

DISTRICT REPORT

Teaching & Learning Conditions Colorado Survey



Prepared for
Garfield Re-2

Number of respondents (#)
369

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HOW TO READ YOUR REPORT

How to get the most from your report



ABOUT YOUR REPORT

The Teaching and Learning Conditions in Colorado (TLCC) Survey – formerly TELL Colorado survey - is a statewide survey of school-based staff (teachers and building leadership) on their perceptions of the teaching and learning conditions in their schools. Questions were asked about instructional support, professional development, managing student conduct, use of time, leadership, facilities and resources, family and community support, and future plans. Demographic questions were limited to ensure participant anonymity.

The TLCC results give you a powerful tool for understanding teachers and leaders' experience in their classrooms and schools. These results may confirm some of what you already know about classrooms and schools, may surprise you with details that you didn't know, and most likely will open up new questions about areas you want to explore further.

SURVEY DESIGN

The survey is led by the Colorado Department of Education (CDE) and operated through a statewide collaborative that includes the Colorado Association of School Boards, Colorado Association of School Executives, Colorado Education Association, Colorado Education Initiative, Colorado League of Charter Schools, Colorado Rural Alliance and representatives from school districts, universities and researchers. APA Consulting developed the TLCC survey by working closely with the partner organizations, districts and educators in the field. Cambridge Education administered the inaugural launch the survey in January 2018.

SCORING AND REFERENCE DATA

After responding to demographic questions, educators indicated one of four response options for each item on the survey. Scores in this report are percentages based on the proportion of staff who replied "Agree" or "Strongly Agree." Responses to "I don't Know" do not affect favorability ratings. You can see a full breakdown of how all educators responded in the "Results" section.

Items on the TLCC have varying levels of meaning by design, so it is not as easy as simply looking at the highest and lowest items to identify strengths and areas of improvement. When examining a school's results, you should think carefully about the priorities of your school(s) and departments, and then identify relative strengths and weaknesses across teachers and schools.

USE OF CHARTS & LEGENDS



To help you identify your score we have colour coded the items



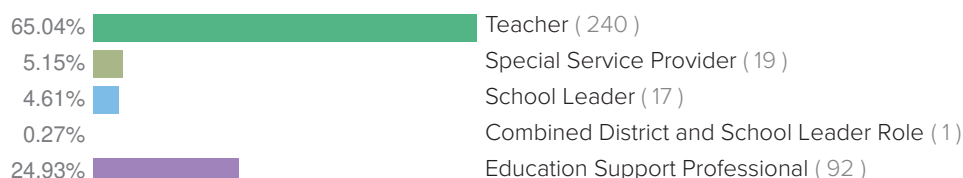
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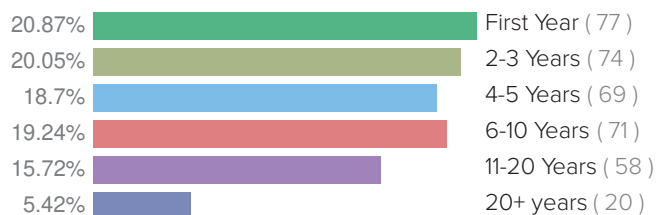
The following graphics display how those who took the survey responded to the demographic questions which were included. This page allows you to understand the attributes of the survey respondents.

369 total respondents

D What is your current position at the school?



D How many years have you worked at your present school in the position identified in question 1?



D How many years have you worked in your career in this position/role?



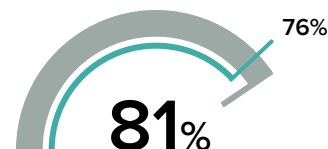
REPORT OVERVIEW

Your results at a glance



TLCC Survey

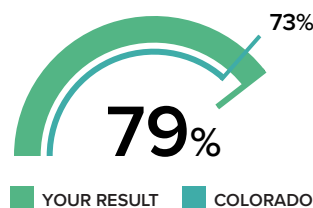
REPORT OVERALL FAVORABILITY



YOUR RESULTS

NQ

New Staff Questions



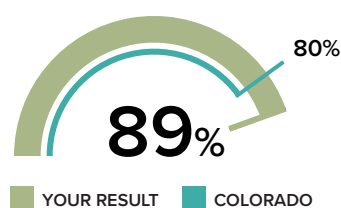
TOP ITEM RESULT

84%

Q To what degree do you feel that you have received adequate support as a new teacher/staff member at this school?

SL

School Leadership



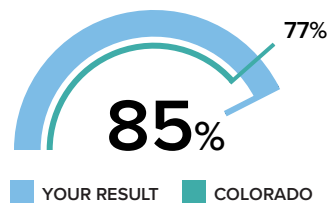
TOP ITEM RESULT

98%

Q Teachers are aware of what they are being evaluated on, including the evaluation rubric and measures of student learning/outcomes...

SL

Staff Leadership



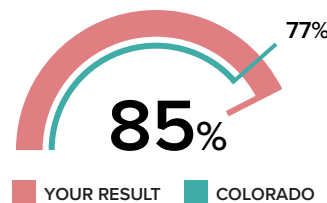
TOP ITEM RESULT

89%

Q Teachers' and support personnels' professional expertise is valued.

MC

Managing Student Conduct



TOP ITEM RESULT

97%

Q Students at this school have at least one adult on staff they can trust to support them with social, emotional, or personal concerns.

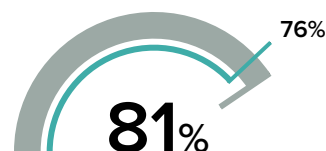
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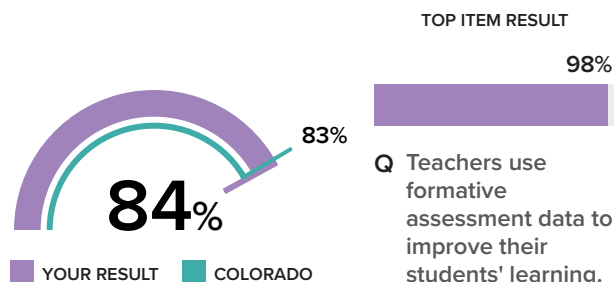
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YOUR RESULTS

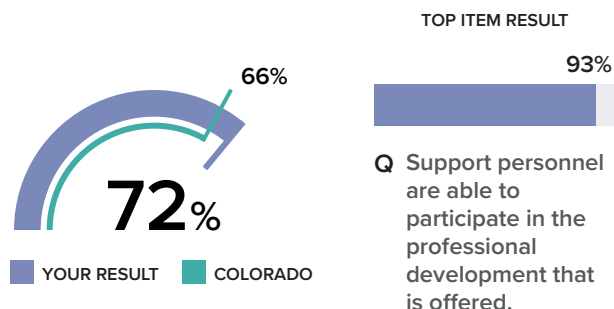
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Instructional Practices and Support



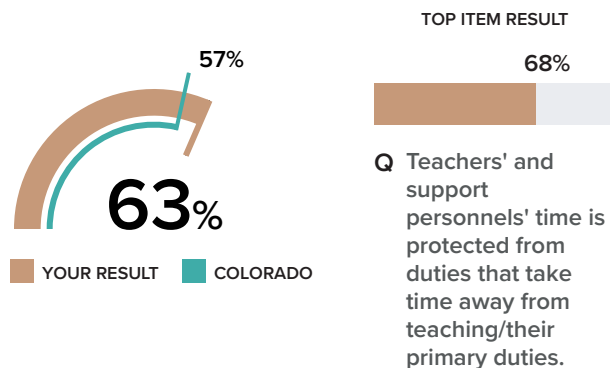
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Professional Development



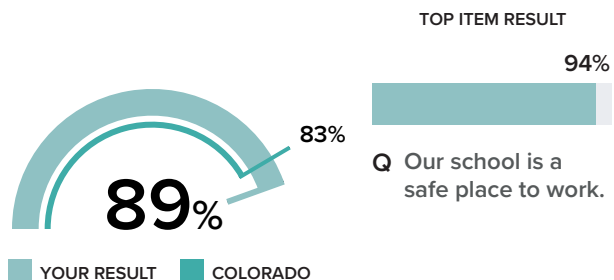
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Time



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Facilities and Resources



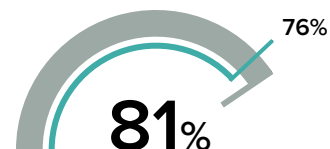
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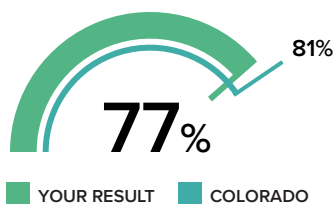
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YOUR RESULTS

CI

Community Support and Involvement



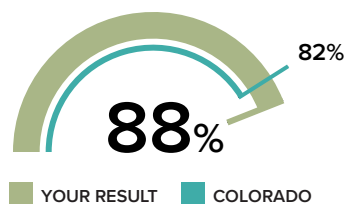
TOP ITEM RESULT

93%

Q Every family has access to information about what is happening in the school.

GR

General Reflection



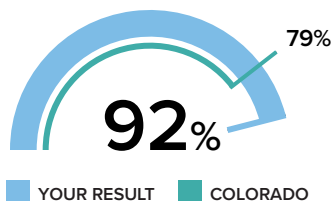
TOP ITEM RESULT

91%

Q I would recommend this school as a good place to work.

DS

District Supports



TOP ITEM RESULT

100%

Q My school receives instructional resources on par with other schools in the district.

INSIGHTS

Discover important aspects of your report



HOW INSIGHTS WORK

This page helps you track performance across your district. Each row within the table below shows the construct-level and the overall results for each qualifying participating school. This list is arranged by Overall Results.

	NQ	SL	SL	MC	IS	PD	T	FR	CI	GR	DS	Overall
FAVORABILITY AVERAGE	79%	89%	85%	85%	84%	72%	63%	89%	77%	88%	92%	81%
Elk Creek Elementary	71%	97%	87%	94%	91%	82%	78%	95%	89%	97%	N/A	90%
Kathryn Senior Elementary School	94%	92%	92%	93%	87%	81%	64%	86%	84%	96%	N/A	86%
Cactus Valley Elementary School	86%	94%	92%	93%	84%	80%	62%	90%	87%	90%	N/A	85%
Highland Elementary School	74%	94%	86%	93%	86%	81%	55%	92%	75%	93%	N/A	84%
Riverside School	81%	87%	83%	80%	84%	67%	53%	93%	72%	86%	N/A	79%
Coal Ridge High School	82%	77%	68%	85%	78%	64%	69%	94%	64%	75%	N/A	75%
Rifle High School	76%	78%	77%	58%	77%	53%	61%	84%	66%	74%	N/A	71%
Graham Mesa Elementary School	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Rifle Middle School	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Wamsley Elementary School	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

RESULTS

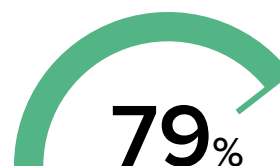
Item level results from your report



NQ New Staff Questions

Only delivered to new teachers and support personnel (e.g., years 1-3), these questions relate to specific supports for new staff (e.g., supports, mentoring).

OVERALL FAVORABILITY



COMPARE RESULT

69%

Colorado

76%

Q To what extent do you meet with your mentor during a typical school week?

Distribution of responses



74%

Colorado

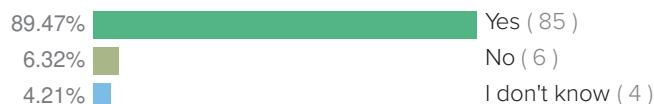
84%

Q To what degree do you feel that you have received adequate support as a new teacher/staff member at this school?

Distribution of responses



Q Have you received any new teacher supports, or training specifically for your role at this school?



NQ More New Staff Questions results on next page

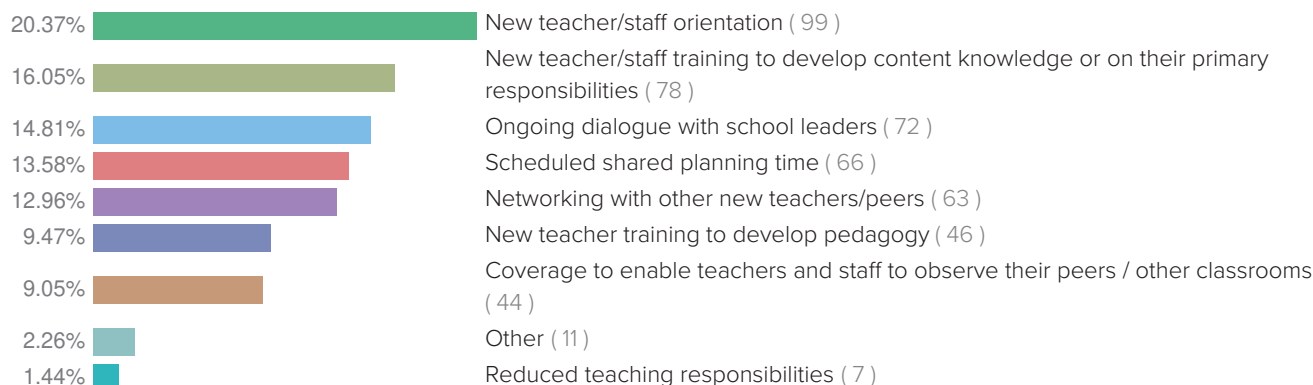
NQ New Staff Questions (cont)

COMPARE RESULT

Q Have you been assigned a formal mentor this school year?



Q Which of the following new staff supports have you received at this school?



TO WHAT EXTENT DO YOU FOCUS ON THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF WORK WITH YOUR MENTOR?

Q Job/Instructional support and classroom support (e.g., ideas, resources, advice on doing my job well)

82%

Colorado

84%

Distribution of responses



Q Personal support (e.g., social connections, help with stress)

70%

Colorado

69%

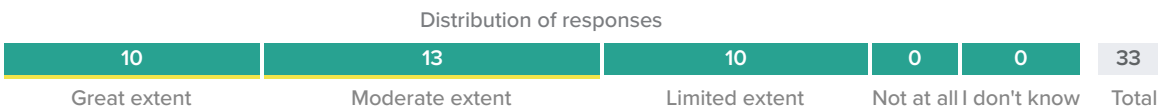
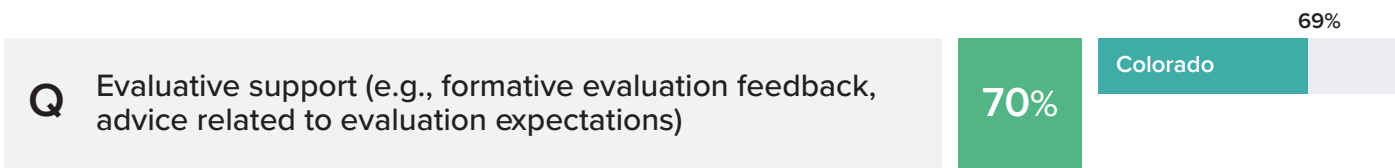
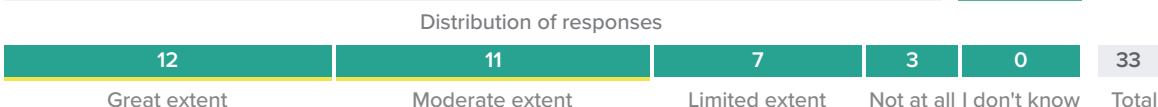
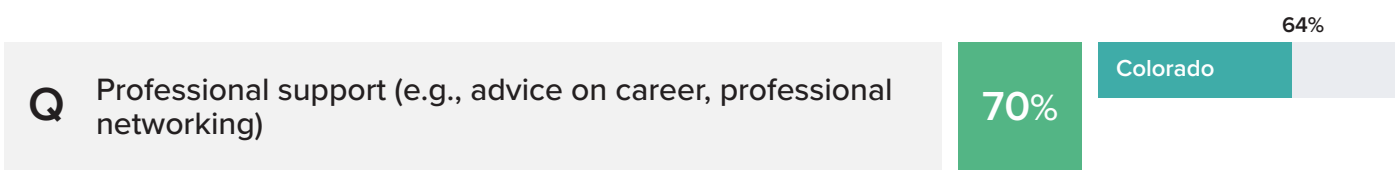
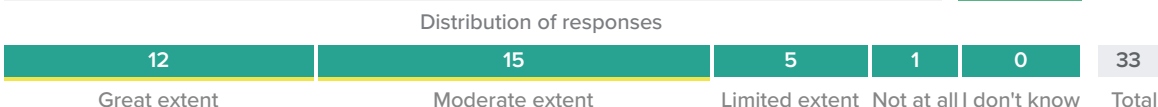
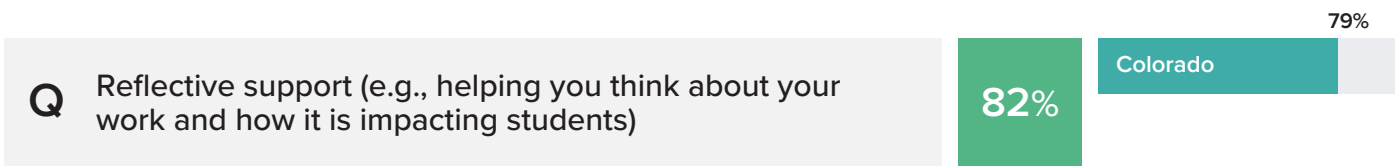
Distribution of responses



NQ More New Staff Questions results on next page

NQ New Staff Questions (cont)

COMPARE RESULT



RESULTS

Item level results from your report



SL School Leadership

This area is aimed at the school leadership's role within the school, the vision provided and the culture of the building. These items refer to the team that leads the school; they are not limited to the principal.

OVERALL FAVORABILITY



COMPARE RESULT

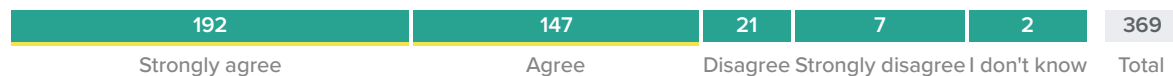
82%

Colorado

92%

Q This school is led by an effective team.

Distribution of responses



86%

Colorado

92%

Q Our work together is guided by a shared vision that is student focused.

Distribution of responses



75%

Colorado

84%

Q School staff participate in the school's improvement planning process (e.g., Unified Improvement Plan, school based improvement) in a meaningful way.

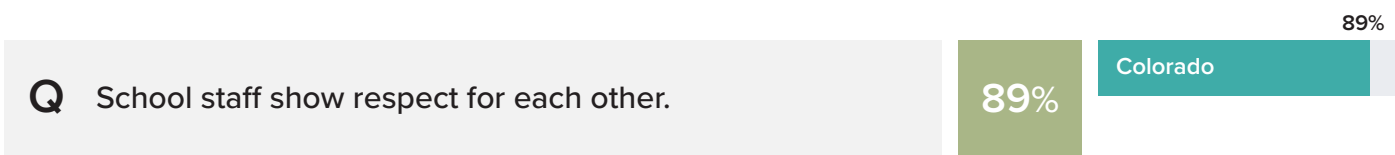
Distribution of responses



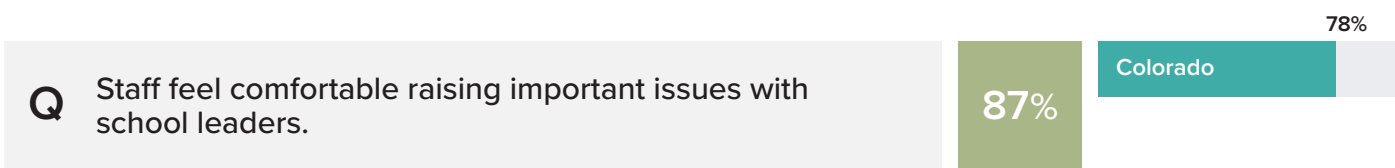
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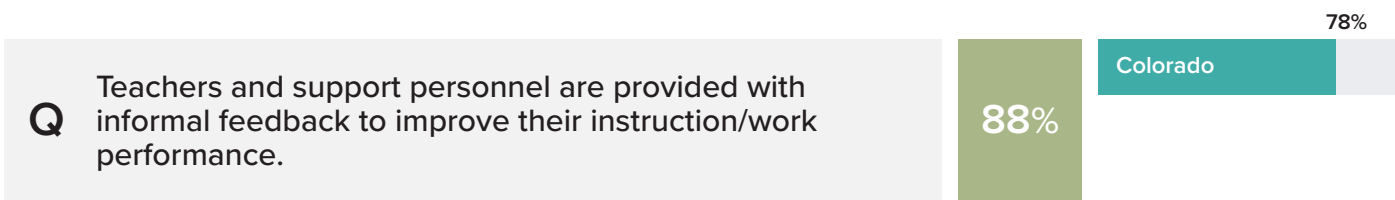
COMPARE RESULT



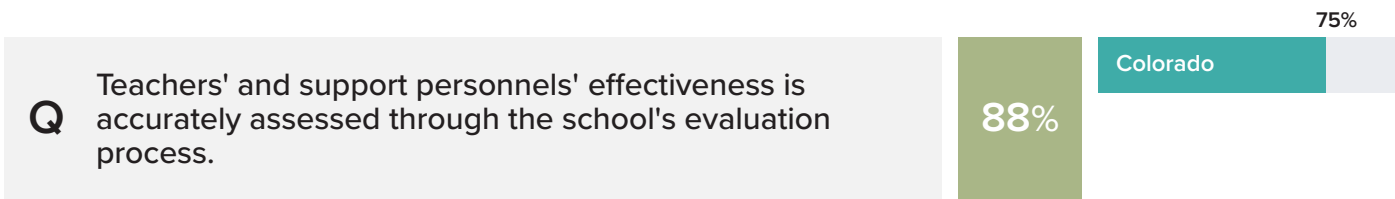
Distribution of responses



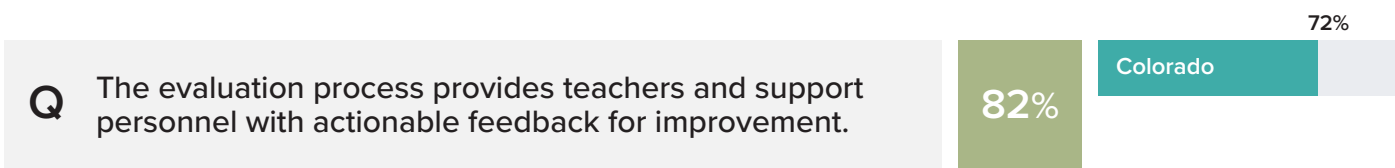
Distribution of responses



Distribution of responses



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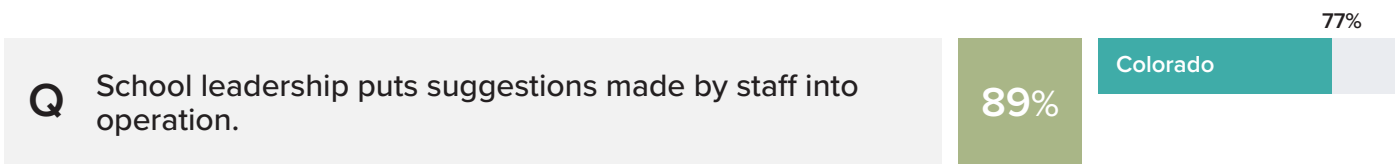


Distribution of responses

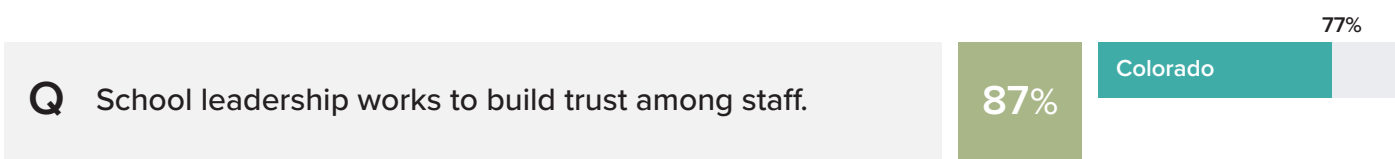


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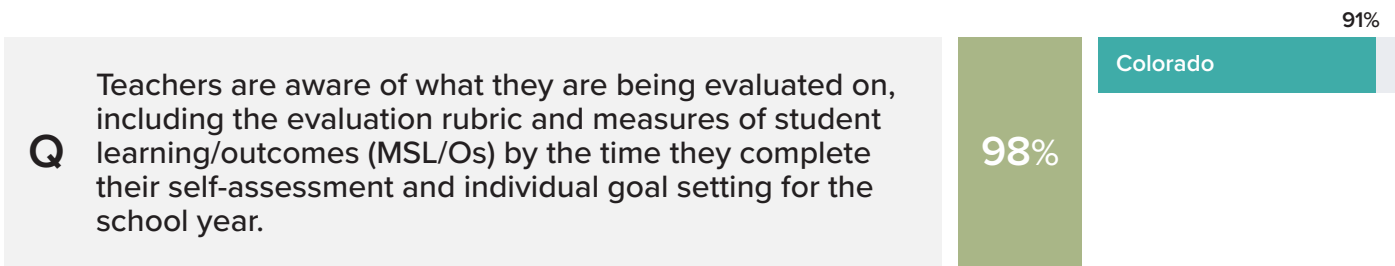
COMPARE RESULT



Distribution of responses



Distribution of responses



Distribution of responses



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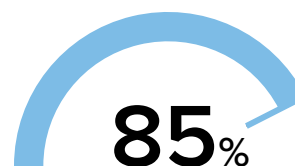
Item level results from your report



SL Staff Leadership

This area focuses on the role of teachers and support personnel as leaders within the school and the level of influence that all staff hold.

OVERALL FAVORABILITY



COMPARE RESULT

81%

Colorado

Q Teachers' and support personnels' professional expertise is valued.

89%

Distribution of responses



Q There is a process in place for collaborative problem solving in this school.

87%

Distribution of responses



Q Teachers and support personnel have leadership opportunities in this school.

82%

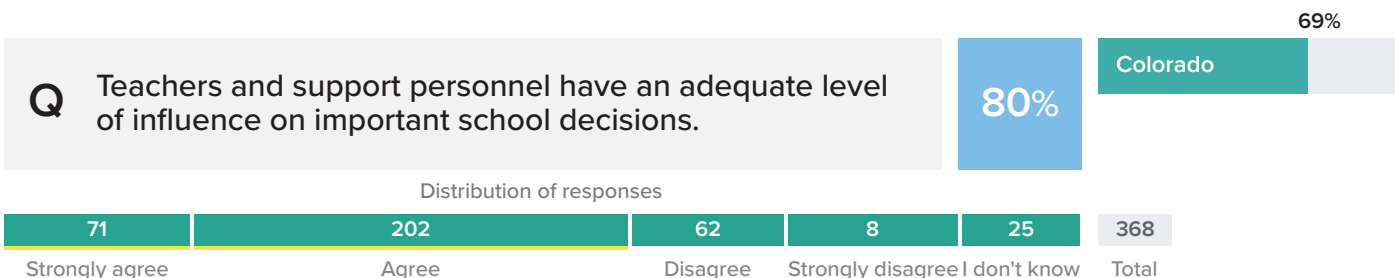
Distribution of responses



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SL Staff Leadership (cont)

COMPARE RESULT



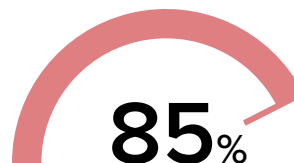
RESULTS

Item level results from your report



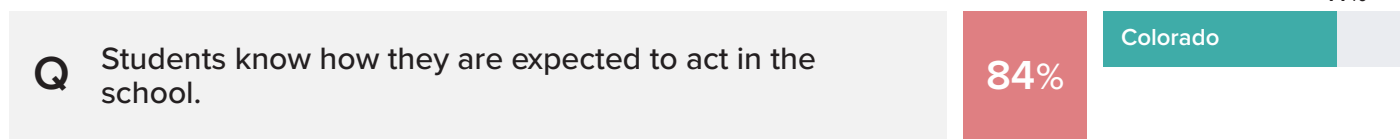
MC Managing Student Conduct

OVERALL FAVORABILITY

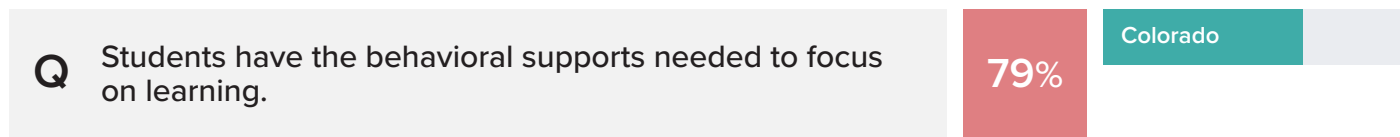


This area centers on school safety and expectations for student behavior.

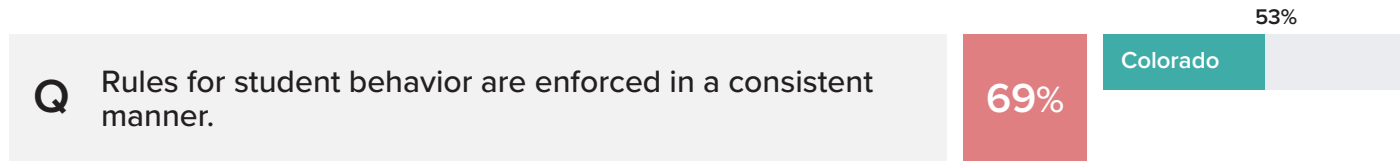
COMPARE RESULT



Distribution of responses



Distribution of responses



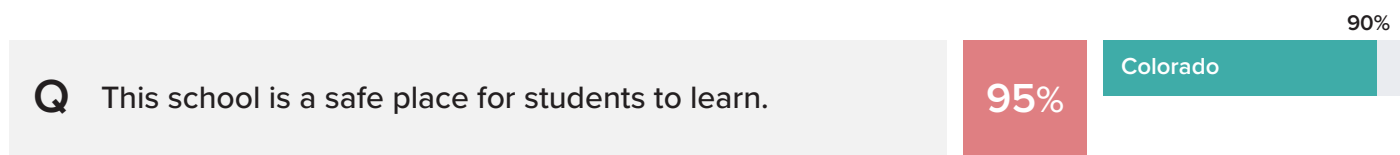
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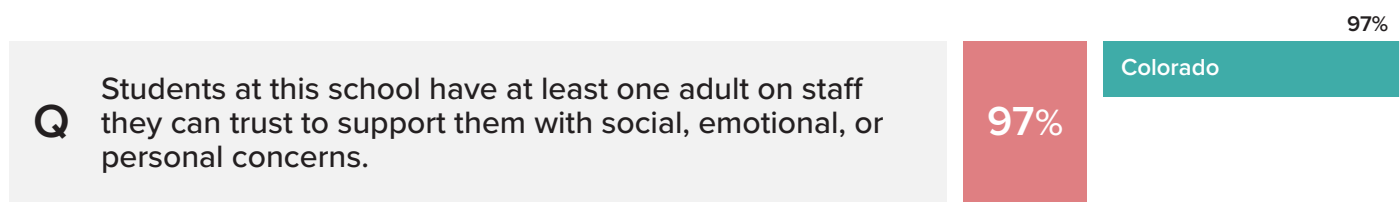
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MC Managing Student Conduct (cont)

COMPARE RESULT



Distribution of responses



Distribution of responses



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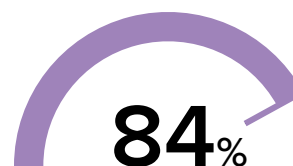
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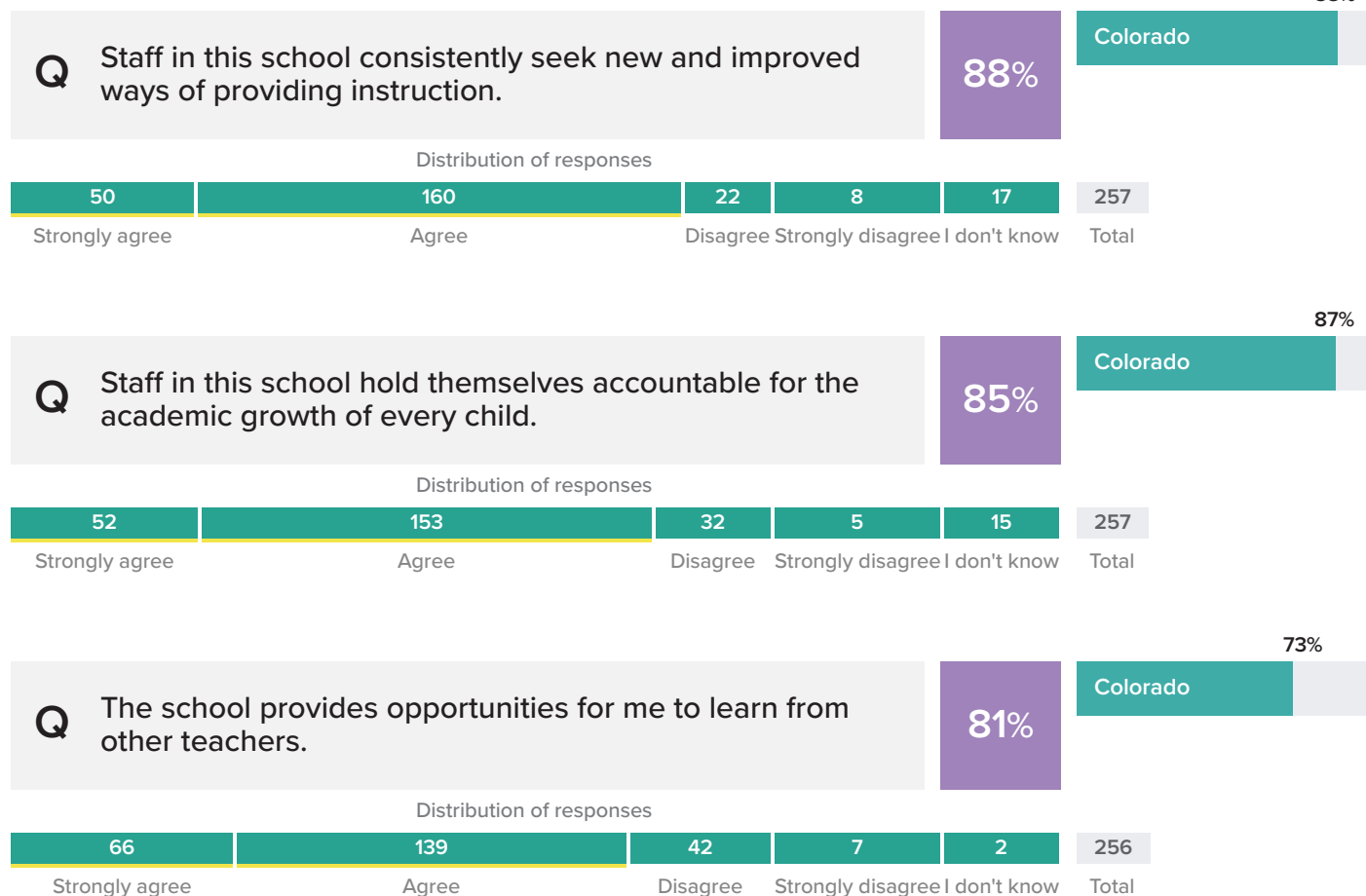
IS Instructional Practices and Support

This section is aimed at the instructional approach of the school and the intentional supports for various student groups.

OVERALL FAVORABILITY



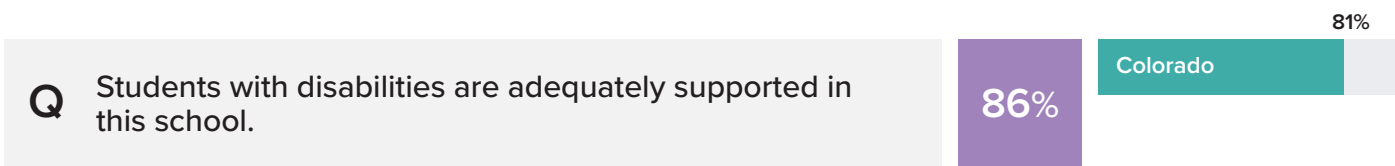
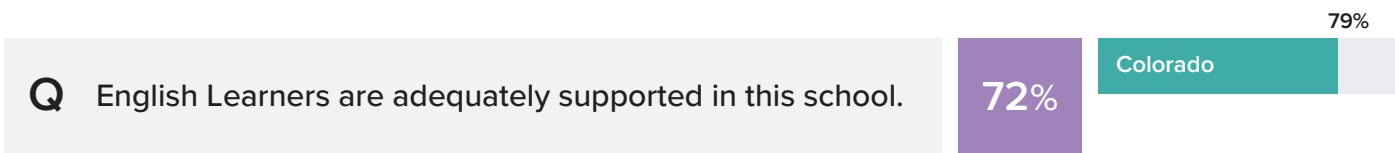
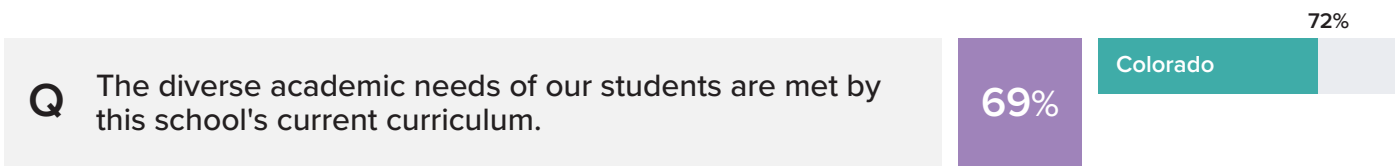
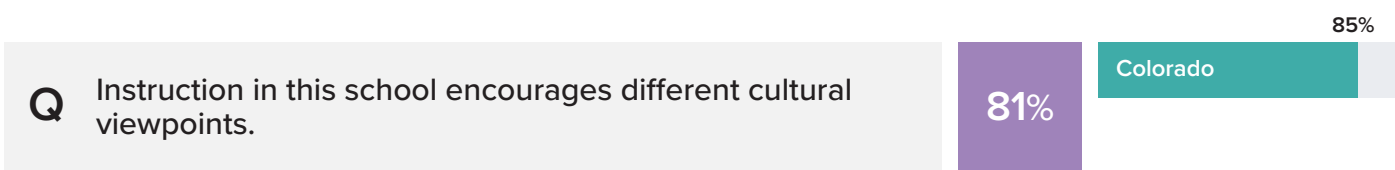
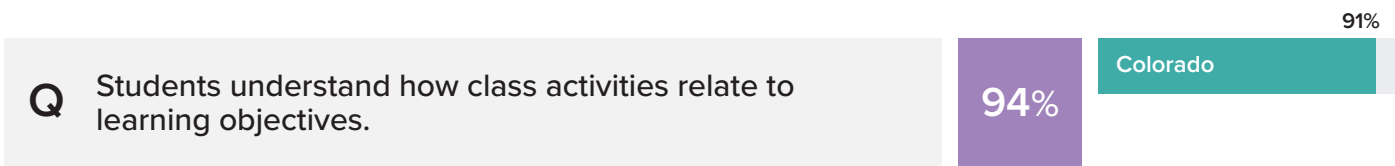
COMPARE RESULT



More Instructional Practices and Support results on next page

IS Instructional Practices and Support (cont)

COMPARE RESULT



More Instructional Practices and Support results on next page

IS Instructional Practices and Support (cont)

COMPARE RESULT

Q Gifted students are adequately supported in this school.

75%

75%

Colorado

Distribution of responses

73	173	73	8	40	367
Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	I don't know	Total

Q Students' social and emotional learning is adequately supported in this school.

81%

79%

Colorado

Distribution of responses

76	206	56	10	19	367
Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	I don't know	Total

Q Teachers and staff members have the autonomy to make important decisions in their classrooms or carry out their job responsibilities.

93%

89%

Colorado

Distribution of responses

168	169	22	3	5	367
Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	I don't know	Total

Q Teachers feel supported in trying new instructional strategies.

93%

92%

Colorado

Distribution of responses

108	126	15	3	5	257
Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	I don't know	Total

Q Teachers use formative assessment data to improve their students' learning.

98%

98%

Colorado

Distribution of responses

113	136	5	1	2	257
Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	I don't know	Total

RESULTS

Item level results from your report



PD Professional Development

This section summarizes the school's general approach to professional development, including alignment with other work, adequacy and types of opportunities.

OVERALL FAVORABILITY



COMPARE RESULT

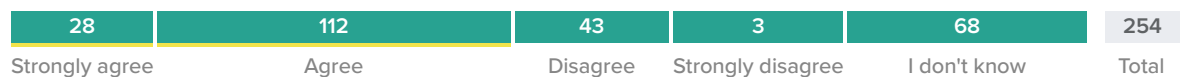
71%

Colorado

Q The school improvement plan (e.g., Unified Improvement Plan) influences teachers' professional learning choices.

75%

Distribution of responses



Q Professional learning opportunities are personalized and aligned to teachers' needs and strengths.

62%

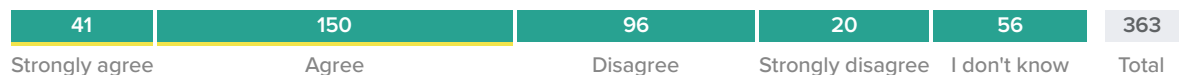
Distribution of responses



Q The effectiveness of professional development is assessed regularly.

62%

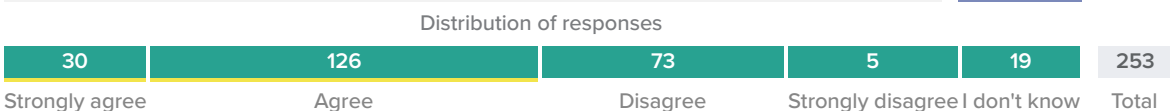
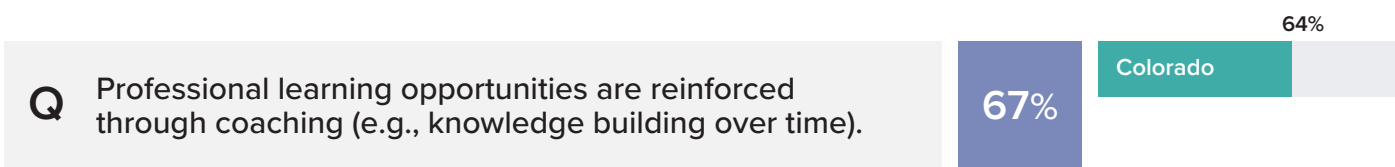
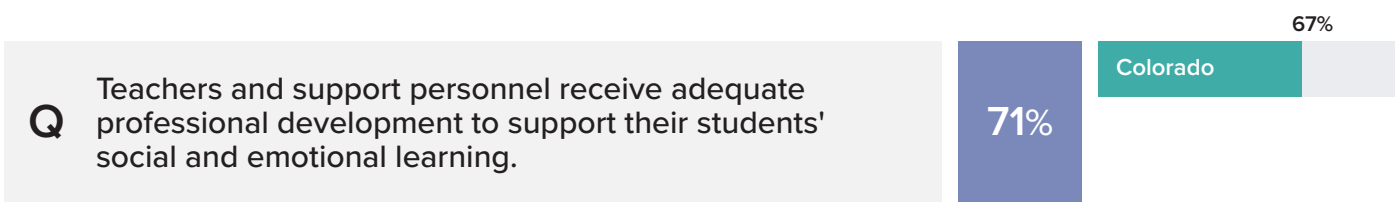
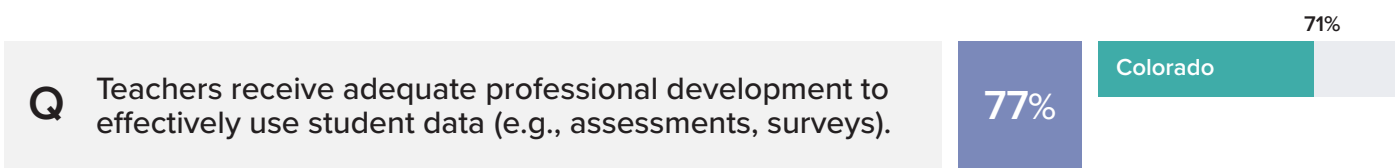
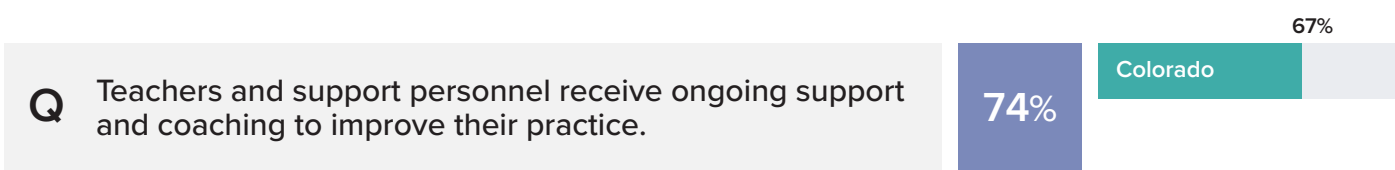
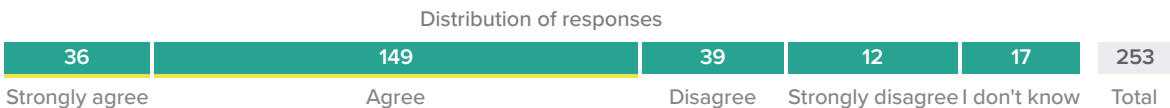
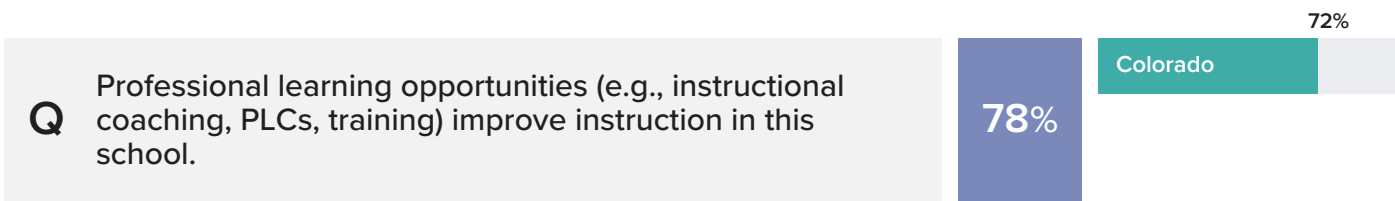
Distribution of responses



More Professional Development results on next page

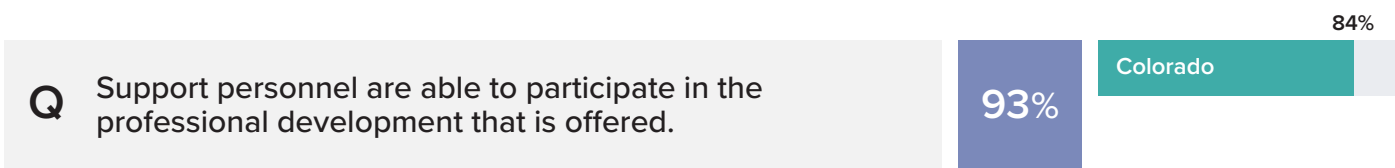
PD Professional Development (cont)

COMPARE RESULT

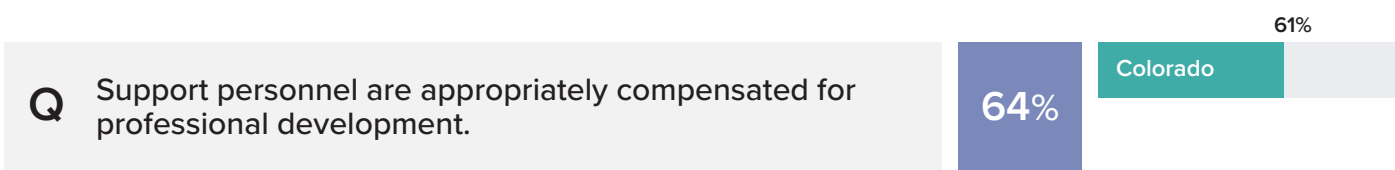


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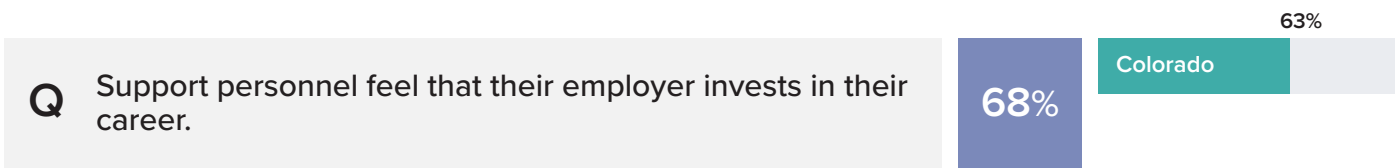
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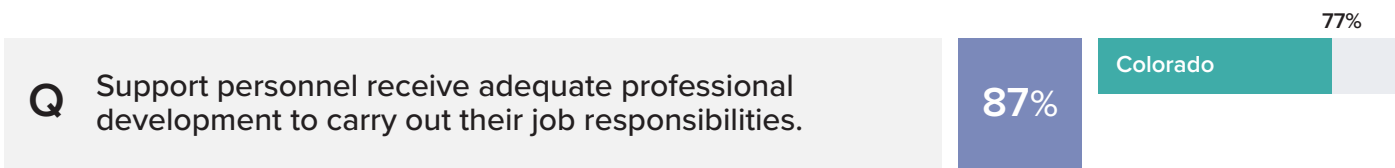
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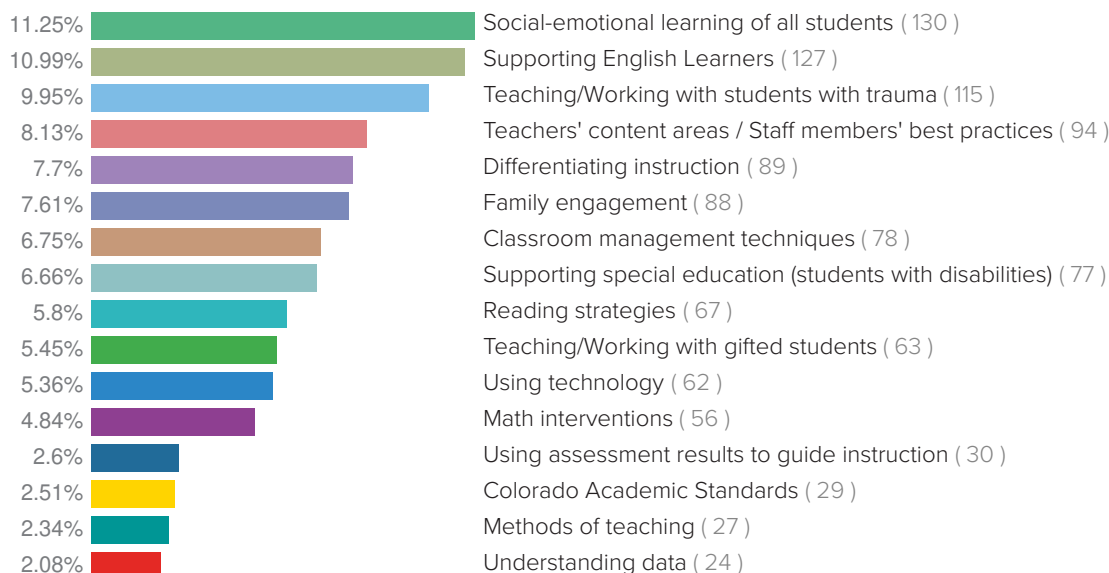


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PD Professional Development (cont)

COMPARE RESULT

Q Which of the following would be most beneficial for you to learn more about?



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T Time

This area focuses on the availability of and use of time.

OVERALL FAVORABILITY



COMPARE RESULT

59%

Colorado

65%

Q Teachers and support personnel have adequate time to prepare for their primary duties.

Distribution of responses



62%

Colorado

68%

Q Teachers' and support personnels' time is protected from duties that take time away from teaching/their primary duties.

Distribution of responses



52%

Colorado

57%

Q Teachers have adequate time to analyze and respond to student assessment data.

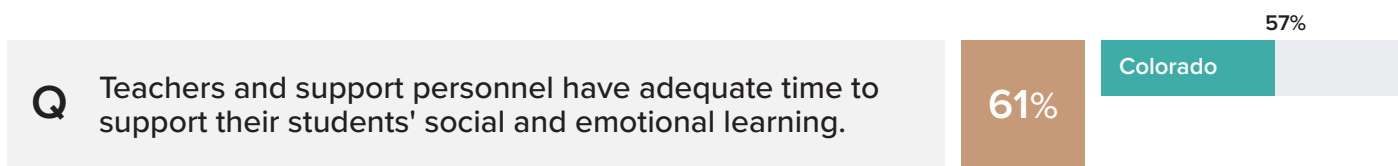
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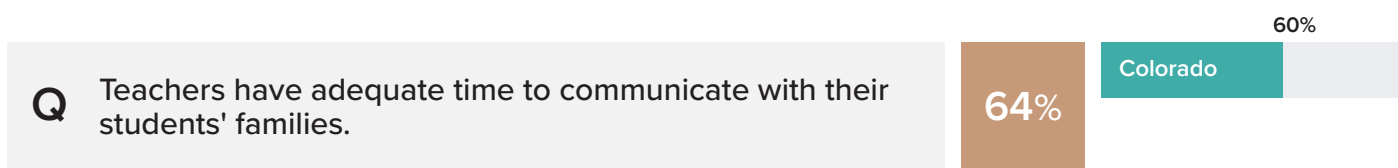
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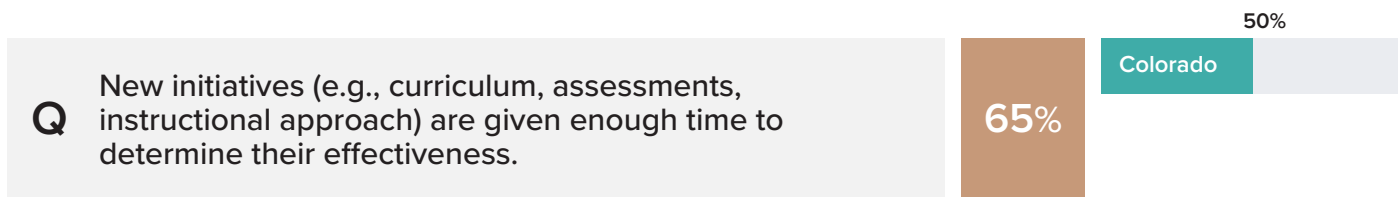
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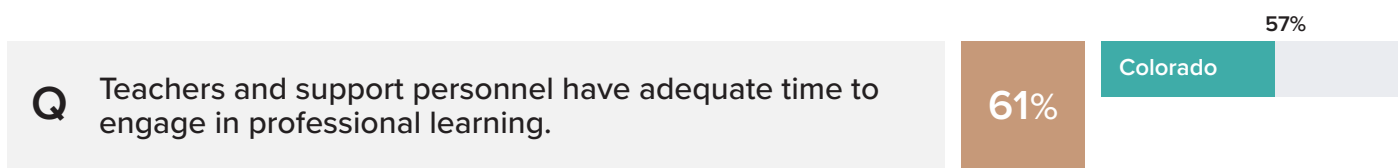
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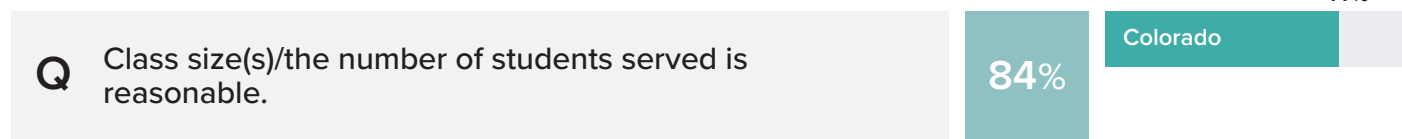
FR Facilities and Resources

This section focuses on student class size, instructional resources, and safety.

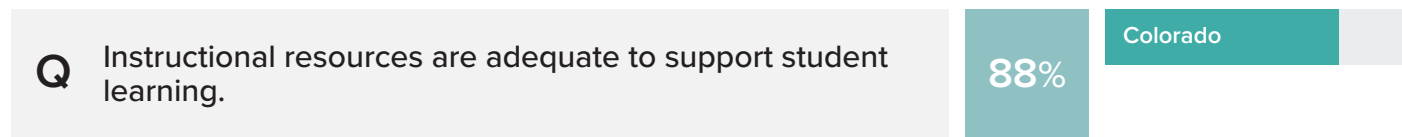
OVERALL FAVORABILITY



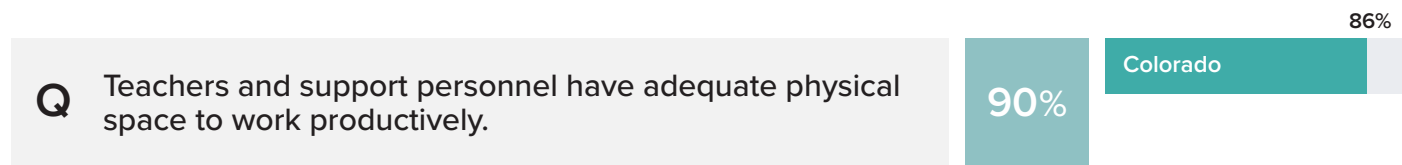
COMPARE RESULT



Distribution of responses



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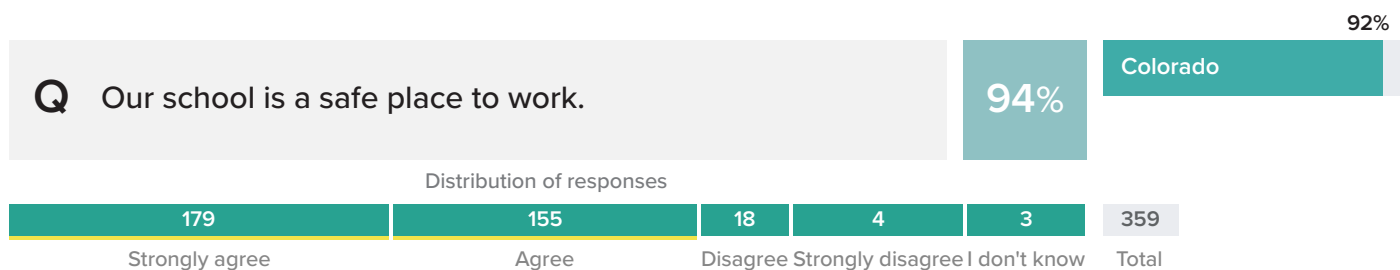
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FR Facilities and Resources (cont)

COMPARE RESULT



RESULTS

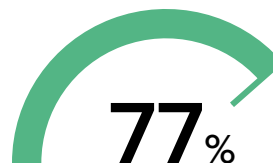
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CI Community Support and Involvement

This section summarizes the school's approach to family and community support and engagement.

OVERALL FAVORABILITY



COMPARE RESULT

85%

Q The broader community is supportive of the school.

71%

Colorado

Distribution of responses



Q The school's efforts to engage families are effective.

71%

Colorado

Distribution of responses



Q The school provides strategies that families can use at home to support their children's learning.

70%

Colorado

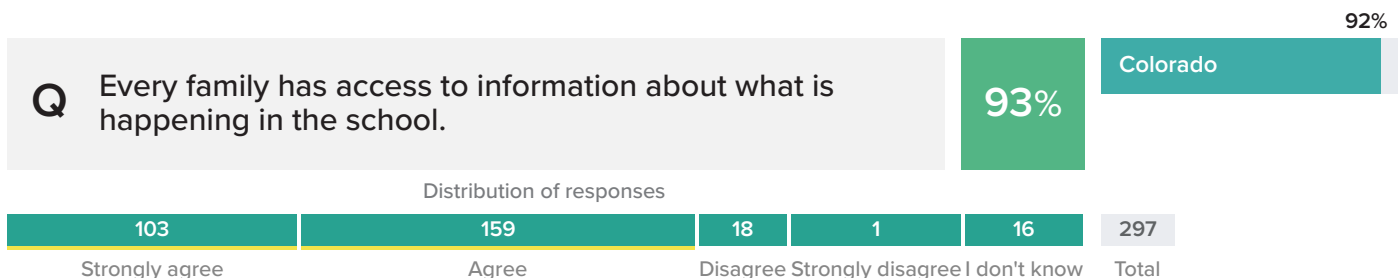
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CI Community Support and Involvement (cont)

COMPARE RESULT



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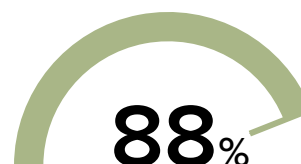
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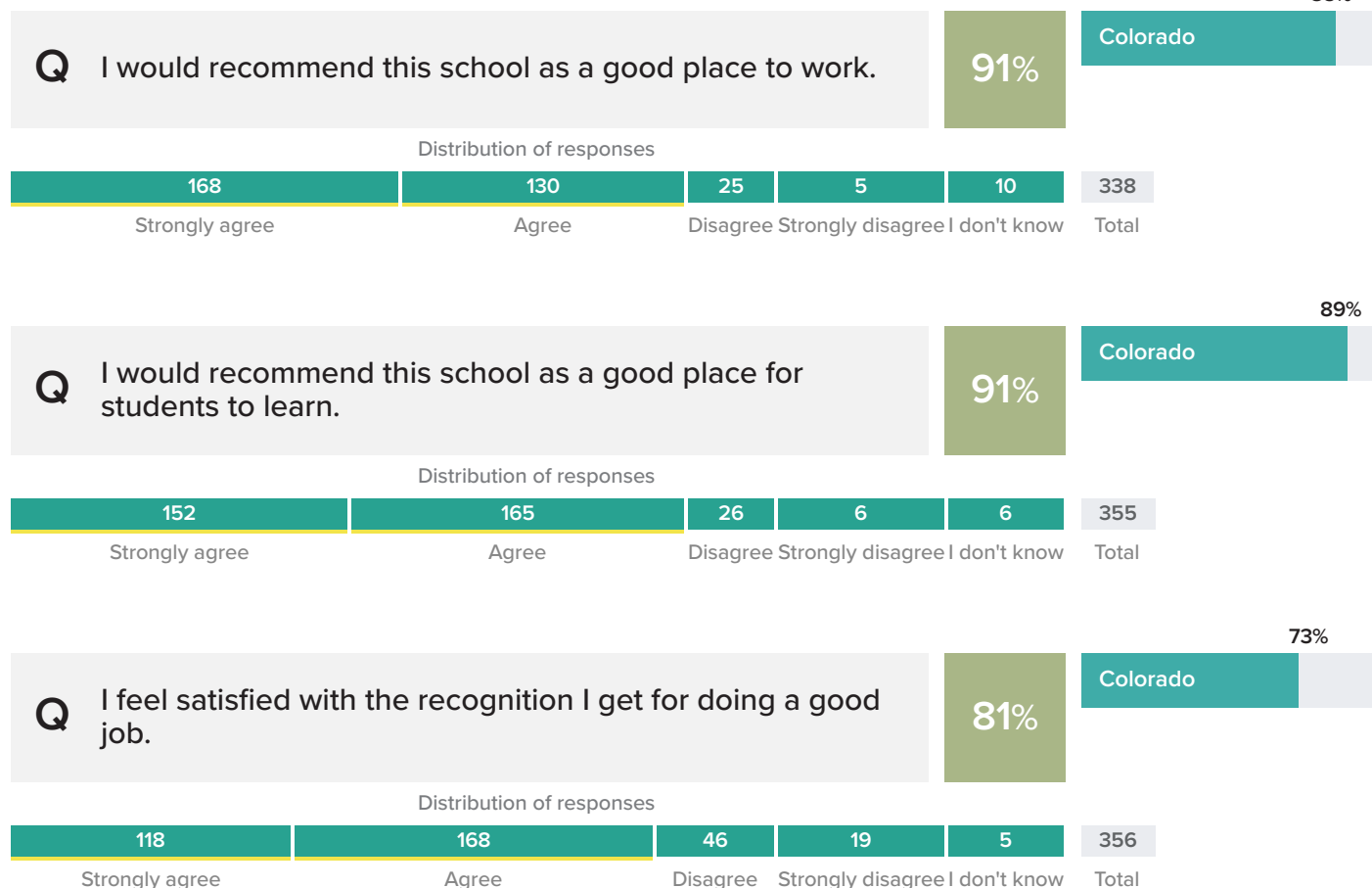
GR General Reflection

This area gauges staff's overall impressions of the school, as well as future employment plans.

OVERALL FAVORABILITY



COMPARE RESULT

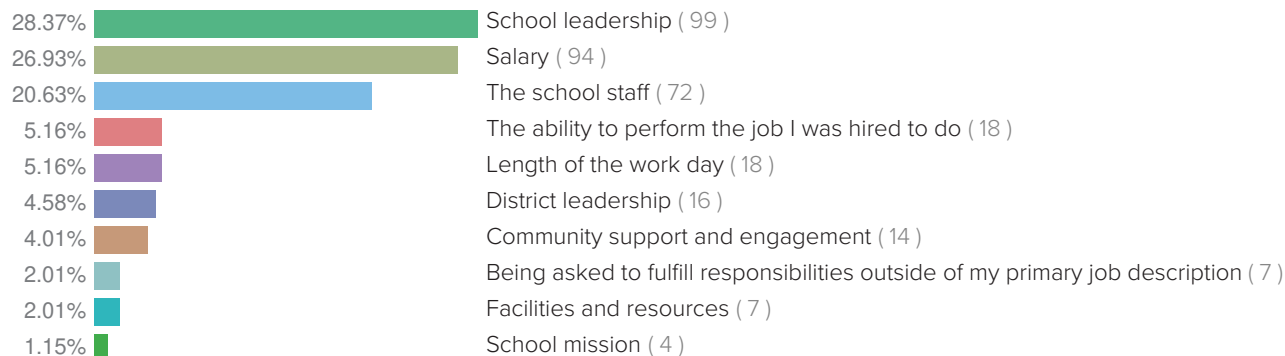


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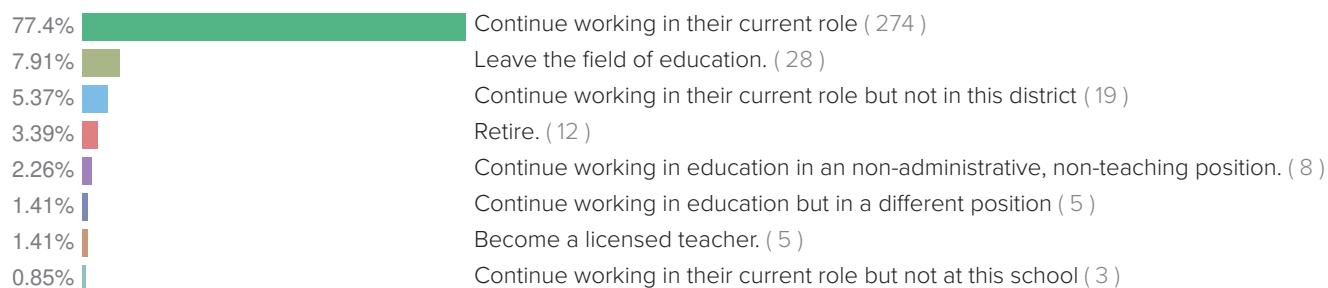
GR General Reflection (cont)

COMPARE RESULT

Q Which of the following most affects your decision about whether to continue working at this school?



Q Which of the following best describes your plans after the end of this school year?



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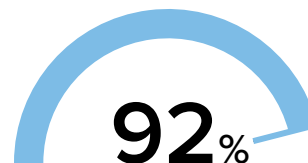
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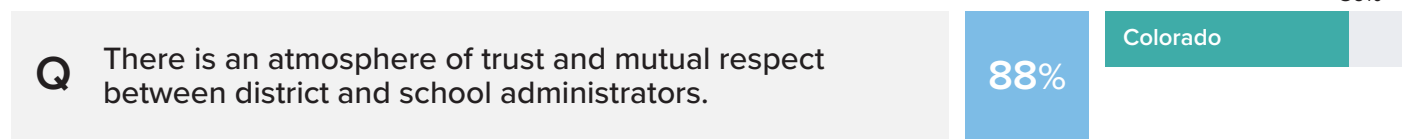
DS District Supports

Unique to building leaders, these questions ask about their impressions of the level of district support for the school.

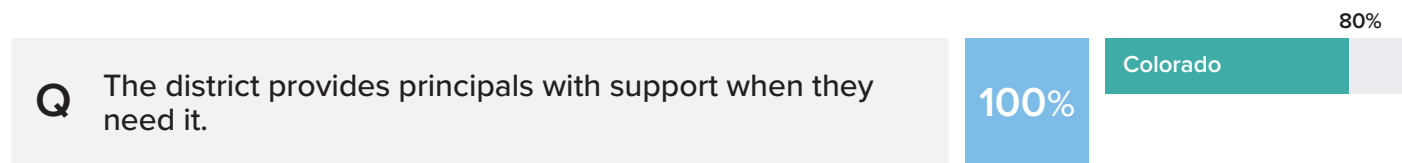
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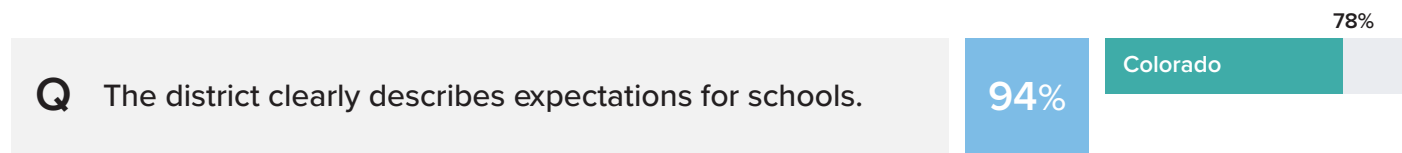
COMPARE RESULT



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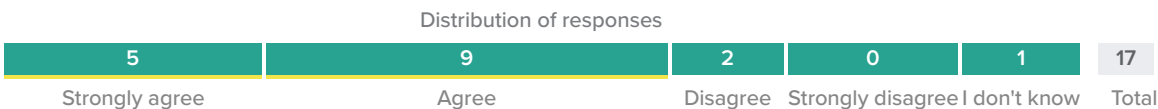
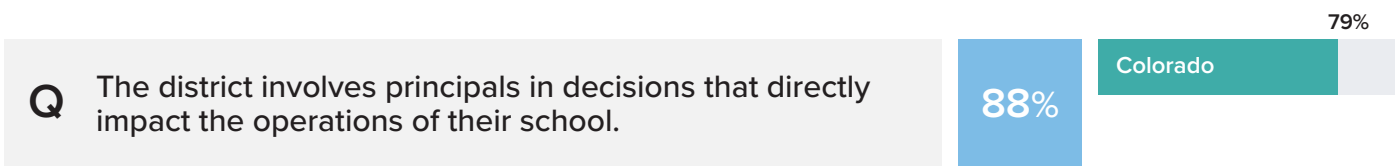
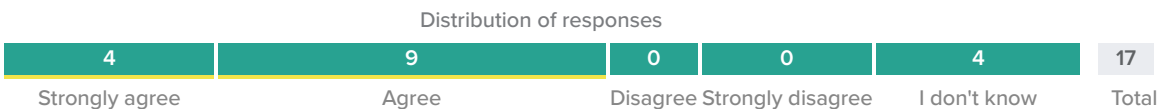
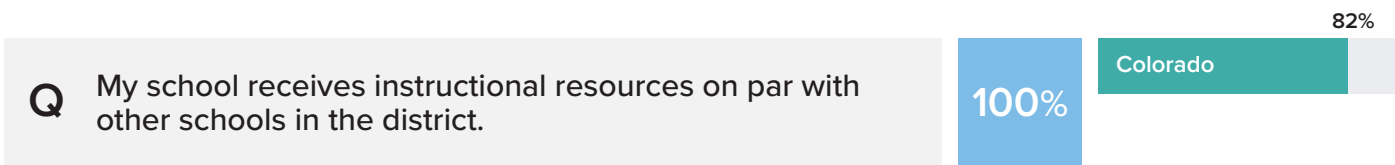
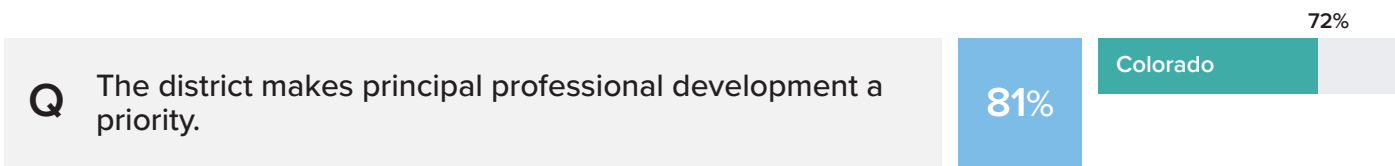
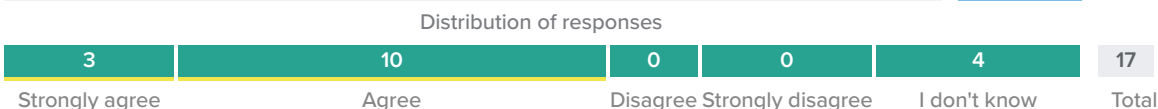
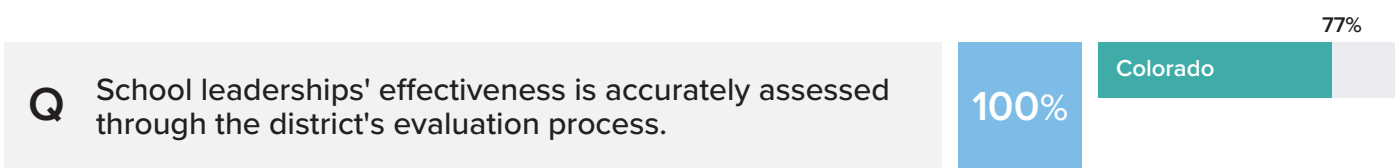
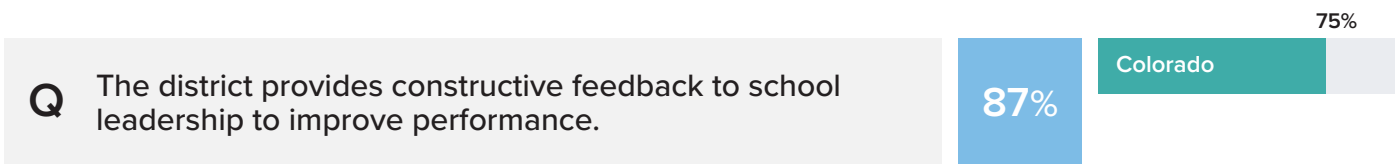
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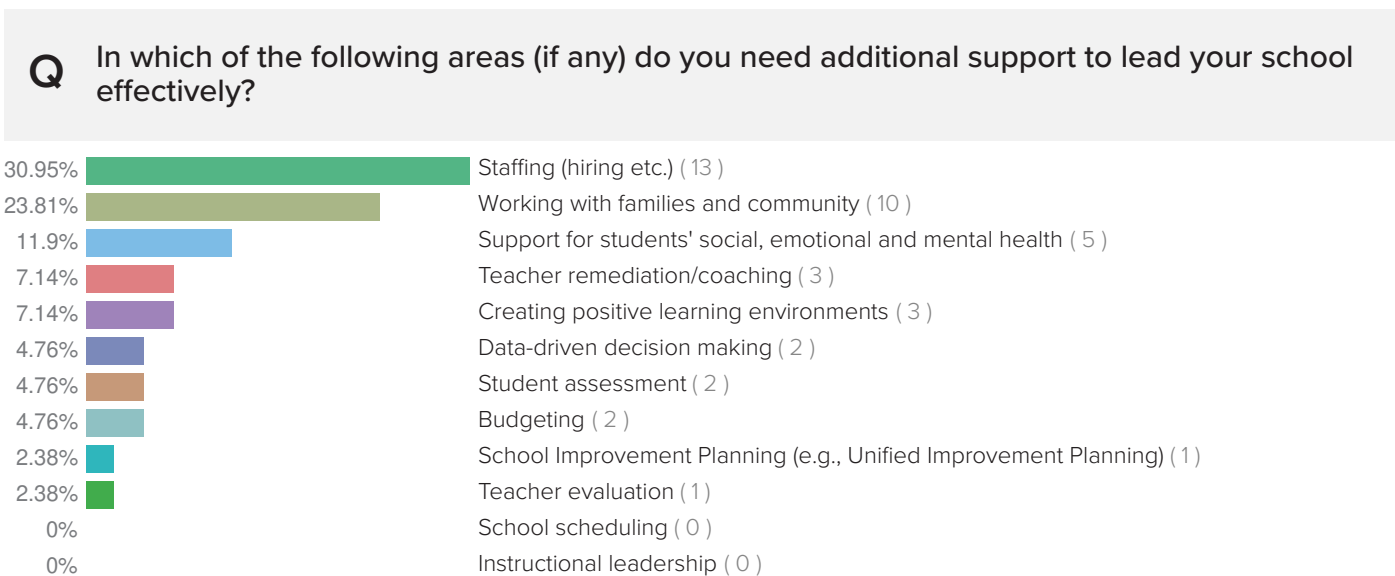
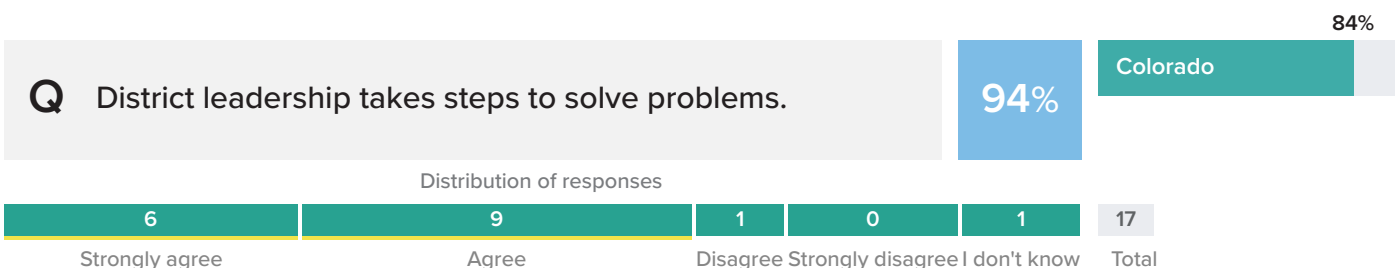
DS District Supports (cont)

COMPARE RESULT



DS District Supports (cont)

COMPARE RESULT



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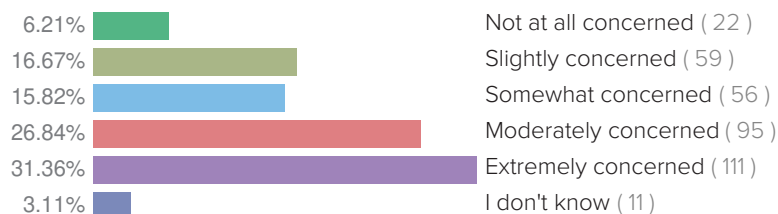


SC Student Challenges

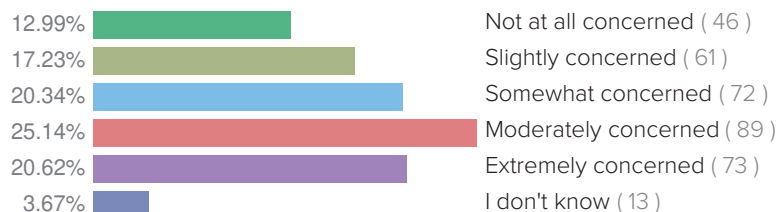
This section focuses on concerns regarding pandemic impacts on students during the current school year.

PLEASE INDICATE YOUR LEVEL OF CONCERN FOR EACH OF THE FOLLOWING PANDEMIC IMPACTS ON YOUR STUDENTS DURING THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR:

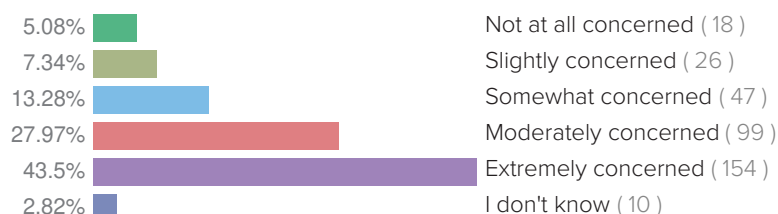
Q Decrease in student emotional well-being (health, happiness, and comfort).



Q Social isolation.

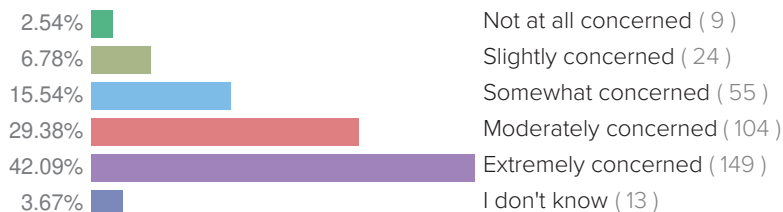


Q Increases in learning gaps.

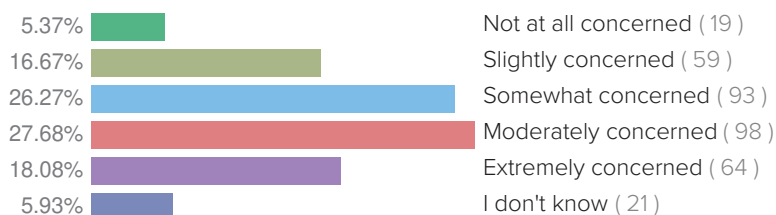


SC Student Challenges (cont)

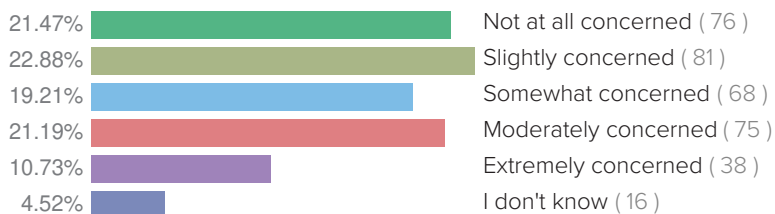
Q Insufficient home learning support.



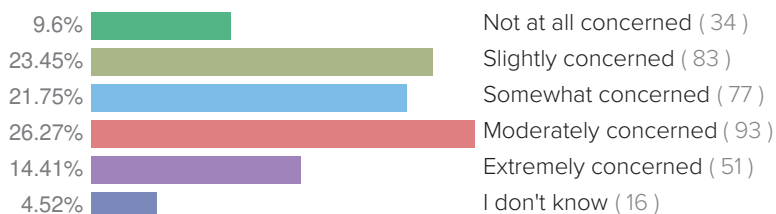
Q Student worries about their family's health, safety or economic security.



Q Student stress about assessment and grading.



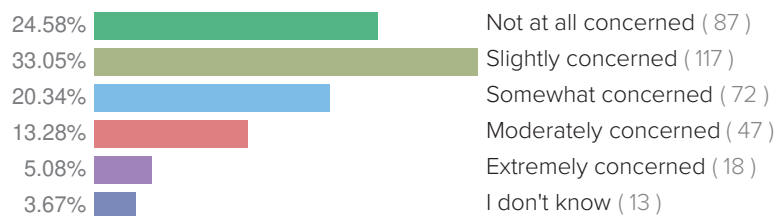
Q Lack of access to basic needs (e.g., food, shelter, safety).



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SC Student Challenges (cont)

Q Lack of access to technology/internet.



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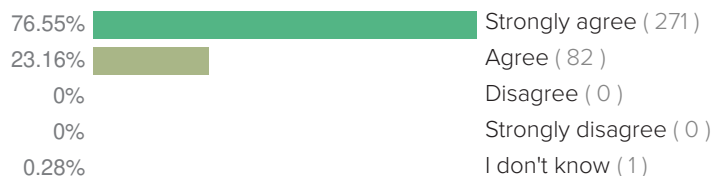
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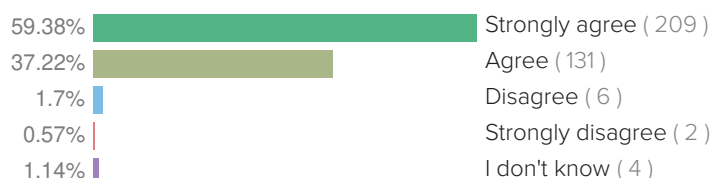
SW Support for Student Wellbeing

This section includes staff comfort level and preparedness to support student wellbeing.

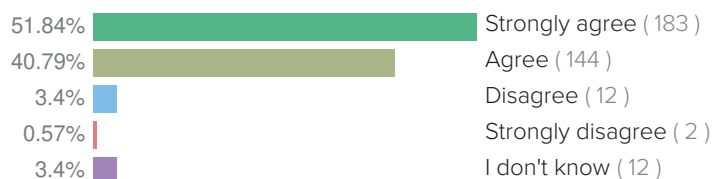
Q I value being a trusted adult for students in my school.



Q I feel comfortable discussing life skills with my students.



Q I feel comfortable discussing resilience strategies with my students.



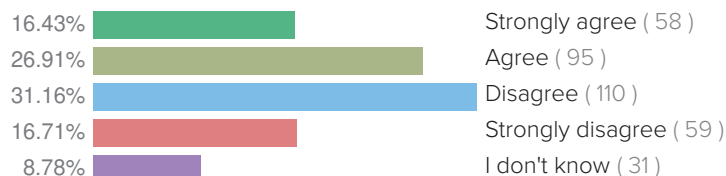
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SW Support for Student Wellbeing (cont)

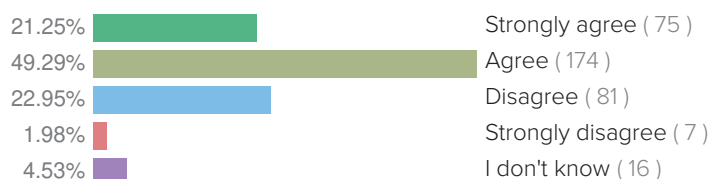
Q I feel comfortable discussing mental health with my students.



Q I feel comfortable discussing suicide with students.



Q I feel adequately prepared to support students' social-emotional wellbeing.



Q I have access to adequate supports if I have concerns about students' mental health.



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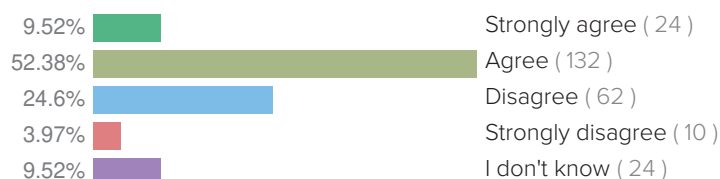
SS School Supports

This section is aimed at systems of student support of the school, including academics and socio-emotional supports.

Q Our school has established an effective tiered system of supports for students (e.g., MTSS, Student Intervention Teams, Response to Intervention).



Q Our school's system of support for students help students get back on track academically.



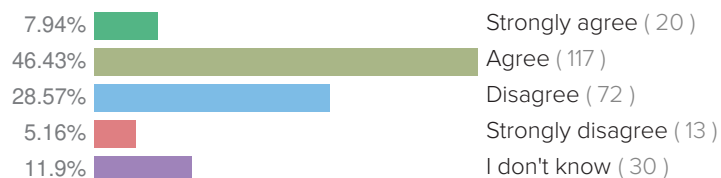
Q Our school's system of support for students help students get the social-emotional support they need.



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SS School Supports (cont)

Q Our school's system of support for students makes my job easier.



RESULTS

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PJ Pandemic Impact on Teaching / Job

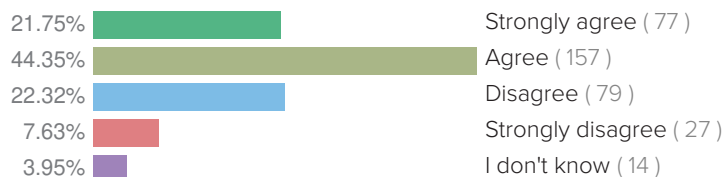
This section focuses on pandemic impacts on staff during the current year.

THE PANDEMIC NEGATIVELY AFFECTED THE FOLLOWING ASPECTS OF MY JOB:

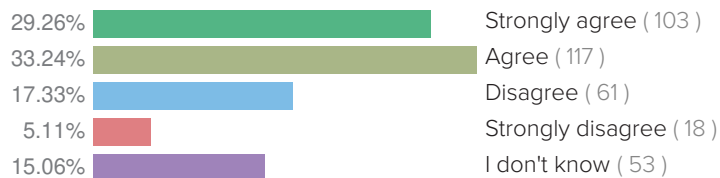
Q Managing distance/online teaching.



Q Predictable daily routine.



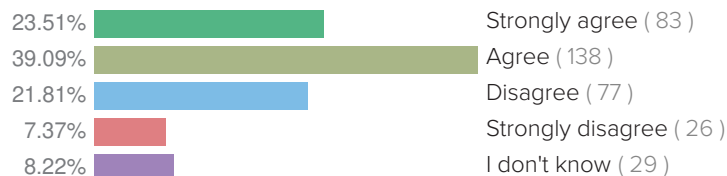
Q Having to teach/provide support online and in person at the same time.



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PJ Pandemic Impact on Teaching / Job (cont)

Q Interactions with students' parents/guardians.



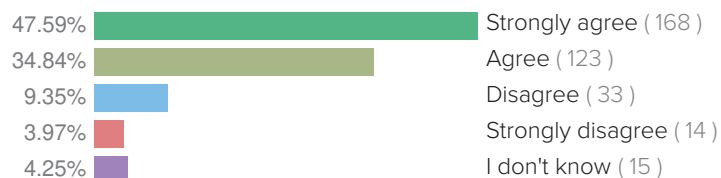
Q Student engagement.



Q Engagement with my colleagues.



Q Enforcing public health measures (like getting students to wear masks).



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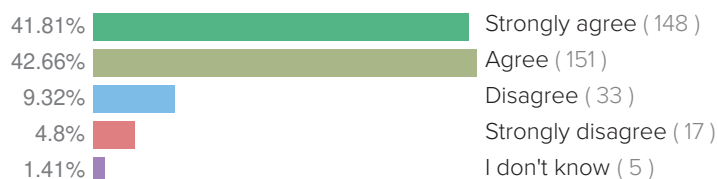
Item level results from your report



SW Support for Own Wellbeing

This section focuses on supports for staff wellbeing.

Q I am comfortable working in my school given the safety and health protocols currently in place.



Q I am getting adequate support to do my job during this time.



Q I am getting adequate social emotional support for myself during this time.



SW More Support for Own Wellbeing results on next page

SW Support for Own Wellbeing (cont)

Q Sometimes people struggle with their mental health. If I was concerned about my mental health, I would have access to the support I need.



RESULTS

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ES [ESP] Job Satisfaction

Unique to education support professionals, this section is aimed to understand their general satisfaction in their work.

Q I feel respected by teachers in my school.



Q I feel respected by school leaders in my school.



Q I feel respected by students in my school.



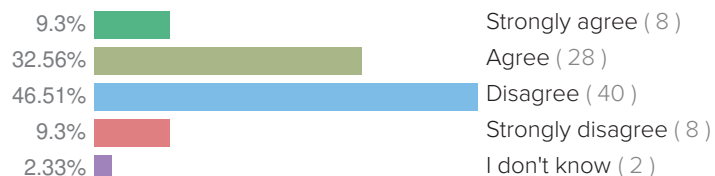
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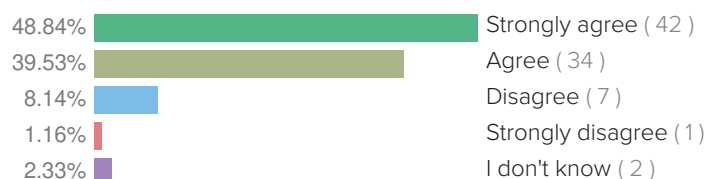
Q My work schedule fits my personal needs.



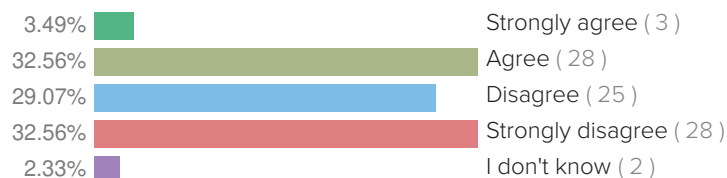
Q My work is very stressful.



Q I feel I am part of a team working towards the same goal.



Q I feel adequately compensated for my work.



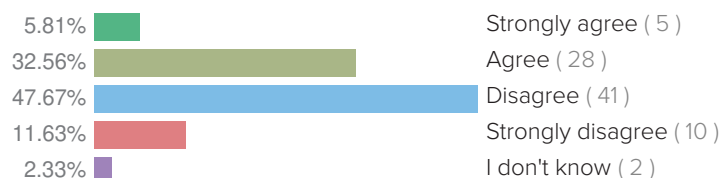
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ES [ESP] Job Satisfaction (cont)

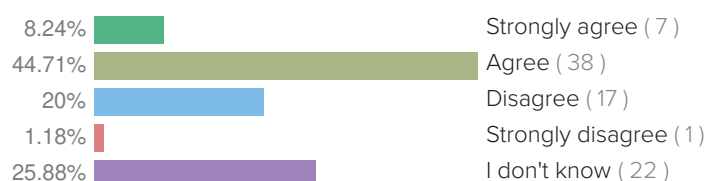
Q My work duties reflect my initial expectations of the role.



Q Frequent changes in my work duties make my job more stressful.



Q I have ways to advance my career in education.



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ER [ESP] Roles & Responsibilities

Unique to education support professionals, this section focuses on the clarity and appropriateness of their roles and responsibilities.

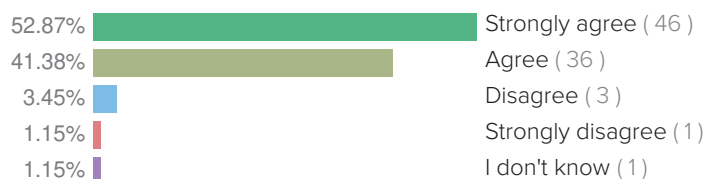
Q I am comfortable with the tasks I am asked to perform.



Q I am not asked to work more hours than I am compensated for.



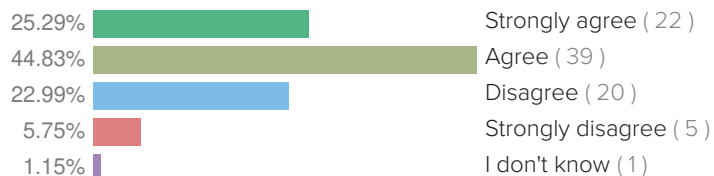
Q I know and understand my role.



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ER [ESP] Roles & Responsibilities (cont)

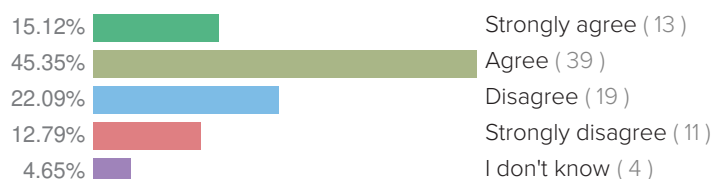
Q I was properly trained for my job.



Q My role is to support student independence.



Q I am sometimes asked to take on the role of a licensed teacher.



Q I receive adequate guidance about my role.

