Calgary Board of Education 2020-21 Student Re-Entry Survey

June 25, 2020 Report

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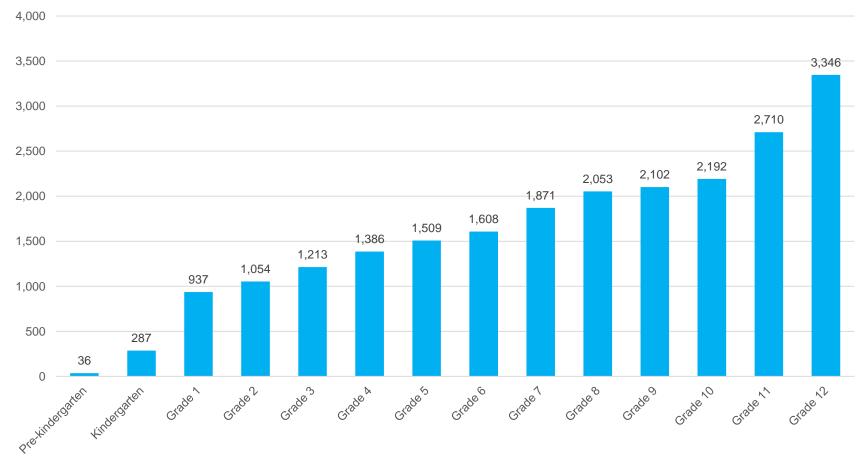
Background

- Online surveys were available to CBE students, staff, parents and community members May 29 – June 11, 2020. This report is for the student results.
- The total number of valid responses on the student survey was 25,033. More than 250 responses were deemed to be invalid (attempts to skew results) and removed from the survey data.
- The purpose of the survey was to gather feedback from stakeholders on possible scenarios for when classes start again in fall 2020.
- This report includes quantitative survey results only. Comments provided on the survey were forwarded to the relevant service units for review and consideration.

About the Participants

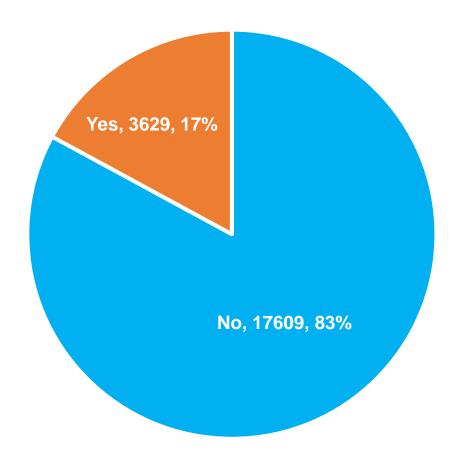
Respondent Profile

What grade will you be in starting September 2020? (Responses: 22,304)



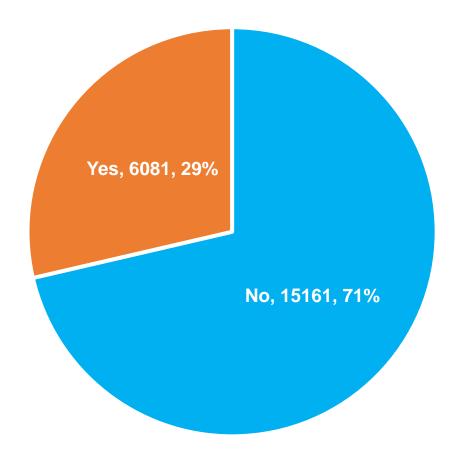
Respondent Profile

Do you take yellow bus transportation to and from school? (Responses: 21,238)



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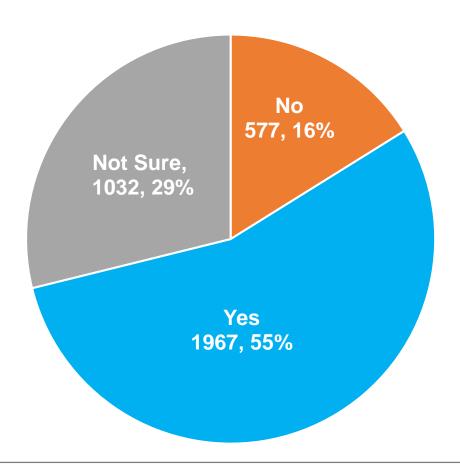
Do you take Calgary Transit to and from school? (Responses: 21,242)



Findings

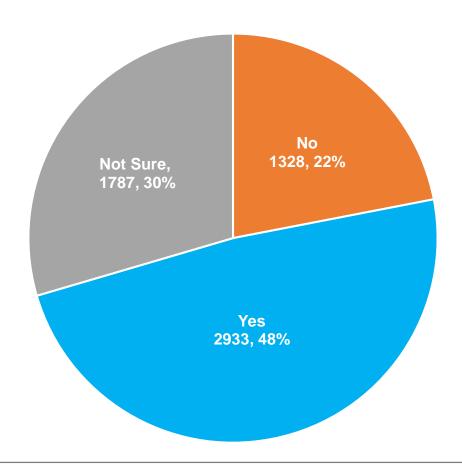
Yellow Bus Riders Only

Would you feel comfortable taking the yellow school bus in the fall? (Responses: 3,576)



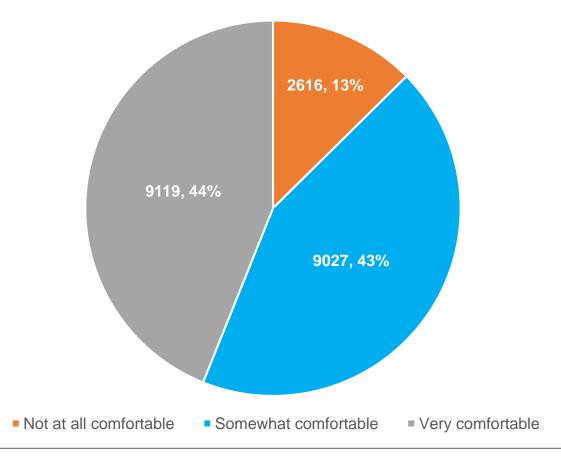
Calgary Transit Riders Only

Do you feel comfortable taking Calgary Transit in the fall? (Responses: 6,048)



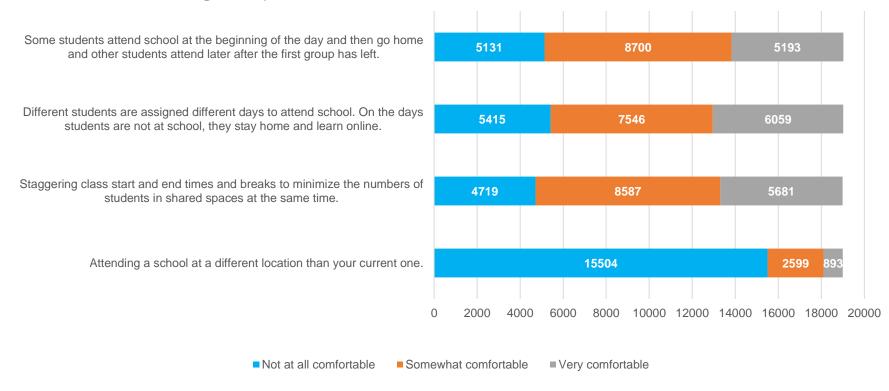
Return to In-Person Classes

How comfortable are you with the possibility of going back to in-person classes in the fall? (Responses: 20,762)



Blended Learning

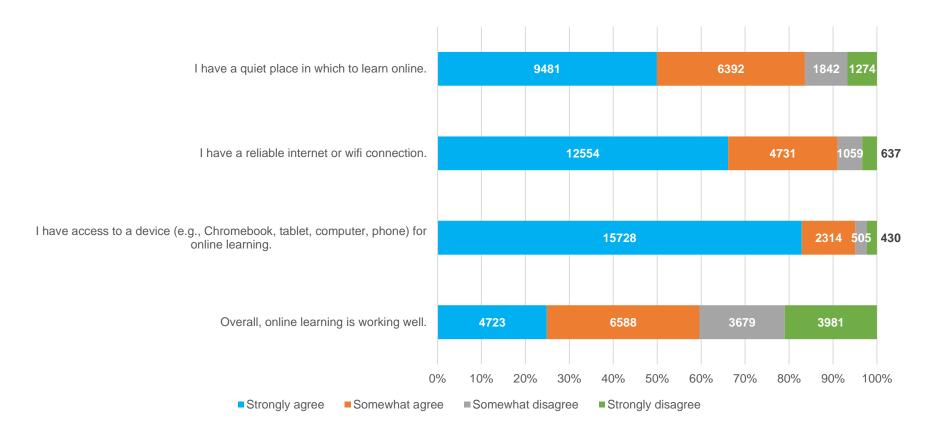
We may need to consider a blended approach to learning in fall 2020 where some learning happens at school and some learning happens at home, and not all students are in school buildings at the same time. With this in mind, please indicate how comfortable you are with each of the following: Responses: 18,996 to 19,024





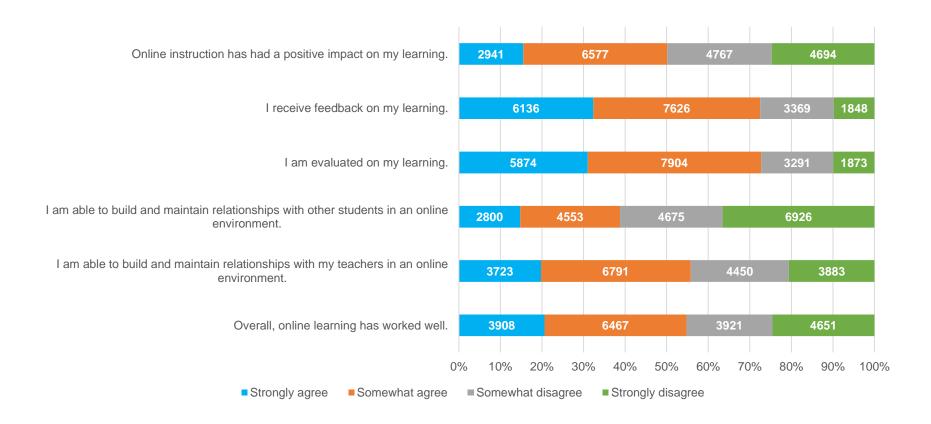


Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about the time since online learning began in March 2020. Responses: 18,971 to 18,989



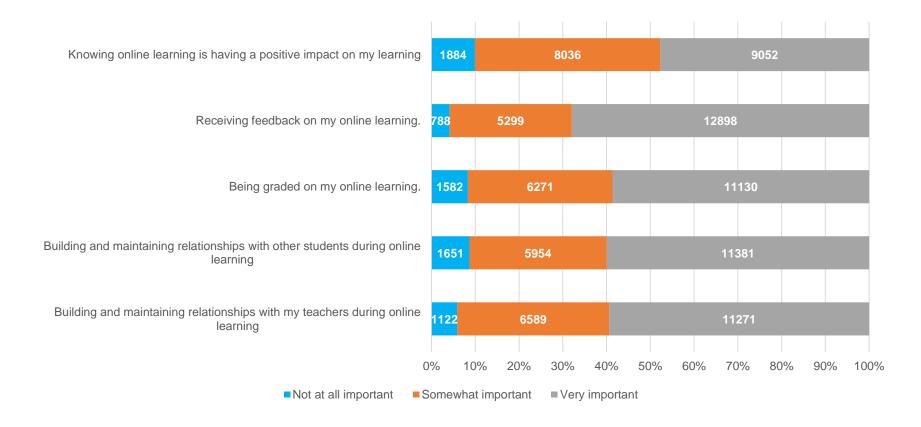


Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about the time since online learning began in March 2020. Responses: 18,847 to 18,979



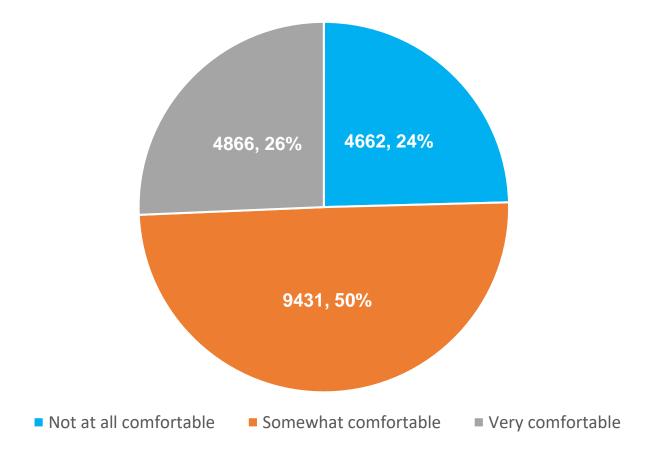


Please indicate how important the following things are to you: Responses: 18,972 to 18,986



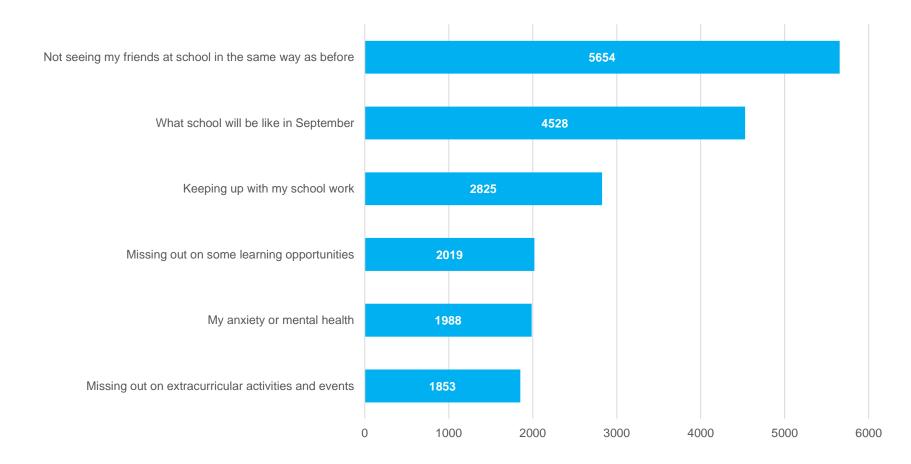


How comfortable have you been with online learning? Responses: 18,959



Biggest Concern

Of the following, what's your biggest concern for fall 2020? Responses: 18,867



Conclusion

- Any comments provided on questions with an "other (please specify)" option or those provided in the open-ended question at the end of the survey have been forwarded to the appropriate service unit and staff members involved in that work.
- The Alberta Government has indicated they will confirm plans for fall 2020 with school boards by August 1, 2020. We will follow the direction provided by the government in determining our next steps, and we will update our staff, students and families once new information is available.
- Thank you to everyone who participated in this survey. All the perspectives gathered will be extremely beneficial in our planning. Together, we will strive to keep students and staff safe and healthy.