

FRISCO ISD SURVEY

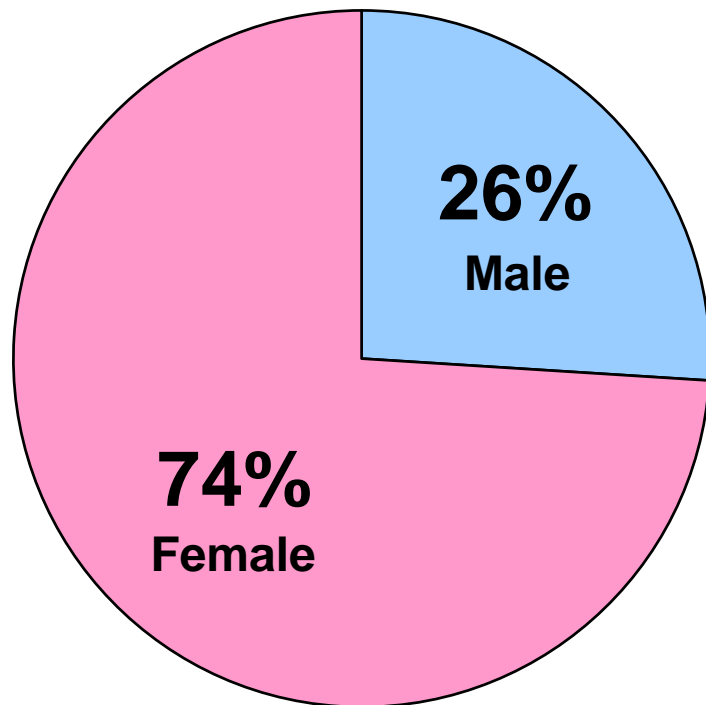
May 27 - 31, 2020

N = 16,320 respondents

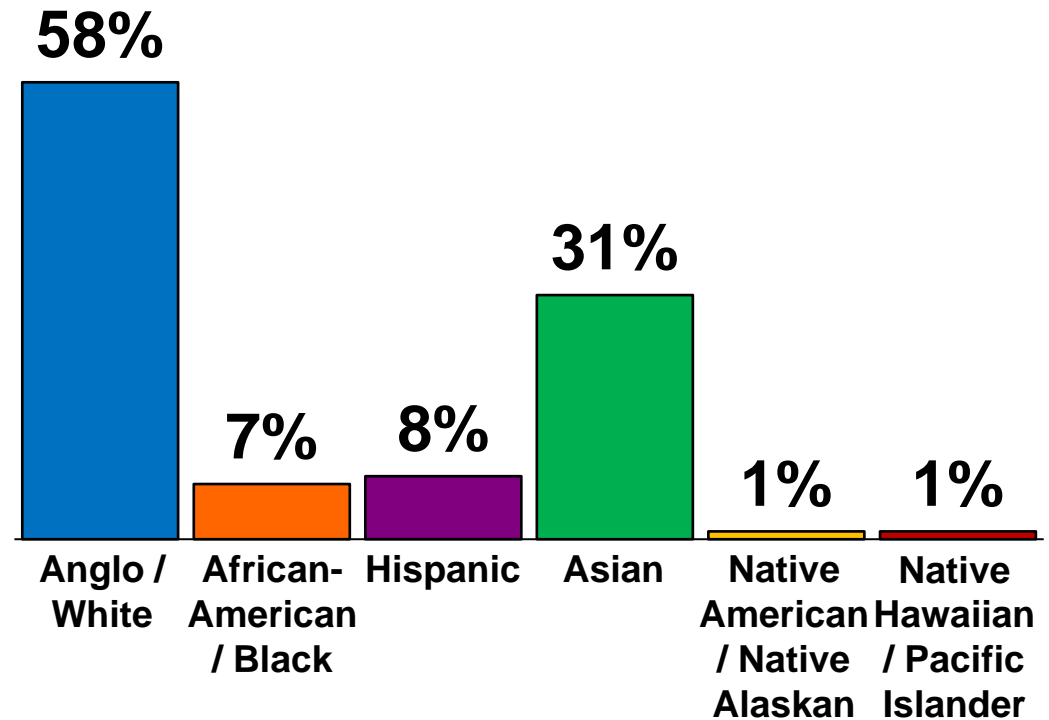
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Q18. Indicate your gender.

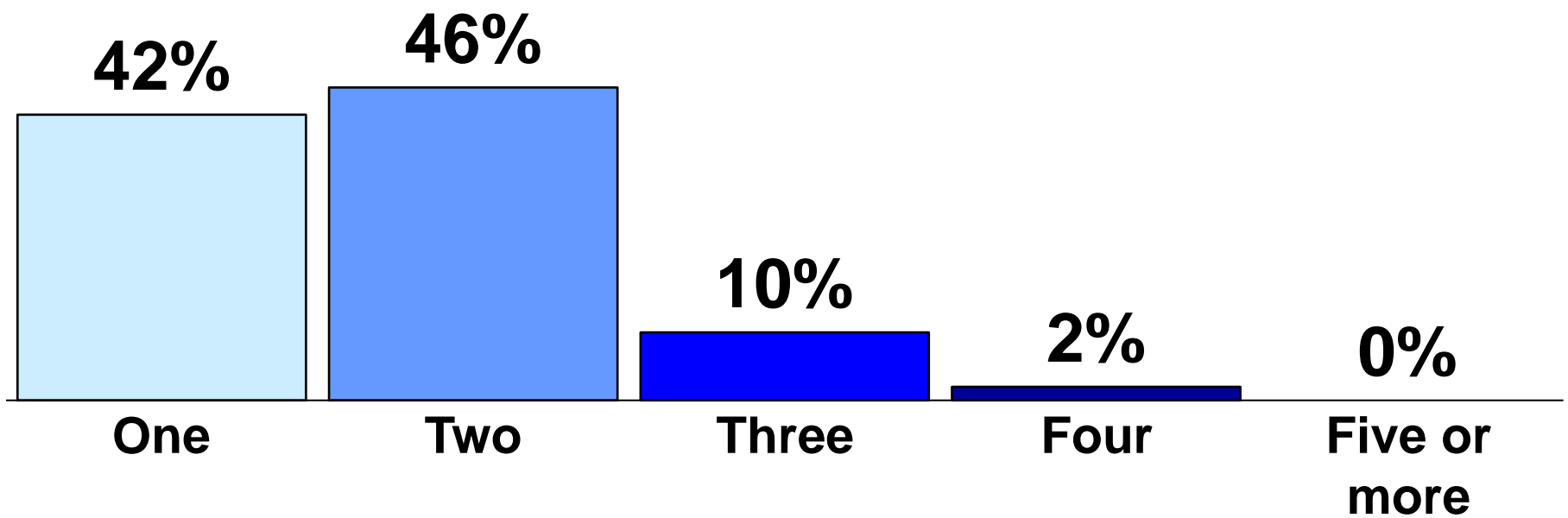


Q19. Indicate your race and ethnicity.

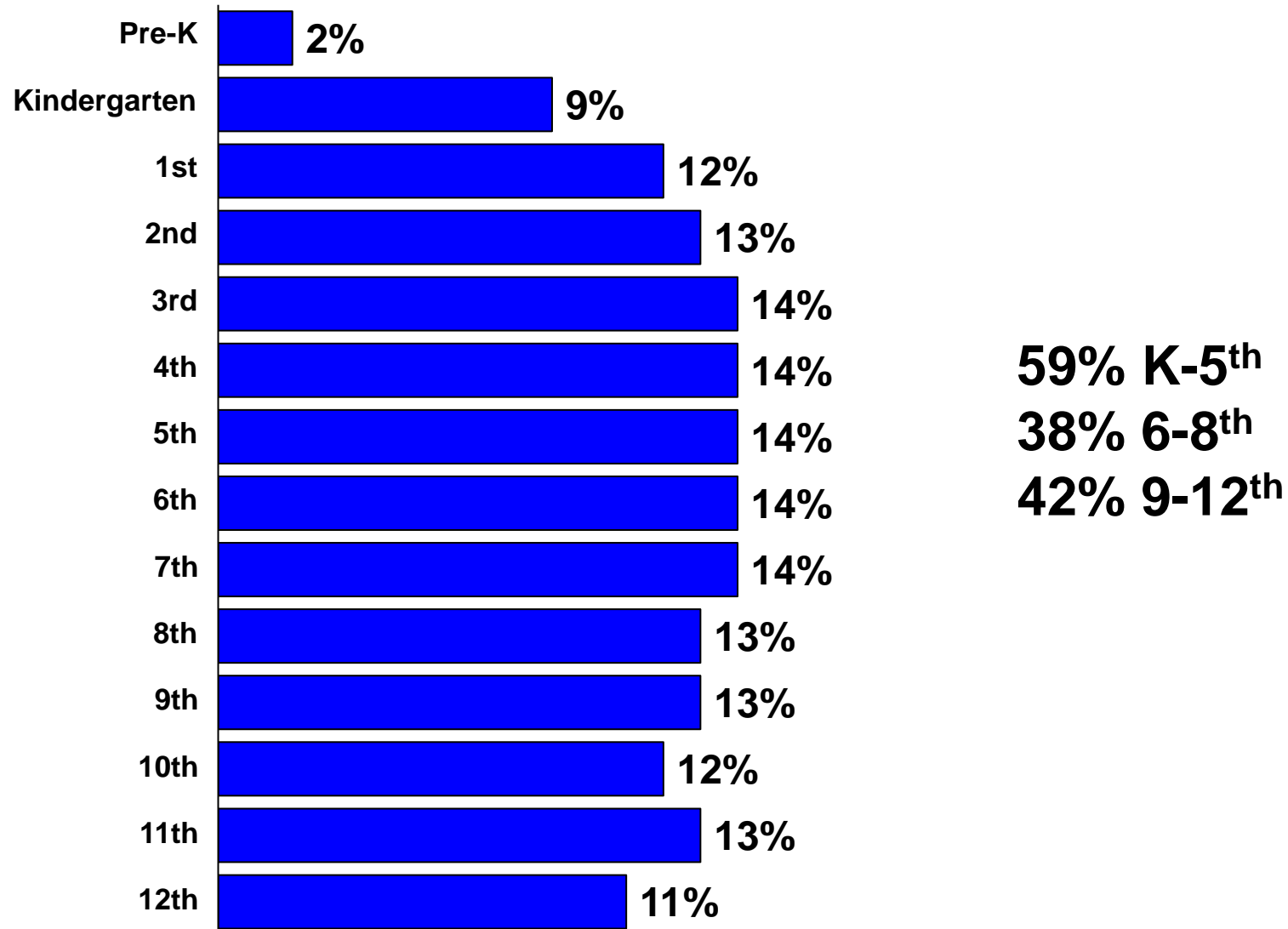


Percentages will add up to over 100% since the respondent could check all that applied.

Q2. Thinking ahead to the upcoming 2020-2021 school year, how many children will you have enrolled at a Frisco ISD school?



Q3. And, thinking ahead to the upcoming 2020-2021 school year, in what grades will your children be in at a Frisco ISD school? Check all that apply.



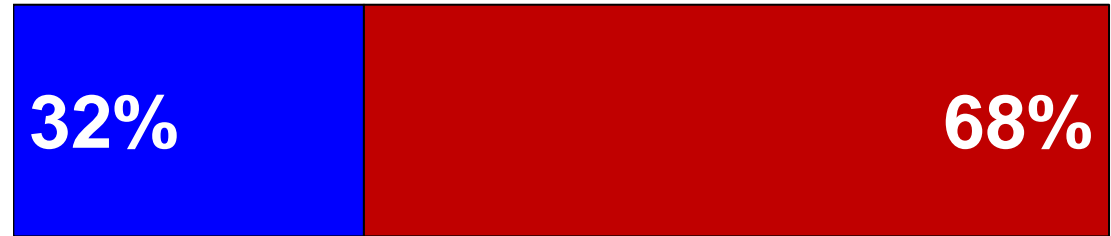
Q20 - Is anyone in your household 65 years of age or older?



Yes

No

Q21 - Does anyone in your home have a preexisting medical condition that makes them at risk for COVID-19 complications? (Ver Y: This includes chronic lung disease, moderate to severe asthma, serious heart conditions, being immunocompromised, including cancer treatment, smoking, bone marrow or organ transplantation, immune deficiencies, poorly controlled HIV or AIDS, and prolonged use of corticosteroids and other immune weakening medications, severe obesity, diabetes, chronic kidney disease undergoing dialysis, and/or liver disease.)



Yes

No

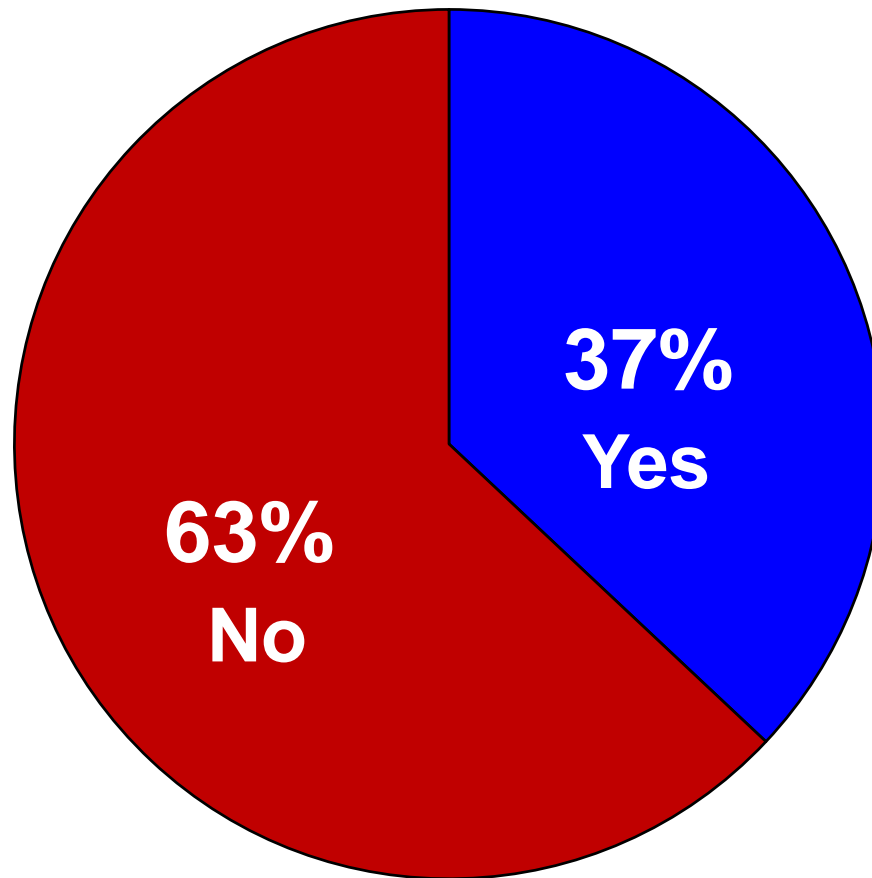
Q20Q21 – Household has seniors or persons with pre-existing conditions



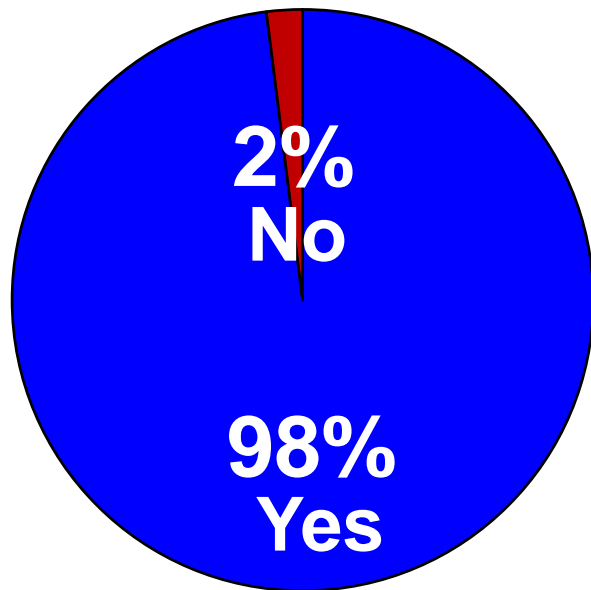
Yes

No

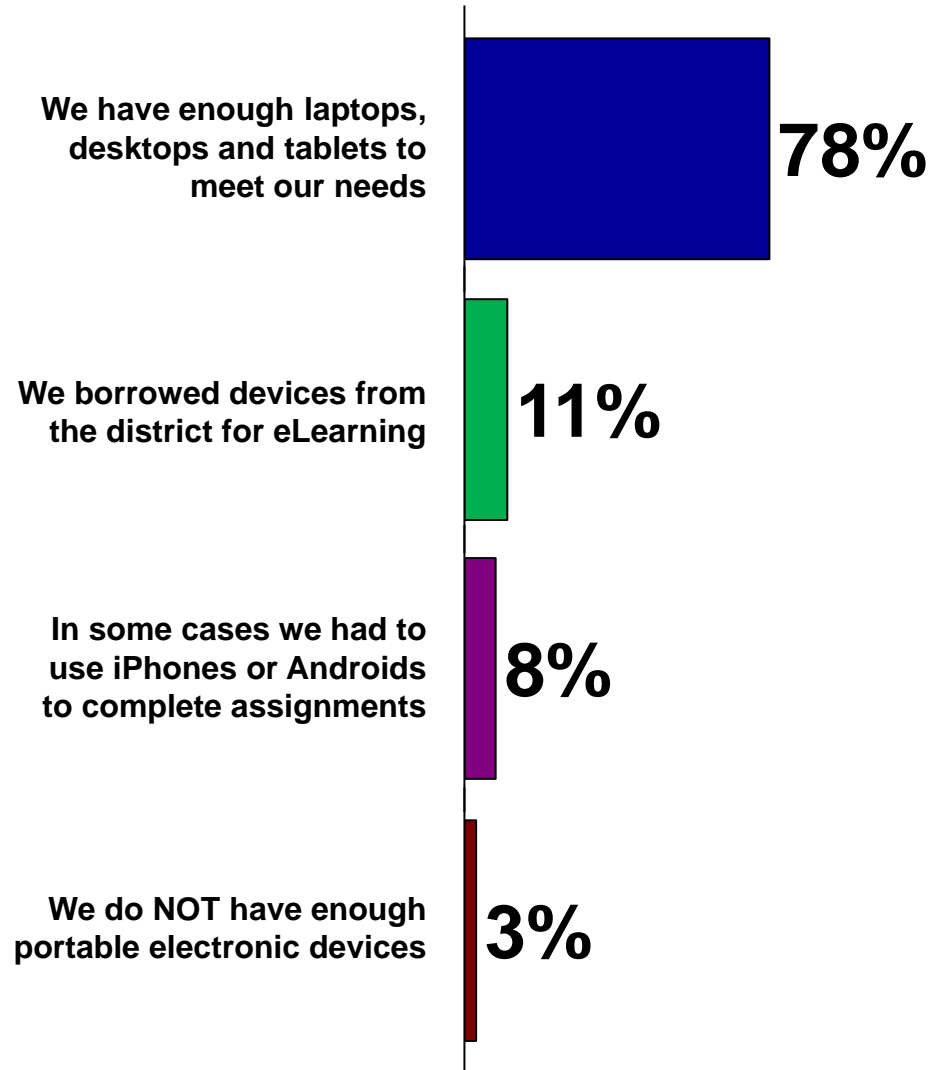
Q22. Prior to COVID-19 did your household have a stay-at-home parent or other adult caretaker such as a grandparent?



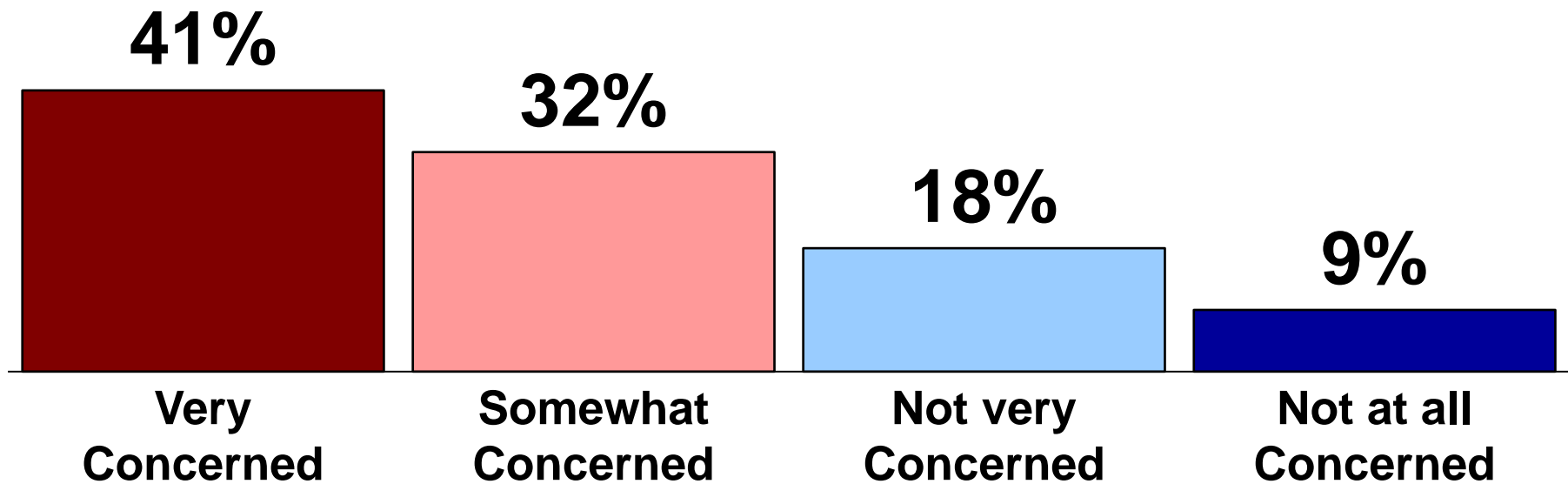
Q5. Do you have reliable, high-speed internet access at your home?



Q6. Which best describes your household and virtual learning?

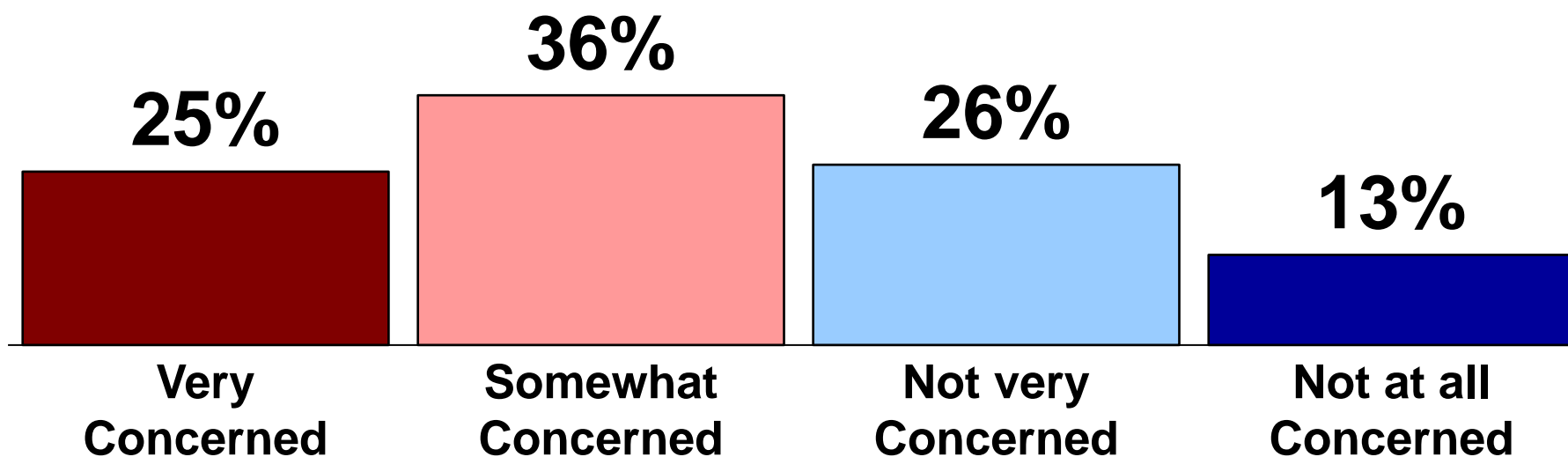


Q7. How concerned are you about your personal health and the health of those in your household being impacted by COVID-19?

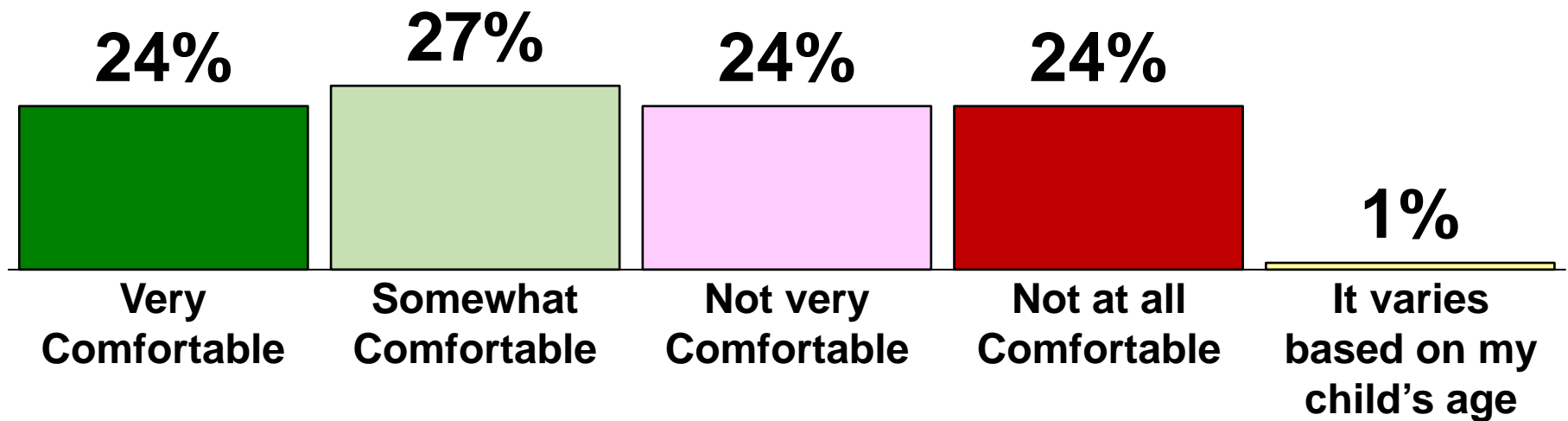


Q4. How concerned are you about (your child / any of your children) falling behind because of distance learning this spring, (**Ver X:** in a way that will impact the rest of their academic career / **Ver Y:** in a way that will impact their progress next year)?

	Very Concerned	Somewhat Concerned	Not very Concerned	Not at all Concerned
Ver X	26%	36%	26%	13%
Ver Y	25%	36%	26%	13%



Q8. As things stand today, how comfortable are you with sending your (child / children) back to school?

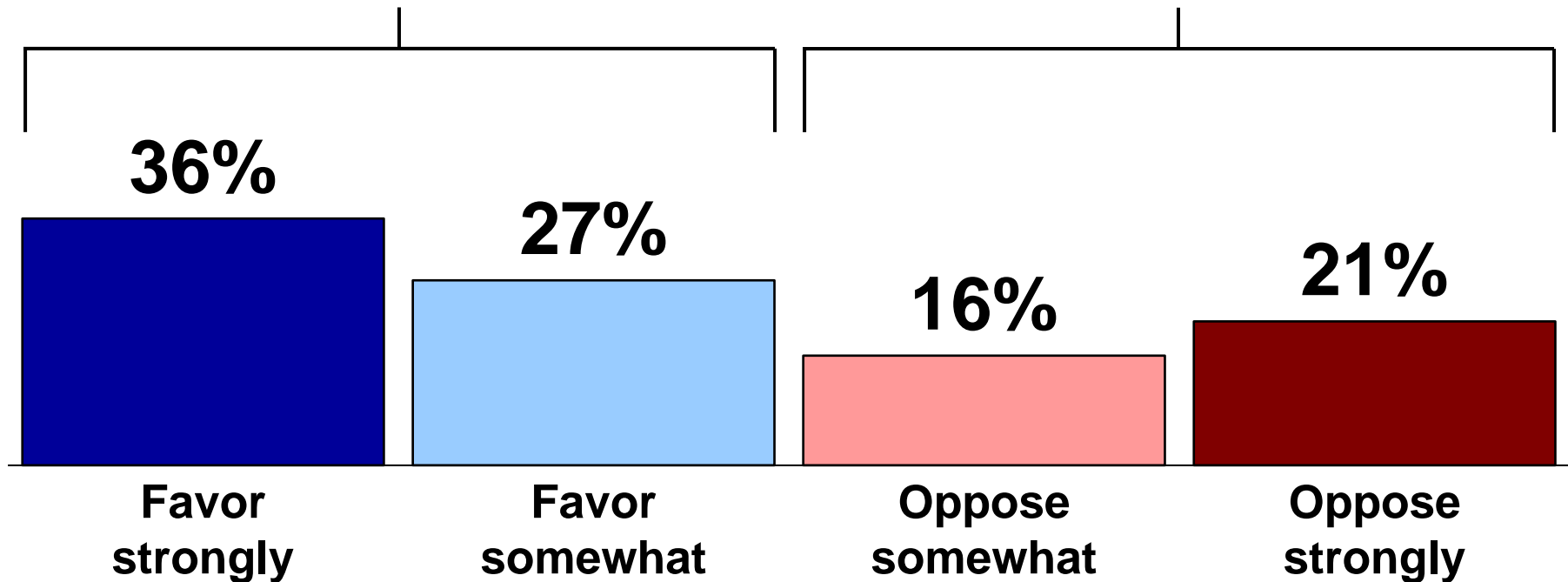


Q10. Do you favor or oppose starting school as normal with additional safety and health measures in place such as enhanced cleaning, holding lunch in classrooms, and reduced transition activities? This would only be an option (**Ver X**: if the state allowed it / **Ver Y**: if the state determined it was safe enough to give districts the option).

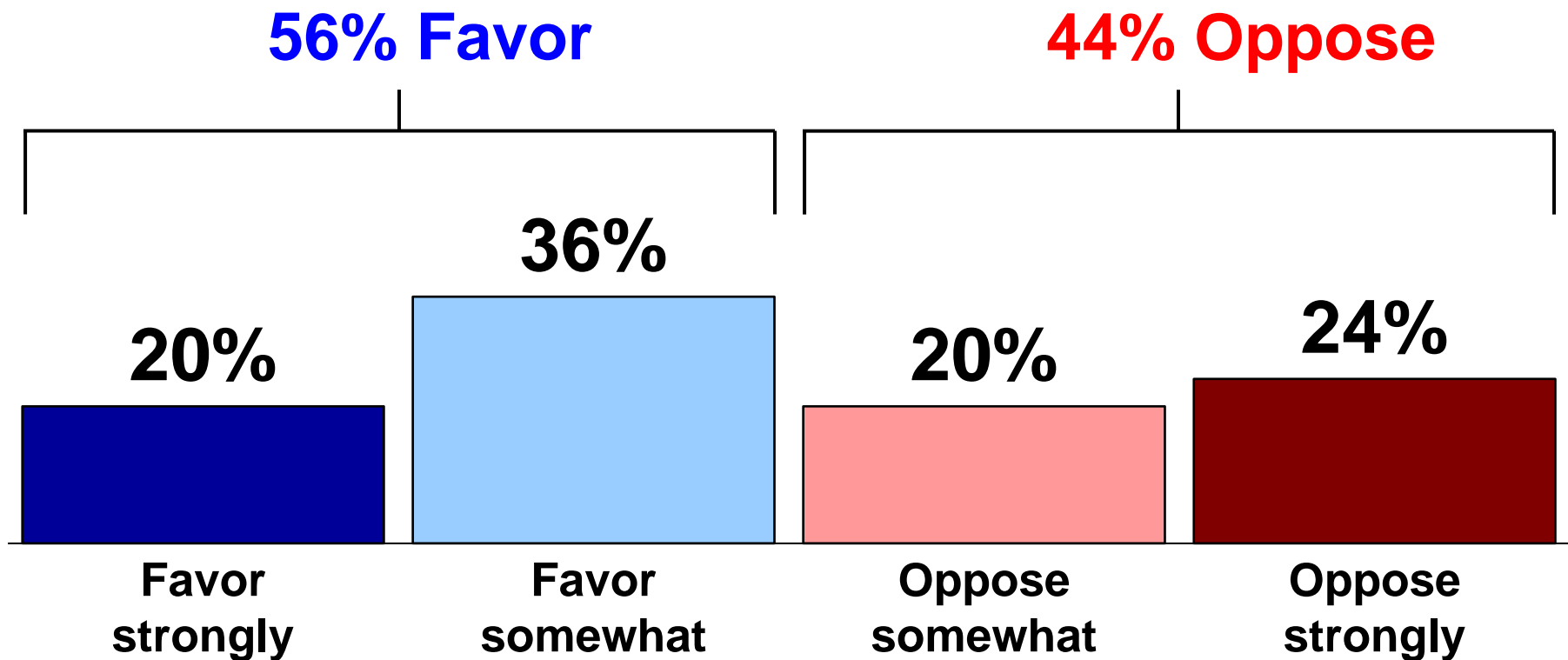
	Favor strongly	Favor somewhat	Oppose somewhat	Oppose strongly
Ver X	36%	27%	16%	21%
Ver Y	36%	28%	16%	21%

63% Favor

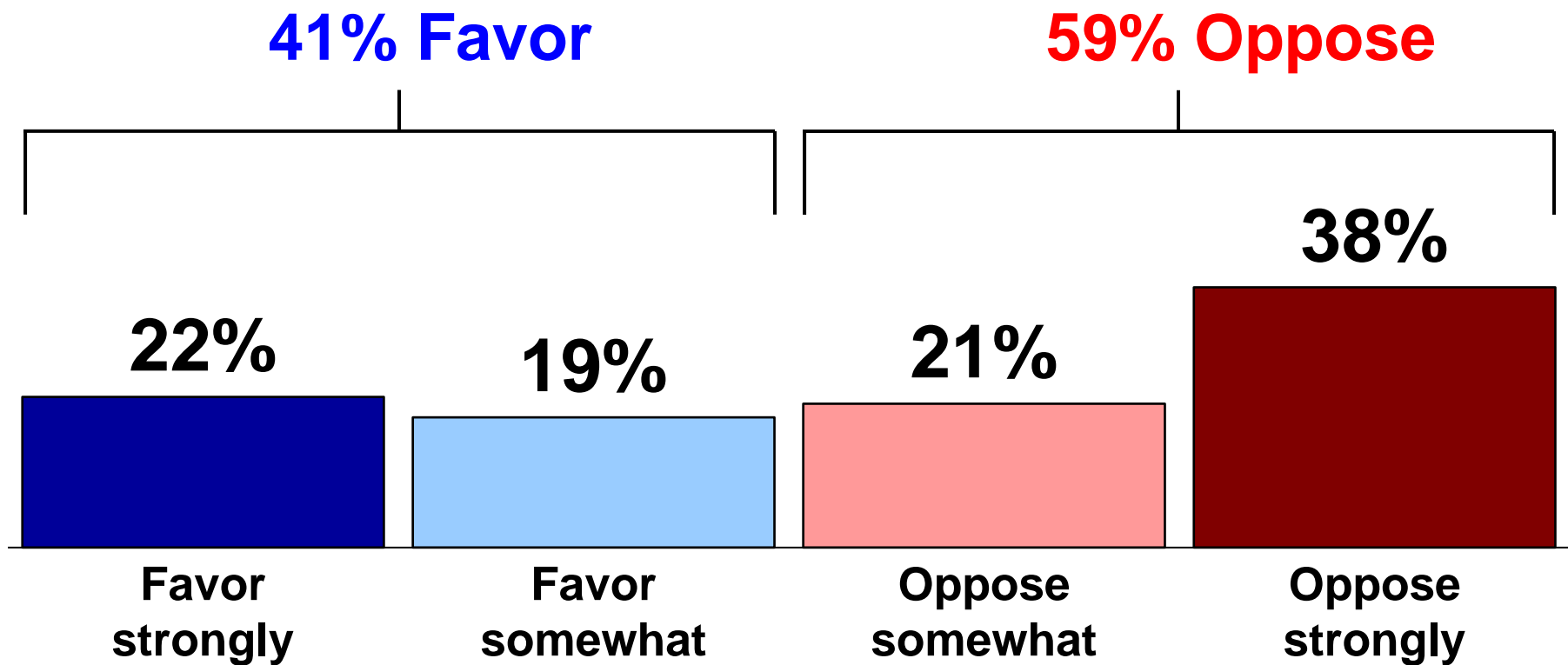
37% Oppose



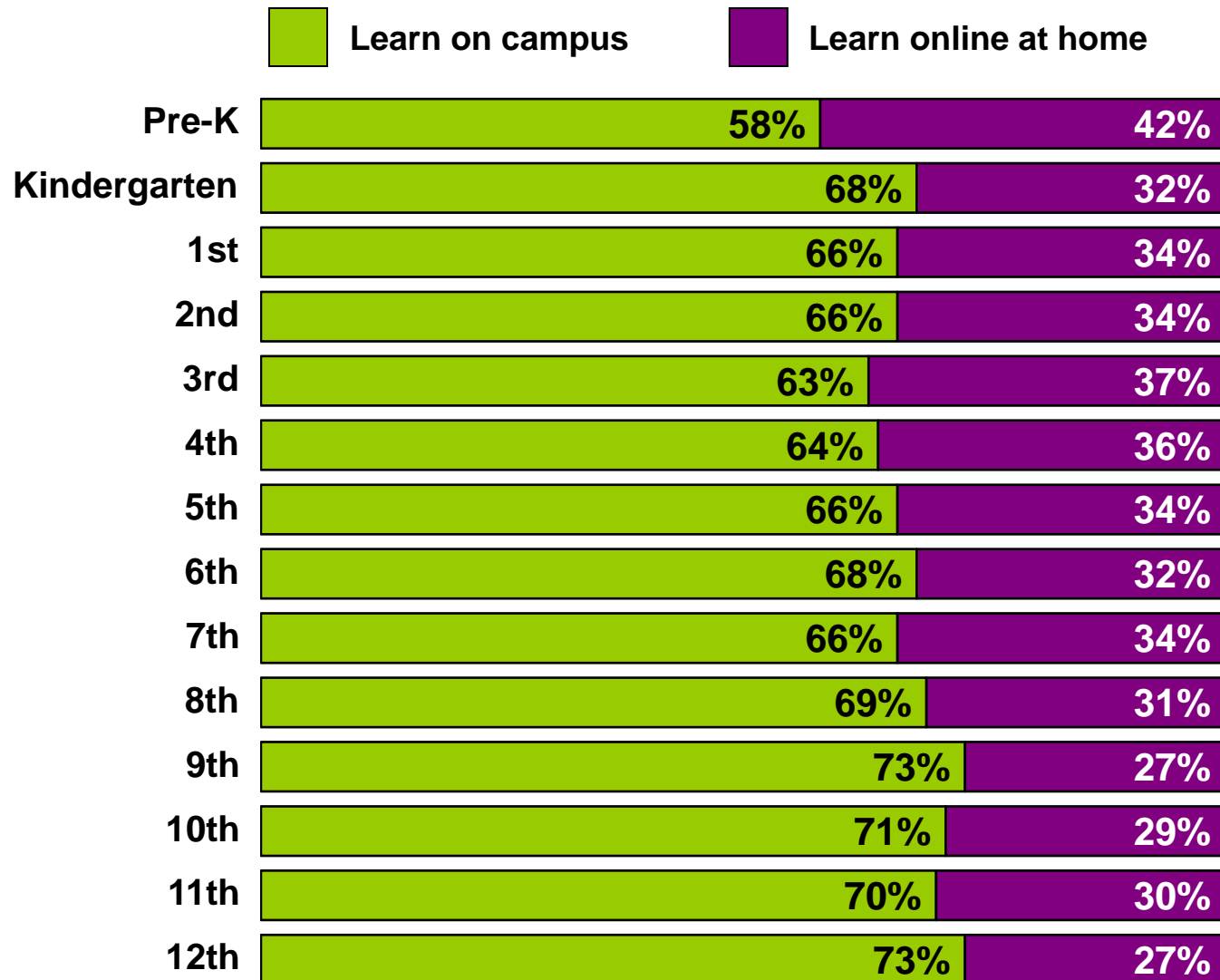
Q11. Do you favor or oppose starting school in a “socially distant” instructional environment where students alternate full days learning face-to-face on campus with full days learning online at home. Alternating days breaks the student body into two groups to allow for appropriate social distancing in classrooms and on campus.



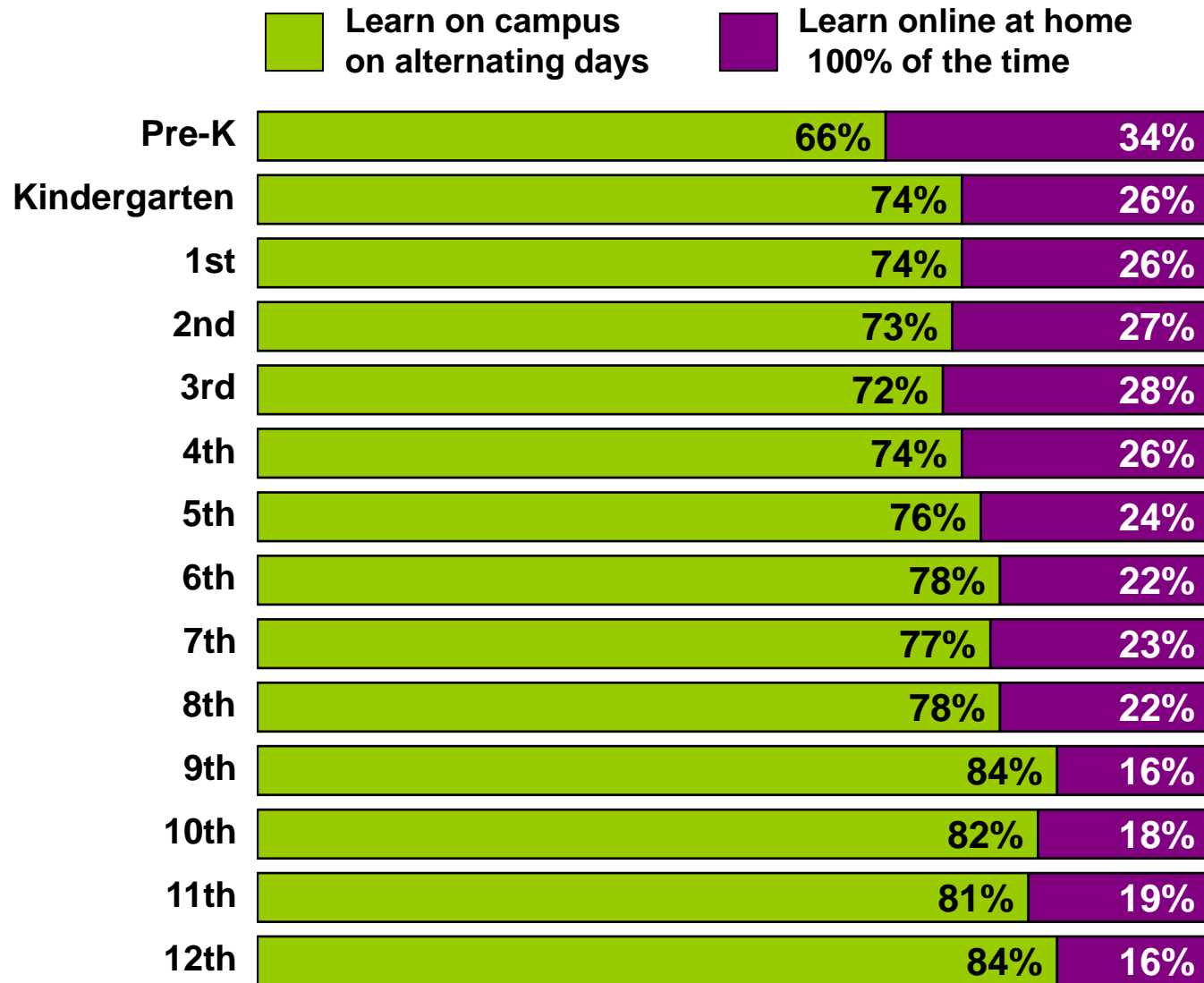
Q12. Do favor or oppose starting school in a “totally online” instructional environment?



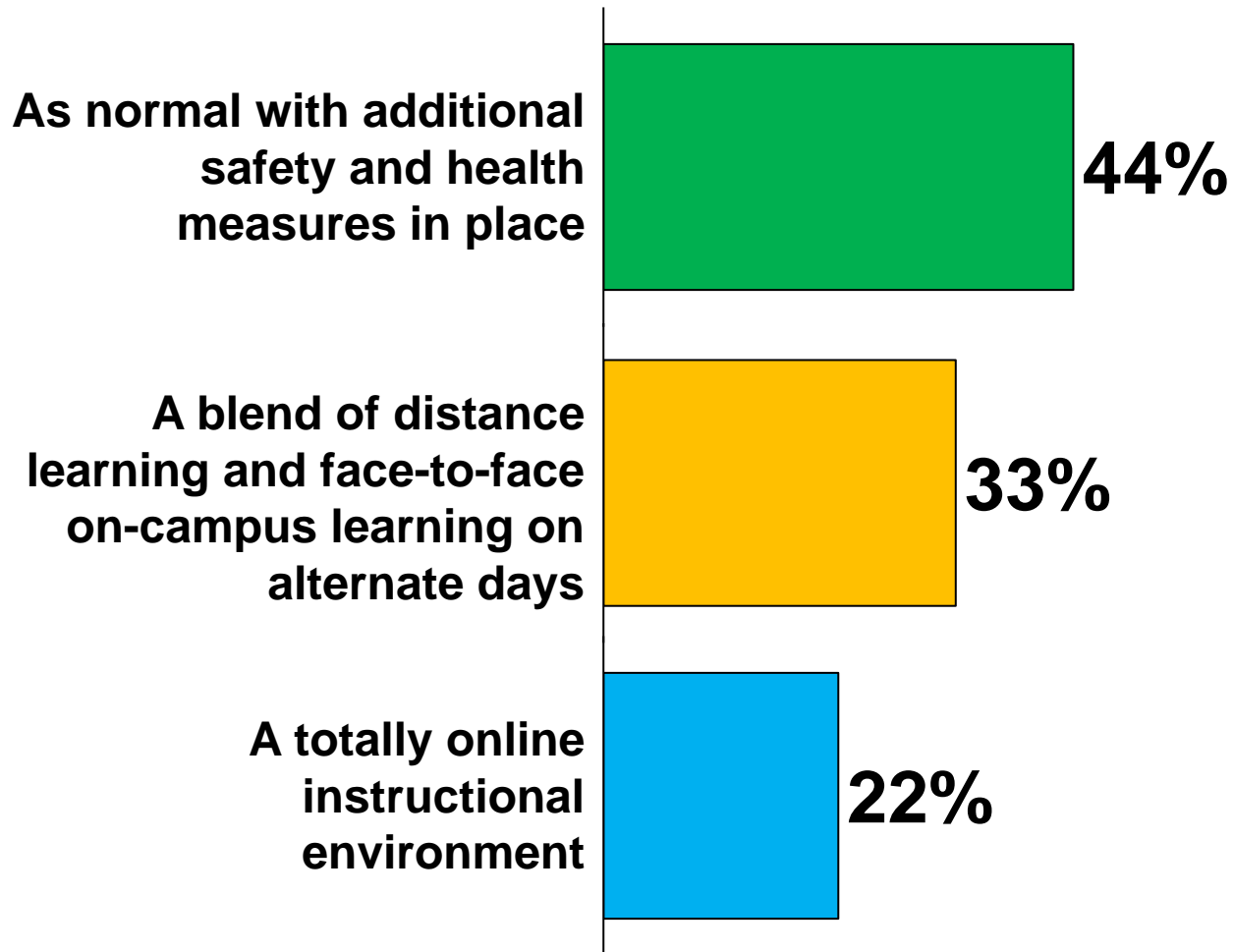
Q13. If school was open as normal, parents may have the option to let their child learn from home 100% of the time, using district-provided curriculum. Under this scenario what would you prefer for each of your children for the upcoming school year?



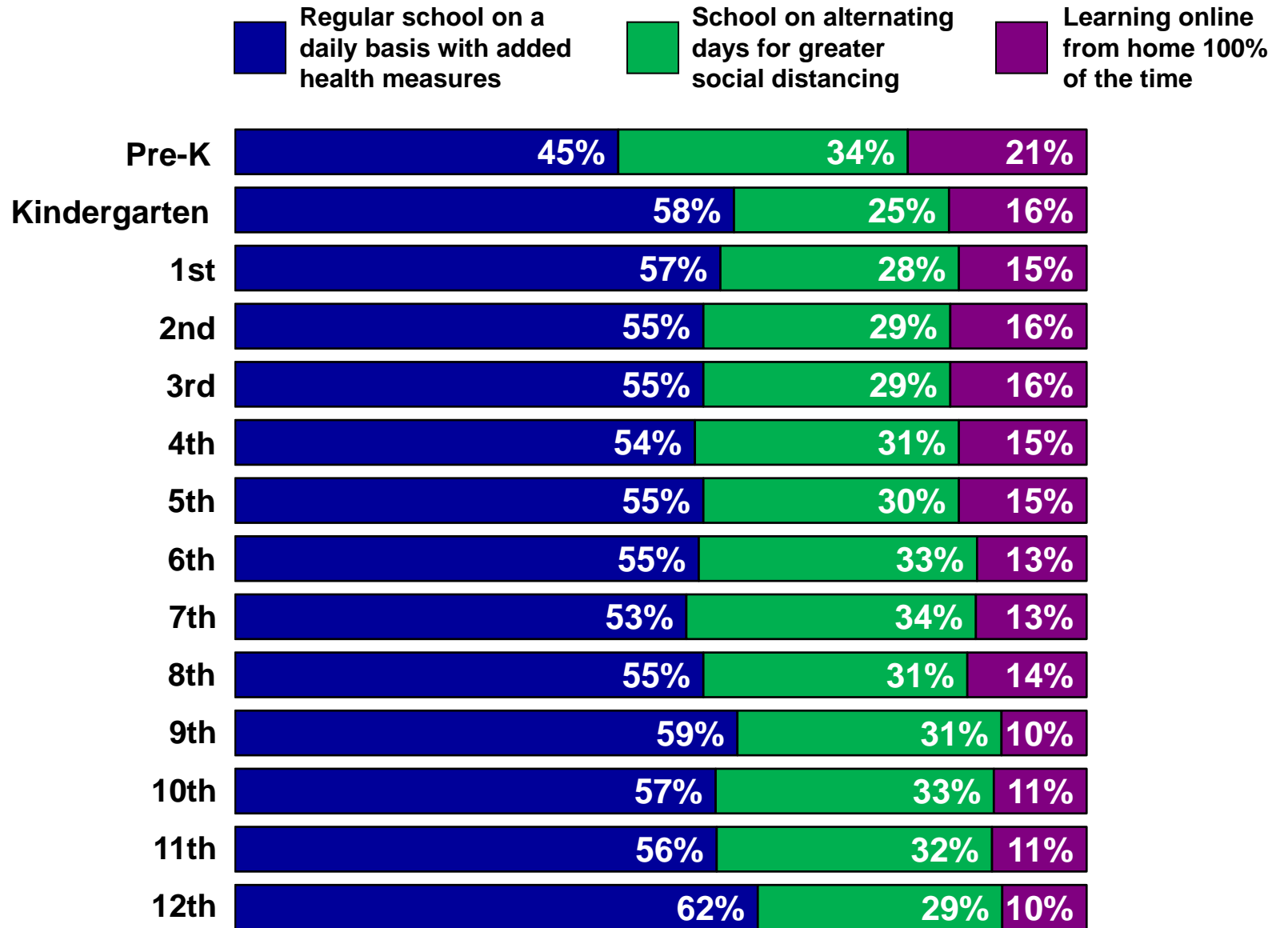
Q14. If the district used a blend of online learning and on-campus learning on alternating days to allow for appropriate social distancing, parents may have the option to let their child learn from home 100% of the time, using district-provided curriculum. Under this scenario what would you prefer for each of your children for the upcoming school year?



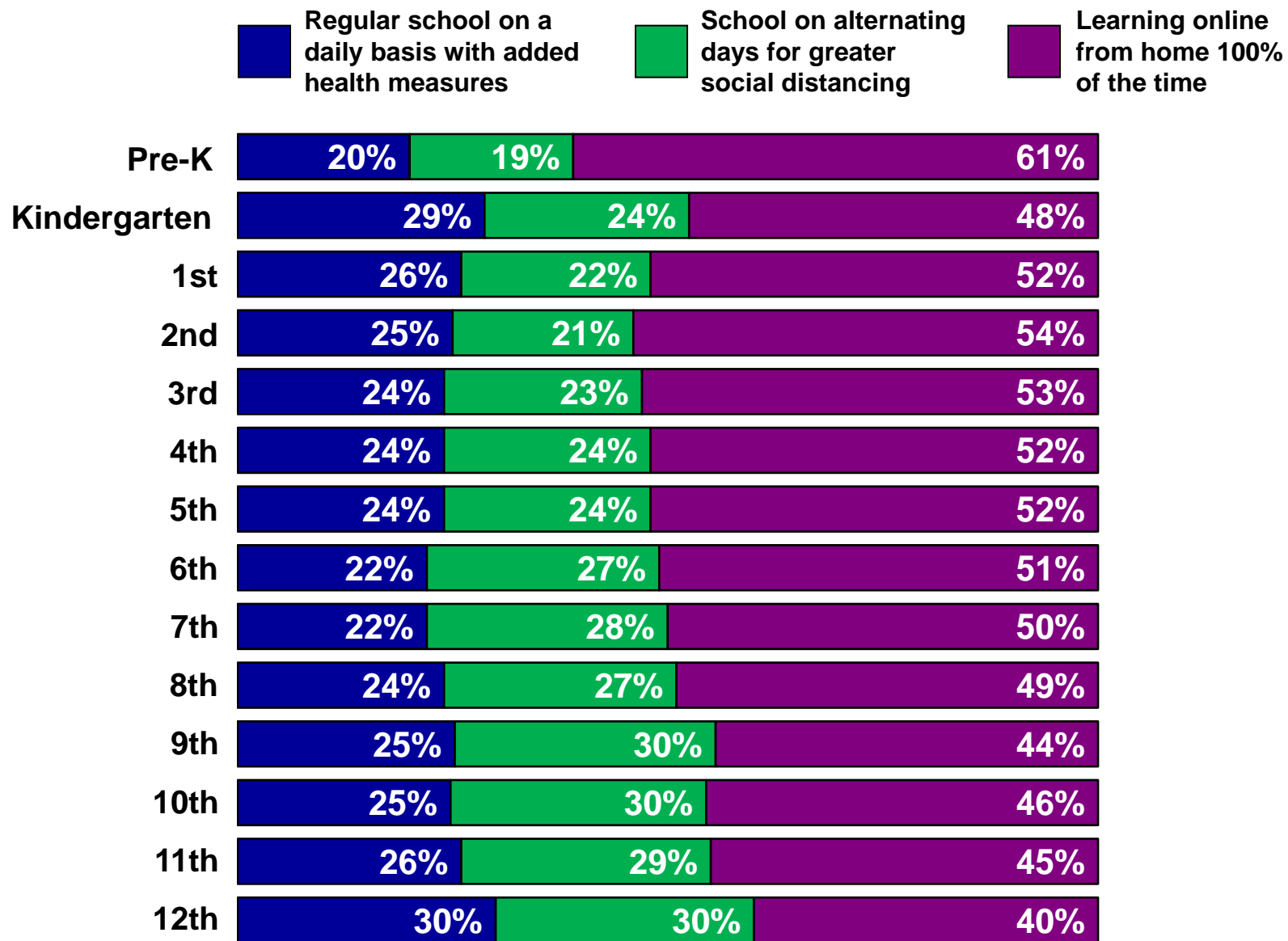
Q15. Which option do you most prefer for starting school again this fall?



Q16. (Ver X: First, / Ver Y: And,) if (Ver A: cases were on a downward trend in our community / Ver B: medical advancements led to improved treatment for COVID-19) what would you choose for each of your children?



Q17. (Ver X: And, / Ver Y: First,) if cases were (Ver A: slightly / Ver B: significantly) increasing in our community what would you choose for each of your children?



CONCLUSIONS



1

41% of parents were very concerned about the health effects of COVID-19. An additional 32% were somewhat concerned. Only 18% were not very concerned and 9% were not at all concerned.



2

Comfort levels with sending children back to school varied widely. Approximately one-fourth of parents indicated each of the four comfort levels queried (very, somewhat, not very, and not at all comfortable). Parents who (a) did not have high-risk COVID-19 household members, (b) were more concerned with children falling behind academically and (c) had difficult technology situations at home were more likely to feel comfortable sending children back to school.



3

63% of parents were in favor of starting school as normal with additional safety and health measures in place. However, there were strong opinions on both sides of the issue – 36% were strongly in favor and 21% were strongly opposed. A majority of parents (56%) favor starting school in a “socially distant” instructional environment, whereas only 41% favor starting school in a “totally online” instructional environment. When choosing just one of the three options, a plurality (44%) of parents favored starting school as normal, whereas 22% favored a “totally online” environment and 33% favored a blended approach.

CONCLUSIONS

The following are based on averages of the 14 grade-specific questions.



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If school was open as normal, two-thirds of parents would prefer their children learn on campus, whereas one-third would prefer online studies. If there was a blended approach, more than three-quarters (77%) of parents would prefer their children learn on campus on alternating days, whereas 23% would prefer online studies only.



5

In a hypothetical situation where there was a downward trend in COVID-19 cases or improved medical treatment, a majority (55%) of parents would prefer regular school on a daily basis, whereas 31% would prefer a socially distant environment and 14% would prefer online studies only.



6

In a hypothetical situation where there was an upward trend in COVID-19 cases, half of parents would prefer online studies only, whereas 26% would prefer a socially distant environment and 25% would prefer regular school on a daily basis.