JULY 6, 2020 MCS BOARD OF EDUCATION

STATE OPTIONS

COVID-19

GOVERNOR COOPER'S PLANS

- PLAN A: OPEN TO ALL STUDENTS WITH HANDWASHING, AWARENESS SIGNAGE, AND MINIMAL SOCIAL DISTANCING. (NEARLY BUSINESS AS USUAL)
- PLAN B: SCHOOLS WILL OPERATE AT 50% CAPACITY. DISTRICTS MAY OFFER OPTIONS OF HOW THEY PLAN TO ACCOMPLISH THIS PLAN. (BUSSING IN PLAN B IS A HUGE BARRIER)
- PLAN C: REMOTE INSTRUCTION

RE-ENTRY TIMELINE

- Learning Team Planning (April-July)
- Executive Committee Meeting (Based upon CDC Guidelines and NC Lighthouse Project Guide) (June)
- Principals' Meeting (May/June)
- Parent survey (June 10)
- Principal survey (June 30)
- Principal individual K-8 phone call data collection (June 30)
- Montgomery County schools board of education meeting (July 6)

PARENT ONLINE SURVEY DATA

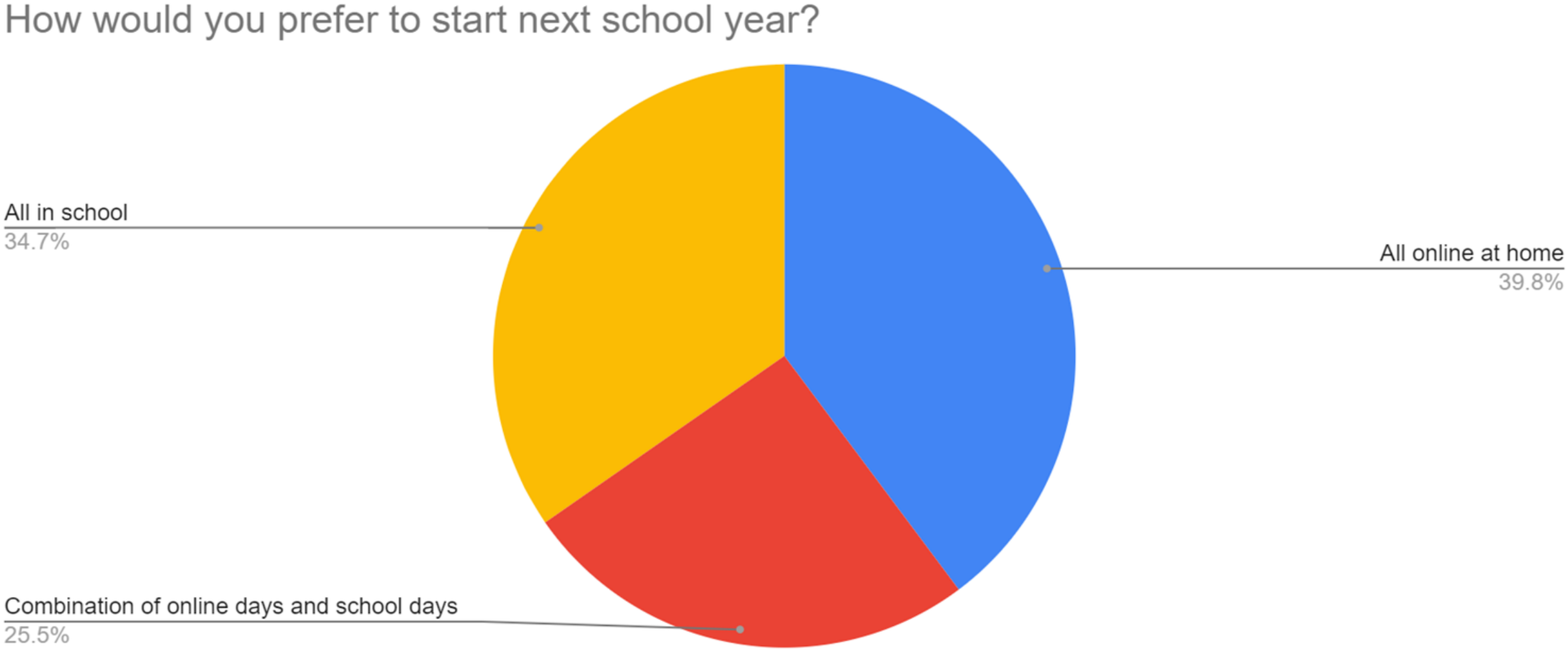
PARENT ONLINE SURVEY OVERALL RESPONSE

How would you prefer to start next school year?

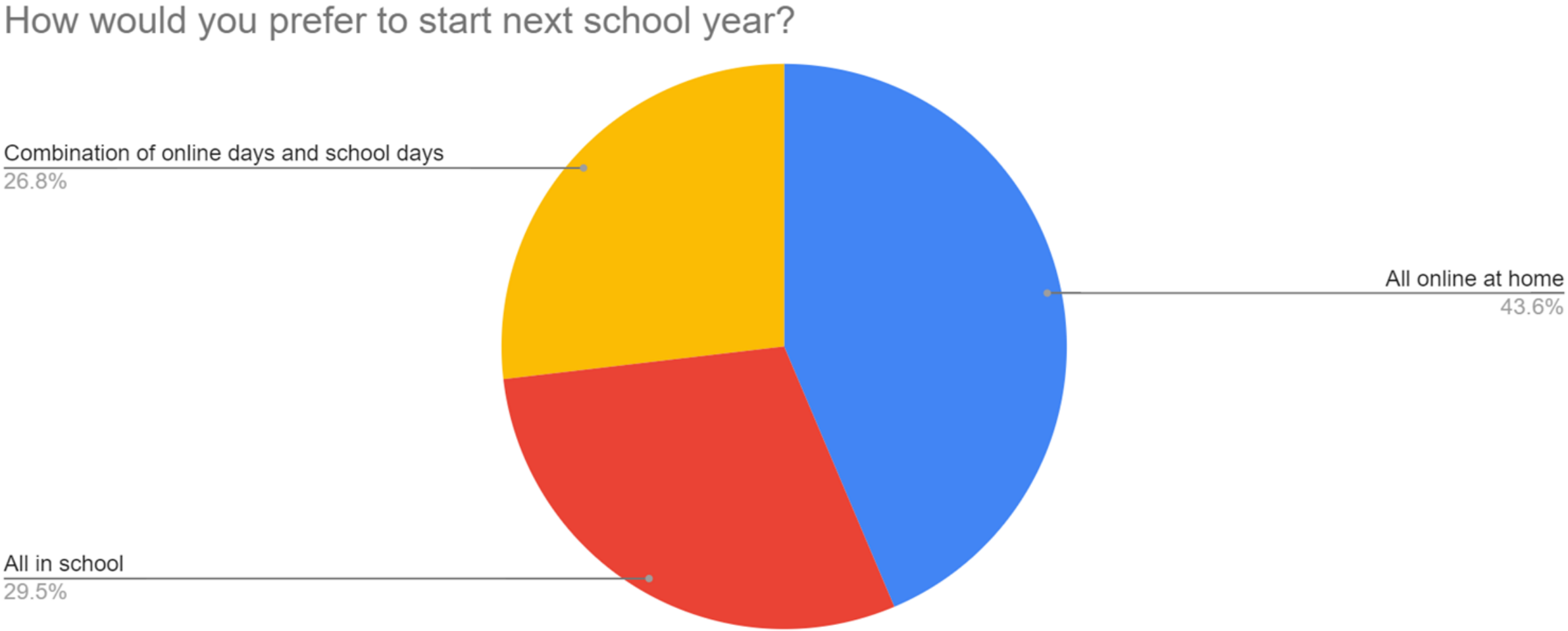
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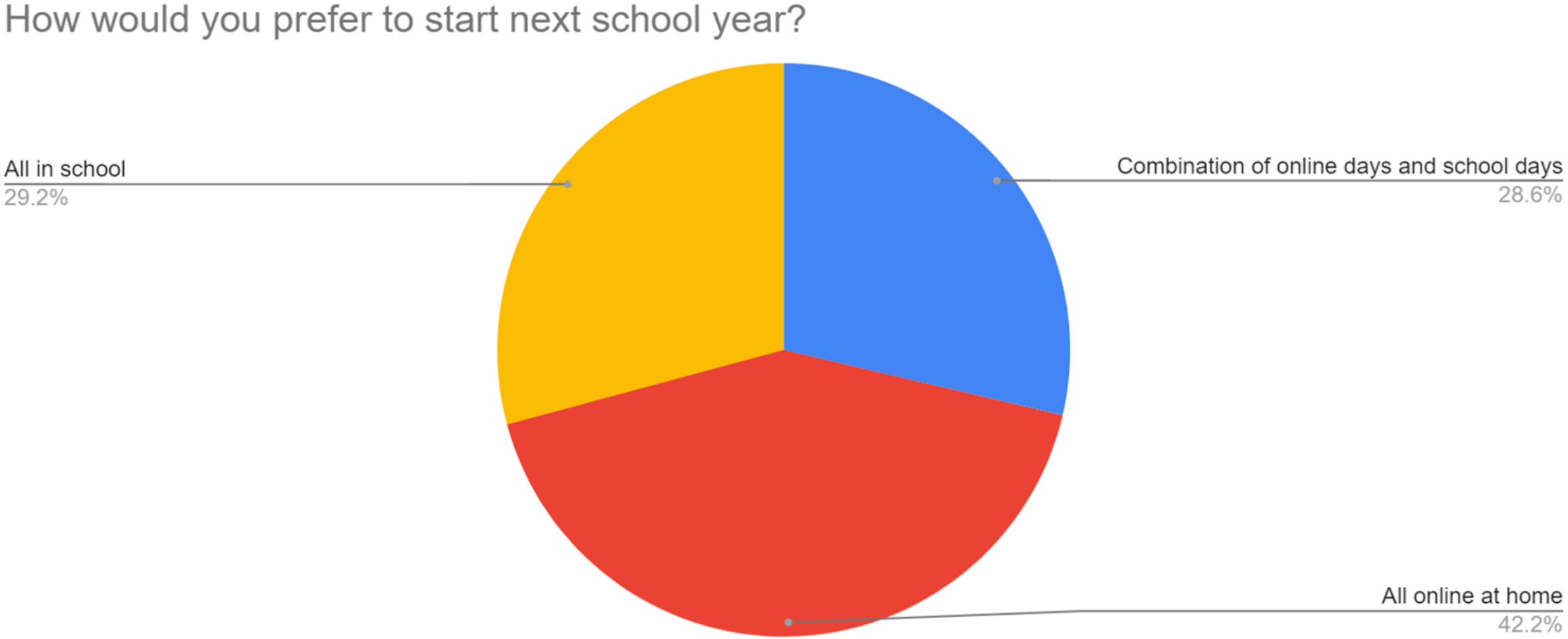
ELEMENTARY ONLINE SURVEY RESULTS (K-5)



MIDDLE SCHOOL ONLINE SURVEY RESULTS (6-8)



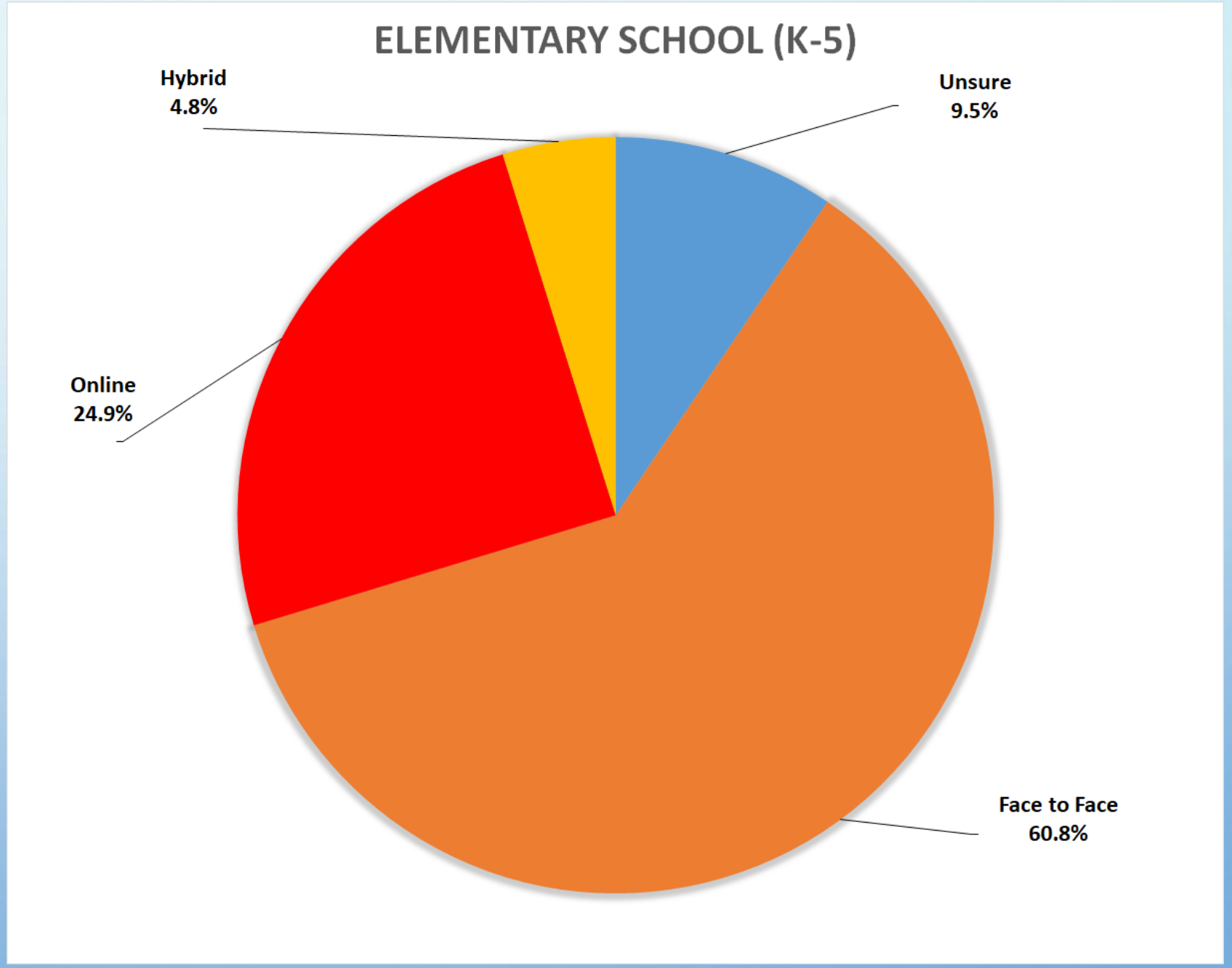
HIGH SCHOOL ONLINE SURVEY RESULTS (9-12)



PARENT PHONE SURVEY DATA

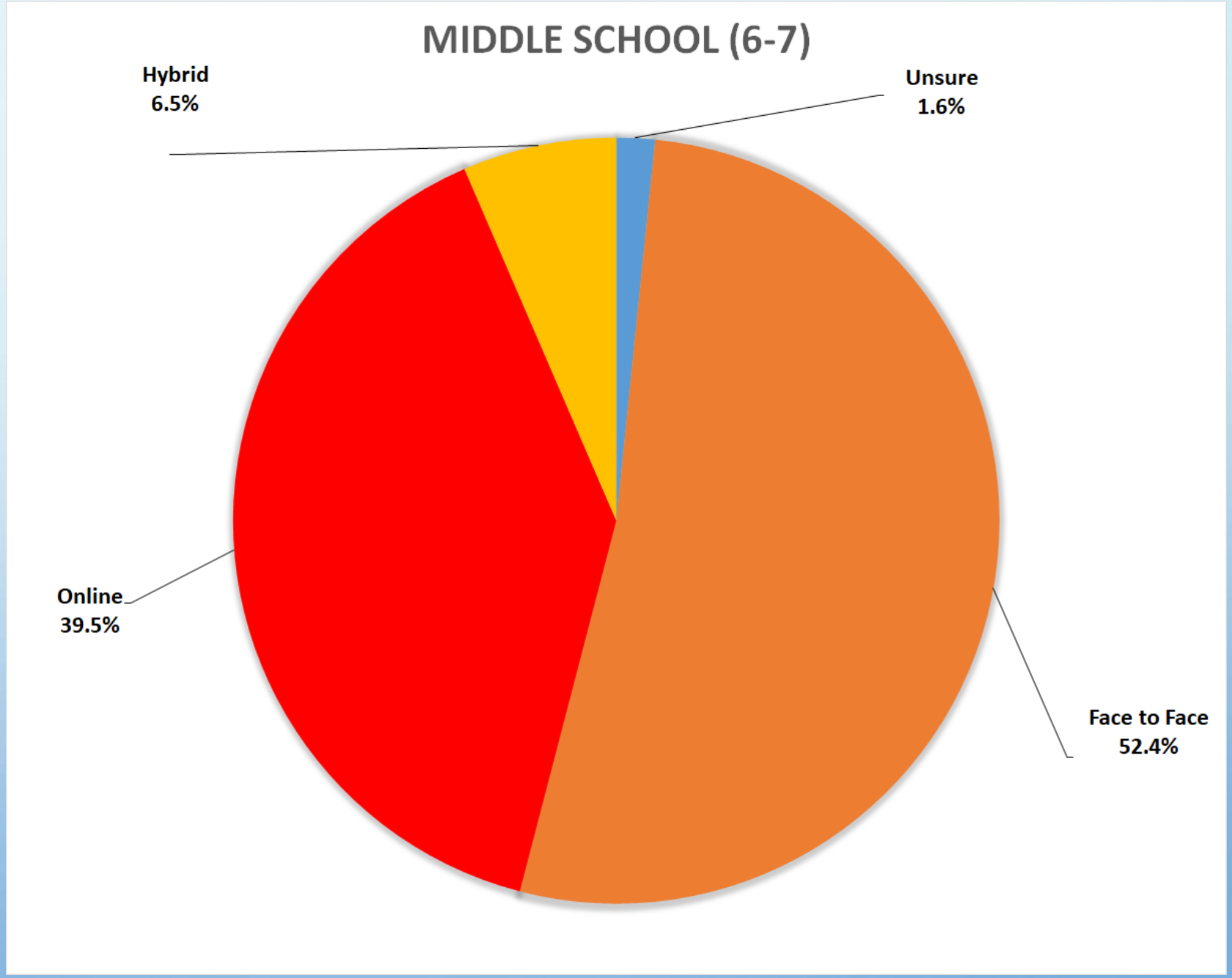
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

PARENT CALL FEEDBACK



MIDDLE SCHOOL

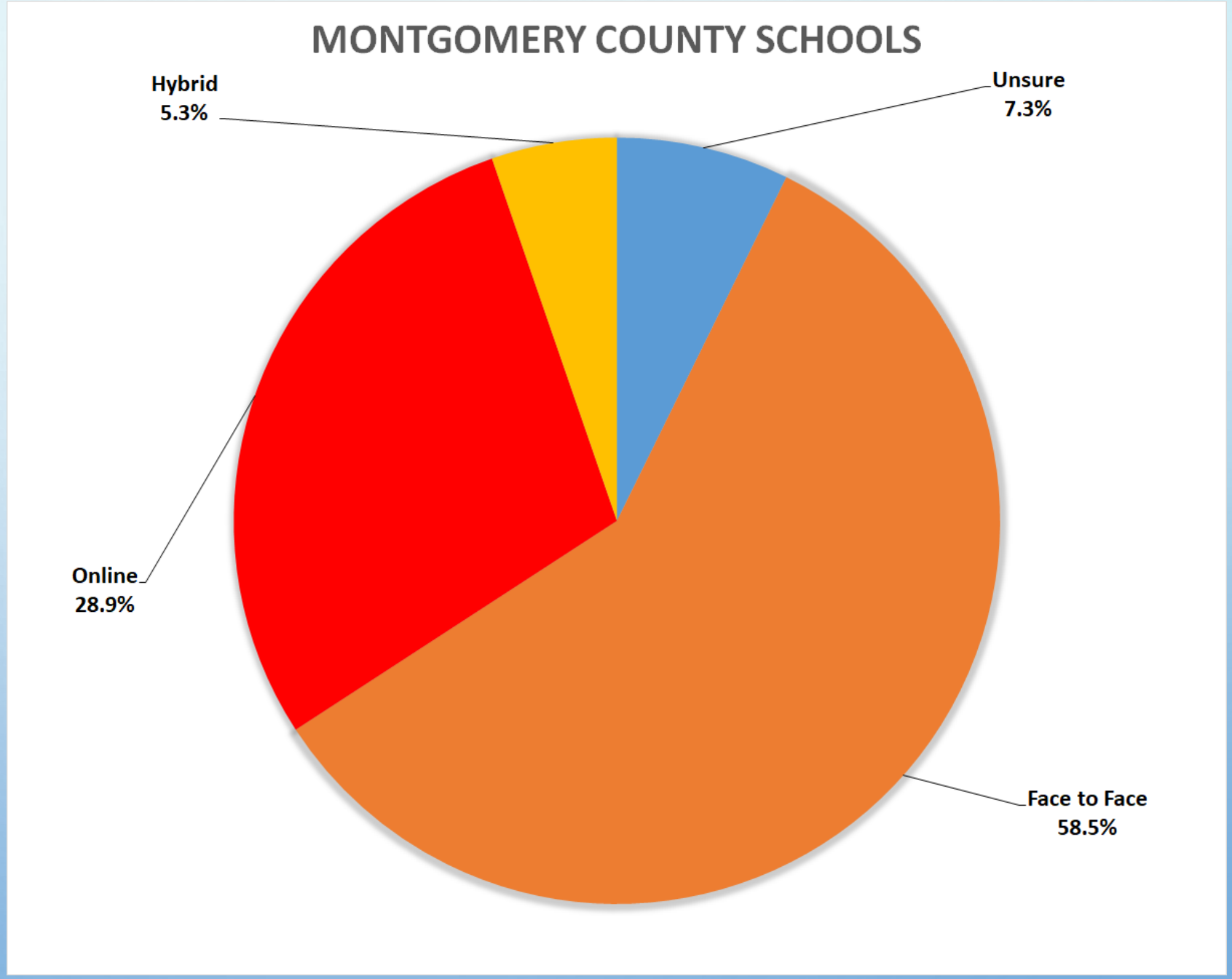
PARENT CALL FEEDBACK



MONTGOMERY COUNTY SCHOOLS

PARENT CALL FEEDBACK

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GENERAL PARENT COMMENTS AND CONCERNS:

- SOCIAL DISTANCING CONCERNS AND MASK WEARING FOR CHILDREN
- SANITATION PROTOCOLS FOR SCHOOLS
- PARENT CONFIDENCE IN SUPPORTING ONLINE LEARNING
- FULL TIME WORKING PARENTS BALANCING ONLINE LEARNING
- MISSED INSTRUCTION TIME AND WORRIED ABOUT THEIR CHILDREN FALLING BEHIND
- INTERNET ACCESS AND SPEED
- THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THEIR CHILDREN
- STUDENTS WEARING MASKS ALL DAY

PLAN B: OPTION A

- BY GRADE SPAN BY GRADE LEVEL

  EXAMPLES

  - STUDENTS IN GRADES K-3 ON SITE, 4-5 REMOTE
  - STUDENTS IN GRADES 9-10 ON SITE, 11-12 REMOTE
  - STUDENTS IN GRADES K-5 ON SITE, 6-12 REMOTE (UTILIZE ALL BUILDINGS)
  - BUSSING IS A HUGE BARRIER

PLAN B: OPTION B

ALTERNATING DAYS

- BY ONE DAY
- BY MULTIPLE DAY

EXAMPLE:

STUDENTS WITH LAST NAME (A-L) ATTEND MONDAY AND TUESDAY. STUDENTS WITH LAST NAME (M-Z) ATTEND WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

PLAN B: OPTION C

ALTERNATING WEEKS

- BY ONE WEEK, TWO WEEKS

EXAMPLE:

STUDENTS WITH LAST NAME (A-L) ATTEND WEEK ONE. STUDENTS WITH LAST NAME (M-Z) ATTEND WEEK TWO. THIS CAN ALSO ORGANIZED BY THE GRADE AND BY THE WEEK

PLAN B: OPTION D

- ½ DAY ROTATION
  - ½ DAY ON-SITE
  - ½ DAY OFF-SITE

EXAMPLE:

STUDENTS WITH LAST NAME (A-L) ATTEND MORNING. STUDENTS WITH LAST NAME (M-Z) ATTEND AFTERNOON

PLAN B: OPTION E

SYNCHRONOUS TEACHING

- ALL LEVELS AND ALL COURSES TEACHERS VIDEO STREAM ALL DAY FOR LIVE REMOTE LEARNING
- ENABLES ON-SITE LEARNING TO OCCUR AT THE SAME TIME

EXAMPLE:

SOME STUDENTS REMAIN AT HOME WHILE OTHERS ATTEND SCHOOL, ALL LESSONS ARE COMPLETED AT THE SAME TIME

PLAN B: OPTION F

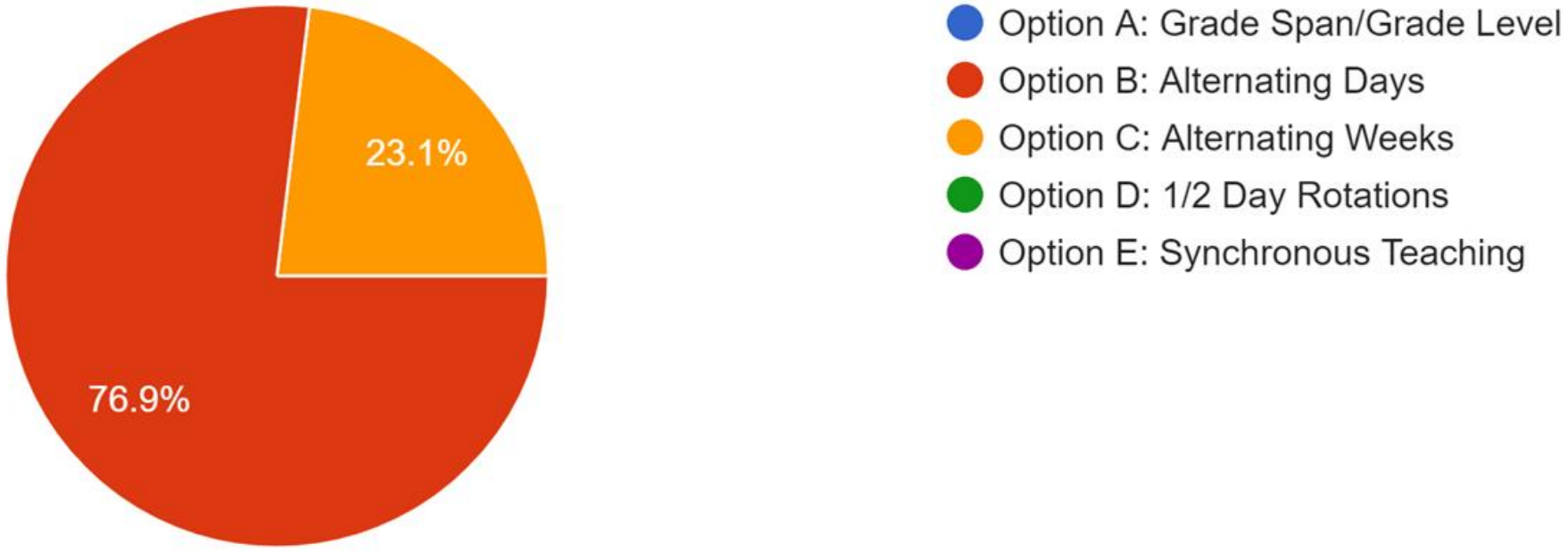
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- THIS COULD BE A COMBINATION OF PLANS THAT CONTINUE TO SUPPORT 50% CAPACITY

PRINCIPAL SURVEY RESPONSE

What is your first choice from Option A-E?

13 responses



QUESTIONS

RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommendation will be based on Governor feedback

Final recommendation will be brought to the Board in August

Unless significant changes occur, we will offer the following:

- State Plan B: Option B (Alternating Days)
  - AA,BB,C week for face-to-face instruction (siblings will be aligned by schedule)
  - Full online for all that request

MAJOR CONCERNS TO CONSIDER

- OPERATIONAL AND FINANCIAL CONCERNS
  - TRANSPORTATION
  - FEEDING PROGRAM
  - SYMPTOM SCREENINGS
  - PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (EMPLOYEES AND STUDENTS)
  - MEETING SOCIAL DISTANCING, HYGIENE AND SIGNAGE REQUIREMENTS

- PUBLIC SAFETY CONCERNS
  - HOW TO HANDLE POSITIVE TESTS
  - WHAT LIABILITY DO WE ASSUME, EVEN THOUGH WE DO EVERYTHING WITHIN OUR POWER TO PROTECT OUR STUDENTS
  - EMPLOYEES WITH HIGH RISK CONDITIONS