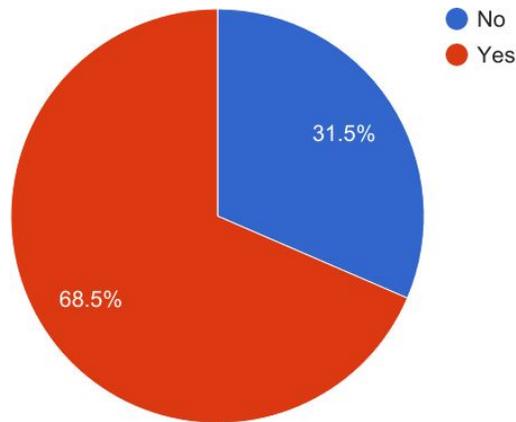


# SB Survey Results

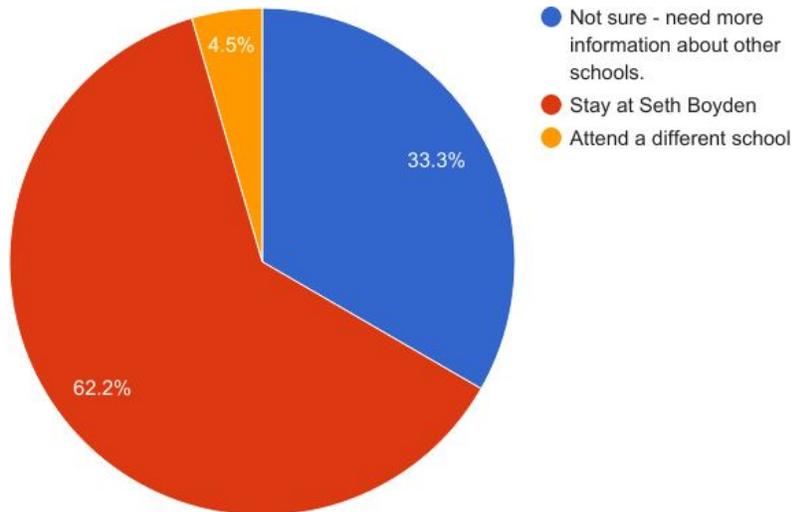
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Surveys were collected by paper and online survey. Collected 184 anonymous responses. 107 responses for SB Zone Family questions.

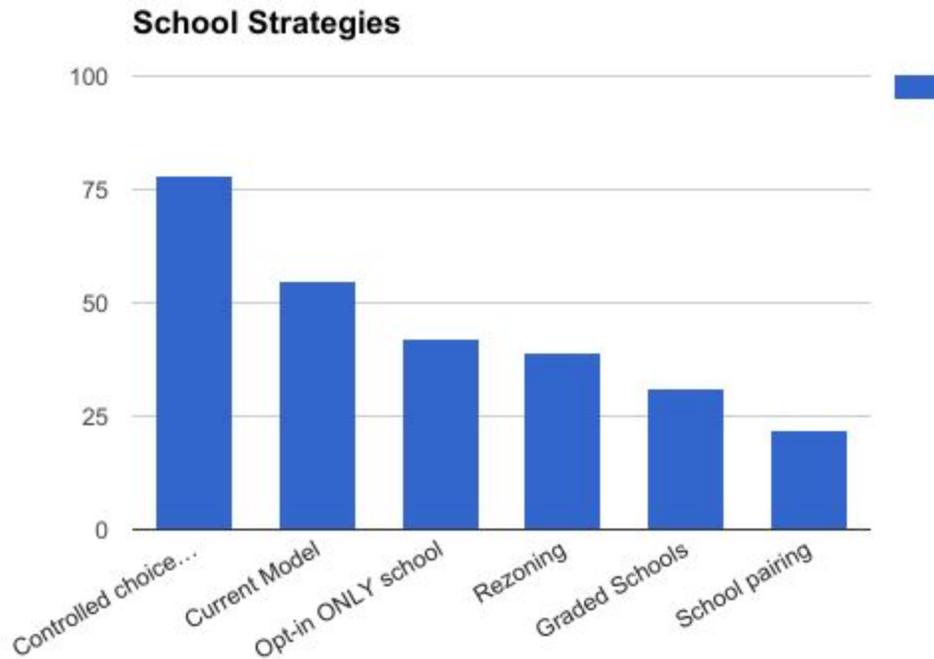
Seth Boyden is a partial opt-in school. This means that parents from throughout the district can choose to send their children to their zoned school or to Seth Boyden. But the families who live in the Seth Boyden zone (the neighborhood near school) do not have a choice. If you live in the Seth Boyden zone, would you like to have the choice to attend another school?



If you did have a choice, including a bus, would you choose to:

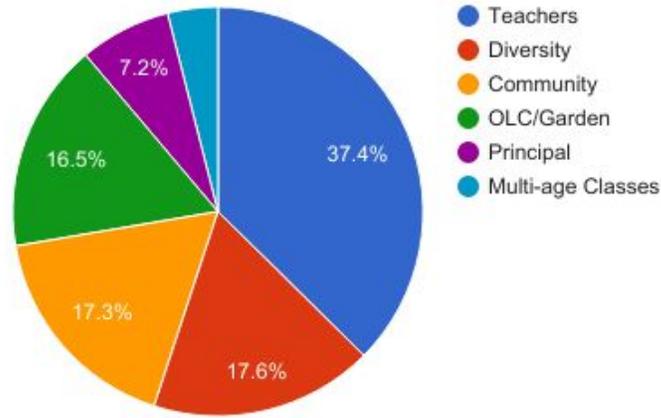


Other districts have used various strategies to address racial and socioeconomic imbalance in elementary schools. A few are listed below - please choose any that you would favor, or would like more information about.

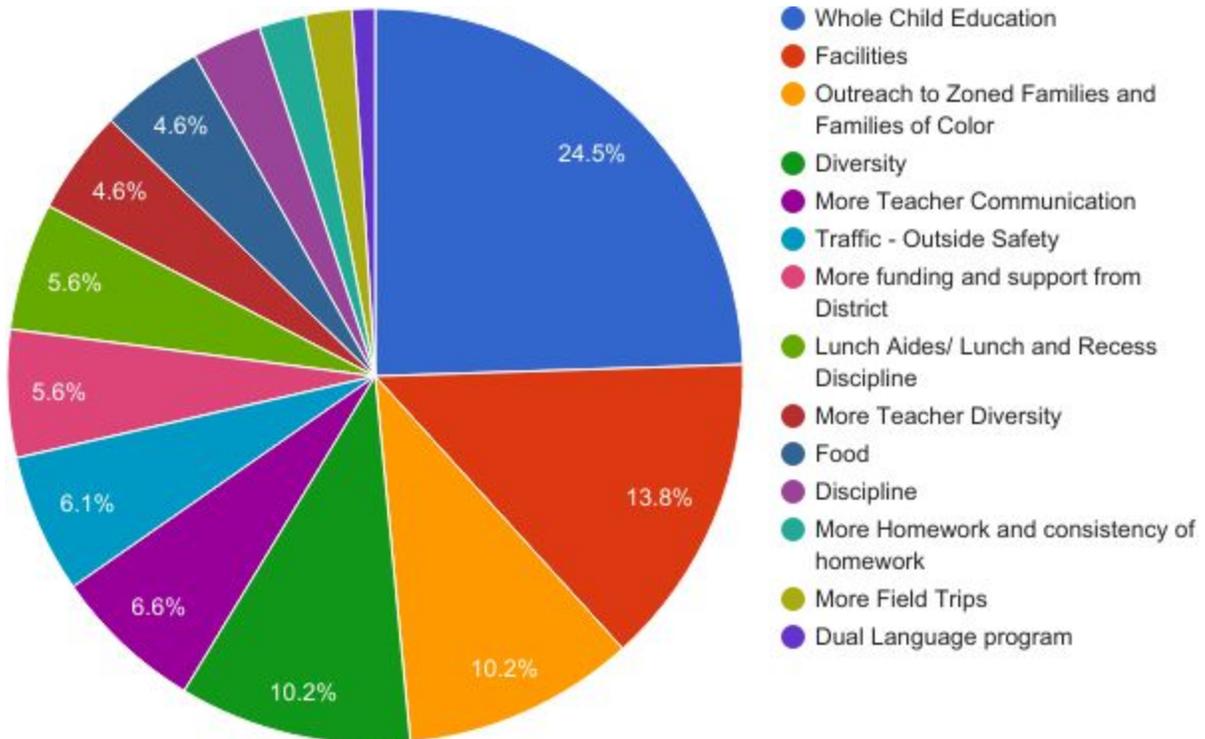


- Rezoning: Seth Boyden is no longer an opt-in school; zoning lines are redrawn to make schools more socio-economically balanced.
- School pairing: Seth Boyden is paired with another school in the way Marshall and Jefferson are currently paired, with transportation.
- Controlled choice model: All elementary schools are opt-in. Each school has a different theme (for example: Montessori, STEM, arts, environmental studies, demonstration, etc.). Students are assigned by lottery after parents rank their choices. There are no zones, but there is transportation. (This is the "Montclair model.")
- Graded schools: All K-1 students go to the same school - same with grades 2-3 and grades 4-5. Or some variation on this. West Orange has implemented this in some schools. Transportation is provided.
- Seth Boyden becomes an opt-in ONLY school. The SB zone is eliminated and the lines are redrawn to rebalance the remaining elementaries. Transportation is provided for students more than a mile from school.
- Current model: Seth Boyden remains as it is, with a particular focus to draw in parents from the rest of the district.

Please name two things you like most about Seth Boyden.



Please name two things you think could be improved at Seth Boyden.



Whole Child Education includes more focus on Arts, Sciences, Environmental, Project-based learning, Assemblies, Curriculum, Hands-On Learning, Coding Classes, etc.