



WESD

Student and family Surveys

2023-2024 FALL

Goal and Results

Climate and Culture

- By May, 2024, Support Schools will increase in parent satisfaction from 2022 to 2023 by 5% in parent engagement and safety/behavior with planned parent/student engagement activities to meet all family needs.
 - **Projected:** Parent Engagement 22-23 Support School Average 91.5 to (23-24) 96.5
 - **Actual:** Parent Engagement 22-23 Support School Average 91.5 to (23-24) 96.0
 - **Projected:** Safety/behavior 22-23 Support School Average 79 to (23-24) 84
 - **Actual:** Safety/behavior 22-23 Support School Average 79 to (23-24) 91

Why are there differences from last year?

- Students: Students questions were written in a negative manner
- Parents: Wanted to provide school specific feedback as opposed to the district
- Students/Parents: Safety is tied to facilities at the school
- School: Redefining or clarifying questions
- Board: Board Study sessions for stakeholder feedback

Number of questions

Student Survey

2023-24 (28#)

22-23 (36#-42#)

Family Survey

23-24 (33#)

22-23 (29#)

Staff Survey

23-24 (49#)

22-23 (55#)

Changes from Previous Surveys

- Word phrasing adjusted
- Questions rewritten to be more positive rather than deficit based
- Questions were removed and a few added to reflect school operations and district feedback
- Combined grades 3-8 for the student survey (still available in Panorama Reports)
- Asked optional Race/Ethnicity of student on Family Survey
- Parents were asked to fill out one survey per child

Student Survey Window

Administered later in the fall

Family Survey Window

Administered during Parent/Teacher Conference week this year to help with response rate

Vetting Process

- Task force was formed with multiple district committee representatives to review Panorama surveys to voice input
 - Academic Services/Administrative Services – District staff
 - Family and Community Engagement Committee - Parents
 - Culture & Climate Committees – Teachers, Parents, School Staff, Administration
- **Equitable Outcomes for All Committee** vetted survey and held discussions -
 - School Staff
 - Parent/Community members
 - Students
 - District Staff

Response Rates

Student Survey

23-24, FALL 11,515 (92.3%)

22-23, SPRING 10,269 (78%)

22-23, FALL 11,724 (87.9%)

21-22, SPRING 11,503 (85.2%)

21-22, FALL 10,714 (79.8%)

Family Survey

23-24, WINTER 2938

22-23, WINTER 2791

21-22, SPRING 1001

Demographics

Overall Student Respondents	
Asian	3%
Black	10%
Hispanic	57%
Native American	3%
Pacific Islander	0%
White	22%
Multi-Race	5%
Female	49%
Male	51%
English Learner	16%
Students with Disabilities	14%
Gifted Students	10%
Displaced Students (Homeless or in Foster Care)	1%

Overall Results

Category	Overall Average Family Survey Result (Range is from 1.00 to 5.00)	Overall Average Student Survey Result (Range is from 1.00 to 5.00)
Academic Preparation	4.37	4.07
School and District Climate	4.03	3.60
School Safety	3.89	3.34
Social Awareness	4.23	3.57
Supportive Relationships with Students and Parents	4.23 ¹	4.04
Student and Parent Engagement	4.37	3.02
Self-Management		3.41
School Operations	4.03	3.50
School Fit	4.25	

¹ Student Support and Supportive Relationships for parents were combined for this average on the 2023 Fall Family Survey

District Climate

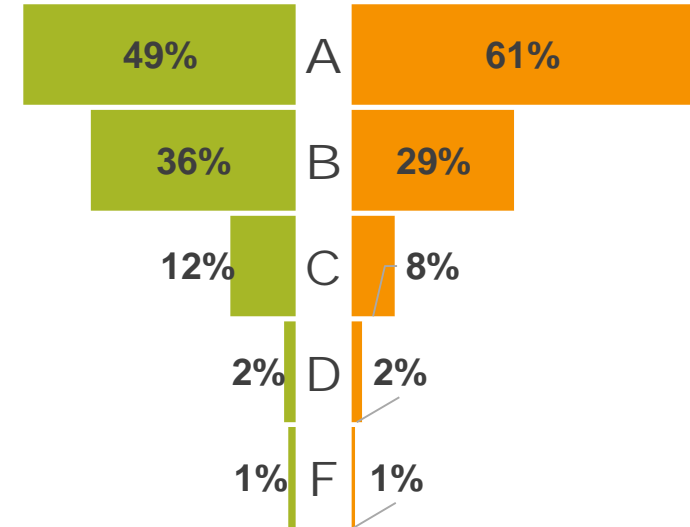
90%

Parents give their school an A or B letter grade.

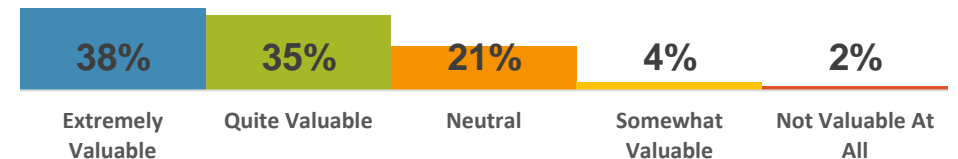
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Parents give the district an A or B letter grade.

Parent: What Grade Would You Give the District and Your School?

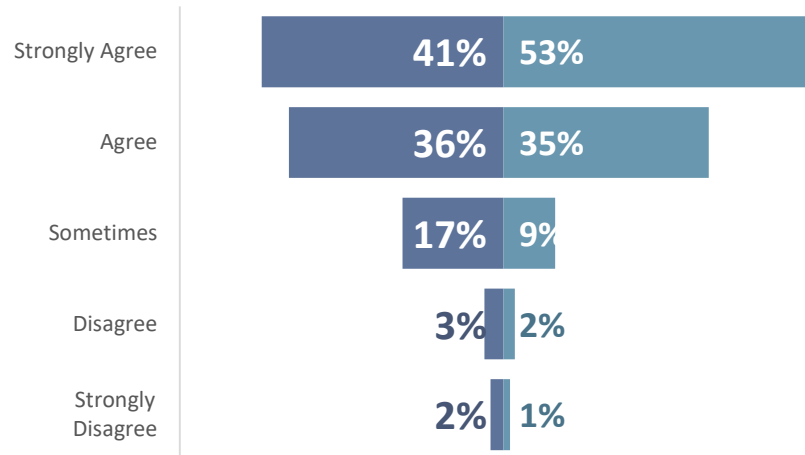


Parents: 73% of Parents feel that the Communication From the District Office is Valuable?

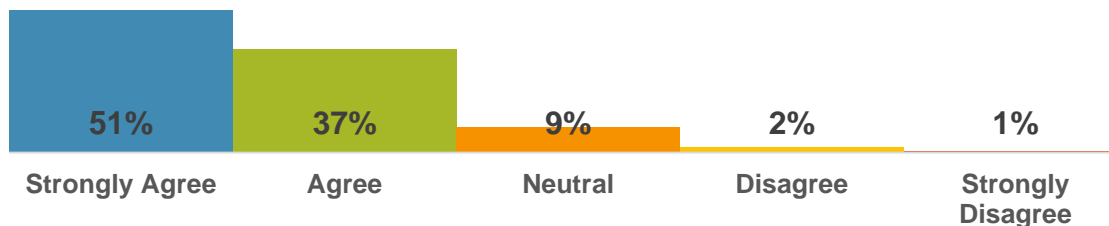


Academic Preparation

Parents feel more strongly that their child is being prepared for the next grade level more so than students.



Parent: 88% of Parents Feel Their My Child is Receiving Effective Instruction.



2023-2024 FALL Student Survey		
My Teachers Tell Me That I Can Do Well in School.		
Almost Always	34%	3889
Often	33%	3716
Sometimes	19%	2218
Once In a While	9%	1049
Never/Almost Never	5%	545

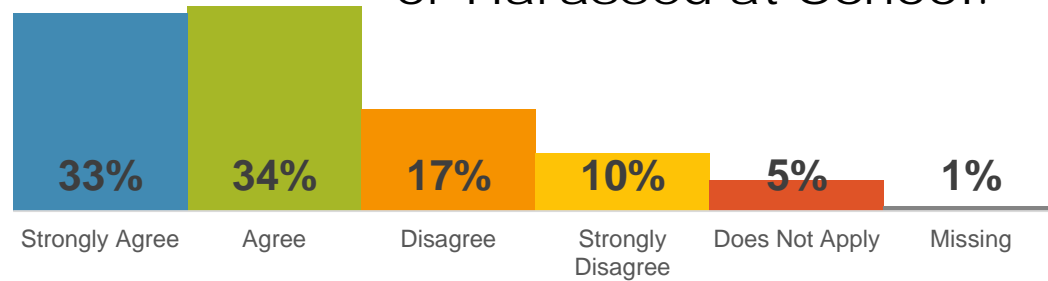
2023-2024 FALL Student Survey		
How Important Is It to You to Do Well in Your Classes?		
Extremely Important	58%	6648
Quite Important	28%	3209
Somewhat Important	9%	1030
Slightly Important	3%	333
Not At All Important	1%	155

86% of students feel that it is quite or extremely important to do well in school.

67% of students stated that their teachers tell them they can do well in school.

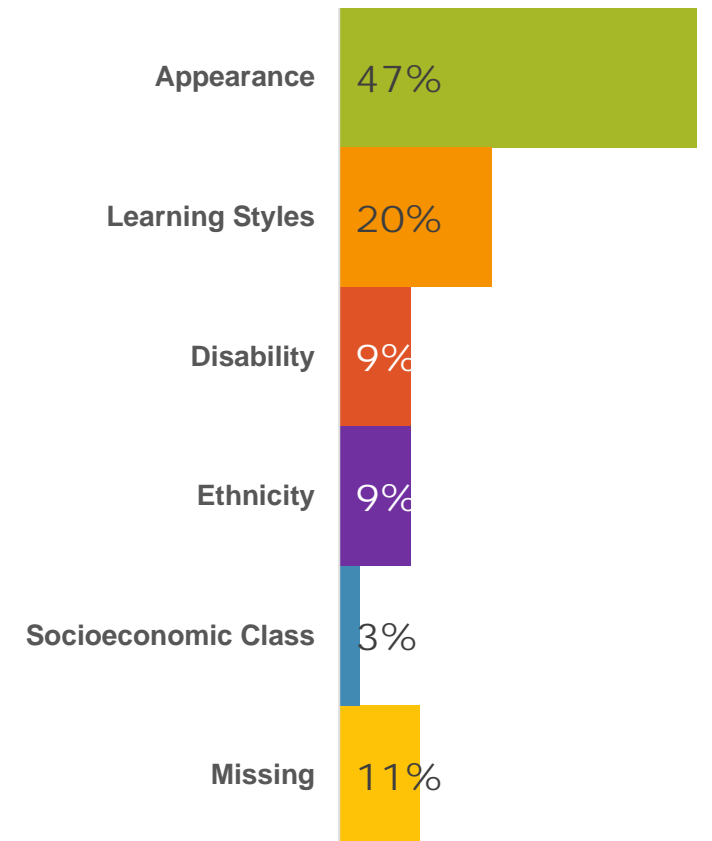
School Safety

67% Of Parents Felt their Child Was Not Insulted, Teased or Harassed at School.



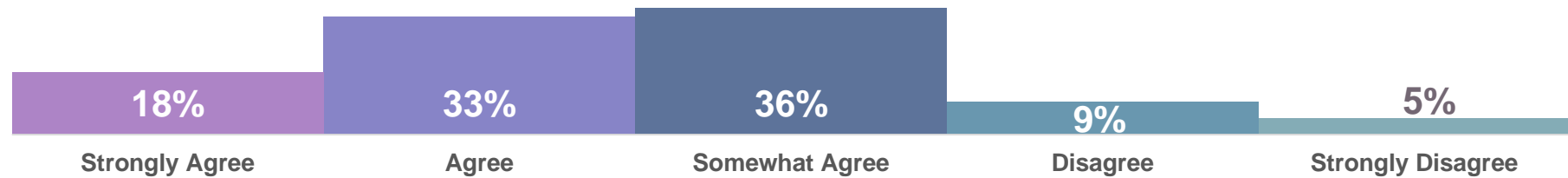
35% 2023 Fall, students reported that there was no bullying at their school. With 34% of students stating they was bullying at their school.

If Parents Felt Child Was Insulted or Harassed at This School it Was Related to:



School Safety

51% of Students in School State that They Can Disagree with Each Other Without Using Physical Contact.



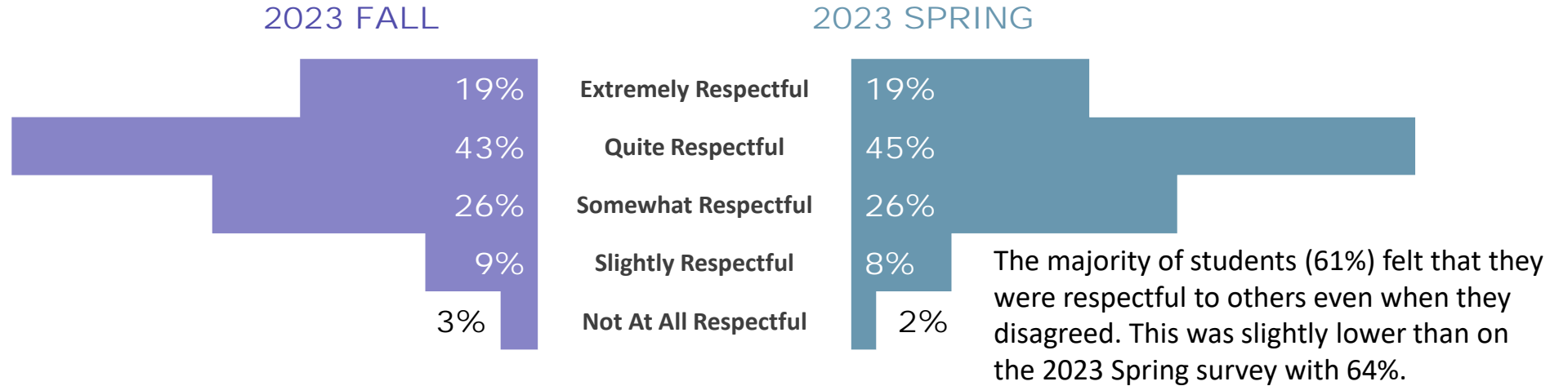
On the 2023 Fall survey, 50% of students do not worry about their physical safety while at school.

One quarter (27%) of the students stated that they sometimes worry about their physical safety and 24% of students worry about their physical safety (disagree or strongly disagree with that statement).

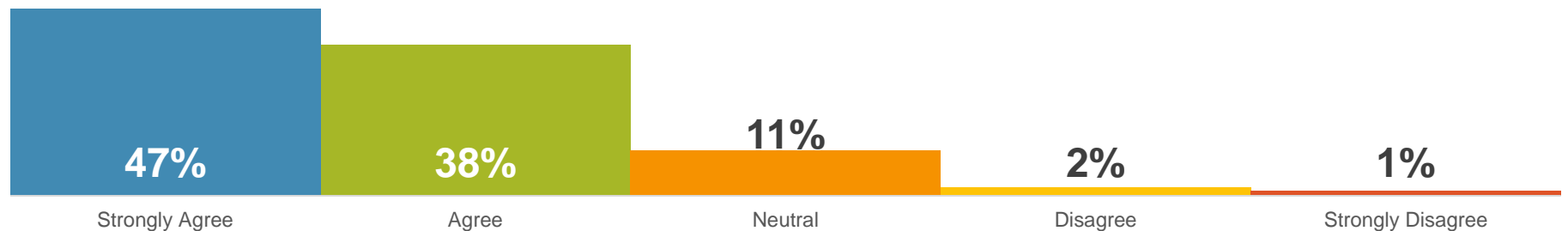
2023-2024 FALL Student Survey		
Do Not Worry About My Physical Safety While at School.		
Strongly Agree	22%	2437
Agree	28%	3151
Somewhat Agree	27%	3032
Disagree	15%	1649
Strongly Disagree	9%	1058

Social Awareness

Students: When Others Disagree With You, How Respectful Are You of Their Views?



Parents: 85% of Parents felt that adults in their School are Good Examples of How We Should Treat Each Other (Like Respect, Responsibility and Fairness).



50% of the students felt they were able to name and understand their feelings.

55% of the students stated they were able to stand up for themselves without judging others

Supportive Relationships

Student: I Believe I have a Teacher or Other Adult From School Who Supports Me.

Almost All the Time	64%	4655
Frequently		2760
Sometimes	18%	2078
Once in a While	10%	1170
Never/Almost Never	7%	771
Missing	1%	71

Student: I Believe I have a Family Member or Other Adult Outside of School Who Supports Me.

Almost All the Time	77%	6658
Frequently		2198
Sometimes	12%	1342
Once in a While	6%	694
Never/Almost Never	4%	486
Missing	1%	127

Student: I Believe I have a Friend from School Who Supports Me.

Almost All the Time	76%	6206
Frequently		2584
Sometimes	13%	1453
Once in a While	6%	710
Never/Almost Never	4%	484
Missing	1%	68

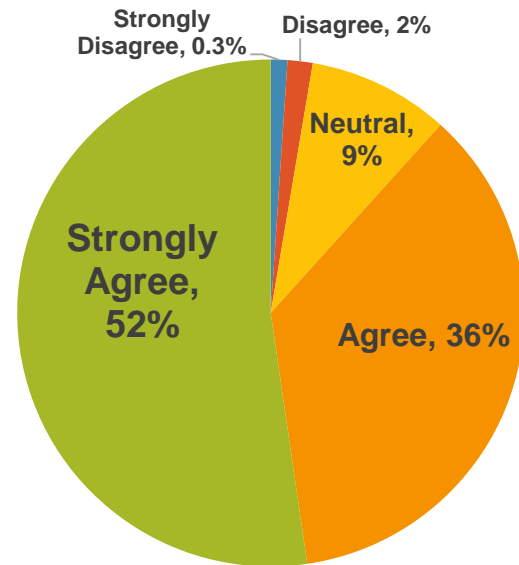
80% of parents felt that their child has an adult to turn to in school for an academic problem.

80% of parents felt that their child has an adult to turn to in school for a personal problem.

80% of parents stated their child is excited to attend school.

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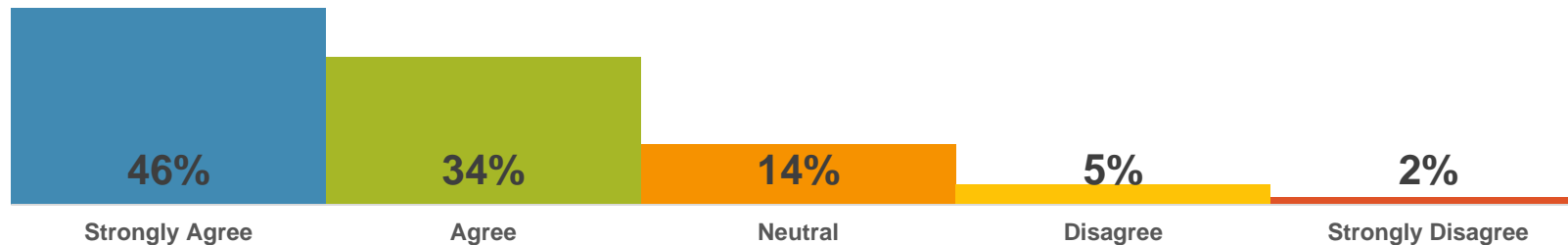
Parents: The School Staff are Available to Talk to Me.



76%

of families felt that the School Leaders are courteous, listen to their concerns and remains professional even when they may disagree with the parents' views.

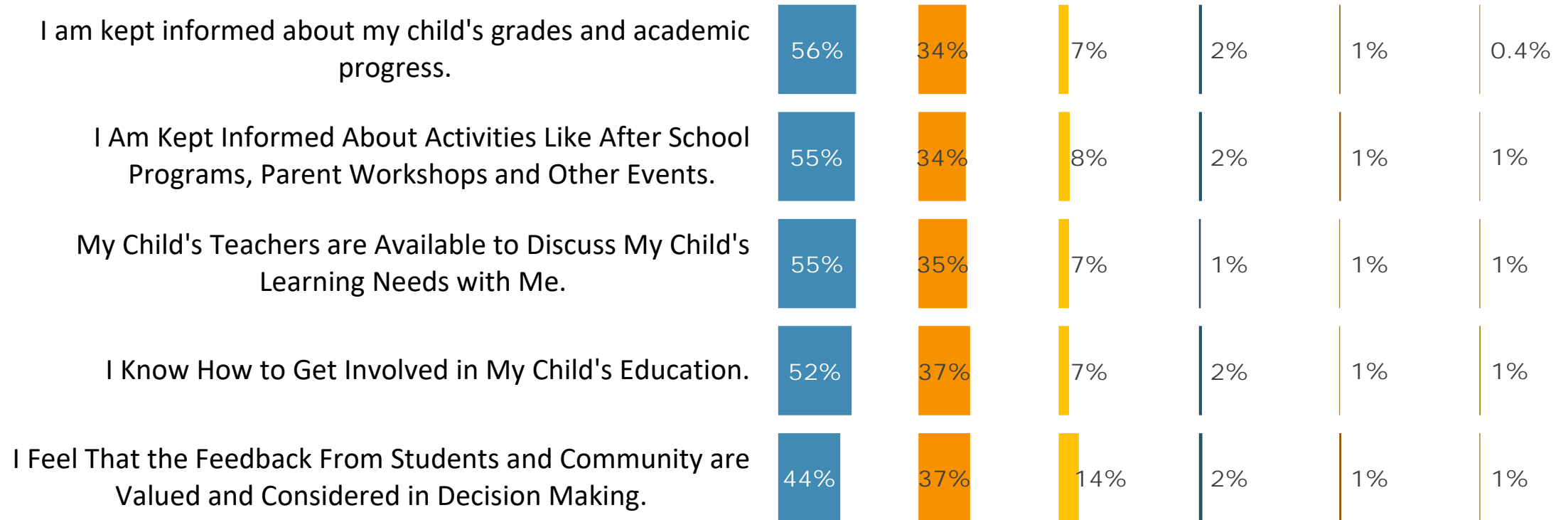
Parents: 80% of Parents Stated that Their Child is Excited About Going to School.



Parent Engagement

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■ Strongly Agree
 ■ Agree
 ■ Neutral
 ■ Disagree
 ■ Strongly Disagree
 ■ Missing



Self-Management

The higher the school survey average for student self-management, the higher the school's ranking for STAR Reading achievement.

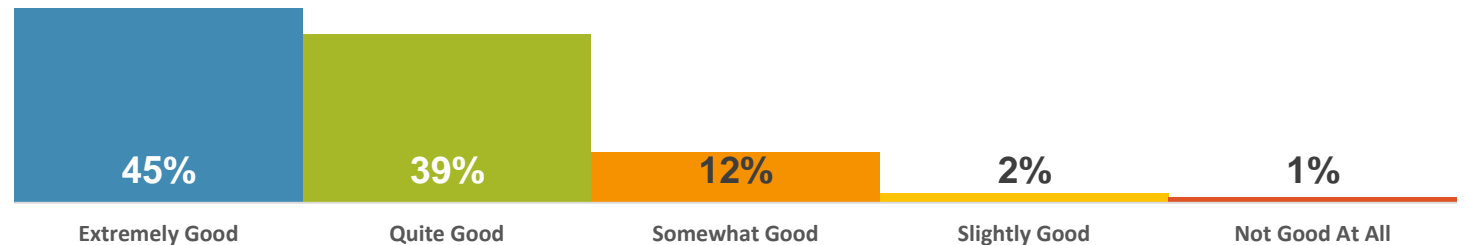
Student: How Often Do You Remain Calm, Even When Someone is Bothering You or Saying Bad Things?

Almost All the Time	40%	1798
Frequently		2692
Sometimes	31%	3502
Once In a While	17%	1997
Never/Almost Never	12%	1423

Student: How Often Do You Allow Others to Speak Without Interruption?

Almost All the Time	63%	3455
Frequently		3822
Sometimes	23%	2600
Once In a While	8%	967
Never/Almost Never	5%	565

Parent: Considering their child's cultural background, 84% of parents felt their school was a good of a fit for their child?

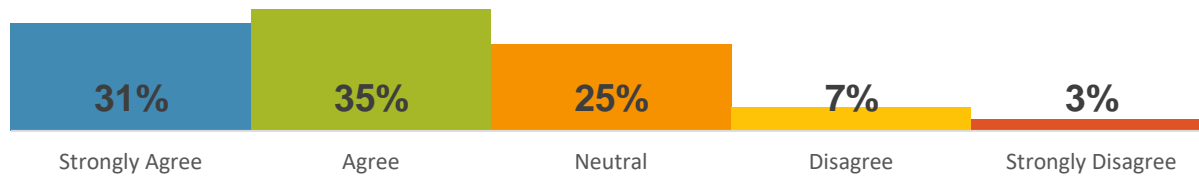


School Operations: Cafeteria and Busing

65%

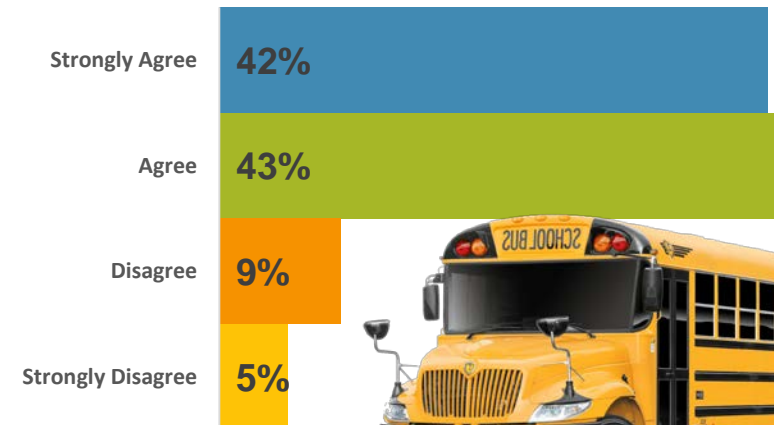
Students reported that their school cafeteria was clean and a safe place for them to eat.

Parent: Healthy food is Served for Breakfast and Lunch



85%

Parents stated Their School Bus is on Time Most Days



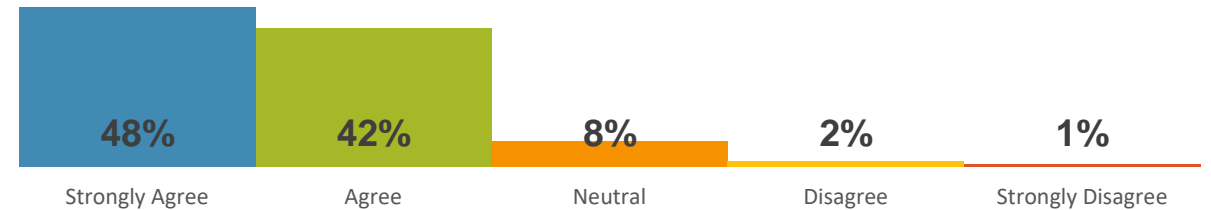
School Operations: School Facilities

65%

Students reported that they are proud of how their school looks. While 31% feel their restrooms are clean and safe for them to use.

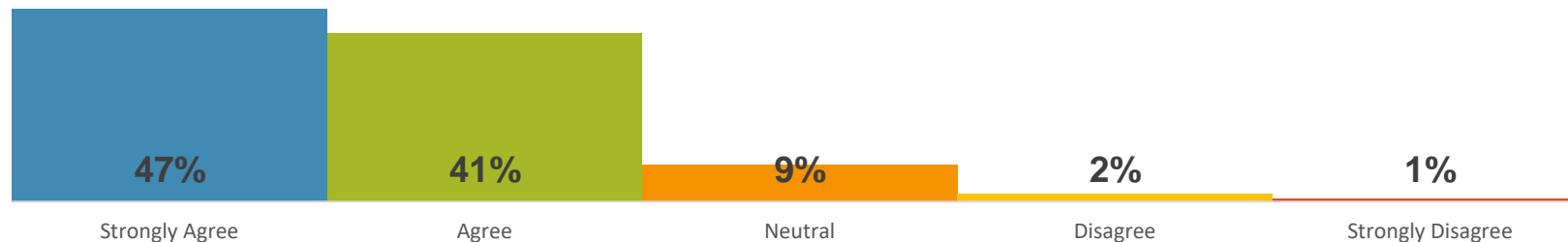
90%

of the Parents Felt Their Child's School Grounds, Classrooms and Outer Building are Well Maintained



88%

of the Parents Felt that Their Child's School was Clean and Provides a Safe and healthy Environment





Next Steps

- School leadership teams will continue to utilize results to identify key areas of focus
- District Climate & Culture committees will continue to identify data points and trends to utilize as measures for guiding work
- Teachers will be trained by Panorama on effectively utilizing individual student data to provide support and interventions
- District leadership will continue to utilize data to measure the operations and outcomes of the district

Specific School Strategies

- Social Workers and Principals are spending time analyzing student data and sharing with teachers. The data is used to help inform intervention groups. Parent data is being shared with office staff and teaching staff. Reviewing open ended comments were important for both surveys as well.
- Talking with parent groups that meet on a regular basis (Coffee with Principal, MALDEF, Kith and Kin, PTO) to provide context to survey responses so school staff can be more focused on meeting parent needs.
- School admin are working with Support Teams (Social Workers, Achievement Interventionists, Discipline, SRO, Admin) to develop next steps related to addressing areas of student need in the classroom and out of the classroom.
- School staff have used the results to inform appropriate adjustments on campus, such as:
 - lessons taught on kindness, relationships and coping skills
 - teachers are sending out newsletters more frequently in response to parents' request for more communication
 - additional parent nights and community involvement events are being incorporated at schools
 - ensure bathrooms are clean and orderly
 - continue to reinforce and move forward with PBIS Tier 1 to ensure a safe school environment