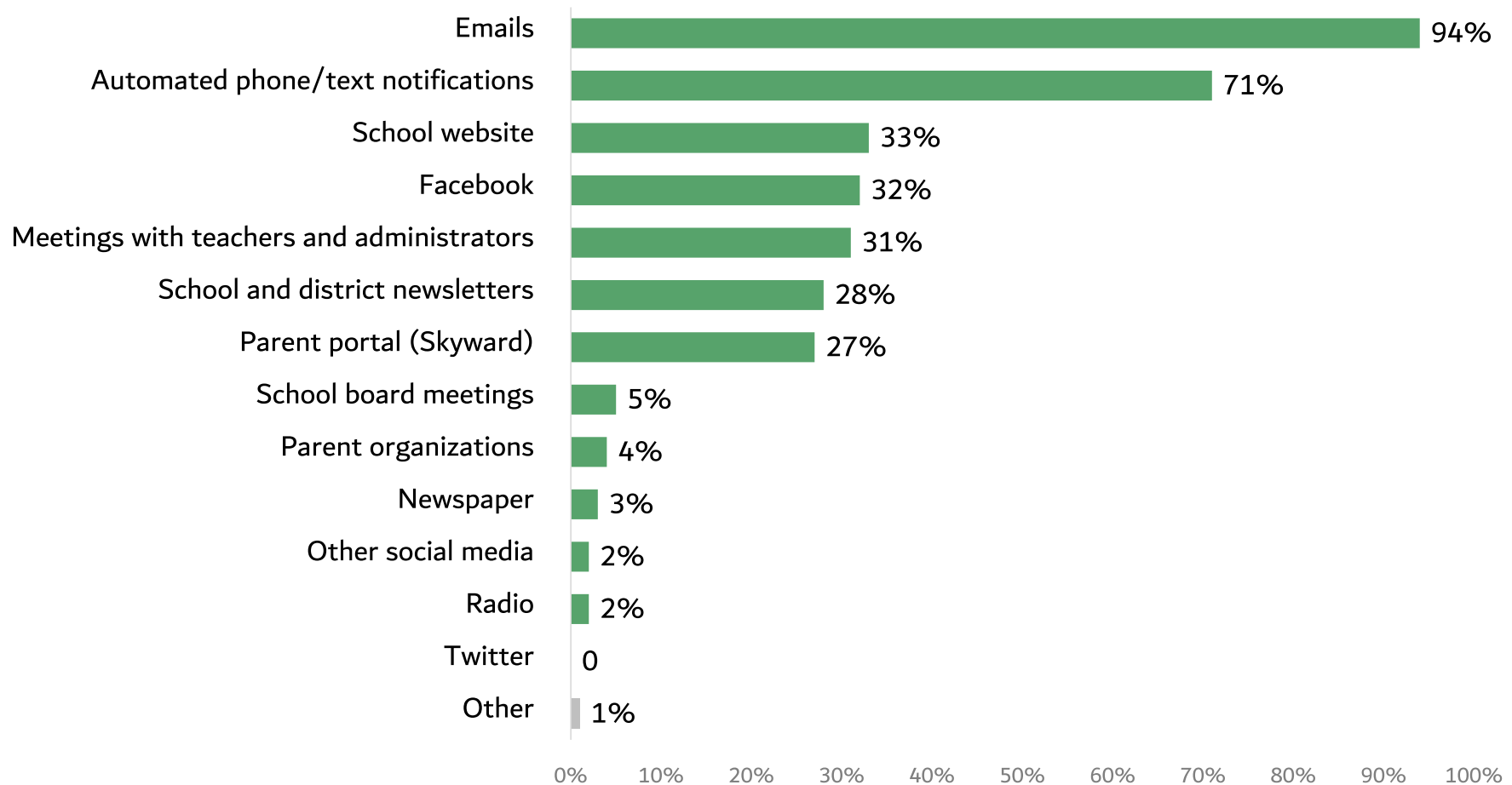
Item	Percent Strongly Agree/Agree (Fall)	Percent Strongly Agree/Agree (Spring)	Average Score (Fall)	Average Score (Spring)	Comparison (Fall)	Comparison (Spring)
District administration is doing what it takes to make our district successful.	90%	87%	3.96	3.94	68 th	68 th
The school board is doing what it takes to make our district successful.	76%	73%	3.60	3.53	36 th	30 th
The District is heading in the right direction.	78%	80%	3.67	3.73	59 th	63 rd
Overall, how would you rate communications from school? (on a scale from 1-4)	79%	78%	3.10	3.00	74 th	57 th



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How would you like to receive school information? *(Select all that apply.)*



Survey Section: **School Experience**

Item	Percent Strongly Agree/Agree (Fall)	Percent Strongly Agree/Agree (Spring)	Average Score (Fall)	Average Score (Spring)	Comparison (Fall)	Comparison (Spring)
I feel welcome in my child's school.	94%	95%	4.26	4.27	73 rd	73 rd
My child feels safe at school.	96%	94%	4.26	4.22	80 th	74 th
School facilities are clean and well-kept.	99%	98%	4.34	4.34	64 th	65 th
The school has high expectations for my child.	93%	88%	4.13	4.04	83 rd	73 rd



School Experience (continued)

Item	Percent Strongly Agree/Agree (Fall)	Percent Strongly Agree/Agree (Spring)	Average Score (Fall)	Average Score (Spring)	Comparison (Fall)	Comparison (Spring)
School staff treat my child with dignity and respect.	94%	91%	4.19	4.14	61 st	41 st
If my child breaks a rule at school, they are treated fairly.	92%	91%	4.11	4.10	69 th	70 th
Most days, my child enjoys going to school.	89%	88%	4.04	4.02	70 th	64 th
Overall, my child is able to handle the emotional challenges of school.	91%	91%	4.04	4.02	72 nd	59 th



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Item	Percent Strongly Agree/Agree (Fall)	Percent Strongly Agree/Agree (Spring)	Average Score (Fall)	Average Score (Spring)	Comparison (Fall)	Comparison (Spring)
I am satisfied with our school's efforts to address bullying.	78%	75%	3.73	3.67	92 nd	82 nd
There is a healthy culture at our school.	90%	88%	4.00	3.97	83 rd	82 nd
Overall, I'm satisfied with how much my child learned this year.	92%	90%	4.11	4.07	85 th	83 rd
My child gets help when they need it.	90%	86%	4.03	3.99	68 th	59 th



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The school teaches with materials that reflect my family's cultural and racial backgrounds.	88%	91%	3.95	4.08	58 th	92 nd
I know how to support my child's learning.	89%	91%	4.02	4.10	50 th	76 th
I have at least one school staff member I feel comfortable contacting when I have an idea or concern.	85%	90%	4.02	4.20	26 th	80 th
I am updated on how my child is doing at school.	81%	84%	3.82	3.92	34 th	65 th

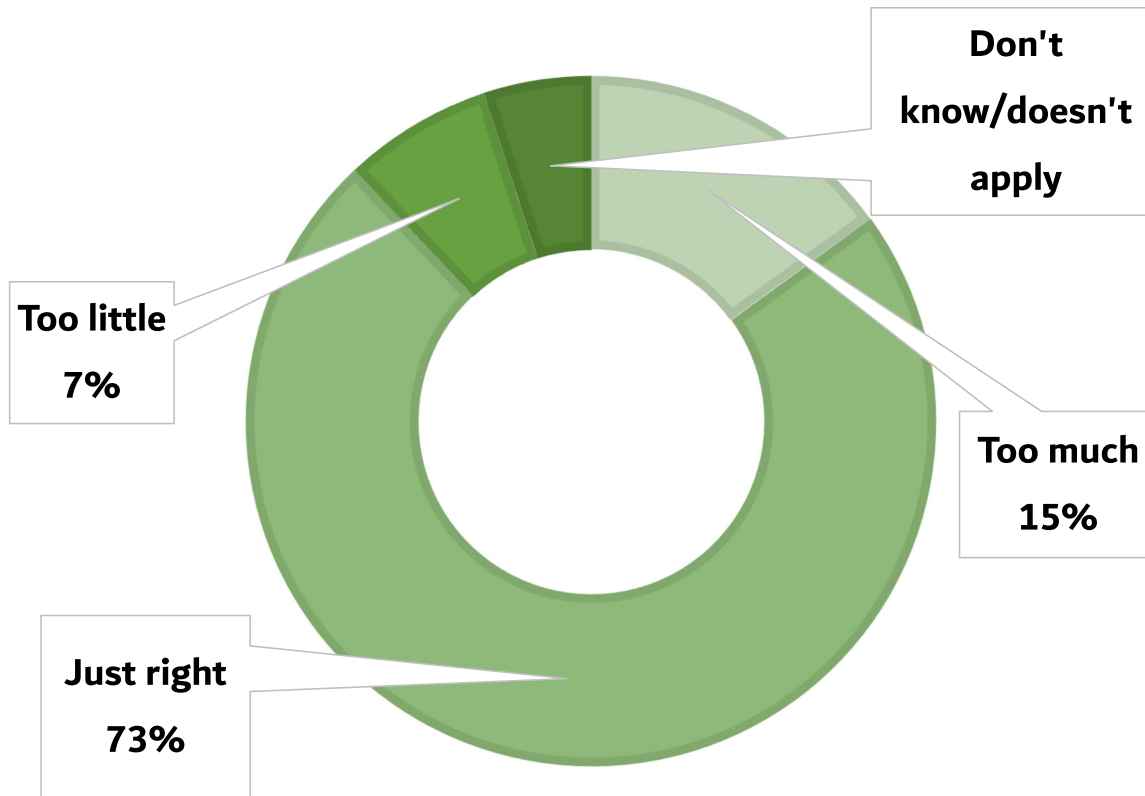


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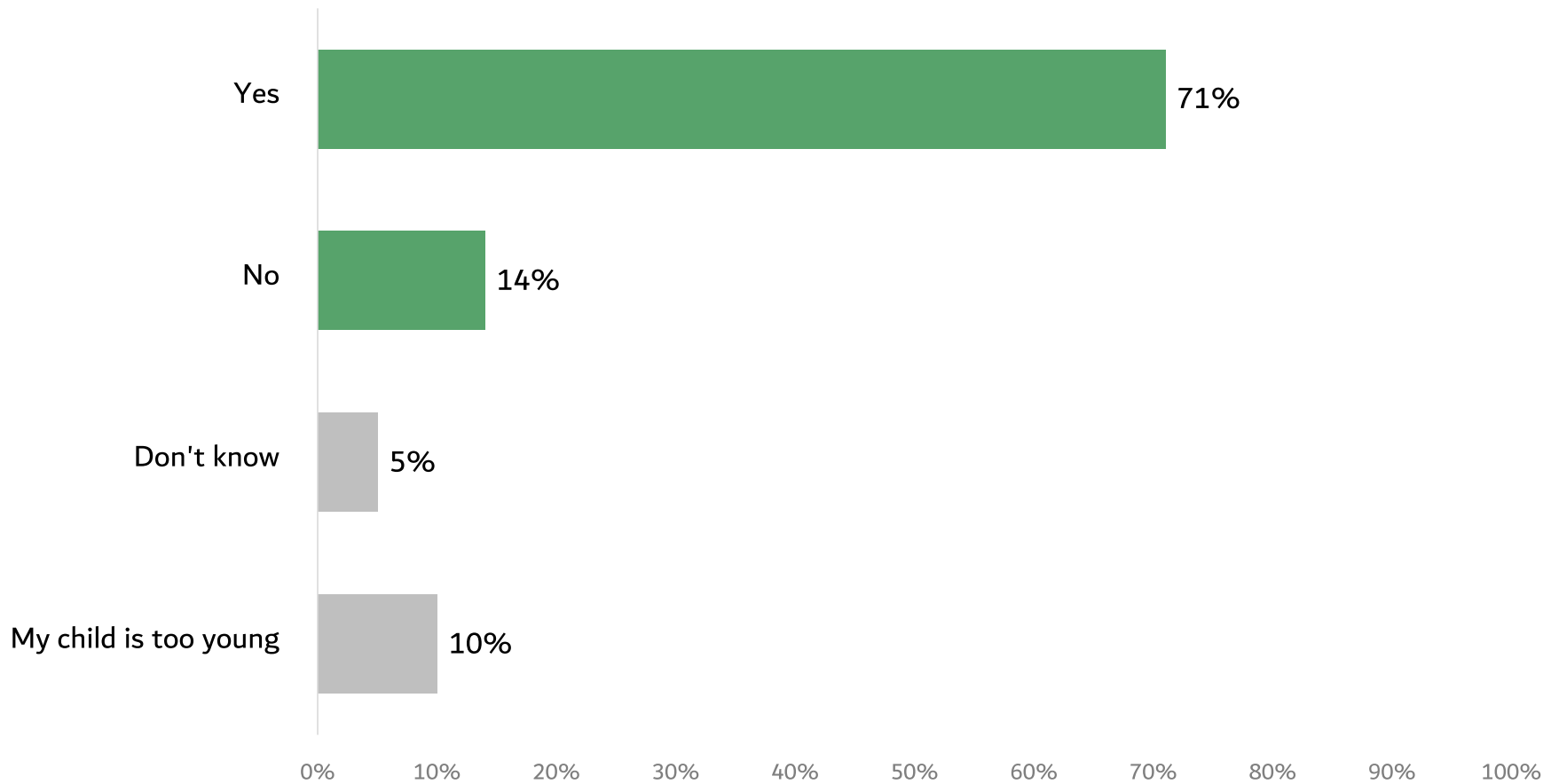
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School communication is both timely and transparent.	89%	86%	4.01	3.95	79 th	72 nd
I have opportunities to provide feedback to the school/teachers.	81%	81%	3.80	3.85	43 rd	55 th
The school provides opportunities for parental involvement.	89%	86%	4.01	3.97	85 th	78 th



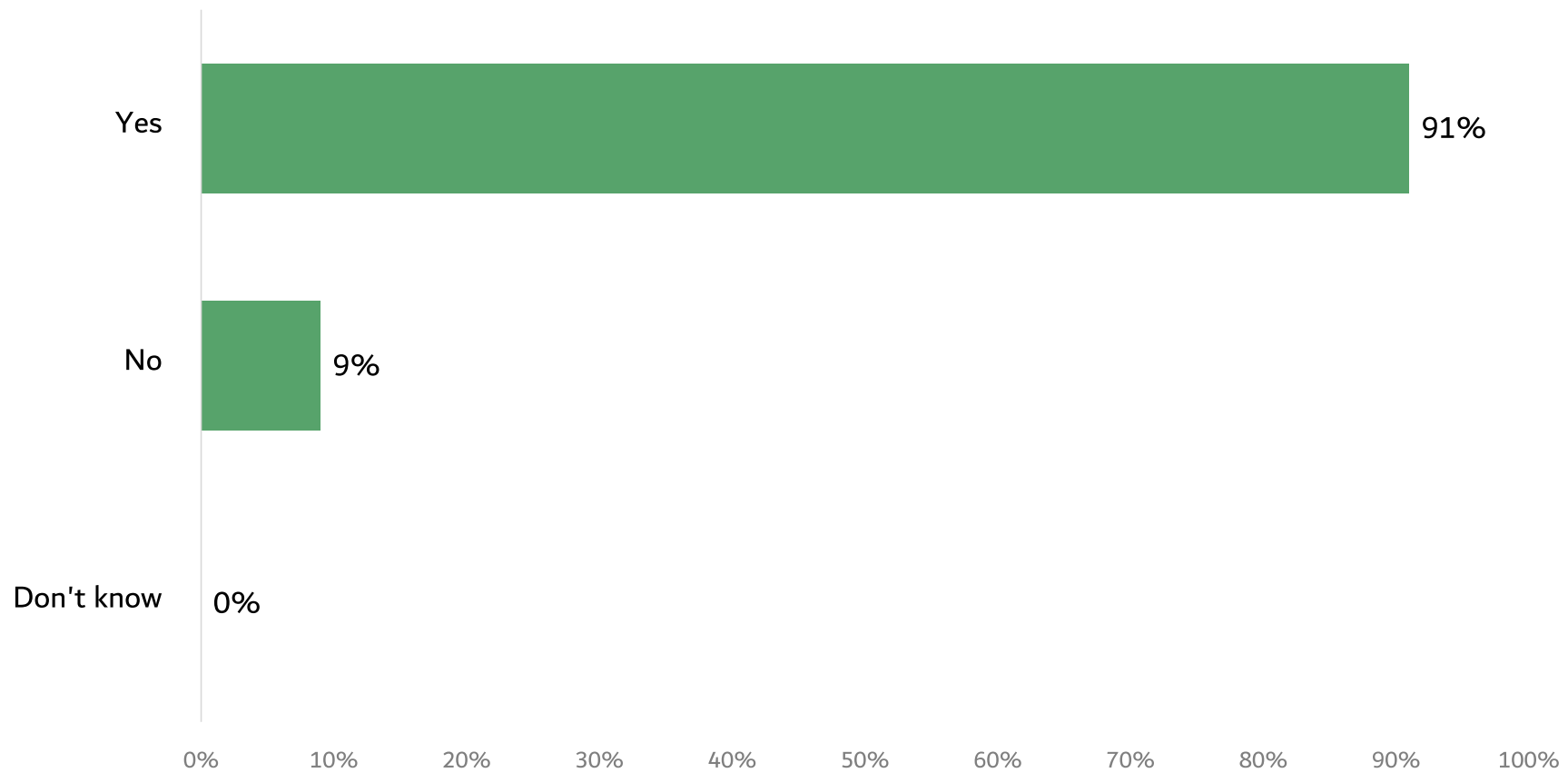
The overall amount of homework my child is asked to complete is:



Does your child currently participate or plan to participate in any school-sponsored sports and/or extracurricular activities?



My child has access to reliable internet outside of school.



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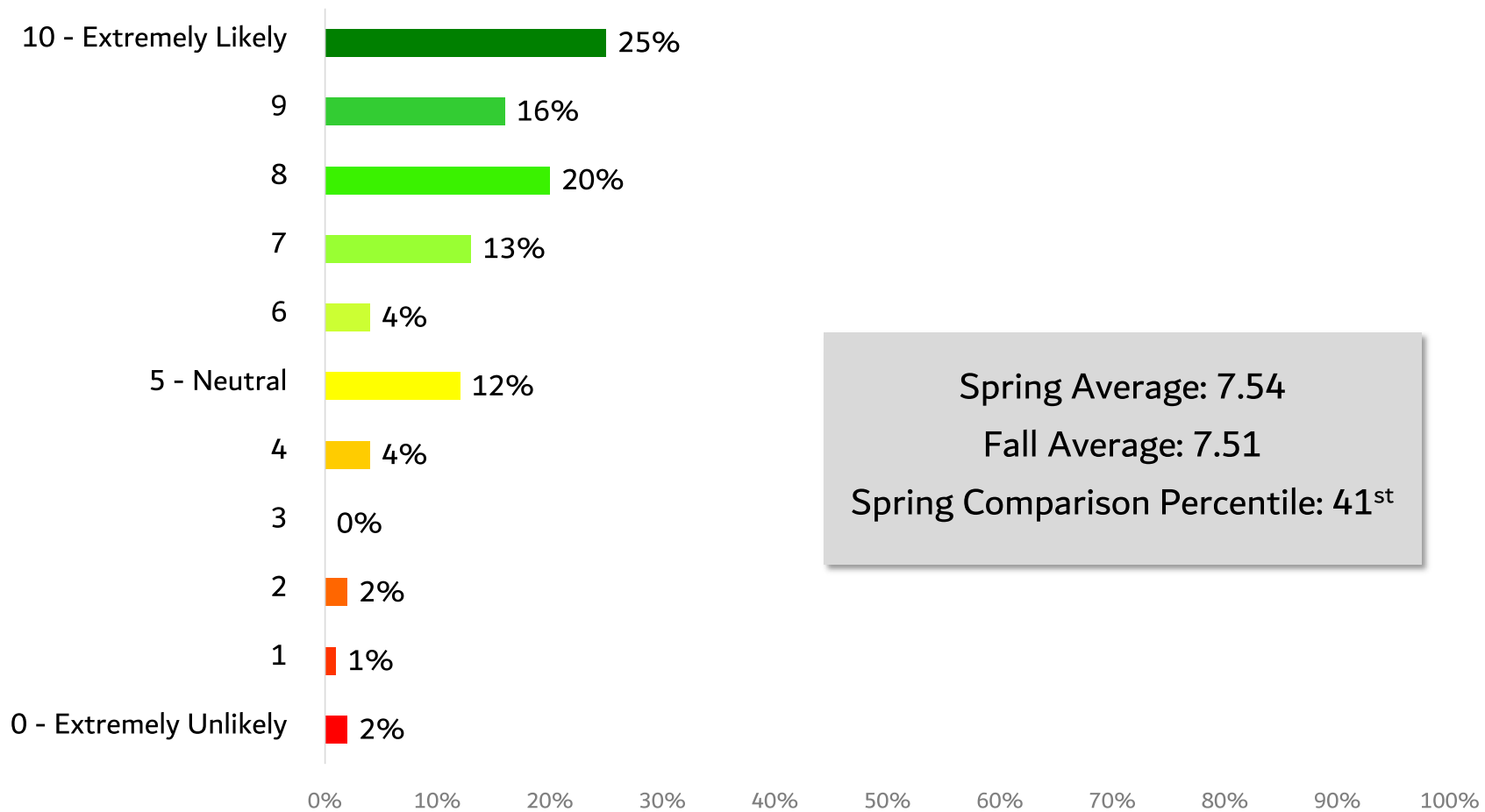


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On a scale of 0 - 10, how likely would you be to recommend our school(s) to a friend or family member?





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