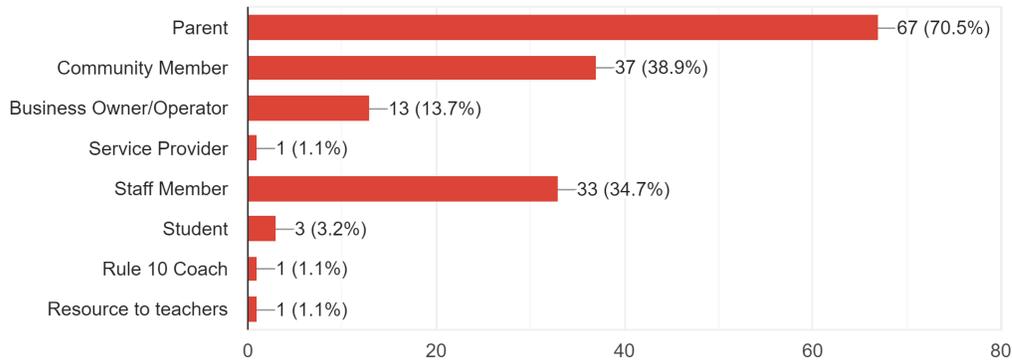


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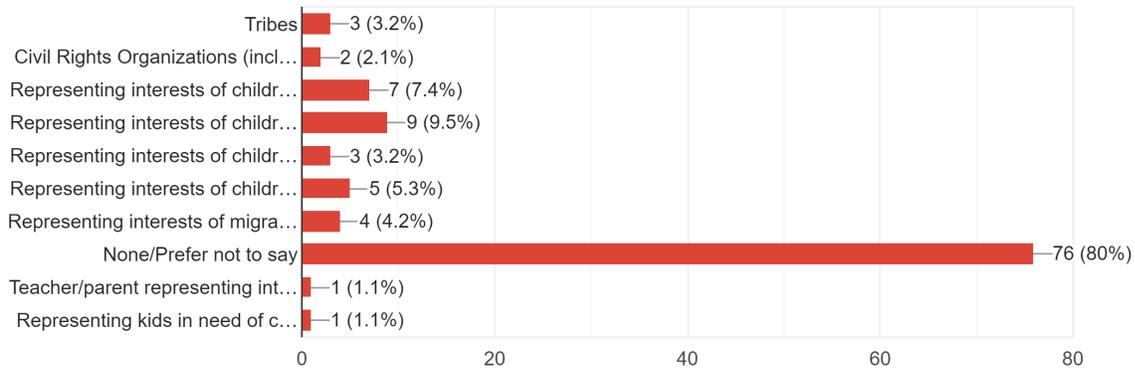
What is your affiliation to Wichita County Unified School District 467? (Select all that apply)

95 responses



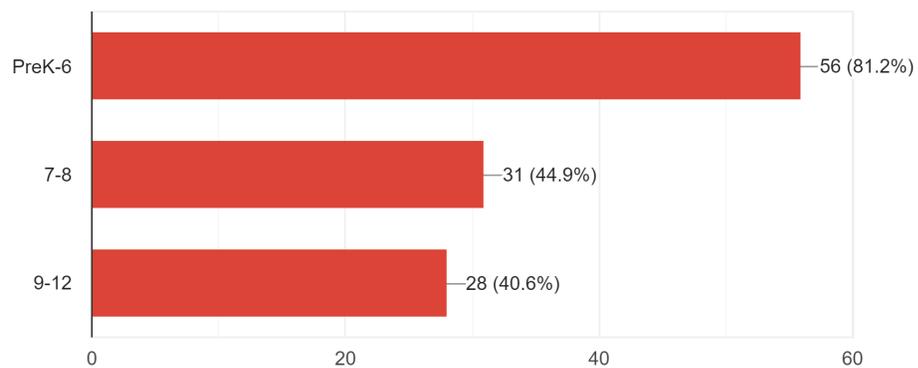
Are you part of or have relationships to any of the following groups? (Select all that apply)

95 responses



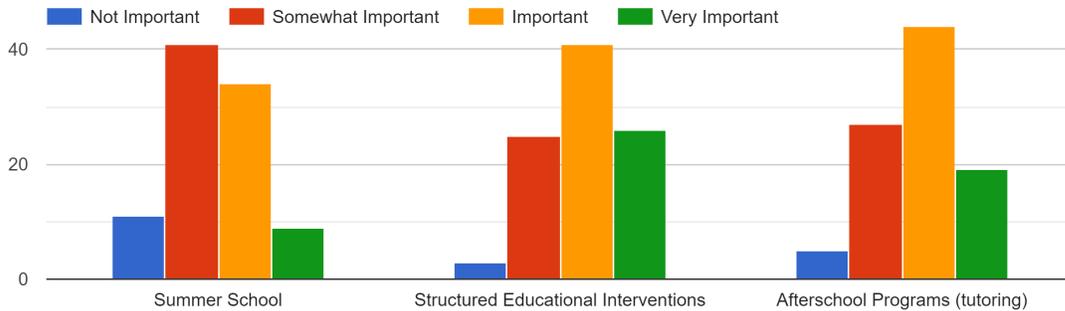
If you have children, which grade levels are they currently in? (select all that apply)

69 responses



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Please add any other investments we should be considering. 15 responses

Adequate support staff in the classrooms if needed, more teachers or paras.

An after school program sounds wonderful, especially for those who are behind or don't get extra help at home. I know I'd pay a fee for this.

Recruiting highly qualified teachers

After school child care programs as well as child care services for children younger than school age.

Infrastructure....updating bathrooms, gyms, locker rooms, classrooms etc

Paraprofessional minimum wage increase

We should look into hiring a reading interventionist at the high school level. If there's anything I learned from the Fastbridge training, is that we ELA teachers do not have enough time to implement everything effectively, and our schedule does not allow us to teach the needed interventions

Maintaining and keeping staff

Early Childhood Education

Better hand soap that isn't so harsh. Most of my children have had serious reactions, some of which resulted in doctors visits, medication, and bandages

Teaching our children to respect themselves, there fellow students and their country

Early childhood education and child care

a better way to communicate important issues to the public, specifically parents of kids in school.

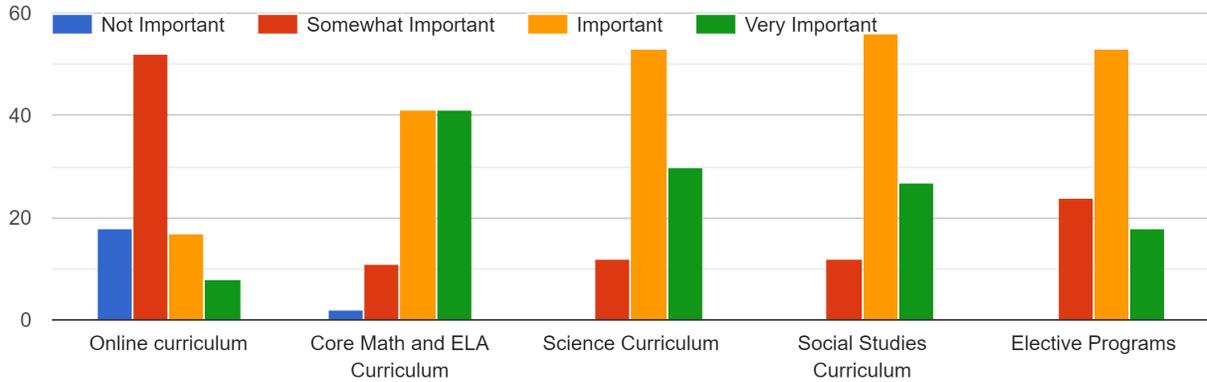
Also asking opinions about large issues. Ex: changes in teachers, changes in curriculum

Building enhancement

There should be agriculture curriculum in the classroom grade school through high school

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More college credit classes

Life skills curriculum

I understand it is hard to provide electives with such a small school however it is what is best for the students. I know it's not best for the budget but kids need things that will help them with career and life readiness.

Athletics

21st century technology for teachers. For example, I used my own funds to buy a wireless mouse which allows me to teach from the front of my classroom. Last year, I walked to the back of the room, where my desk was located, each time I wanted to scroll my computer.

Online courses open up so many more choices of classes than an understaffed building.

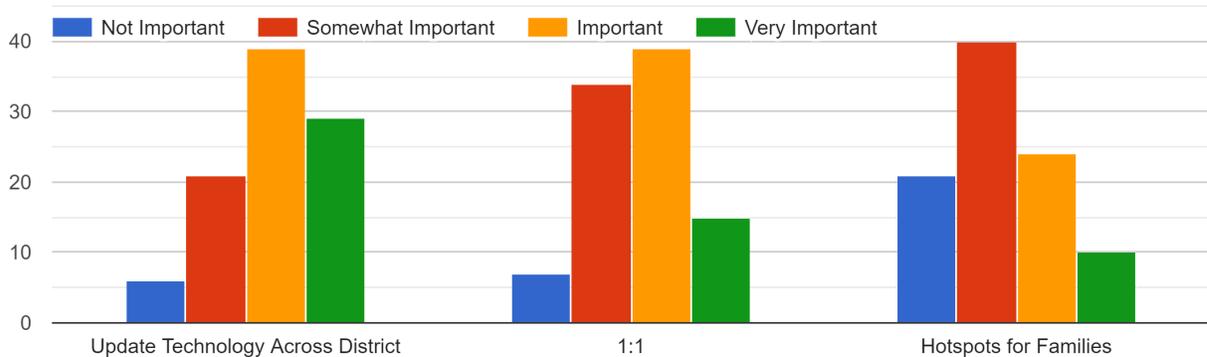
Early childhood education and child care

Civics and financial literacy

Classes that teach about insurance and taxes.

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1:1 is nice in elementary; however, I'm unconvinced it is necessary. The opportunity costs (what could be purchased for high school) might need to be considered if funds are tight.

Headphones or earbuds

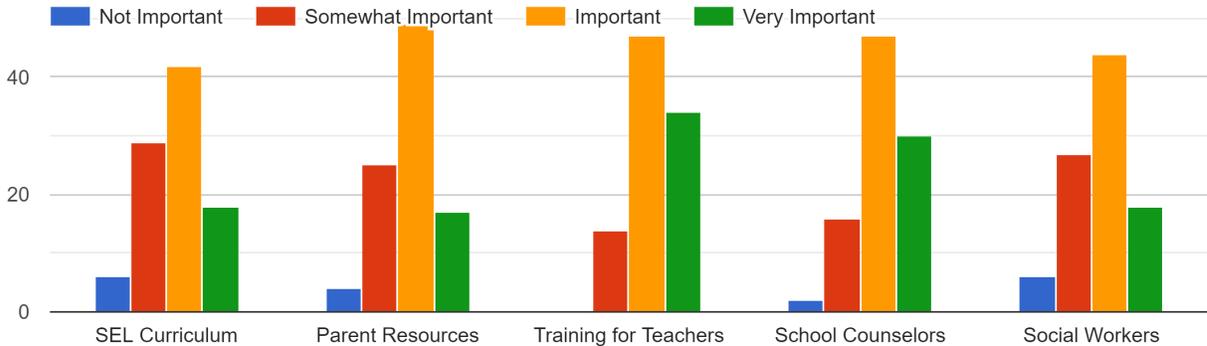
They all have cell phones, it's all about priorities

Try to figure out a way for students to have access to the internet at home, when household income can't support the expense.

More technology focused courses at the junior high and high school levels. Our kids are growing up in technological society and they are graduating from Wichita County High School with sub-par tech capabilities compared to their peers in other communities. We need to do a better job of setting them up for success in this area because it affects all career paths today.

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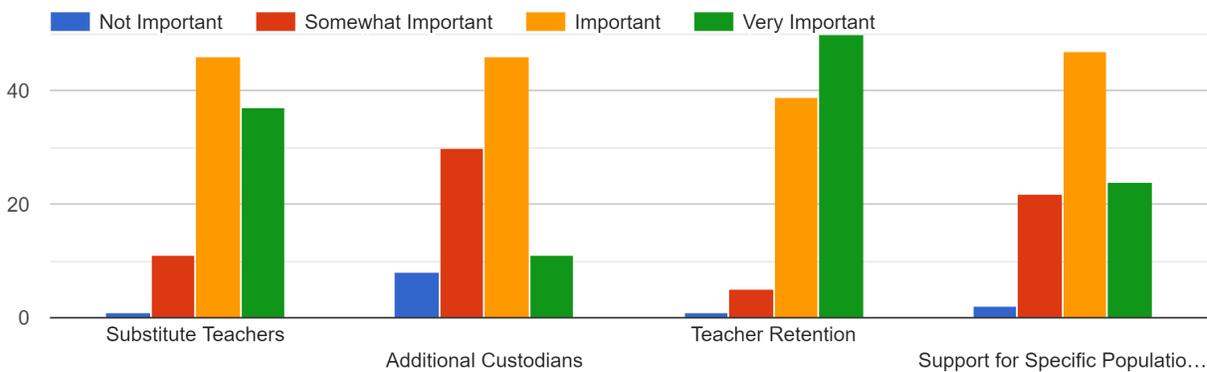
Please add any other investments we should be considering. 5 responses

Grass for the playground. Wouldn't the government pay for that if we say it's for our children's mental and physical well being?

Make sure there is no bias towards families that can or cannot afford further education

Mental health is extremely important and there is so much asked of the kids. I think they should get a mental break once a day, or at least something once a month where they don't have to sit and learn, sit and learn. Something to relax them, have fun, and just be kids.

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Increased minimum wage for support staff

We need to be sure we are showing appreciation to our support staff, which we need to improve on (paras, cooks, custodians, etc.)

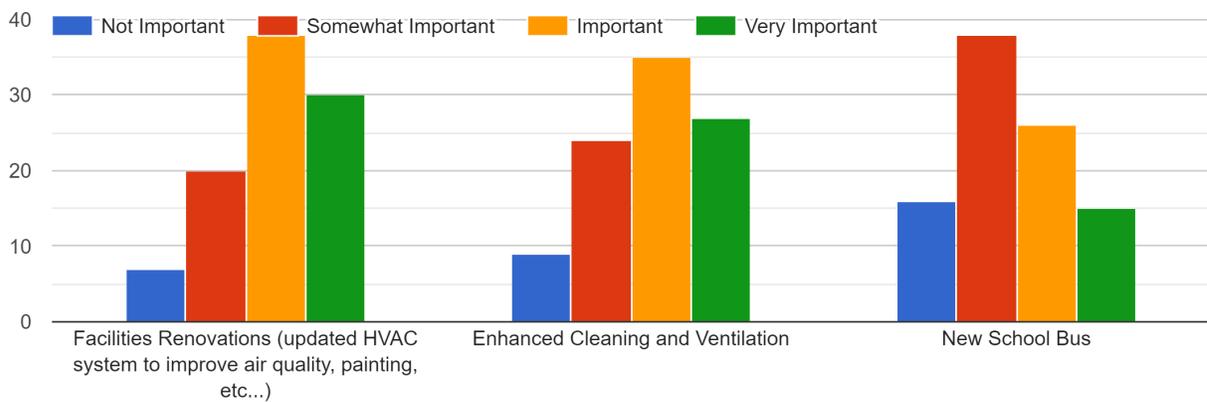
Retention is key. We need to make sure we keep our teachers happy. Also consider asking them what they need and not tell them this is what you are going to do.

Investing in childcare for staff retention and recruitment

Teachers need to be paid more, there is also a lot asked of the teachers. Also we are going to lose teachers if they aren't involved in important decisions that concern them and their colleagues.

There needs to be two kindergarten teachers

Please rate your level of importance for the following investment strategies:



Please add any other investments we should be considering. 11 responses

Using smaller buses and making routes more economical is an issue I have made suggestions for improvement in the past. Needs looked at!

Touchless restrooms

Snow removal equipment. Pre-school facilities.

Grade school HVAC, keep our kids and staff comfortable

Operations and facilities for childcare

Route buses are ridiculously old.

Cleaning not ventilation

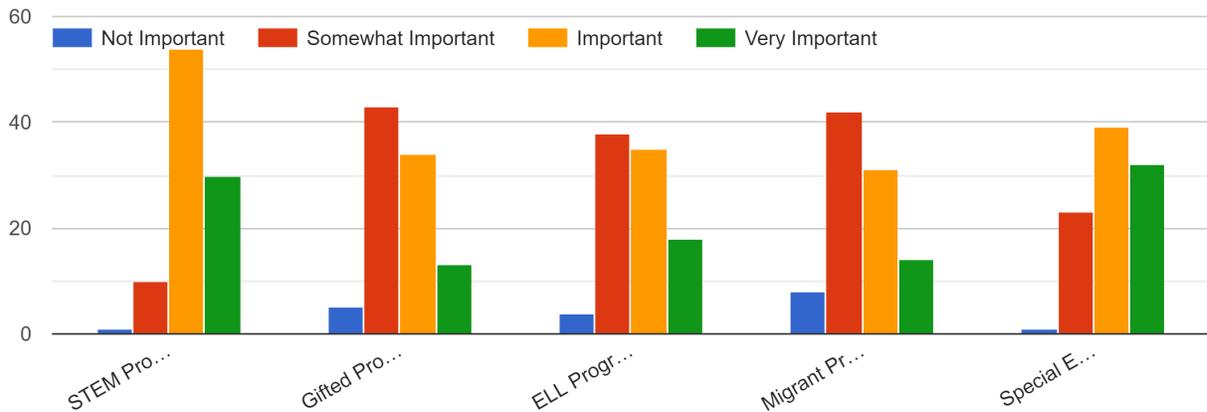
When traveling with students, have more adult supervision when both genders are on the bus, driver/teacher needs help

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As a bus driver, the route buses are WAY over due for updated vehicles.

New school buses with adequate AC and heating

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Please add any other investments we should be considering. 5 responses

I don't even know what ELL is>! (It's the acronym for English Language Learners!)

Early Childhood Education

Migrant children and parents should be encouraged to use English language, this would discourage people from feeling isolated from the general public, give them the feeling of belonging and fitting in.

I think the focus should be on STEAM programs, not just STEM. The arts are important and useful in integrating students at all levels of learning/understanding.

Please add any other strategies or suggestions we should be considering. 18 responses

Time with teachers is more important to me than time with technology.

Consider looking at the school calendar, and why we put in more hours than required by the State of Kansas?!

Consider why we spend so much on sports if we are in a financial bind?! School is for learning not sports.

Consider a 4 day school calendar week

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I think the partnership with the child care center is very positive for our community and school and would like to see the school invest in making this a success.

Early intervention. 3 year old program.

Bringing back consumer math (balancing checkbook, bank acct, managing everyday payments, life learning math).

Need more help in the ESL program.

Kindergarten Prep

Increase para wages.

We need to woo new employees, especially potential teachers. If you combine the national teacher shortage with our location, we just don't have that luxury.

I think the budget has needed to be looked at for sometime now. We are making quick decisions based on numbers of students etc that should have been in the thought process for sometime now. Just because one class is small does not mean in the future it will continue to be or that the class below them will be as small. I know everything comes down to money however it should not affect the children. We need to make sure that we always consider the children and teachers.

As Grow & Learn's public partner, please consider using some funds to complete the construction of the childcare center.

Quantum Learning

finish the childcare so we can have childcare here

Our school system is doing a good job for our children's education, maybe it could use some fine tuning

Continued communication with parents and community members. Recognition of students and staff on accomplishments and jobs well done to help build a positive learning and work environment and to increase school spirit.

I think supporting the new daycare and integrating that into educational opportunities for students would be great.

I would prefer more online studies. Less paper homework and more on Google classroom.