

Educational Effectiveness Survey™

9 Characteristics of High Performing Schools

Horizons Elementary

North Thurston Public Schools

2022

N=40

2023

N=52

2024

N=60





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Introduction

Educational Effectiveness Survey, Family edition

While there is no single solution for all schools, research on effective schools identified common characteristics of high-performing schools known as the 9 Characteristics. Successful schools that are engaged in improvement activities focus on these characteristics of “organizational and educator capacity” to create and improve the system(s) that ultimately drive performance outcomes.

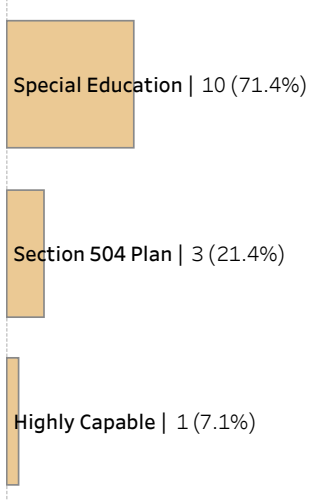
Note

The Characteristics, “Focused Professional Development” and “Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment” are professional activities conducted amongst the adult school community and are rarely viewed by parents. Thus questions regarding these Characteristics are not a part of the survey and does not appear in this report.

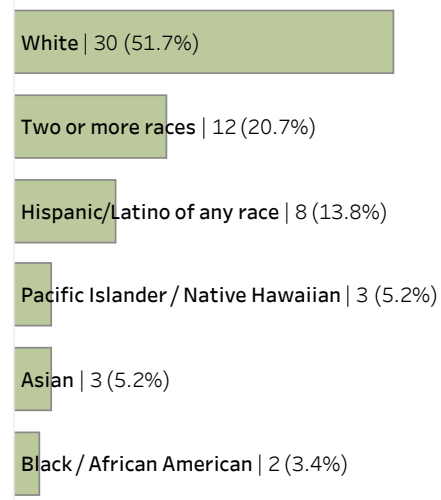
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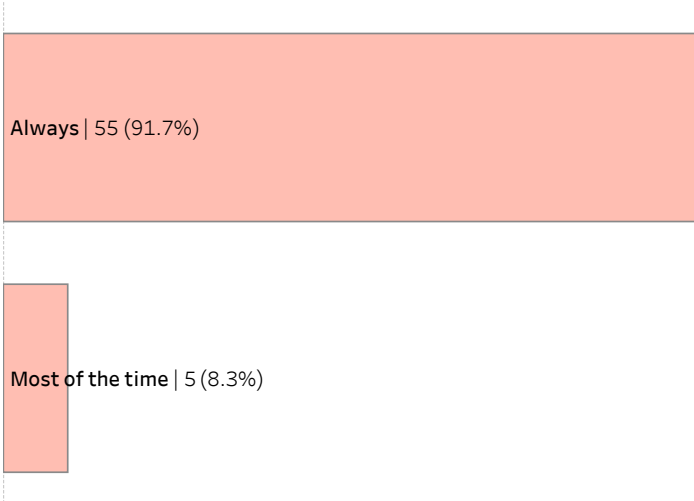
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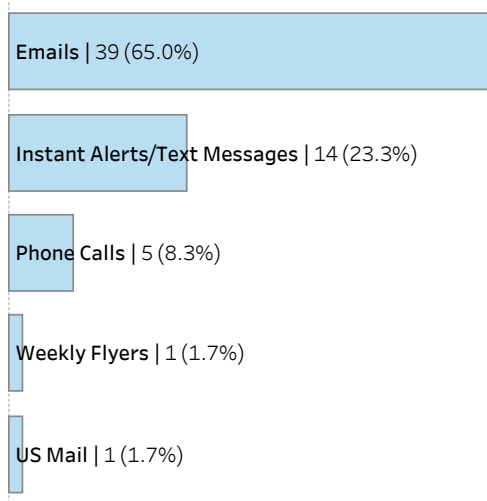
Ethnicity



English at Home

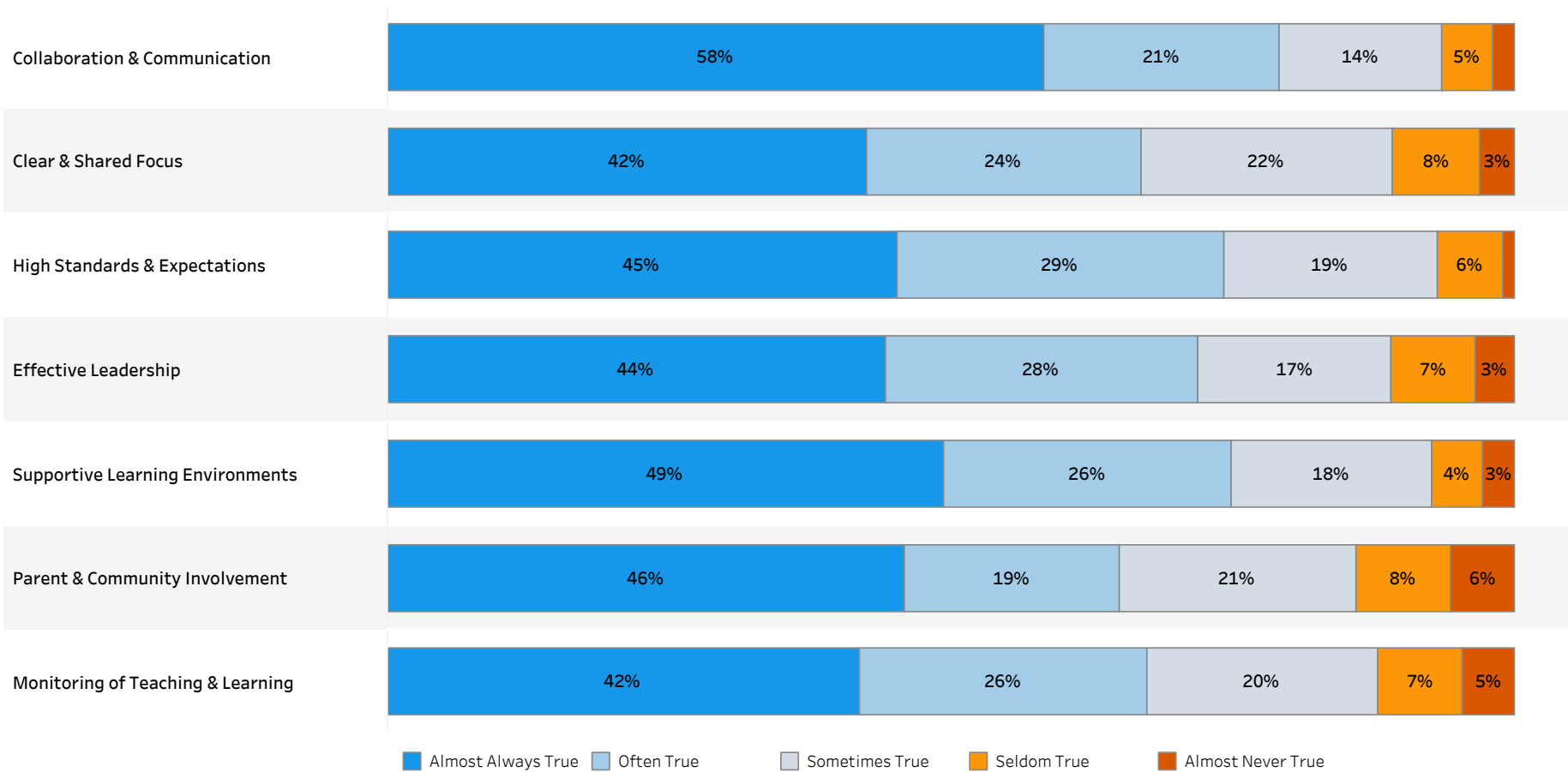


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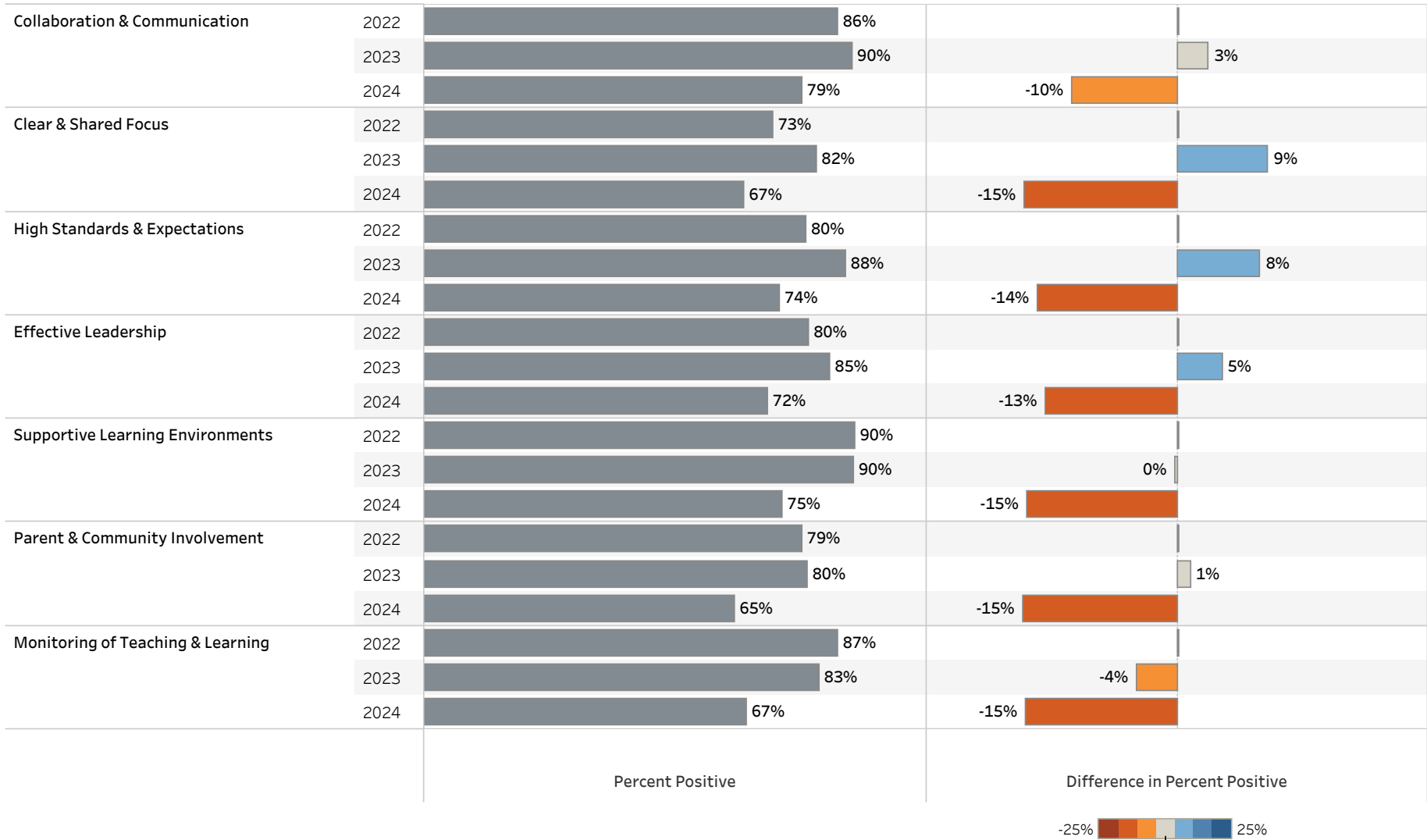


9 Characteristics Summary

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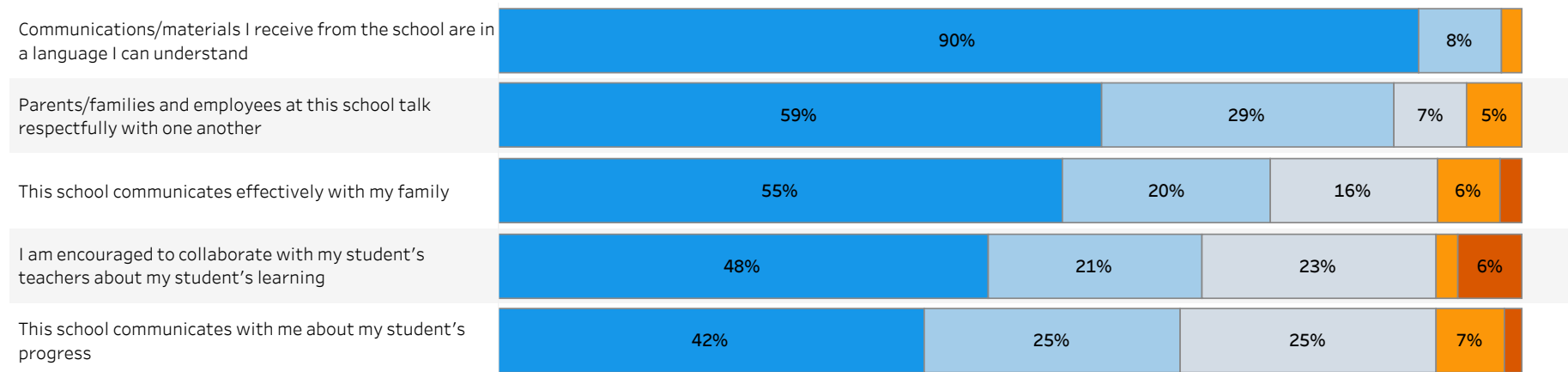


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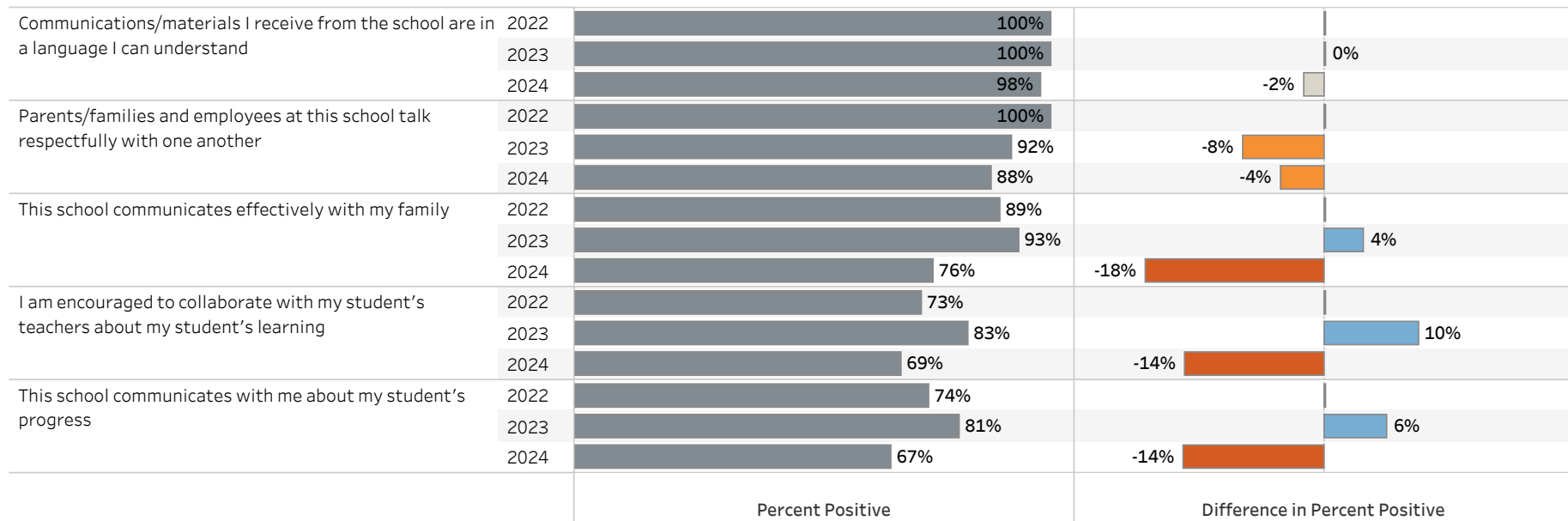


High Levels of Collaboration and Communication

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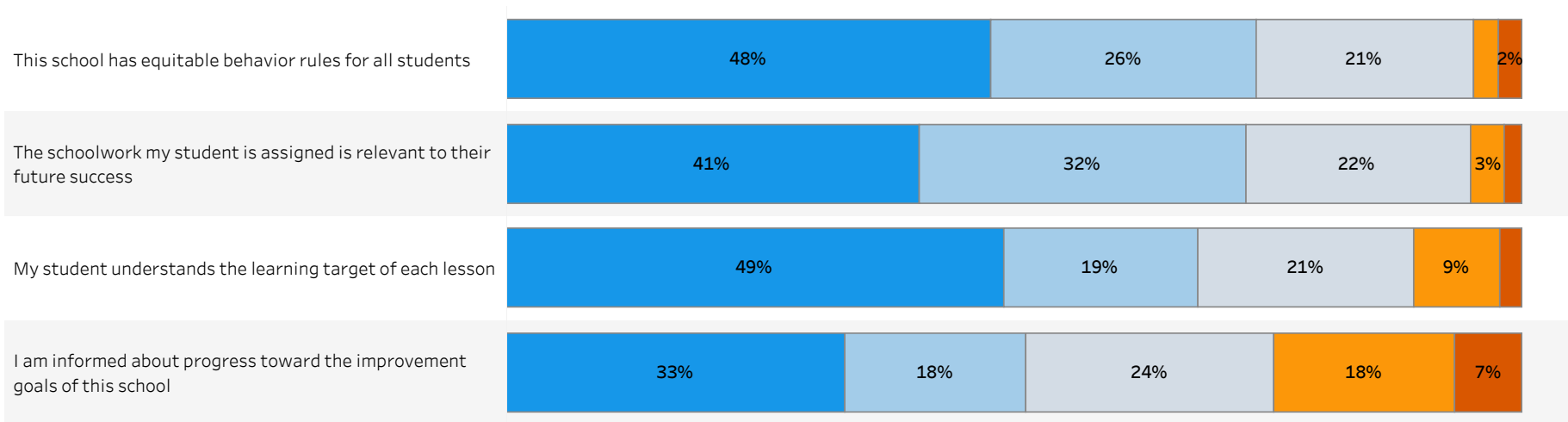


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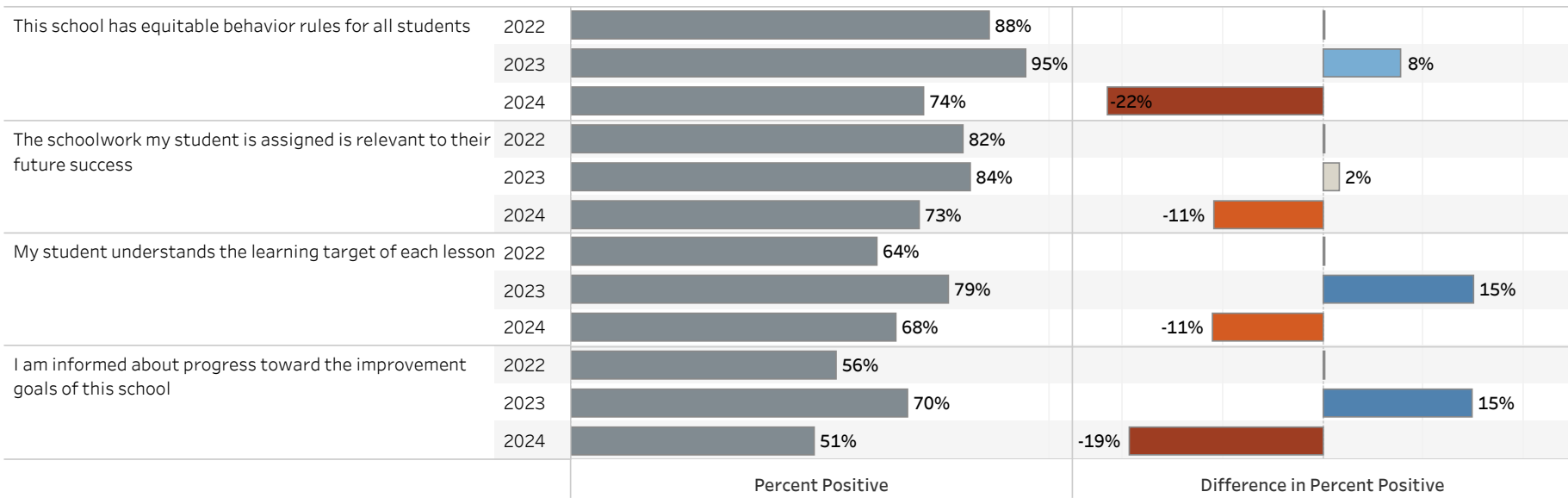


Clear and Shared Focus

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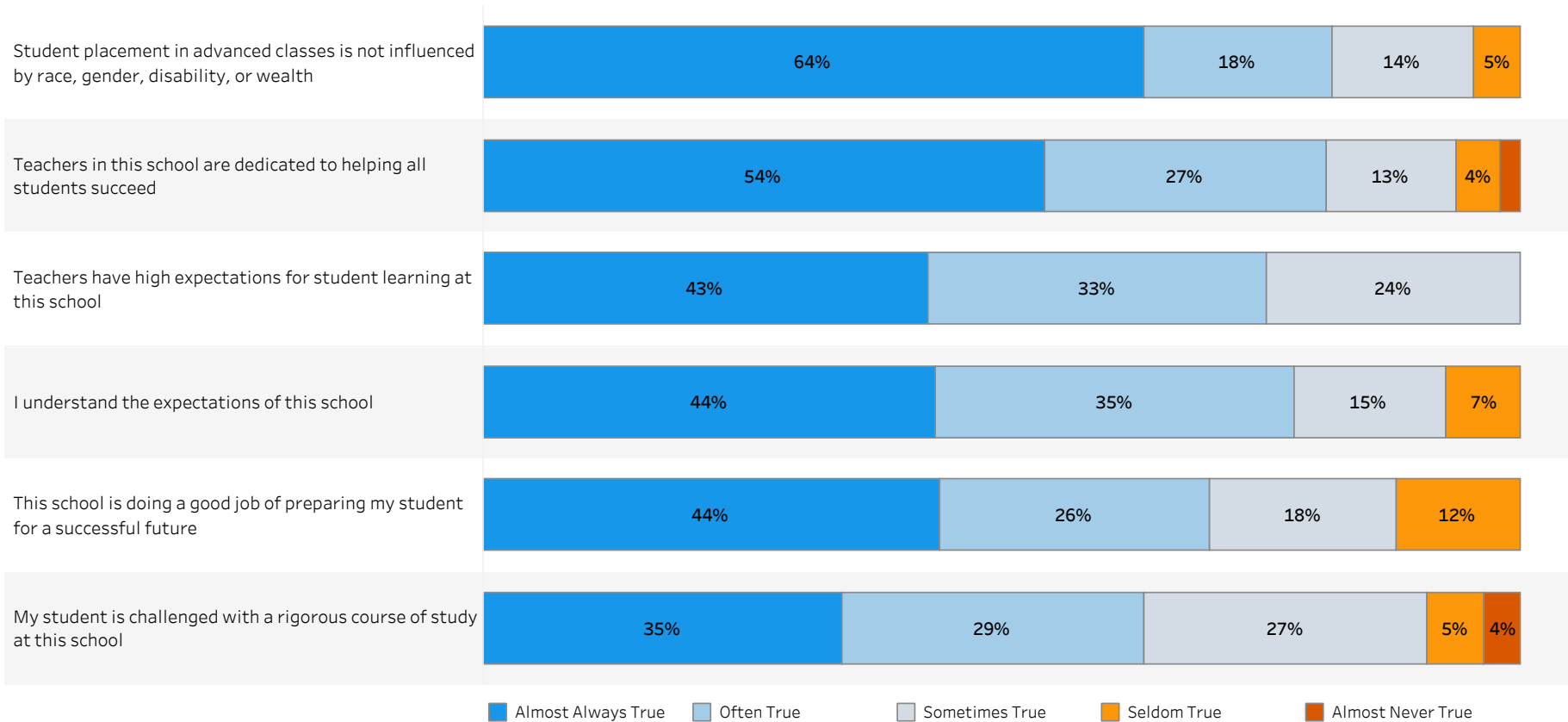


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High Standards and Expectations

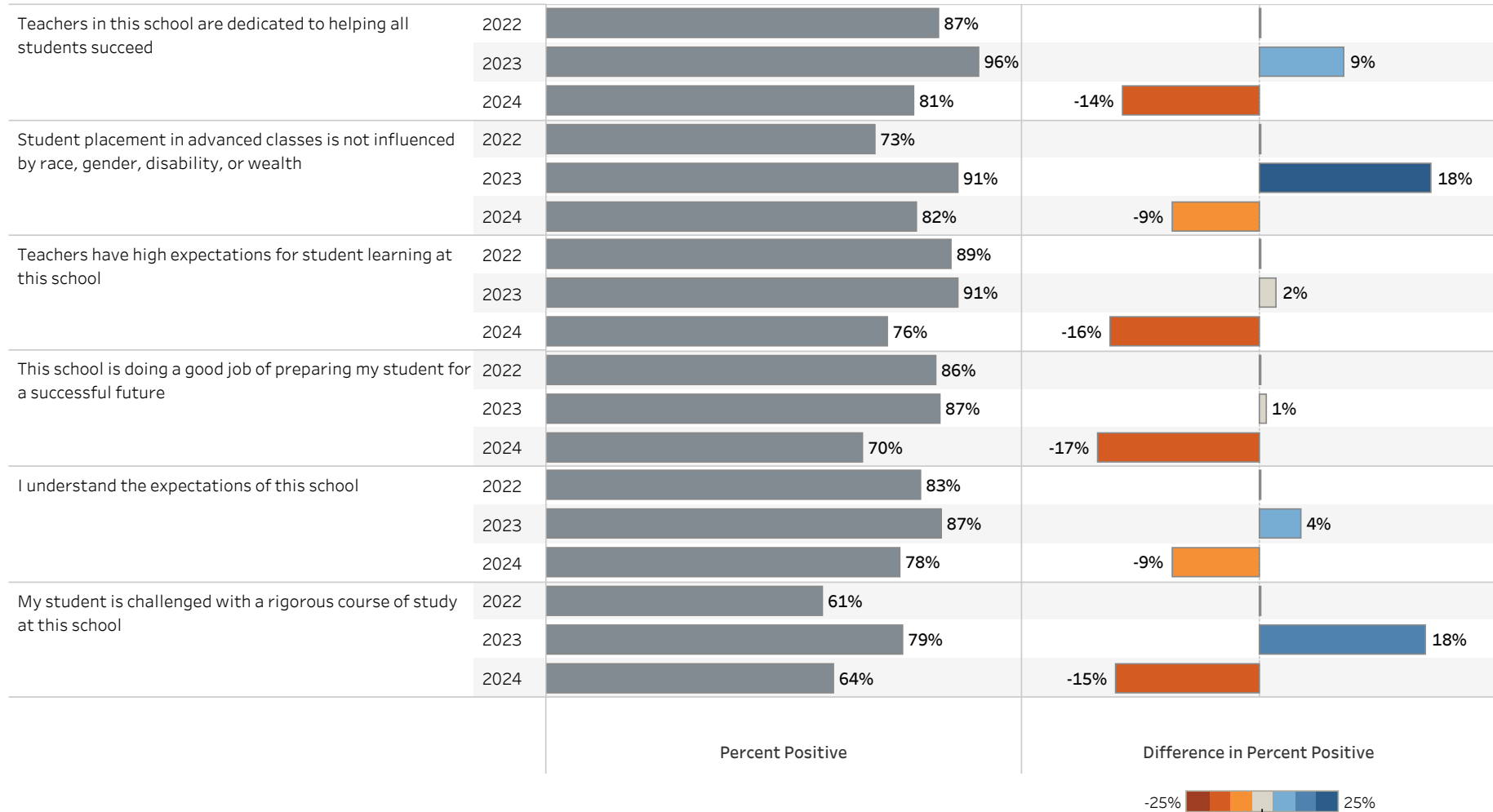
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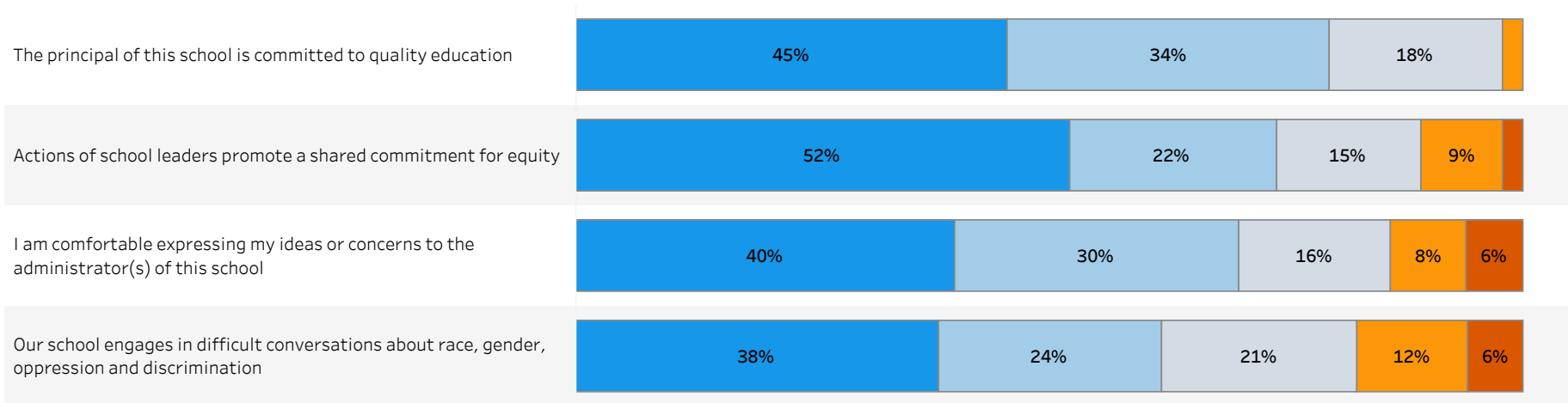
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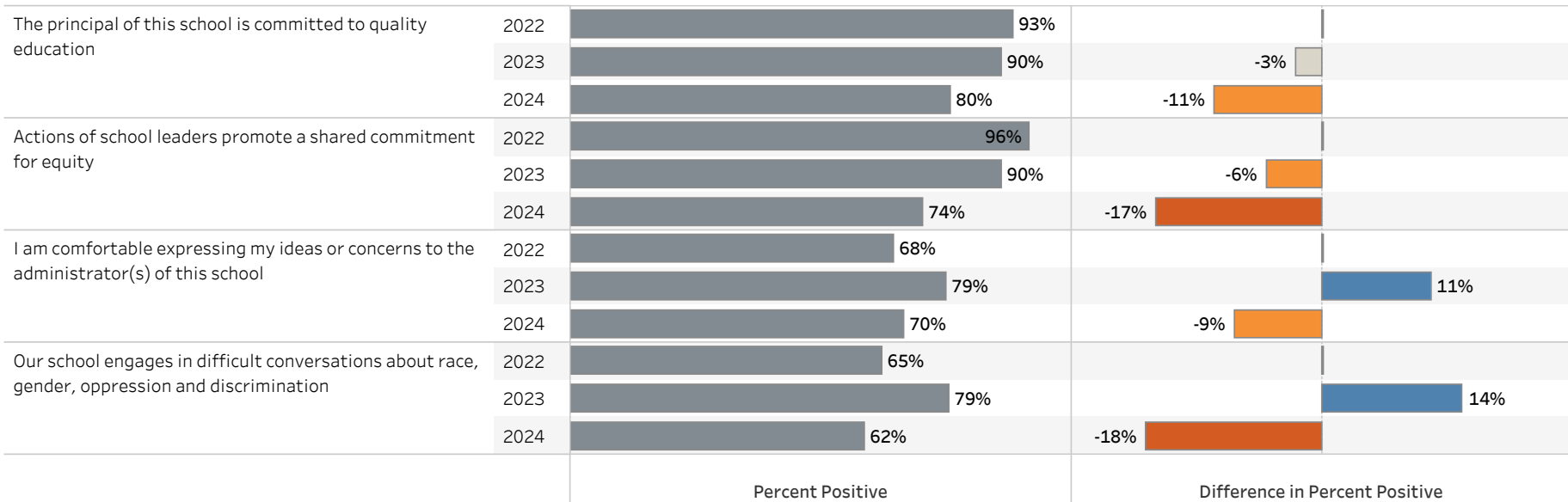
Effective Leadership

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■ Almost Always True
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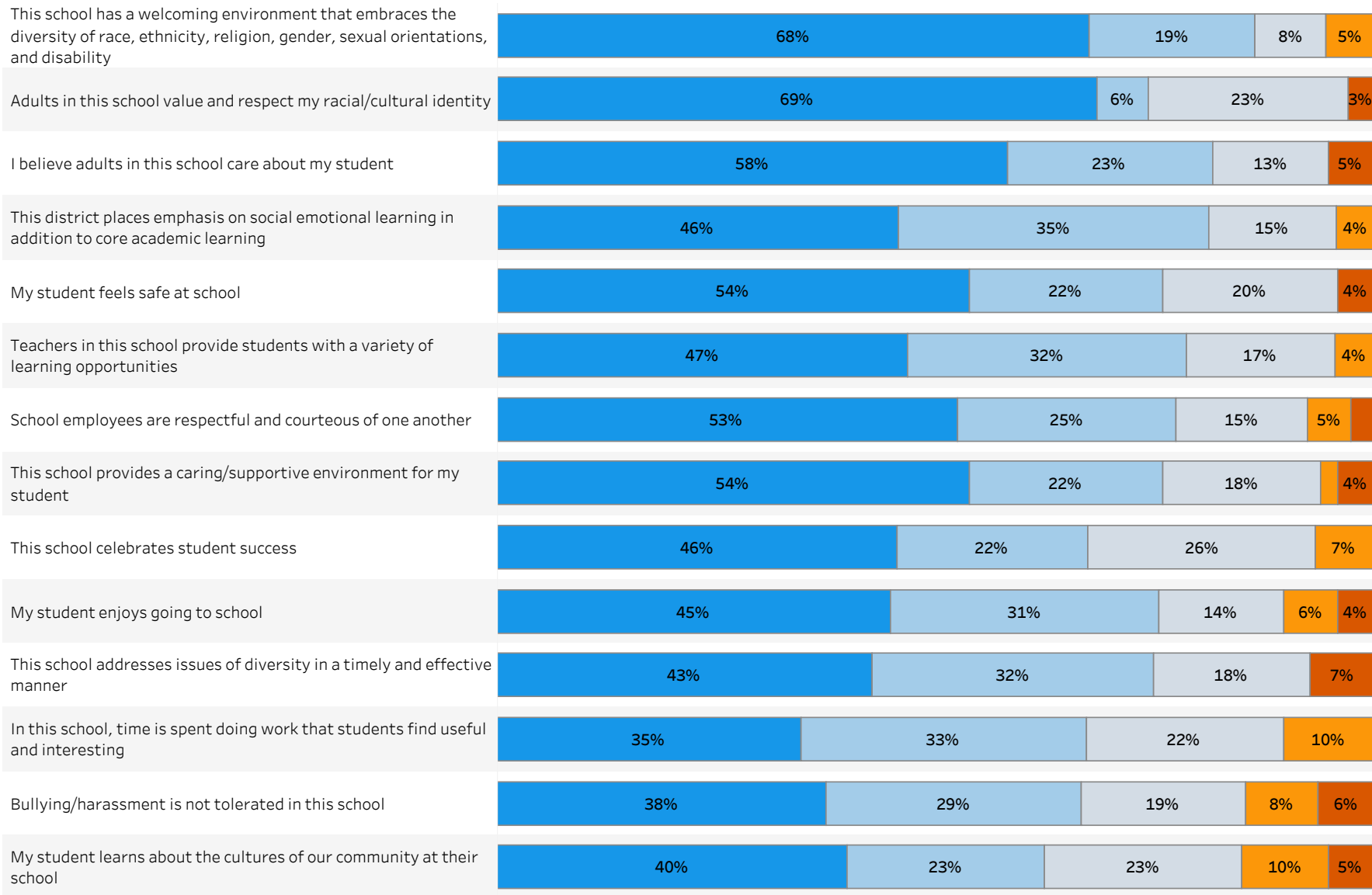
Percent Positive

Difference in Percent Positive

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Supportive Learning Environment

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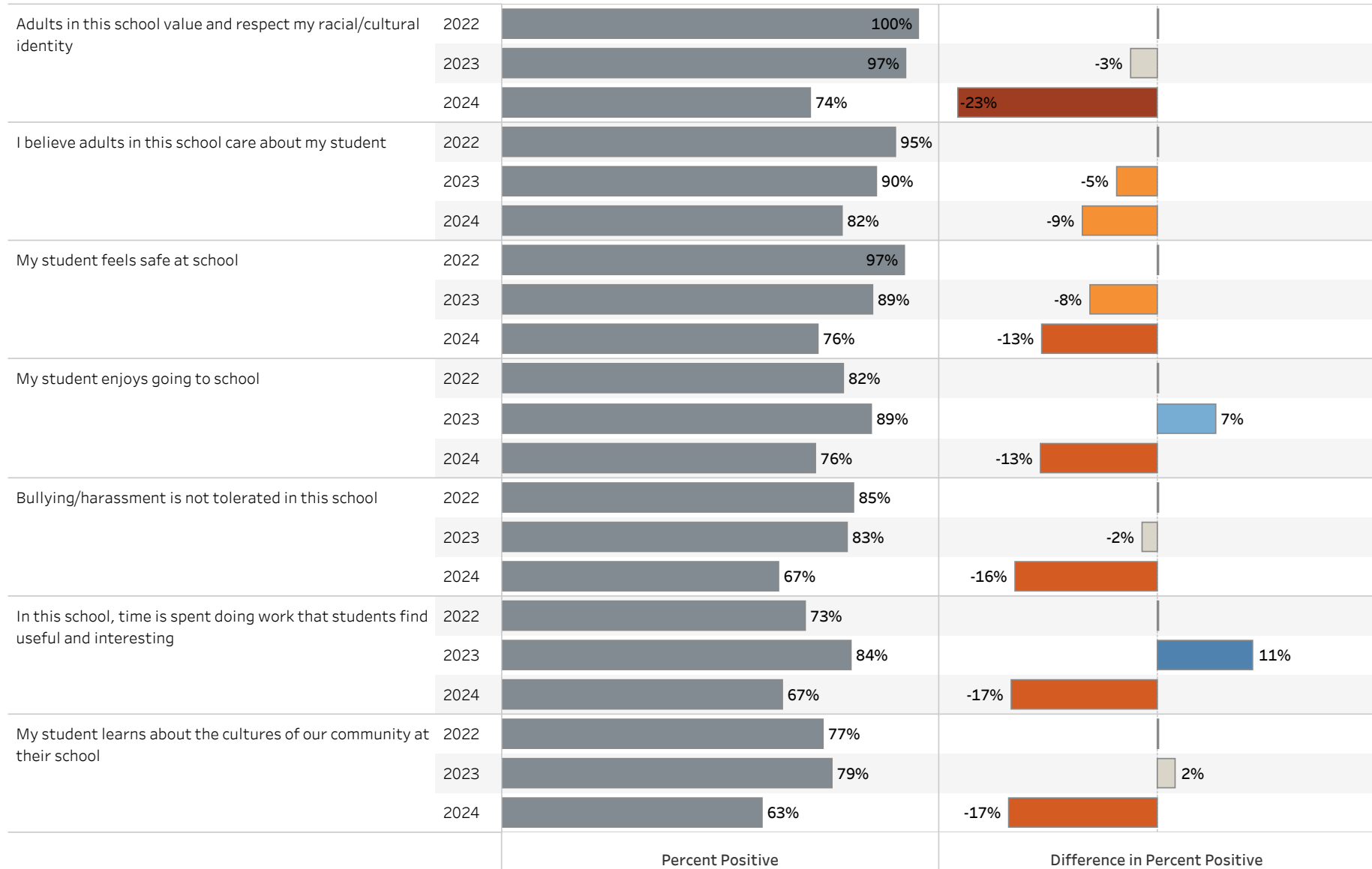


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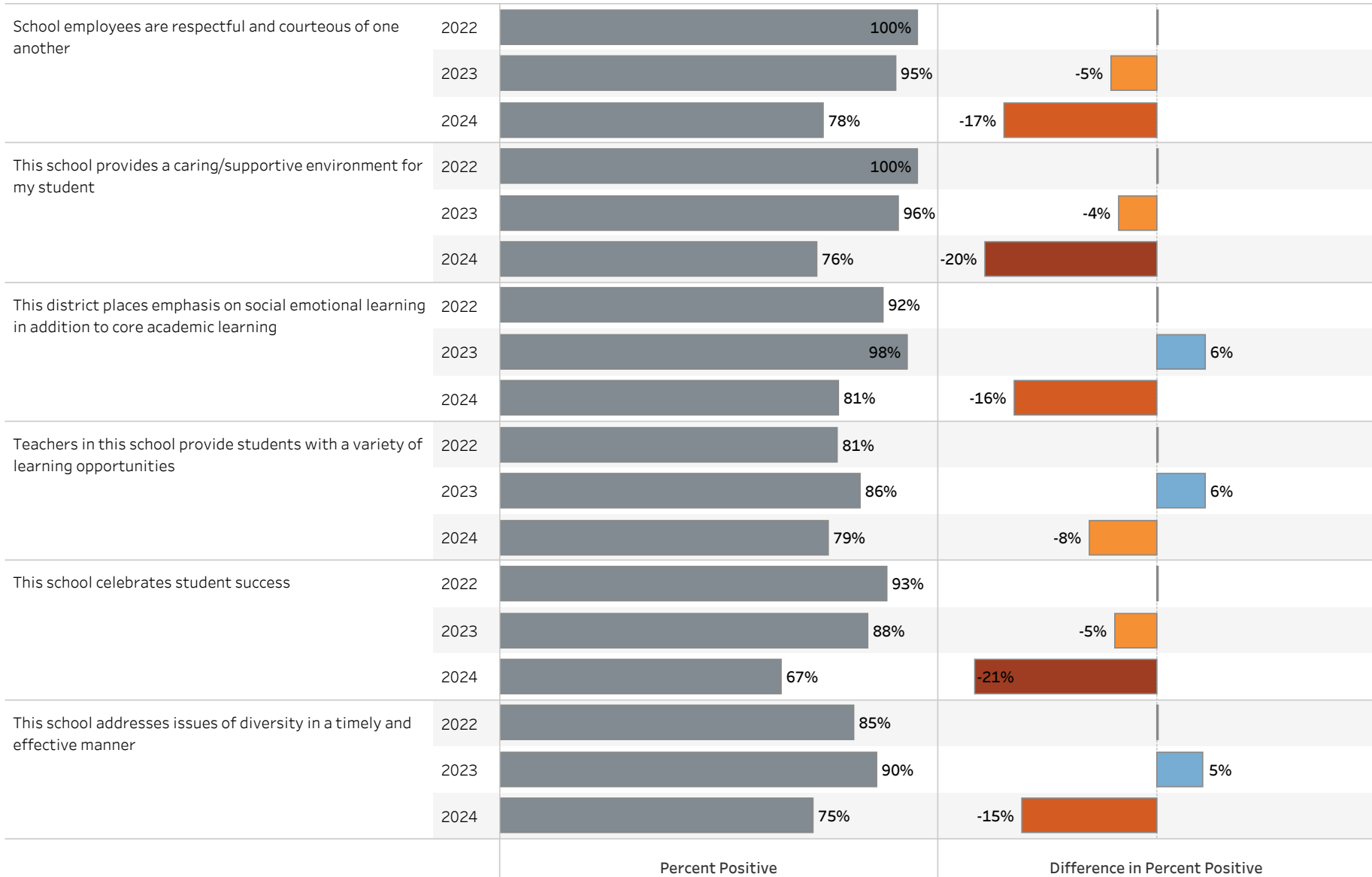
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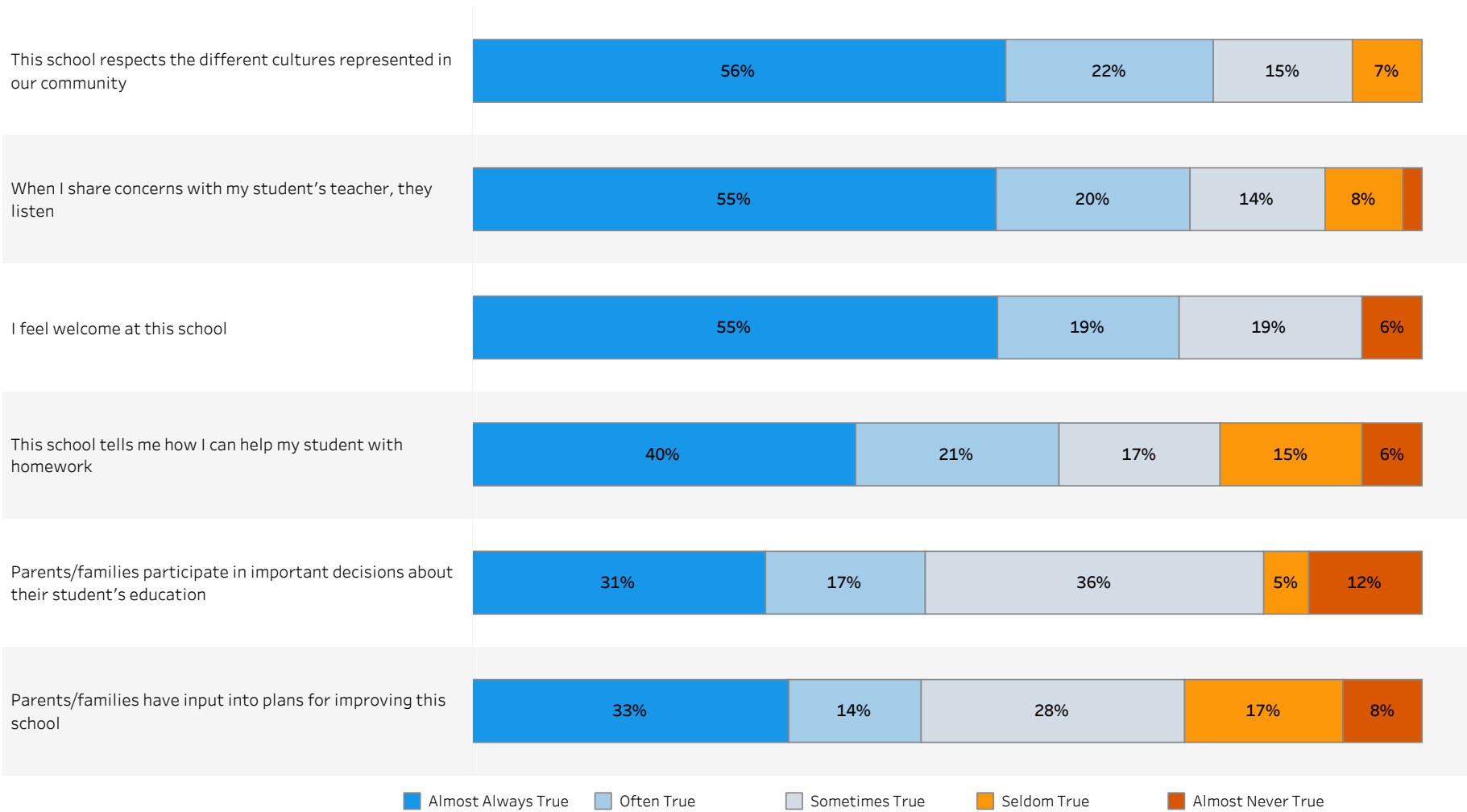
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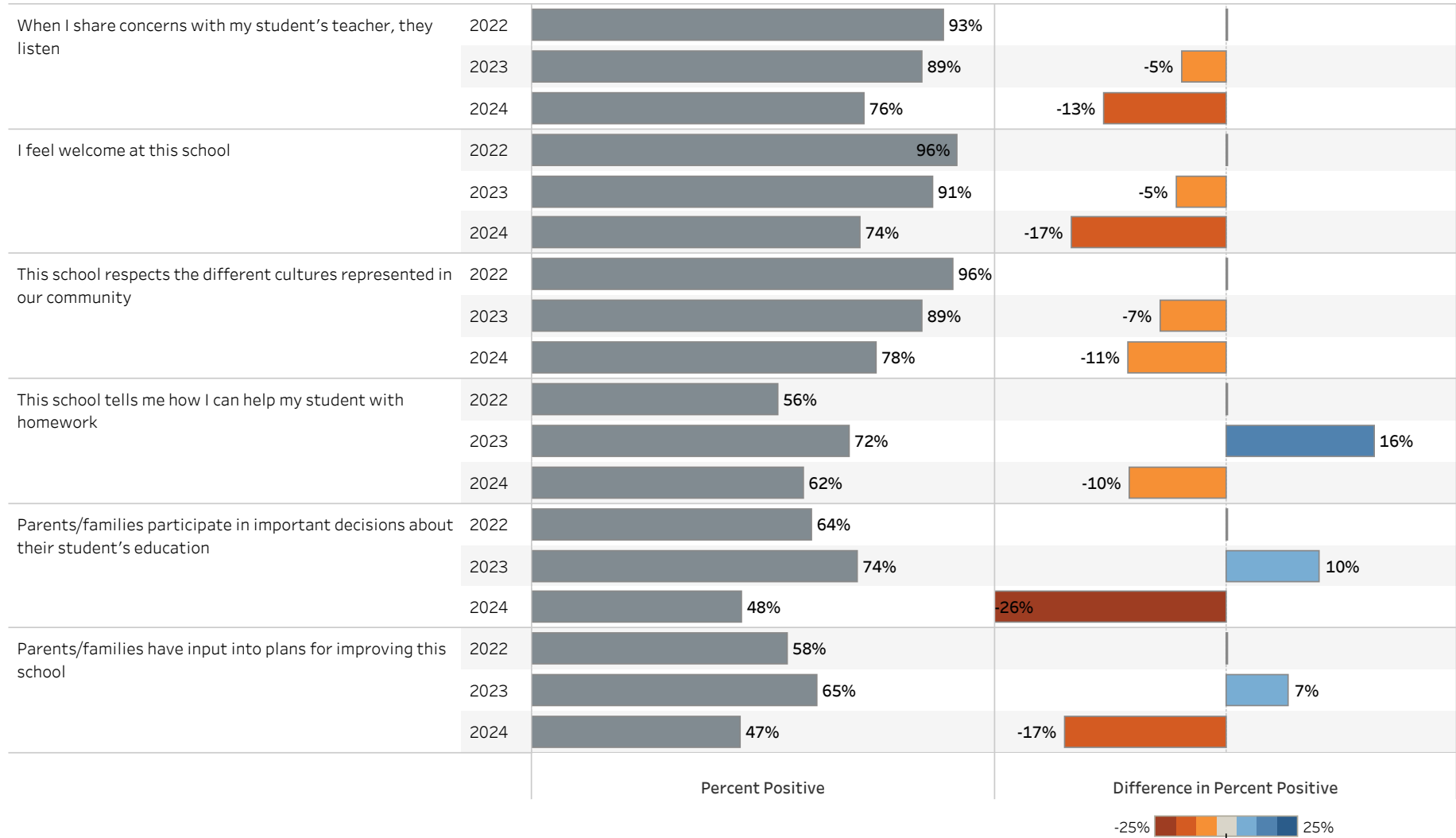
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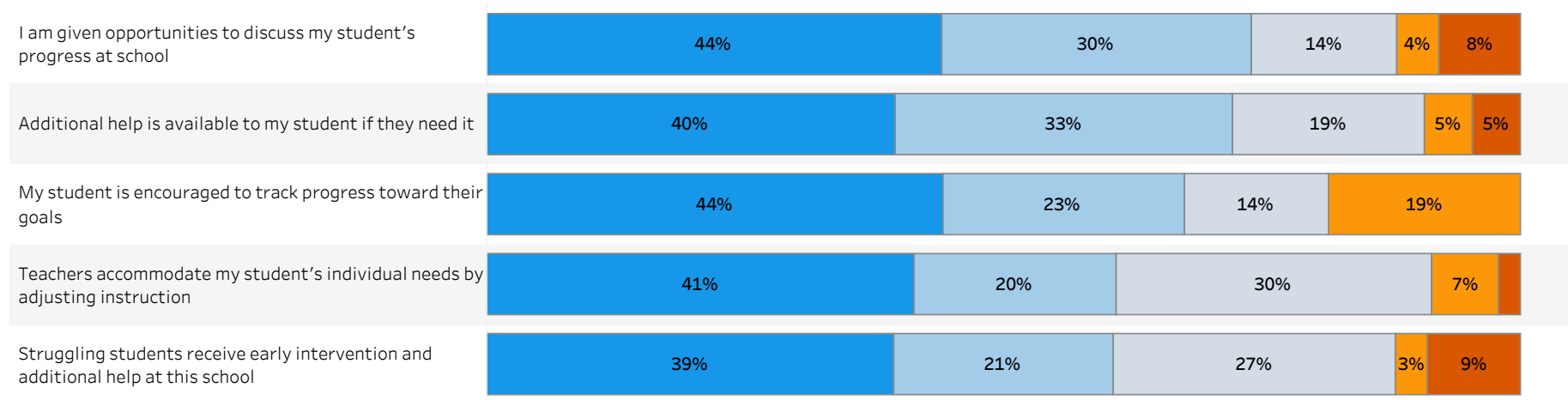
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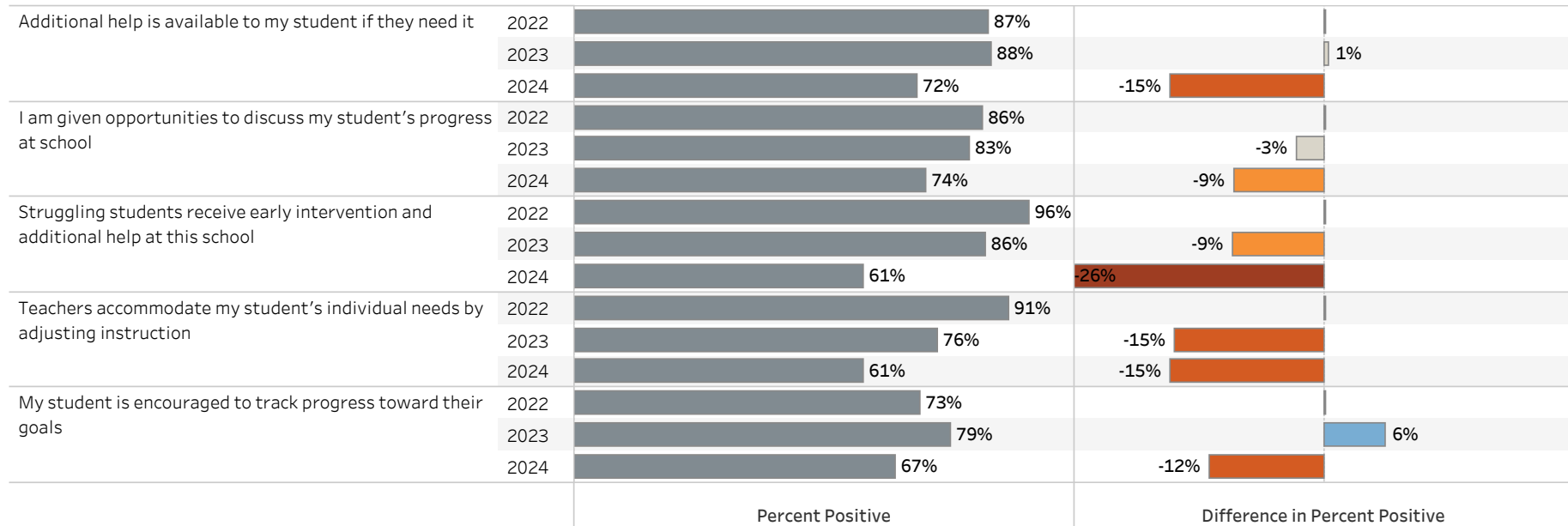


Frequent Monitoring of Teaching and Learning

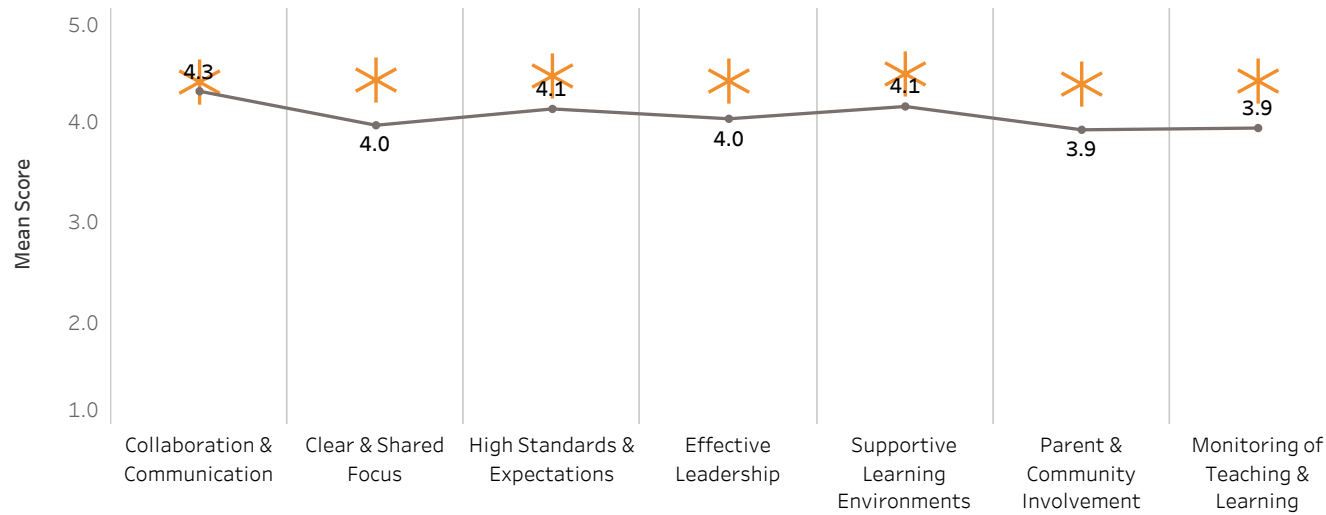
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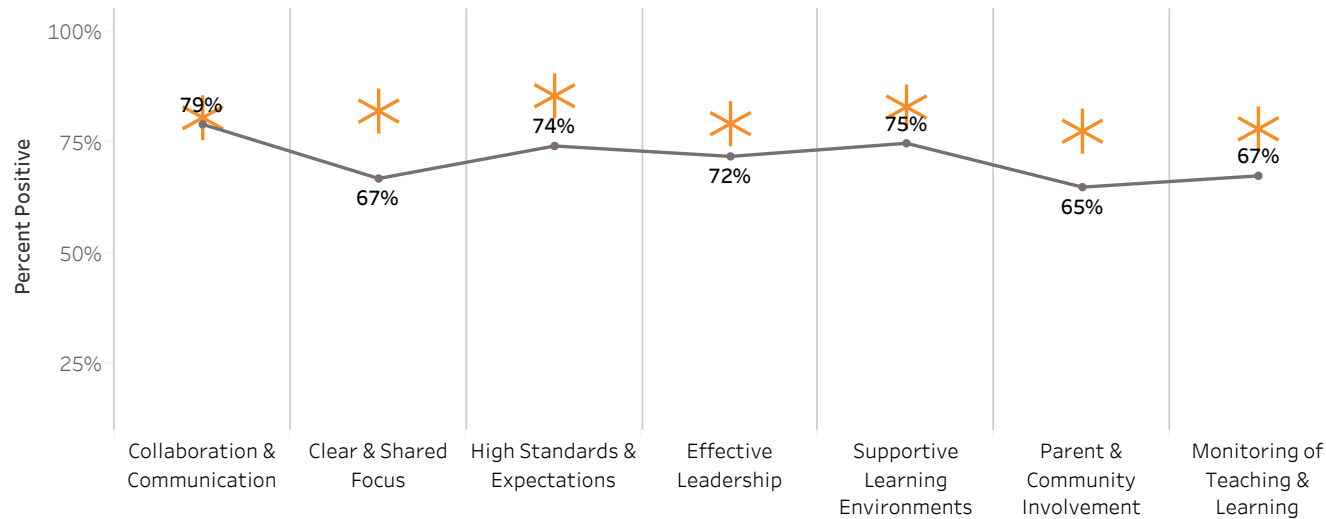
Comparison - Mean Scores



How does your school compare to:

- * Nationwide Sample
- Your School or District

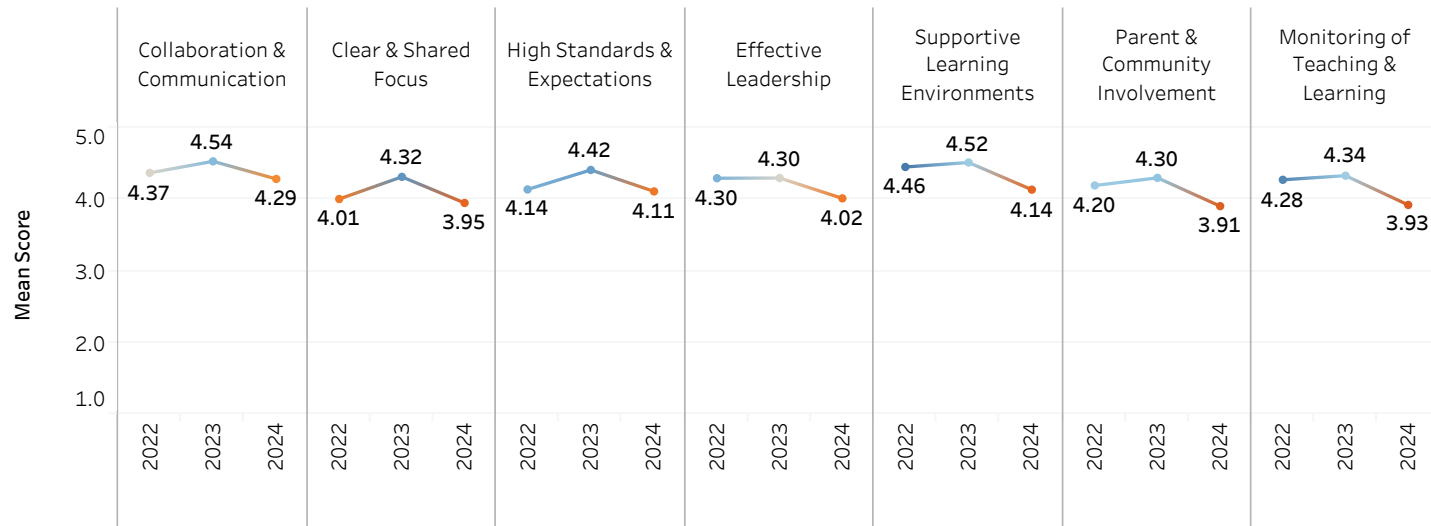
Comparison - Percent Positive



Characteristics

- C — Collaboration & Communication
- CSF — Clear & Shared Focus
- HSE — High Standards & Expectations
- EL — Effective Leadership
- SLE — Supportive Learning Environment
- PCI — Parent & Community Involvement
- MTL — Monitoring of Teaching & Learning

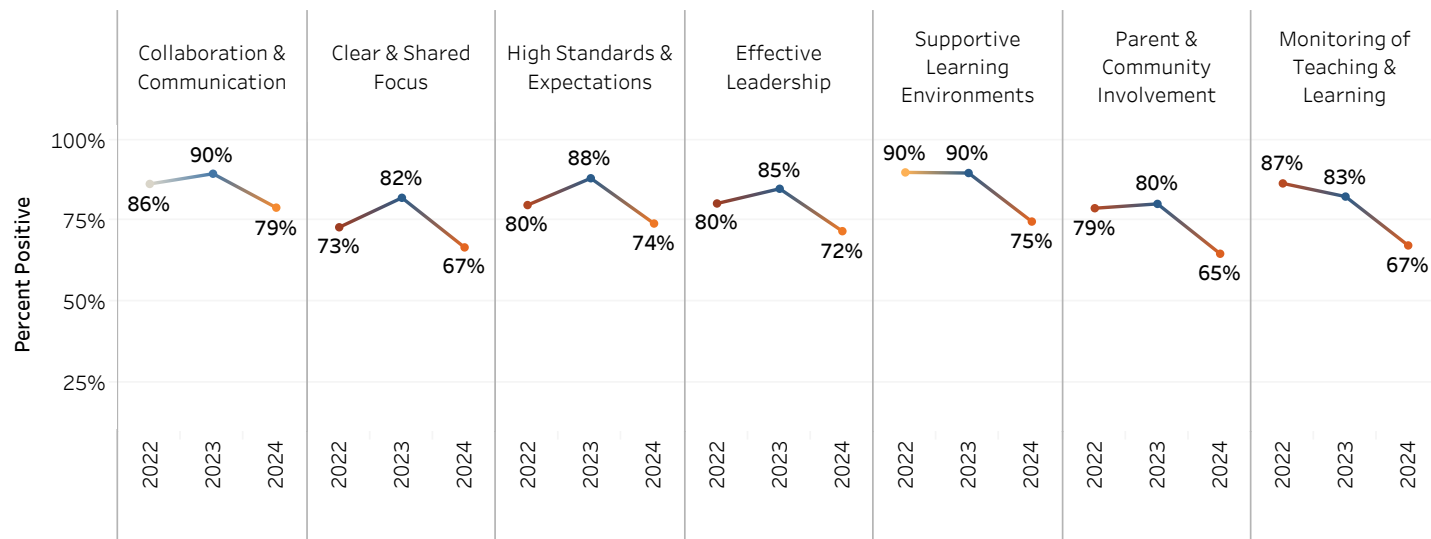
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The color shading of the bar indicates the strength of improvement or the significance of the decline. Celebrate the blue, and investigate the darker orange and red.

Comparison - Percent Positive LONGITUDINAL

Difference in... -0.15 0.15



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