

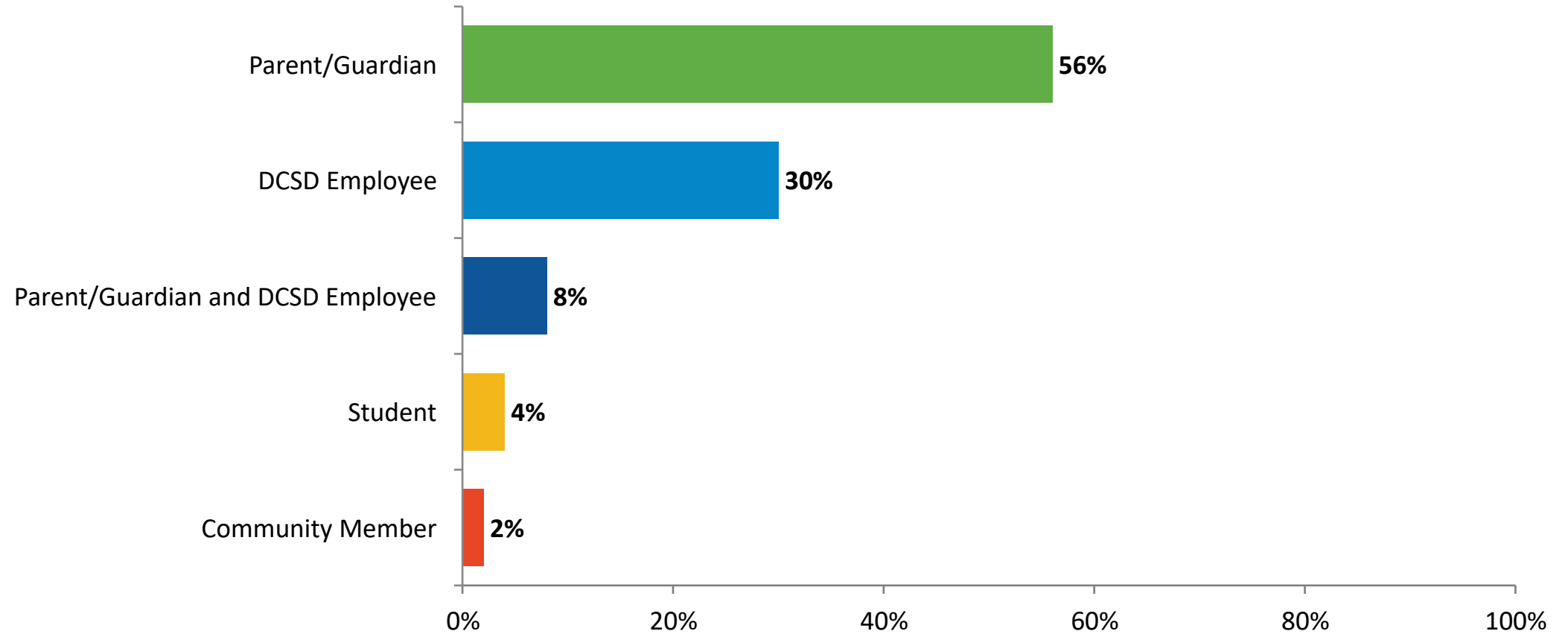


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Summary

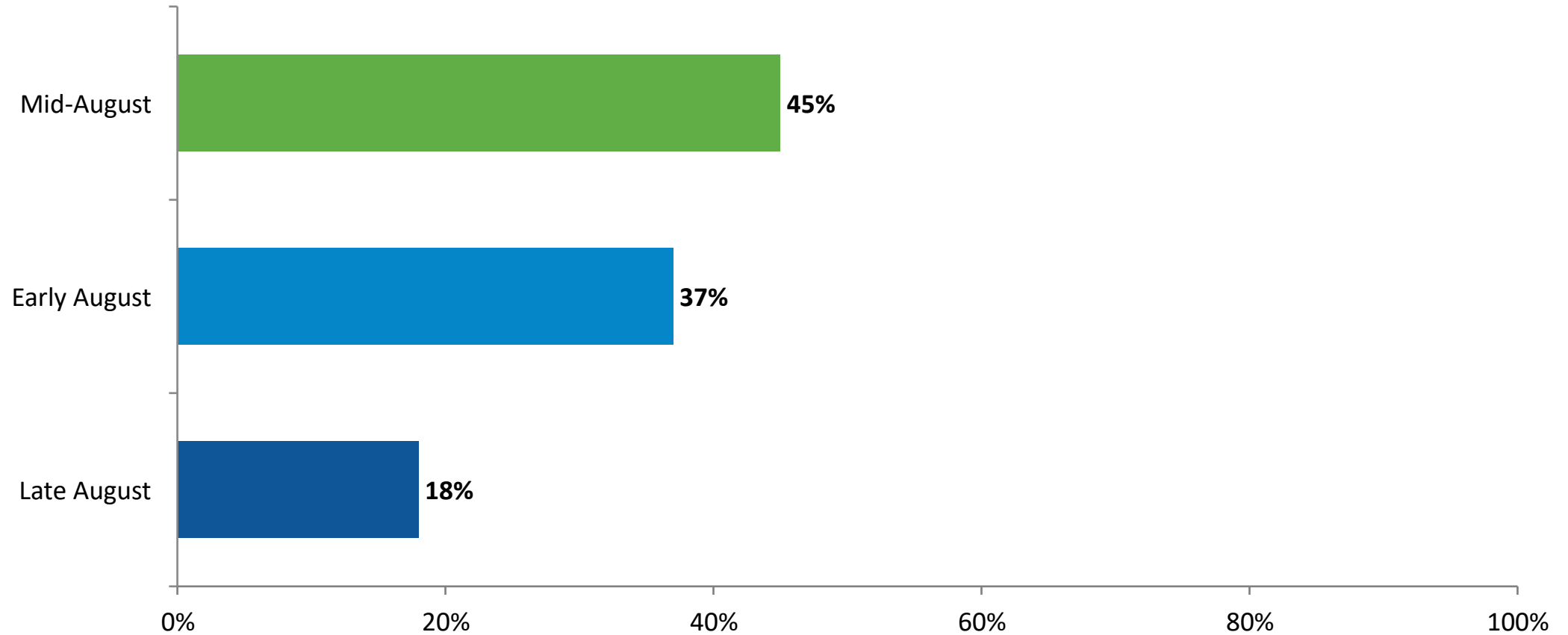
# I am a: (select one)

(N = 5,418)

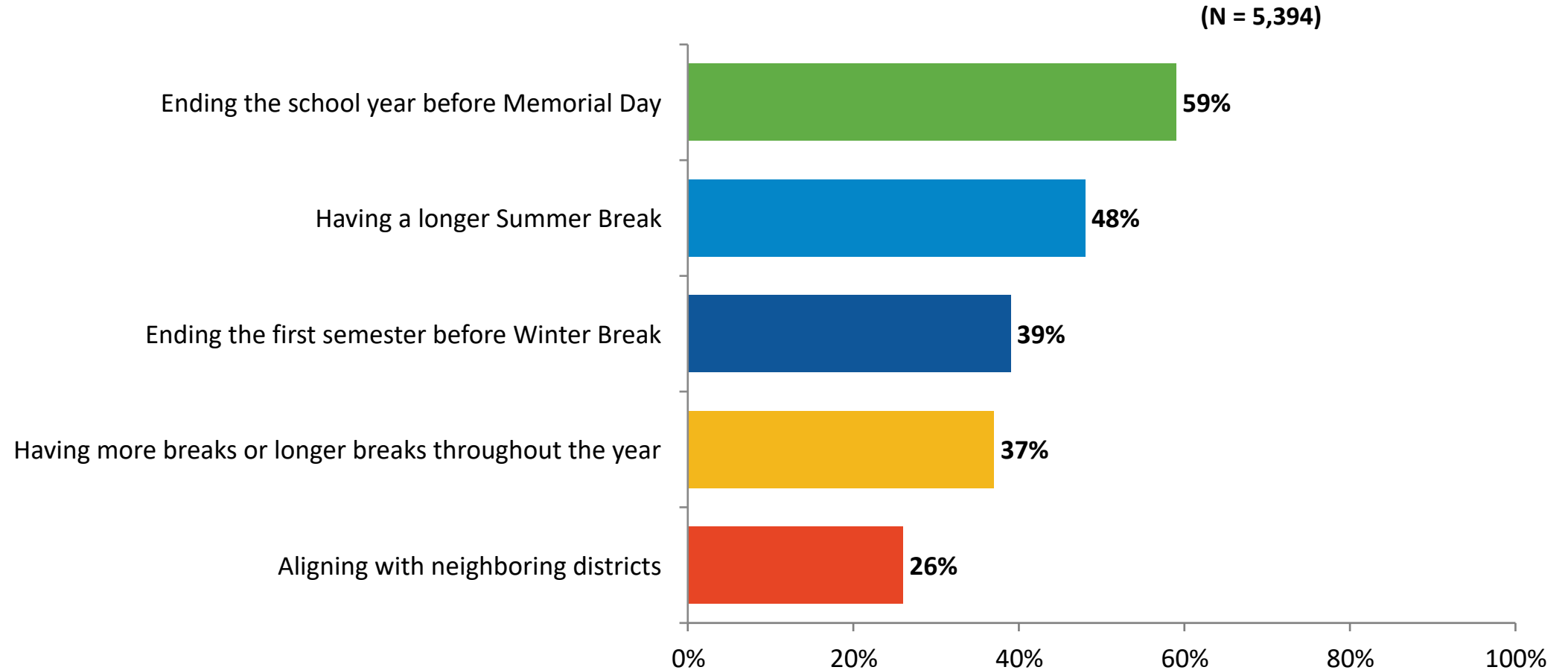


## When do you think the first day of school should be? (select one)

(N = 5,368)

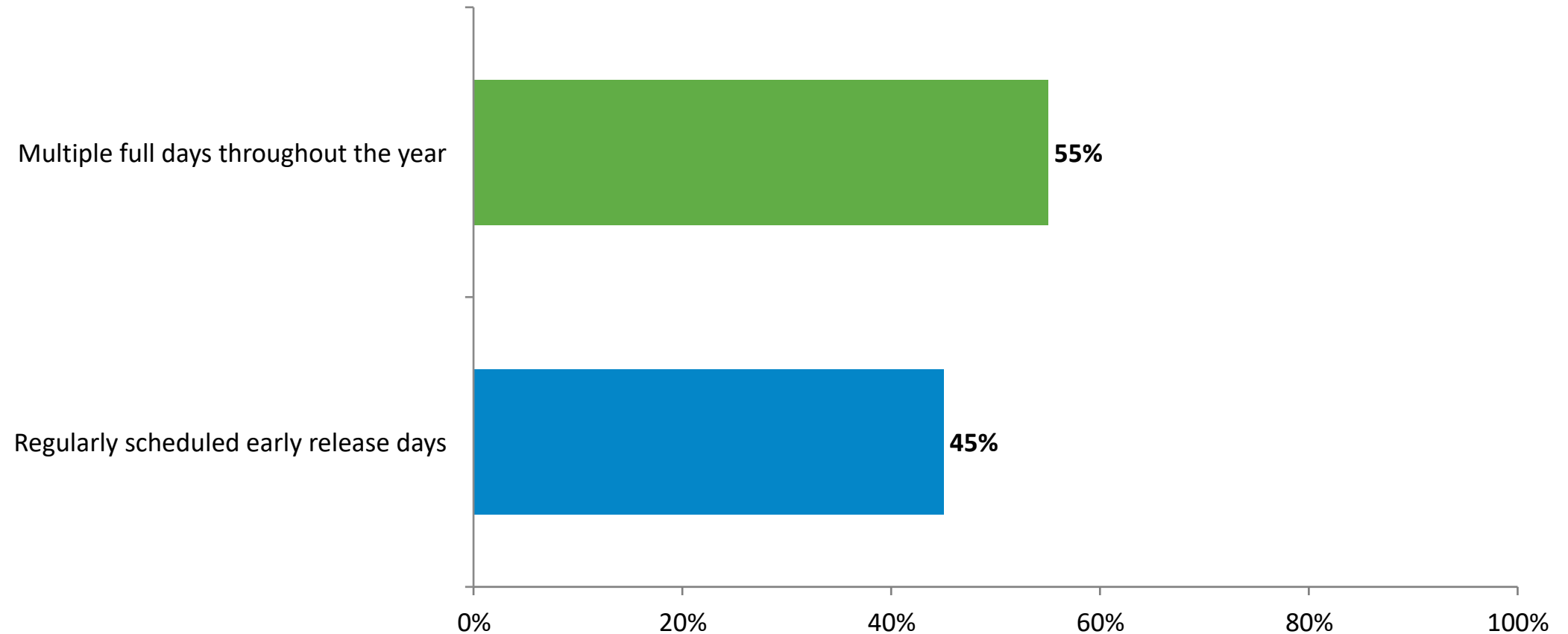


## Which factor is most important to you when creating the school calendar? (select three)



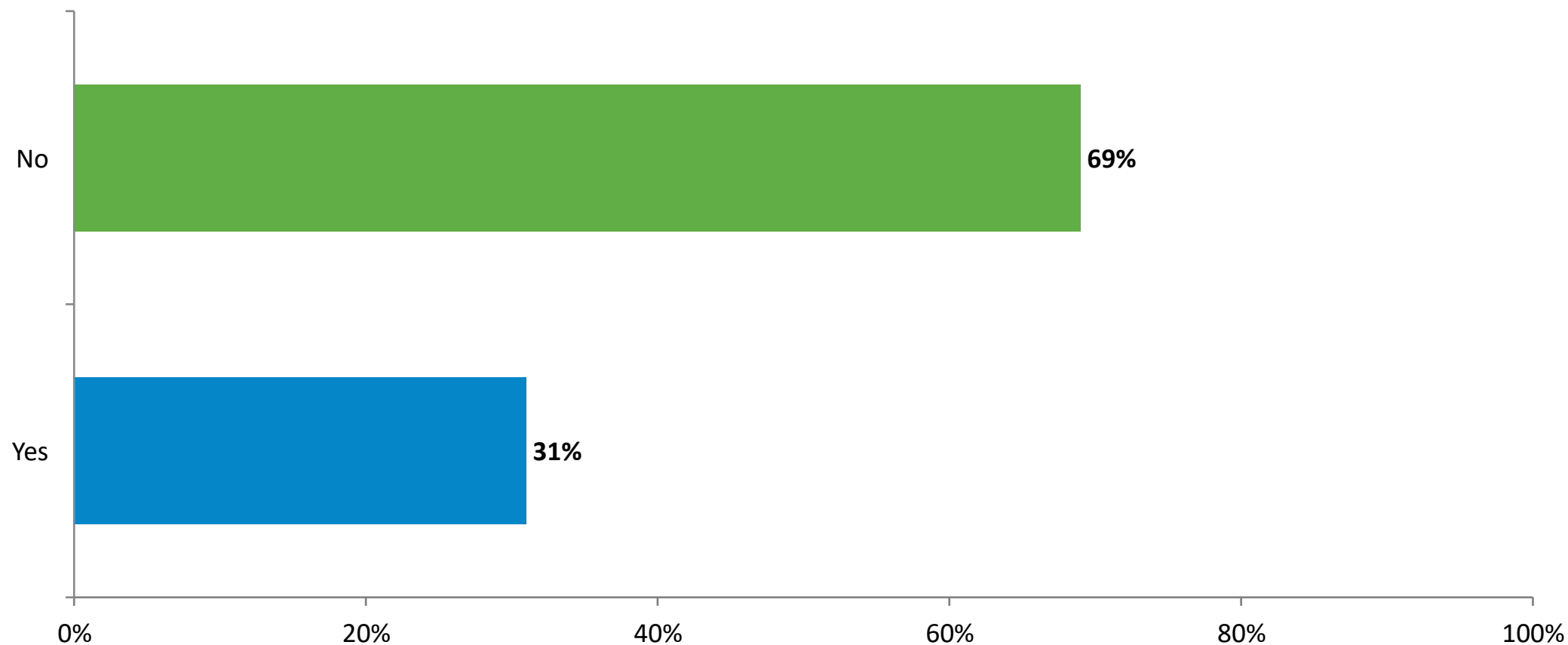
## How should professional development (PD) days for staff be scheduled? (select one)

(N = 5,332)



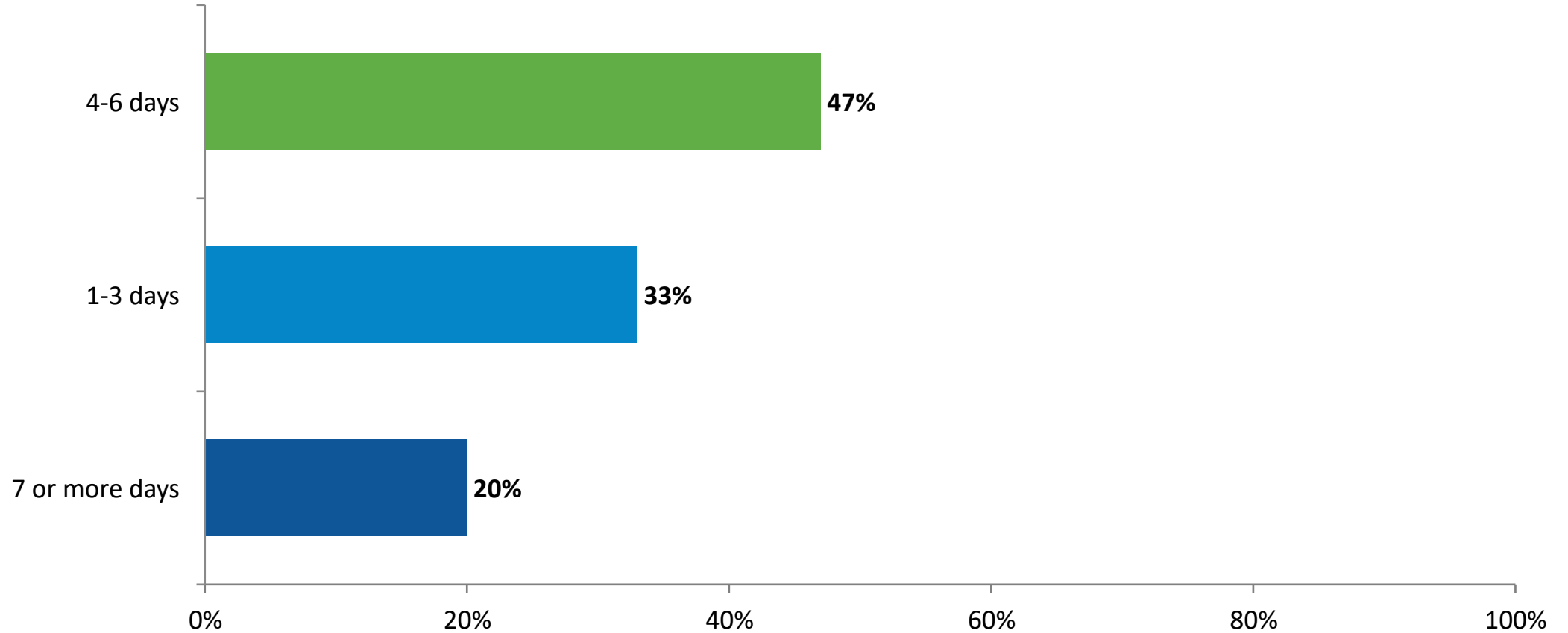
## Would you prefer longer breaks throughout the school year, even if it means a shorter summer break? (select one)

(N = 5,394)



**DCSD Employees Only: How much pre-planning time do you feel is needed before the school year begins? (select one)**

(N = 2,613)



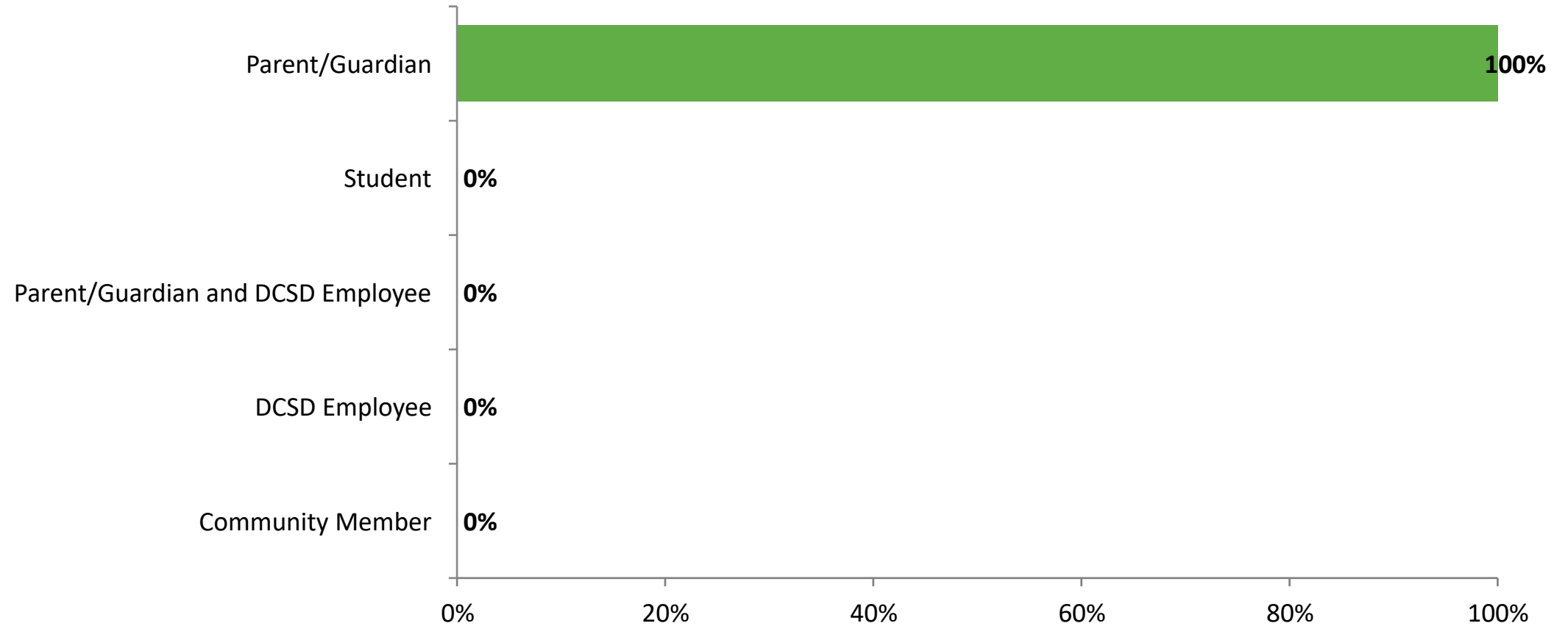


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Parent/Guardian

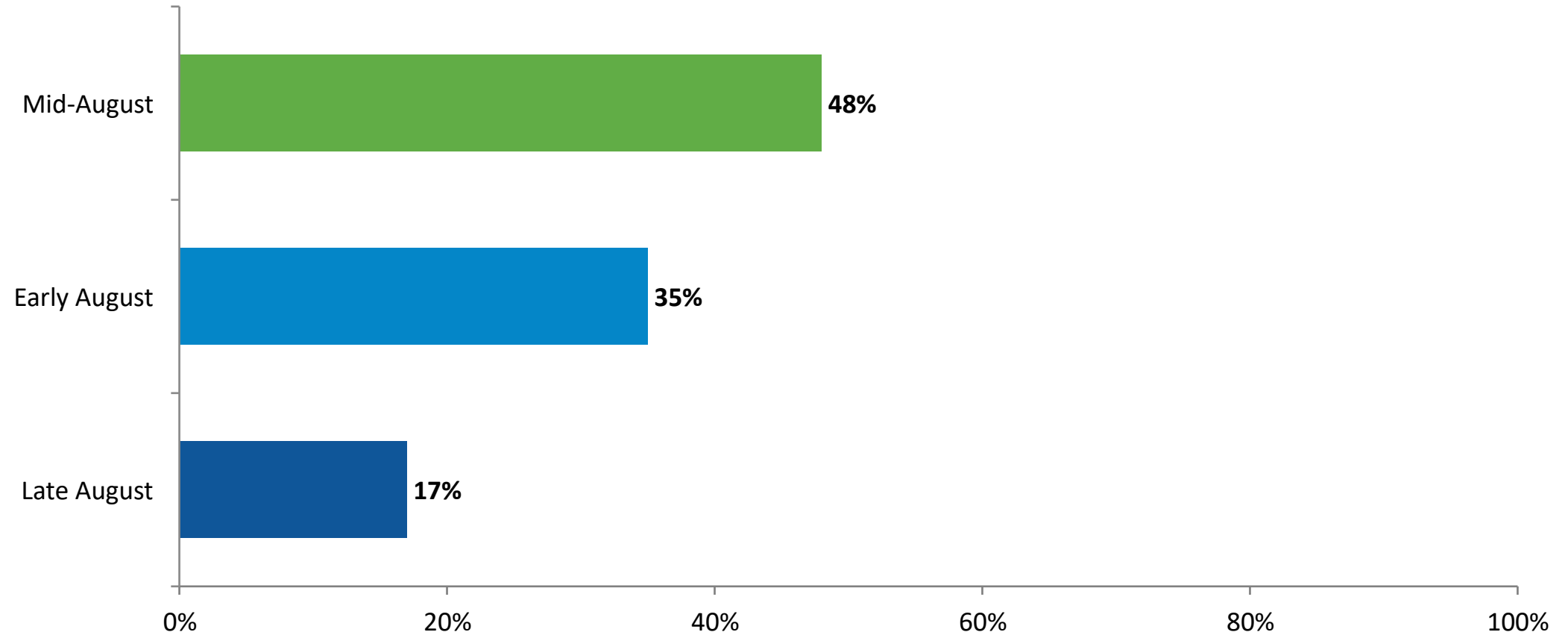
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(N = 3,026)

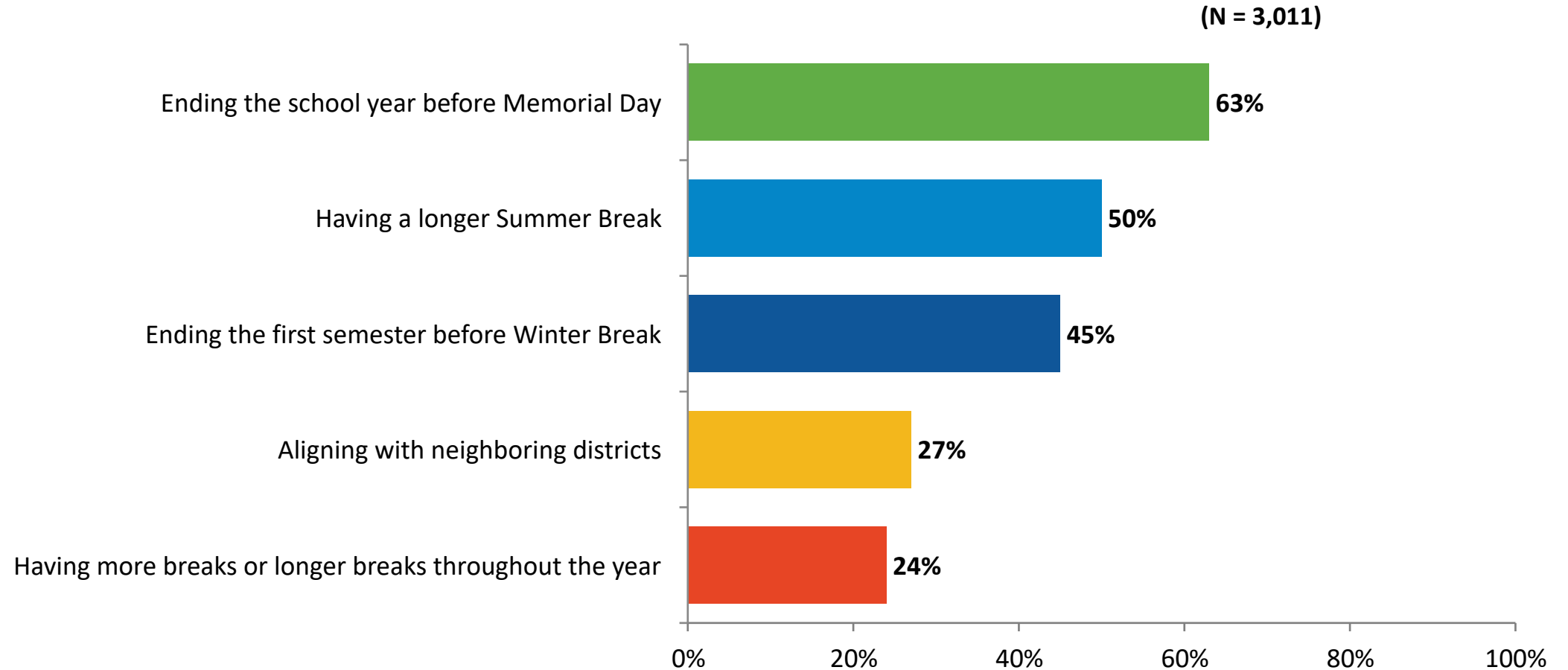


## When do you think the first day of school should be? (select one)

(N = 2,999)

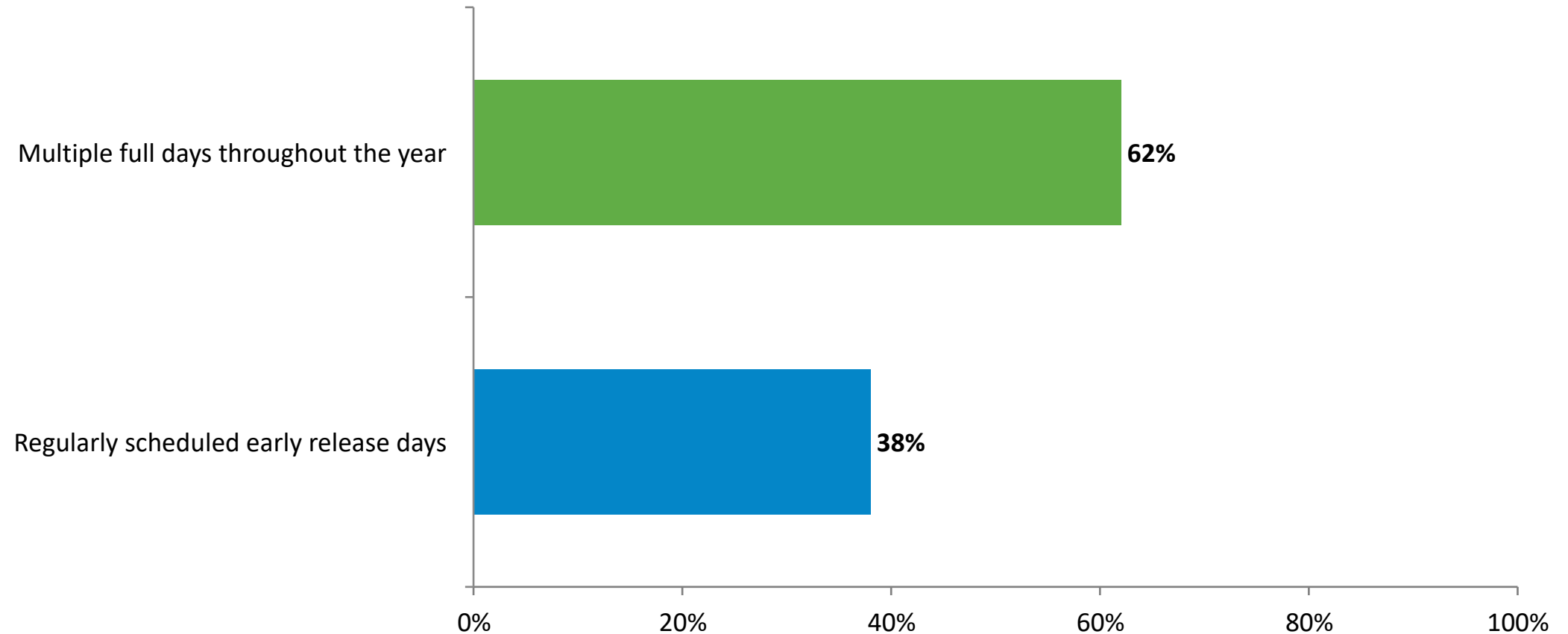


## Which factor is most important to you when creating the school calendar? (select three)



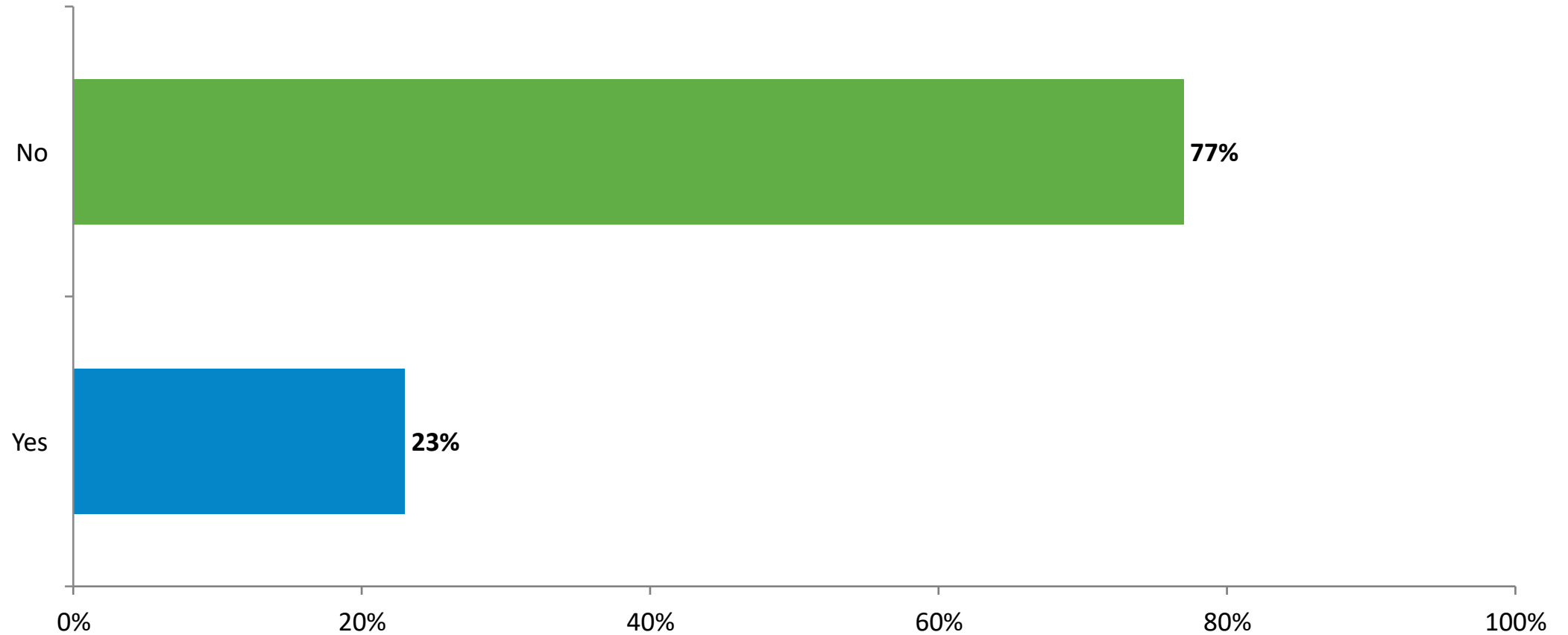
## How should professional development (PD) days for staff be scheduled? (select one)

(N = 2,966)



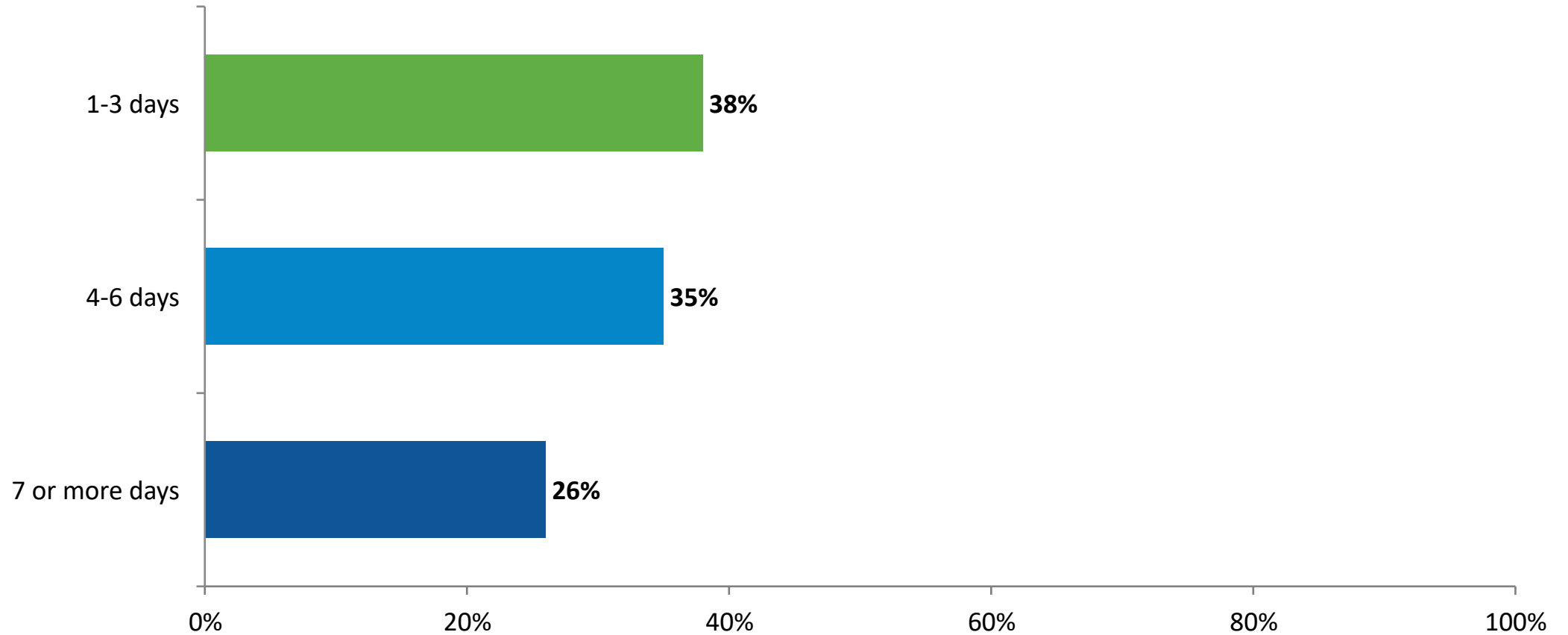
Would you prefer longer breaks throughout the school year, even if it means a shorter summer break? (select one)

(N = 3,011)



**DCSD Employees Only: How much pre-planning time do you feel is needed before the school year begins? (select one)**

(N = 467)

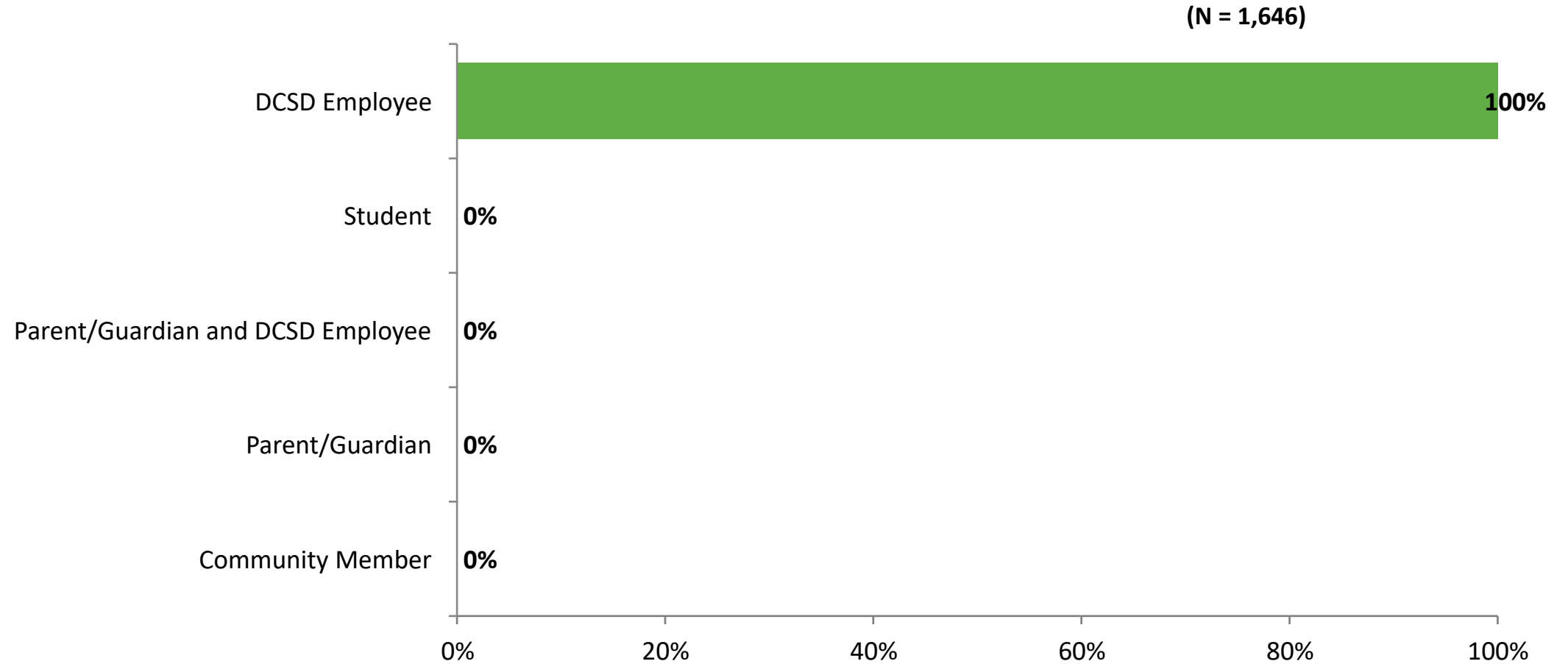




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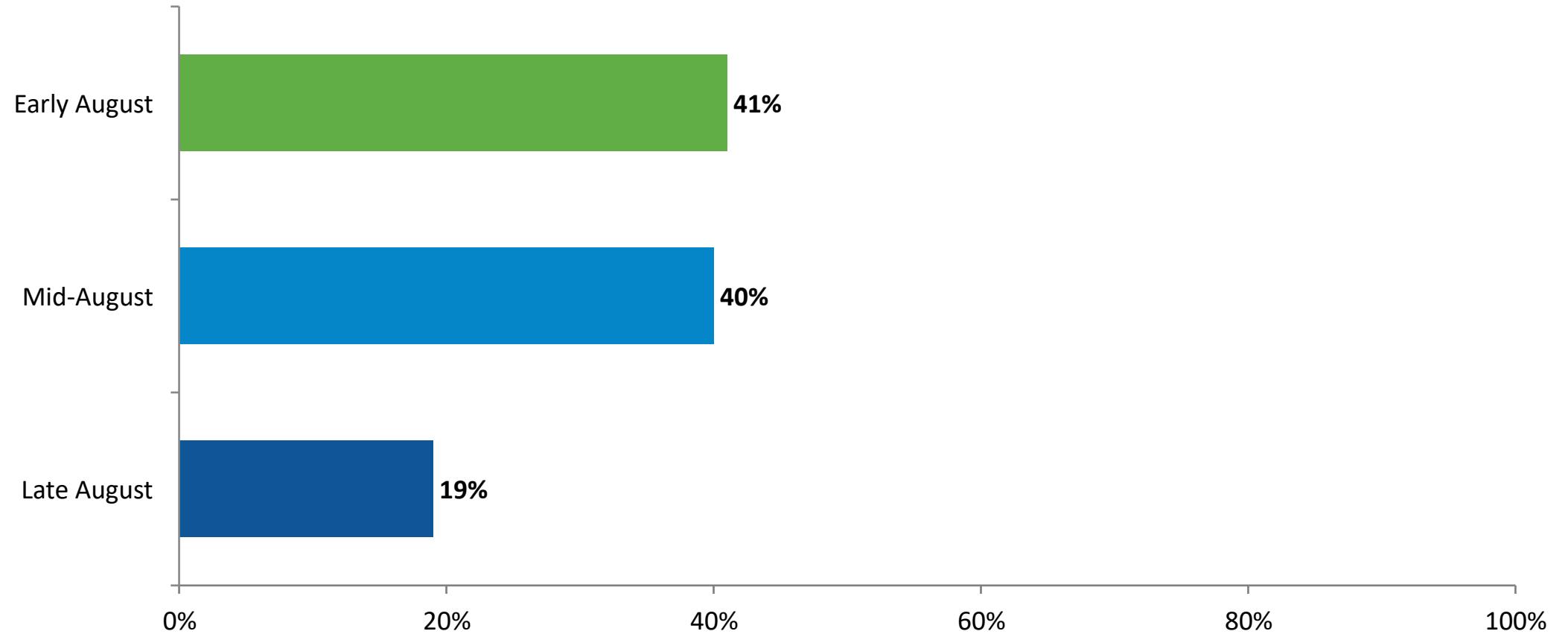
DCSD Employee

# I am a: (select one)

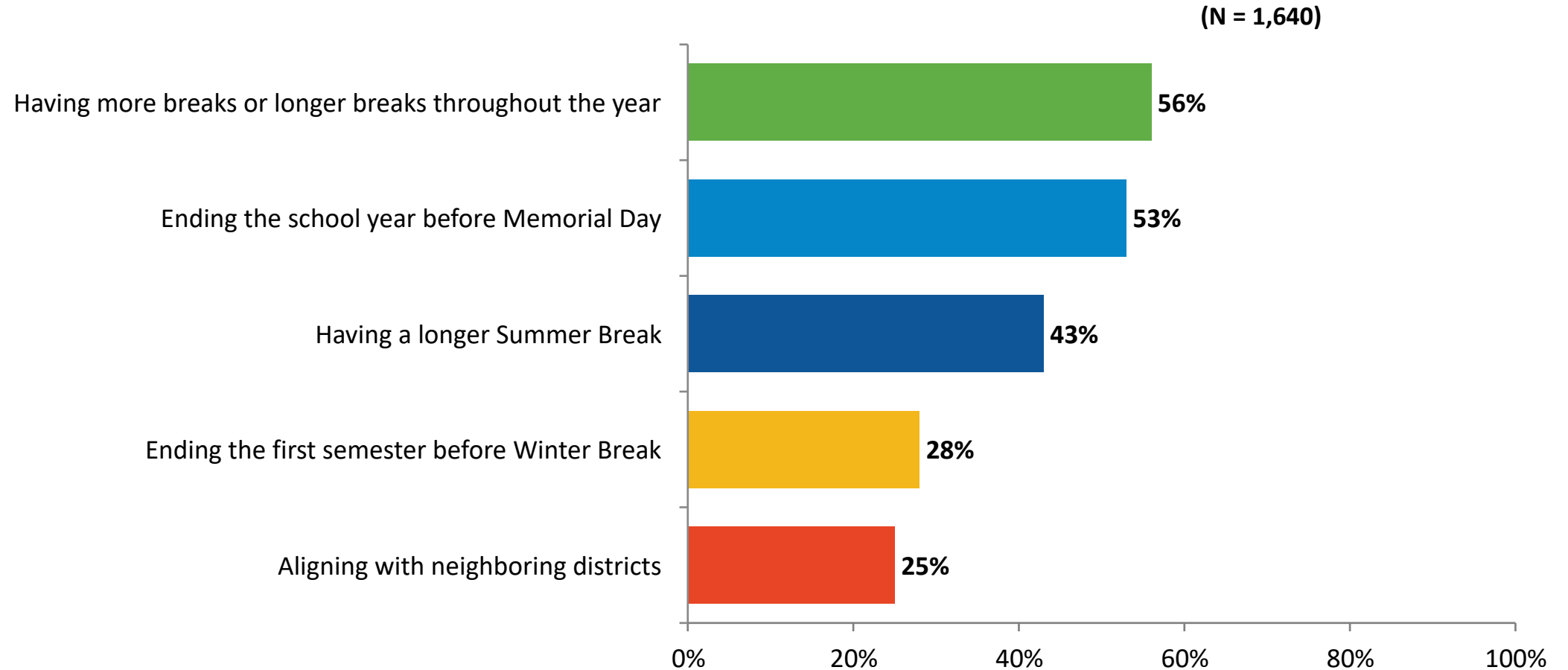


## When do you think the first day of school should be? (select one)

(N = 1,628)

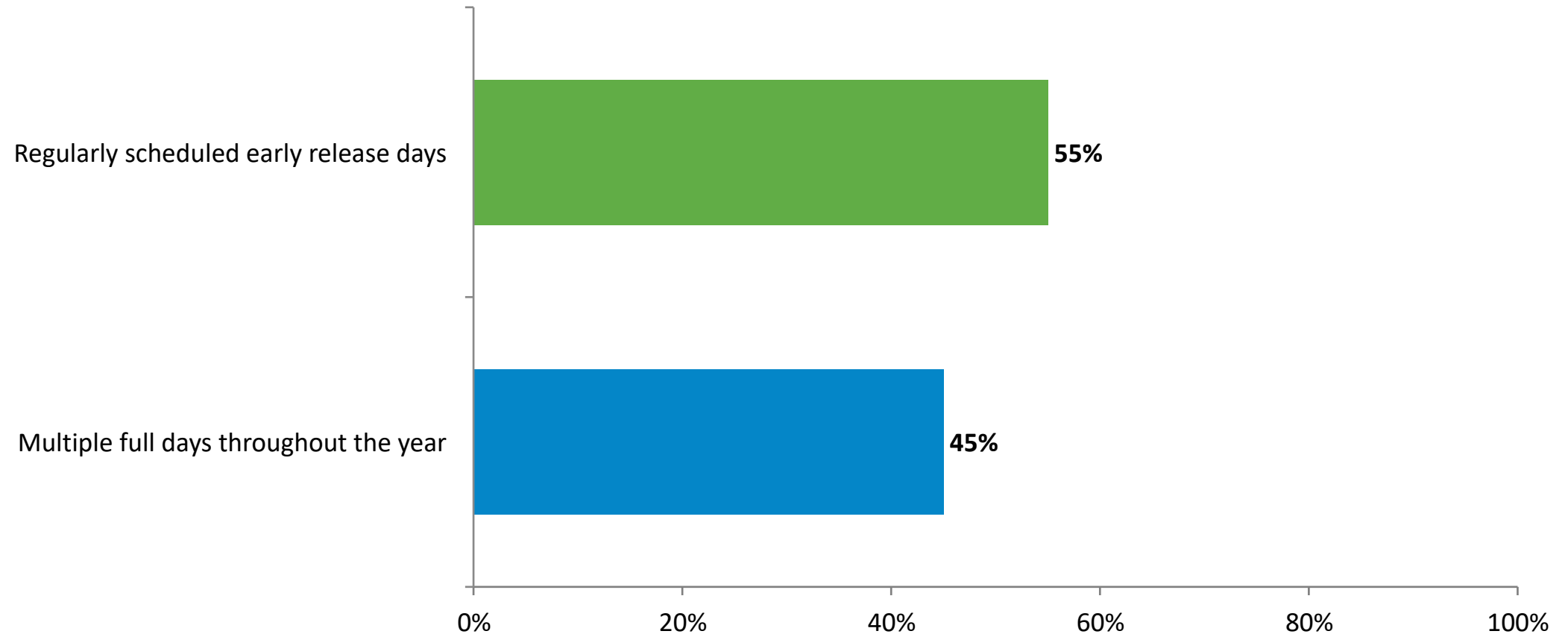


## Which factor is most important to you when creating the school calendar? (select three)



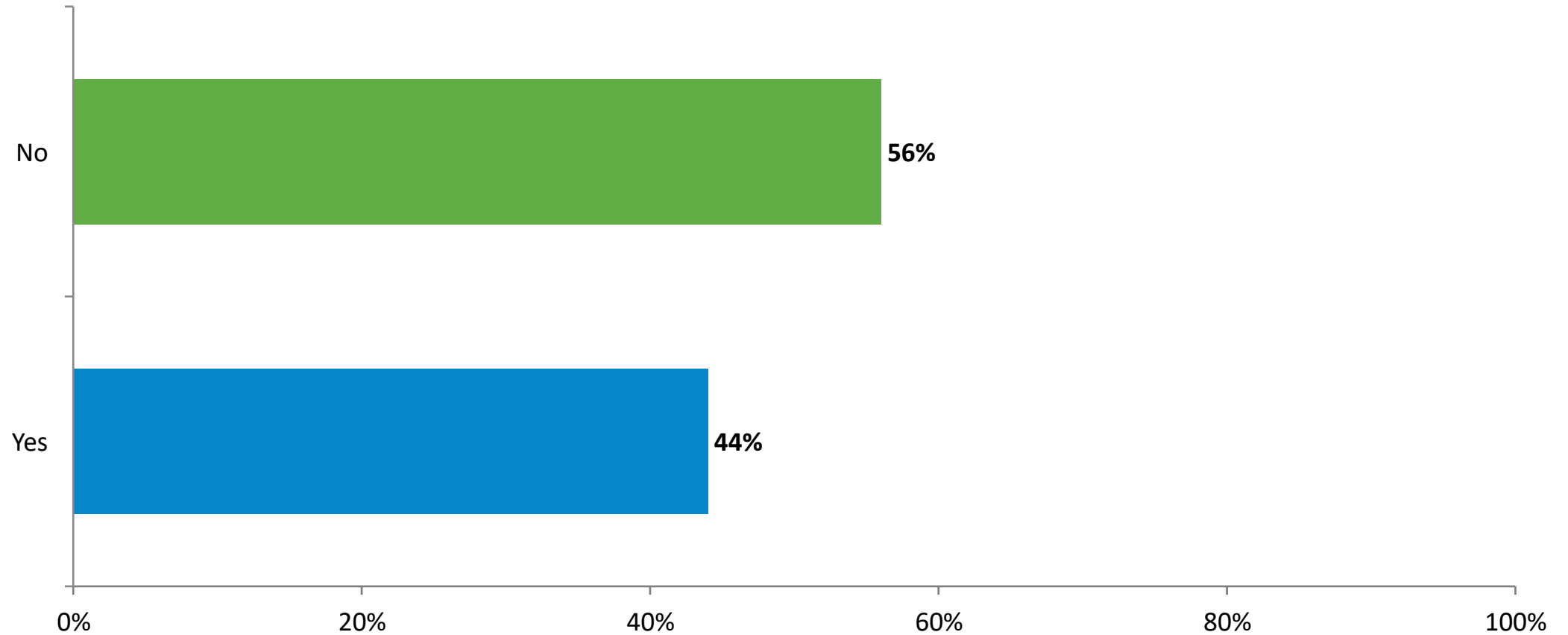
## How should professional development (PD) days for staff be scheduled? (select one)

(N = 1,631)



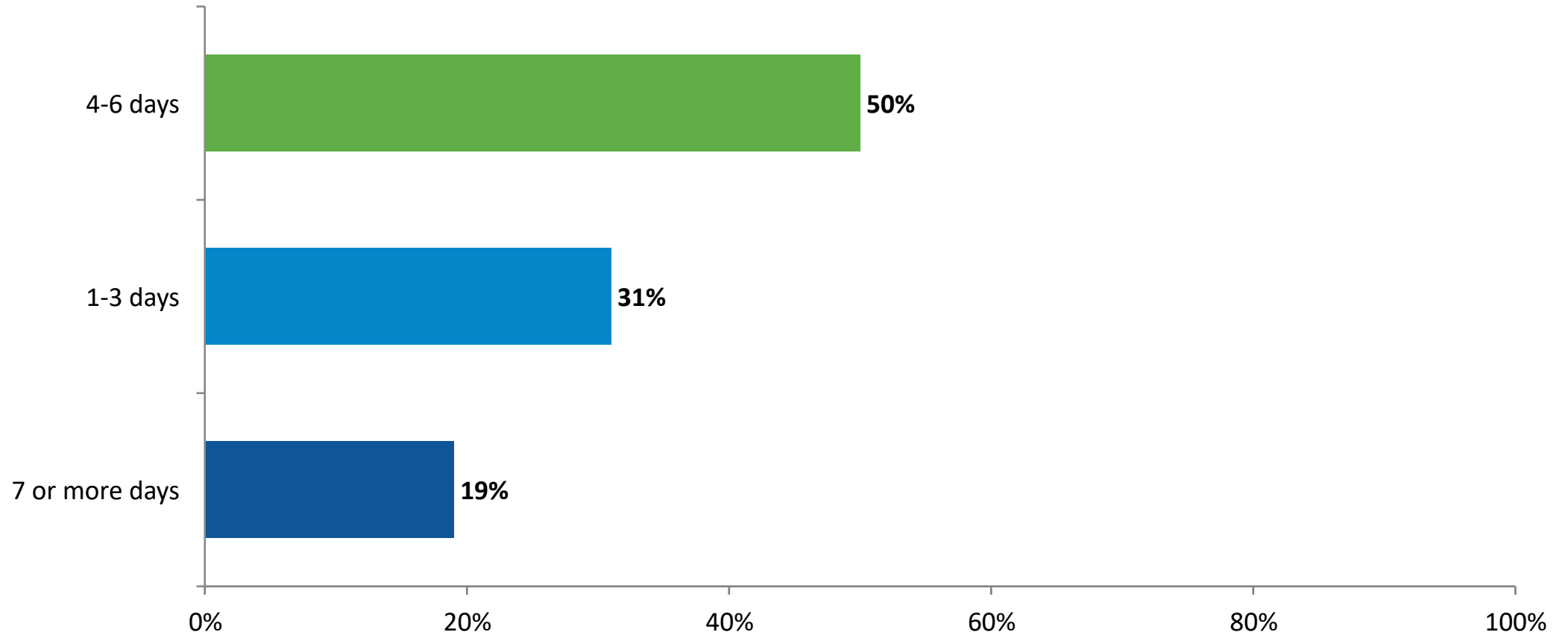
Would you prefer longer breaks throughout the school year, even if it means a shorter summer break? (select one)

(N = 1,643)



**DCSD Employees Only: How much pre-planning time do you feel is needed before the school year begins? (select one)**

(N = 1,634)

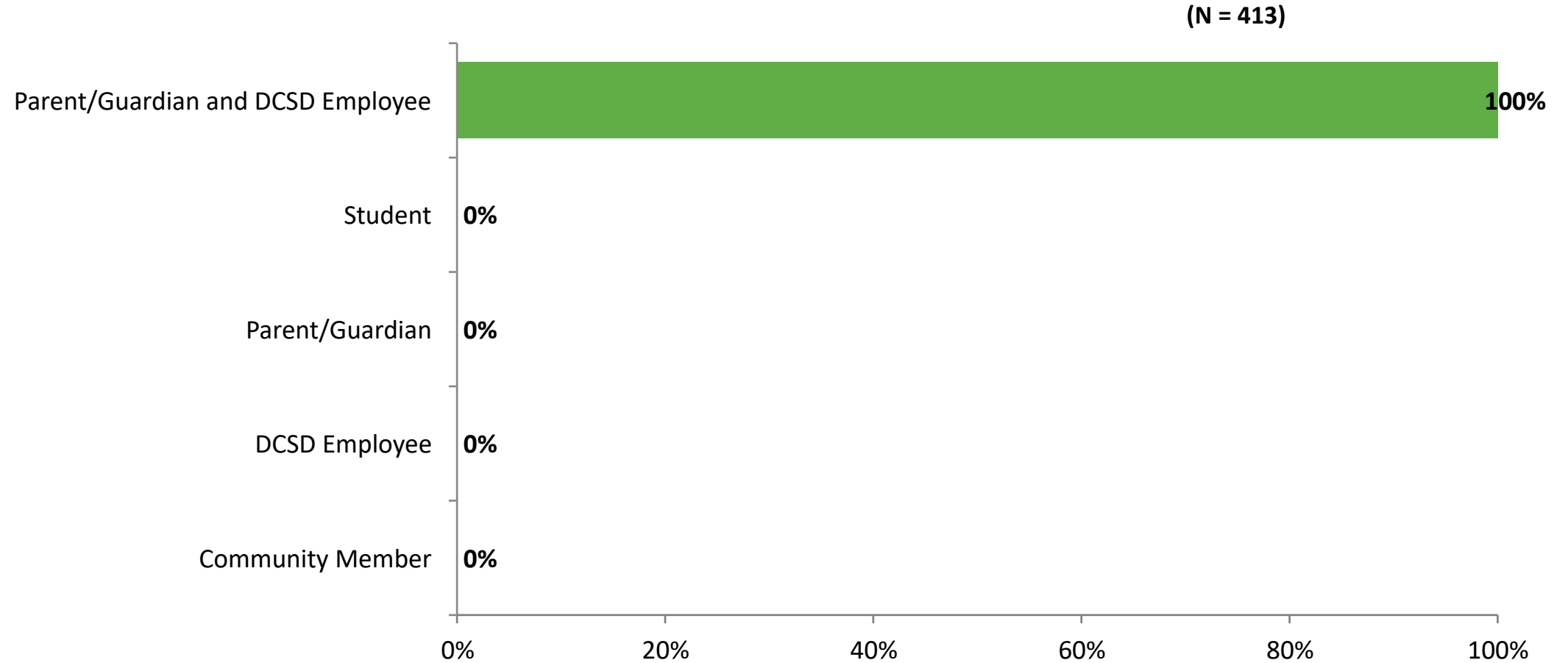




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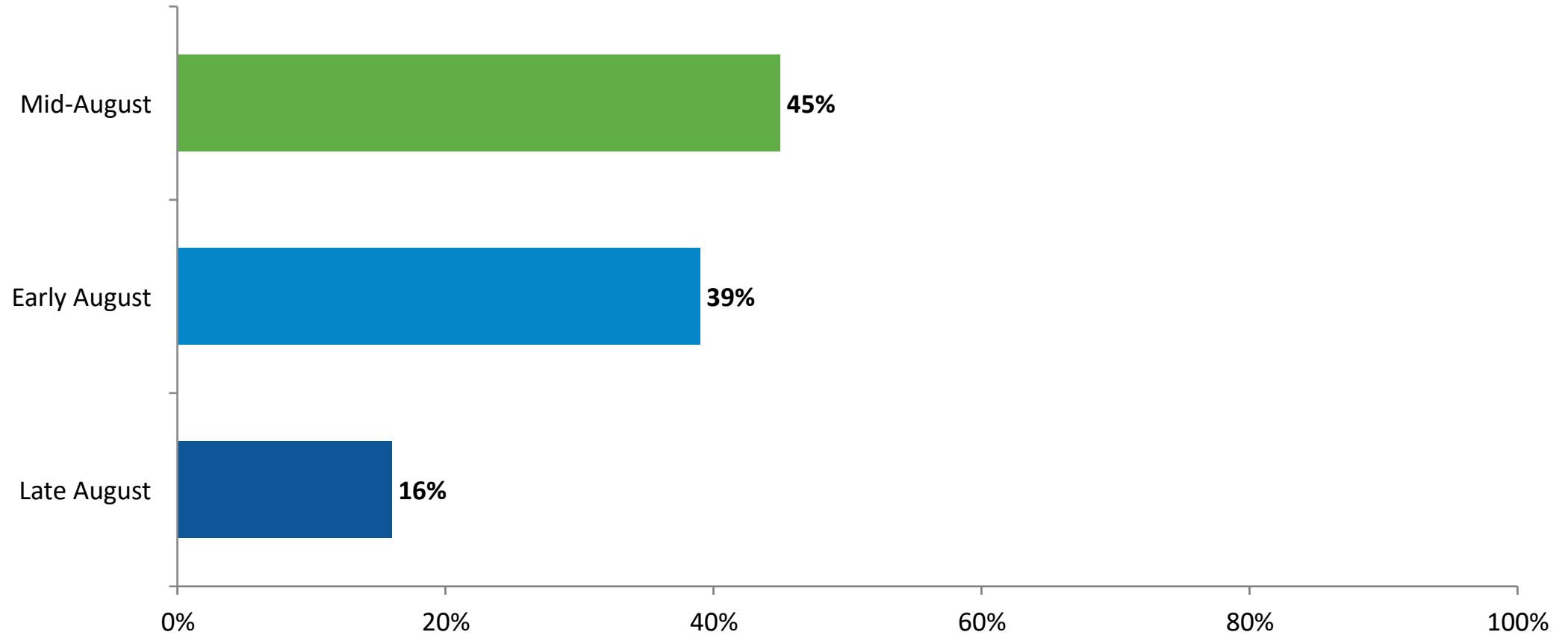
Parent/Guardian & DCSD Employee

# I am a: (select one)

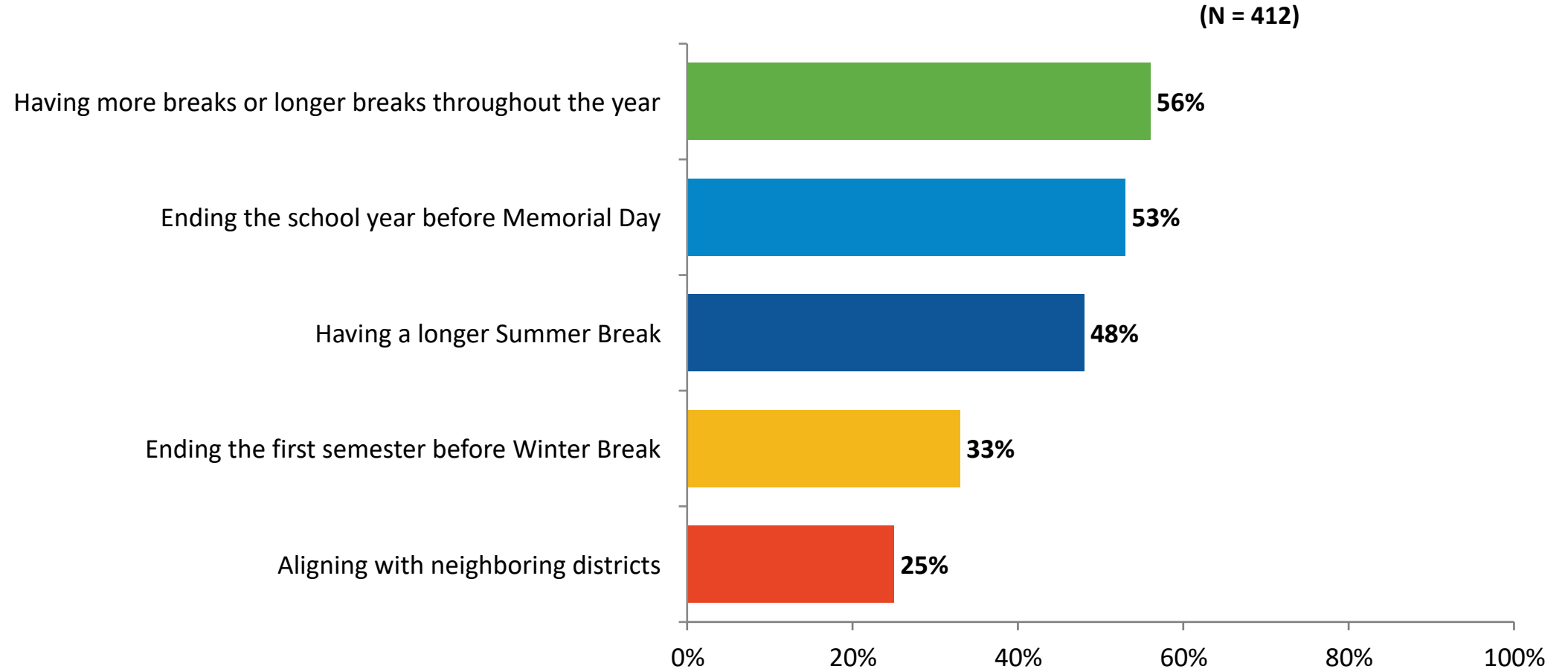


## When do you think the first day of school should be? (select one)

(N = 410)

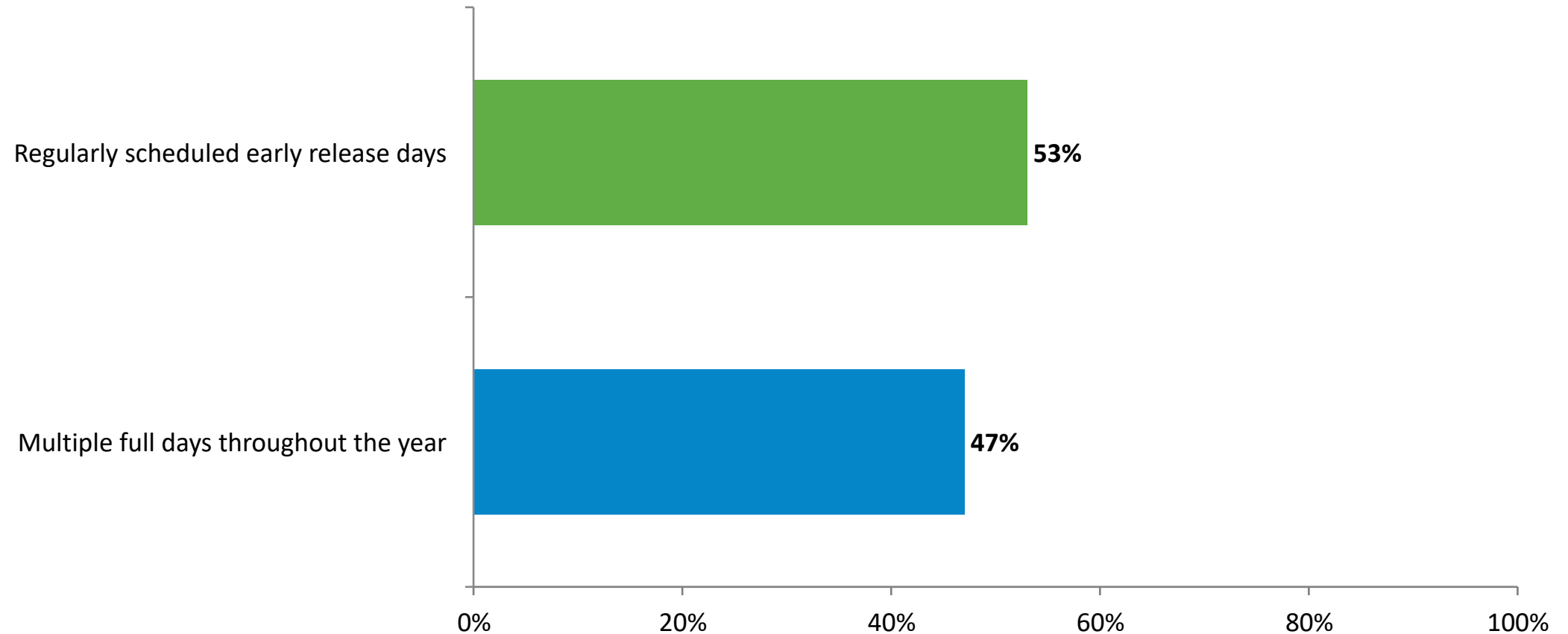


## Which factor is most important to you when creating the school calendar? (select three)



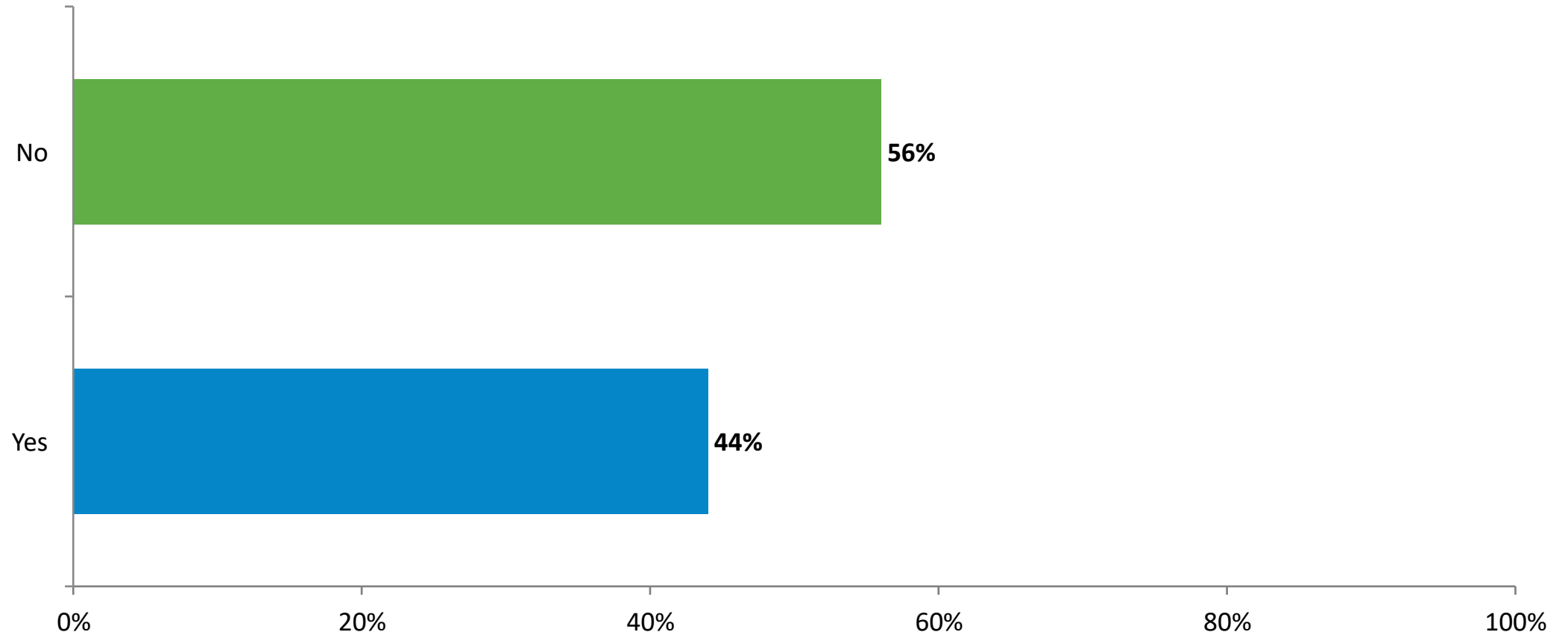
## How should professional development (PD) days for staff be scheduled? (select one)

(N = 411)



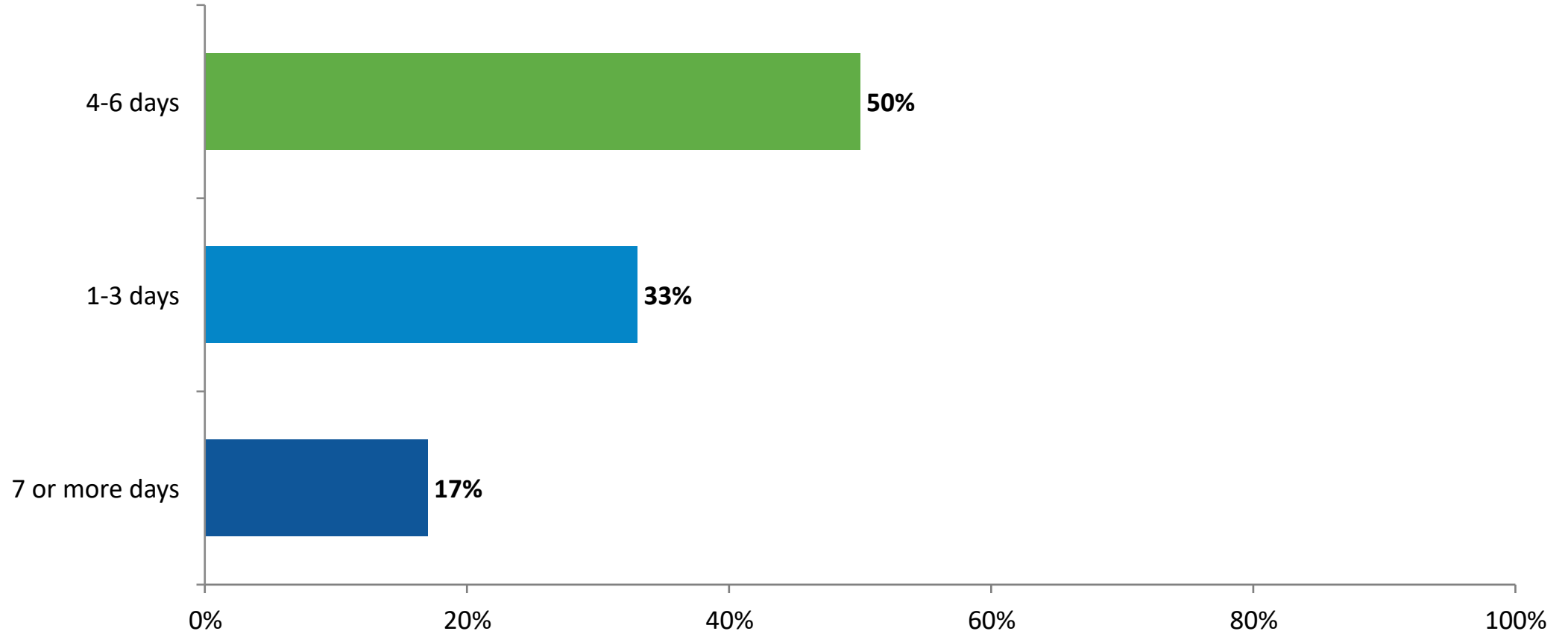
Would you prefer longer breaks throughout the school year, even if it means a shorter summer break? (select one)

(N = 409)



**DCSD Employees Only: How much pre-planning time do you feel is needed before the school year begins? (select one)**

(N = 406)

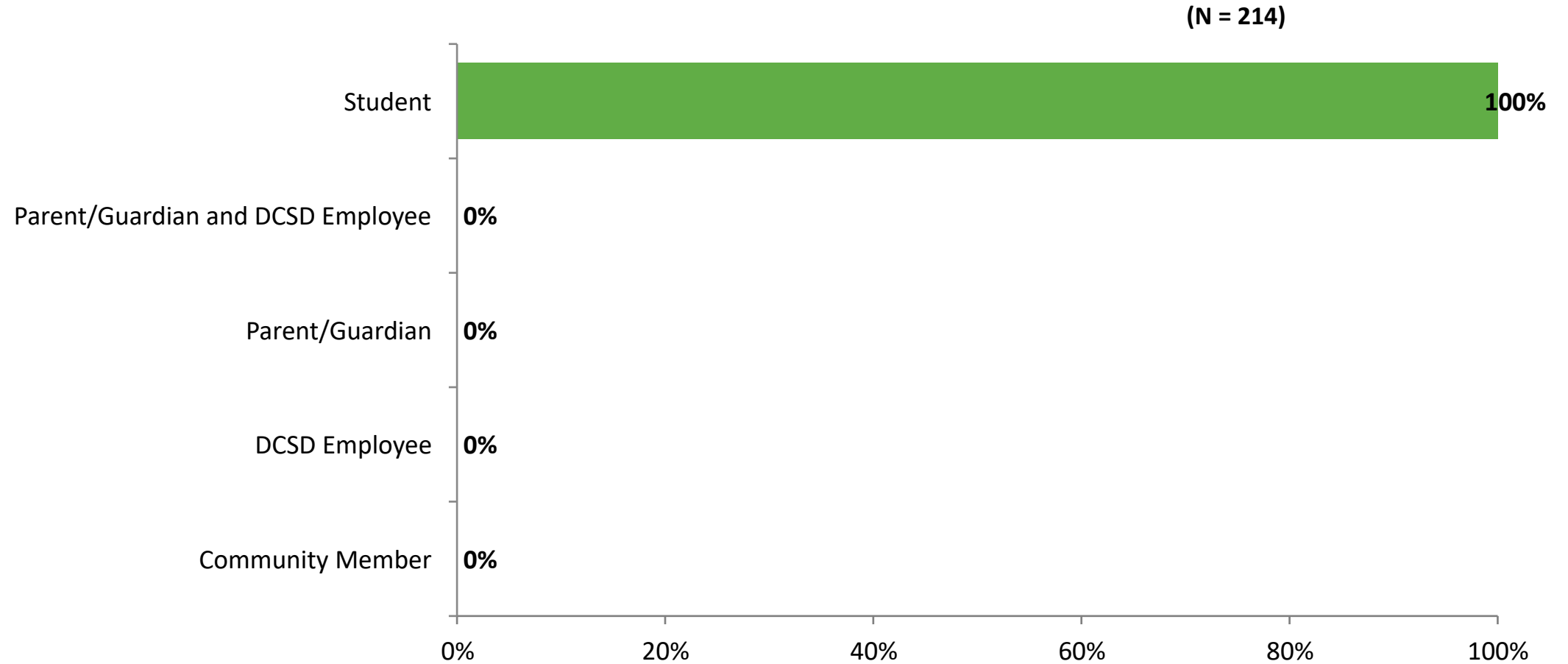




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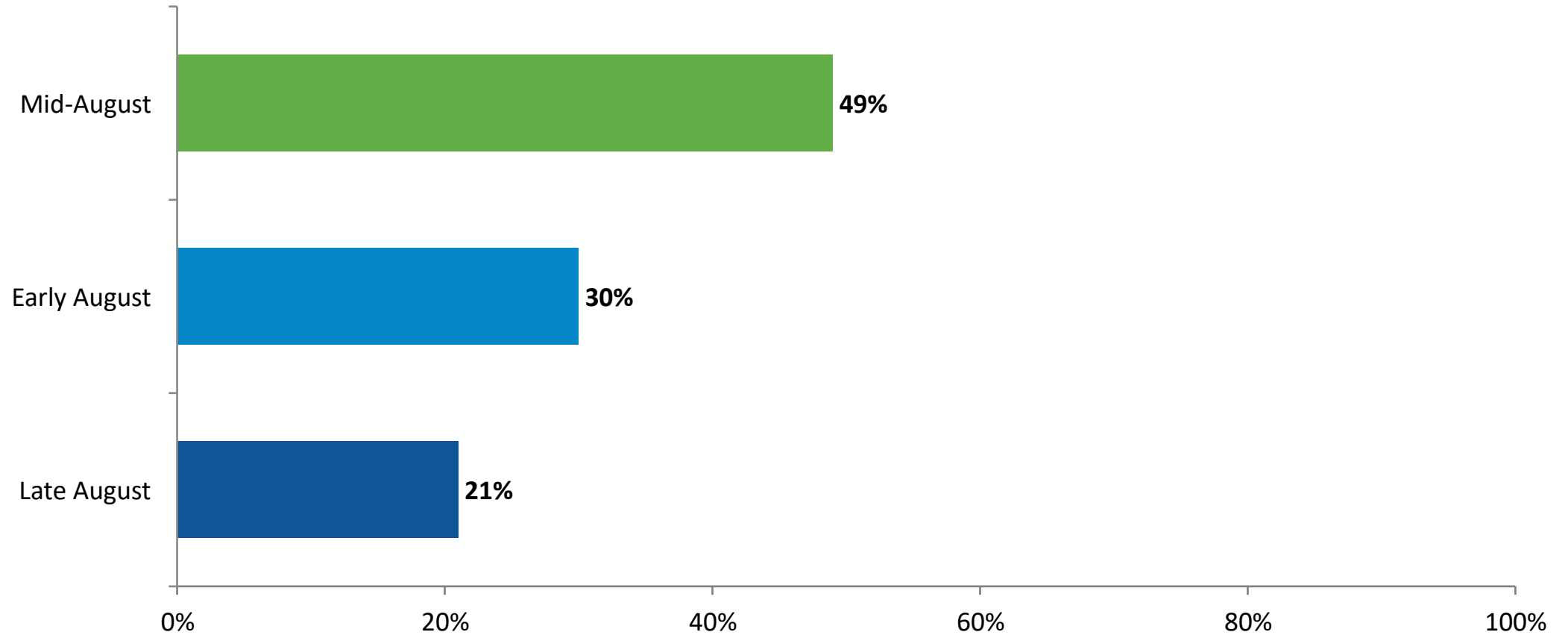
Student

# I am a: (select one)

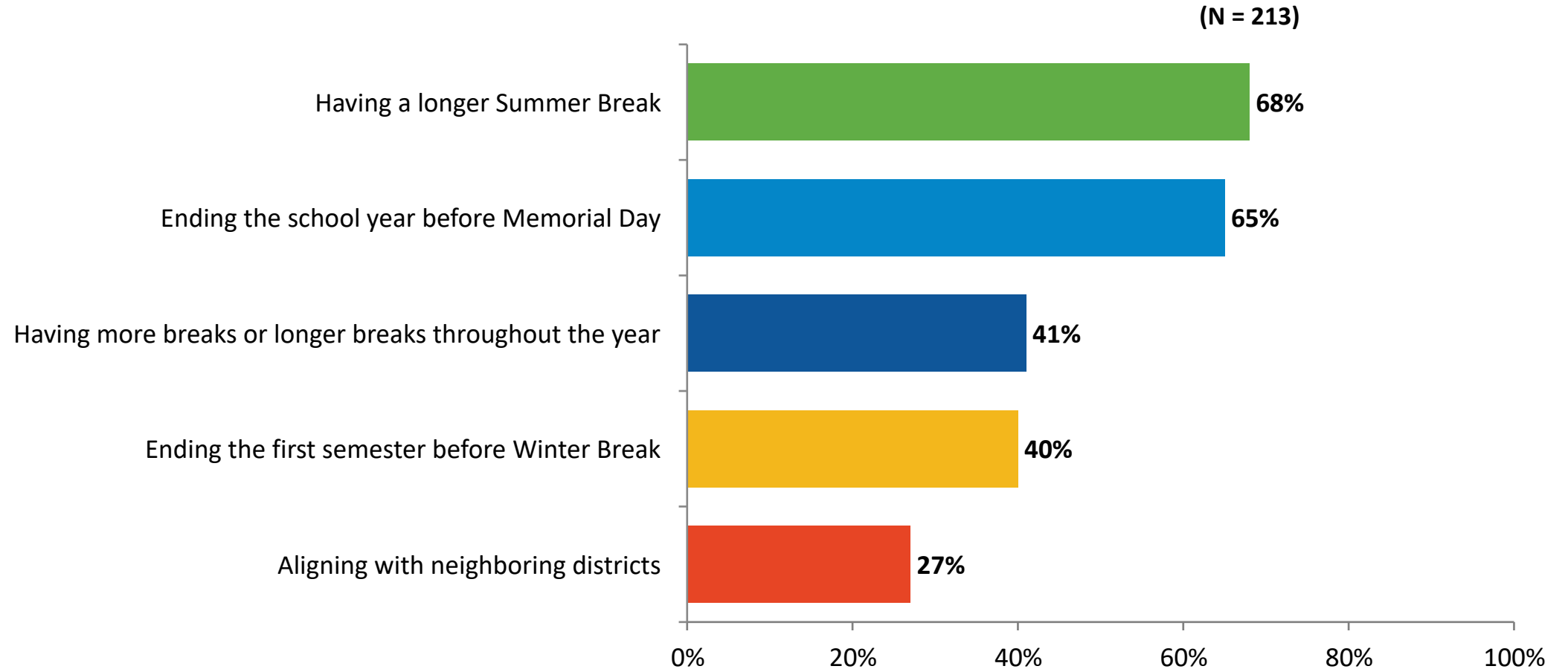


## When do you think the first day of school should be? (select one)

(N = 212)

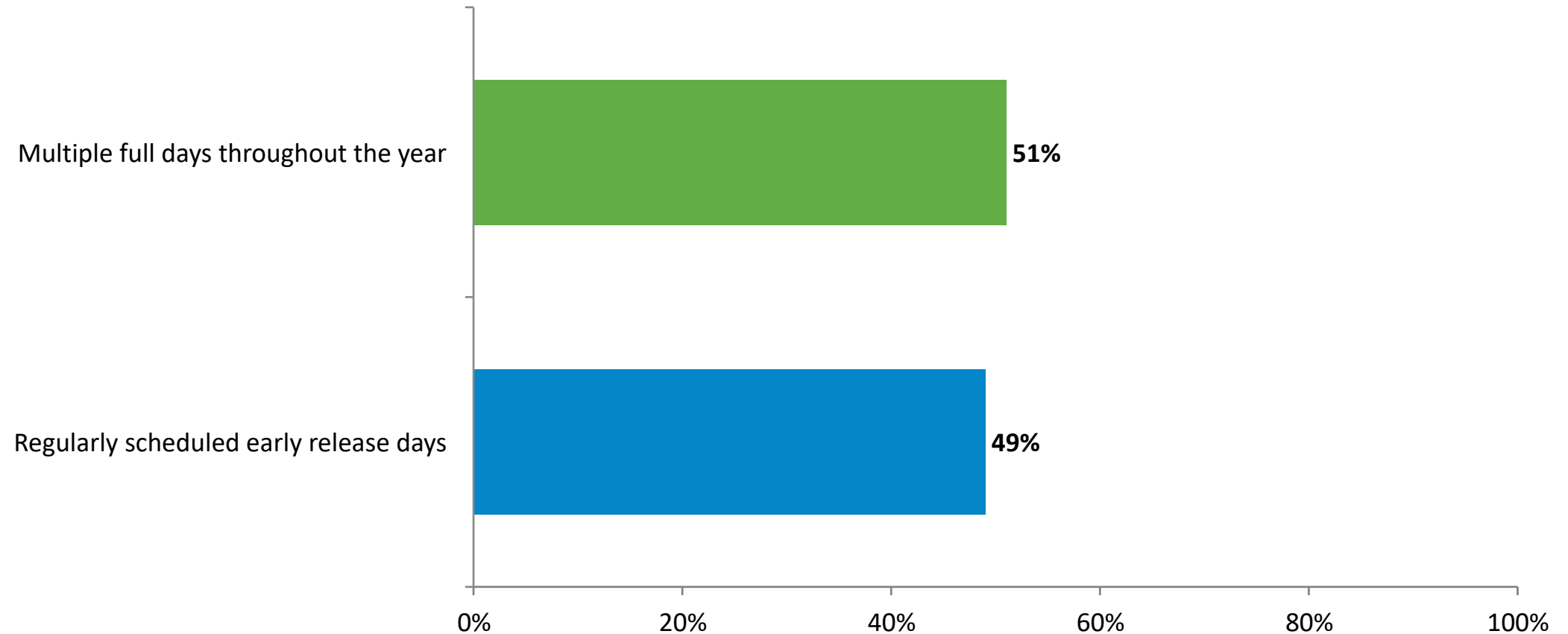


## Which factor is most important to you when creating the school calendar? (select three)



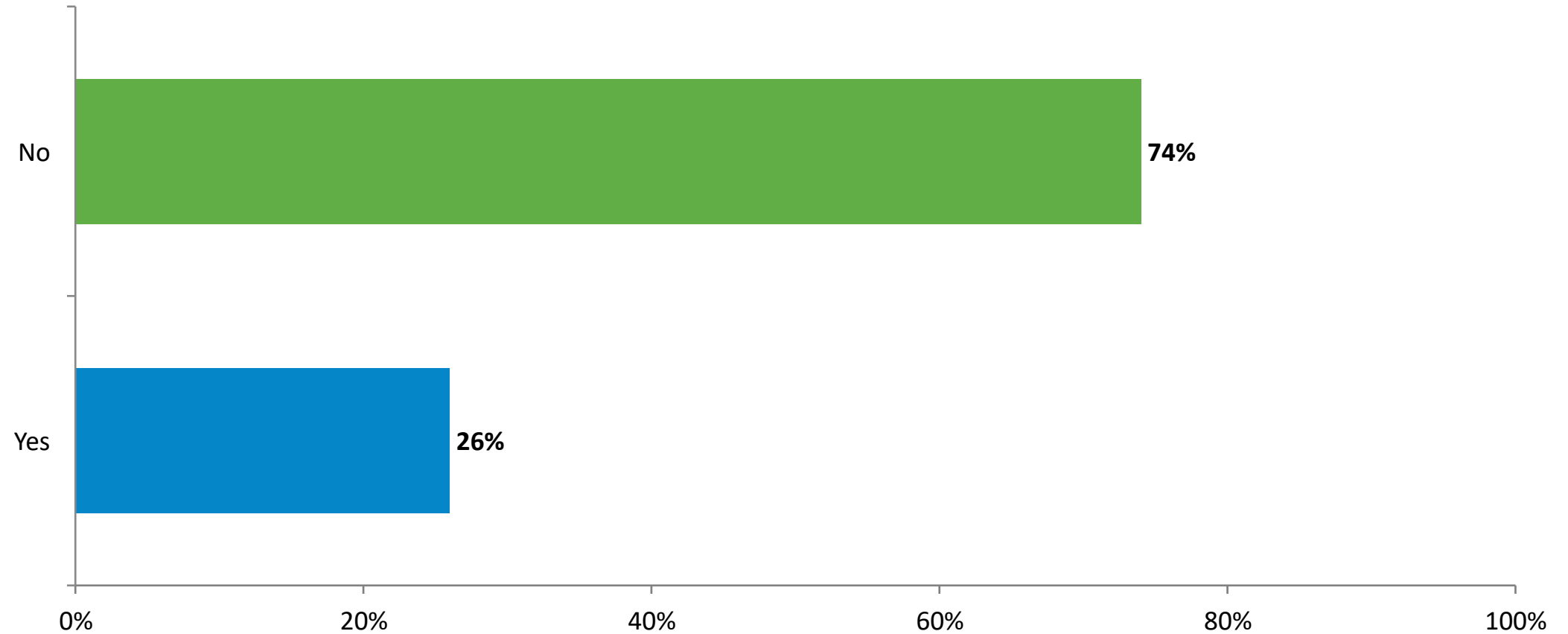
## How should professional development (PD) days for staff be scheduled? (select one)

(N = 206)



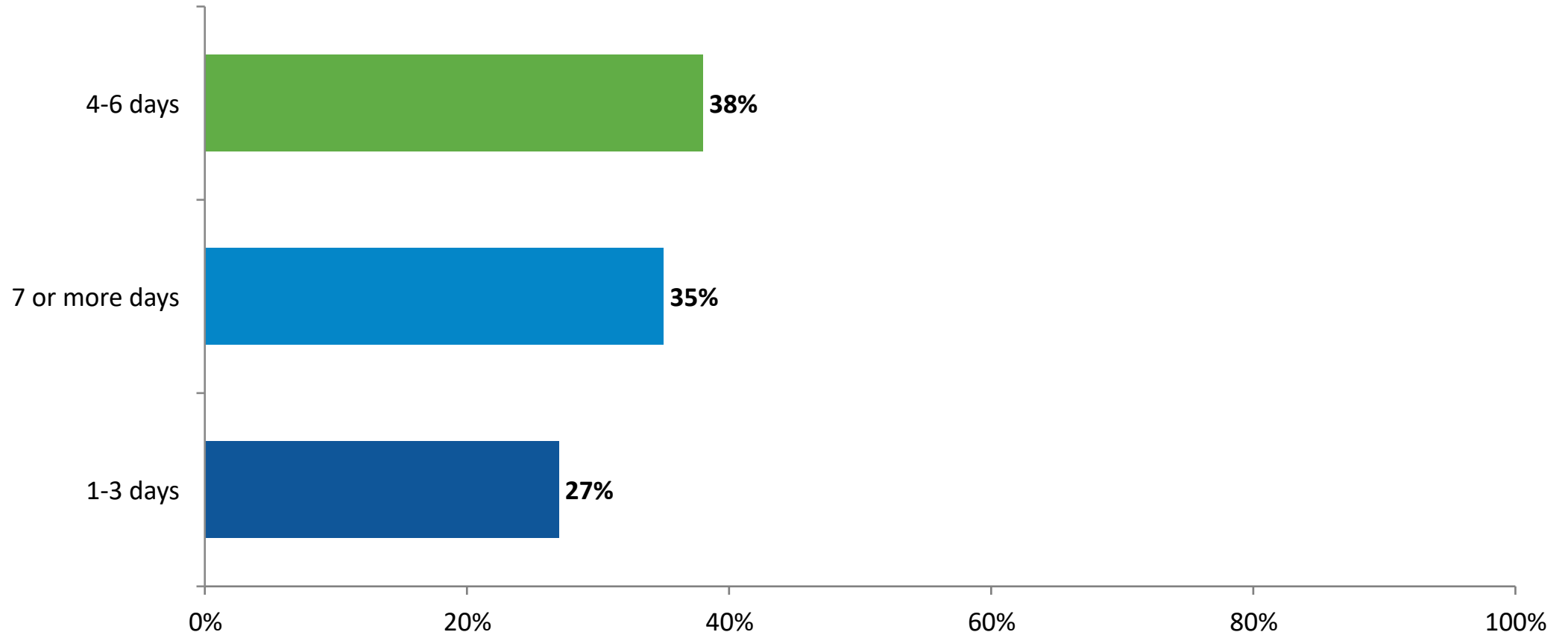
## Would you prefer longer breaks throughout the school year, even if it means a shorter summer break? (select one)

(N = 214)



**DCSD Employees Only: How much pre-planning time do you feel is needed before the school year begins? (select one)**

(N = 66)

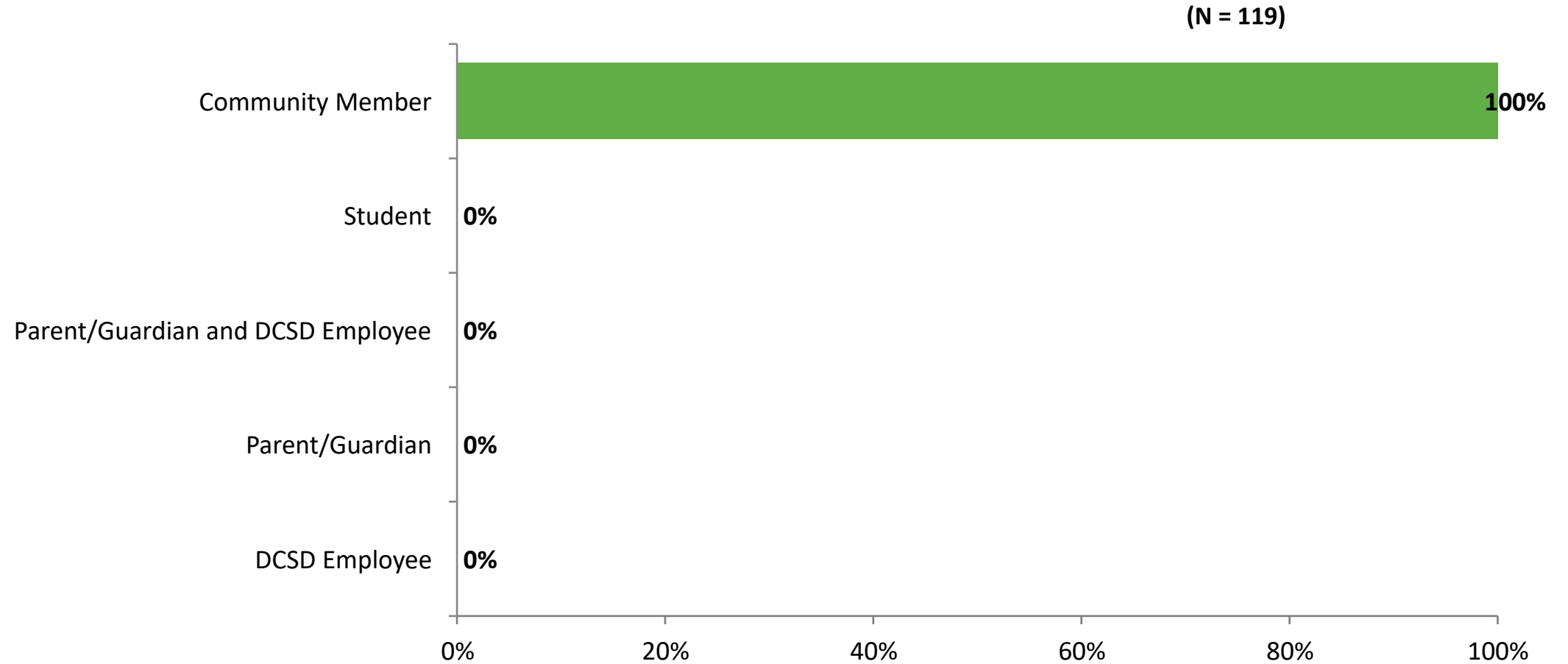




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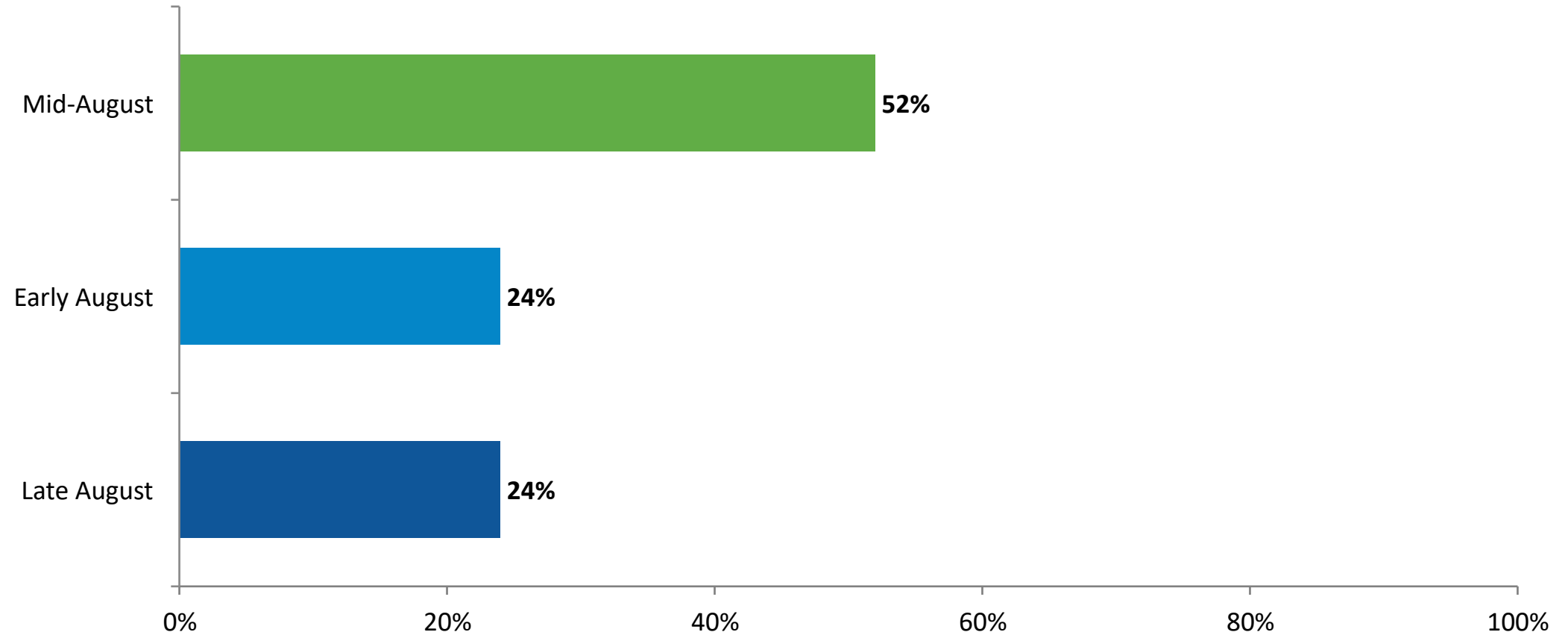
Community Member

# I am a: (select one)



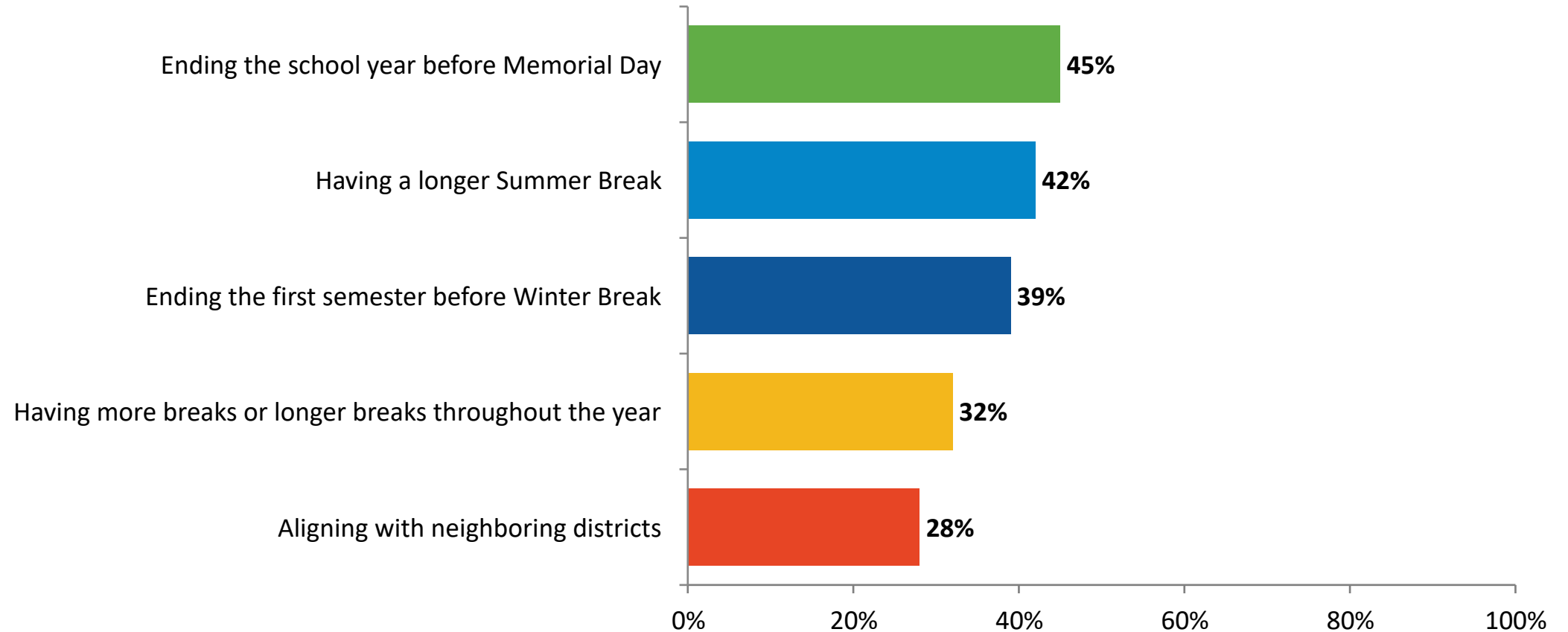
## When do you think the first day of school should be? (select one)

(N = 119)



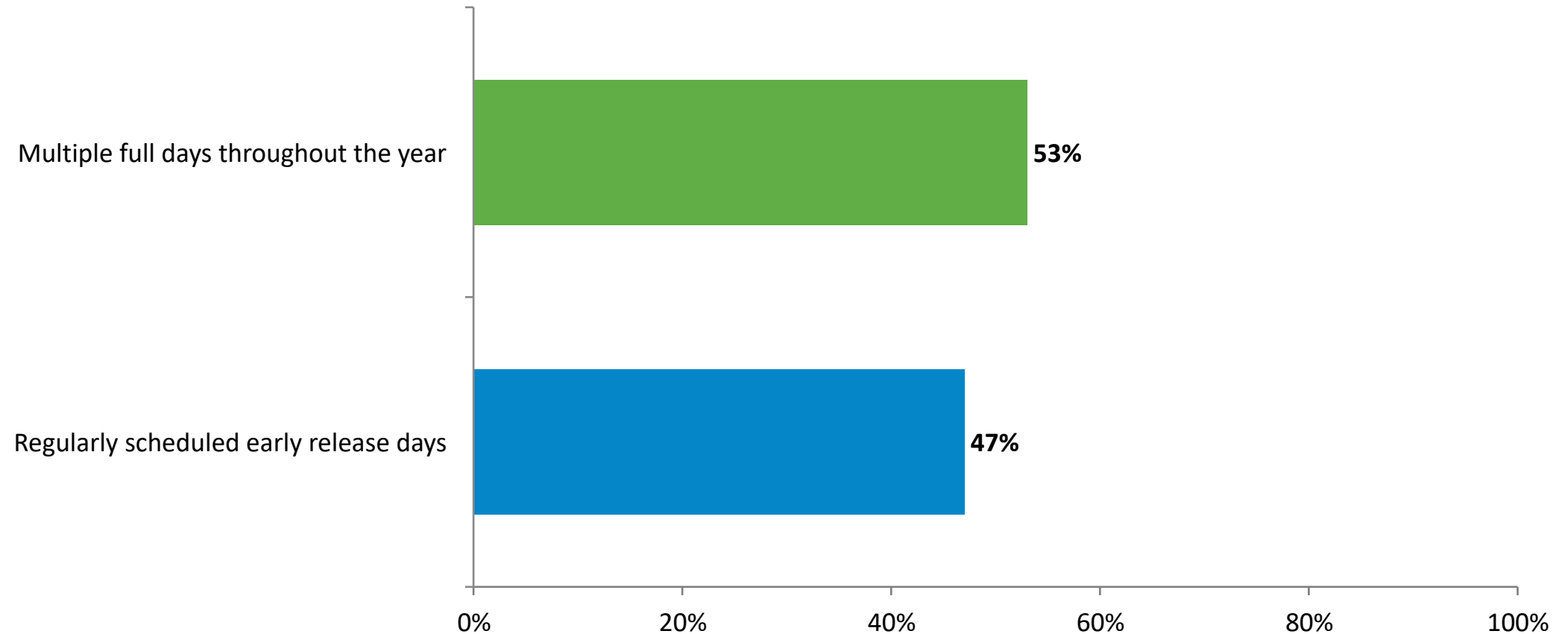
## Which factor is most important to you when creating the school calendar? (select three)

(N = 118)



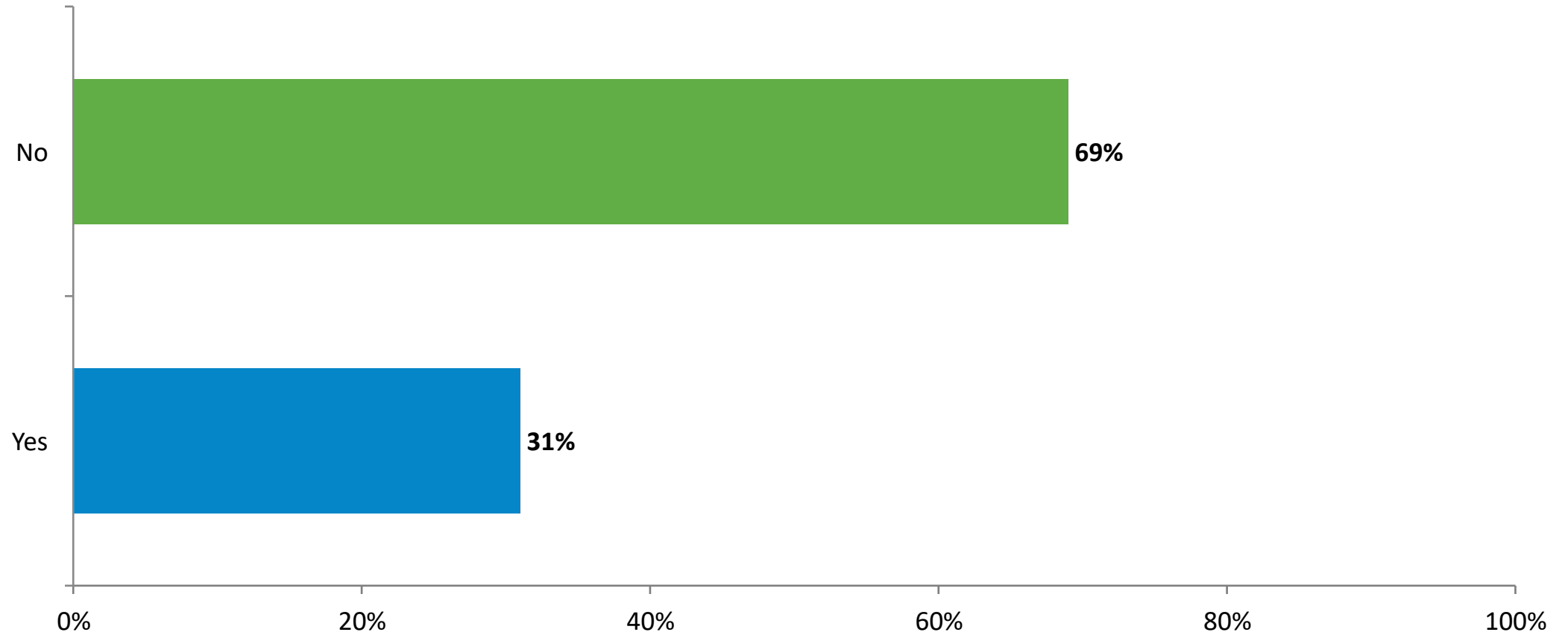
## How should professional development (PD) days for staff be scheduled? (select one)

(N = 118)



Would you prefer longer breaks throughout the school year, even if it means a shorter summer break? (select one)

(N = 117)



**DCSD Employees Only: How much pre-planning time do you feel is needed before the school year begins? (select one)**

(N = 40)

