



**Golf 67
School
District**

Superintendent Report

February 18, 2021

Dr. Susan Coleman



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Golf School District 67 Values and Beliefs

- In an inclusive environment that promotes equity, diversity and enhances learning in a social environment in which the rights and dignity of the school community are respected.
- Passion and commitment inspire teaching and learning.
- All students are capable of high levels of academic and social success.
- Education should reflect 21st Century Learning.
- Children thrive when family, school, and community work as partners.
- We will allocate and pursue resources in suitable, transparent, and purposeful ways.
- Students have the greatest opportunity to learn in a safe environment.



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Overview

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Student Update



- We continue to successfully educate our students in our Hybrid Model.
- We are in the process of bringing back special populations of students 4 days a week
- At Golf Middle School, students have begun to change classes as opposed to sitting in one seat all day
- Clubs have started
- We are preparing for a shortened season of Volleyball and Soccer (for 8th graders or Varsity only)





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Travel Guidelines



In response to the changing dynamics of COVID-19 transmission across the United States, and to support CCDPH's efforts to contain the spread of COVID-19, CCDPH has issued the following guidance for anyone coming into suburban Cook County from designated states with a significant degree of community-wide spread of COVID-19. Click [here](#) for more information

Anyone traveling from a state on the Orange list on this webpage is directed to obtain a negative COVID-19 test result no more than 72 hours prior to arrival in suburban Cook County or quarantine for a 10-day period (or for the duration of their time in suburban Cook County, whichever is shorter).

CCDPH guidance is consistent with the City of Chicago's Travel Order to reduce confusion among people living and working in Cook County. CCDPH's guidance is our recommendation to prevent the spread of COVID-19, but it is not an order and it is not enforceable.

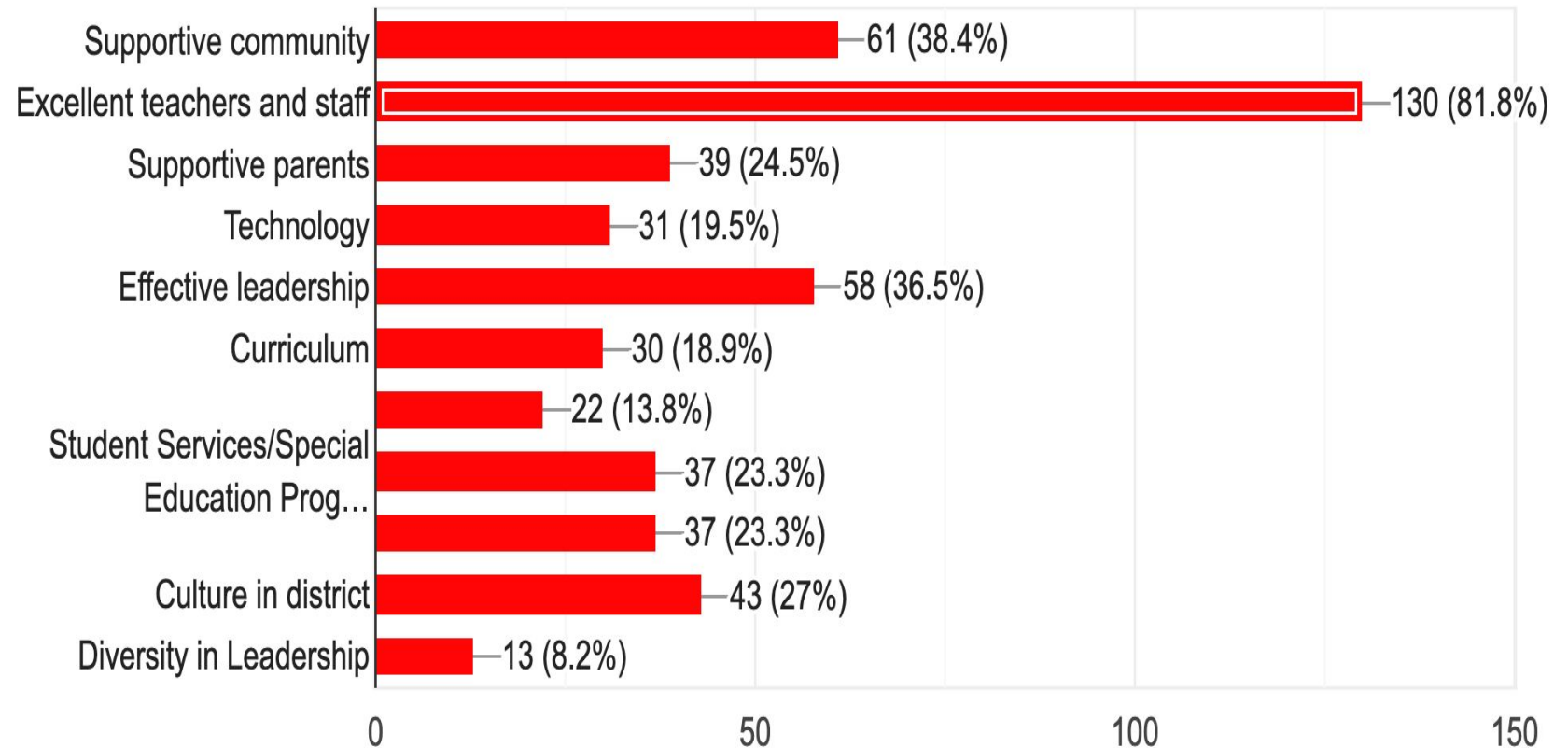


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Principal Search Survey Results

Select from the list below the THREE (3) most significant strengths of Hynes Elementary School:

159 responses



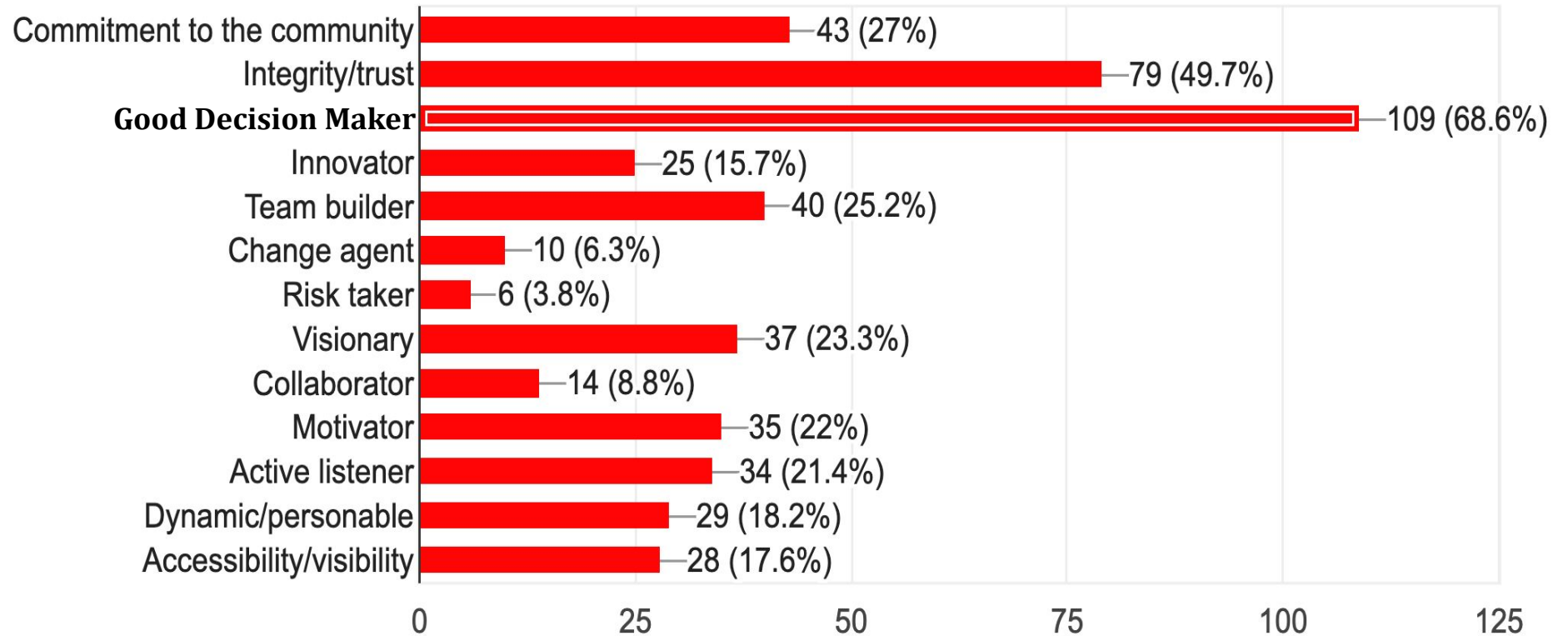


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Principal Search Survey Results

Select from the list below the THREE (3) most important characteristics you would like a principal to exhibit:

159 responses



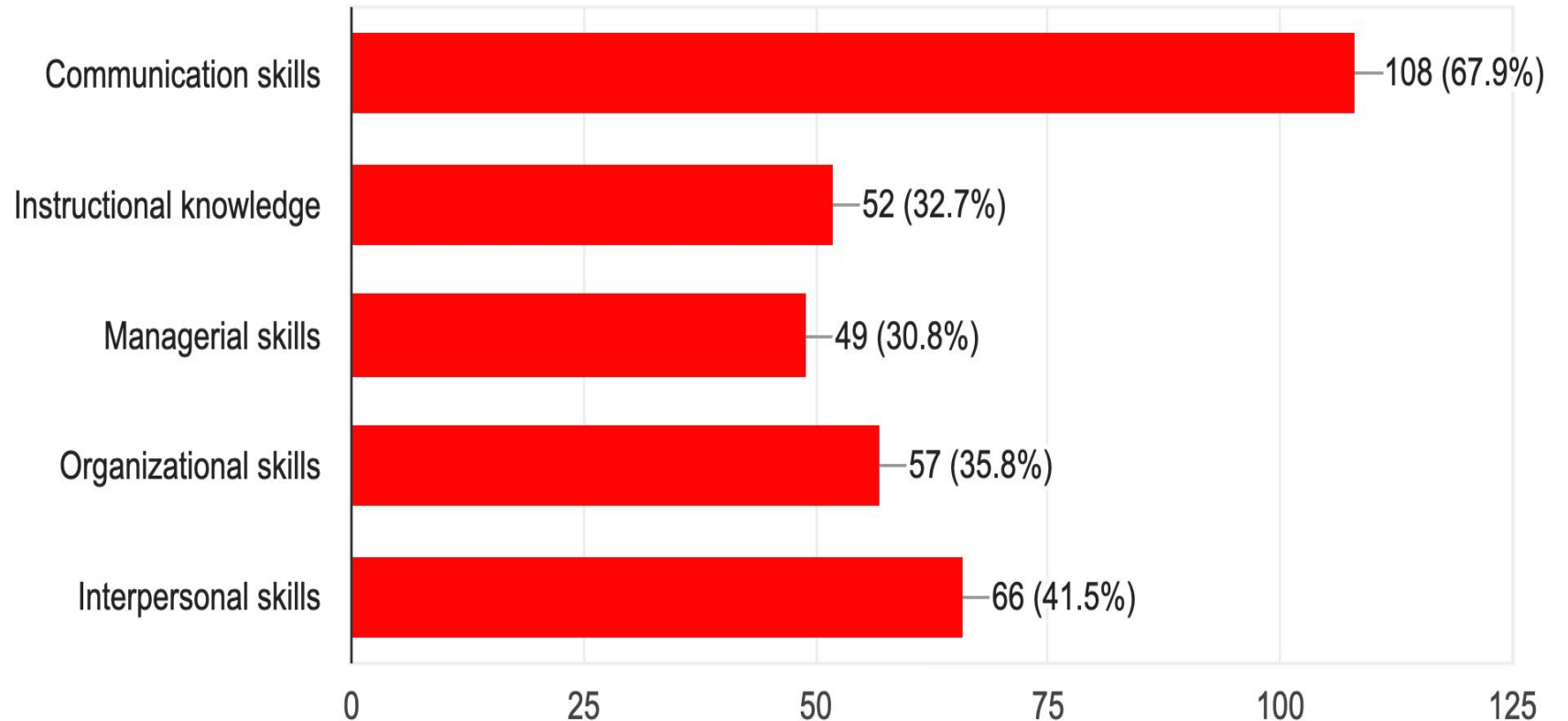


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Principal Search Survey Results

Select from the list below the TWO (2) most important leadership skills you would like to see in a principal:

159 responses



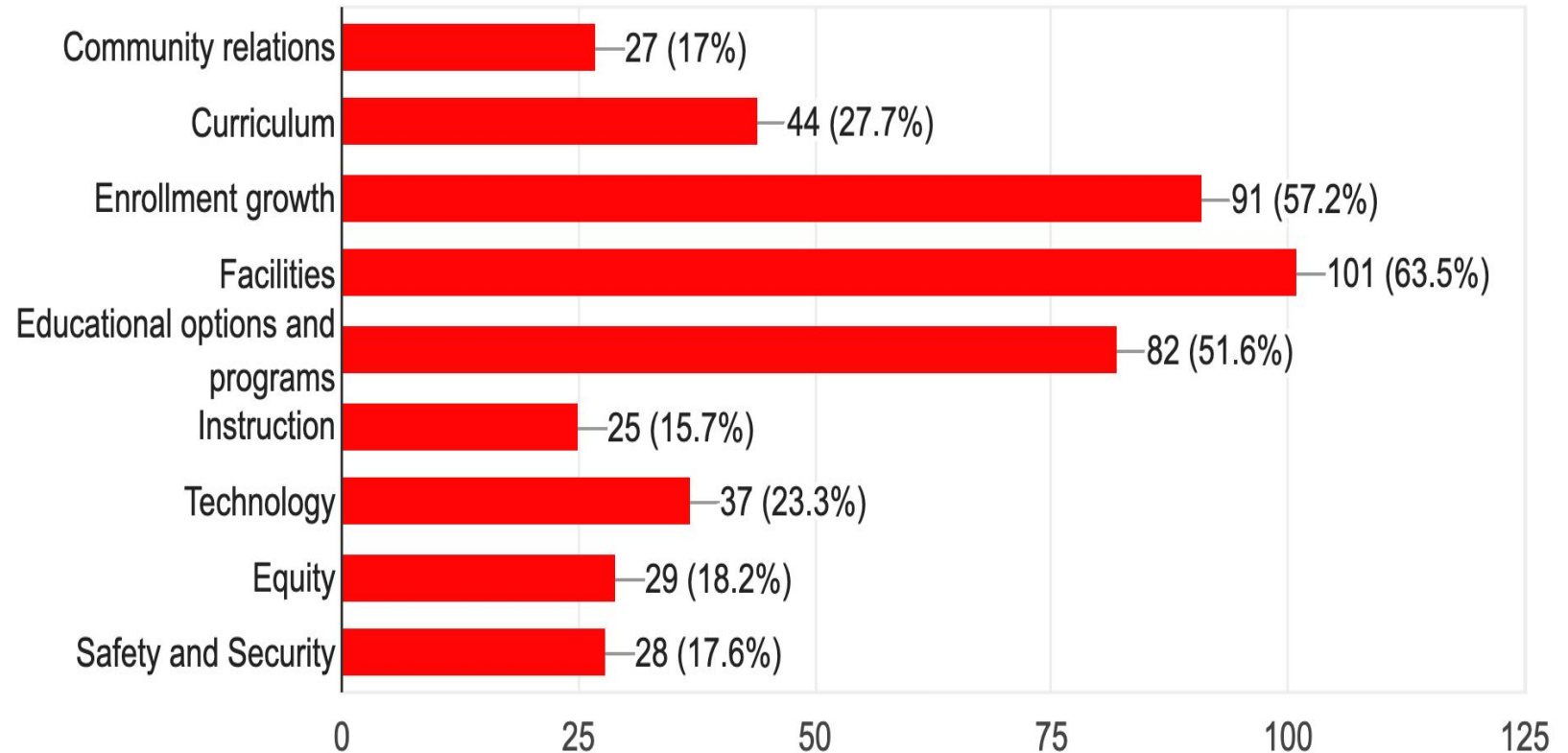


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Principal Search Survey Results

What do you consider to be the THREE (3) most important issues or concerns facing Hynes Elementary School.

159 responses





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Principal Search Survey Results

Most Important Characteristics of the New Principal

- Experience as a classroom teacher
- Experience with Elementary school curriculum and instruction
- Experience with a diverse environment
- Experience with School Improvement Planning and data





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Technology

Personnel Changes:

We are excited to introduce a new member of our Tech team and new roles:

- **Jon Marchik**
Data Specialist Role from Hardware Support
- **Francois Walton**
New Technology Support Specialist





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Technology

- **Upgraded to Google Enterprise for Education**
 - Higher level of security
 - Break out rooms
 - **Saves Teachers Time**
 - Ease of balancing in person and remote groups
- **Student Engagement**
 - Sense of community, social emotional connection
- **Instructional Purpose**
 - Student engagement, ability to check in with struggling students and quieter students easier
 - Supports stronger classroom management
 - Promotes differentiation in smaller group discussion
 - Seamless student collaboration
 - Saves teachers time in meeting students needs
- **Automatic Attendance**
 - Polls, & Q&A





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Technology

Classroom Management

- Installed secondary grid view projection of remote students in the back of every classroom
- Each classroom teacher workstation equipped with multiple displays for multitasking (student monitoring, screen sharing, doc camera use)
- Installed ceiling cameras for seamless in person and remote student instruction
- Wireless lapel microphones for teacher mobility





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Shout Outs!



- D67 F.U.N. Squad (Fun Unites Neighbors) - This amazing group of volunteers is dedicated to caring for staff during these cold winter months. There has been candy, meme contests, Kindness Buddies and much more to keep us all smiling! Huge thanks to our Squad!
- Amazing D67 students for their engagement, perseverance and flexibility. We are coming up on almost a year since COVID took hold of our schools. Through it all, our students have had to adapt and learn new ways to learn and participate. Whether in their classrooms or at the kitchen table, these superheroes continue to amaze. We need to recognize the challenges our students are facing and praise them for their efforts. Of course, it is our families that are supporting their students, so thank you all as well. Give your child a big hug and thank them for their hard work!



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Next Steps



- We will provide weekly COVID-19 testing to interested staff members beginning February 23, 2021. This will be a PCR nasal swab.
- We will be offering a community testing event on Sunday, April 4 for our students, families and community members. There will be no cost, however if you have insurance, please bring your insurance card and an ID. More info to come.
- We are still working with township, county, state and federal agencies to obtain vaccines for our district staff.
- Review and revise Return to Learn Roadmap and begin planning for Fall 2021.
- **#strongerandbettertogether67**