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PCSD School Board Approves 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 Calendars

At its October 11th, 2022, regular meeting, the Paulding County Board of Education approved calendars for the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school years. Before approval, the proposed calendars were shared with the PCSD community as part of a questionnaire that generated the highest number of responses ever for a school calendar survey.

The approved calendars differ from previous PCSD calendars. Some of the changes include the school year finishing prior to Memorial Day for both students *and* staff, and the alignment of the fall and winter breaks with some neighboring districts. Additionally, while the current school calendar incorporates a total of 17 days throughout the school year for Early Release (10 days), Digital Learning (4 days), and Teacher Workdays (3 days), the newly approved calendars decrease these days from 17 to 11 to help reduce the burden on families to plan for these schedule variances.

A community-wide survey seeking input on key aspects of the proposed calendars generated nearly 10,000 responses with 7,163 of those responses from parents. The remaining responses were from school district staff, students, and community members.

Final Results- Participants

9,899
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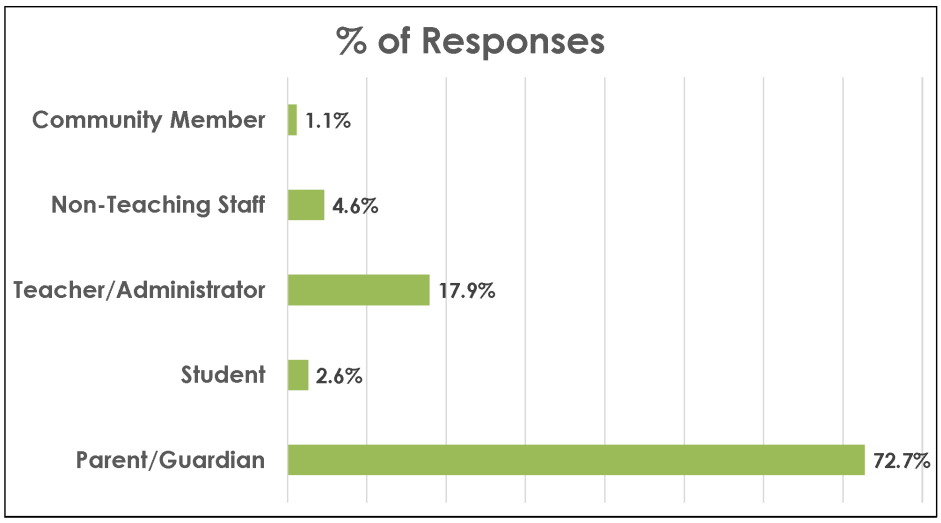

"We are pleased that these calendars reflect a consensus of the feedback we heard through our survey, and we think our parents and our staff will really take to the modifications they'll see in these calendars compared to our current calendar," said Superintendent Steve Barnette. "We've listened to our community and hope the results make planning easier for everyone."

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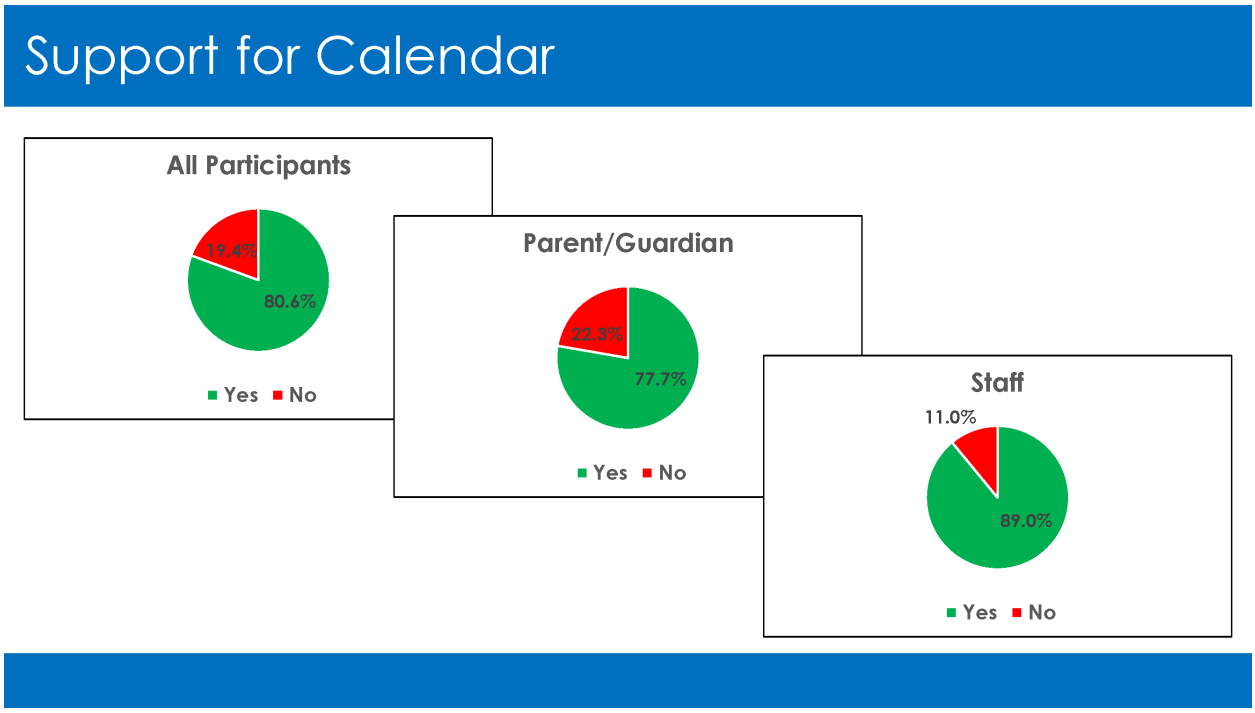
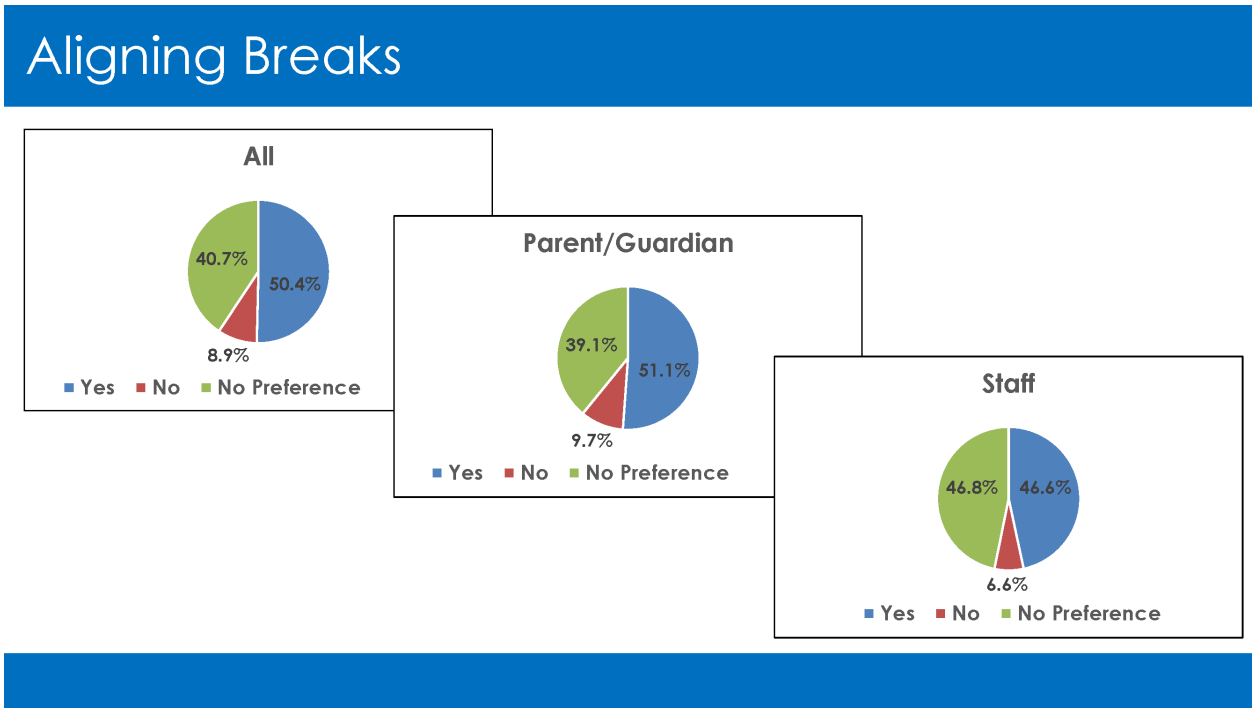
Here are some of the highlights from the calendar survey results:





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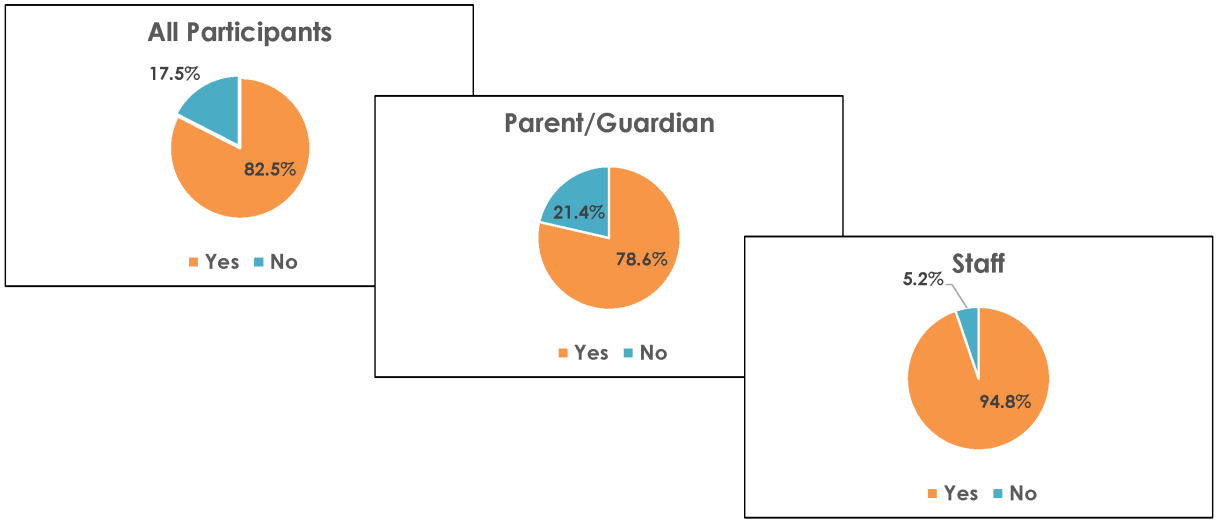

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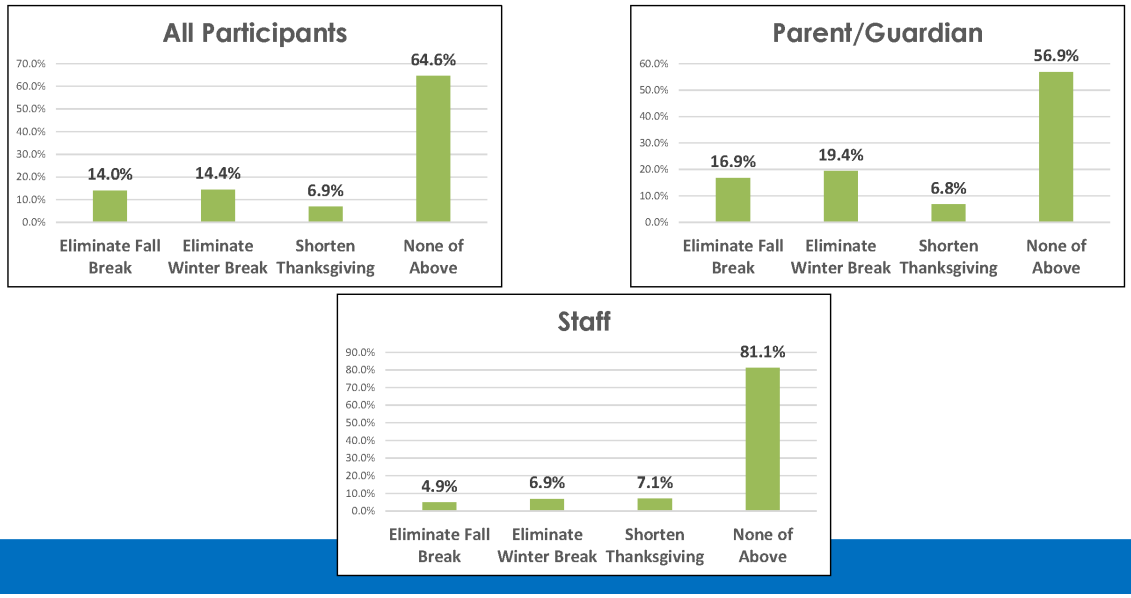

Additional calendar survey summary data is available by clicking here.