## Preliminary Return to School Survey \#2 Results

Q1: Will your child be attending a TCDSB elementary or secondary school this September? Choose the one that most applies:


| I have a child or children in a TCDSB Elementary School <br> (Kindergarten to Grade 8) only | $62.08 \%$ | 19,011 |
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| I have a child or children in a TCDSB Secondary School (Grade 9-12) <br> only | $23.51 \%$ | 7,198 |
| I have two or more children in both elementary and secondary (at <br> least one child in K-8 and one child in Grade 9-12) | $14.41 \%$ | 4,413 |
|  | Answered | 30,622 |

Q2: If the Ministry directs school boards to return to school with a blend of in-class and distance learning (option b), which model would you prefer?


| Alternating your child between in-class and distance learning bi- <br> weekly. This means your child will alternate between attending a <br> full week (Mon-Fri) of in-class learning and the following week <br> at-home distance learning. | $49.02 \%$ | 9,988 |
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| Alternating your child between in-class and distance learning <br> within the school week. For example, this could mean one <br> student cohort attends in-class lessons on Monday/Tuesday and <br> the other cohort takes part in at-home distancing learning for <br> those days. The cohorts will then switch learning environments <br> on Wednesday/Thursday with each group alternating Fridays. | $50.99 \%$ | 10,387 |
|  | Answered | 20,375 |

Q3: The adaptive model for secondary schools will likely operate on multiple timelines based on your school's current program offering (semester, all year, blended), please provide us with your comments or questions.

Parents/Guardians split into thirds for return to school option:

- $33 \%$ prefer blended model
- $33 \%$ prefer continued distance learning
- $33 \%$ prefer full time return to school

Top Comments:

- Will families have the option to choose online learning or return to school?
- Considerations be given to adjust school times to enable secondary students to avoid rush hour//large crowds
- How will special needs students be accommodated in the chosen model?
- Interest in the quadmester model
- Considerations be given to extend the school year, shifting to a year-round model

Total Comments: 6,540

