

A total of 2573 parents or guardians filled out a survey, representing a 38% participation rate.

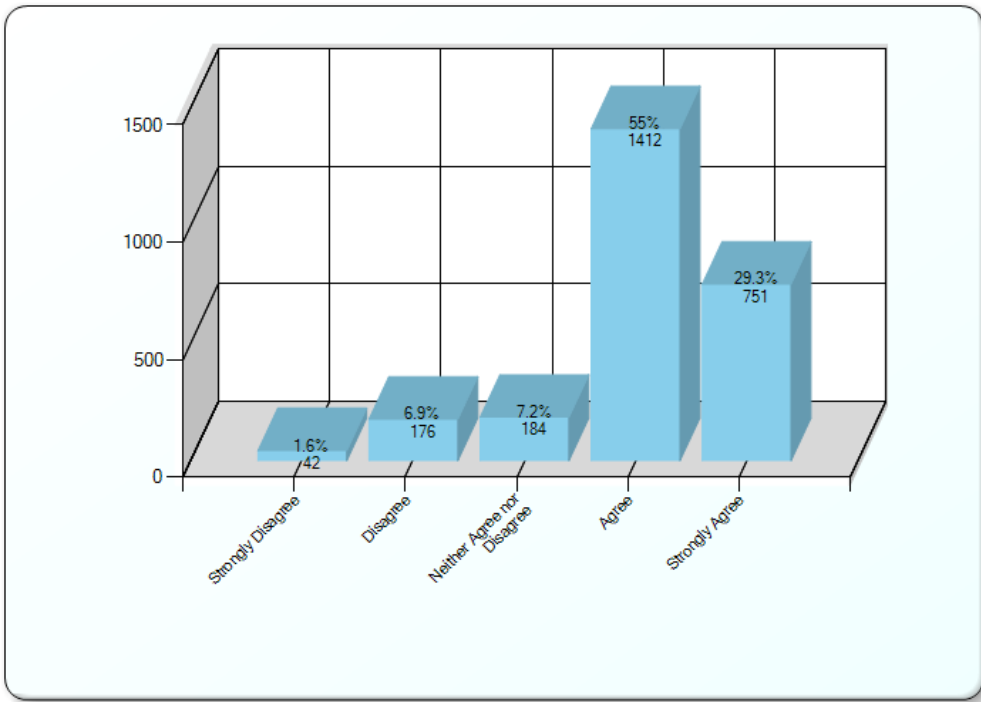
Parents and guardians were asked to respond to the following statements:

The total number of responses collected was 2573. The breakdown of respondents by school is as follows:

| Name of School | Number of Responses | % of Total Responses |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Ridgewood High School | 663 | 25.8 |
| Benjamin Franklin Middle School | 368 | 14.3 |
| George Washington Middle School | 323 | 12.6 |
| Hawes Elementary School | 197 | 7.7 |
| Orchard Elementary School | 147 | 5.7 |
| Ridge Elementary School | 199 | 7.7 |
| Somerville Elementary School | 253 | 9.8 |
| Travell Elementary School | 172 | 6.7 |
| Willard Elementary School | 217 | 8.4 |
| Glen/RED Program | 34 | 1.3 |

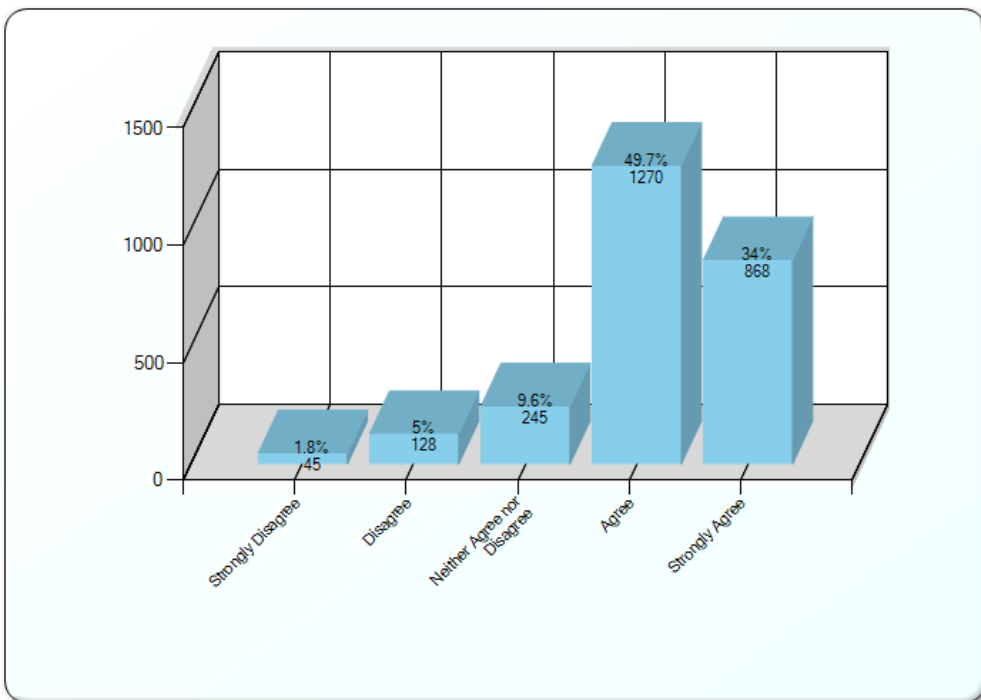
I am satisfied with the overall quality of my child's education.

84.3% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



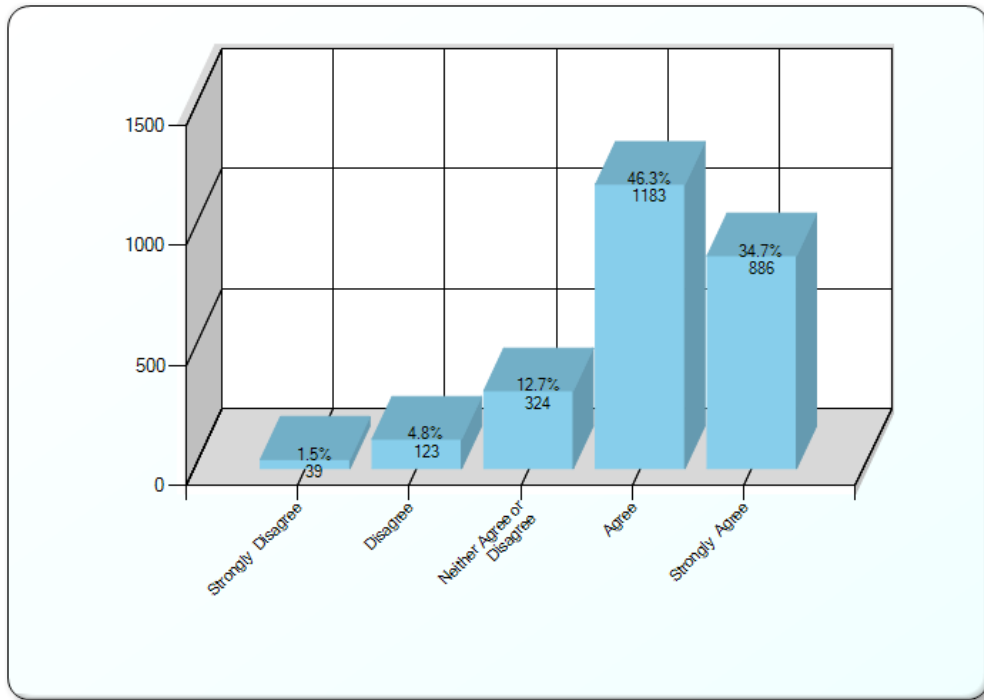
My child likes going to school.

83.7% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



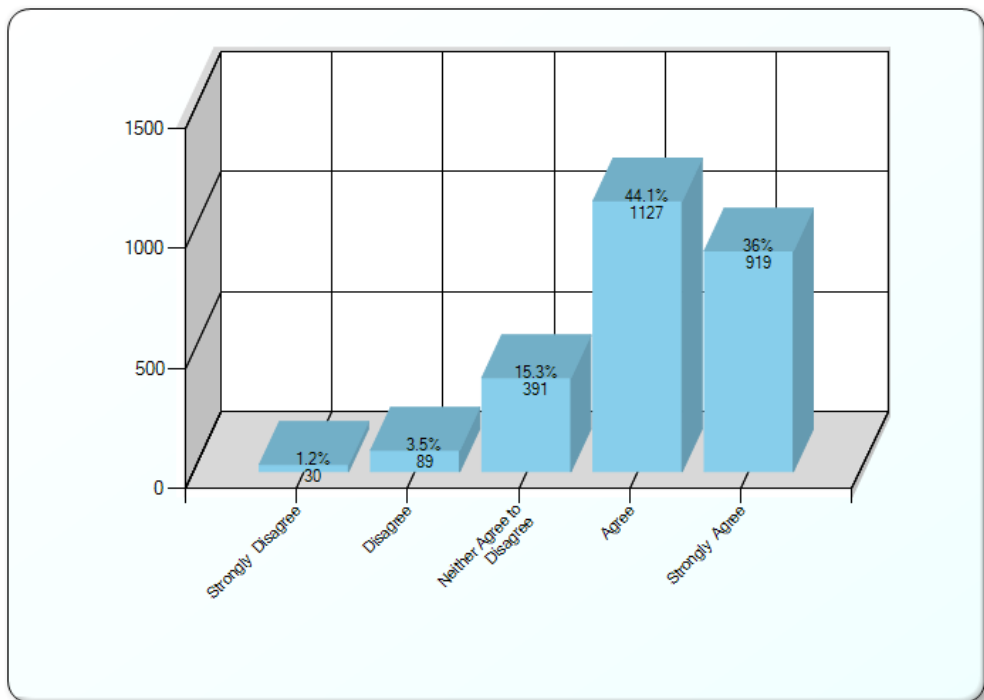
I would recommend this school to other parents.

81.0% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



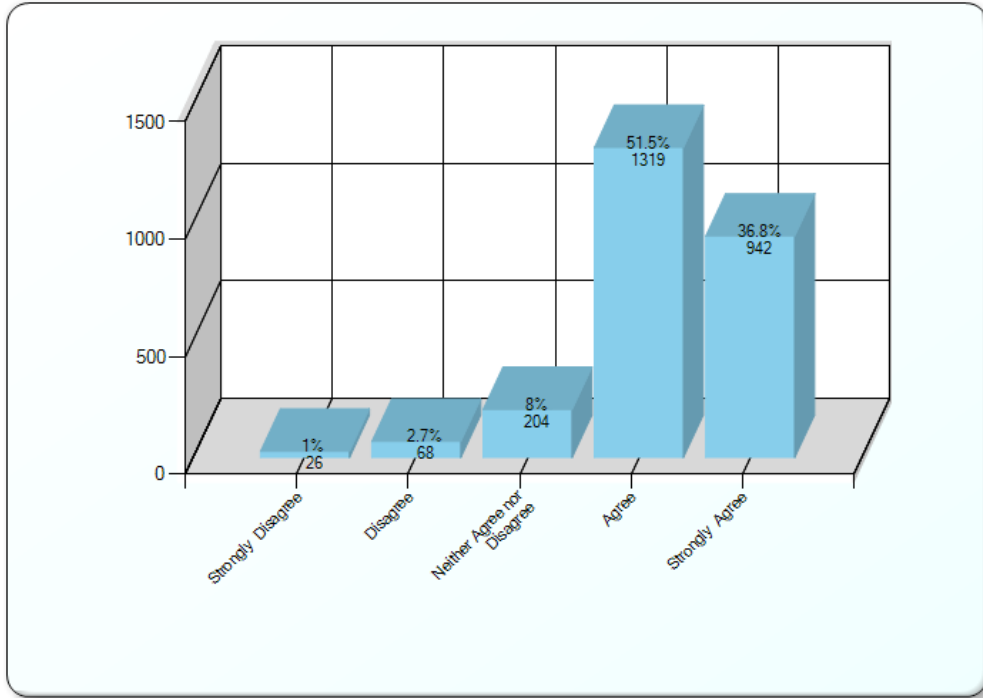
I feel welcome in my child's school.

80.1% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



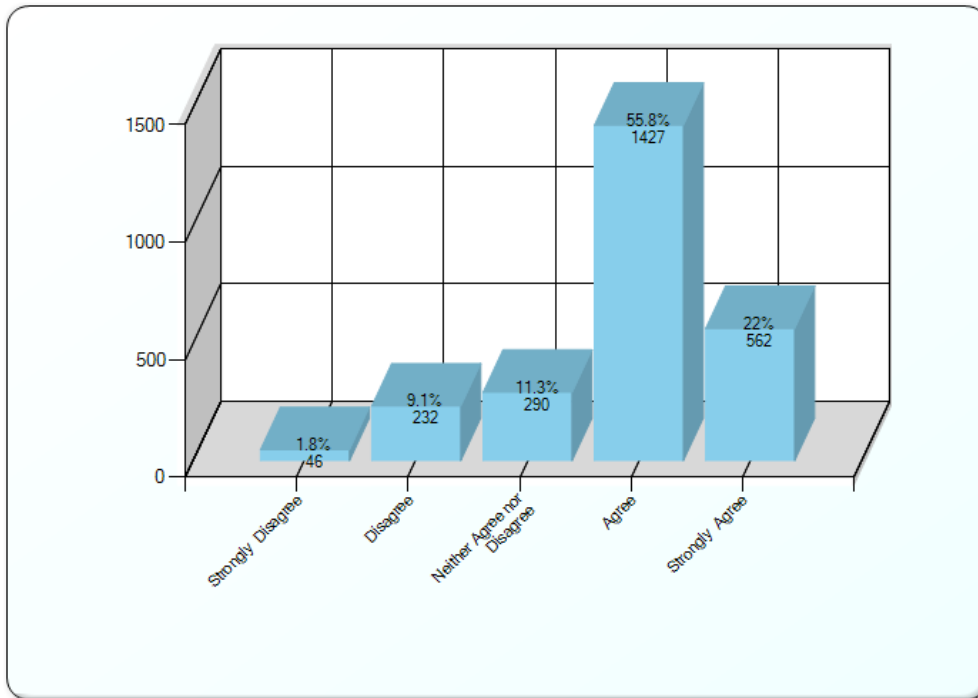
My child is safe at school.

88.3% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



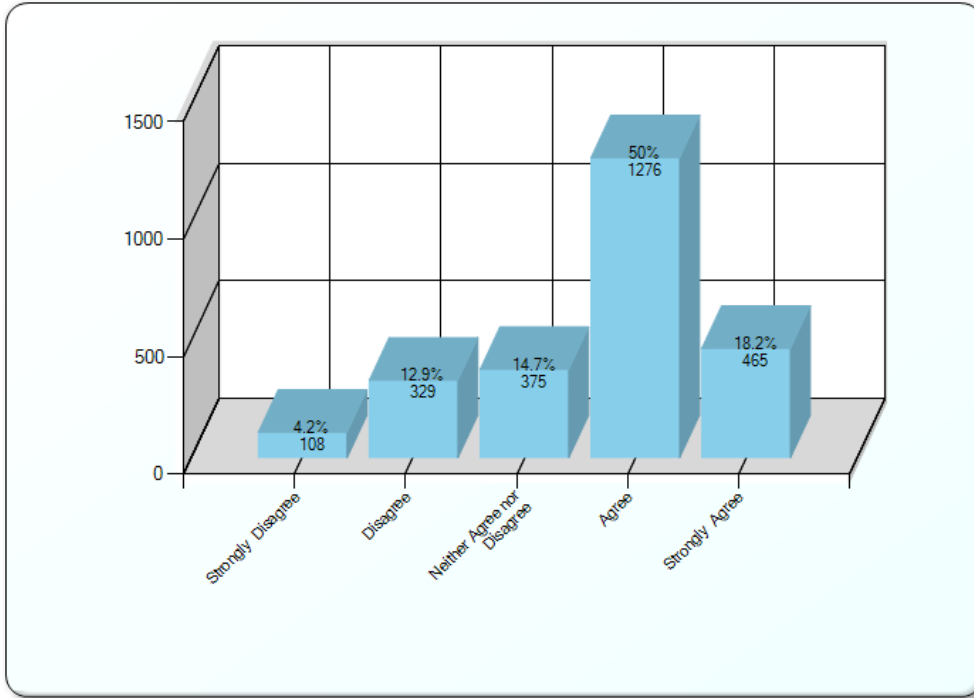
I am pleased with the academic progress of my child.

77.8% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



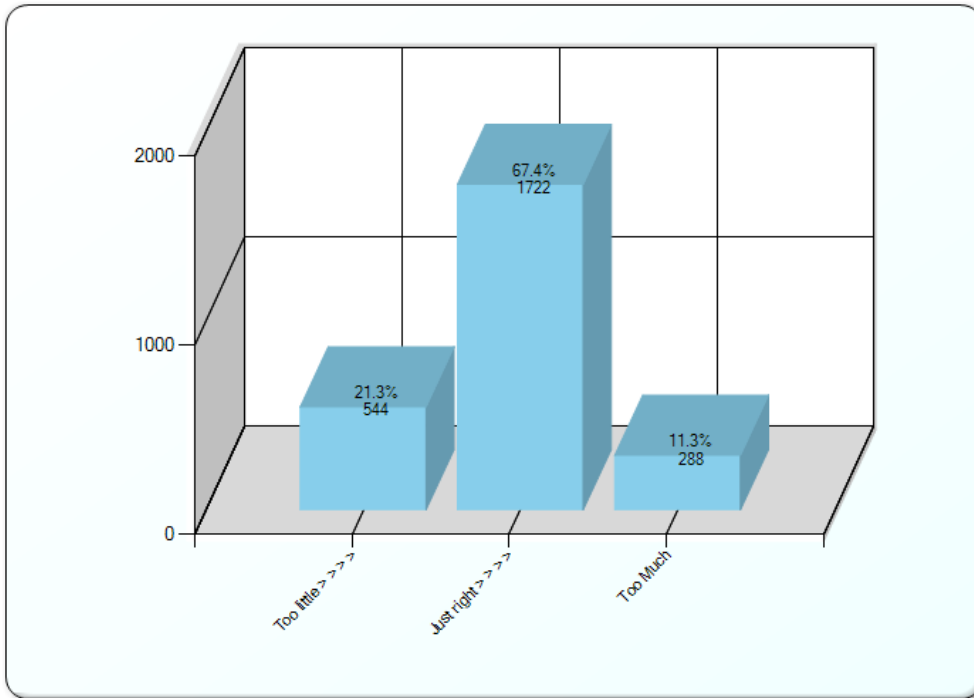
My child is challenged academically.

68.2% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.

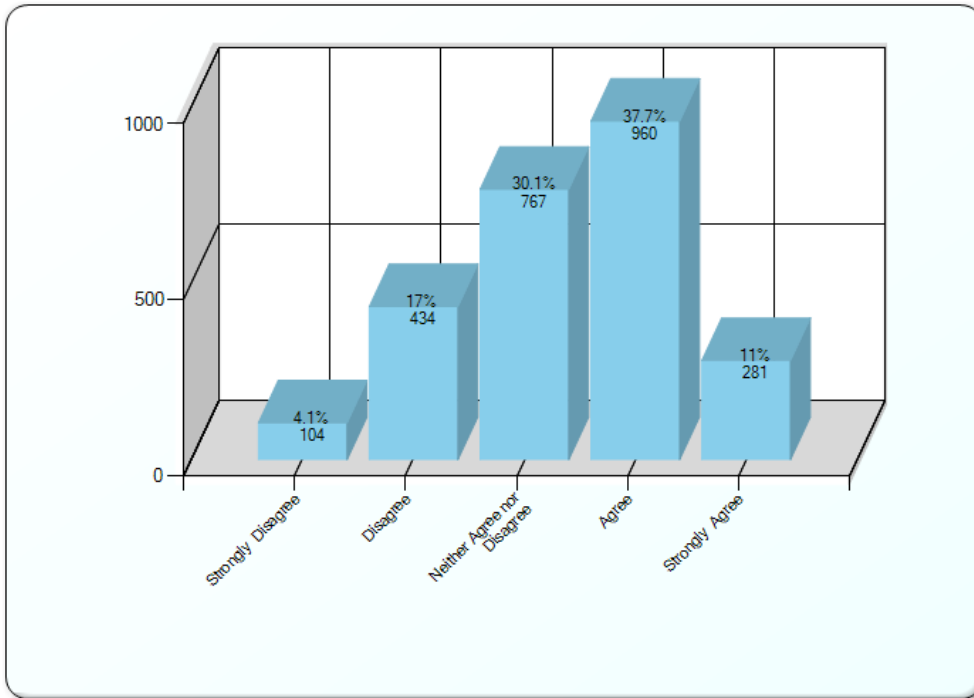


The amount of homework my child receives is:

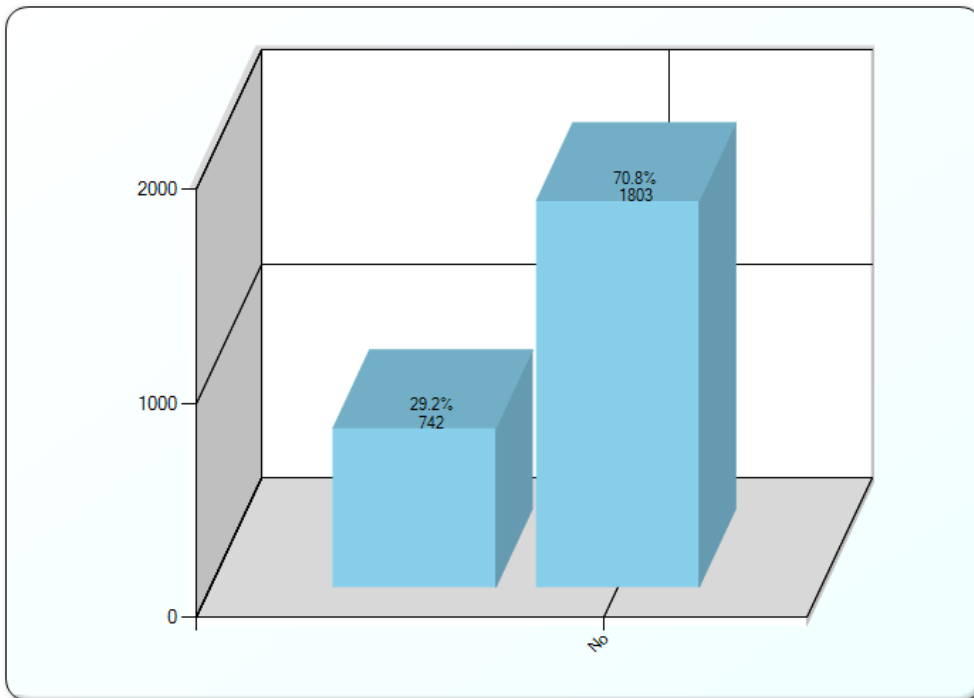
67.4% responded "just right."



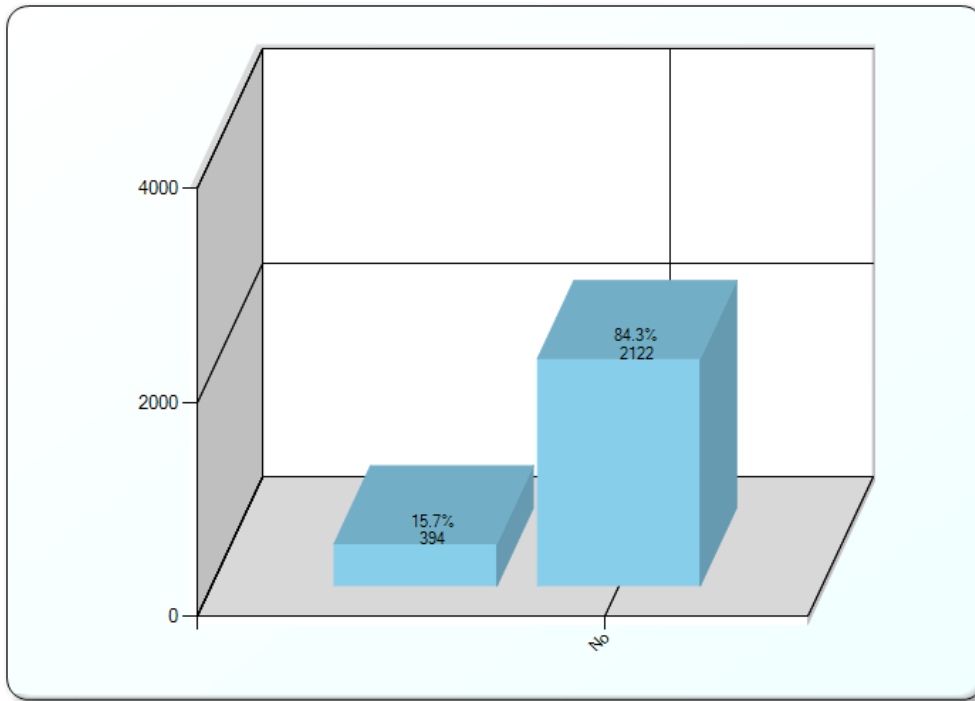
The school gives me ideas and opportunities to help my child do his/her best.
48.7% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



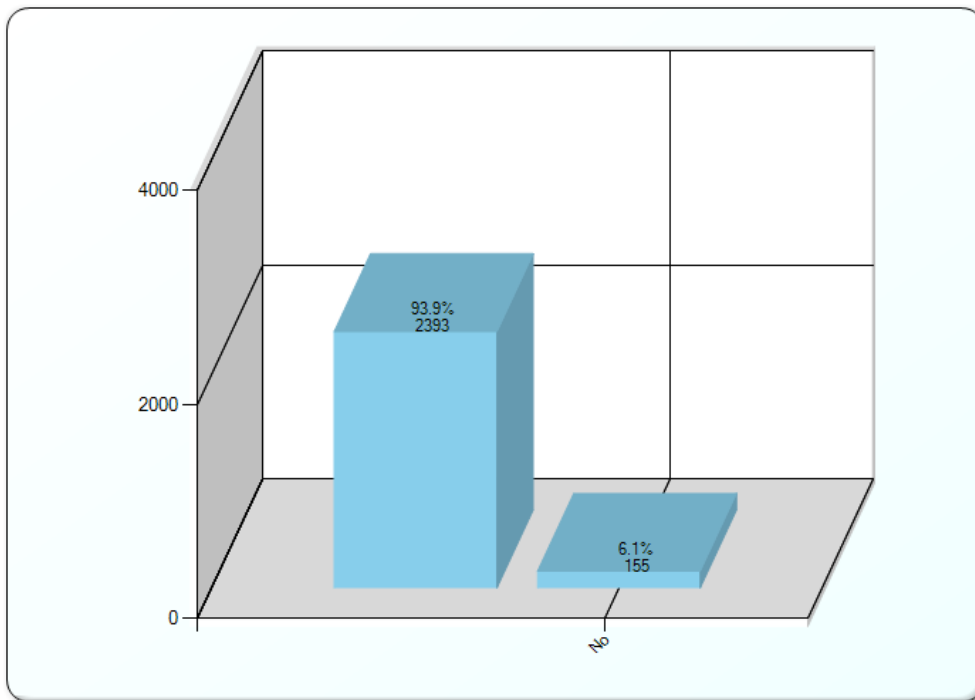
I supplement my child's education with professional tutoring in core subjects such as math or reading (other than SAT prep).
70.8% responded "no."



My child participates in SAT prep (tutor, prep classes, etc.).
84.3% responded “no.”

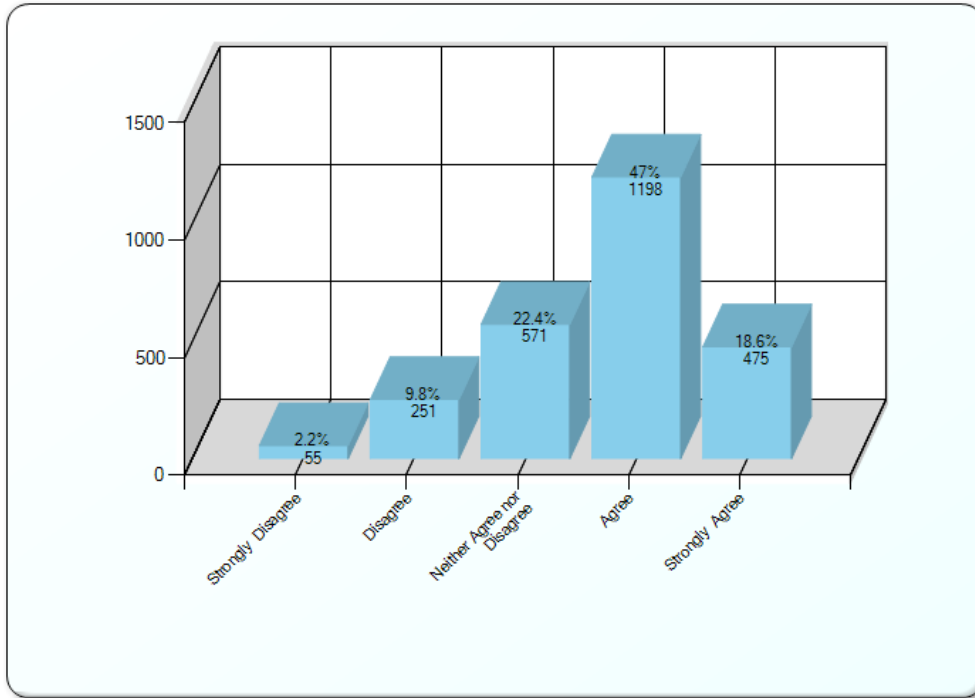


My child attended pre-school prior to enrolling in kindergarten.
93.9% responded “yes.”



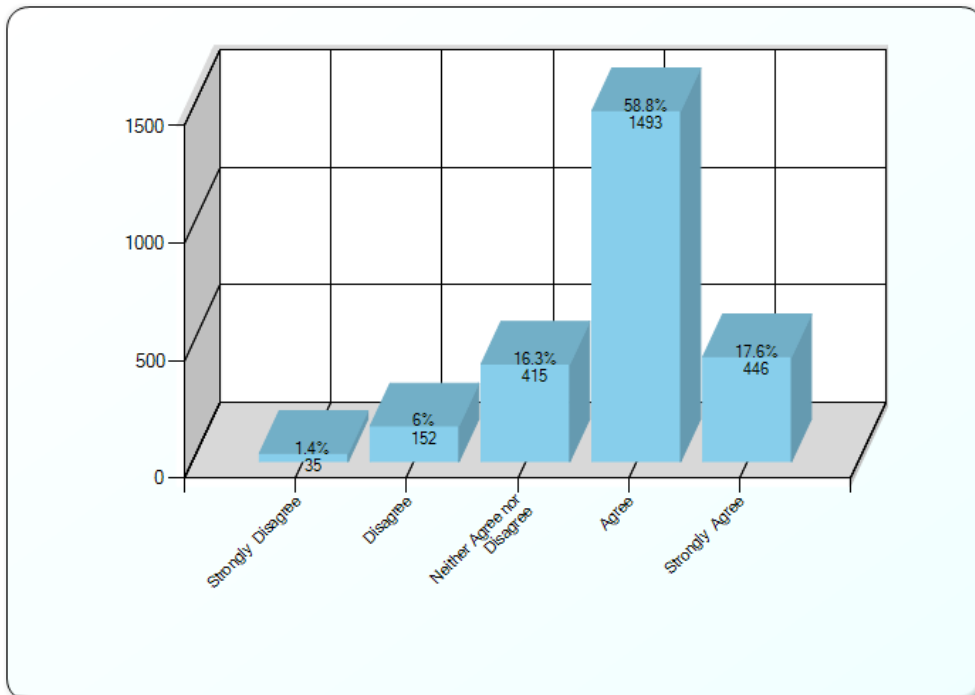
I am satisfied with the non-sports extracurricular opportunities (music, drama, art, etc.) in school.

65.6% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



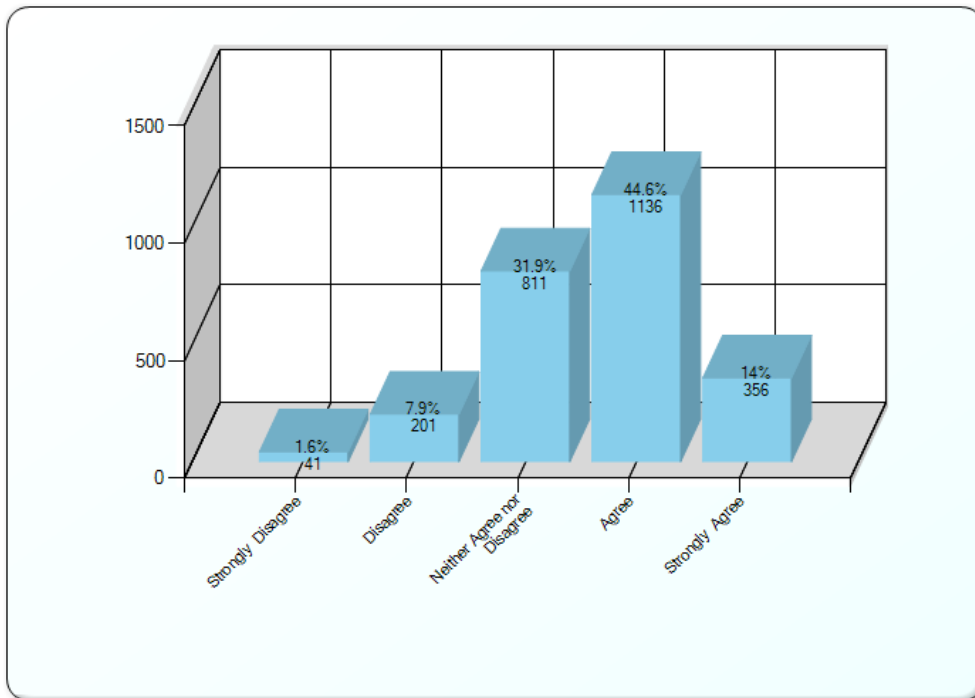
I am satisfied with the health/wellness/fitness/sports offerings at school.

76.4% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



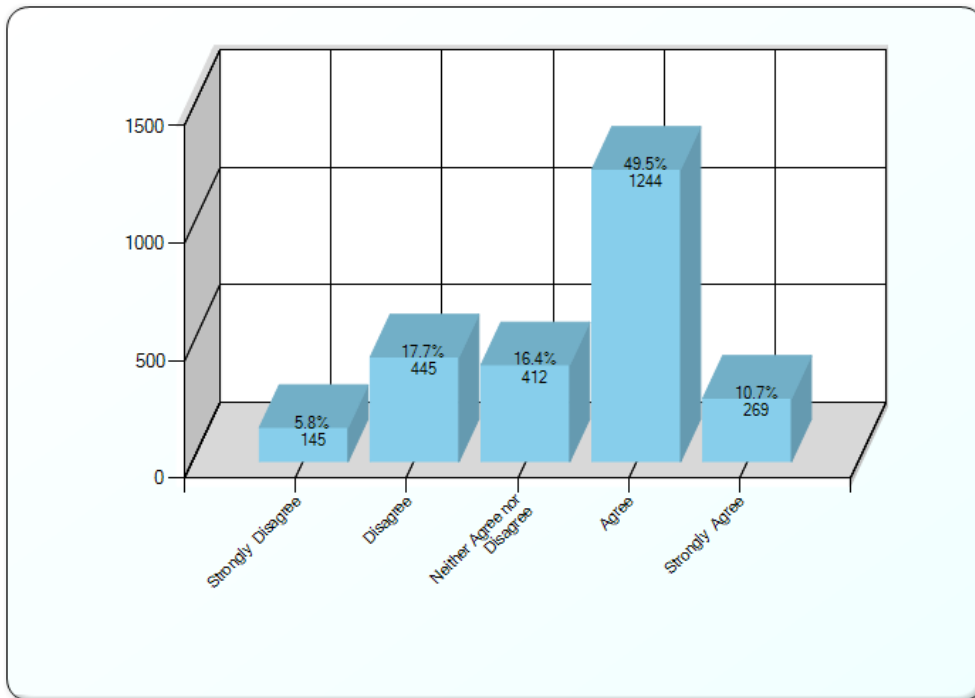
My child is encouraged to try new things at school.

58.6% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



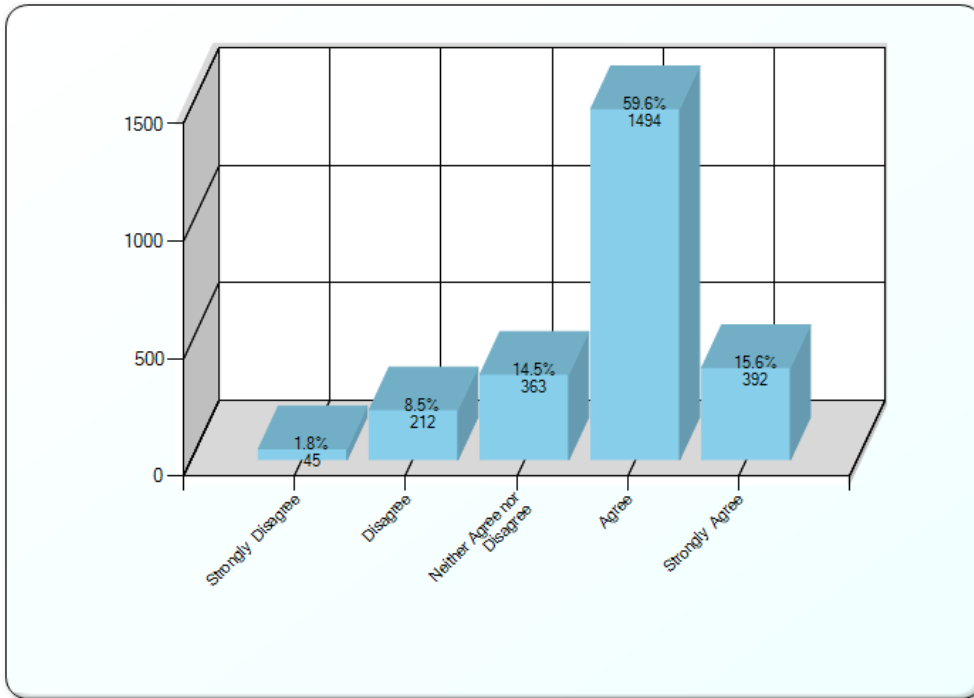
I am satisfied with the quality of the physical spaces at my child's school.

60.2% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



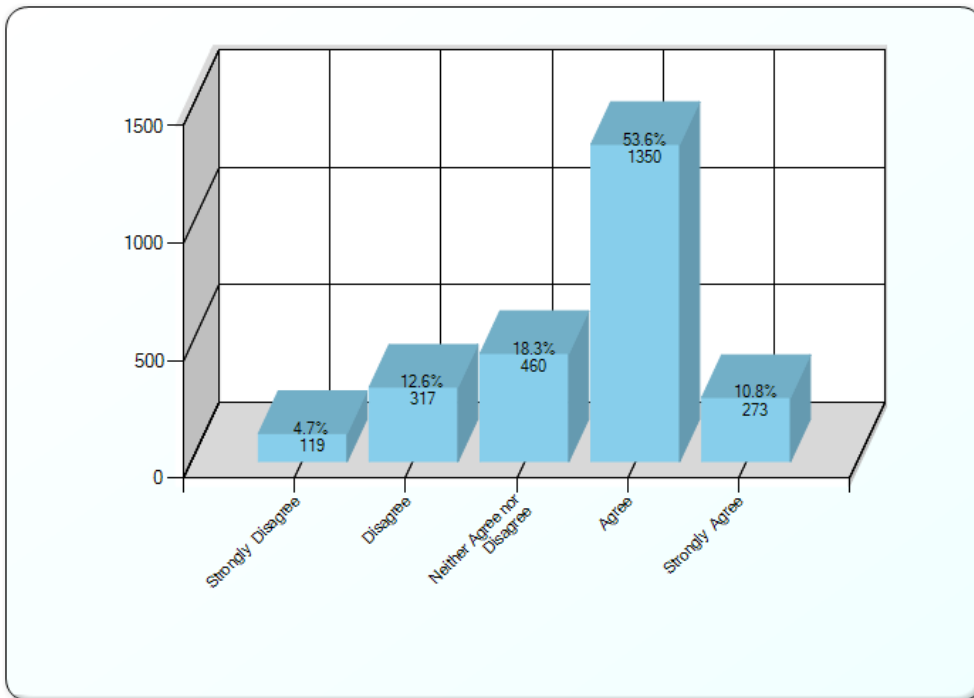
My child's school is clean and well-maintained.

75.2% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



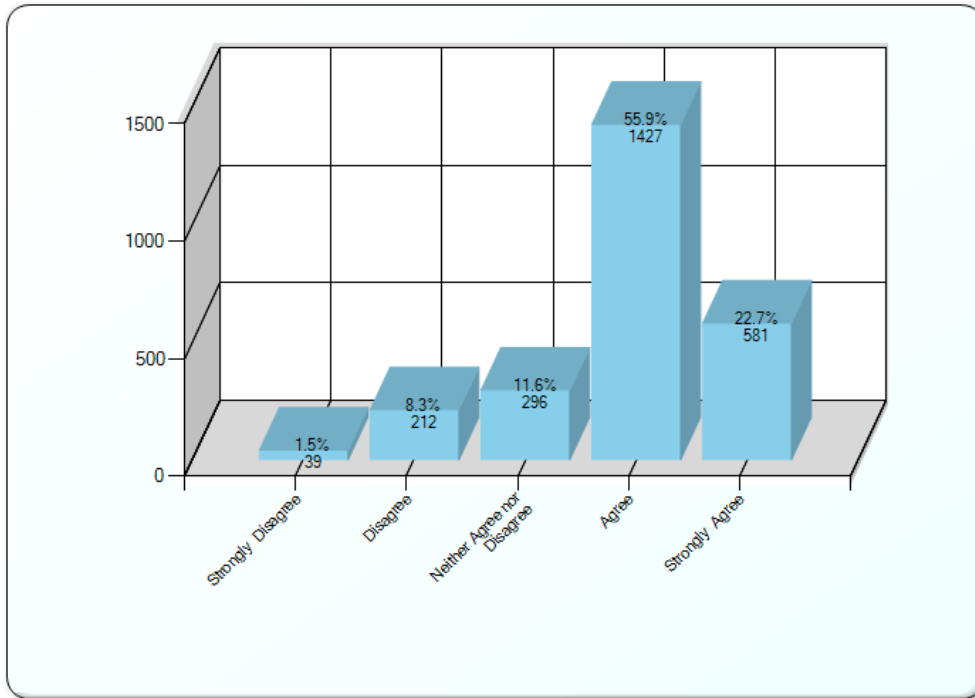
The condition/quality of our school athletic facilities is acceptable.

64.4% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



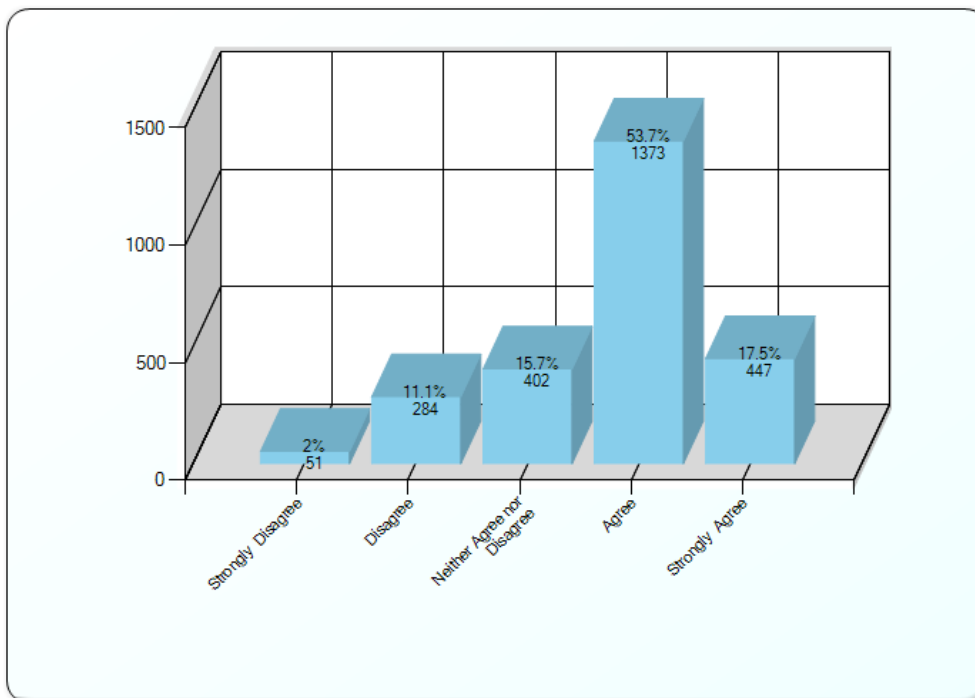
I feel well-informed about school programs/services/activities.

78.6% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.

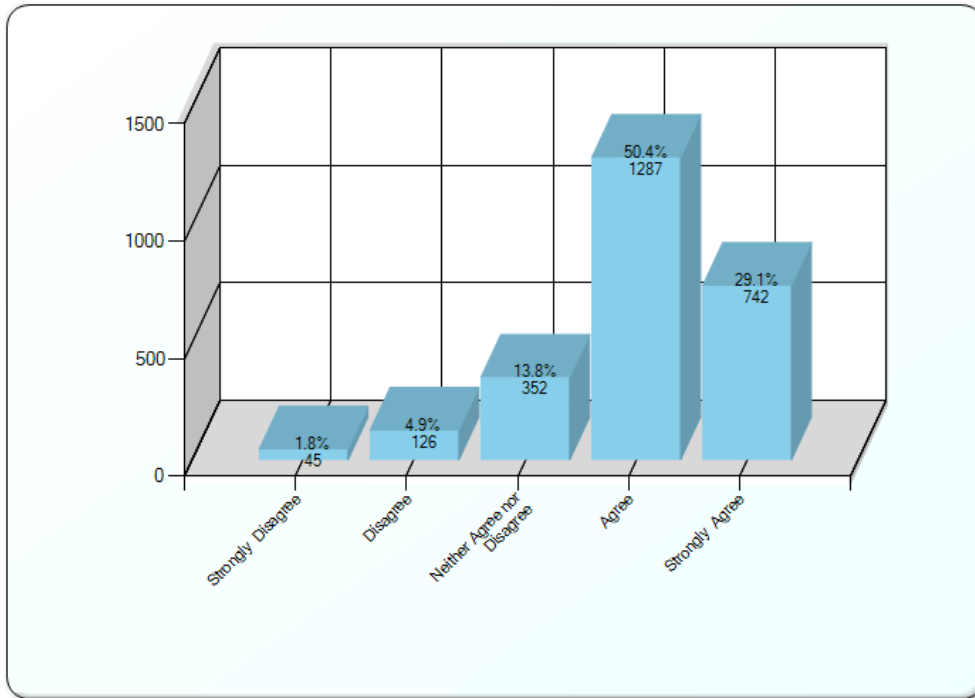


The school keeps me informed of my child's progress.

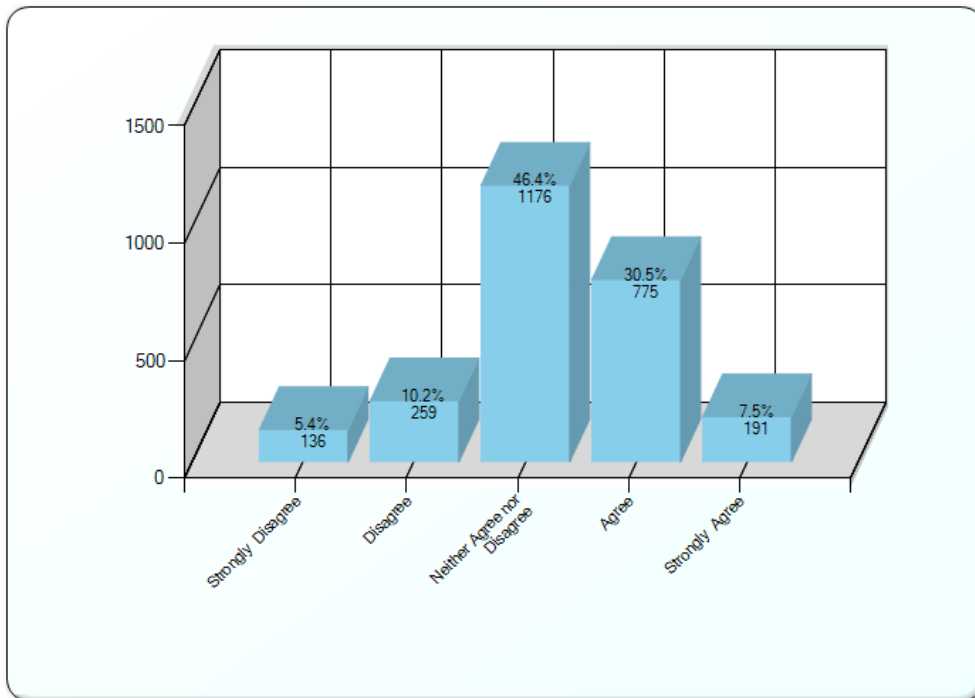
71.2% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



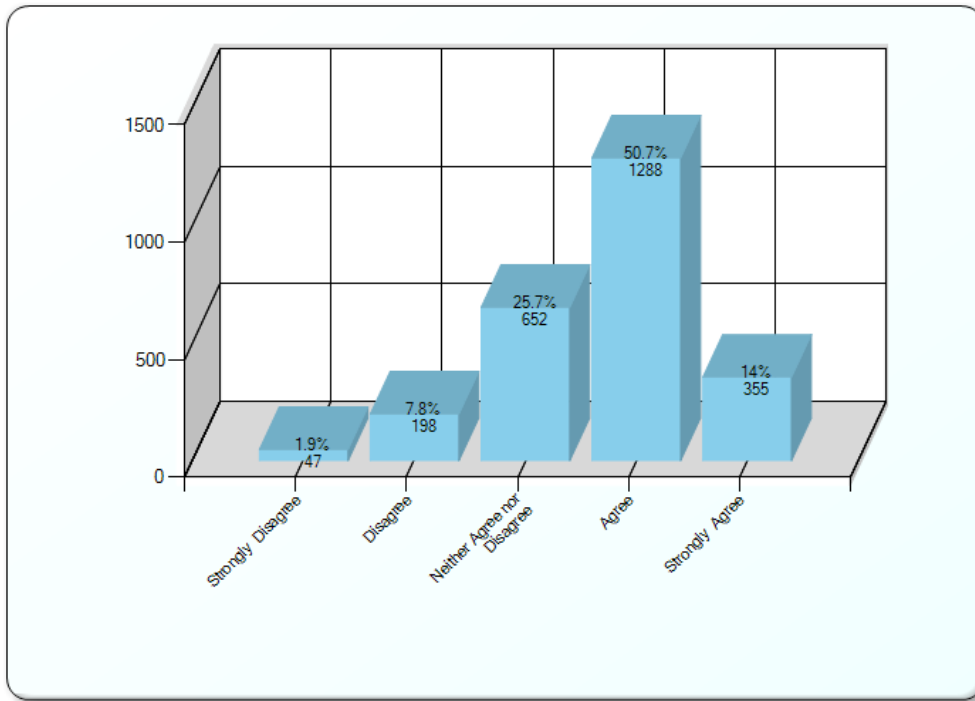
School staff (teachers/principal) is responsive to parent concerns.
79.5% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



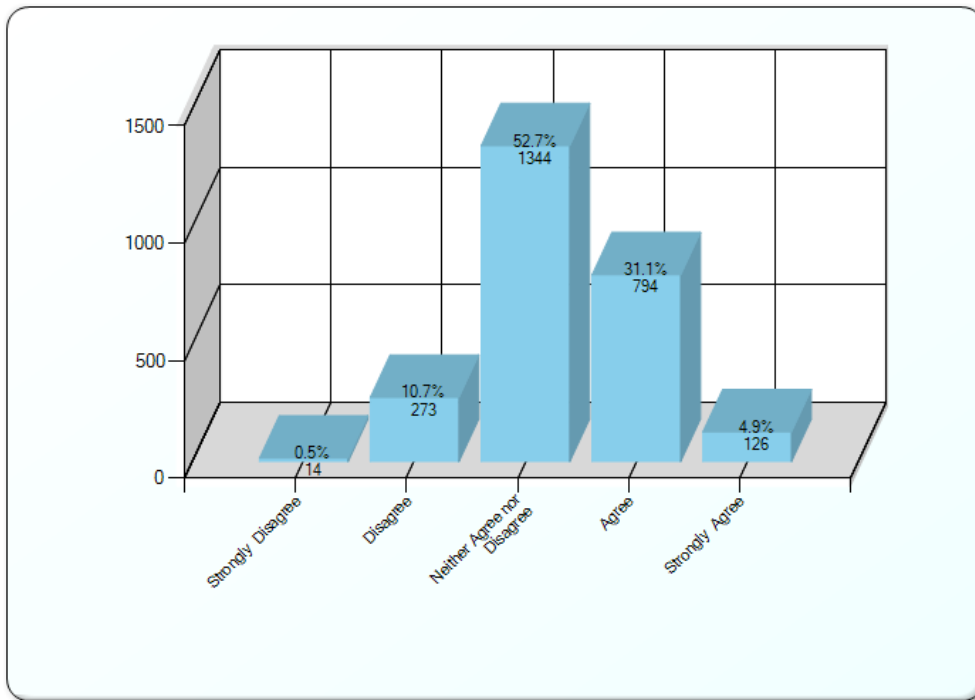
District administration/Board of Ed is responsive to parent concerns.
38.0% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



I have sufficient opportunities to express my opinions or concerns regarding school.
64.7% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.

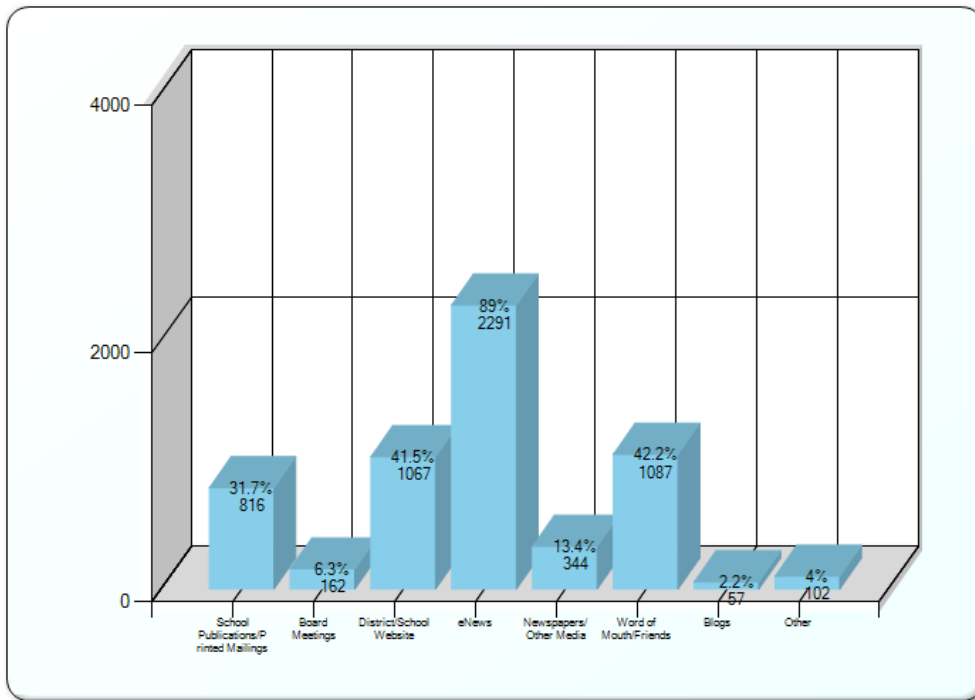


I would like to be more involved in my child's school.
36.0% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



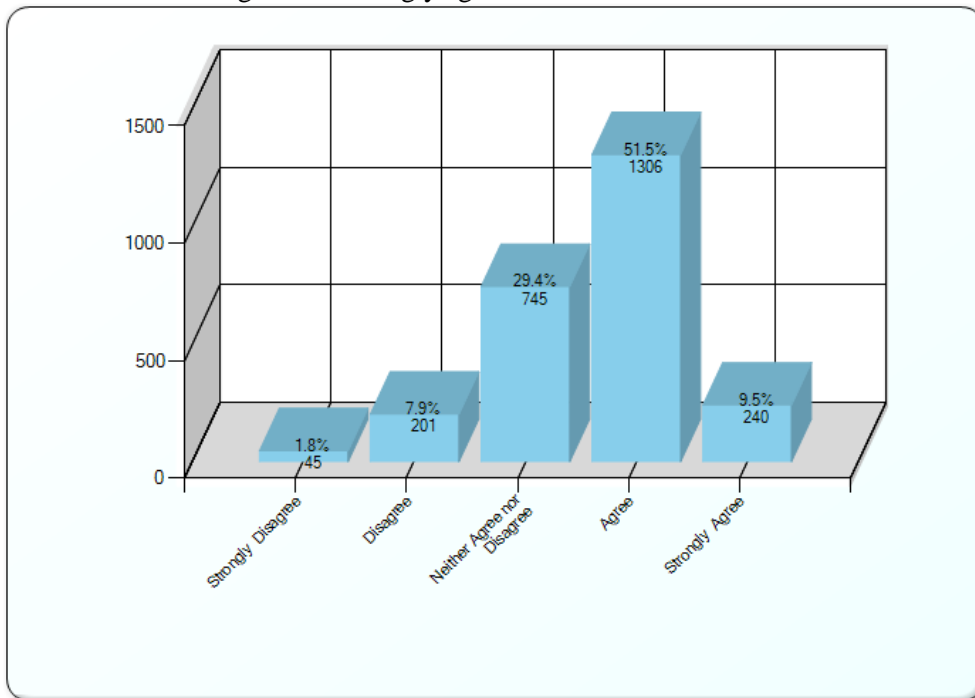
How do you receive most of your information?

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|------------------------------|-------|
| eNews | 89.0% |
| Word of mouth | 42.2% |
| District school website | 41.5% |
| School publications/Mailings | 31.7% |
| Newspapers/Other media | 13.4% |
| Board Meetings | 6.3% |



The District website is a useful source for everything I need to know about Ridgewood Public Schools.

61.0% agreed or strongly agreed with this statement.



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