



# Southview

Teacher Survey  
Spring 2023



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# Summary

Topic Description	Results	Comparison
<b>Additional questions</b>	<b>60%</b> ▲ 15 since last survey	<b>35%</b> SSD of St. Louis (MO) <b>53%</b> Special School District
<b>Communicating results</b>	<b>39%</b> ▼ 2 since last survey	<b>68%</b> SSD of St. Louis (MO) <b>71%</b> Special School District
<b>Communications</b>	<b>56%</b> ▲ 23 since last survey	<b>65%</b> SSD of St. Louis (MO) <b>61%</b> Special School District
<b>Deia</b>	<b>61%</b> ▲ 11 since last survey	<b>62%</b> SSD of St. Louis (MO) <b>58%</b> Special School District
<b>Feedback and Coaching</b> Perceptions of the amount and quality of feedback faculty and staff receive.	<b>17%</b> ▲ 6 since last survey	<b>33%</b> SSD of St. Louis (MO) <b>34%</b> Special School District
<b>Mission and vision</b>	<b>73%</b> ▲ 10 since last survey	<b>69%</b> SSD of St. Louis (MO) <b>70%</b> Special School District
<b>Overall engagement</b>	<b>65%</b> ▲ 4 since last survey	<b>68%</b> SSD of St. Louis (MO) <b>69%</b> Special School District



### Professional Learning

28%

▲ 6

since last survey

40%

SSD of St. Louis (MO)

45%

Special School District

### School Climate

Perceptions of the overall social and learning climate of the school.

33%

▲ 16

since last survey

41%

SSD of St. Louis (MO)

39%

Special School District

### School Leadership

Perceptions of the school leadership's effectiveness.

21%

▲ 10

since last survey

43%

SSD of St. Louis (MO)

44%

Special School District

### Staff-Leadership Relationships

Perceptions of faculty and staff relationships with school leaders.

44%

▲ 16

since last survey

57%

SSD of St. Louis (MO)

59%

Special School District

### Well-being

Faculty and staff perceptions of their own professional well-being.

50%

▲ 3

since last survey

54%

SSD of St. Louis (MO)

57%

Special School District

### Work environment

89%

▲ 11

since last survey

72%

SSD of St. Louis (MO)

78%

Special School District

15 responses



# Additional questions

Your average

**60%**

15 responses

Change

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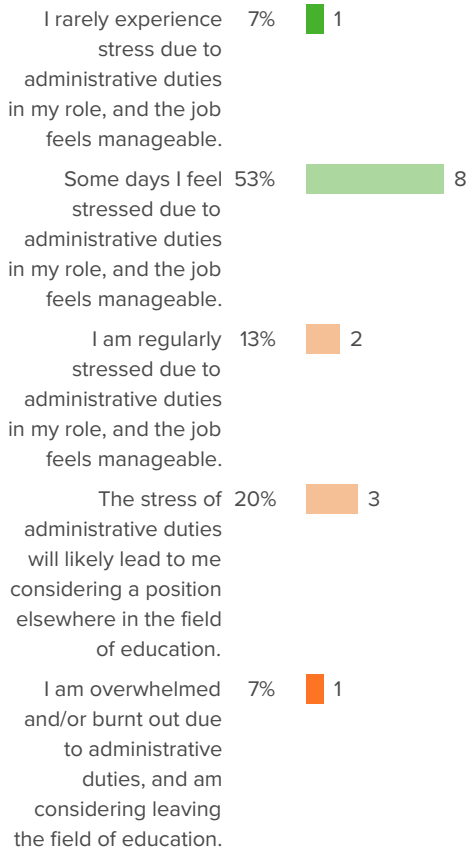
since last survey

Client average: **35%** SSD of St. Louis (MO)

District average: **53%** Special School District

## How did people respond?

### Q.1: To what extent do administrative duties (e.g. data entry, email, filling out forms, etc.) impact your personal level of stress?



▲ 15 from last survey

Favorable: **60%**



# Communicating results

Your average

**39%**

15 responses

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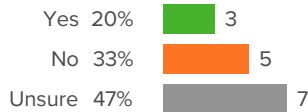
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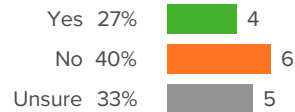
**Q.1: The SSD Employee Engagement Survey was last administered in February/March 2022. Were the results shared with you?**



▼ **26** from last survey

Favorable: **38%**

**Q.2: Has your immediate SSD supervisor made changes to improve employee engagement since the last survey?**



▲ **22** from last survey

Favorable: **40%**



# Communications

Your average

**56%**

15 responses

Change

**▲ 23**

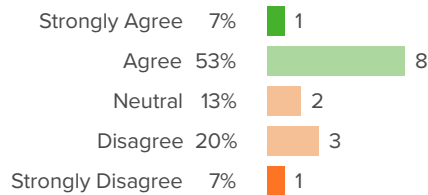
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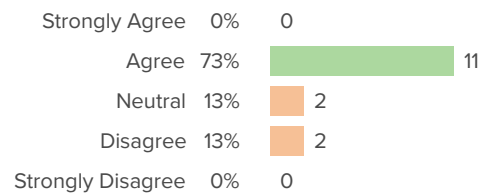
### Q.1: My direct supervisor provides me with constructive feedback.



▲ 15 from last survey

Favorable: **60%**

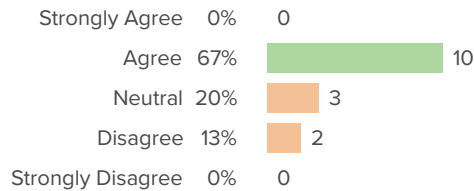
### Q.2: I receive adequate and timely information about district news and initiatives.



▲ 20 from last survey

Favorable: **73%**

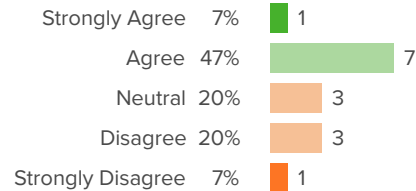
### Q.3: I am aware of where and how I can direct a question or concern.



▲ 32 from last survey

Favorable: **67%**

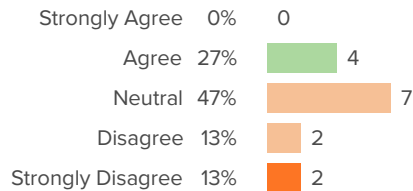
### Q.4: The actions of my immediate SSD supervisor are consistent with his or her words.



▲ 13 from last survey

Favorable: **53%**

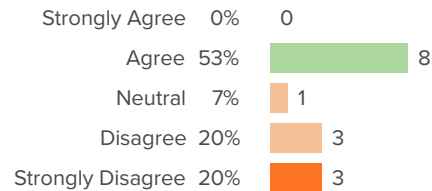
### Q.5: SSD leaders clearly explain the reasons behind decisions on key issues.



▲ 17 from last survey

Favorable: **27%**

### Q.6: SSD leaders encourage employees to share ideas to improve performance.



▲ 38 from last survey

Favorable: **53%**



# Deia

Your average

**61%**

15 responses

Change

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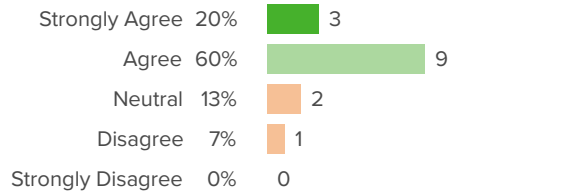
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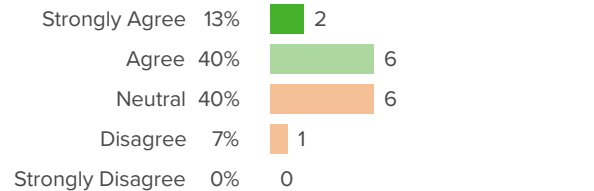
### Q.1: SSD staff values and embraces diversity, equity, inclusion, and accessibility.



▲ 5 from last survey

Favorable: **80%**

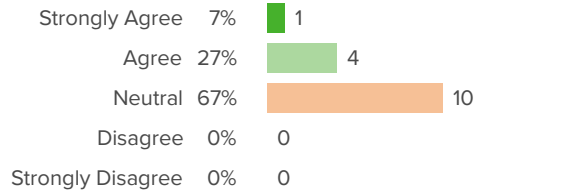
### Q.2: SSD provides an environment for the free and open expression of ideas, opinions, and beliefs.



▲ 21 from last survey

Favorable: **53%**

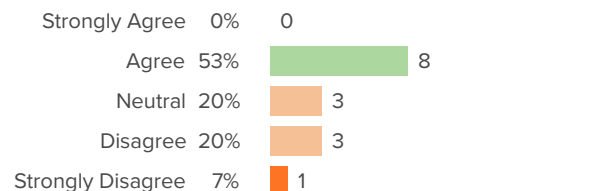
### Q.3: SSD Administration communicates effectively with others from diverse backgrounds.



▲ 3 from last survey

Favorable: **33%**

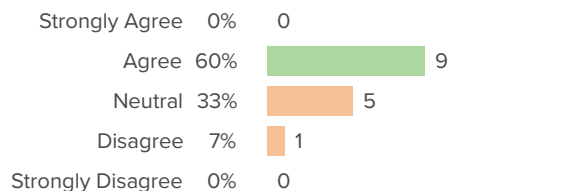
### Q.4: SSD's equity professional development is valuable, and I have used what I have learned in my work.



▲ 13 from last survey

Favorable: **53%**

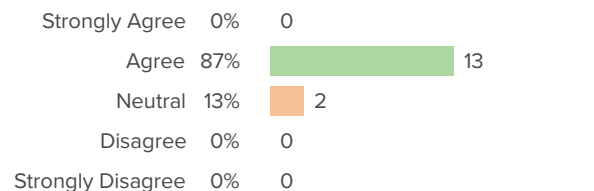
### Q.5: I feel my background and identity are valued at SSD.



▲ 0 from last survey

Favorable: **60%**

### Q.6: People from all backgrounds and with a range of identities have equitable opportunities to advance their careers at SSD.



▲ 22 from last survey

Favorable: **87%**



# Feedback and Coaching

Your average

**17%**

15 responses

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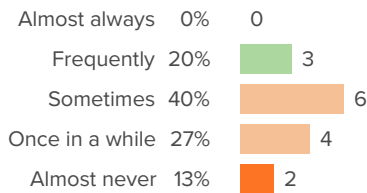
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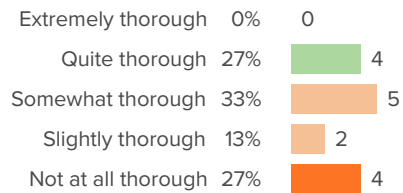
### Q.1: How often do you receive feedback on your teaching?



▲ 5 from last survey

Favorable: **20%**

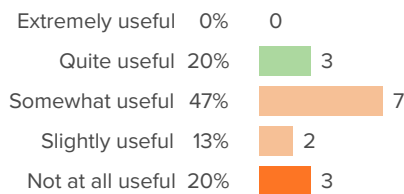
### Q.2: At your school, how thorough is the feedback you receive in covering all aspects of your role as a teacher?



▲ 7 from last survey

Favorable: **27%**

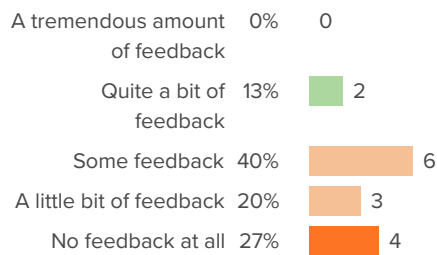
### Q.3: How useful do you find the feedback you receive on your teaching?



▲ 5 from last survey

Favorable: **20%**

### Q.4: How much feedback do you receive on your teaching?



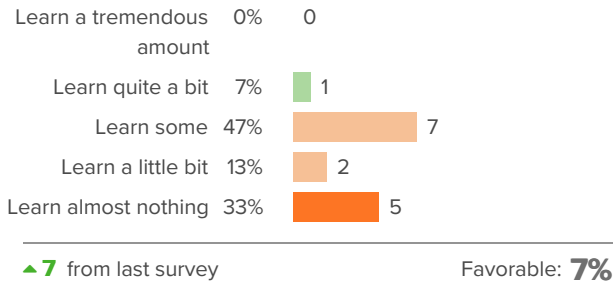
▲ 8 from last survey

Favorable: **13%**





**Q.5: How much do you learn from the teacher evaluation processes at your school?**





# Mission and vision

Your average

**73%**

15 responses

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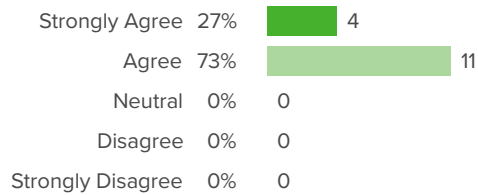
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Client average: **69%** SSD of St. Louis (MO)

District average: **70%** Special School District

## How did people respond?

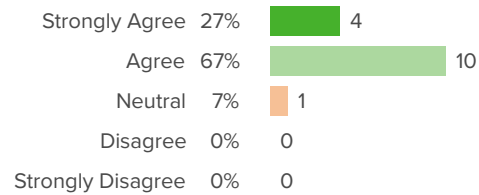
### Q.1: I am familiar with and support the mission and vision of SSD.



▲ 5 from last survey

Favorable: **100%**

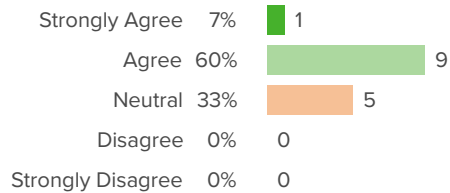
### Q.2: The district's mission and vision are clearly defined.



▼ 2 from last survey

Favorable: **93%**

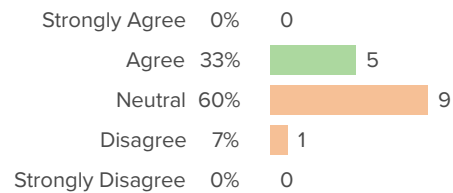
### Q.3: The district is moving in a direction that reflects our mission and vision.



▲ 25 from last survey

Favorable: **67%**

### Q.4: I can provide input on how the district accomplishes its mission.



▲ 12 from last survey

Favorable: **33%**



# Overall engagement

Your average

**65%**

15 responses

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**▲ 4**

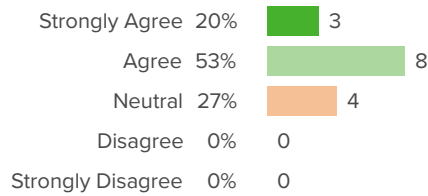
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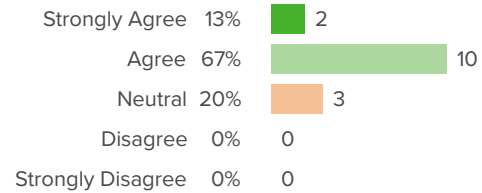
### Q.1: I am proud to work for SSD.



▼ 2 from last survey

Favorable: **73%**

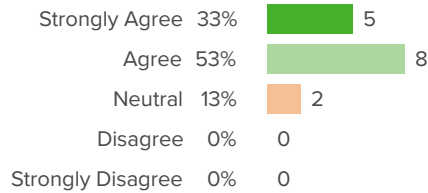
### Q.2: Employment with SSD gives me a feeling of accomplishment.



▲ 10 from last survey

Favorable: **80%**

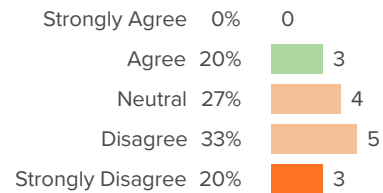
### Q.3: I am engaged in my work.



▼ 8 from last survey

Favorable: **87%**

### Q.4: I am included in decisions that affect my work.



▲ 15 from last survey

Favorable: **20%**



# Professional Learning

Your average

**28%**

15 responses

Change

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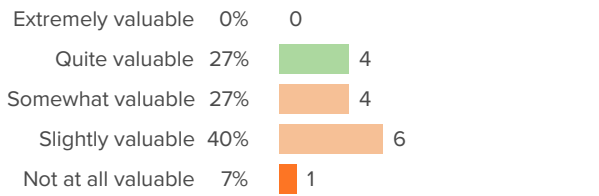
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Client average: **40%** SSD of St. Louis (MO)

District average: **45%** Special School District

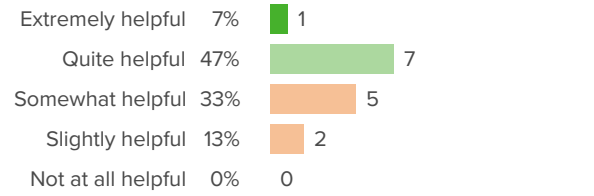
## How did people respond?

### Q.1: At your school, how valuable are the available professional development opportunities?



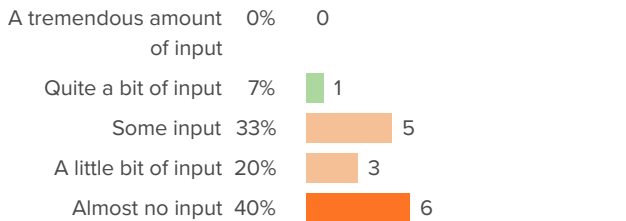
▲ **17** from last survey Favorable: **27%**

### Q.2: How helpful are your colleagues' ideas for improving your teaching?



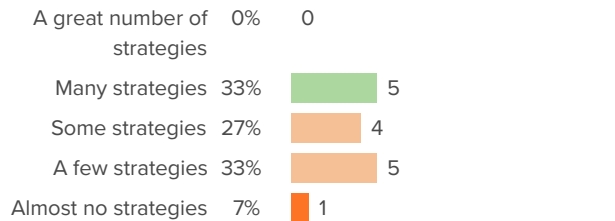
▲ **0** from last survey Favorable: **53%**

### Q.3: How much input do you have into individualizing your own professional development opportunities?



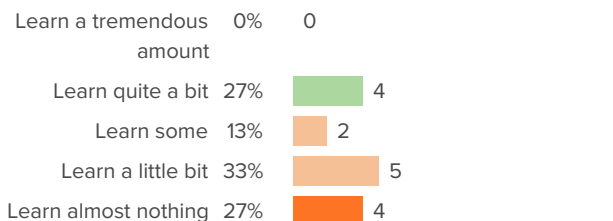
▼ **13** from last survey Favorable: **7%**

### Q.4: Through working at your school, how many new teaching strategies have you learned?



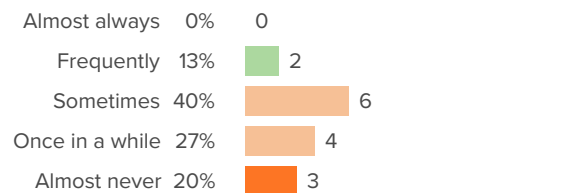
▼ **17** from last survey Favorable: **33%**

### Q.5: Overall, how much do you learn about teaching from the leaders at your school?



▲ **17** from last survey Favorable: **27%**

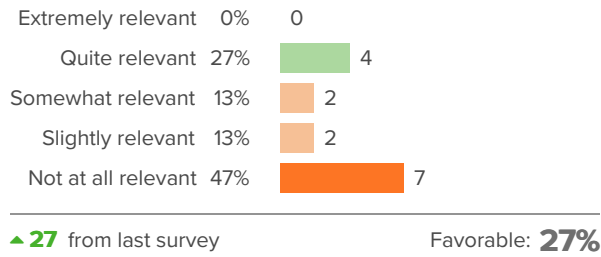
### Q.6: How often do your professional development opportunities help you explore new ideas?



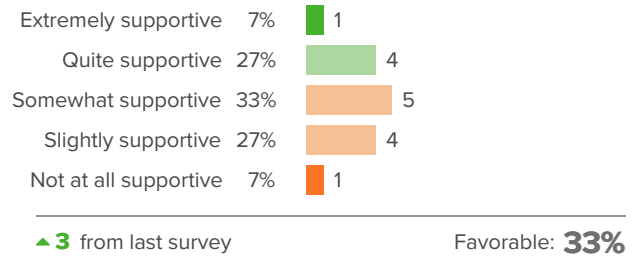
▲ **8** from last survey Favorable: **13%**



**Q.7: How relevant have your professional development opportunities been to the content that you teach?**



**Q.8: Overall, how supportive has the school been of your growth as a teacher?**





# School Climate

Your average

**33%**

15 responses

Change

**▲ 16**

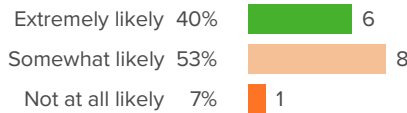
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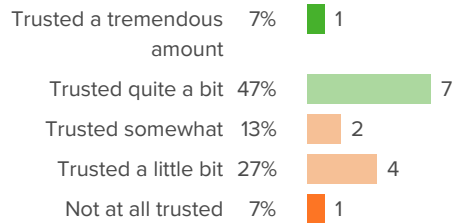
### Q.1: How likely is it that you would recommend working for SSD to a family member or friend?



▲ 20 from last survey

Favorable: **40%**

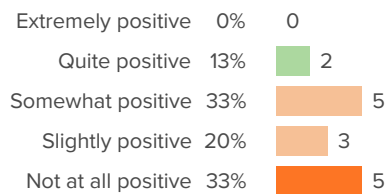
### Q.2: To what extent are staff trusted to work in the way they think is best?



▲ 28 from last survey

Favorable: **53%**

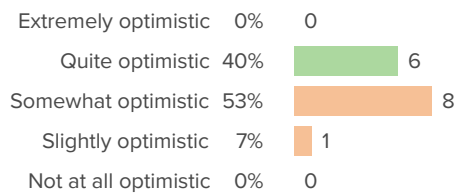
### Q.3: How positive are the attitudes of your colleagues?



▲ 3 from last survey

Favorable: **13%**

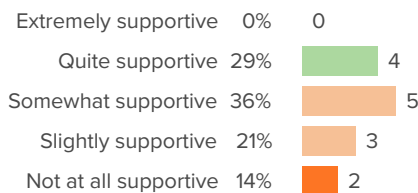
### Q.4: How optimistic are you the future of Special School District?



▲ 20 from last survey

Favorable: **40%**

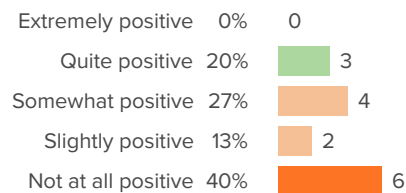
### Q.5: When new initiatives are presented at your school, how supportive are your colleagues?



▲ 14 from last survey

Favorable: **29%**

### Q.6: Overall, how positive is the working environment at your school/location?



▲ 10 from last survey

Favorable: **20%**



# School Leadership

Your average

**21%**

15 responses

Change

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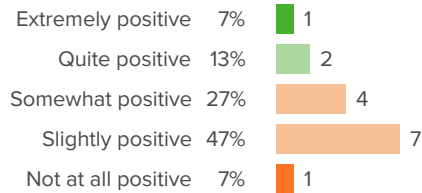
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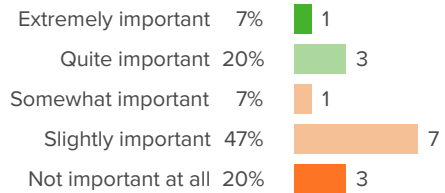
### Q.1: How positive is the tone that school leaders set for the culture of the school?



▲ 5 from last survey

Favorable: **20%**

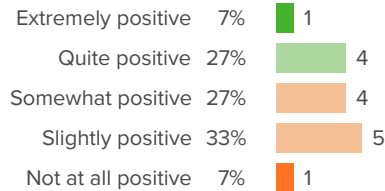
### Q.2: For your school leaders, how important is teacher satisfaction?



▲ 16 from last survey

Favorable: **27%**

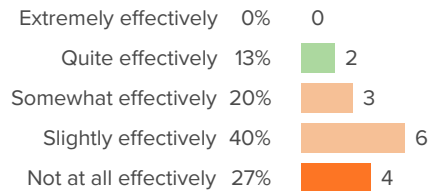
### Q.3: Overall, how positive is the influence of the school leaders on the quality of your teaching?



▲ 18 from last survey

Favorable: **33%**

### Q.4: How effectively do school leaders communicate important information to teachers?

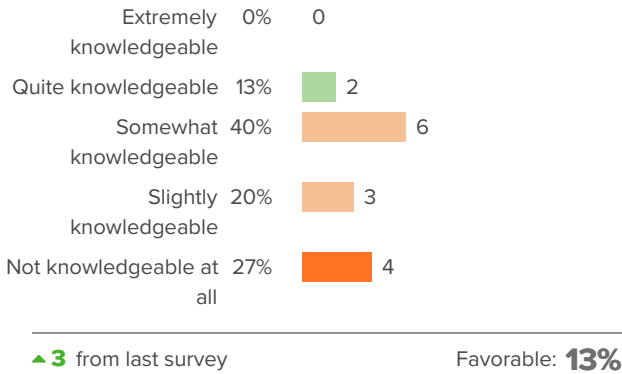


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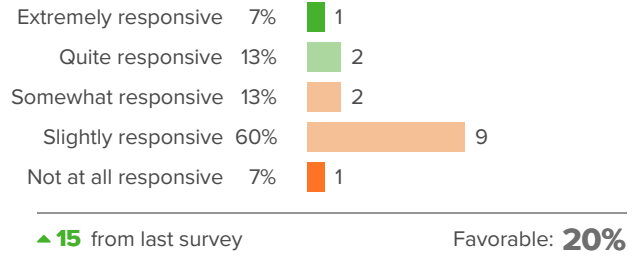
Favorable: **13%**



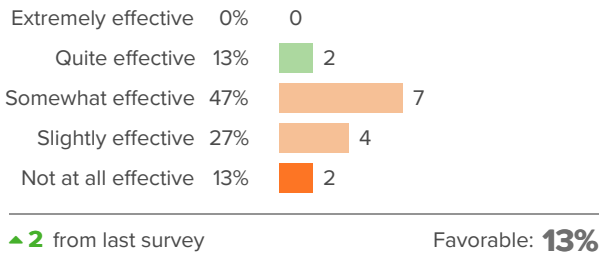
**Q.5: How knowledgeable are your school leaders about what is going on in teachers' classrooms?**



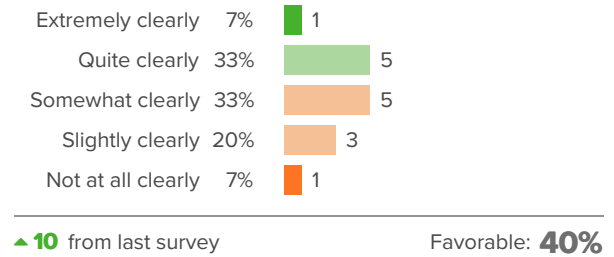
**Q.6: How responsive are school leaders to your feedback?**



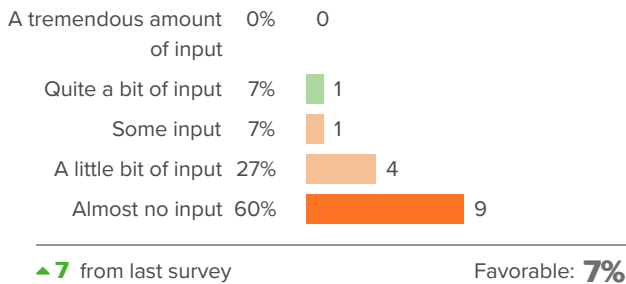
**Q.7: How effective are the school leaders at developing rules for students that facilitate their learning?**



**Q.8: How clearly do your school leaders identify their goals for teachers?**



**Q.9: When the school makes important decisions, how much input do teachers have?**







# Staff-Leadership Relationships

Your average

**44%**

15 responses

Change

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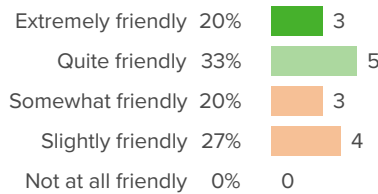
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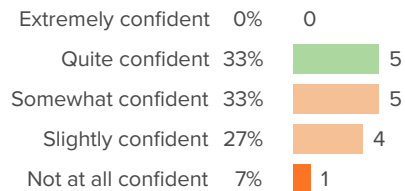
### Q.1: How friendly are your school leaders toward you?



▲ 3 from last survey

Favorable: **53%**

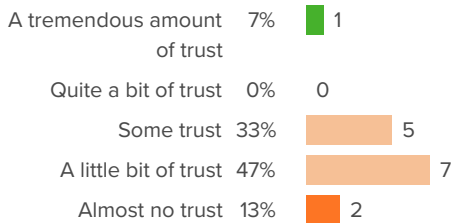
### Q.2: How confident are you that your school leaders have the best interests of the school in mind?



▲ 13 from last survey

Favorable: **33%**

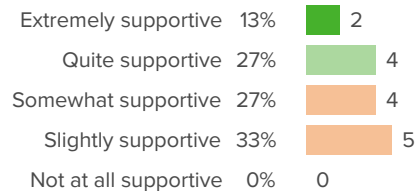
### Q.3: How much trust exists between school leaders and faculty?



▲ 7 from last survey

Favorable: **7%**

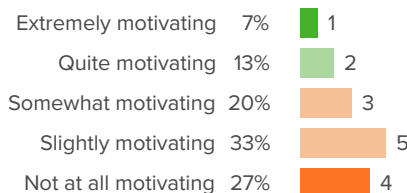
### Q.4: When you face challenges at work, how supportive are your school leaders?



▲ 20 from last survey

Favorable: **40%**

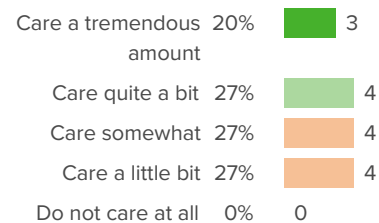
### Q.5: At your school, how motivating do you find working with the leadership team?



▲ 15 from last survey

Favorable: **20%**

### Q.6: How much do your school leaders care about you as an individual?

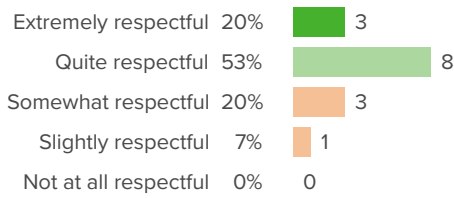


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Favorable: **47%**



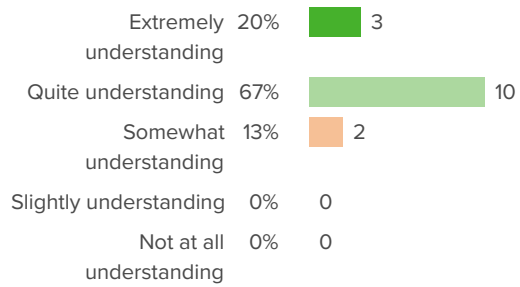
**Q.7: How respectful are your school leaders towards you?**



▲ 18 from last survey

Favorable: **73%**

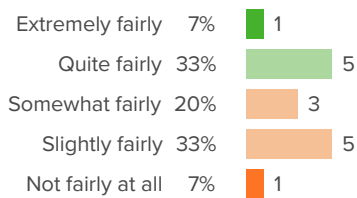
**Q.8: When challenges arise in your personal life, how understanding are your school leaders?**



▲ 27 from last survey

Favorable: **87%**

**Q.9: How fairly does the school leadership treat the faculty?**



▲ 24 from last survey

Favorable: **40%**



# Well-being

Your average

**50%**

15 responses

Change

**▲ 3**

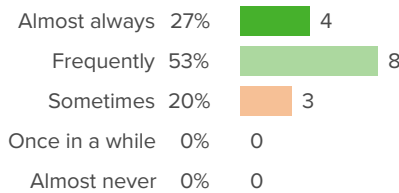
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Client average: **54%** SSD of St. Louis (MO)

District average: **57%** Special School District

## How did people respond?

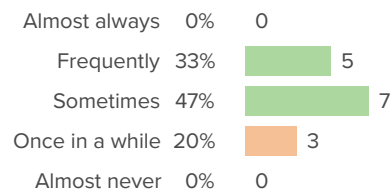
**Q.1: During the past week, how often did you feel engaged at work?**



▲ 0 from last survey

Favorable: **80%**

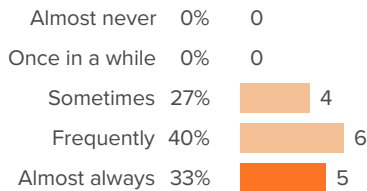
**Q.2: During the past week, how often did you feel excited at work?**



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Favorable: **80%**

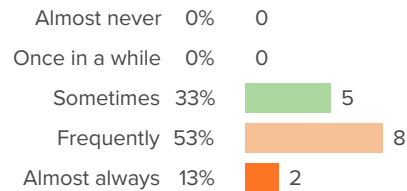
**Q.3: During the past week, how often did you feel exhausted at work?**



▼ 5 from last survey

Favorable: **0%**

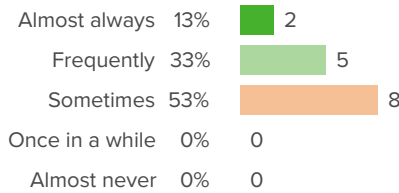
**Q.4: During the past week, how often did you feel frustrated at work?**



▼ 2 from last survey

Favorable: **33%**

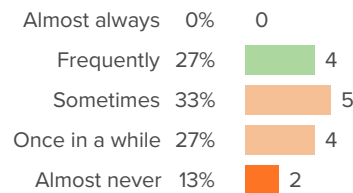
**Q.5: During the past week, how often did you feel happy at work?**



▲ 2 from last survey

Favorable: **47%**

**Q.6: During the past week, how often did you feel hopeful at work?**

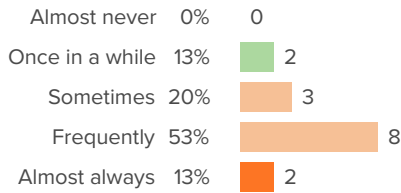


▲ 7 from last survey

Favorable: **27%**

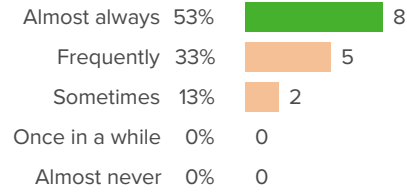


**Q.7: During the past week, how often did you feel overwhelmed at work?**



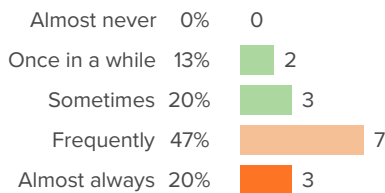
▲ 3 from last survey Favorable: 13%

**Q.8: During the past week, how often did you feel safe at work?**



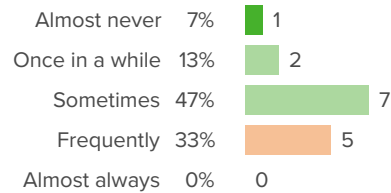
▲ 28 from last survey Favorable: 53%

**Q.9: During the past week, how often did you feel stressed out at work?**



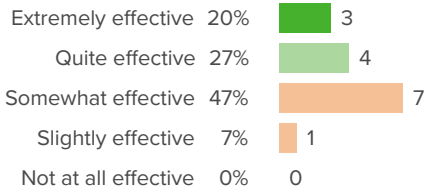
▲ 3 from last survey Favorable: 33%

**Q.10: During the past week, how often did you feel worried at work?**



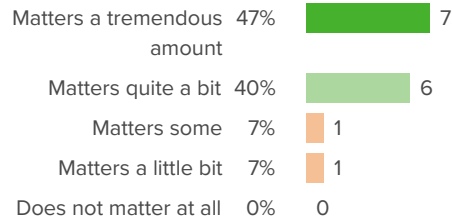
▲ 2 from last survey Favorable: 67%

**Q.11: How effective do you feel at your job right now?**



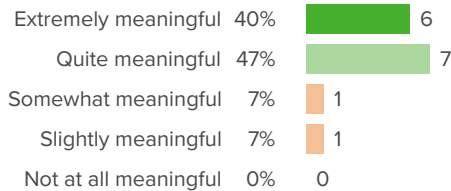
▲ 7 from last survey Favorable: 47%

**Q.12: How much does your work matter to you?**



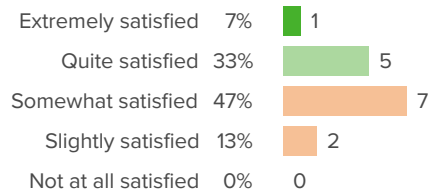
▼ 13 from last survey Favorable: 87%

**Q.13: How meaningful for you is the work that you do?**



▼ 3 from last survey Favorable: 87%

**Q.14: Overall, how satisfied are you with your job right now?**



▲ 5 from last survey Favorable: 40%



# Work environment

Your average

**89%**

15 responses

Change

**▲ 11**

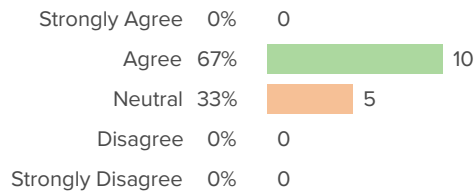
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Client average: **72%** SSD of St. Louis (MO)

District average: **78%** Special School District

## How did people respond?

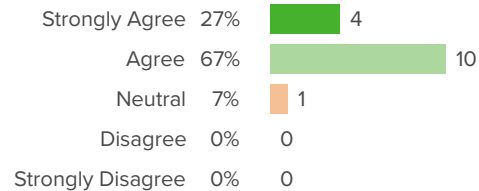
### Q.1: I have the materials and resources to do my job effectively.



▲ 17 from last survey

Favorable: **67%**

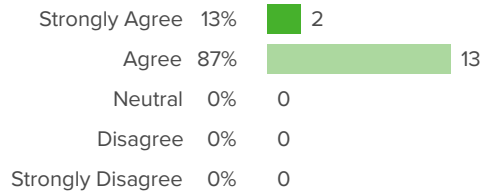
### Q.2: My school/location is in good condition and well-maintained.



▲ 8 from last survey

Favorable: **93%**

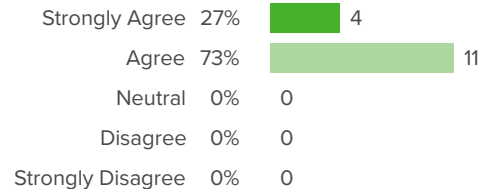
### Q.3: I feel safe in my school/location.



▲ 20 from last survey

Favorable: **100%**

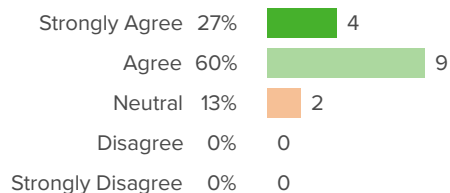
### Q.4: I am aware of safety and security procedures at my school/location.



▲ 5 from last survey

Favorable: **100%**

### Q.5: SSD provides opportunities to promote employee wellness (i.e., employee health and general well-being).



▲ 7 from last survey

Favorable: **87%**



# Background Questions

## How did people respond?

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### Q.1: Location

Affton School District	0%	0
Bayless School District	0%	0
Brentwood School District	0%	0
Clayton School District	0%	0
Ferguson-Florissant School District	0%	0
Hancock Place School District	0%	0
Hazelwood School District	0%	0
Jennings School District	0%	0
Kirkwood School District	0%	0
Ladue School District	0%	0
Lindbergh School District	0%	0
Maplewood-Richmond Heights School District	0%	0
Mehlville School District	0%	0
Normandy School District	0%	0
Parkway School District	0%	0
Pattonville School District	0%	0
Ritenour School District	0%	0
Riverview Gardens School District	0%	0
Rockwood School District	0%	0

### Q.2: Job type

Teacher - SSD school, 100% site, or program		14
Teacher - Partner district	0%	0



University City School District	0%	0
Valley Park School District	0%	0
Webster Groves School District	0%	0
Ackerman School	0%	0
Bridges Program	0%	0
Central Office	0%	0
Distribution Center	0%	0
Learning Center	0%	0
Litzsinger School	0%	0
Neuwoehner High School	0%	0
North Tech High School	0%	0
Northview High School	0%	0
South Tech High School	0%	0
Southview School	100%	14
VSP	0%	0