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Only show: #1 Question "Currently, I am:" is one of the following answers ("Employed as a teacher or special education teacher in Oklahoma", "Not employed at this time but NOT looking for teacher work", "Not employed at this time but actively looking for teaching work", "Retired teacher")

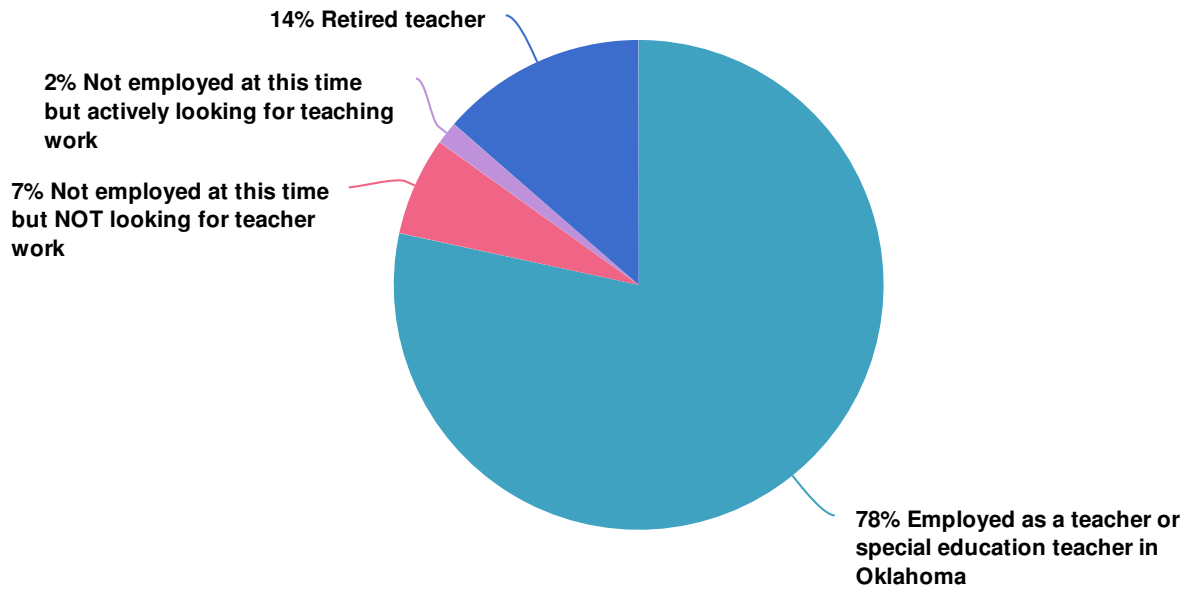
Report for OK Teacher Poll

Response Counts

Completion Rate:	100%		
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Totals: 1,098

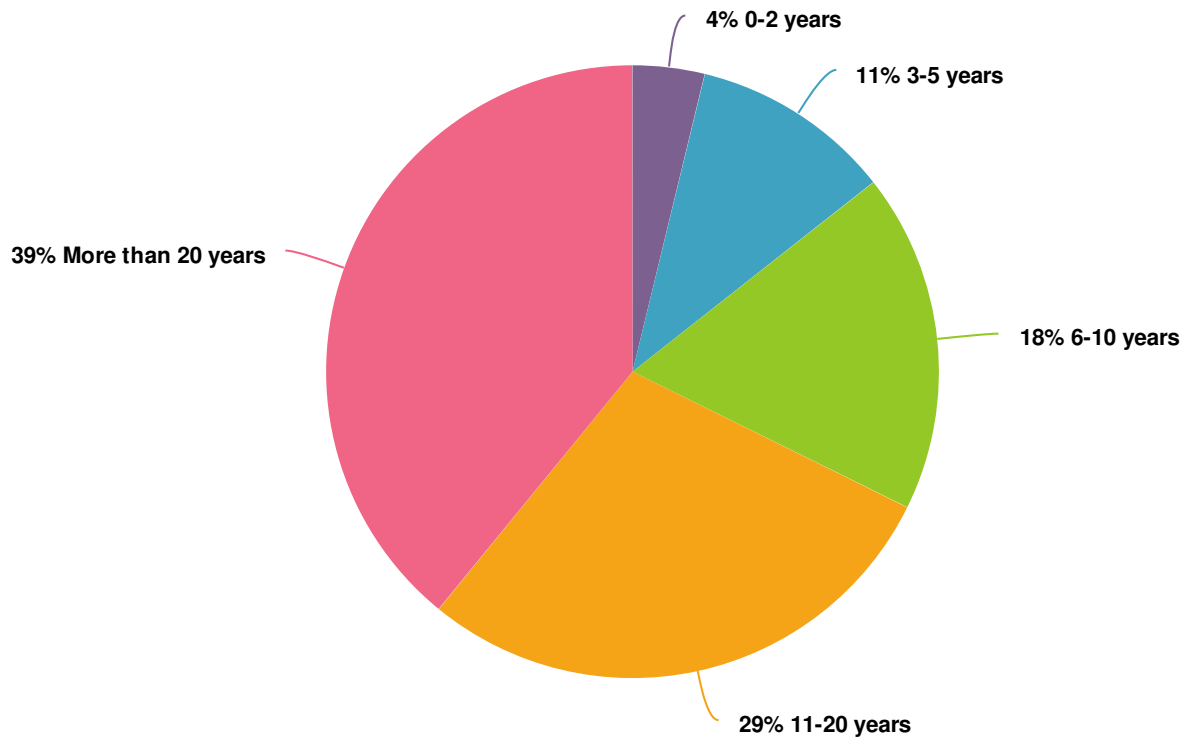
Currently, I am:



Value	Percent	Responses
Employed as a teacher or special education teacher in Oklahoma	78.4%	861
Not employed at this time but NOT looking for teacher work	6.5%	71
Not employed at this time but actively looking for teaching work	1.5%	17
Retired teacher	13.6%	149

Totals: 1,098

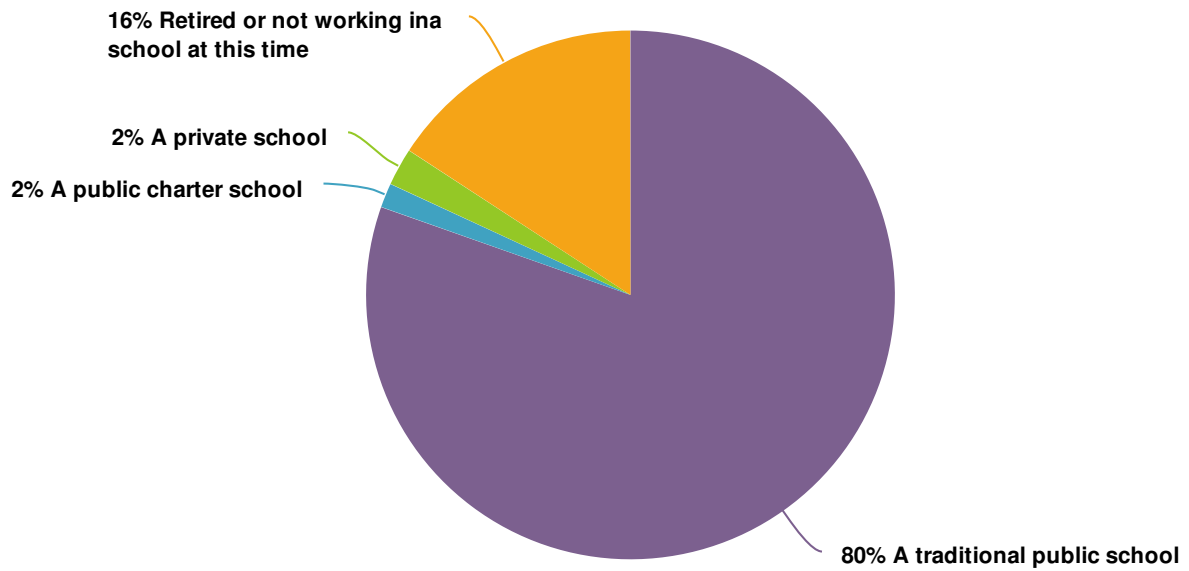
How long have you been teaching in Oklahoma?



Value	Percent	Responses
0-2 years	3.8%	42
3-5 years	10.6%	116
6-10 years	17.9%	197
11-20 years	28.6%	314
More than 20 years	39.1%	429

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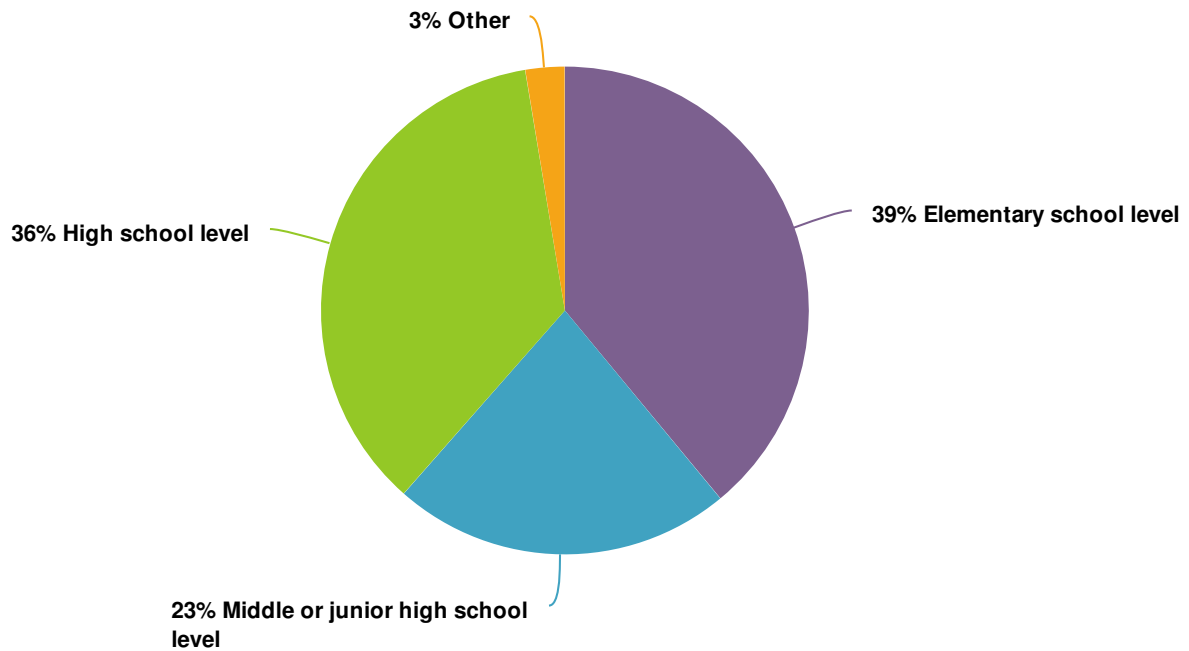
I teach or work in:







Value	Percent	Responses
A traditional public school	80.4%	883
A public charter school	1.5%	16
A private school	2.3%	25
Retired or not working in a school at this time	15.8%	174

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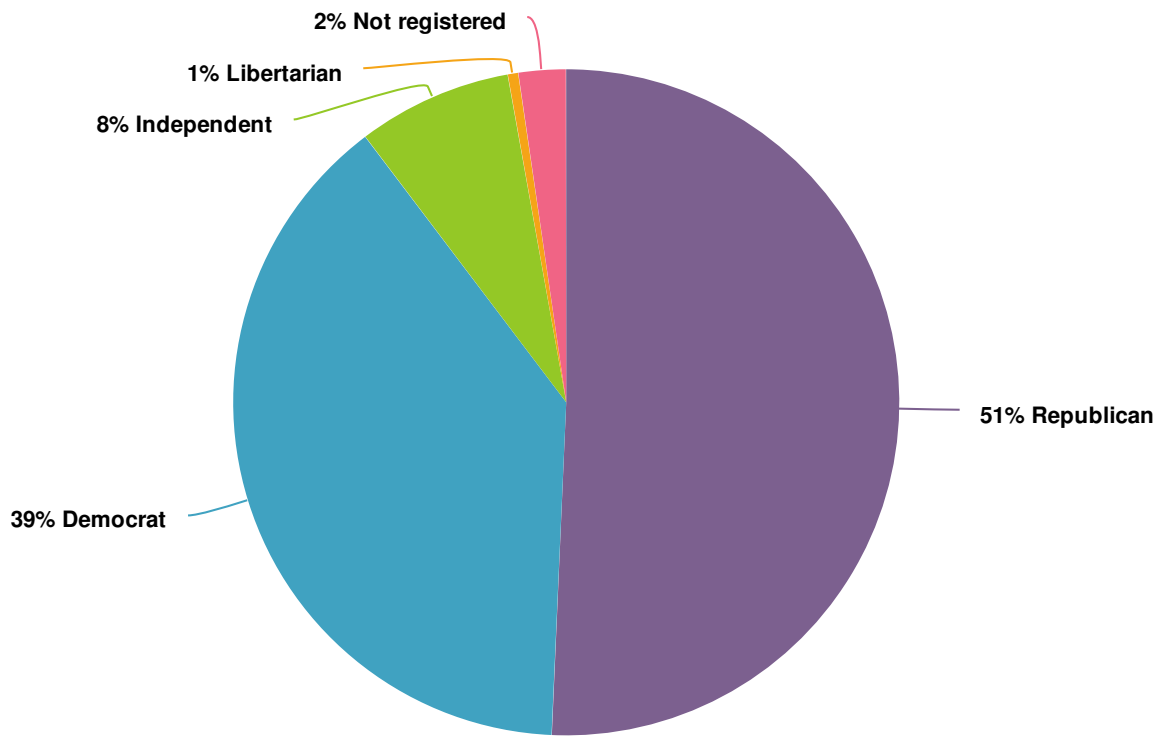
I teach or have taught predominantly in a:



Value		Percent	Responses
Elementary school level		39.0%	428
Middle or junior high school level		22.5%	247
High school level		35.9%	394
Other		2.6%	29

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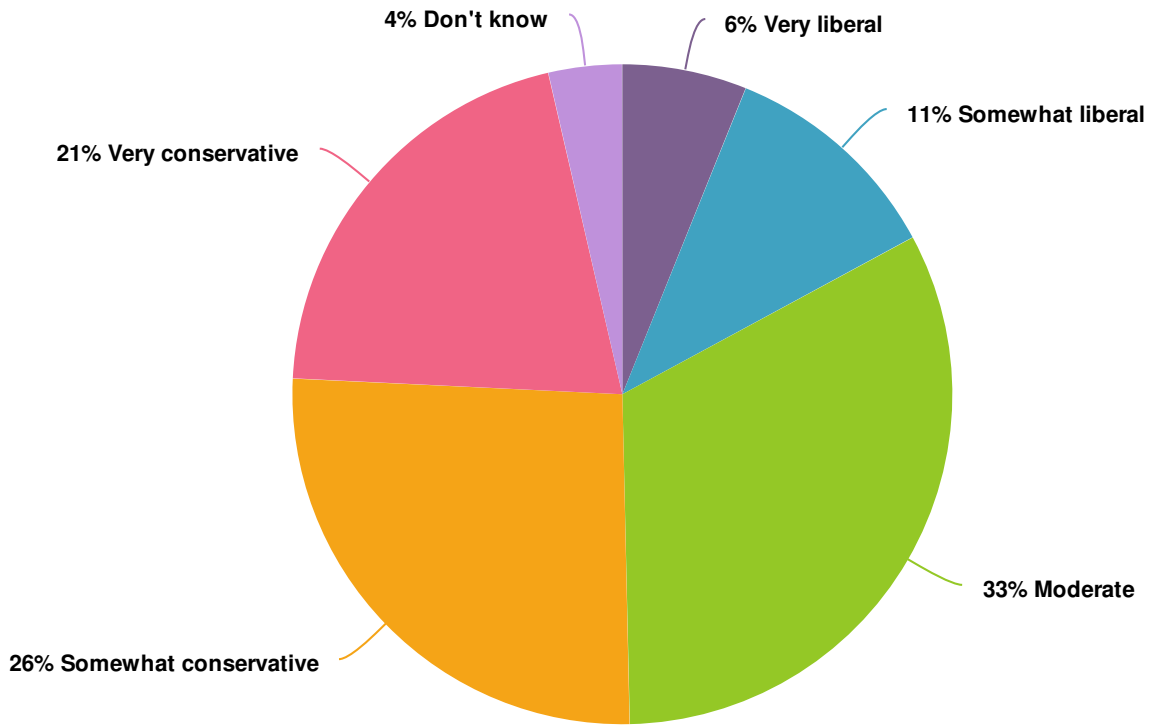
With which political party are you registered?



Value	Percent	Responses
Republican	50.7%	557
Democrat	39.0%	428
Independent	7.5%	82
Libertarian	0.5%	6
Not registered	2.3%	25

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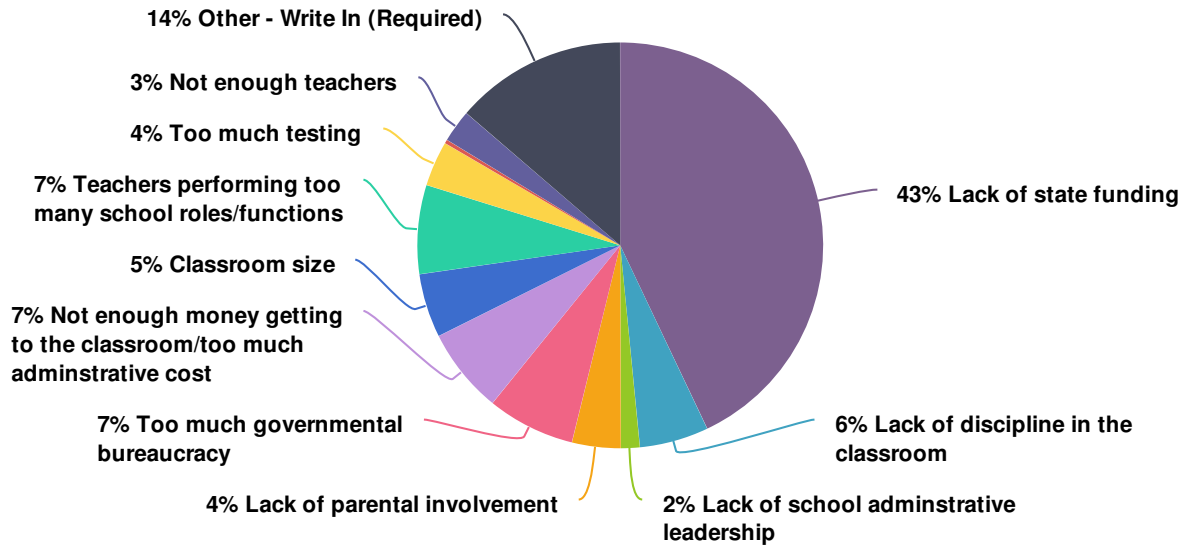
Do you consider yourself a liberal, a moderate, or a conservative in your political beliefs?















Value	Percent	Responses
Very liberal	6.1%	67
Somewhat liberal	11.0%	121
Moderate	32.5%	357
Somewhat conservative	26.1%	287
Very conservative	20.6%	226
Don't know	3.6%	40

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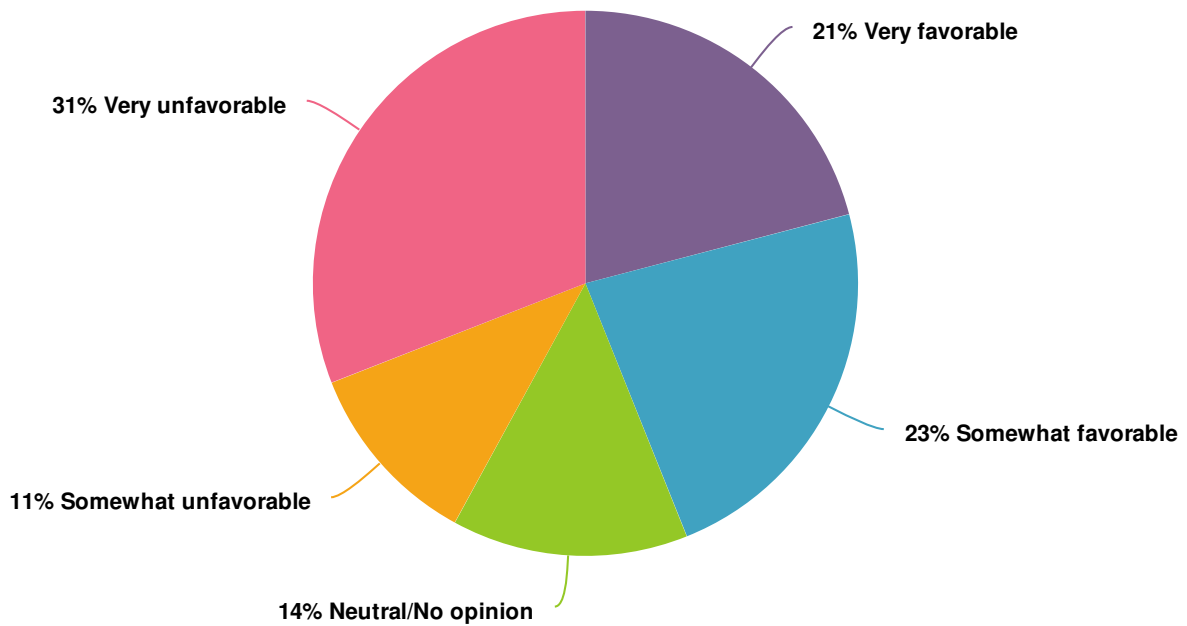
What is the greatest challenge facing public education in Oklahoma today?








Value		Percent	Responses
Lack of state funding		43.0%	472
Lack of discipline in the classroom		5.5%	60
Lack of school administrative leadership		1.5%	16
Lack of parental involvement		3.9%	43
Too much governmental bureaucracy		7.0%	77
Not enough money getting to the classroom/too much administrative cost		6.8%	75
Classroom size		5.1%	56
Teachers performing too many school roles/functions		7.1%	78
Too much testing		3.6%	39
Lack of adequate support staff		0.3%	3
Not enough teachers		2.6%	29
Other - Write In (Required)		13.7%	150

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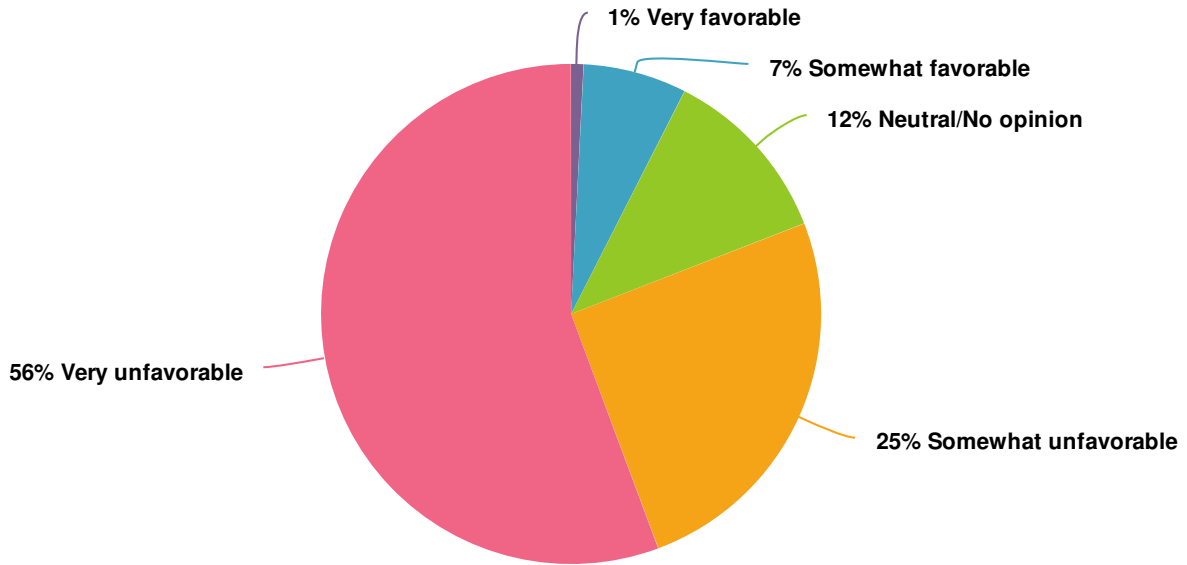
President Donald Trump



Value		Percent	Responses
Very favorable		20.9%	230
Somewhat favorable		23.0%	253
Neutral/No opinion		14.0%	154
Somewhat unfavorable		11.1%	122
Very unfavorable		30.9%	339

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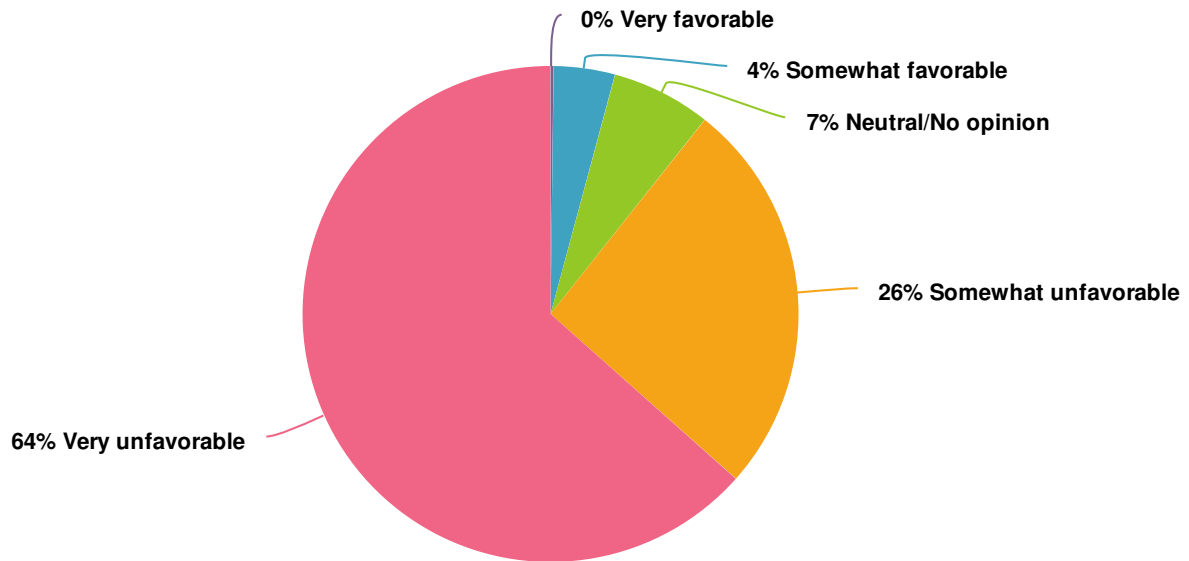
Governor Mary Fallin



Value	Percent	Responses
Very favorable	0.8%	9
Somewhat favorable	6.7%	74
Neutral/No opinion	11.6%	127
Somewhat unfavorable	25.2%	277
Very unfavorable	55.6%	611

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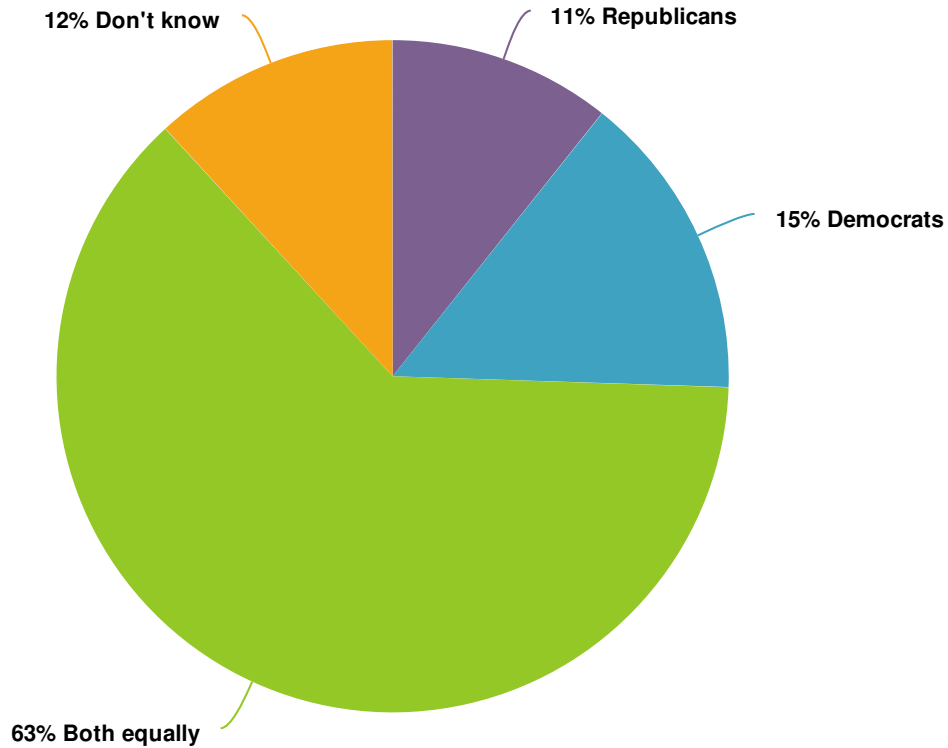
The Oklahoma legislature



Value	Percent	Responses
Very favorable	0.2%	2
Somewhat favorable	4.0%	44
Neutral/No opinion	6.5%	71
Somewhat unfavorable	25.9%	284
Very unfavorable	63.5%	697

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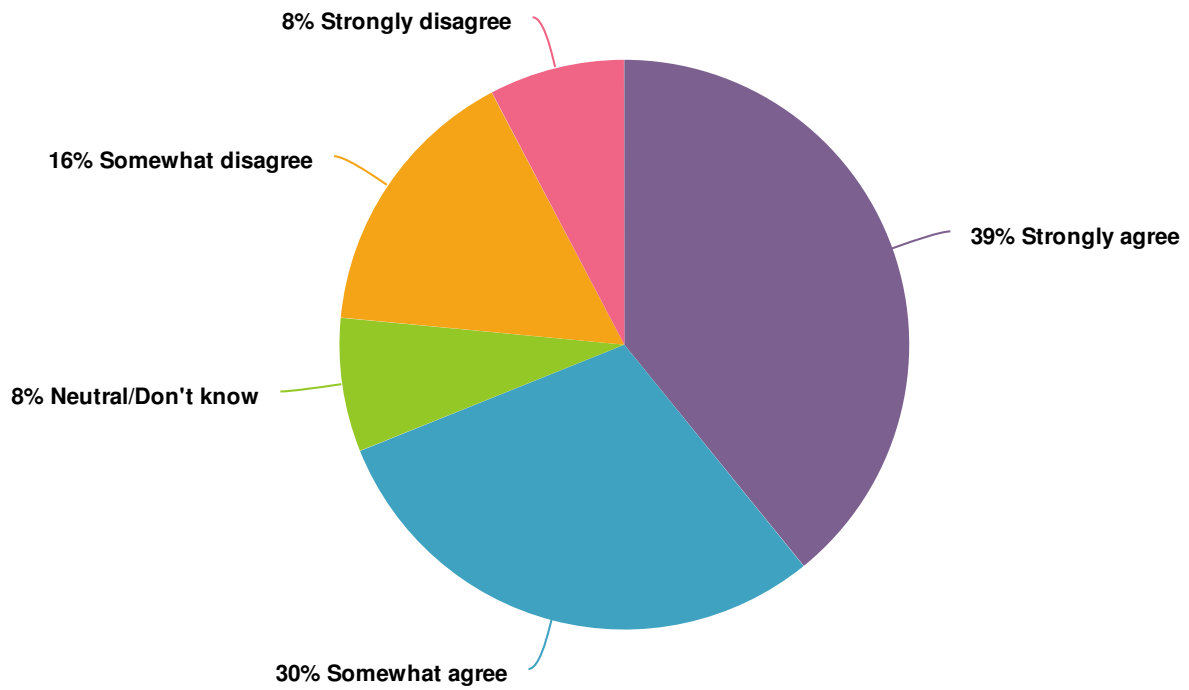
On Monday, the State House voted down the Step Up Coalition Plan with 53 of 72 House Republicans voting for the proposal, or 74% of Republicans, and 10 of 28 House Democrats voting for the proposal, or 36% of Democrats. If passed, the plan would have funded the current budget deficit and given teachers a \$5,000 pay increase. Knowing this, who do you believe is most to blame for its failure to pass?



Value	Percent	Responses
Republicans	10.7%	118
Democrats	14.8%	163
Both equally	62.6%	687
Don't know	11.8%	130

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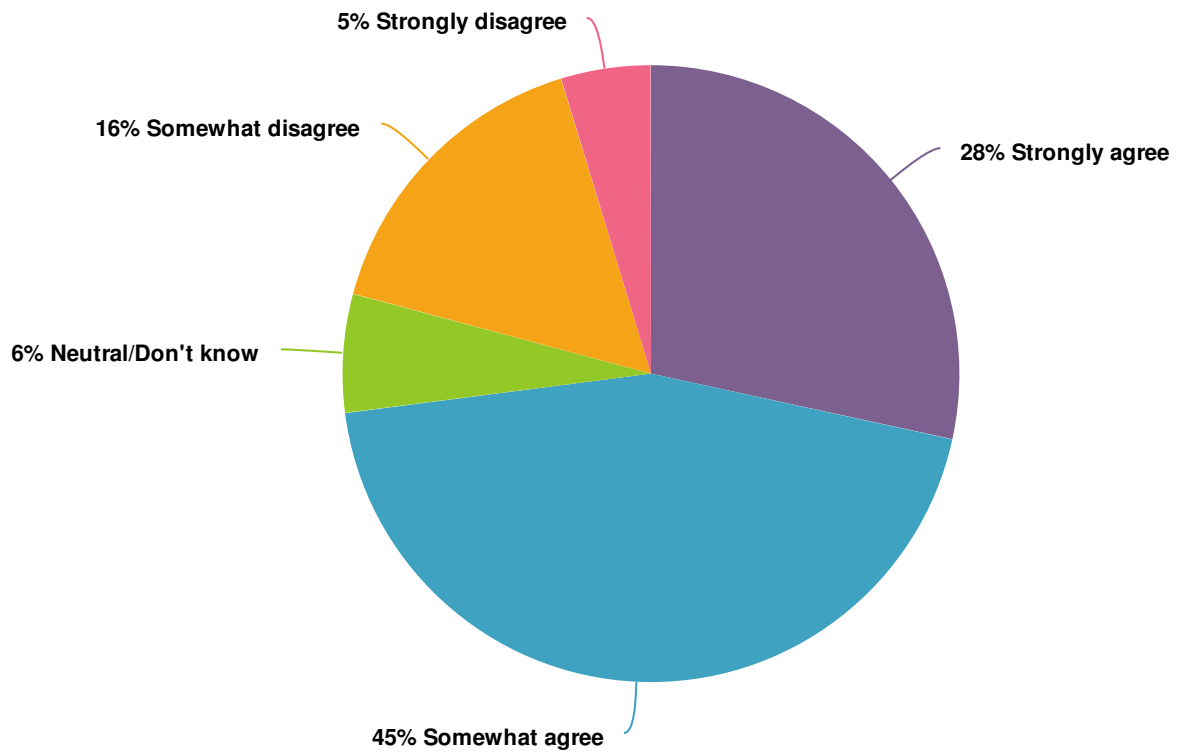
I am enthusiastic about my teaching profession.



Value	Percent	Responses
Strongly agree	39.2%	430
Somewhat agree	29.8%	327
Neutral/Don't know	7.6%	83
Somewhat disagree	15.8%	173
Strongly disagree	7.7%	85

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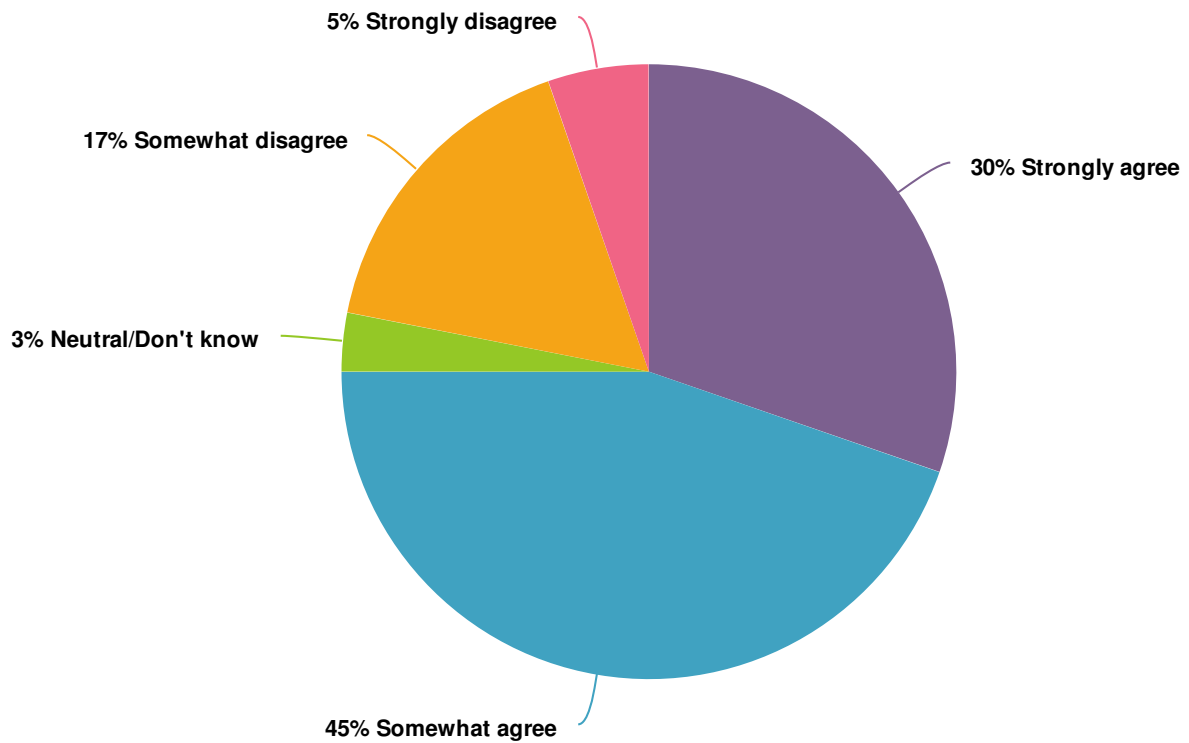
I am treated with respect by my student's parents.



Value	Percent	Responses
Strongly agree	28.4%	312
Somewhat agree	44.5%	489
Neutral/Don't know	6.2%	68
Somewhat disagree	16.1%	177
Strongly disagree	4.7%	52

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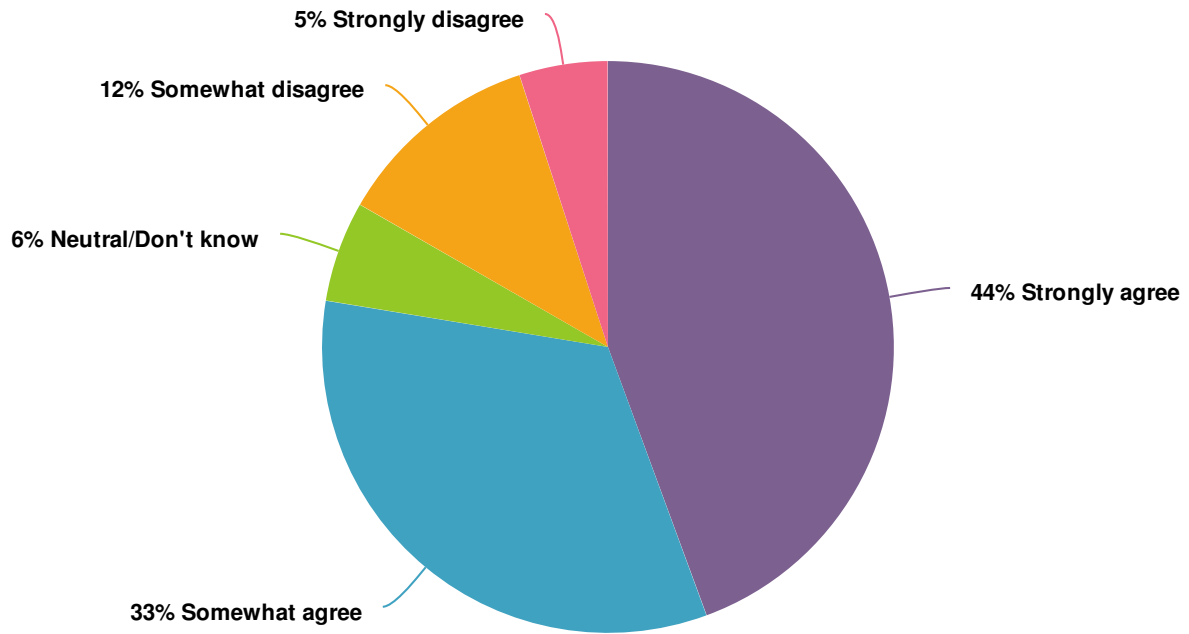
I am treated with respect by my students.








Value	Percent	Responses
Strongly agree	30.3%	333
Somewhat agree	44.7%	491
Neutral/Don't know	3.1%	34
Somewhat disagree	16.6%	182
Strongly disagree	5.3%	58

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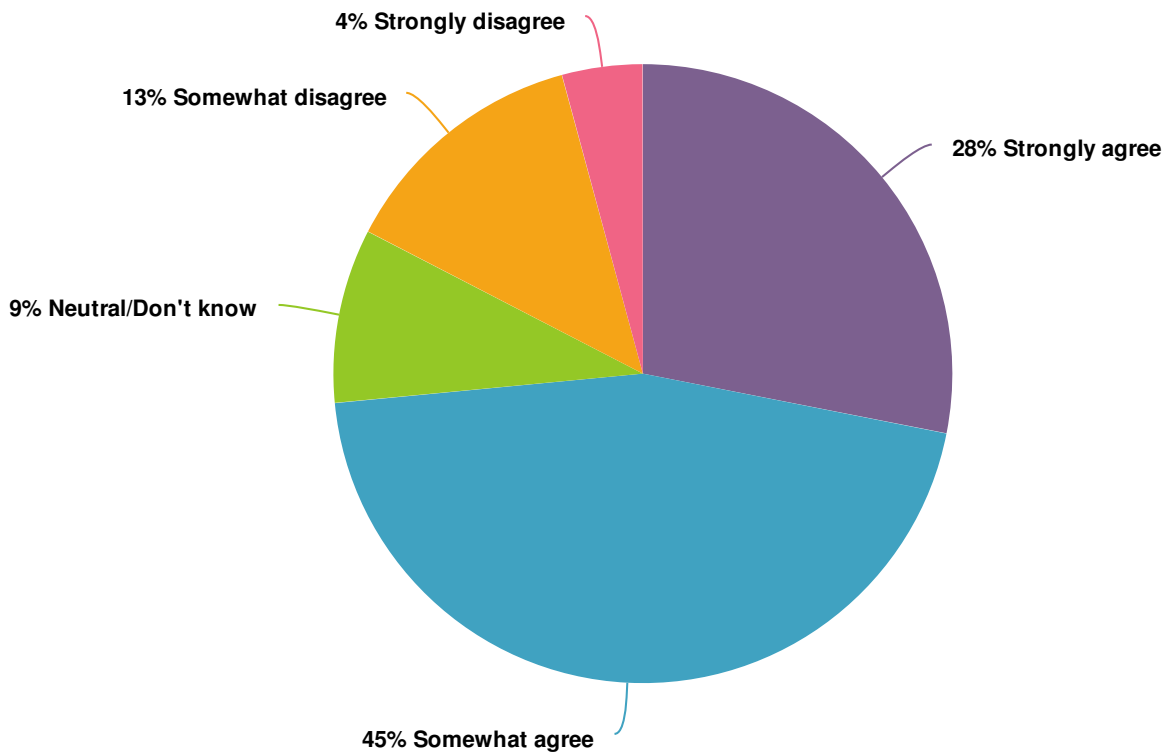
I am treated with respect by my school's administration.



Value		Percent	Responses
Strongly agree		44.4%	487
Somewhat agree		33.2%	365
Neutral/Don't know		5.7%	63
Somewhat disagree		11.7%	128
Strongly disagree		5.0%	55

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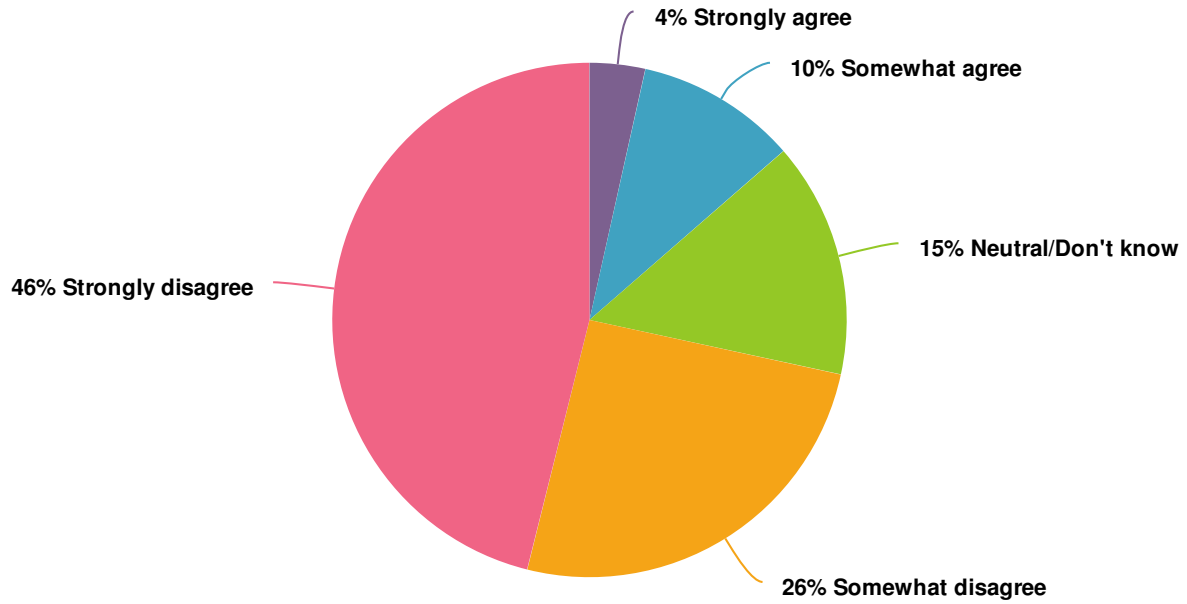
I am treated with respect by my community.



Value	Percent	Responses
Strongly agree	28.1%	309
Somewhat agree	45.4%	498
Neutral/Don't know	9.1%	100
Somewhat disagree	13.2%	145
Strongly disagree	4.2%	46

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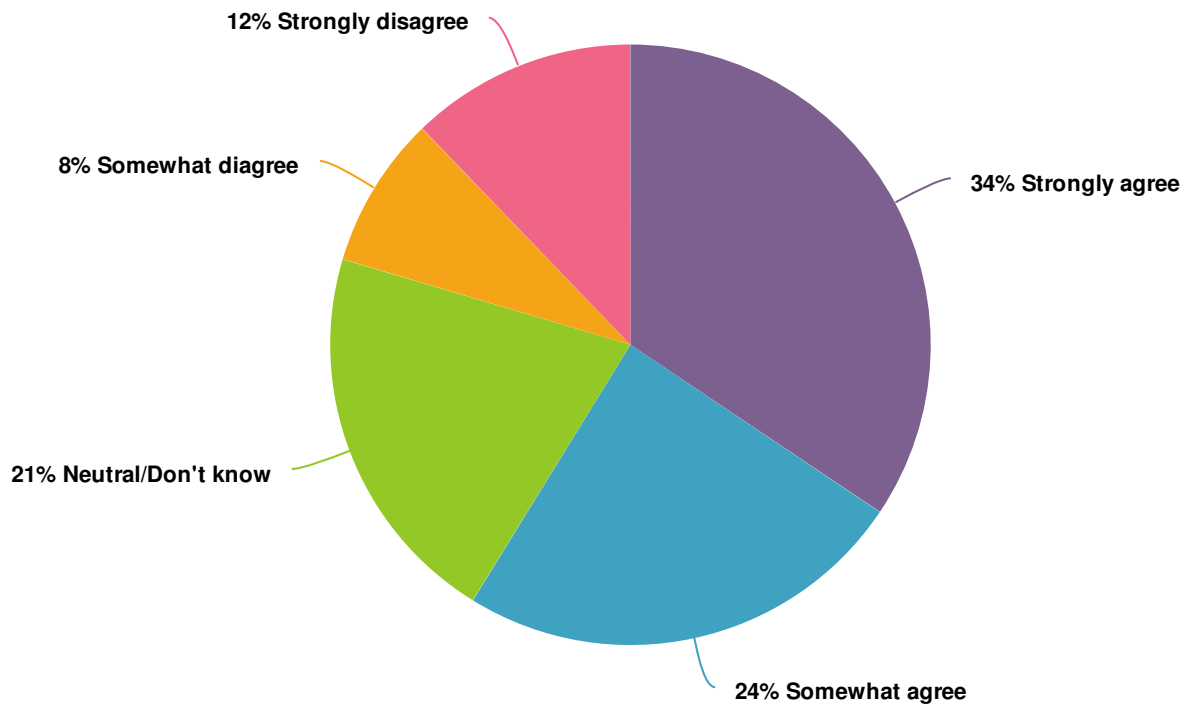
I am treated with respect by my elected officials.



Value	Percent	Responses
Strongly agree	3.5%	38
Somewhat agree	10.1%	111
Neutral/Don't know	14.8%	163
Somewhat disagree	25.5%	280
Strongly disagree	46.1%	506

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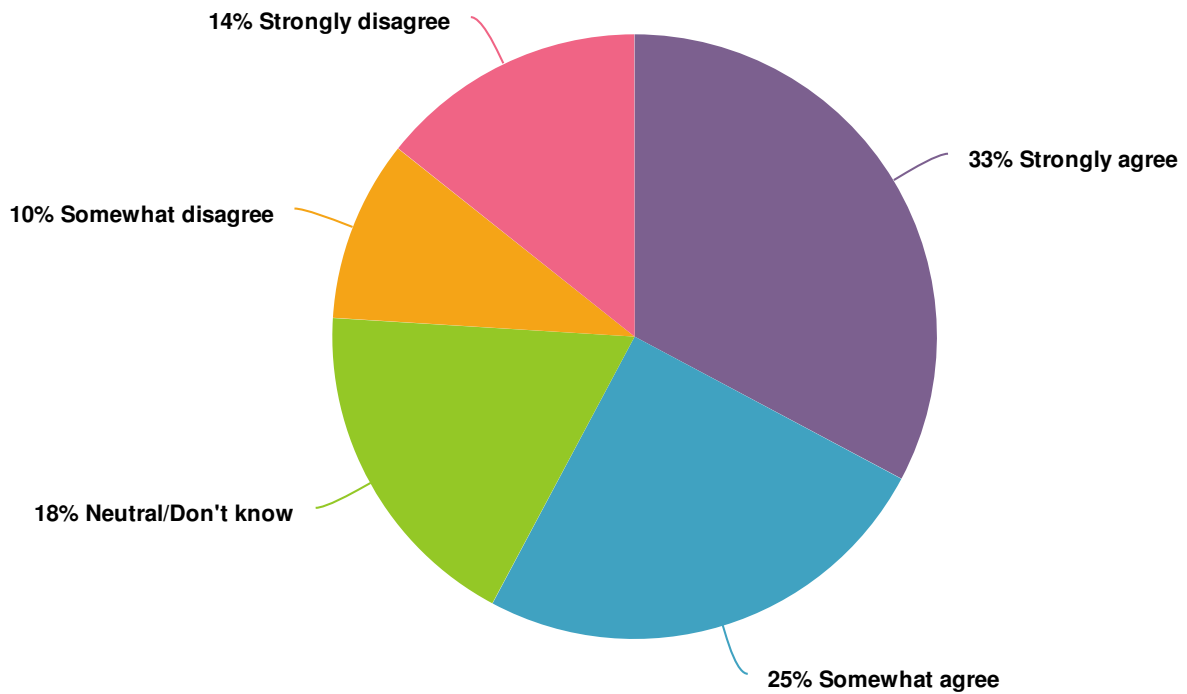
Since the Step Up vote on Monday, I have begun to more seriously consider stopping or retiring from teaching all together.



Value	Percent	Responses
Strongly agree	34.4%	378
Somewhat agree	24.4%	268
Neutral/Don't know	20.8%	228
Somewhat disagree	8.2%	90
Strongly disagree	12.2%	134

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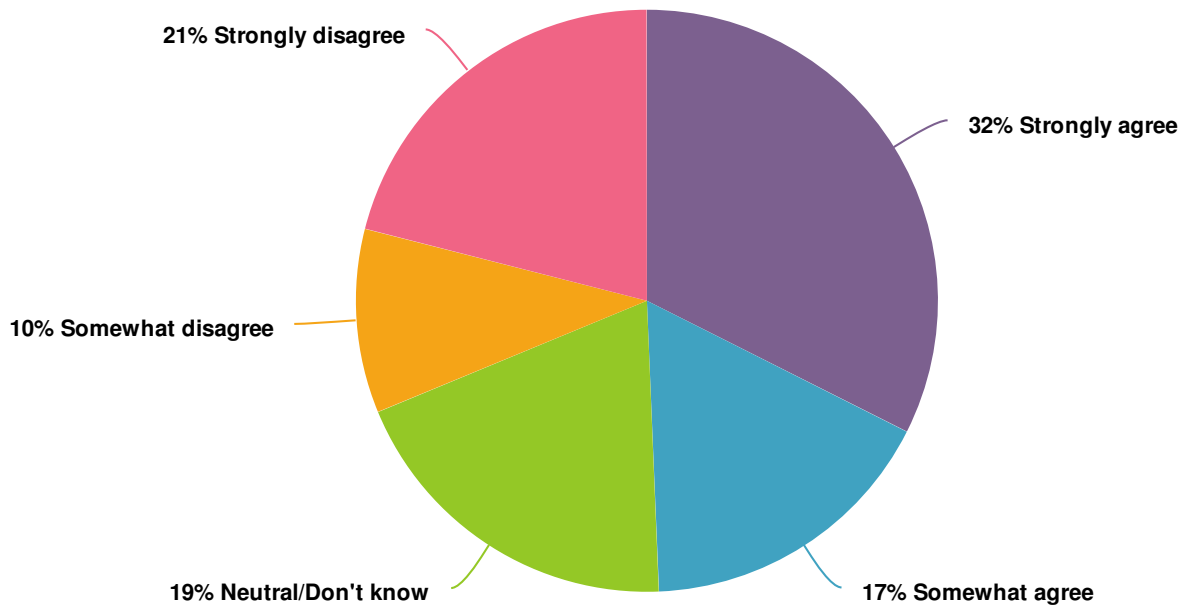
Since the Step Up vote on Monday, I have begun to more seriously consider changing professions or pursuing another career.



Value	Percent	Responses
Strongly agree	32.8%	360
Somewhat agree	25.0%	275
Neutral/Don't know	18.2%	200
Somewhat disagree	9.7%	106
Strongly disagree	14.3%	157

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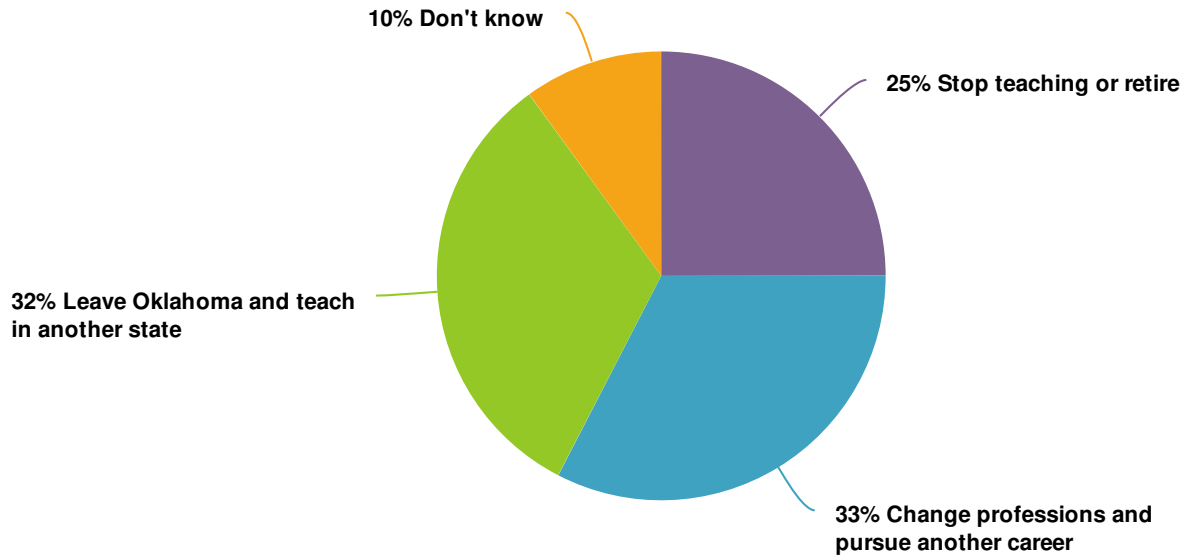
Since the Step Up vote on Monday, I have begun to more seriously consider leaving the state of Oklahoma and teaching in another state.



Value	Percent	Responses
Strongly agree	32.4%	356
Somewhat agree	16.9%	186
Neutral/Don't know	19.4%	213
Somewhat disagree	10.2%	112
Strongly disagree	21.0%	231

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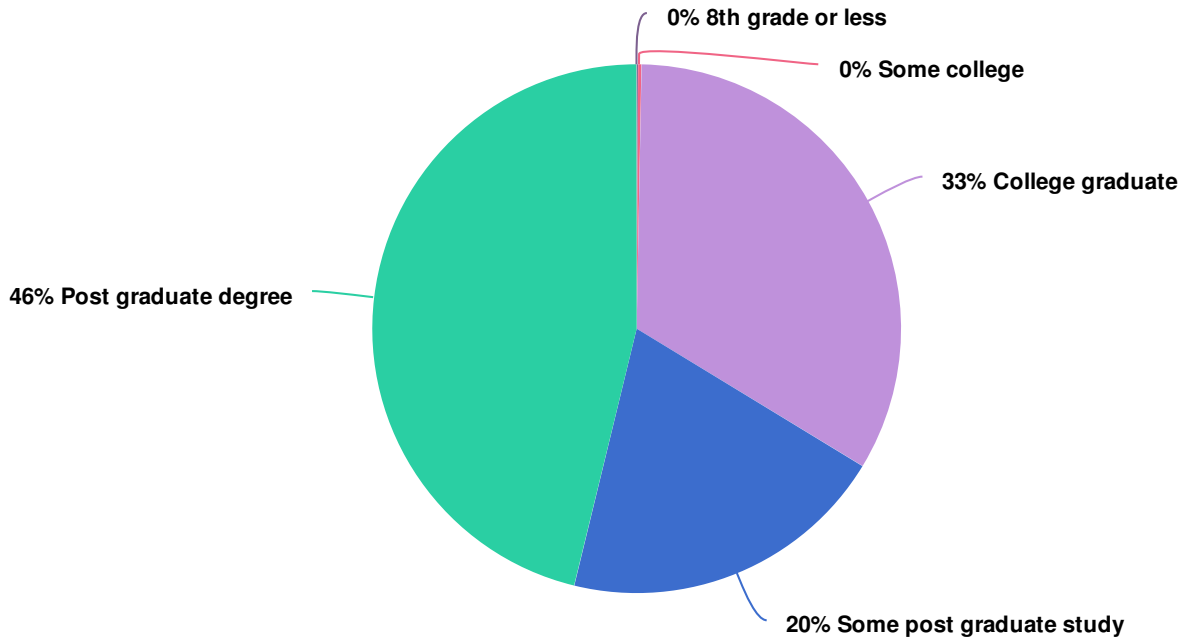
Which one do you believe you would pursue first of foremost?



Value	Percent	Responses
Stop teaching or retire	25.0%	274
Change professions and pursue another career	32.6%	358
Leave Oklahoma and teach in another state	32.4%	356
Don't know	10.0%	110

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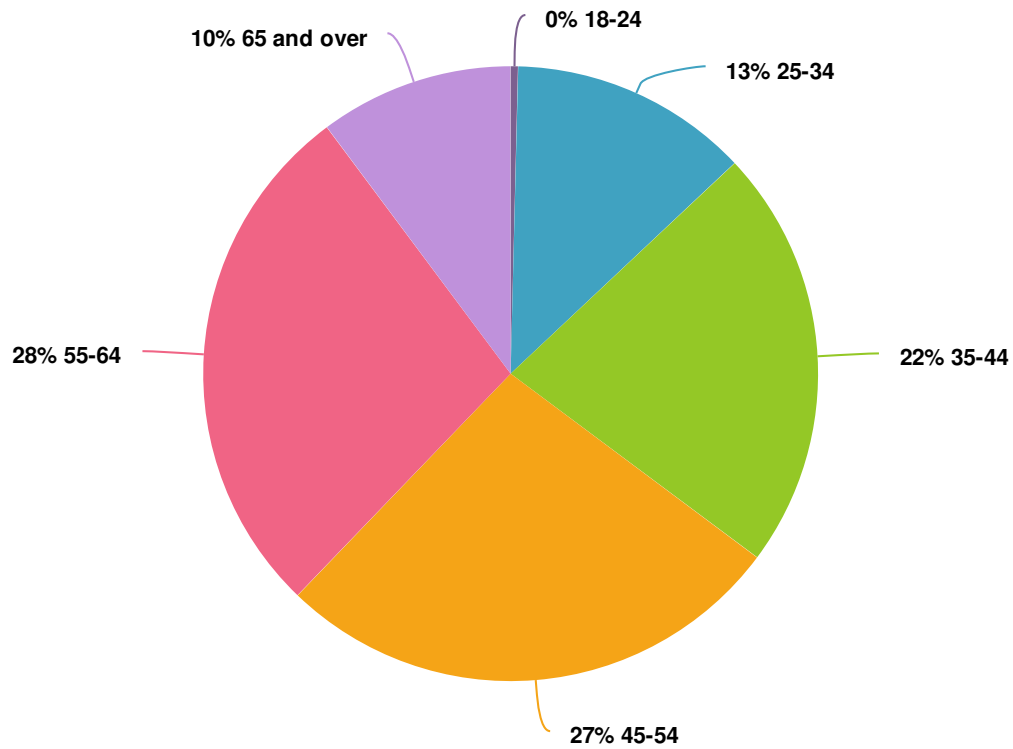
What is the highest level of education you've had the opportunity to complete?



Value	Percent	Responses
8th grade or less	0.1%	1
Some college	0.2%	2
College graduate	33.4%	367
Some post graduate study	20.1%	221
Post graduate degree	46.2%	507

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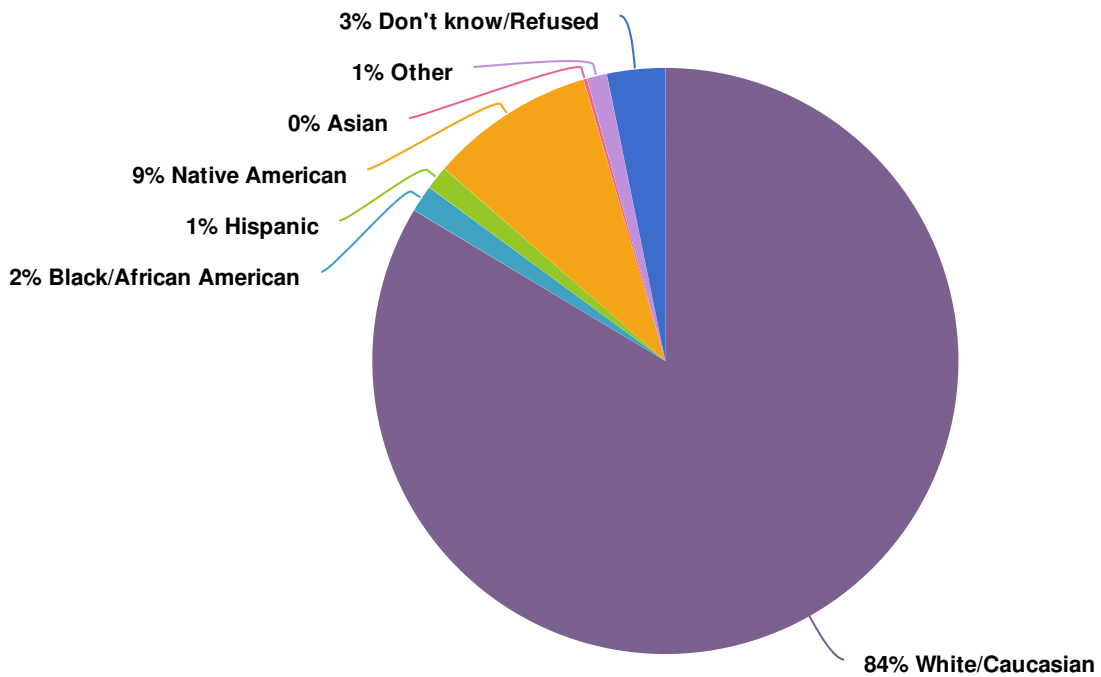
Into which of the following age groups do you fall?



Value	Percent	Responses
18-24	0.4%	4
25-34	12.6%	138
35-44	22.2%	244
45-54	27.0%	297
55-64	27.6%	303
65 and over	10.2%	112

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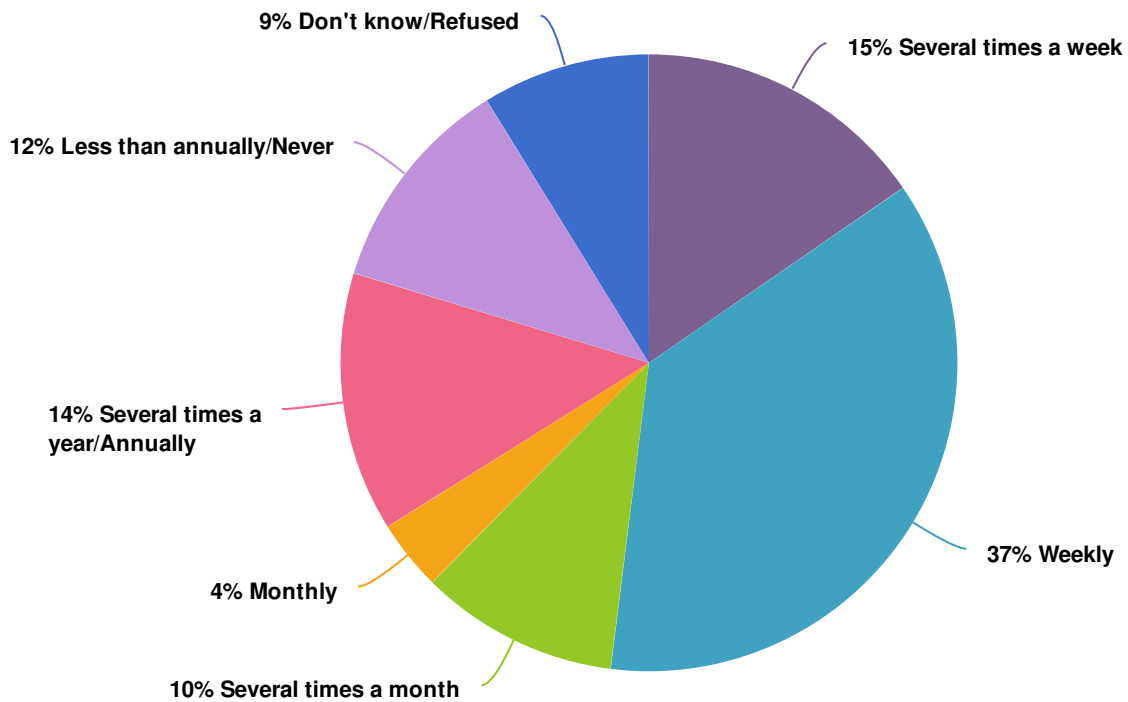
Which of the following best describes your ethnic background?



Value	Percent	Responses
White/Caucasian	83.6%	918
Black/African American	1.5%	17
Hispanic	1.3%	14
Native American	9.1%	100
Asian	0.2%	2
Other	1.1%	12
Don't know/Refused	3.2%	35

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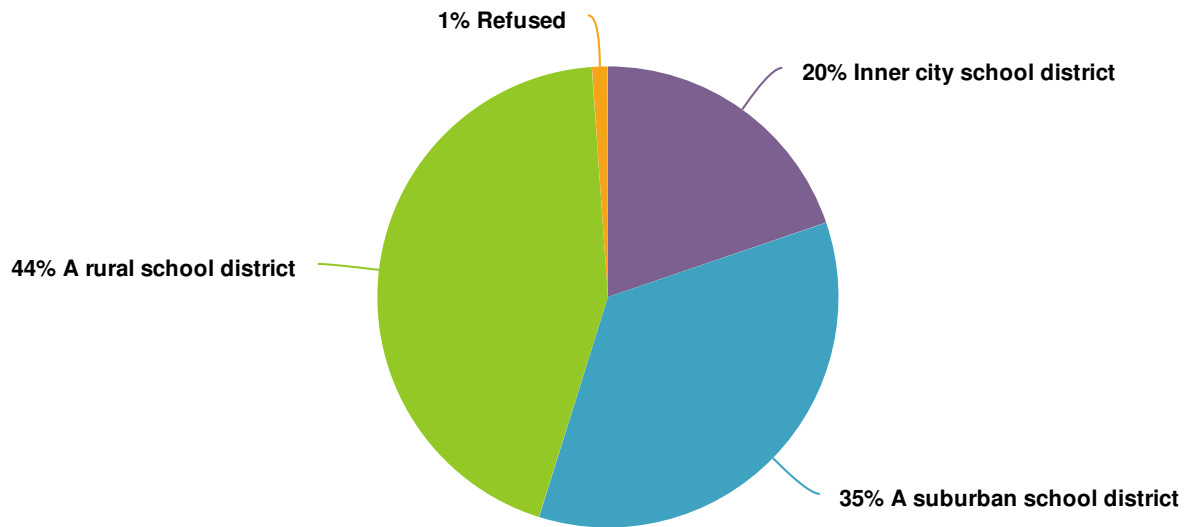
How often do you attend religious services?



Value	Percent	Responses
Several times a week	15.4%	169
Weekly	36.6%	402
Several times a month	10.4%	114
Monthly	3.7%	41
Several times a year/Annually	13.6%	149
Less than annually/Never	11.5%	126
Don't know/Refused	8.8%	97

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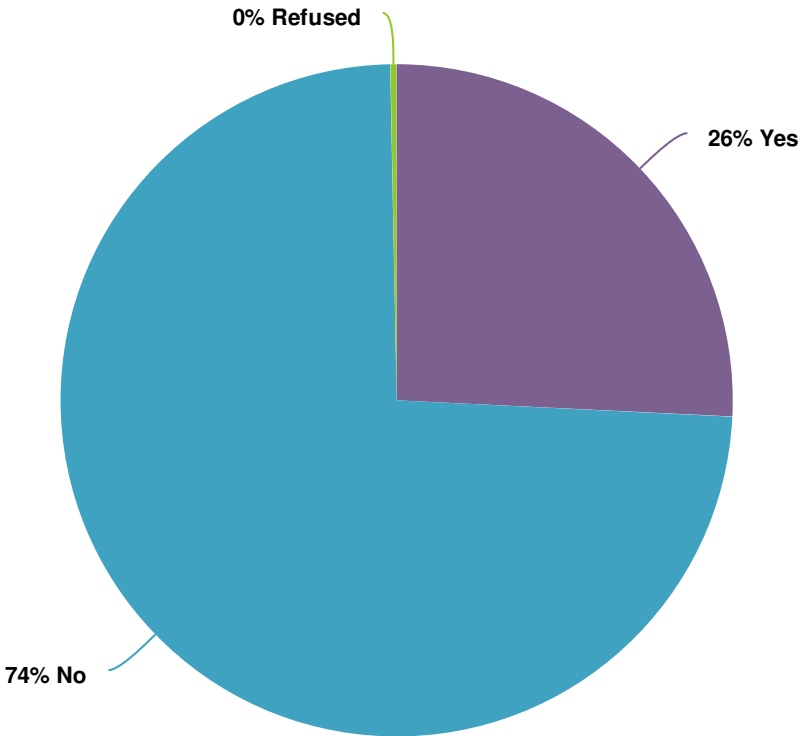
I teach or have taught primarily in a:



Value	Percent	Responses
Inner city school district	19.8%	217
A suburban school district	35.1%	385
A rural school district	44.1%	484
Refused	1.1%	12

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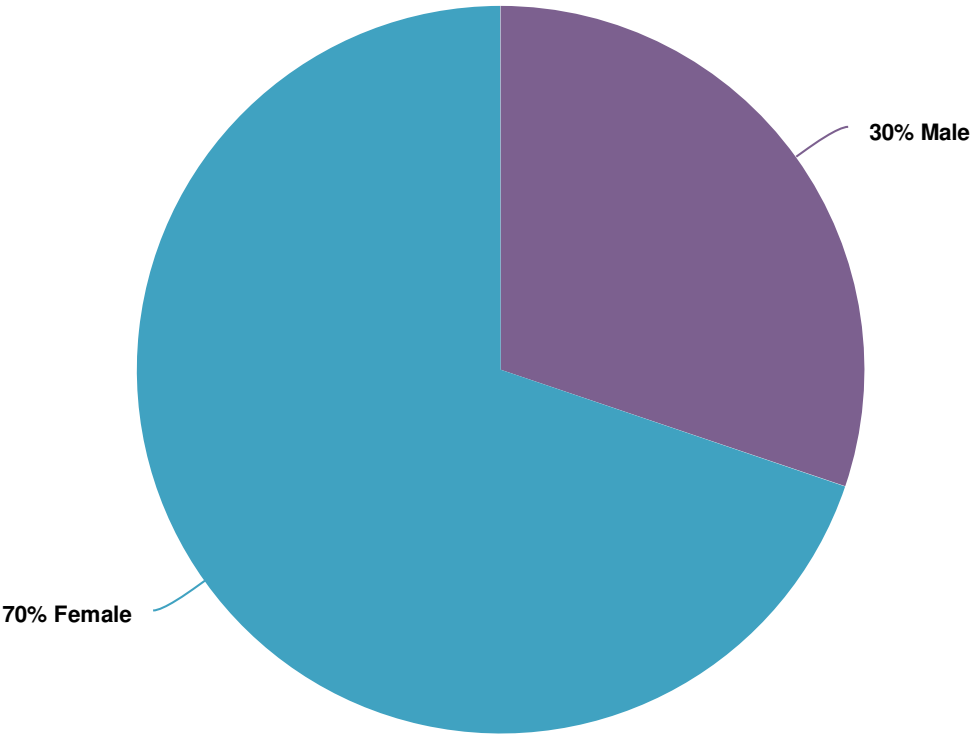
Have you ever taught K-12 in another state?





Value	Percent	Responses
Yes	25.8%	283
No	74.0%	812
Refused	0.3%	3

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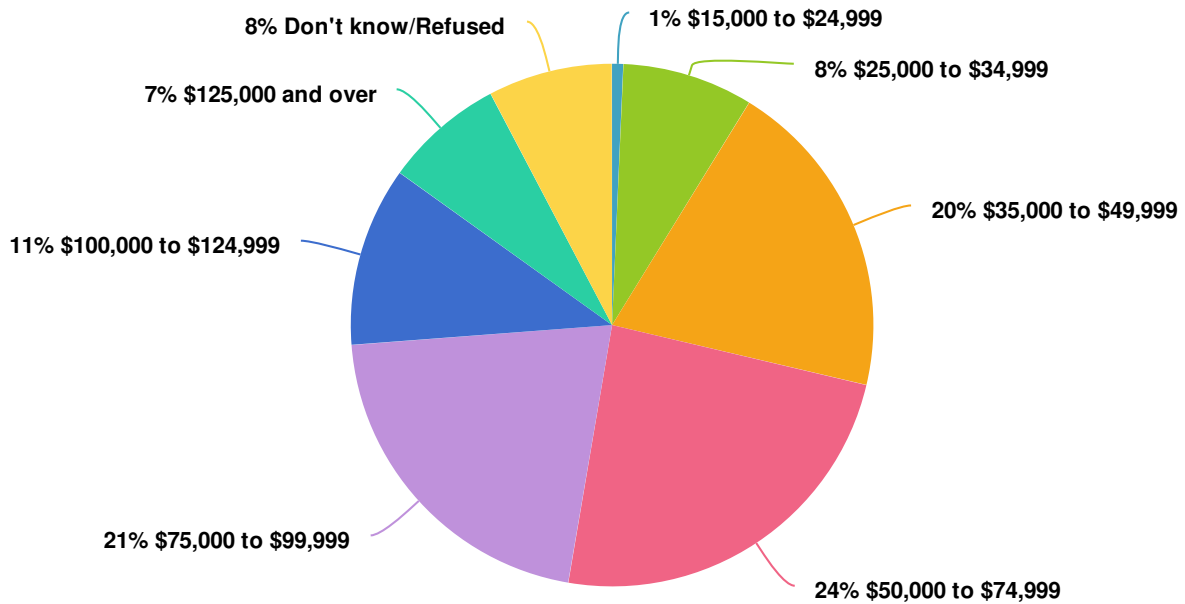
Are you:



Value		Percent	Responses
Male		30.2%	332
Female		69.8%	766

Totals: 1,098

Which of the following groups does the total annual income of your household fall?



Value	Percent	Responses
\$15,000 to \$24,999	0.7%	8
\$25,000 to \$34,999	8.1%	89
\$35,000 to \$49,999	19.9%	218
\$50,000 to \$74,999	24.0%	263
\$75,000 to \$99,999	21.1%	232
\$100,000 to \$124,999	11.1%	122
\$125,000 and over	7.4%	81
Don't know/Refused	7.7%	85

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