

# Educational Effectiveness Survey™



9 Characteristics of High Performing Schools

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## Introduction

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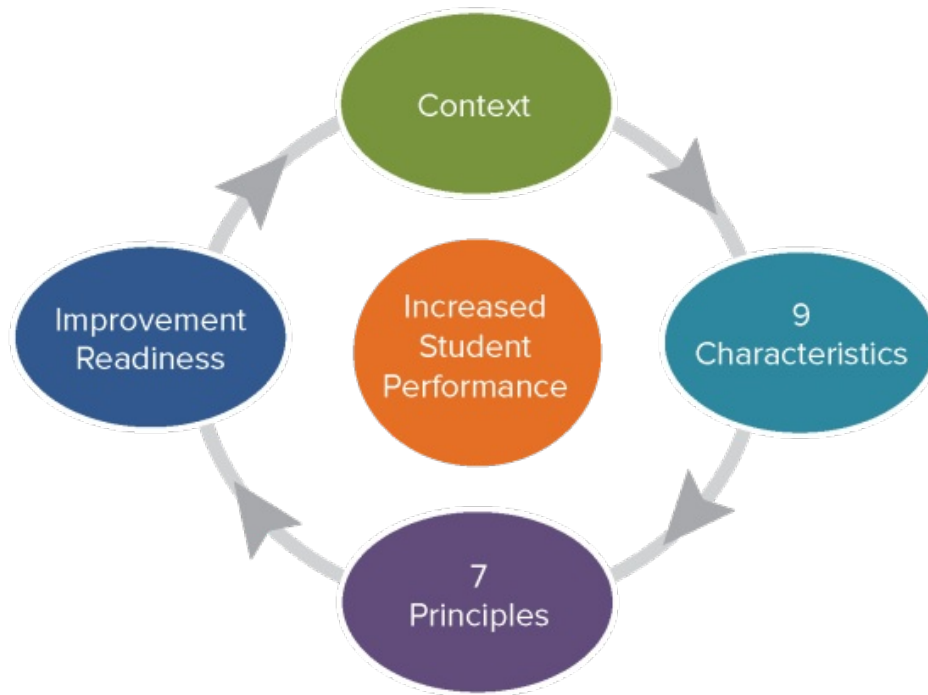
While there is no single solution for all schools, research on effective schools identified common characteristics of high-performing schools known as the 9 Characteristics. Successful schools that are engaged in improvement activities focus on these characteristics of “organizational and educator capacity” to create and improve the system(s) that ultimately drive performance outcomes.

#### **Note**

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## Capacity for Improvement



- "Context" defines the "current reality" of the student population, the school, and community.
- 9 Characteristics, or organizational and educator capacity defines the strength and capacity of the adult culture to implement the changes and structures defined in the 7 Principles.
- The 7 Principles define the structure and systems essential at the school-level in order to increase student outcomes and achievement.
- The "Improvement Readiness" defines the current capacity for change amongst the systems and adult culture of the school and district.
- All four components impact the ability of the organization (school) to increase student performance.

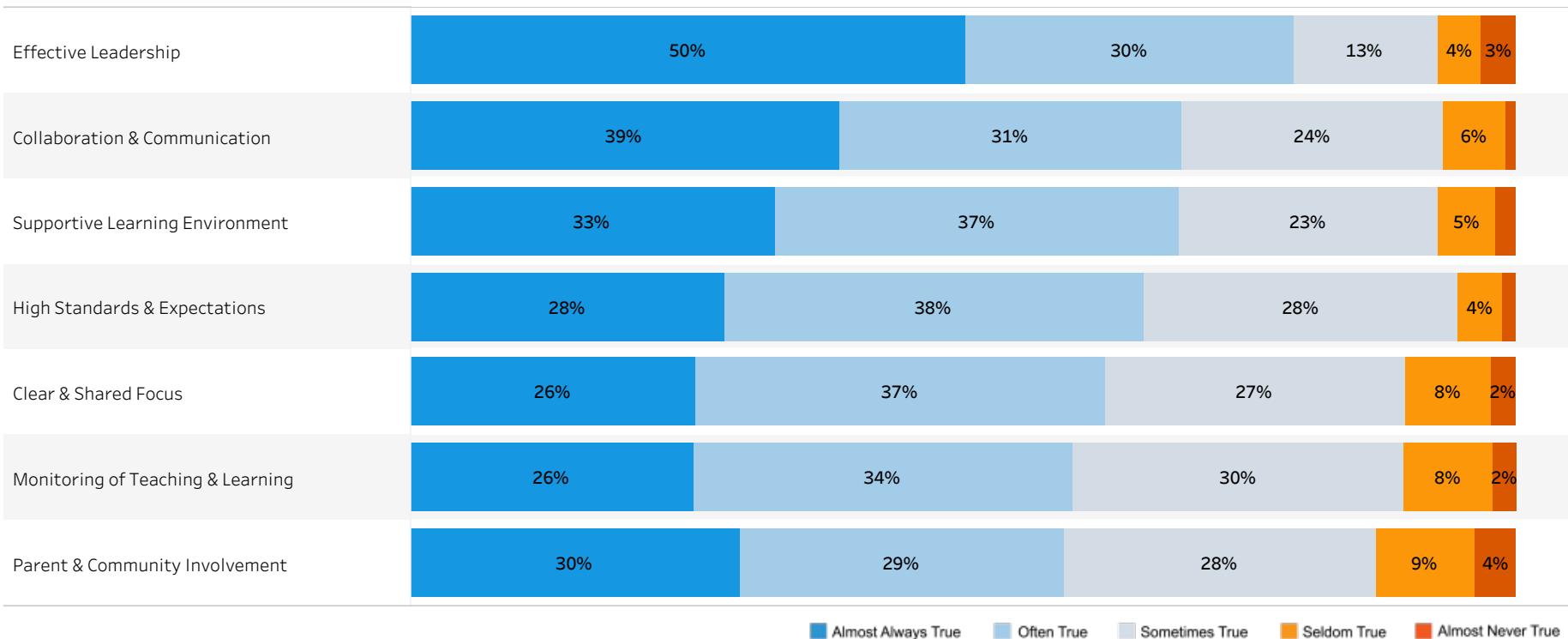
# 9 Characteristics of High-Performing Schools



## 9 Characteristics Summary

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# Demographics

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### Programs

- Special Education
- EL (English Learner)
- Highly Capable
- Section 504 Plan

### How often is English spoken in your home?

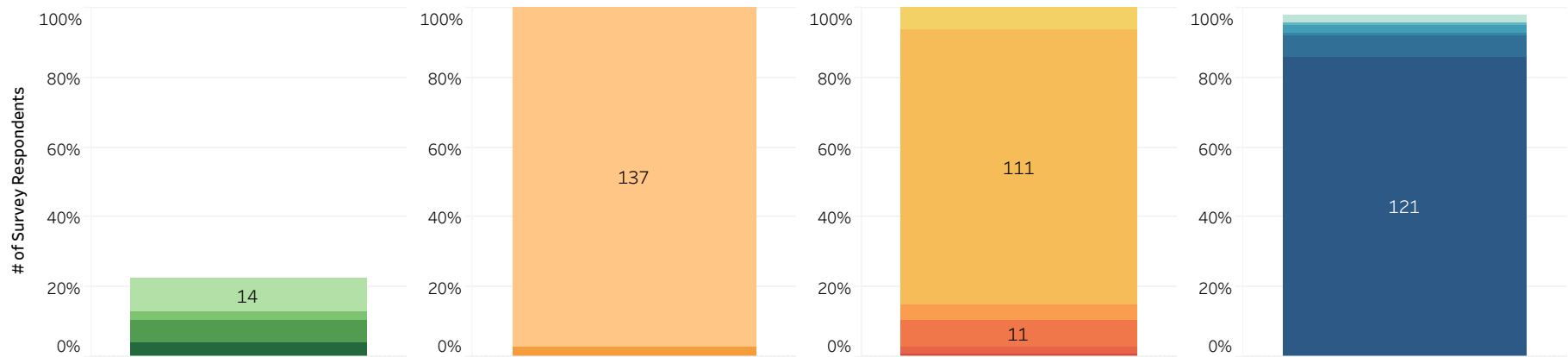
- Always
- Most of the time

### Communication

- Phone Calls
- Emails
- Weekly Flyers
- Instant Alerts/Text Messages
- Scheduled meetings and events at school
- Social Media (Facebook, Twitter, etc.)

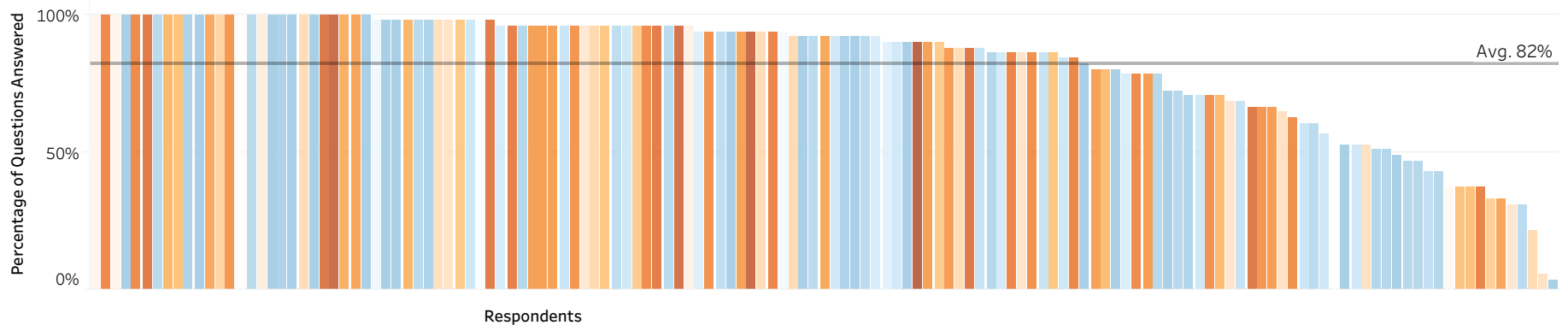
### Ethnicity

- Am Indian/ AK Native
- Blk/ Afr American
- Hisp/Lat of any race
- Pac Isl/ Native HI
- Two or more races
- White



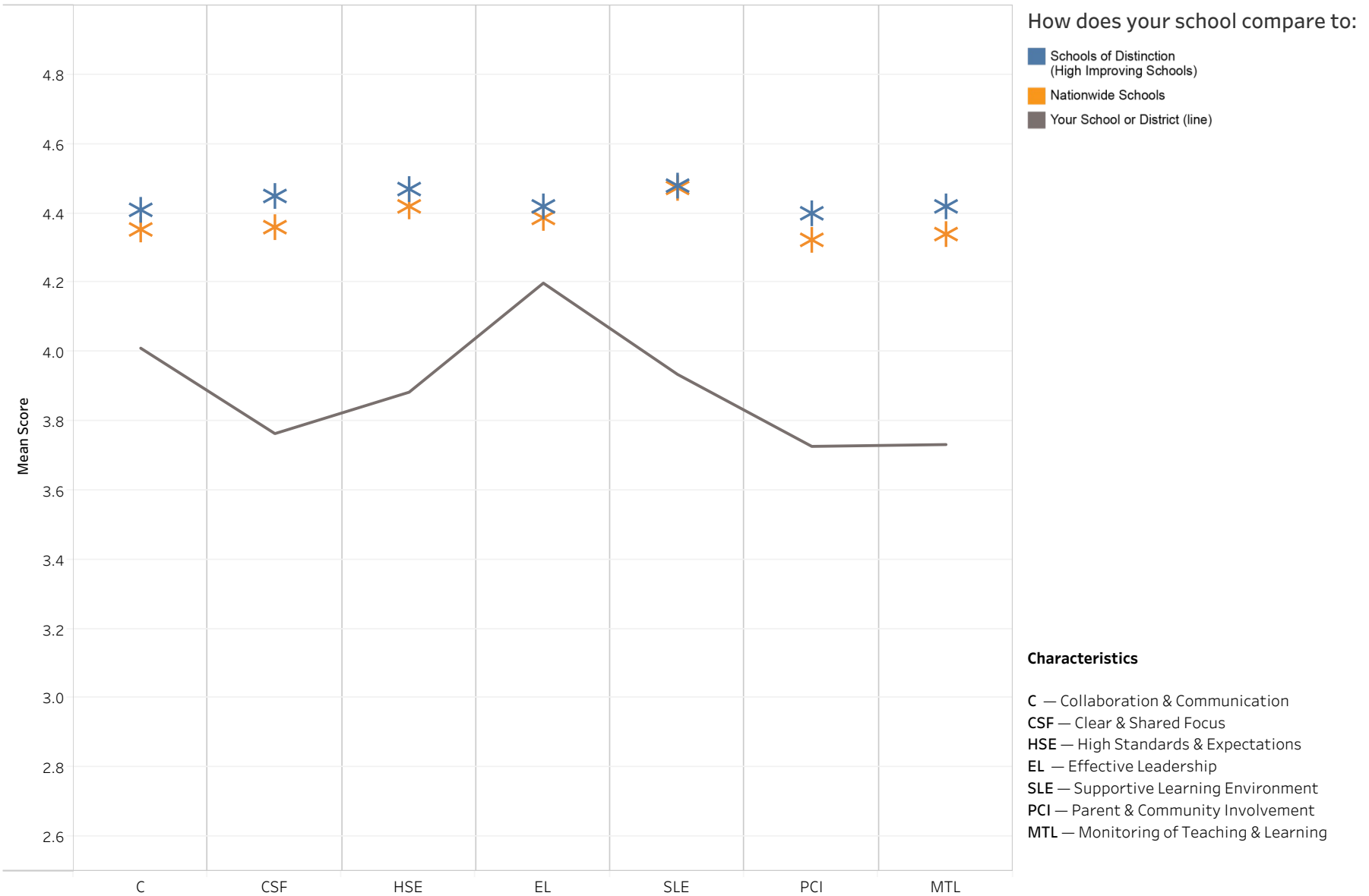
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The color shows how positive each respondent was.



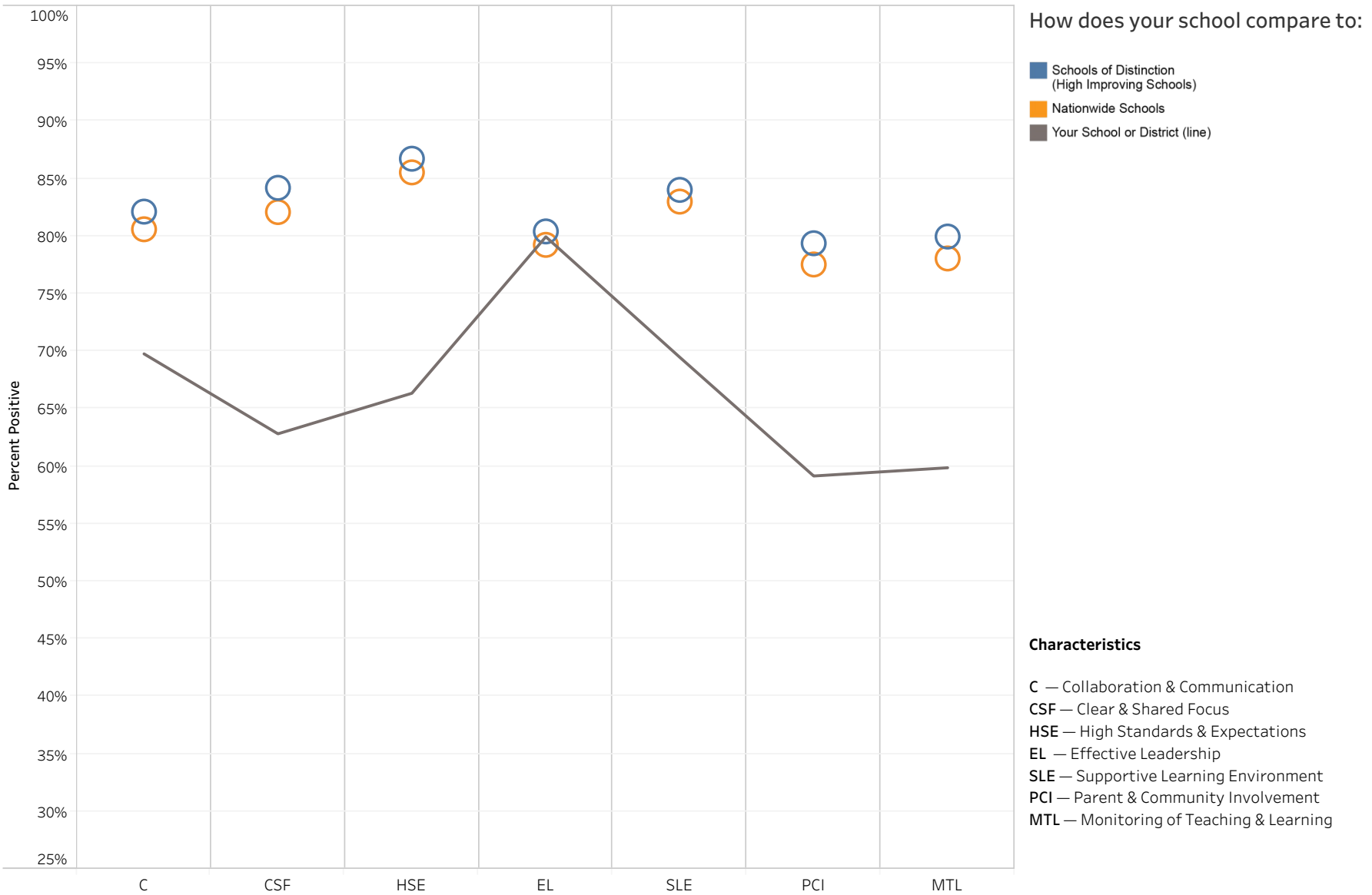
# 9 Characteristics Comparison - Mean Scores

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# 9 Characteristics Comparison - Percent Positive Scores

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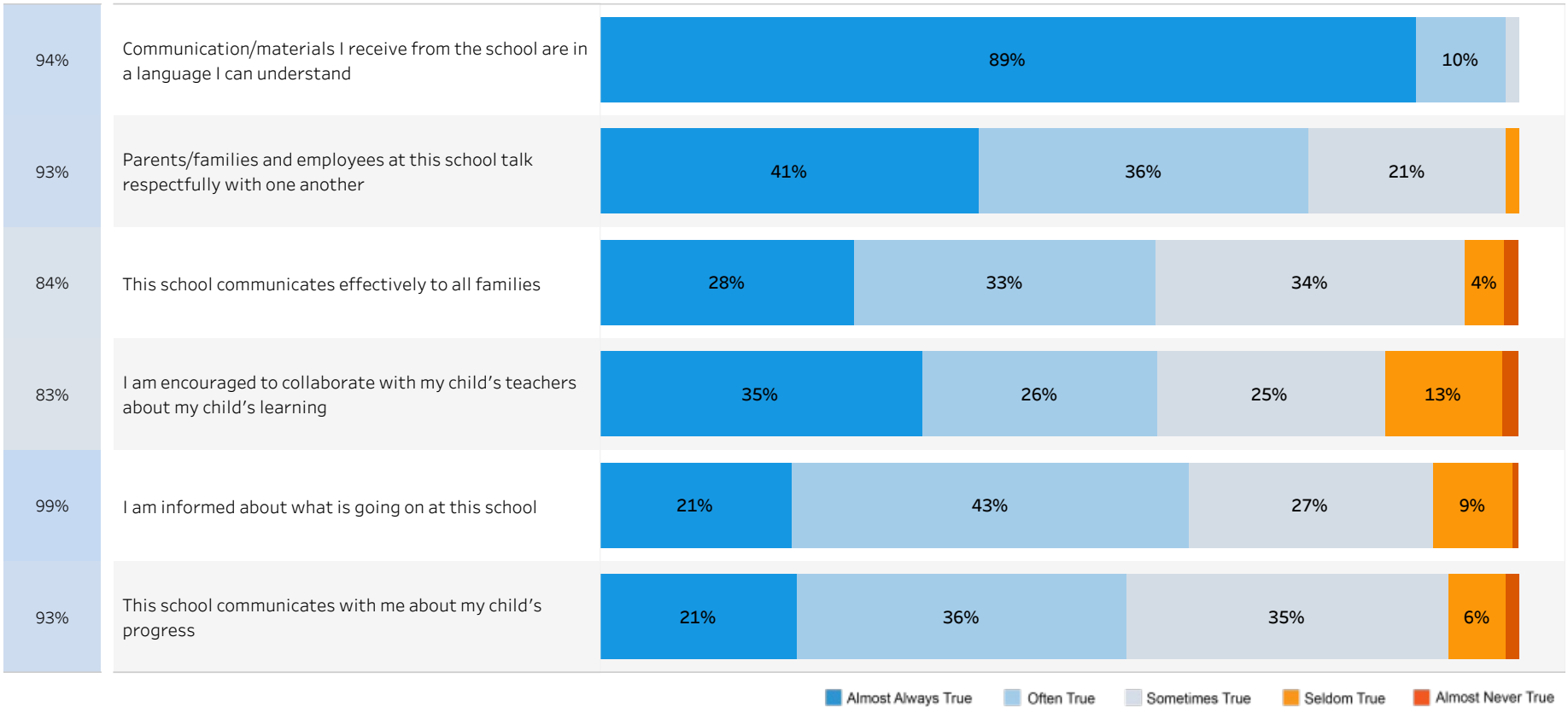




# High Levels of Collaboration and Communication

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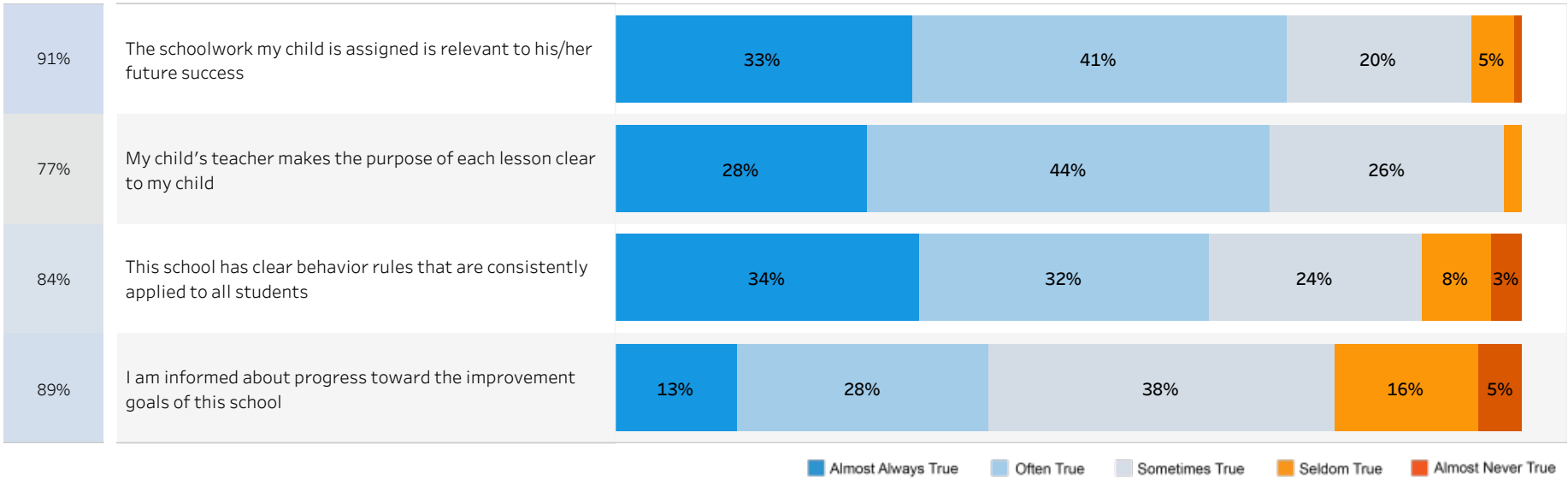
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# Clear and Shared Focus

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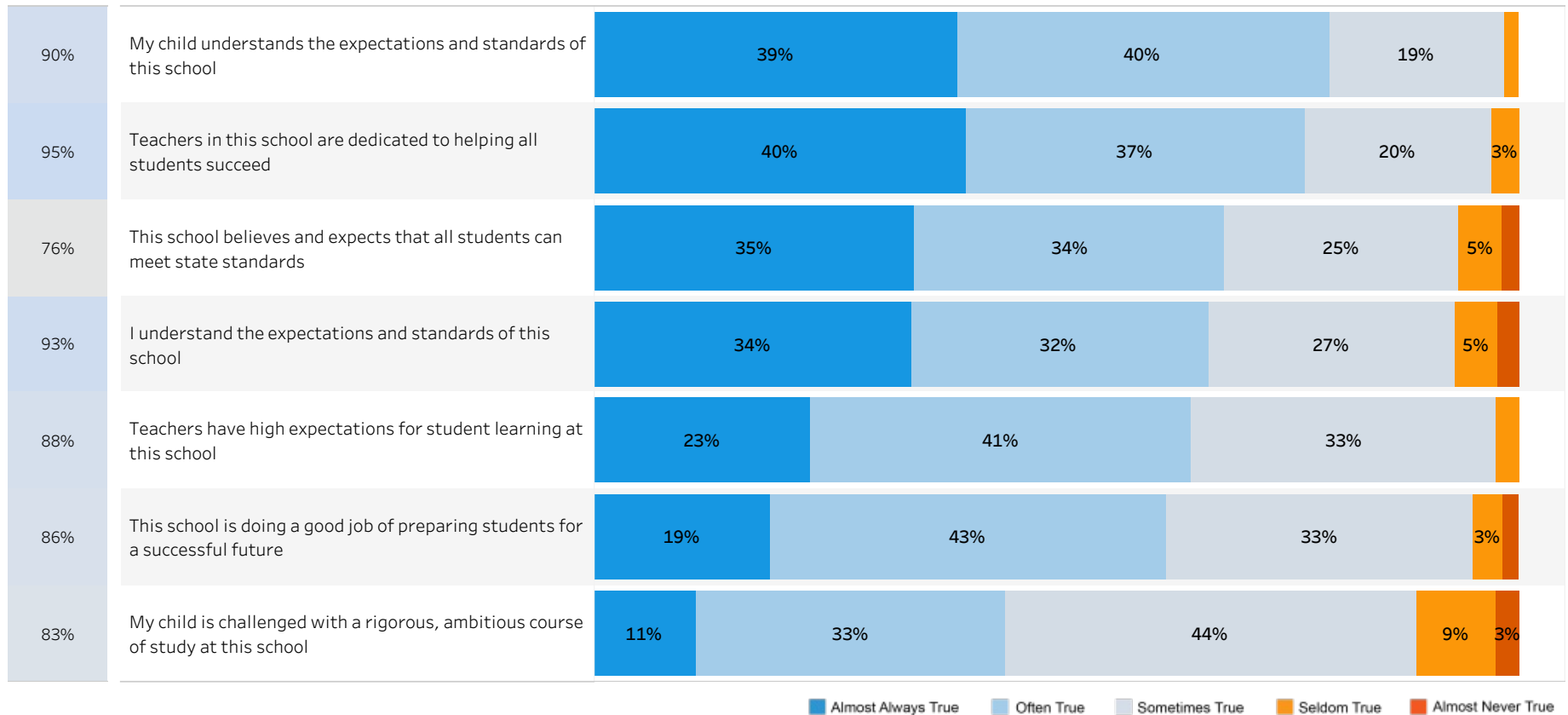
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# High Standards and Expectations

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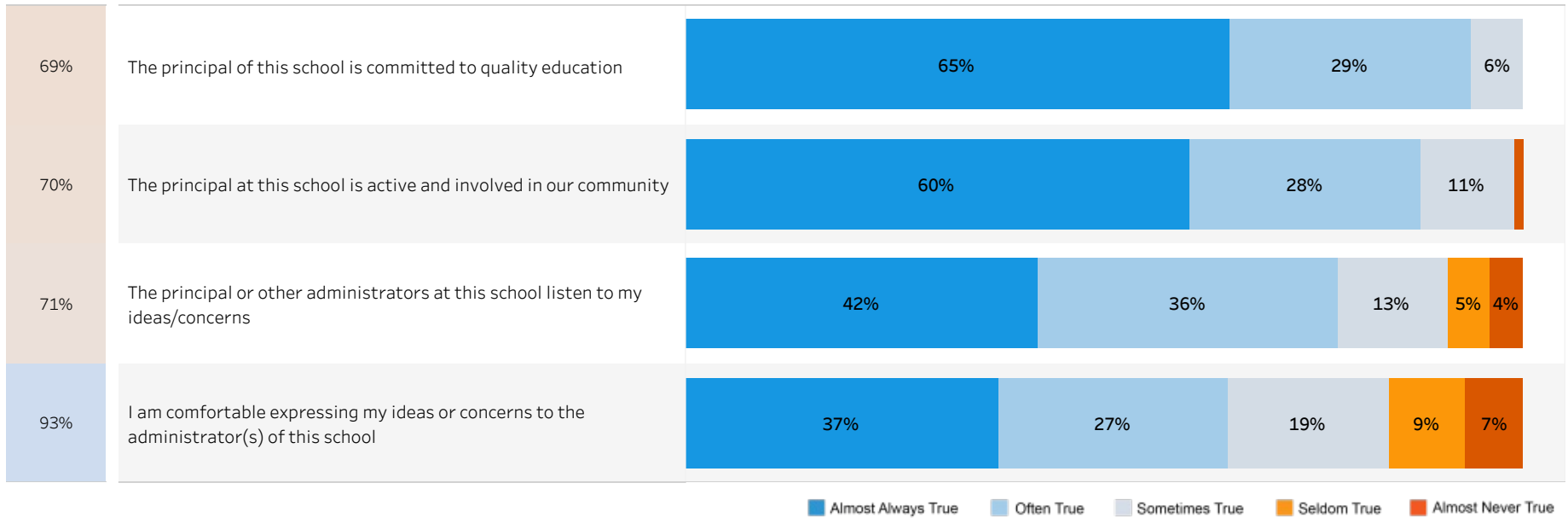
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# Effective Leadership

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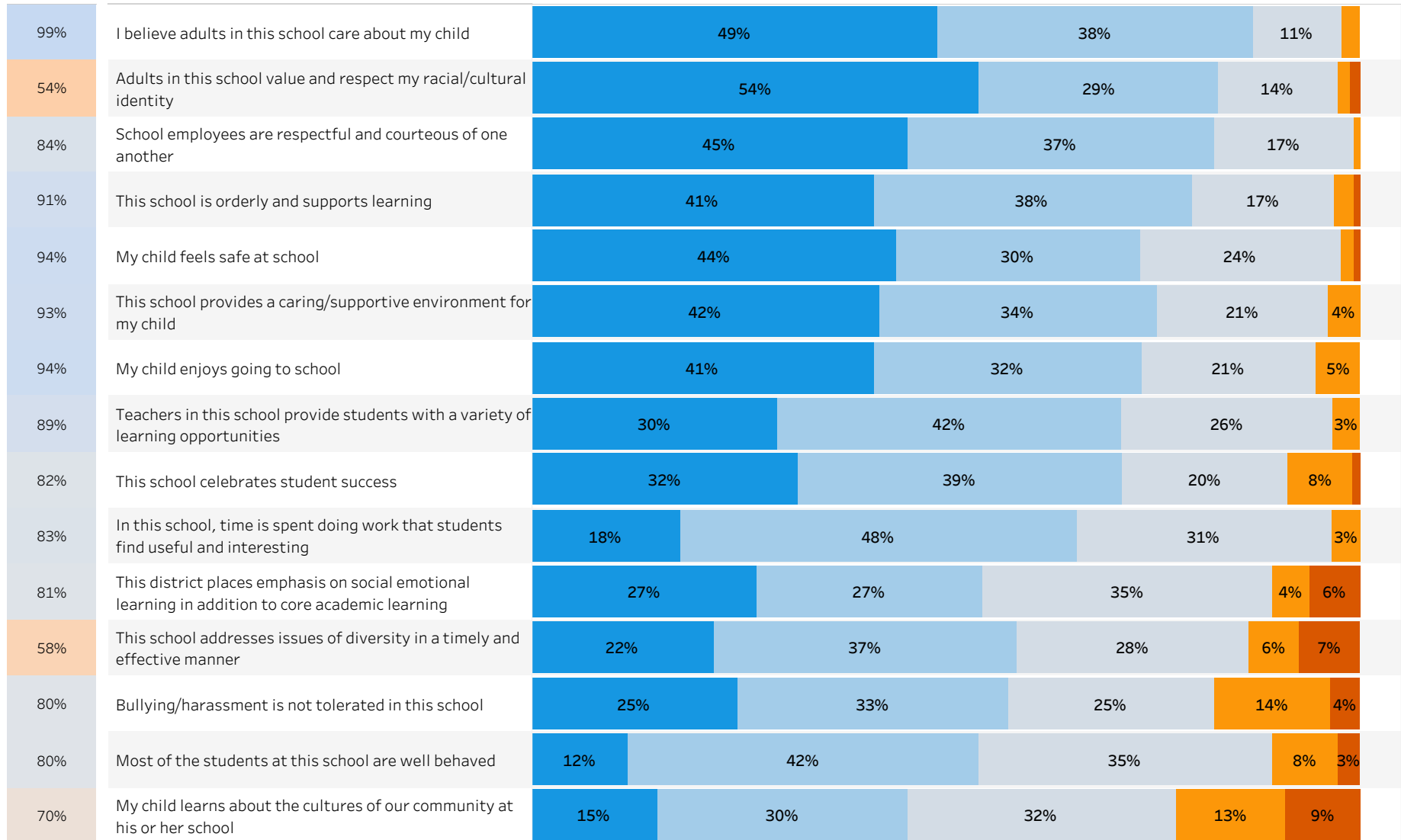
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# Supportive Learning Environment

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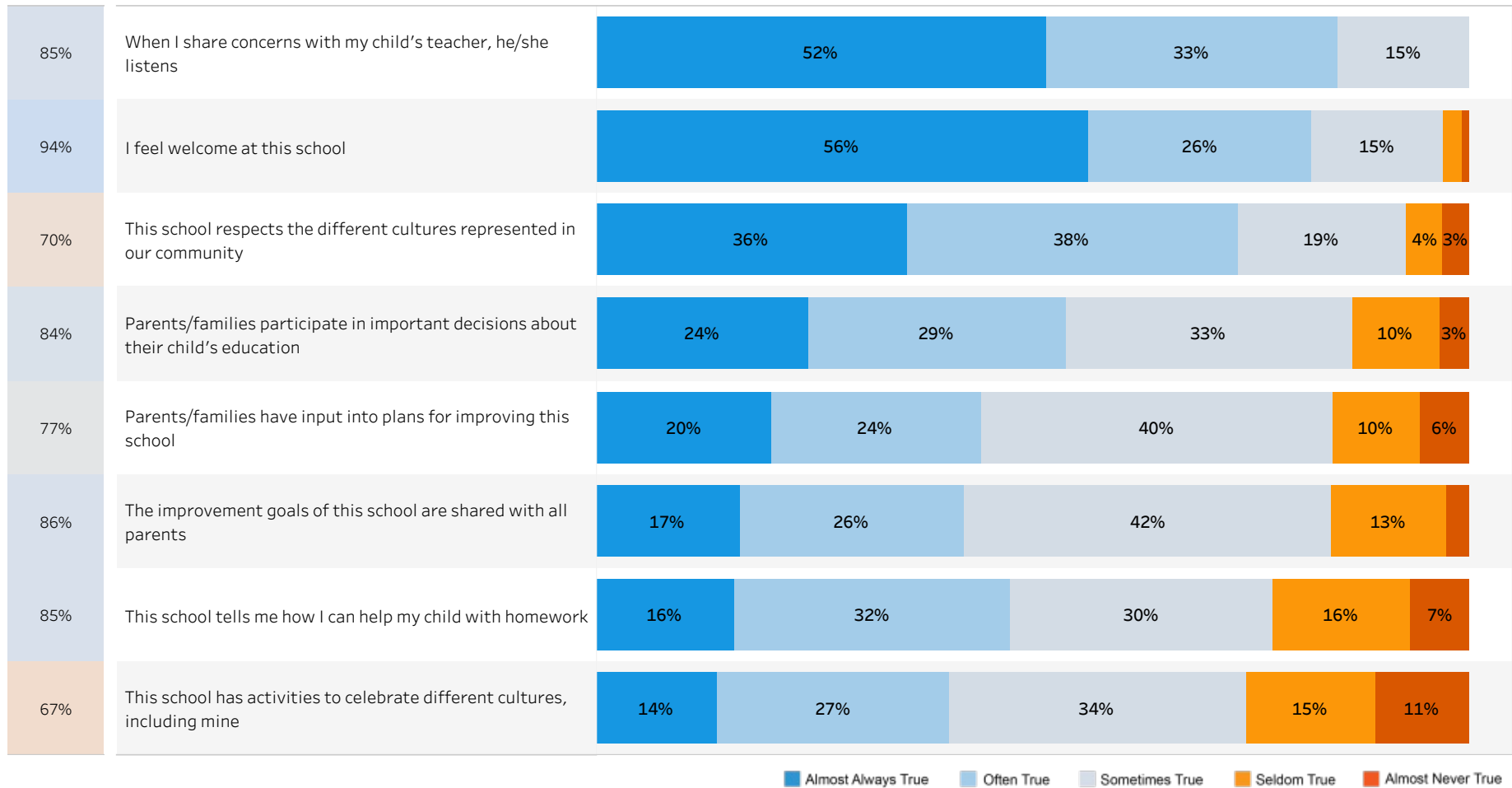


■ Almost Always True
 ■ Often True
 ■ Sometimes True
 ■ Seldom True
 ■ Almost Never True

# Parent and Community Involvement

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# Frequent Monitoring of Teaching and Learning

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