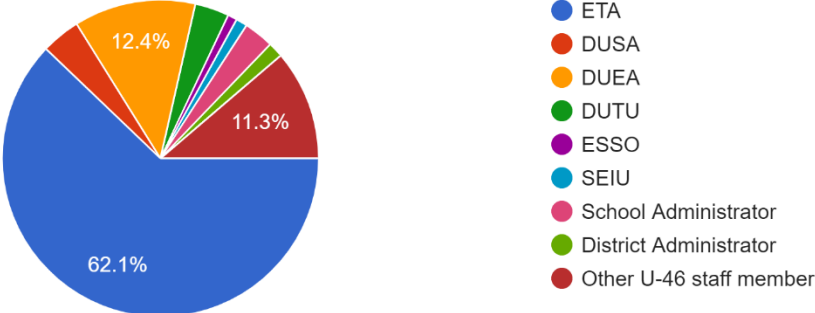# School District U-46 – Responses to Transition Planning Survey

Response Rates

Staff Responses – 3,040

What is your role/organization within U-46?
3,040 responses

- ETA
- DUSA
- DUEA
- DUTU
- ESSO
- SEIU
- School Administrator
- District Administrator
- Other U-46 staff member

62.1%
12.4%
11.3%

Family Responses - 12,290 English responses and 904 Spanish responses

Ranking of Most Important Practices if Return to In-Person Instruction

For staff, the most important assurances for return to in-person instruction:

1) Use of face coverings at all times even if social distancing is maintained – 1,048 1st choice, 812 2nd choice
2) Strict 6-foot social distancing and group size limits – 1,041 1st choice, 729 2nd choice
3) Clear protocols for communicating cases if COVID-19 - 439 1st choice, 383 2nd choice
4) Frequent cleaning of high-touch surfaces – 324 1st choice, 506 2nd choice
5) Frequent adult-supervised hand-washing or sanitizing routines - 149 1st choice, 430 2nd choice
6) No sharing of objects without disinfection before use – 39 1st choice, 180 2nd choice

For families, the most important assurances for return to in-person instruction:
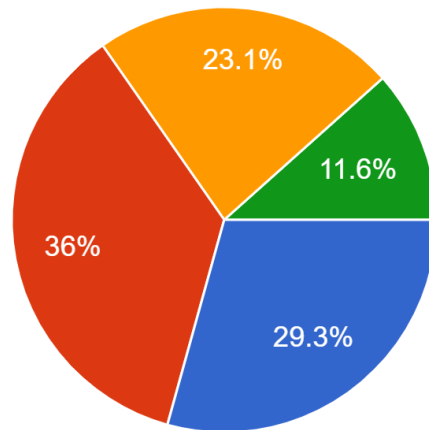
1) Strict 6-foot social distancing and group size limits – 4,296 1st, 2,462 2nd choice
2) Use of face coverings at all times even if social distancing is maintained – 2,907 1st choice, 2,099 2nd choice
3) Frequent cleaning of high-touch surfaces – 1,464 1st choice, 2,385 2nd choice
4) Frequent adult-supervised hand-washing or sanitizing routines - 1,675 1st choice, 2,857 2nd choice
5) Clear protocols for communicating cases if COVID-19 – 1,695 1st choice, 1,070 2nd choice
6) No sharing of objects without disinfection before use – 441 1st choice, 1,607 2nd choice

Preferred Models of Instruction

<u>Staff</u>

Recognizing that circumstances and health guidelines are continuously being updated, please select your preference for the instructional model to be used at the start of the 20-21 school year.
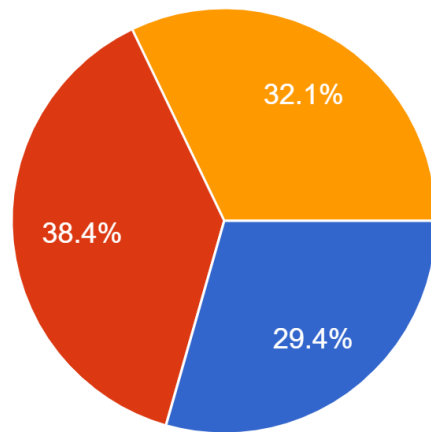3,040 responses

- 🔵 I prefer full-time distance learning to start the year
- 🔴 I prefer a hybrid or blended approach with students attending in-person only at designated times in order to limit the n…
- 🟠 I prefer a return to in-person instruction every day for all students following the recommended safety measures such…
- 🟢 I do not provide direct instructional services to students

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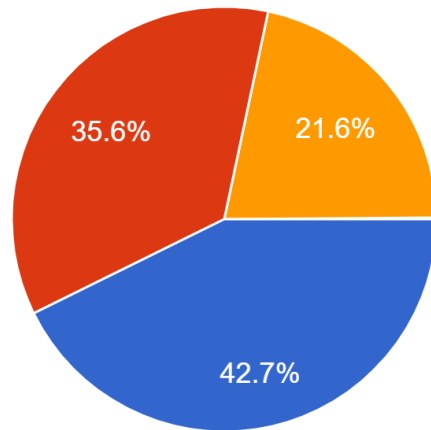
12,290 responses

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- 🔴 I prefer a hybrid or blended approach with students attending in-person only at designated times in order to limit the number of students in buildings
- 🟠 I prefer a return to in-person instruction every day for all students following the recommended safety measures such as face coverings and social distancing

Tomando en consideración que las circunstancias y las guías de salud se están actualizando continuamente, por favor seleccione su preferencia...ue se utilizará al comienzo del año escolar 20-21
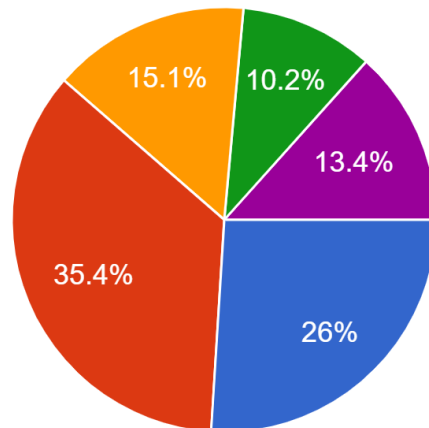904 responses

- 🔵 Yo prefiero el aprendizaje a distancia de tiempo completo para iniciar el año
- 🔴 Yo prefiero un enfoque híbrido o combinado donde los estudiantes asistan en persona sólo en horarios d…
- 🟠 Yo prefiero el regreso a clases en persona todos los días para todos los estudiantes siguiendo las medidas de…
- 🟢 I prefer a hybrid or blended approach with students attending in-person only…

Hybrid Model Preferences

If a hybrid or blended approach in which students attend only at certain times was implemented to start the year, which of the following approaches would you prefer?
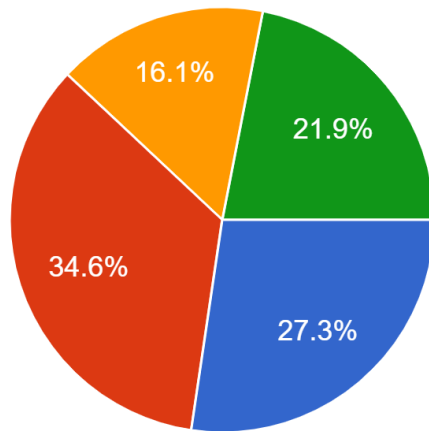
3,040 responses

- 🔵 Students attend two consecutive days each week (Tues/Wed or Thurs/Fri, fo…
- 🔴 Students attend alternating days each week (Tues/Thurs or Wed/Fri, for exa…
- 🟠 Students attend alternating weeks (week 1 in person, week 2 online, for example)
- 🟢 None of these options would work for me
- 🟣 I do not provide direct instructional services to students

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If a hybrid or blended approach in which students attend only at certain times was implemented to start the year, which of the following approaches would you prefer?
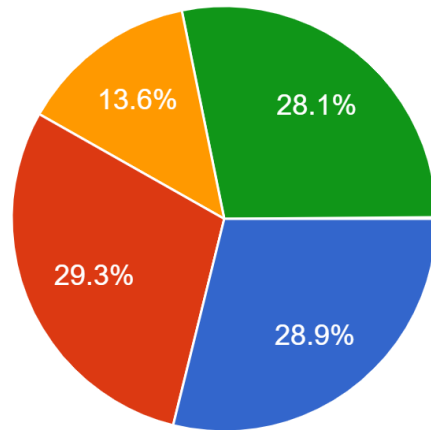
12,127 responses

- 🔵 Students attend two consecutive days each week (Tues/Wed or Thurs/Fri, for example)
- 🔴 Students attend alternating days each week (Tues/Thurs or Wed/Fri, for example)
- 🟠 Students attend alternating weeks (week 1 in person, week 2 online, for example)
- 🟢 None of these options would work for me

Si para comenzar el año se implementa un proceso híbrido o combinado donde los estudiantes asisten sólo en horarios establecidos ¿cuál de los siguientes procesos prefiere?
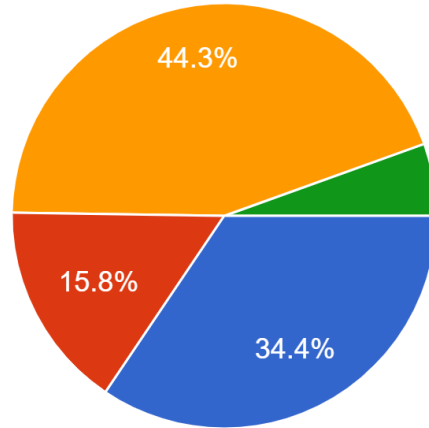
904 responses

- ● Los estudiantes asisten dos días consecutivos cada semana (por ejem…
- ● Los estudiantes asisten días alternos cada semana (por ejemplo, martes y j…
- ● Los estudiantes asisten semanas alternas (por ejemplo, la primera sem…
- ● Ninguna de estas opciones funcionaría para mí
- ● Students attend two consecutive days each week (Tues/Wed or Thurs/Fri, fo…

In-Person Instruction Considerations

<u>Staff</u>

With respect to in-person instruction/in-person work, U-46 will follow CDC and health department guidance as closely as possible. The most significa...ur overall feeling about these issues at this time?
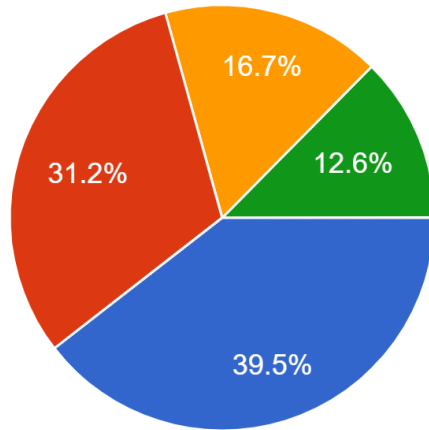3,040 responses

- 🔵 I will likely only return if strict 6-foot social distancing, which will require limiting the number of students and st…
- 🔴 I will likely return once the state of Illinois enters phase 5 of Restore Illinois plan meaning testing, tracing and treat…
- 🟠 I will likely return based on whatever safeguards the district has in place
- 🟢 I am not likely to return for any in-person instruction/in-person work onsite in Au…

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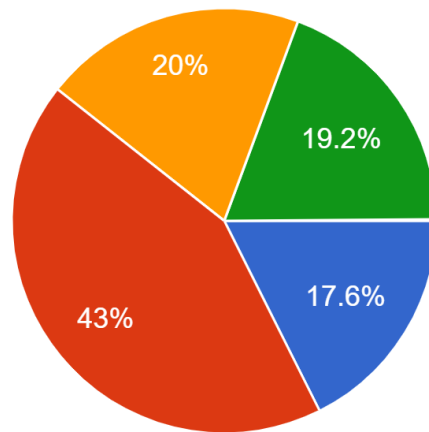12,290 responses

- I will likely allow my student to return based on whatever safeguards the dis…
- I will likely only allow my student to return if strict 6-foot social distancing,…
- I will likely only allow my student to return once the state of Illinois enters…
- I am not likely to allow my student to return for in-person instruction
- I will likely only allow my student to ret…
- I will likely allow my student to return o…

Con respecto a la instrucción en persona, el Distrito U-46 seguirá las indicaciones en la mayor medida posible de los CDC y del departamento de...ión general en este momento sobre estos temas?

904 responses

- 🔵 Probablemente permitiré que mi estudiante regrese basado en cualqui…
- 🔴 Es probable que sólo permita que mi estudiante regrese si se establece est…
- 🟠 Es probable que permita a mi estudiante a volver una vez que el estado de Illin…
- 🟢 No estoy dispuesto a permitir que mi estudiante regrese para la instrucción…
- 🟣 I will likely only return if strict 6-foot social distancing, which will require li…

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