ILLINOIS NEW PRINCIPAL MENTORING PROGRAM



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I. INTRODUCTION

In the fall of 2008, the Illinois New Principal Mentoring Program partnered with ECRA Group, Inc., a leader in educational research, to conduct a New Principal Survey in the spirit of continuous quality improvement for the New Principal Mentoring Program. The survey was designed to identify areas in which new principals feel they need the most assistance in preparing for their new role. Because the survey was a self-rated instrument and principals rated their levels of preparedness as generally high, program leadership should look at the items in relation to each other when determining higher and lower levels of preparedness when interpreting results.

Sample Demographics

A total of 91 new principals participated in the survey, which was conducted online. Demographics of the sample are tabled below.

Gender

Percent Male	Percent Female	
49	51	

Student Population

Number of Students Percent of Principa	
Under 100	7
100-500	64
500-1000	21
1000-2000	2
More than 2000	6

Race/Ethnicity

	Percent of Principals	
White	91	
Black	7	
Hispanic	2	

School Setting

Setting	Percent of Principals
Rural	48
Suburban	32
Urban	20

Type of School

Grade Levels	Percent of Principals
Elementary	36
Middle	11
Junior High	4
Secondary	23
K-12	4
Other	21

II. FINDINGS



New principals feel they are most prepared in areas related to decision-making, accountability, standards and communication. They feel that they are able to facilitate sound decision-making, maintain high expectations of faculty and staff while at the same time recognizing them for their professional accomplishments, and gain trust by effectively communicating with both internal and external stakeholders.



New principals feel generally prepared, but not as confident in areas such as team-building, effective appraisal of job performance, planning-related areas such as goal-setting and implementing organizational change, incorporating technology into the classroom, and negotiating conflicts.



New principals feel the least prepared to take on complex issues such as creating and managing a budget, implementing best practices in their organizations whether in the classroom or in staff development opportunities, using assessment and data effectively to make decisions that will improve their organizations, and engaging support for their schools on a community—wide basis.



Principals view dealing with legislation such as No Child Left Behind and formulating Response to Intervention (RTI) plans as some of the greatest challenges they face today. They also feel challenged ensuring that their initiatives for organizational improvement are reflected in the classroom. Time management is also a major concern, and new principals suggest that the Mentor Program could assist them in learning how to more efficiently deal with paperwork and operations management issues so that they have more time to work on curriculum and instruction. Finally, they emphasize again that dealing with budget issues is one of the most difficult aspects of their new role. Please see the open-ended response on page 15 of this report for a more detailed summary of the challenges new principals feel they face and how they feel the Mentor Program could help them most.

III. EVIDENCE

For the survey, principals were asked to state their level of preparedness for various items. The mean ratings are tabled, followed by a summary. These ratings are based on a scale from 0, indicating a low level of preparedness for the item, to 4, indicating a high level of preparedness. The following numerical assignment was used for mean calculations.

- 4 = Extremely Prepared
- 3 = Prepared
- 2 = Somewhat Prepared
- 1 = Unprepared

The highest mean rating possible is a 4.0. The following general rules can be used to interpret the mean ratings contained in this report. These rules are meant to provide a general framework for interpretation of items. However, they should not be interpreted as absolute standards.

- Mean ratings of 3.3 or above reflect areas in which principals feel very well prepared.
- Ratings between a 3.0 and 3.29 indicate areas in which principals feel generally prepared.
- Ratings below a 3.0 indicate areas in which principals feel they need the most help.

In order to help you better understand the ratings, the percentage of principals who stated that they were "extremely prepared" for that item are also included in the tables.

A. LEADERSHIP

Ratings for Leadership Items

Sorted in descending order

Item	Mean	Percent
	Rating	Extremely
		Prepared
Accepting accountability for decisions and actions	3.54	58
Maintaining high expectations for teacher and student performance	3.36	37
Engendering faculty/staff trust, confidence and commitment to the school	3.32	40
Providing clear feedback to subordinates without offending or patronizing people	3.26	36
Facilitating teamwork at all levels of the organization	3.16	24
Implementing best practices of supervision	3.10	14

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B. INSTRUCTIONAL FOCUS AND RIGOR

Ratings for Instructional Focus and Rigor Items

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Item	Mean	Percent
	Rating	Extremely
		Prepared
Maintaining high academic standards	3.23	27
Incorporating technology into the classroom	3.04	26
Implementing best practices in instruction	2.89	13
Integrating diversity into curriculum and instruction	2.79	12

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C. ASSESSMENT AND CONTINUOUS QUALITY IMPROVEMENT

Ratings for Assessment and CQI Items

| Sorted in | descending ▼ order

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Item	Mean	Percent
	Rating	Extremely
		Prepared
Reporting assessment and evaluation findings	3.00	22
Using assessment to improve instructional practices	2.98	15
Appraising teaching methods to ensure alignment to curriculum	2.96	14

D. PLANNING

Ratings for Planning Items

Item	Mean	Percent
	Rating	Extremely
		Prepared
Goal-setting	3.27	31
Understanding and implementing organizational change	3.20	15
Strategic planning	2.95	18
Allocating resources	2.69	12
Managing a budget	2.67	13
Creating a budget	2.43	8

E. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Ratings for Professional Development Items

Sorted in descending

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Item	Mean	Percent
	Rating	Extremely
		Prepared
Recognizing and celebrating the professional accomplishments of faculty/staff	3.39	46
Coaching classroom management strategies	3.20	32
Mentoring staff to improve their instruction	3.01	15
Implementing best practices in staff development opportunities	2.93	14

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F. CULTURE AND COMMUNICATION

Ratings for Culture and Communication Items

Sorted in descending

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Item	Mean Rating	Percent Extremely Prepared
Maintaining an open-door policy	3.72	72
Promoting a culture of respect within the school	3.54	56
Communicating effectively with teachers, counselors, deans and other administrators	3.53	56
Using collaboration to make decisions	3.34	38
Providing timely feedback to all stakeholders	3.32	41
Negotiating school conflicts	3.21	29
Engaging parents to promote achievement	3.00	17
Engaging the community in support of the school	2.83	13
Partnering with the civic and business community to enhance education	2.57	9

Planning budgets assessment and best practices

Areas in which principals feel very well prepared

Areas in which principals feel generally prepared

Areas in which principals feel they need the most help.

G. AREAS IN WHICH PRINCIPALS FEEL WELL PREPARED

Item

Accepting accountability for decisions and actions

Maintaining high expectations for teacher and student performance

Engendering faculty/staff trust, confidence and commitment to the school

Maintaining high academic standards

Recognizing and celebrating the professional accomplishments of faculty/staff

Maintaining an open-door policy

Promoting a culture of respect within the school

Communicating effectively with teachers, counselors, deans and other administrators

Using collaboration to make decisions

Providing timely feedback to all stakeholders

H. AREAS IN WHICH PRINCIPALS FEEL GENERALLY PREPARED

Item

Providing clear feedback to subordinates without offending or patronizing people

Facilitating teamwork at all levels of the organization

Implementing best practices of supervision

Incorporating technology into the classroom

Reporting assessment and evaluation findings

Goal-setting

Understanding and implementing organizational change

Coaching classroom management strategies

Mentoring staff to improve their instruction

Negotiating school conflicts

Engaging parents to promote achievement

I. AREAS IN WHICH PRINCIPALS FEEL LESS PREPARED

Item

Implementing best practices in instruction

Integrating diversity into curriculum and instruction

Using assessment to improve instructional practices

Appraising teaching methods to ensure alignment to curriculum

Strategic planning

Allocating resources

Managing a budget

Creating a budget

Implementing best practices in staff development opportunities

Engaging the community in support of the school

Partnering with the civic and business community to enhance education

J. OPEN-ENDED RESPONSE

In your role, what do you perceive as your major challenges, and how can the Principal Mentor Program help you the most?

The most stated concerns for new principals are the challenges of comprehending and helping to create a Response to Intervention (RTI) plan (meeting both the national and state requirements), as well as addressing No Child Left Behind, and Annual Yearly Progress issues.

There were many principals who stated that they feel their plans for increased student achievement are not carried through in classrooms. Several respondents stressed that their curriculum changes are meant to increase student achievement, not to insult their teachers; however, teachers do not always view change as a positive thing.

For many of the principals, budgetary issues are also an ongoing concern. They listed lack of textbooks and situations of being short-staffed that considerably impacted the learning process for the students. Others commented that they have problems preparing a budget and completing grant request forms.

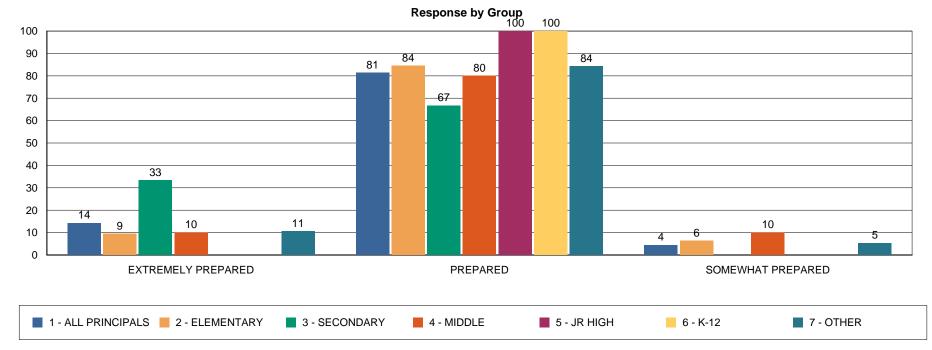
Several principals noted that the mentor program has been or could be a great resource to "newbie" principals to help them cut through the paperwork issues. The mentor program, it was stated, could also help find tangible resources – textbooks, computers, etc. – for schools that are in need. Communication with the parents and the community, according to the respondents, is also something that most principals need to address. The principals show a sincere desire to send, clear, consistent messages around the vision, expectations, and safety of the school/district to staff, parents, and students.

Time management is also an ongoing concern. Many principals noted that too much of their daily time is spent on discipline and management issues rather than staff development and student achievement – where they feel their attention should be spent. They also stated that the mentoring program could help with this issue, that a mentor could share "been-there-done-that" information.

Several principals said that they were new to their school or district and had the distinct sense of being the new kid on the block. These principals mentioned issues working with a more-tenured staff unwilling to adapt to a new curriculum or to keep up with technology. Two very tangible ideas to see from the mentoring program included an e-mail listserv for participants in the mentoring program and a list of "legal do's and don'ts for Illinois Principals." Several respondents from schools with at-risk students or that are in a disadvantaged socioeconomic district would like to see more applicable programs to their special needs, specifically, mentors with experience of dealing with students likely to drop-out would be extremely helpful.



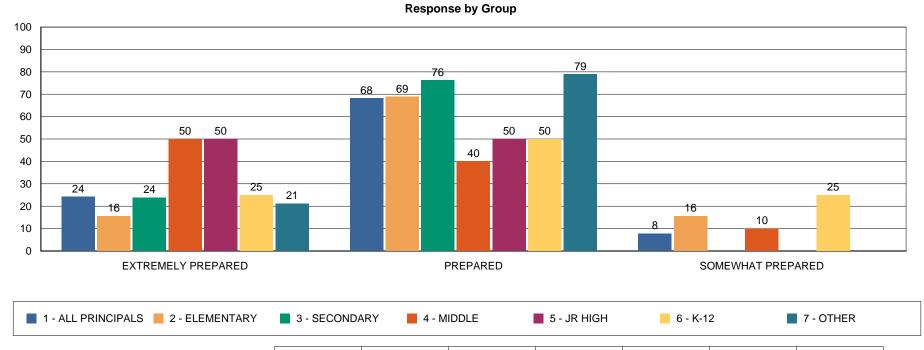
Implementing best practices of supervision



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	14%	9%	33%	10%	0%	0%	11%
	Count	13	3	7	1	0	0	2
PREPARED	Percentage	81%	84%	67%	80%	100%	100%	84%
	Count	74	27	14	8	4	4	16
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	4%	6%	0%	10%	0%	0%	5%
	Count	4	2	0	1	0	0	1

Mean 3.10 3.03 3.33 3.00 3.00	3.00 3.05
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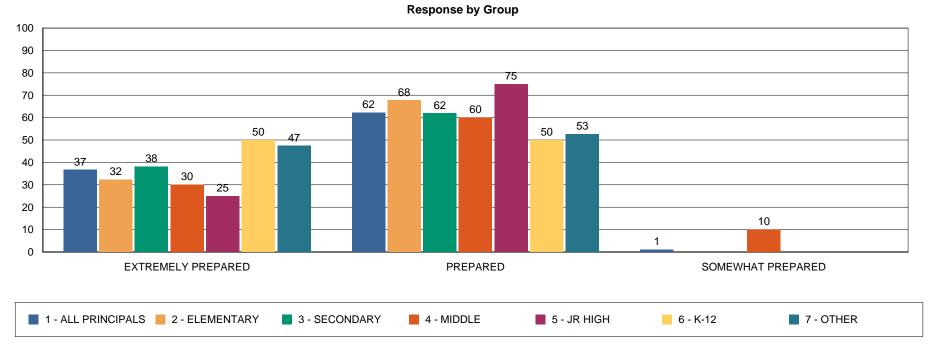
2 Facilitating teamwork at all levels of the organization



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	24%	16%	24%	50%	50%	25%	21%
	Count	22	5	5	5	2	1	4
PREPARED	Percentage	68%	69%	76%	40%	50%	50%	79%
	Count	62	22	16	4	2	2	15
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	8%	16%	0%	10%	0%	25%	0%
	Count	7	5	0	1	0	1	0

Q2	Mean	3.16	3.00	3.24	3.40	3.50	3.00	3.21
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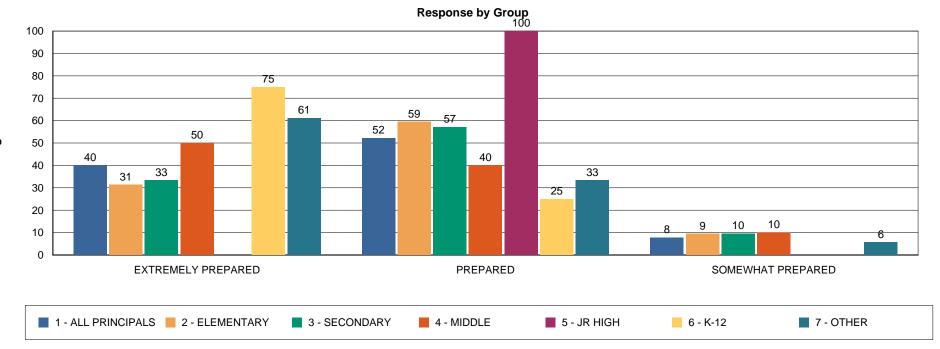
 ${f 3}$ Maintaining high expectations for teacher and student performance



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	37%	32%	38%	30%	25%	50%	47%
	Count	33	10	8	3	1	2	9
PREPARED	Percentage	62%	68%	62%	60%	75%	50%	53%
	Count	56	21	13	6	3	2	10
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	1%	0%	0%	10%	0%	0%	0%
	Count	1	0	0	1	0	0	0

Q3 Mean	3.36	3.32	3.38	3.20	3.25	3.50	3.47
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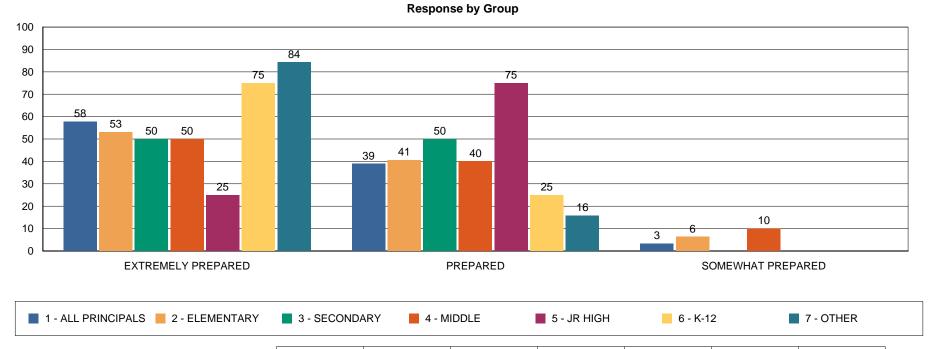
4 Engendering faculty/staff trust, confidence and commitment to the school



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	40%	31%	33%	50%	0%	75%	61%
	Count	36	10	7	5	0	3	11
PREPARED	Percentage	52%	59%	57%	40%	100%	25%	33%
	Count	47	19	12	4	4	1	6
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	8%	9%	10%	10%	0%	0%	6%
	Count	7	3	2	1	0	0	1

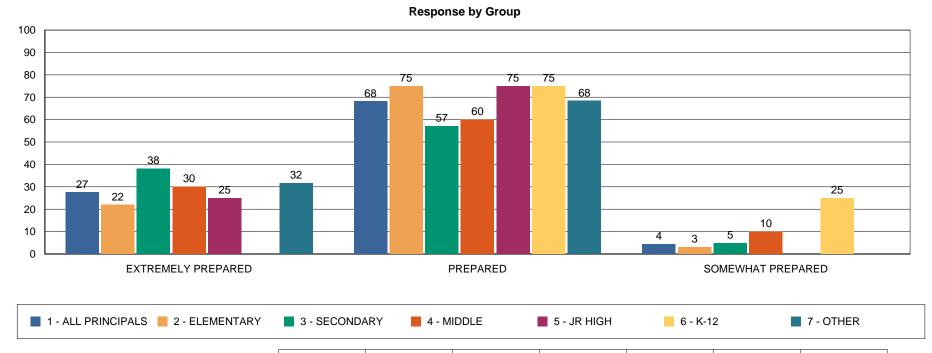
Mean 3.32 3.22 3.24 3.40 3.00 3	3.75 3.56
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5 Accepting accountability for decisions and actions



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	58%	53%	50%	50%	25%	75%	84%
	Count	52	17	10	5	1	3	16
PREPARED	Percentage	39%	41%	50%	40%	75%	25%	16%
	Count	35	13	10	4	3	1	3
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	3%	6%	0%	10%	0%	0%	0%
	Count	3	2	0	1	0	0	0

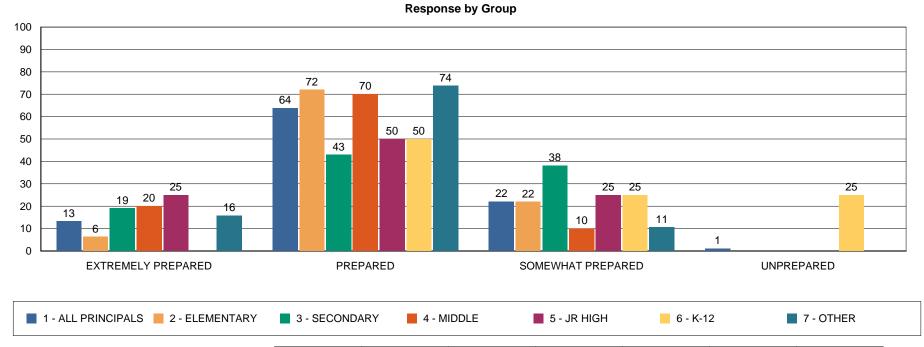
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		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	27%	22%	38%	30%	25%	0%	32%
	Count	25	7	8	3	1	0	6
PREPARED	Percentage	68%	75%	57%	60%	75%	75%	68%
	Count	62	24	12	6	3	3	13
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	4%	3%	5%	10%	0%	25%	0%
	Count	4	1	1	1	0	1	0

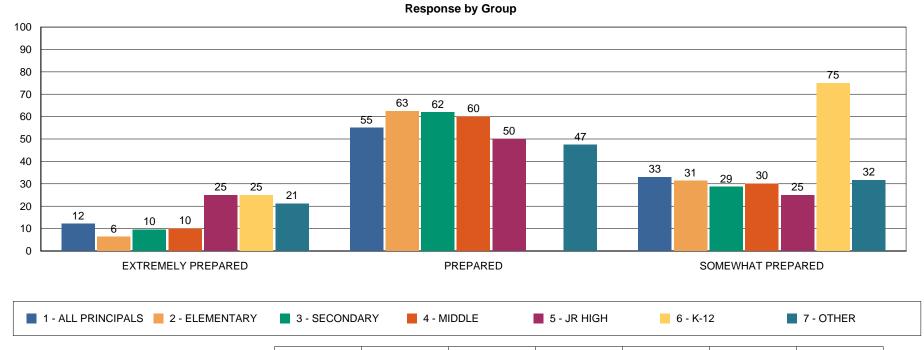
Q6 Mean 3.2	3 3.19	3.33	3.20	3.25	2.75	3.32
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7 Implementing best practices in instruction



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	13%	6%	19%	20%	25%	0%	16%
	Count	12	2	4	2	1	0	3
PREPARED	Percentage	64%	72%	43%	70%	50%	50%	74%
	Count	58	23	9	7	2	2	14
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	22%	22%	38%	10%	25%	25%	11%
	Count	20	7	8	1	1	1	2
UNPREPARED	Percentage	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	25%	0%
	Count	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Q7	Mean	2.89	2.84	2.81	3.10	3.00	2.25	3.05

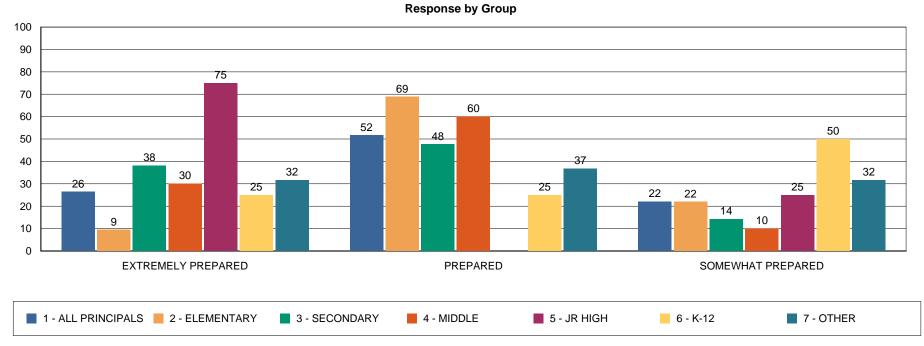
8 Integrating diversity into curriculum and instruction



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	12%	6%	10%	10%	25%	25%	21%
	Count	11	2	2	1	1	1	4
PREPARED	Percentage	55%	63%	62%	60%	50%	0%	47%
	Count	50	20	13	6	2	0	9
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	33%	31%	29%	30%	25%	75%	32%
	Count	30	10	6	3	1	3	6

Q8 Mean 2	2.79 2.75	2.81	2.80	3.00	2.50	2.89
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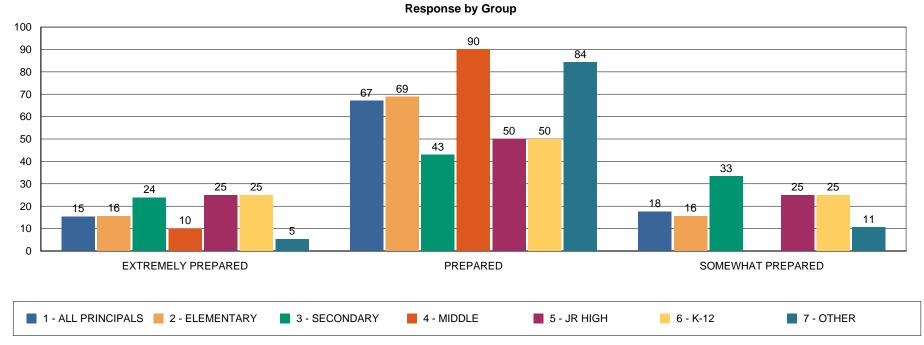
9 Incorporating technology into the classroom to enhance learning



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	26%	9%	38%	30%	75%	25%	32%
	Count	24	3	8	3	3	1	6
PREPARED	Percentage	52%	69%	48%	60%	0%	25%	37%
	Count	47	22	10	6	0	1	7
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	22%	22%	14%	10%	25%	50%	32%
	Count	20	7	3	1	1	2	6

Q9	Mean	3.04	2.88	3.24	3.20	3.50	2.75	3.00
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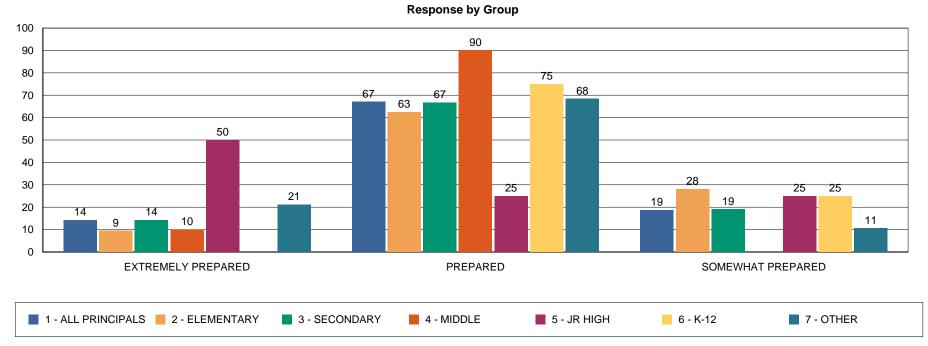
10 Using assessment to improve instructional practices



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	15%	16%	24%	10%	25%	25%	5%
	Count	14	5	5	1	1	1	1
PREPARED	Percentage	67%	69%	43%	90%	50%	50%	84%
	Count	61	22	9	9	2	2	16
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	18%	16%	33%	0%	25%	25%	11%
	Count	16	5	7	0	1	1	2

Q10 Mean 2.98 3.00	.90 3.10 3.00 3.00 2.95
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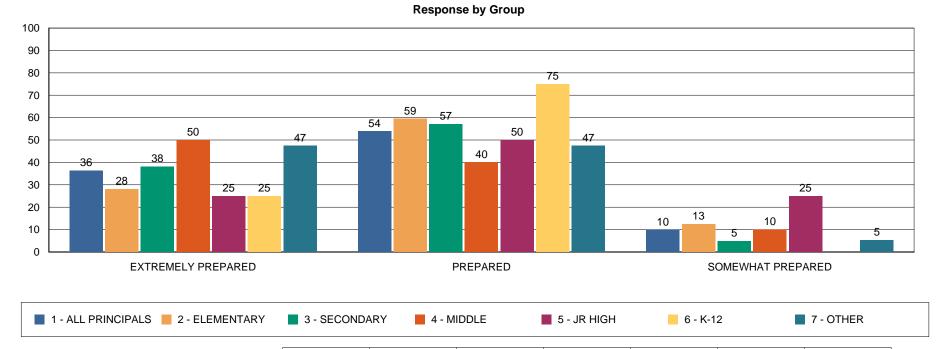
1 1 Appraising teaching methods to ensure alignment to curriculum



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	14%	9%	14%	10%	50%	0%	21%
	Count	13	3	3	1	2	0	4
PREPARED	Percentage	67%	63%	67%	90%	25%	75%	68%
	Count	61	20	14	9	1	3	13
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	19%	28%	19%	0%	25%	25%	11%
	Count	17	9	4	0	1	1	2

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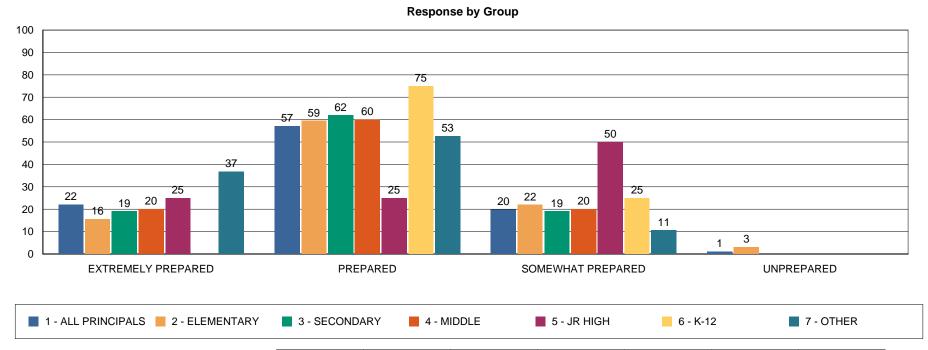
12 Providing clear feedback to subordinates without offending or patronizing people



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	36%	28%	38%	50%	25%	25%	47%
	Count	33	9	8	5	1	1	9
PREPARED	Percentage	54%	59%	57%	40%	50%	75%	47%
	Count	49	19	12	4	2	3	9
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	10%	13%	5%	10%	25%	0%	5%
	Count	9	4	1	1	1	0	1

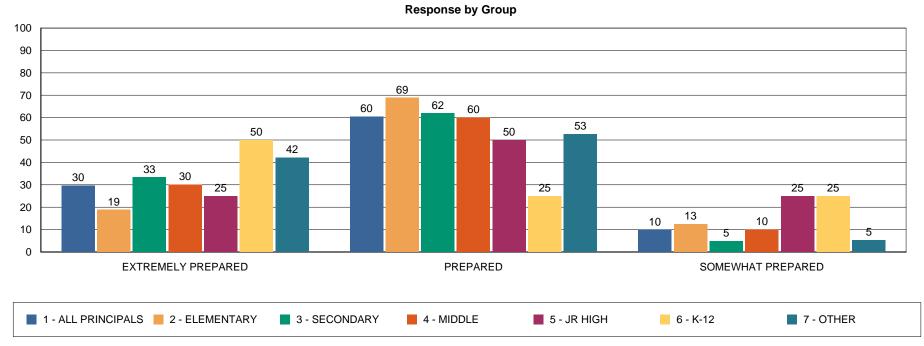
Q12	Mean	3.26	3.16	3.33	3.40	3.00	3.25	3.42
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13 Reporting assessment and evaluation findings



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	22%	16%	19%	20%	25%	0%	37%
	Count	20	5	4	2	1	0	7
PREPARED	Percentage	57%	59%	62%	60%	25%	75%	53%
	Count	52	19	13	6	1	3	10
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	20%	22%	19%	20%	50%	25%	11%
	Count	18	7	4	2	2	1	2
UNPREPARED	Percentage	1%	3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Count	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Q13	Mean	3.00	2.88	3.00	3.00	2.75	2.75	3.26

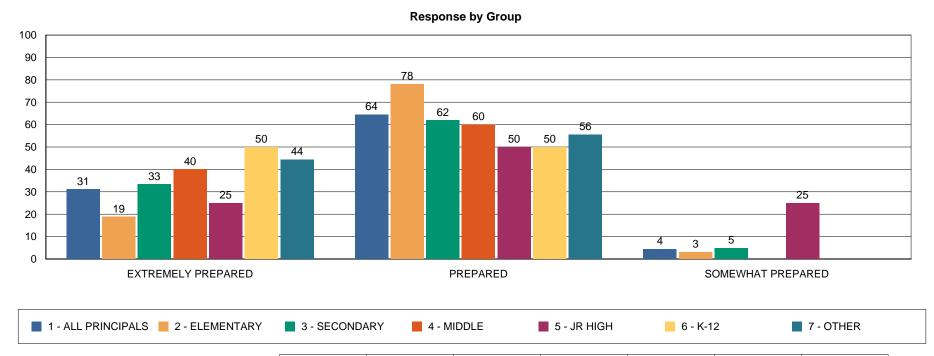
14 Understanding and implementing organizational change



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	30%	19%	33%	30%	25%	50%	42%
	Count	27	6	7	3	1	2	8
PREPARED	Percentage	60%	69%	62%	60%	50%	25%	53%
	Count	55	22	13	6	2	1	10
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	10%	13%	5%	10%	25%	25%	5%
	Count	9	4	1	1	1	1	1

Q14 Mean 3.20 3.06 3.29 3.20 3.00	3.25 3.3	.37
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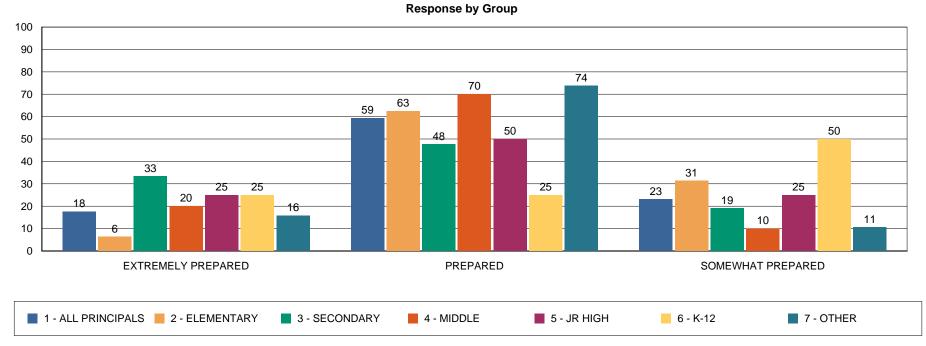
15 Goal-setting



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	31%	19%	33%	40%	25%	50%	44%
	Count	28	6	7	4	1	2	8
PREPARED	Percentage	64%	78%	62%	60%	50%	50%	56%
	Count	58	25	13	6	2	2	10
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	4%	3%	5%	0%	25%	0%	0%
	Count	4	1	1	0	1	0	0

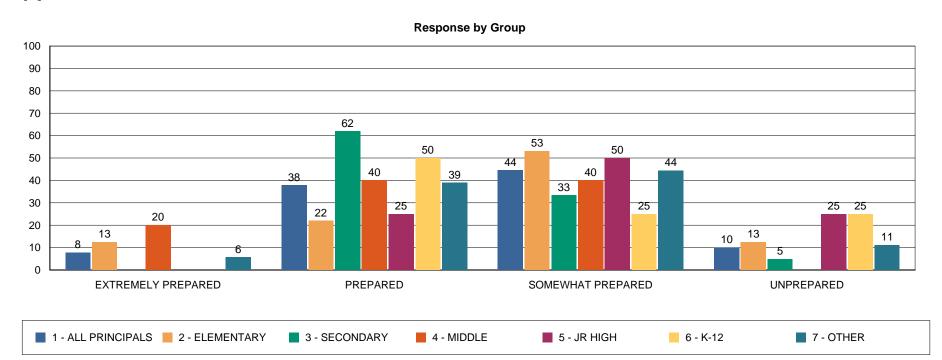
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16 Strategic planning



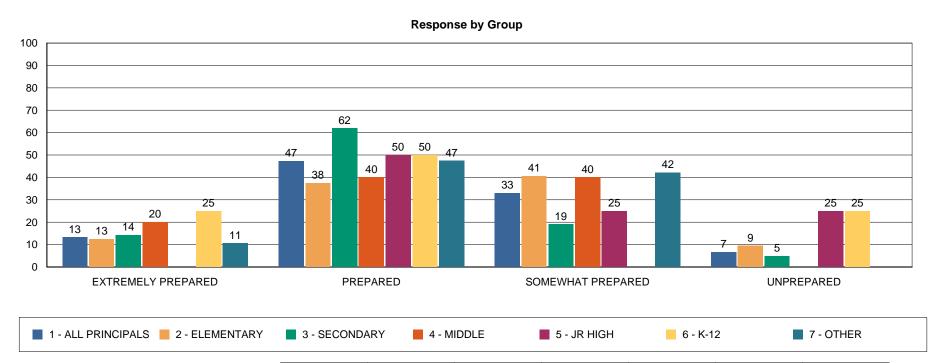
		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	18%	6%	33%	20%	25%	25%	16%
	Count	16	2	7	2	1	1	3
PREPARED	Percentage	59%	63%	48%	70%	50%	25%	74%
	Count	54	20	10	7	2	1	14
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	23%	31%	19%	10%	25%	50%	11%
	Count	21	10	4	1	1	2	2

17 Creating a budget



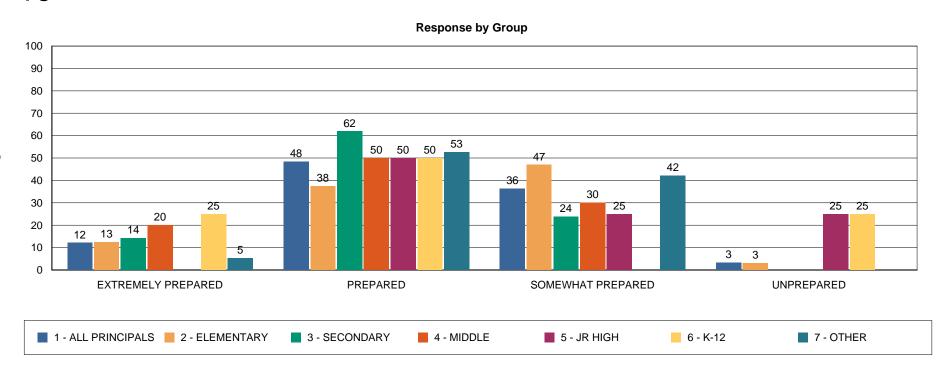
		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	8%	13%	0%	20%	0%	0%	6%
	Count	7	4	0	2	0	0	1
PREPARED	Percentage	38%	22%	62%	40%	25%	50%	39%
	Count	34	7	13	4	1	2	7
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	44%	53%	33%	40%	50%	25%	44%
	Count	40	17	7	4	2	1	8
UNPREPARED	Percentage	10%	13%	5%	0%	25%	25%	11%
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Q17	Mean	2.43	2.34	2.57	2.80	2.00	2.25	2.39

18 Implementing a budget



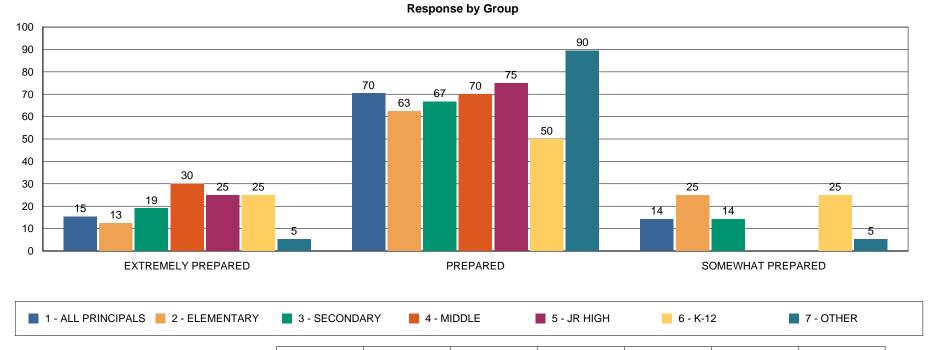
		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	13%	13%	14%	20%	0%	25%	11%
	Count	12	4	3	2	0	1	2
PREPARED	Percentage	47%	38%	62%	40%	50%	50%	47%
	Count	43	12	13	4	2	2	9
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	33%	41%	19%	40%	25%	0%	42%
	Count	30	13	4	4	1	0	8
UNPREPARED	Percentage	7%	9%	5%	0%	25%	25%	0%
	Count	6	3	1	0	1	1	0
Q18	Mean	2.67	2.53	2.86	2.80	2.25	2.75	2.68

19 Allocating resources



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	12%	13%	14%	20%	0%	25%	5%
	Count	11	4	3	2	0	1	1
PREPARED	Percentage	48%	38%	62%	50%	50%	50%	53%
	Count	44	12	13	5	2	2	10
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	36%	47%	24%	30%	25%	0%	42%
	Count	33	15	5	3	1	0	8
UNPREPARED	Percentage	3%	3%	0%	0%	25%	25%	0%
	Count	3	1	0	0	1	1	0
Q19	Mean	2.69	2.59	2.90	2.90	2.25	2.75	2.63

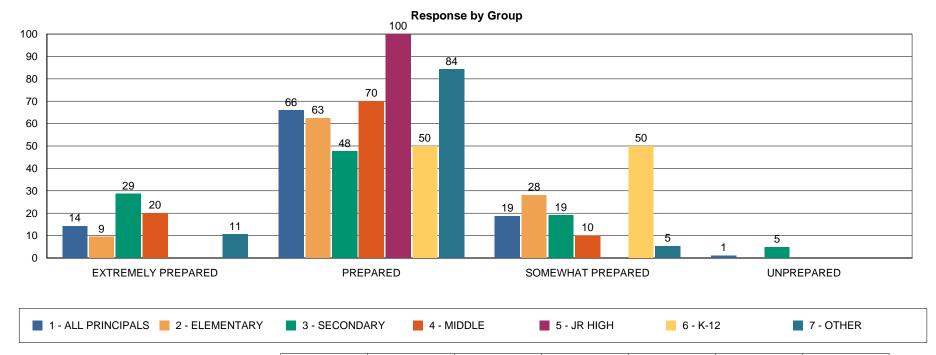
20 Mentoring staff to improve their instruction



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	15%	13%	19%	30%	25%	25%	5%
	Count	14	4	4	3	1	1	1
PREPARED	Percentage	70%	63%	67%	70%	75%	50%	90%
	Count	64	20	14	7	3	2	17
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	14%	25%	14%	0%	0%	25%	5%
	Count	13	8	3	0	0	1	1

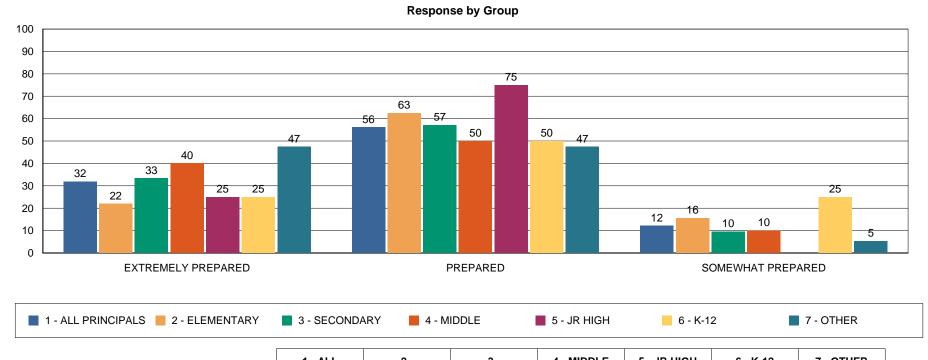
Mean 3.01 2.88 3.05 3.30	.25 3.00 3.00
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21 Implementing best practices in staff development opportunities



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage Count	14% 13	9% 3	29% 6	20%	0% 0	0% 0	11%
PREPARED	Percentage	66%	63%	48%	70%	100%	50%	84%
	Count	60	20	10	7	4	2	16
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	19%	28%	19%	10%	0%	50%	5%
	Count	17	9	4	1	0	2	1
UNPREPARED	Percentage	1%	0%	5%	0%	0%	0%	0%
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Q21	Mean	2.93	2.81	3.00	3.10	3.00	2.50	3.05

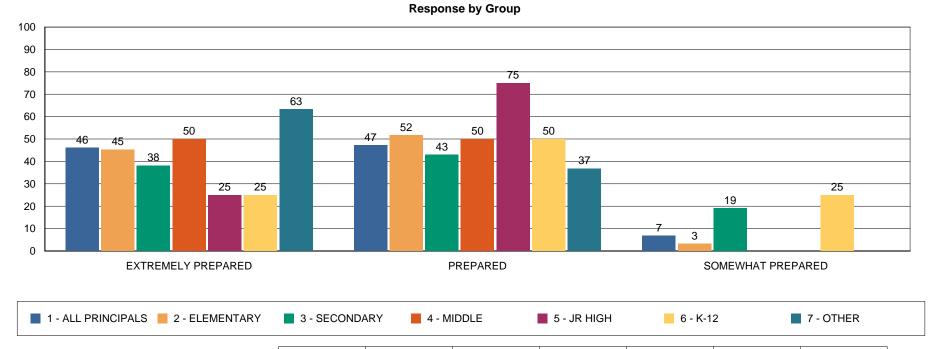
22 Coaching classroom management strategies



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	32%	22%	33%	40%	25%	25%	47%
	Count	29	7	7	4	1	1	9
PREPARED	Percentage	56%	63%	57%	50%	75%	50%	47%
	Count	51	20	12	5	3	2	9
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	12%	16%	10%	10%	0%	25%	5%
	Count	11	5	2	1	0	1	1

Q22	Mean	3.20	3.06	3.24	3.30	3.25	3.00	3.42
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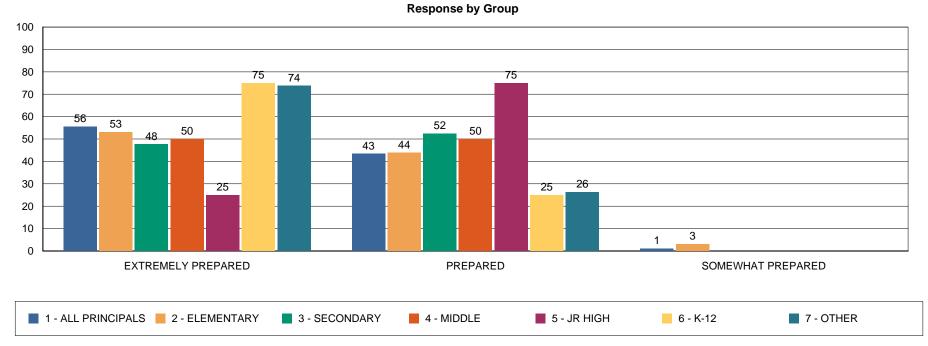
23 Recognizing and celebrating the professional accomplishments of faculty/staff



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	46%	45%	38%	50%	25%	25%	63%
	Count	41	14	8	5	1	1	12
PREPARED	Percentage	47%	52%	43%	50%	75%	50%	37%
	Count	42	16	9	5	3	2	7
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	7%	3%	19%	0%	0%	25%	0%
	Count	6	1	4	0	0	1	0

Q23	Mean	3.39	3.42	3.19	3.50	3.25	3.00	3.63
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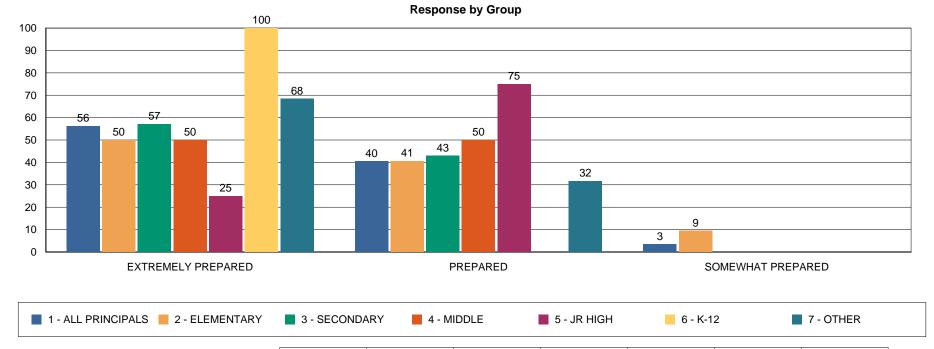
24 Promoting a culture of respect within the school



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	56%	53%	48%	50%	25%	75%	74%
	Count	50	17	10	5	1	3	14
PREPARED	Percentage	43%	44%	52%	50%	75%	25%	26%
	Count	39	14	11	5	3	1	5
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	1%	3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Count	1	1	0	0	0	0	0

Q24	Mean	3.54	3.50	3.48	3.50	3.25	3.75	3.74
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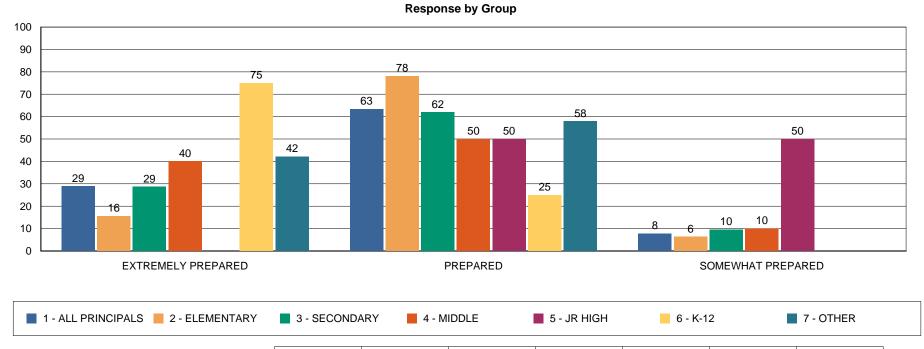
25 Communicating effectively with teachers, counselors, deans and other administrators



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	56%	50%	57%	50%	25%	100%	68%
	Count	50	16	12	5	1	3	13
PREPARED	Percentage	40%	41%	43%	50%	75%	0%	32%
	Count	36	13	9	5	3	0	6
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	3%	9%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Count	3	3	0	0	0	0	0

Q25 Mean 3.53 3.41 3.57 3.50 3.25	4.00 3.68
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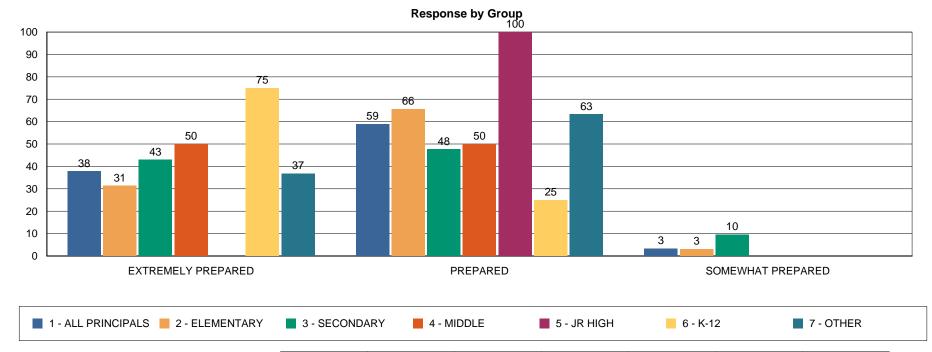
26 Negotiating school conflicts



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	29%	16%	29%	40%	0%	75%	42%
	Count	26	5	6	4	0	3	8
PREPARED	Percentage	63%	78%	62%	50%	50%	25%	58%
	Count	57	25	13	5	2	1	11
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	8%	6%	10%	10%	50%	0%	0%
	Count	7	2	2	1	2	0	0

Q26 Mean 3.21 3.09 3.19 3.30	2.50 3.75	3.42
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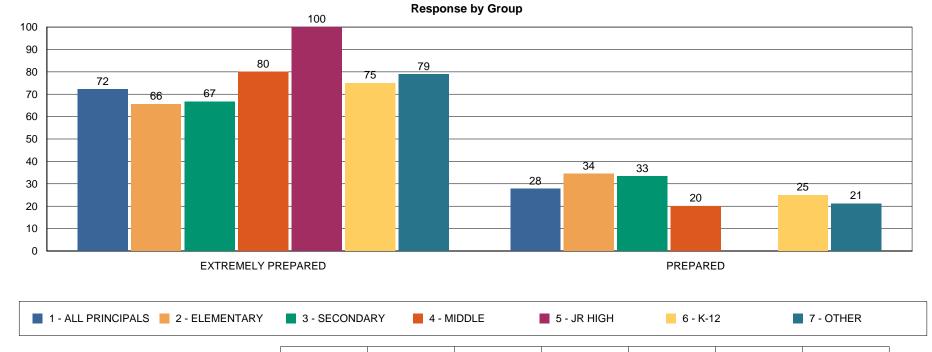
27 Using collaboration to make decisions



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	38%	31%	43%	50%	0%	75%	37%
	Count	34	10	9	5	0	3	7
PREPARED	Percentage	59%	66%	48%	50%	100%	25%	63%
	Count	53	21	10	5	4	1	12
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	3%	3%	10%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Count	3	1	2	0	0	0	0

Q27 Mean	3.34	3.28	3.33	3.50	3.00	3.75	3.37
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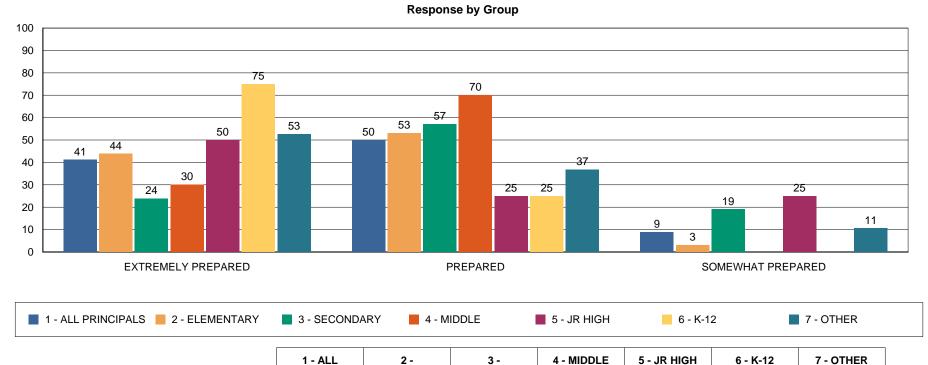
$28\,$ Maintaining an open-door policy



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	72%	66%	67%	80%	100%	75%	79%
	Count	65	21	14	8	4	3	15
PREPARED	Percentage	28%	34%	33%	20%	0%	25%	21%
	Count	25	11	7	2	0	1	4

Q28 Mean 3.72 3.66	3.67 3.80	4.00 3.75	3.79
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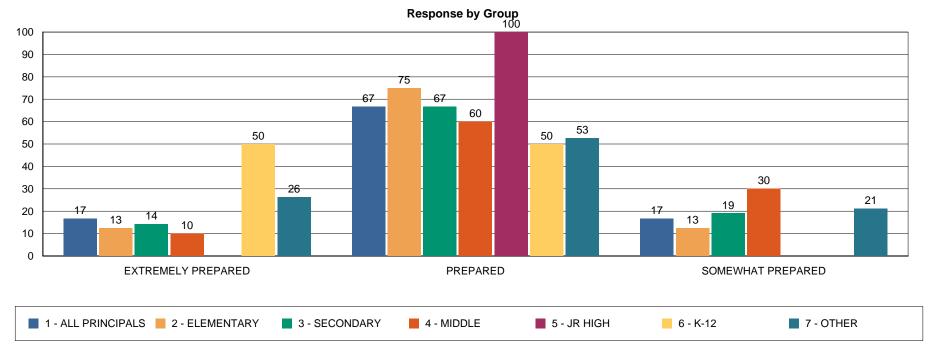
29 Providing timely feedback to all stakeholders



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	41%	44%	24%	30%	50%	75%	53%
	Count	37	14	5	3	2	3	10
PREPARED	Percentage	50%	53%	57%	70%	25%	25%	37%
	Count	45	17	12	7	1	1	7
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	9%	3%	19%	0%	25%	0%	11%
	Count	8	1	4	0	1	0	2

Q29 Mean 3.32 3.41 3.05 3.30 3.25	3.75 3.42
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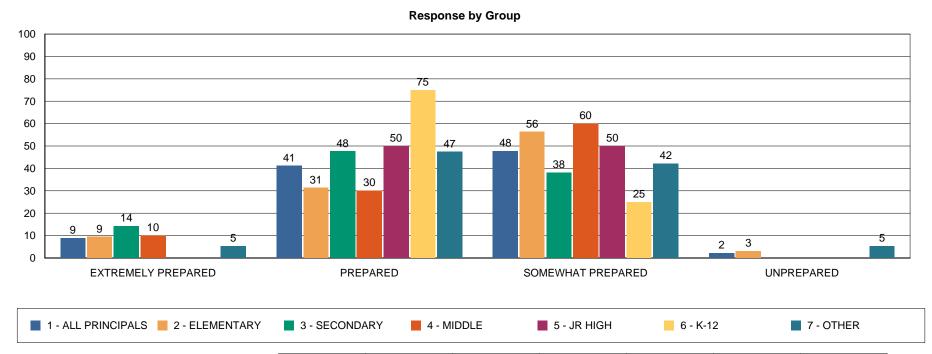
30 Engaging parents to promote achievement



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	17%	13%	14%	10%	0%	50%	26%
	Count	15	4	3	1	0	2	5
PREPARED	Percentage	67%	75%	67%	60%	100%	50%	53%
	Count	60	24	14	6	4	2	10
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	17%	13%	19%	30%	0%	0%	21%
	Count	15	4	4	3	0	0	4

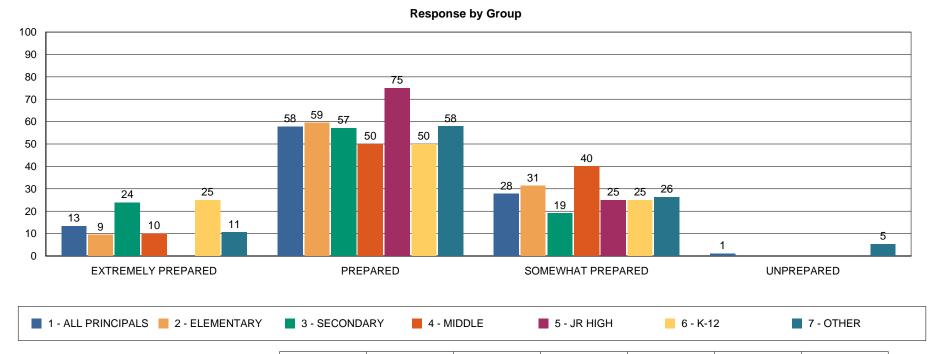
Q30 Mean 3.0	3.00	2.95	2.80	3.00	3.50	3.05
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31 Partnering with the civic and business community to enhance education



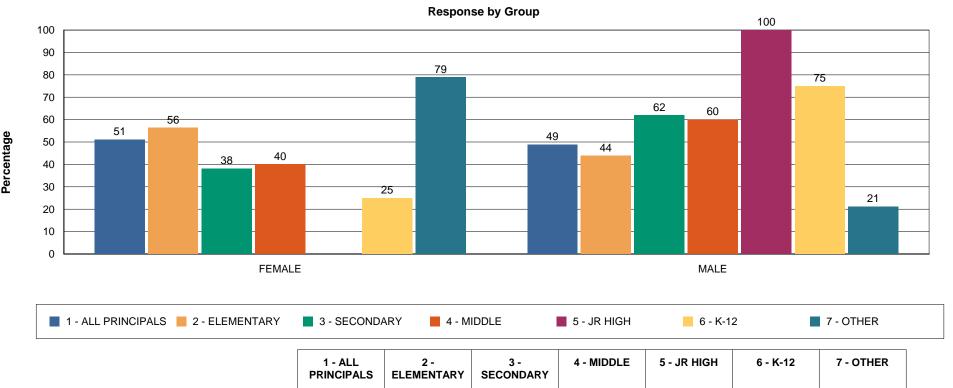
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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	9%	9%	14%	10%	0%	0%	5%
	Count	8	3	3	1	0	0	1
PREPARED	Percentage	41%	31%	48%	30%	50%	75%	47%
	Count	37	10	10	3	2	3	9
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	48%	56%	38%	60%	50%	25%	42%
	Count	43	18	8	6	2	1	8
UNPREPARED	Percentage	2%	3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	5%
	Count	2	1	0	0	0	0	1
Q31	Mean	2.57	2.47	2.76	2.50	2.50	2.75	2.53

32 Engaging the community in support of the school



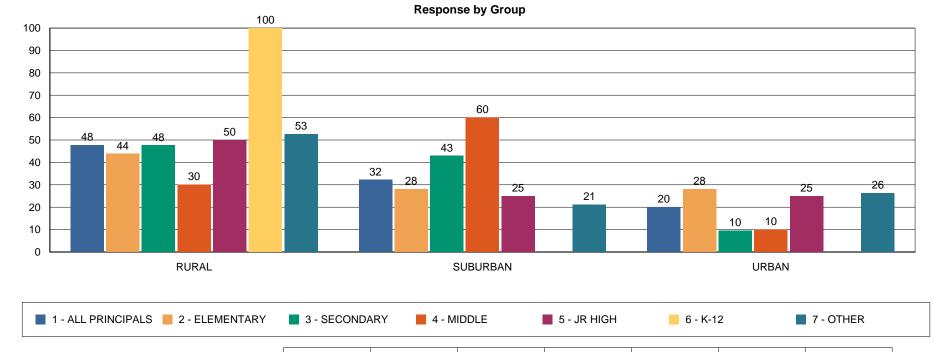
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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	13%	9%	24%	10%	0%	25%	11%
	Count	12	3	5	1	0	1	2
PREPARED	Percentage	58%	59%	57%	50%	75%	50%	58%
	Count	52	19	12	5	3	2	11
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	28%	31%	19%	40%	25%	25%	26%
	Count	25	10	4	4	1	1	5
UNPREPARED	Percentage	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	5%
	Count	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Q32	Mean	2.83	2.78	3.05	2.70	2.75	3.00	2.74

34 Please identify your gender:



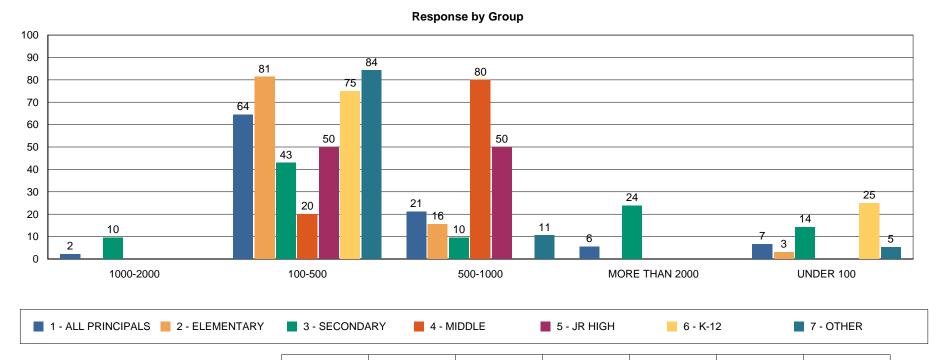
		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
FEMALE	Percentage	51%	56%	38%	40%	0%	25%	79%
	Count	46	18	8	4	0	1	15
MALE	Percentage	49%	44%	62%	60%	100%	75%	21%
	Count	44	14	13	6	4	3	4

35 Please indicate the school setting that most closely fits your school:



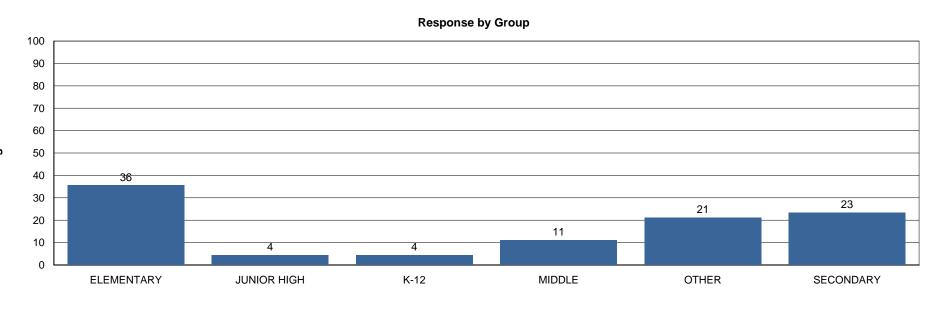
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RURAL	Percentage	48%	44%	48%	30%	50%	100%	53%
	Count	43	14	10	3	2	4	10
SUBURBAN	Percentage	32%	28%	43%	60%	25%	0%	21%
	Count	29	9	9	6	1	0	4
URBAN	Percentage	20%	28%	10%	10%	25%	0%	26%
	Count	18	9	2	1	1	0	5

36 Please indicate the size of the student population at your school:



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
1000-2000	Percentage	2%	0%	10%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Count	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
100-500	Percentage	64%	81%	43%	20%	50%	75%	84%
	Count	58	26	9	2	2	3	16
500-1000	Percentage	21%	16%	10%	80%	50%	0%	11%
	Count	19	5	2	8	2	0	2
MORE THAN 2000	Percentage	6%	0%	24%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Count	5	0	5	0	0	0	0
UNDER 100	Percentage	7%	3%	14%	0%	0%	25%	5%
	Count	6	1	3	0	0	1	1

37 Please identify the level of your school:

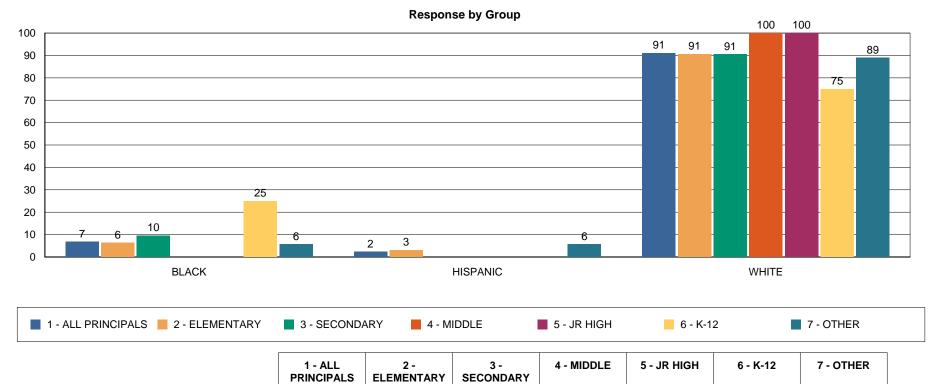


1 - ALL PRINCIPALS

		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS
ELEMENTARY	Percentage Count	36% 32
JUNIOR HIGH	Percentage Count	4% 4
K-12	Percentage Count	4% 4
MIDDLE	Percentage Count	11% 10
OTHER	Percentage Count	21% 19

		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS
SECONDARY	Percentage Count	23% 21

38 Please indicate your race/ethnicity:



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - ELEMENTARY	3 - SECONDARY	4 - MIDDLE	5 - JR HIGH	6 - K-12	7 - OTHER
BLACK	Percentage	7%	6%	10%	0%	0%	25%	6%
	Count	6	2	2	0	0	1	1
HISPANIC	Percentage	2%	3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	6%
	Count	2	1	0	0	0	0	1
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1 Implementing best practices of supervision

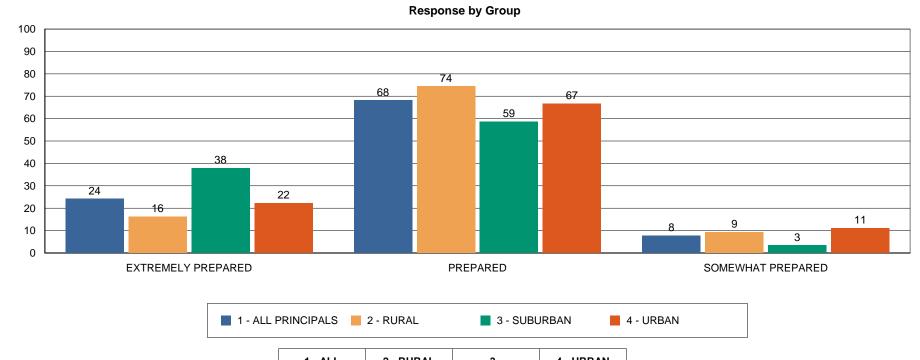
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		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	14%	12%	17%	17%
	Count	13	5	5	3
PREPARED	Percentage	81%	86%	72%	83%
	Count	74	37	21	15
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	4%	2%	10%	0%
	Count	4	1	3	0

Mean	3.10	3.09	3.07	3.17
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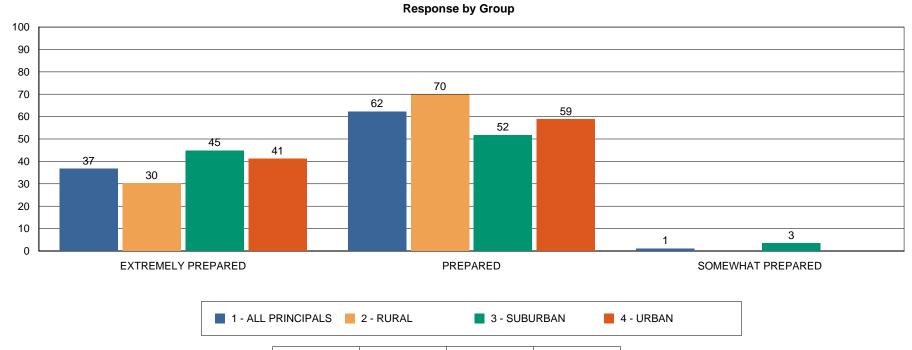
2 Facilitating teamwork at all levels of the organization



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	24%	16%	38%	22%
	Count	22	7	11	4
PREPARED	Percentage	68%	74%	59%	67%
	Count	62	32	17	12
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	8%	9%	3%	11%
	Count	7	4	1	2

2 Mean	3.16	3.07	3.34	3.11
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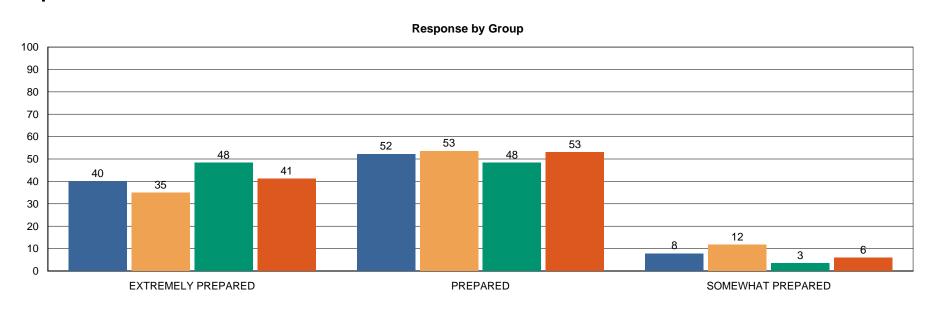
 ${\bf 3}$ Maintaining high expectations for teacher and student performance



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	37%	30%	45%	41%
	Count	33	13	13	7
PREPARED	Percentage	62%	70%	52%	59%
	Count	56	30	15	10
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	1%	0%	3%	0%
	Count	1	0	1	0

3 Mean	3.36	3.30	3.41	3.41
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4 Engendering faculty/staff trust, confidence and commitment to the school

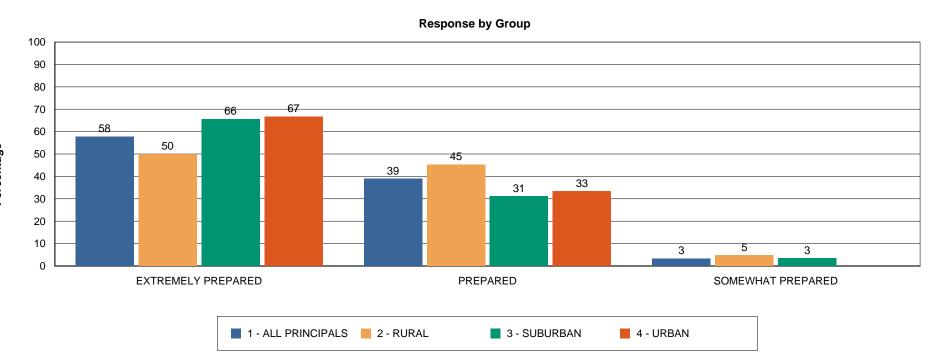


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		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	40%	35%	48%	41%
	Count	36	15	14	7
PREPARED	Percentage	52%	53%	48%	53%
	Count	47	23	14	9
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	8%	12%	3%	6%
	Count	7	5	1	1

Mean	3.32	3.23	3.45	3.35
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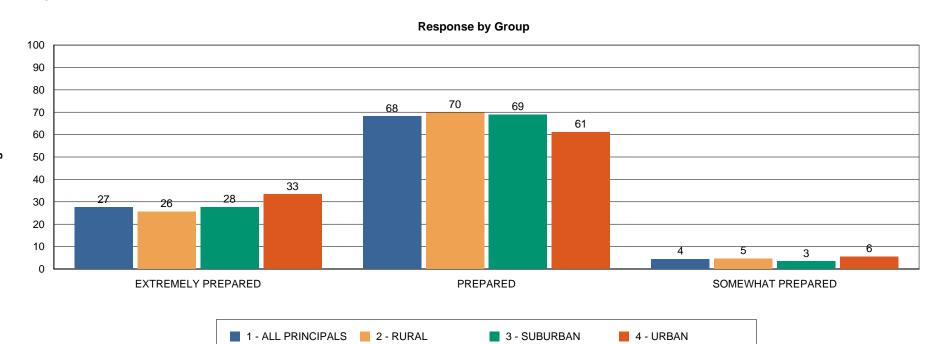
5 Accepting accountability for decisions and actions



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	58%	50%	66%	67%
	Count	52	21	19	12
PREPARED	Percentage	39%	45%	31%	33%
	Count	35	19	9	6
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	3%	5%	3%	0%
	Count	3	2	1	0

Mean	3.54	3.45	3.62	3.67
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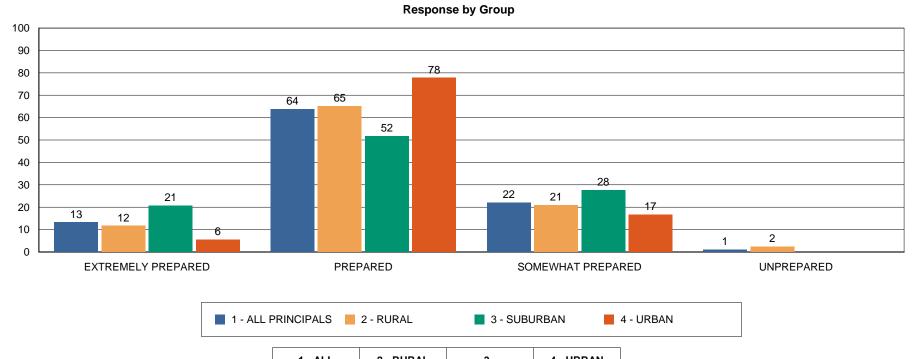
$\mathbf{6}$ Maintaining high academic standards



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	27%	26%	28%	33%
	Count	25	11	8	6
PREPARED	Percentage	68%	70%	69%	61%
	Count	62	30	20	11
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	4%	5%	3%	6%
	Count	4	2	1	1

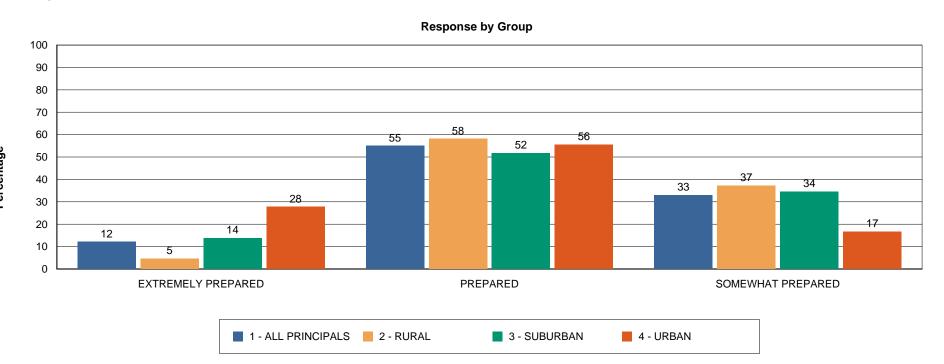
Mean	3.23	3.21	3.24	3.28
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7 Implementing best practices in instruction



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	13%	12%	21%	6%
	Count	12	5	6	1
PREPARED	Percentage	64%	65%	52%	78%
	Count	58	28	15	14
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	22%	21%	28%	17%
	Count	20	9	8	3
UNPREPARED	Percentage	1%	2%	0%	0%
	Count	1	1	0	0
Q7	Mean	2.89	2.86	2.93	2.89

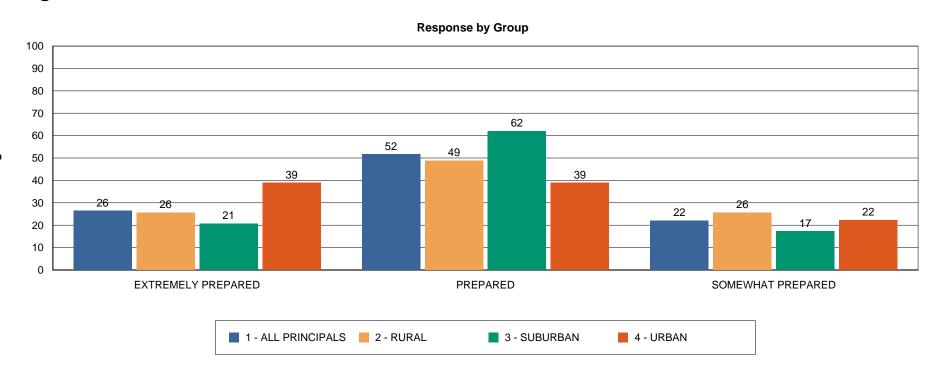
8 Integrating diversity into curriculum and instruction



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	12%	5%	14%	28%
	Count	11	2	4	5
PREPARED	Percentage	55%	58%	52%	56%
	Count	50	25	15	10
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	33%	37%	34%	17%
	Count	30	16	10	3

Q8 Mean	2.79	2.67	2.79	3.11
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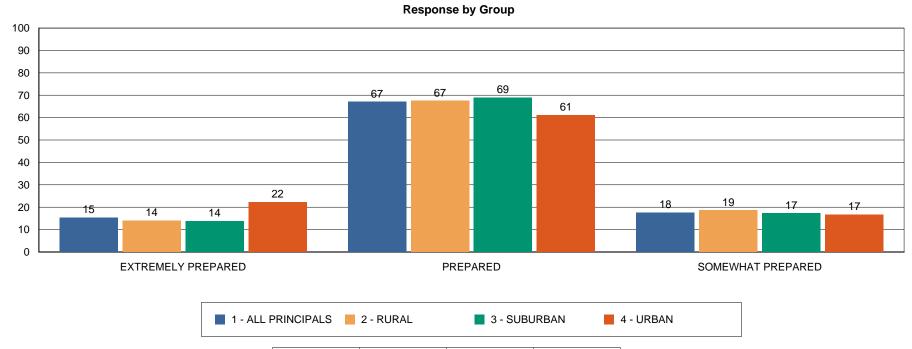
9 Incorporating technology into the classroom to enhance learning



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	26%	26%	21%	39%	
	Count	24	11	6	7	
PREPARED	Percentage	52%	49%	62%	39%	
	Count	47	21	18	7	
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	22%	26%	17%	22%	
	Count	20	11	5	4	

Q9 Mean	3.04	3.00	3.03	3.17
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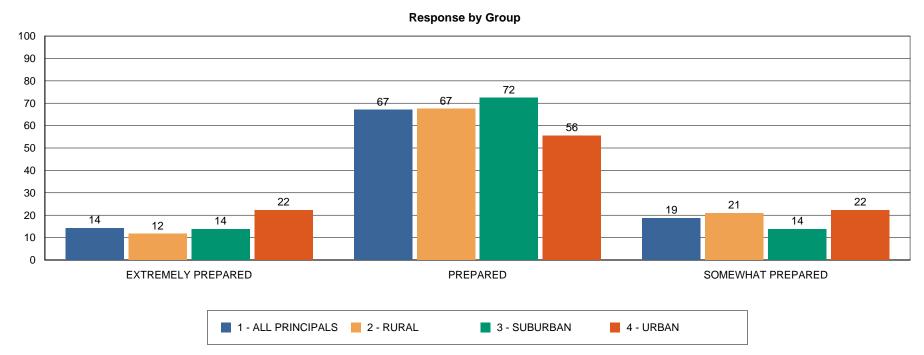
10 Using assessment to improve instructional practices



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	15%	14%	14%	22%
	Count	14	6	4	4
PREPARED	Percentage	67%	67%	69%	61%
	Count	61	29	20	11
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	18%	19%	17%	17%
	Count	16	8	5	3

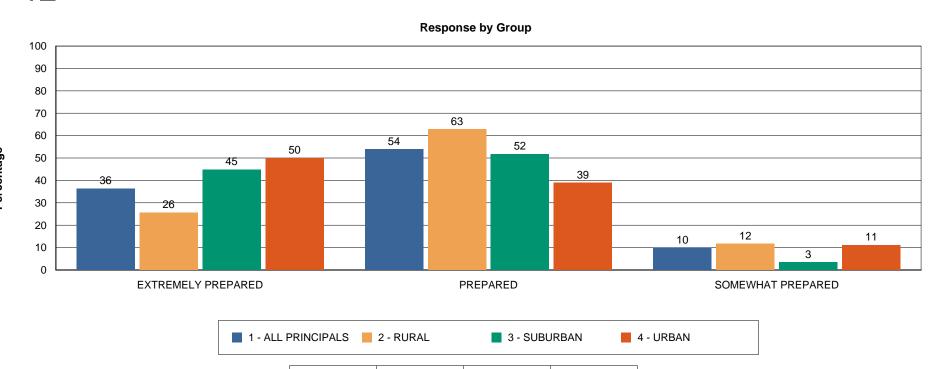
Q10	Mean	2.98	2.95	2.97	3.06
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1 1 Appraising teaching methods to ensure alignment to curriculum



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	14%	12%	14%	22%
	Count	13	5	4	4
PREPARED	Percentage	67%	67%	72%	56%
	Count	61	29	21	10
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	19%	21%	14%	22%
	Count	17	9	4	4

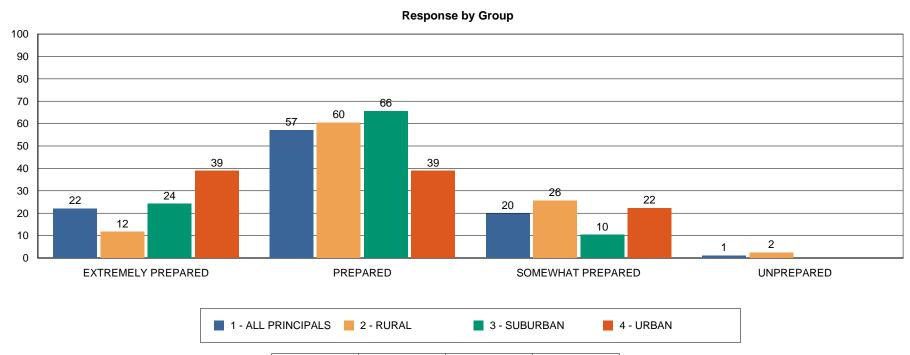
12 Providing clear feedback to subordinates without offending or patronizing people



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	36%	26%	45%	50%
	Count	33	11	13	9
PREPARED	Percentage	54%	63%	52%	39%
	Count	49	27	15	7
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	10%	12%	3%	11%
	Count	9	5	1	2

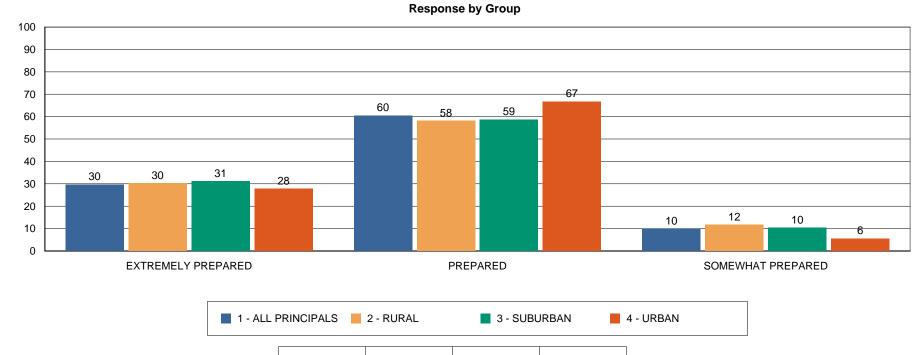
12 Mean	3.26	3.14	3.41	3.39
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13 Reporting assessment and evaluation findings



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	22%	12%	24%	39%
	Count	20	5	7	7
PREPARED	Percentage	57%	60%	66%	39%
	Count	52	26	19	7
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	20%	26%	10%	22%
	Count	18	11	3	4
UNPREPARED	Percentage	1%	2%	0%	0%
	Count	1	1	0	0
Q13	Mean	3.00	2.81	3.14	3.17

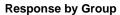
1 4 Understanding and implementing organizational change

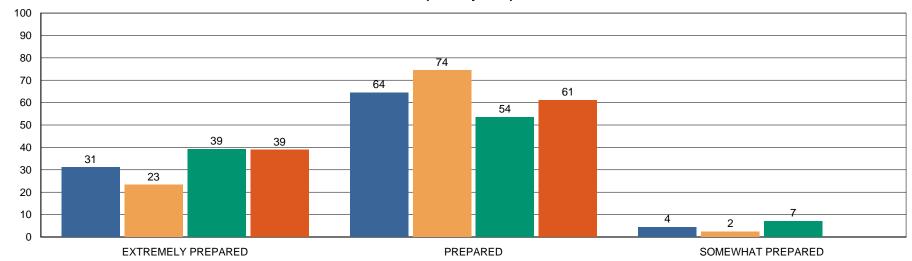


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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	30%	30%	31%	28%
	Count	27	13	9	5
PREPARED	Percentage	60%	58%	59%	67%
	Count	55	25	17	12
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	10%	12%	10%	6%
	Count	9	5	3	1

Q14 I	Mean	3.20	3.19	3.21	3.22
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15 Goal-setting



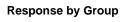


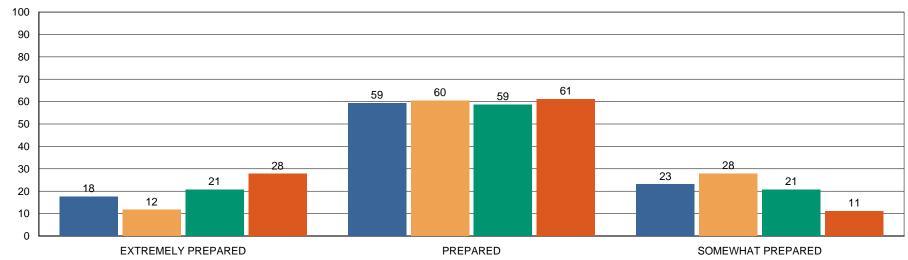
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		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	31%	23%	39%	39%
	Count	28	10	11	7
PREPARED	Percentage	64%	74%	54%	61%
	Count	58	32	15	11
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	4%	2%	7%	0%
	Count	4	1	2	0

Mean	3.27	3.21	3.32	3.39
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16 Strategic planning



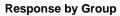


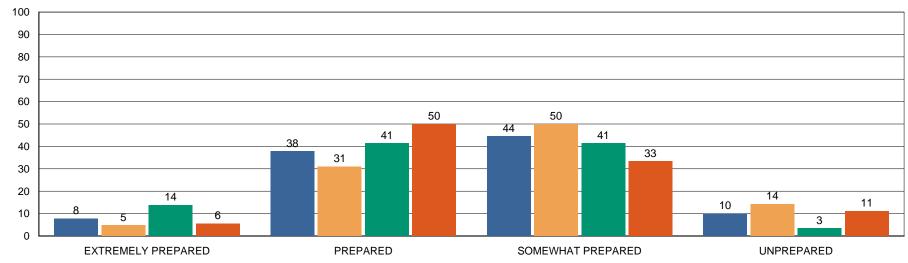
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		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	18%	12%	21%	28%
	Count	16	5	6	5
PREPARED	Percentage	59%	60%	59%	61%
	Count	54	26	17	11
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	23%	28%	21%	11%
	Count	21	12	6	2

Q16 Mean	2.95	2.84	3.00	3.17
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17 Creating a budget

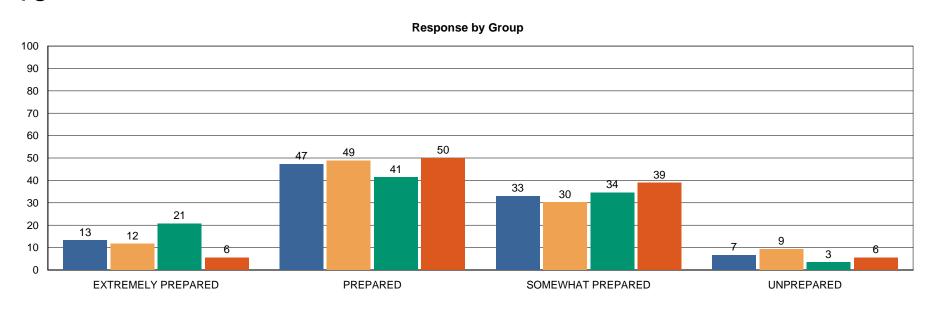




- SUBURBAN 4 - URBAN
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		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	8%	5%	14%	6%
	Count	7	2	4	1
PREPARED	Percentage	38%	31%	41%	50%
	Count	34	13	12	9
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	44%	50%	41%	33%
	Count	40	21	12	6
UNPREPARED	Percentage	10%	14%	3%	11%
	Count	9	6	1	2
Q17	Mean	2.43	2.26	2.66	2.50

18 Implementing a budget



3 - SUBURBAN

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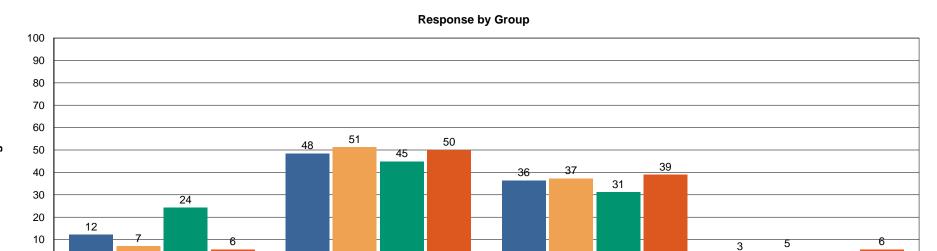
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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	13%	12%	21%	6%
	Count	12	5	6	1
PREPARED	Percentage	47%	49%	41%	50%
	Count	43	21	12	9
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	33%	30%	34%	39%
	Count	30	13	10	7
UNPREPARED	Percentage	7%	9%	3%	6%
	Count	6	4	1	1
Q18	Mean	2.67	2.63	2.79	2.56

1 - ALL PRINCIPALS 2 - RURAL

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19 Allocating resources

EXTREMELY PREPARED



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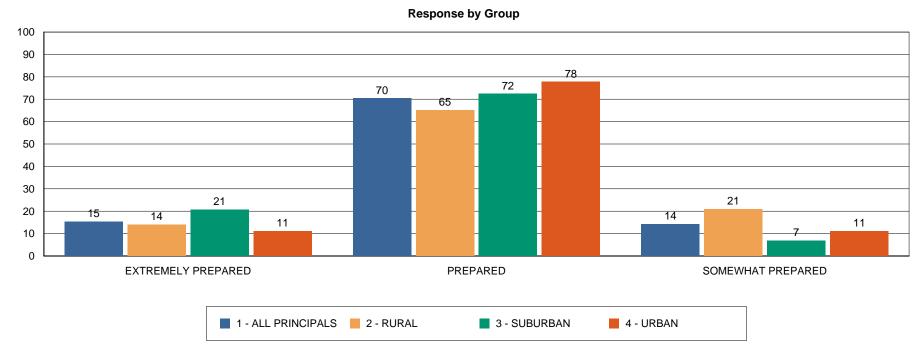
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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	12%	7%	24%	6%
	Count	11	3	7	1
PREPARED	Percentage	48%	51%	45%	50%
	Count	44	22	13	9
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	36%	37%	31%	39%
	Count	33	16	9	7
UNPREPARED	Percentage	3%	5%	0%	6%
	Count	3	2	0	1
Q19	Mean	2.69	2.60	2.93	2.56

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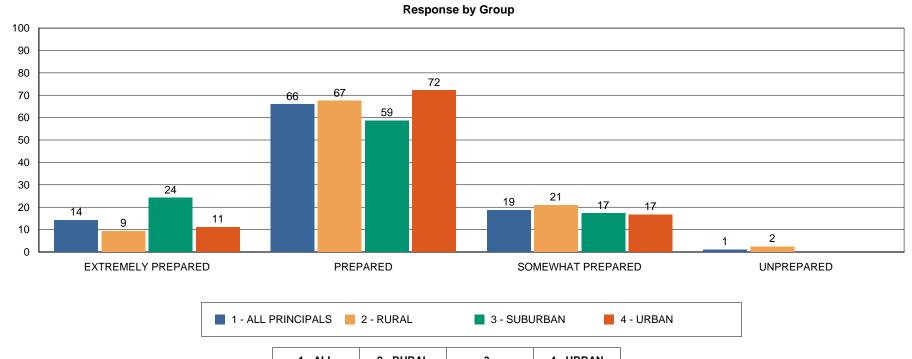
20 Mentoring staff to improve their instruction



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	15%	14%	21%	11%
	Count	14	6	6	2
PREPARED	Percentage	70%	65%	72%	78%
	Count	64	28	21	14
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	14%	21%	7%	11%
	Count	13	9	2	2

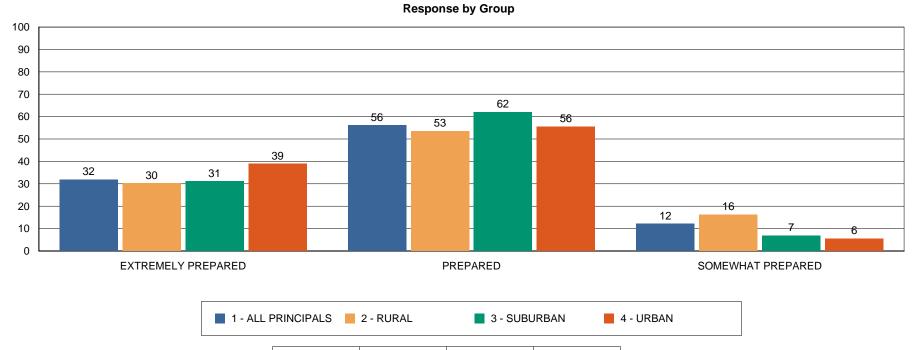
Mean	3.01	2.93	3.14	3.00
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21 Implementing best practices in staff development opportunities



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	14%	9%	24%	11%
	Count	13	4	7	2
PREPARED	Percentage	66%	67%	59%	72%
	Count	60	29	17	13
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	19%	21%	17%	17%
	Count	17	9	5	3
UNPREPARED	Percentage	1%	2%	0%	0%
	Count	1	1	0	0
Q21	Mean	2.93	2.84	3.07	2.94

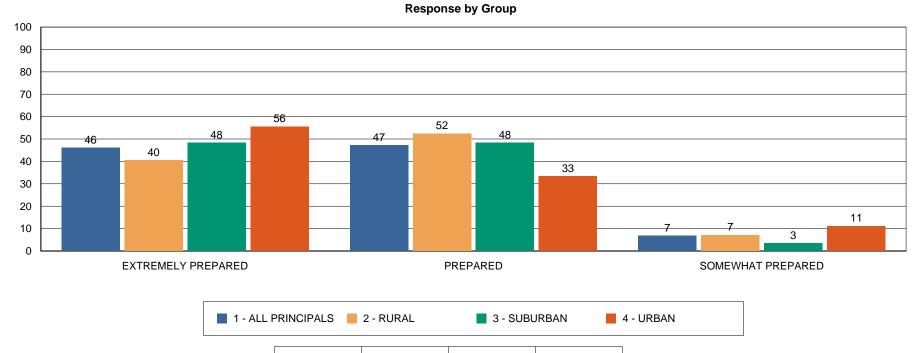
22 Coaching classroom management strategies



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	32%	30%	31%	39%
	Count	29	13	9	7
PREPARED	Percentage	56%	53%	62%	56%
	Count	51	23	18	10
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	12%	16%	7%	6%
	Count	11	7	2	1

Q22 Mear	3.20	3.14	3.24	3.33
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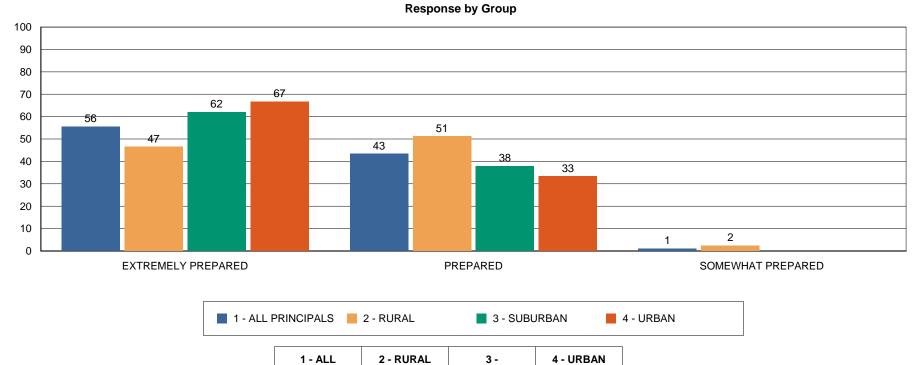
23 Recognizing and celebrating the professional accomplishments of faculty/staff



		1 - ALL	2 - RURAL	3 -	4 - URBAN
		PRINCIPALS		SUBURBAN	
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	46%	40%	48%	56%
	Count	41	17	14	10
PREPARED	Percentage	47%	52%	48%	33%
	Count	42	22	14	6
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	7%	7%	3%	11%
	Count	6	3	1	2

3 Mean	3.39	3.33	3.45	3.44
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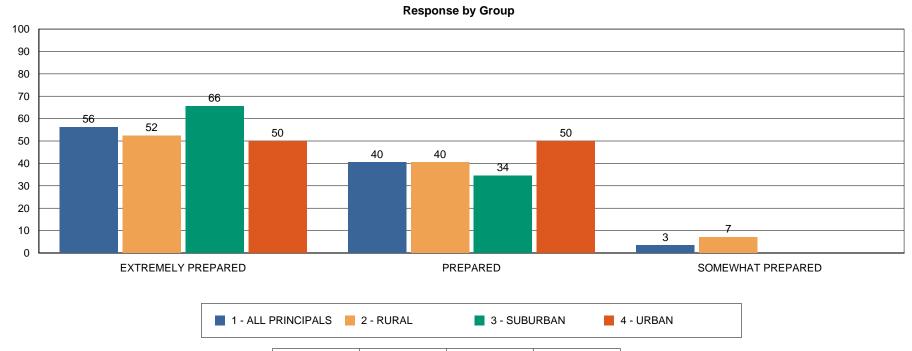
24 Promoting a culture of respect within the school



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	56%	47%	62%	67%
	Count	50	20	18	12
PREPARED	Percentage	43%	51%	38%	33%
	Count	39	22	11	6
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	1%	2%	0%	0%
	Count	1	1	0	0

24 Mea	n 3.54	3.44	3.62	3.67
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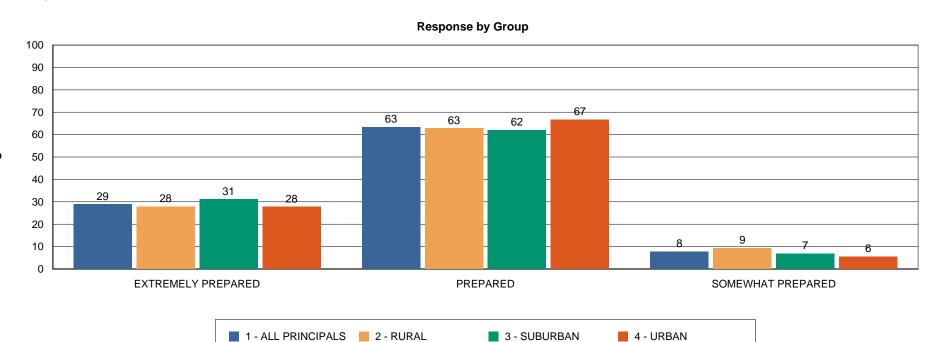
25 Communicating effectively with teachers, counselors, deans and other administrators



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	56%	52%	66%	50%
	Count	50	22	19	9
PREPARED	Percentage	40%	40%	34%	50%
	Count	36	17	10	9
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	3%	7%	0%	0%
	Count	3	3	0	0

25 Mean	3.53	3.45	3.66	3.50
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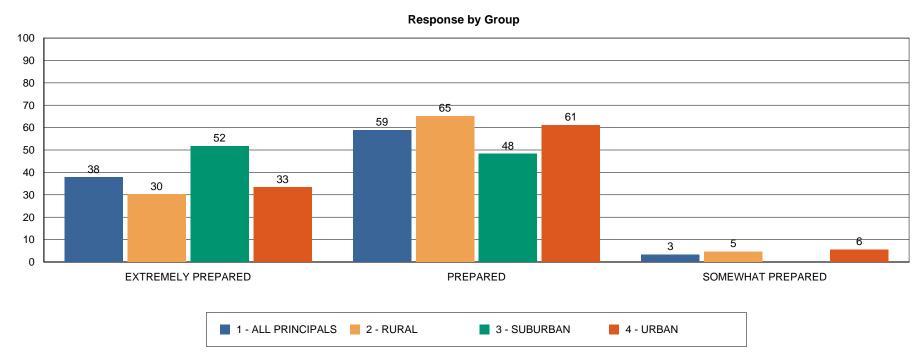
26 Negotiating school conflicts



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	29%	28%	31%	28%
	Count	26	12	9	5
PREPARED	Percentage	63%	63%	62%	67%
	Count	57	27	18	12
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	8%	9%	7%	6%
	Count	7	4	2	1

Mean	3.21	3.19	3.24	3.22
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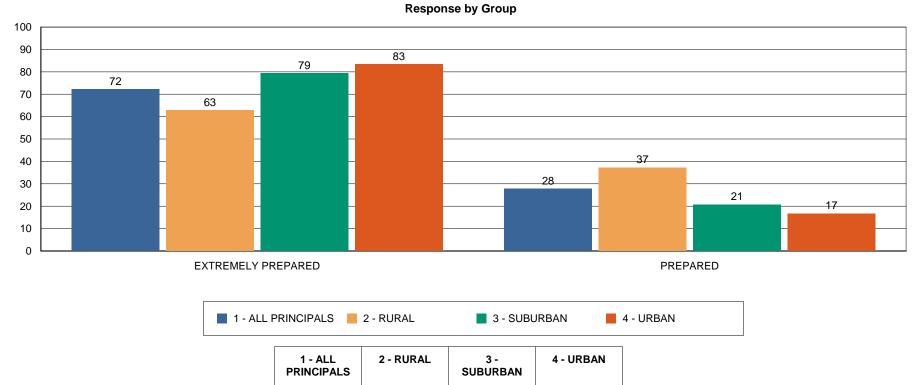
27 Using collaboration to make decisions



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	38%	30%	52%	33%
	Count	34	13	15	6
PREPARED	Percentage	59%	65%	48%	61%
	Count	53	28	14	11
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	3%	5%	0%	6%
	Count	3	2	0	1

Mean	3.34	3.26	3.52	3.28
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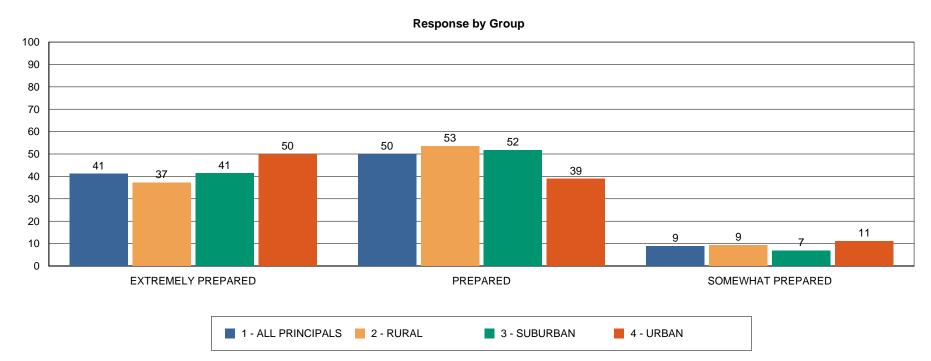
$28\,$ Maintaining an open-door policy



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	72%	63%	79%	83%
	Count	65	27	23	15
PREPARED	Percentage	28%	37%	21%	17%
	Count	25	16	6	3

Q28	Mean	3.72	3.63	3.79	3.83
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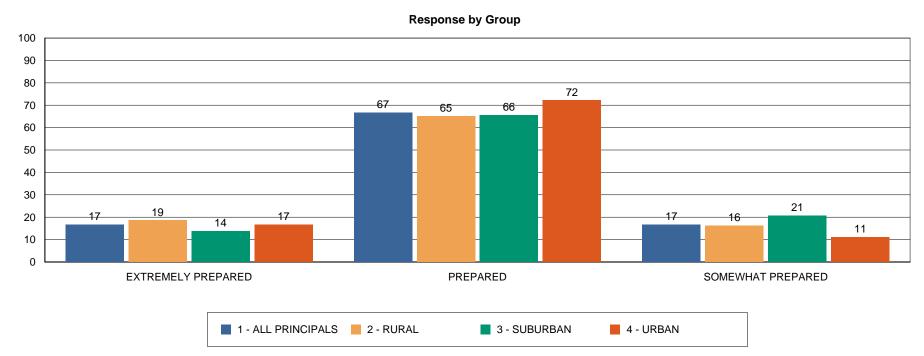
29 Providing timely feedback to all stakeholders



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	41%	37%	41%	50%
	Count	37	16	12	9
PREPARED	Percentage	50%	53%	52%	39%
	Count	45	23	15	7
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	9%	9%	7%	11%
	Count	8	4	2	2

Mean	3.32	3.28	3.34	3.39
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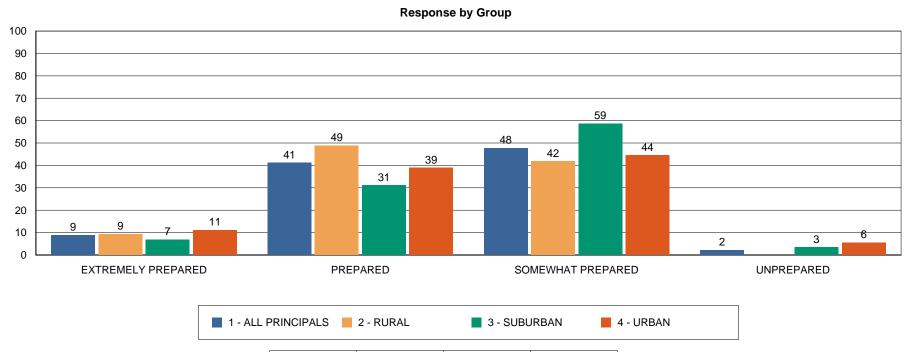
30 Engaging parents to promote achievement



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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	17%	19%	14%	17%
	Count	15	8	4	3
PREPARED	Percentage	67%	65%	66%	72%
	Count	60	28	19	13
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	17%	16%	21%	11%
	Count	15	7	6	2

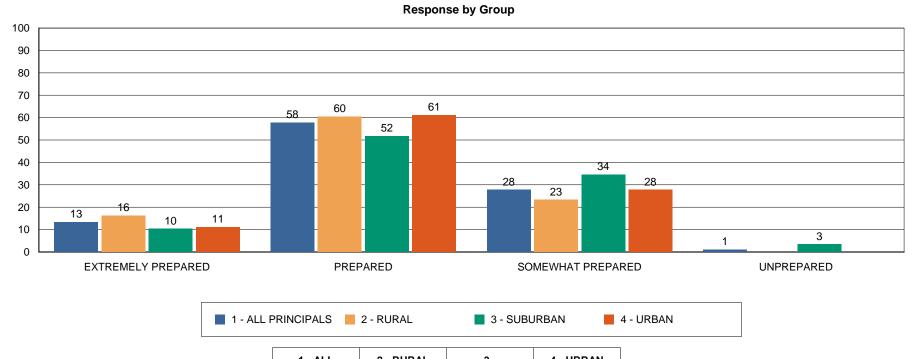
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31 Partnering with the civic and business community to enhance education



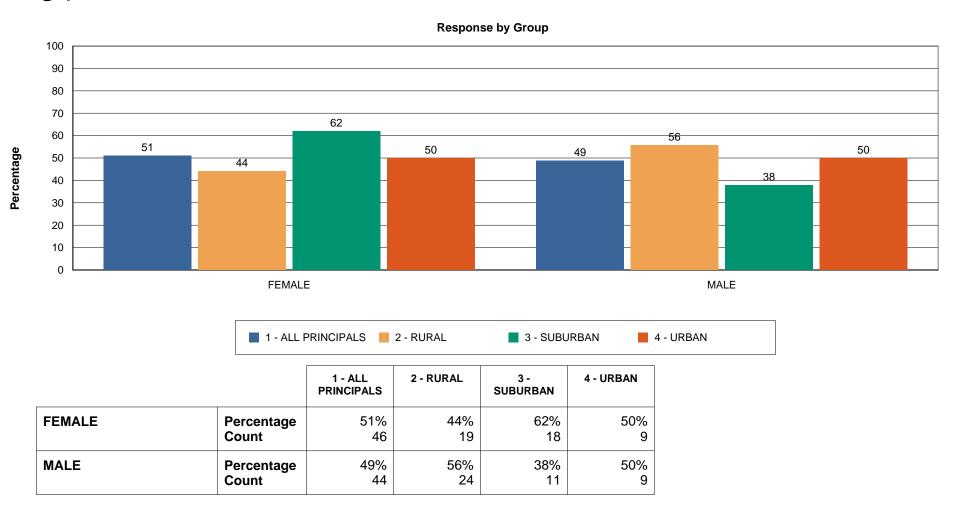
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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	9%	9%	7%	11%
	Count	8	4	2	2
PREPARED	Percentage	41%	49%	31%	39%
	Count	37	21	9	7
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	48%	42%	59%	44%
	Count	43	18	17	8
UNPREPARED	Percentage	2%	0%	3%	6%
	Count	2	0	1	1
Q31	Mean	2.57	2.67	2.41	2.56

32 Engaging the community in support of the school

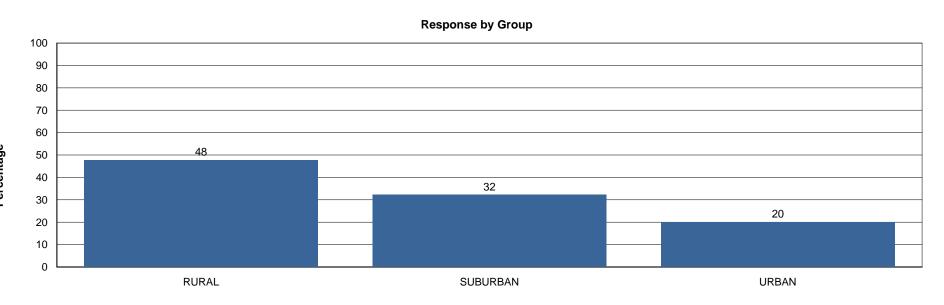


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EXTREMELY PREPARED	Percentage	13%	16%	10%	11%
	Count	12	7	3	2
PREPARED	Percentage	58%	60%	52%	61%
	Count	52	26	15	11
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	Percentage	28%	23%	34%	28%
	Count	25	10	10	5
UNPREPARED	Percentage	1%	0%	3%	0%
	Count	1	0	1	0
Q32	Mean	2.83	2.93	2.69	2.83

34 Please identify your gender:



35 Please indicate the school setting that most closely fits your school:

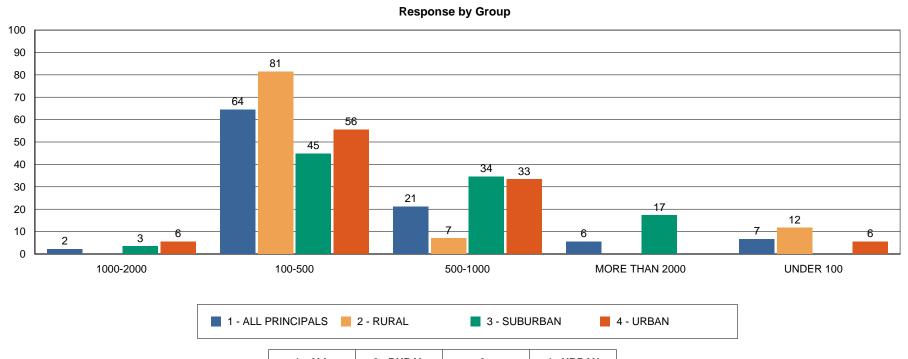


1 - ALL PRINCIPALS

1 - ALL **PRINCIPALS** RURAL Percentage 48% Count 43 **SUBURBAN** Percentage 32% Count 29 **URBAN** Percentage 20% Count 18

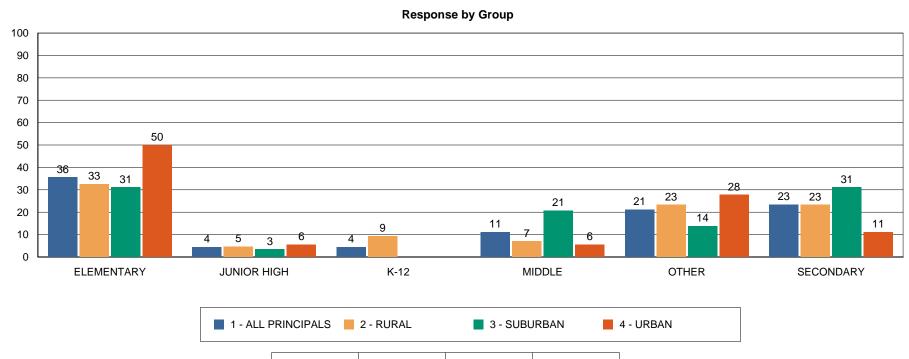
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36 Please indicate the size of the student population at your school:



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
1000-2000	Percentage	2%	0%	3%	6%
	Count	2	0	1	1
100-500	Percentage	64%	81%	45%	56%
	Count	58	35	13	10
500-1000	Percentage	21%	7%	34%	33%
	Count	19	3	10	6
MORE THAN 2000	Percentage	6%	0%	17%	0%
	Count	5	0	5	0
UNDER 100	Percentage	7%	12%	0%	6%
	Count	6	5	0	1

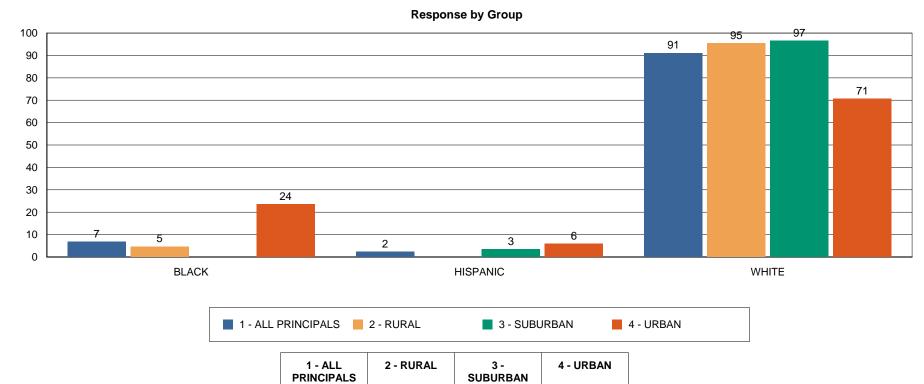
37 Please identify the level of your school:



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
ELEMENTARY	Percentage	36%	33%	31%	50%
	Count	32	14	9	9
JUNIOR HIGH	Percentage	4%	5%	3%	6%
	Count	4	2	1	1
K-12	Percentage	4%	9%	0%	0%
	Count	4	4	0	0
MIDDLE	Percentage	11%	7%	21%	6%
	Count	10	3	6	1
OTHER	Percentage	21%	23%	14%	28%
	Count	19	10	4	5

		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
SECONDARY	Percentage	23%	23%	31%	11%
	Count	21	10	9	2

38 Please indicate your race/ethnicity:



		1 - ALL PRINCIPALS	2 - RURAL	3 - SUBURBAN	4 - URBAN
BLACK	Percentage	7%	5%	0%	24%
	Count	6	2	0	4
HISPANIC	Percentage	2%	0%	3%	6%
	Count	2	0	1	1
WHITE	Percentage	91%	95%	97%	71%
	Count	81	41	28	12