

# Rainy River District School Board

## *Student Demographic Survey – Report Grade 9 to 12*



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# INTRODUCTION

# METHODOLOGY



## Respondents:

Rainy River District School Board Staff

Grades 9-12:

N = 514

Response rate = 55%



## Fieldwork Dates:

April 25 – May 6, 2022



## Methodology:

Online survey

Students completed the online survey during class time

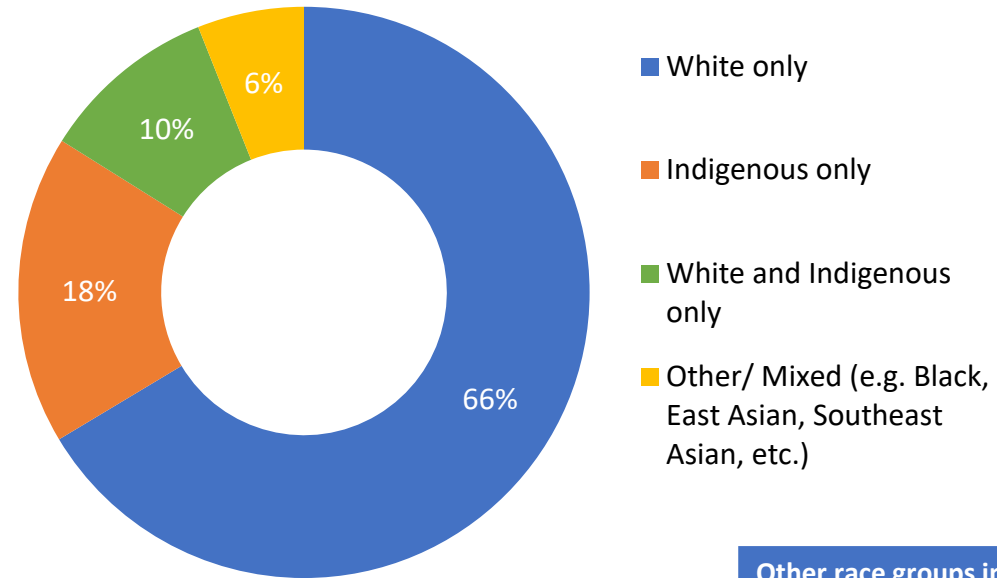


# DETAILED RESULTS



# RACIAL GROUP

Two thirds of students identify as White, whereas a fifth identify as Indigenous



Other race groups include	%
Black	2%
Southeast Asian	1%
East Asian	1%
Other	2%

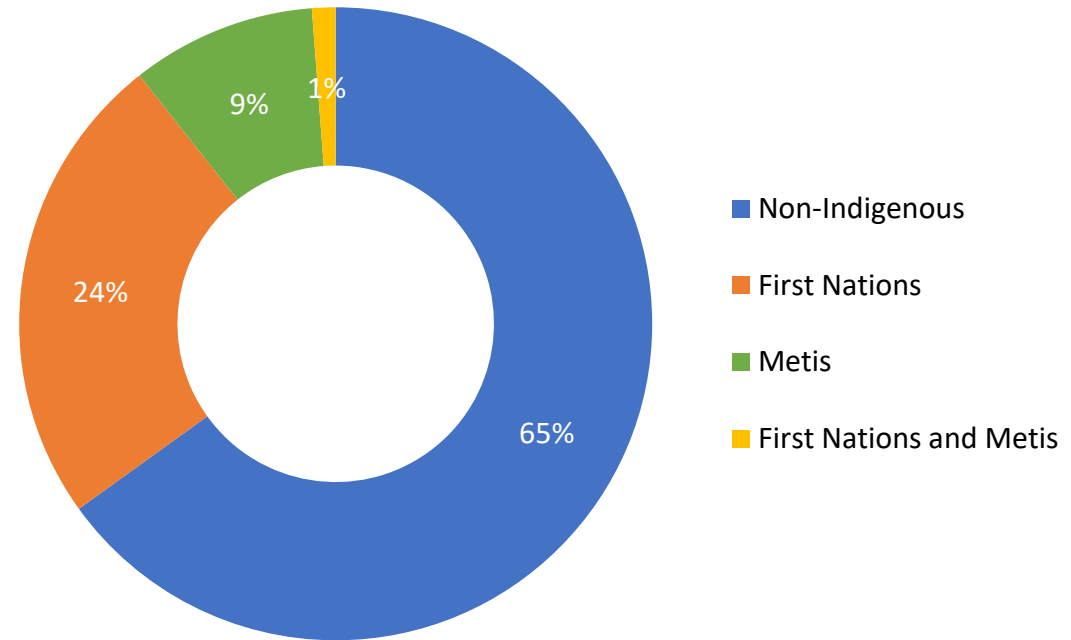
Q5. Which racial group(s) best describes you? Select all that apply.  
 Framework: All respondents  
 Sample size: n = 514

\* 3% preferred not to answer





A third of students identify as Indigenous, with a quarter identifying as First Nations, and 1 in 10 identifying as Métis



\* 3% preferred not to answer

Q2. Do you identify as First Nations, Métis, and/or Inuit? If yes, select all that apply.  
Framework: All respondents  
Sample size: n = 514

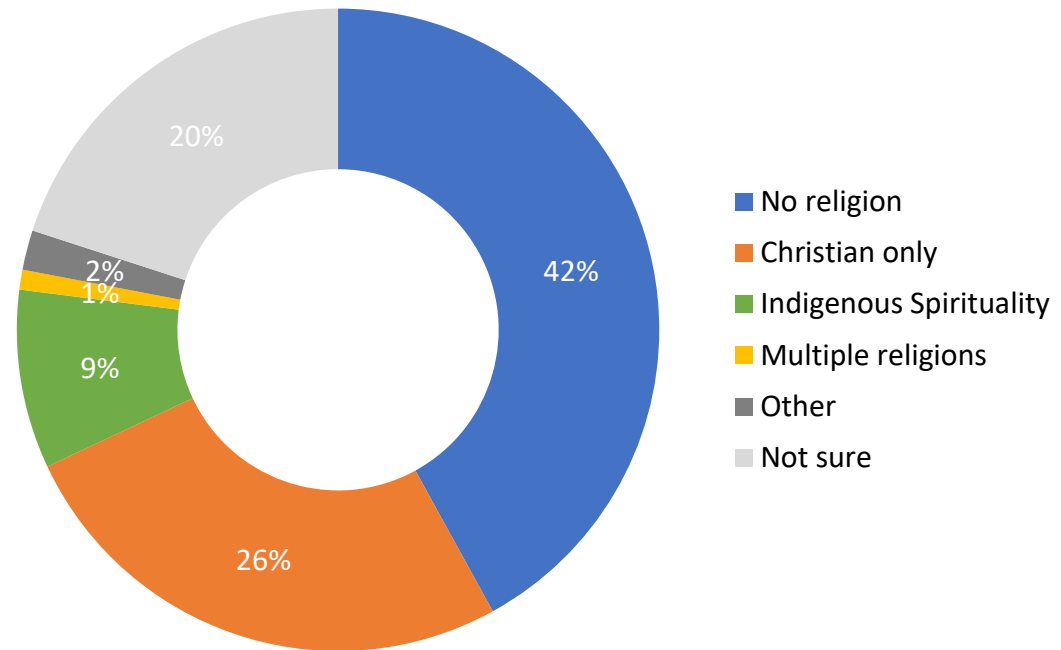


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# RELIGION

2 in 5 said they are not religious. A quarter are Christian, followed by 1 in 10 indicating Indigenous Spirituality



\* 11% preferred not to answer

Q6. What is your religion and/or spiritual affiliation? Select all that apply.  
Framework: All respondents, excluding those who do not understand this question  
Sample size: n = 500

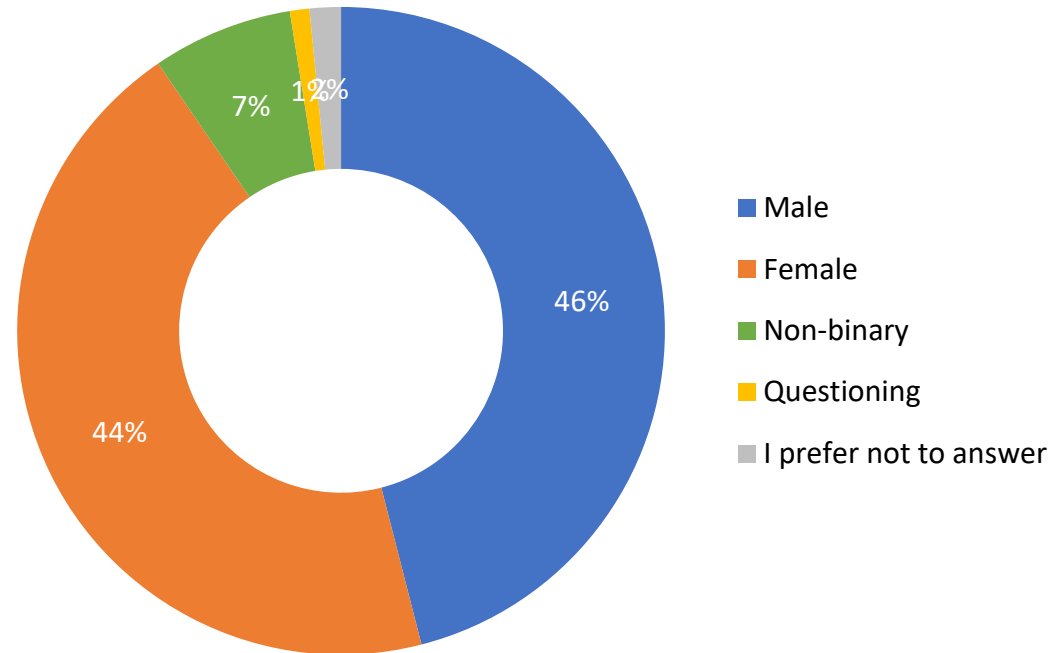


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Half of responding students identify as Male and half identify as Female



\* 0.2% did not understand the question

Q7. What is your gender identity? Select all that apply.  
Framework: All respondents, excluding those who do not understand this question  
Sample size: n = 511

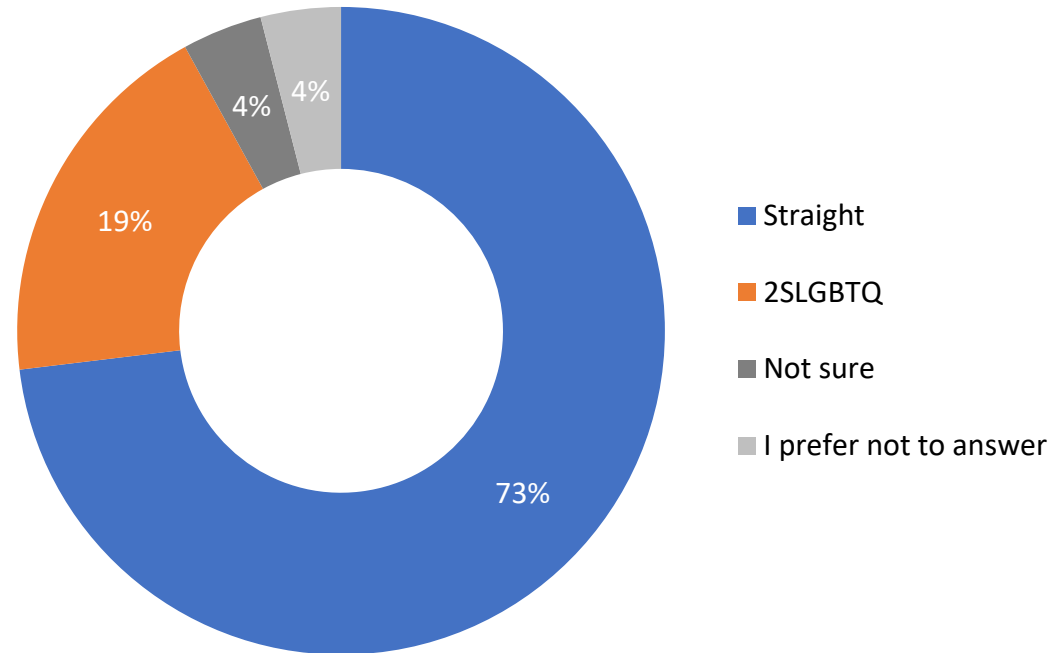


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# SEXUAL ORIENTATION

Three quarters of students identify as Straight and 2 in 10 identify as 2SLGBTQ+



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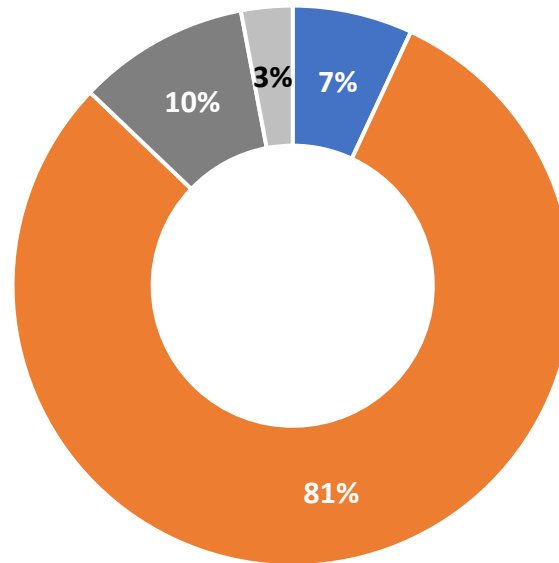
Q8. What is your sexual orientation? Select all that apply.  
Framework: All respondents, excluding those who do not understand this question  
Sample size: n = 502



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## Less than 1 in 10 students consider themselves to be a person with a disability



■ Yes ■ No ■ Not sure ■ I prefer not to answer

Type of disability (n=514)	%
Mental health disability(ies)	4%
Learning disability(ies)	2%
Addiction(s)	2%
Autism Spectrum Disorder	2%
Speech impairment	2%
Physical disability(ies)	1%
Blind or low vision	1%
Chronic Pain	1%
ADHD, Depression, Anxiety	1%
Deaf or hard of hearing	1%
Mobility	1%
Developmental disability(ies)	0.4%
Colour blind	0.2%
Ectodermal dysplasia	0.2%
I prefer not to answer	0.2%

	White (N=330)	Indigenous (N=87)	White & Indigenous (N=50)
Mental health disability(ies)	3%	6%	6%

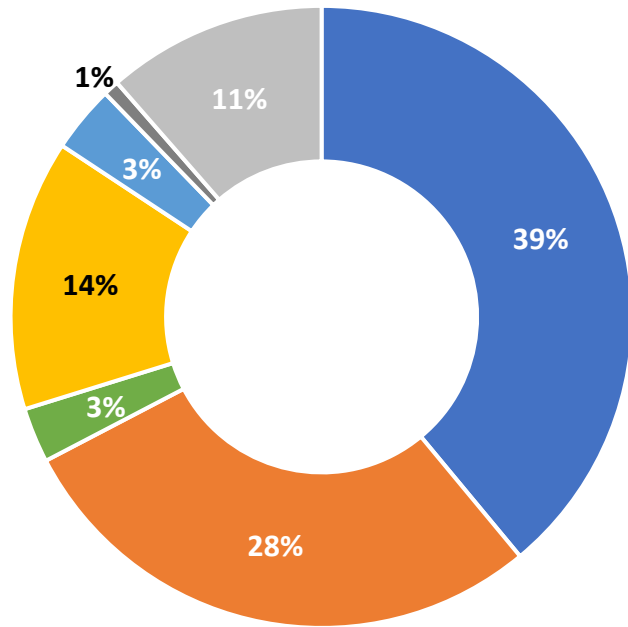
Q9. Do you consider yourself to be a person with a disability(ies)?  
 Select one answer only.  
 Framework: All respondents, excluding those who do not understand this question  
 Sample size: n = 511

\* 1% did not understand the question



# PARENT / GUARDIAN – EDUCATION LEVEL

About 7 in 10 of students have at least one parent/guardian who have completed either college or university



- University
- College
- Apprenticeship
- High school
- Elementary school
- Did not complete any formal education
- Not sure

\* 5% preferred not to answer

Q12b/ Q13b. Please check the highest level of education this person completed. Select only one answer.  
Framework: All respondents  
Sample size: n = 514

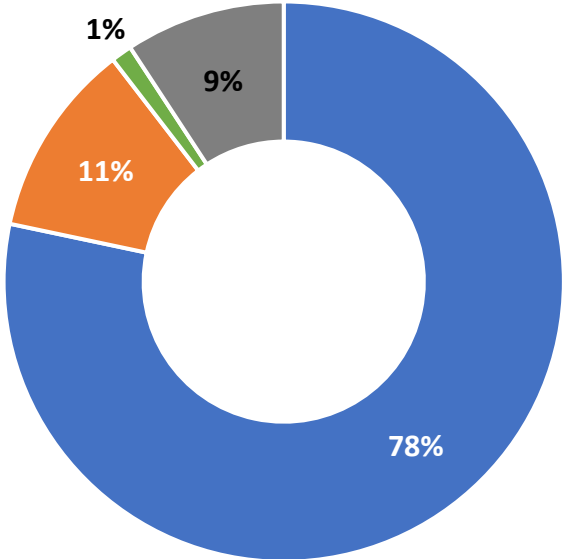


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# PARENTAL PRESENCE AT HOME

## Majority of students live with both parents



■ Two Parents ■ Mother only ■ Father only ■ Other

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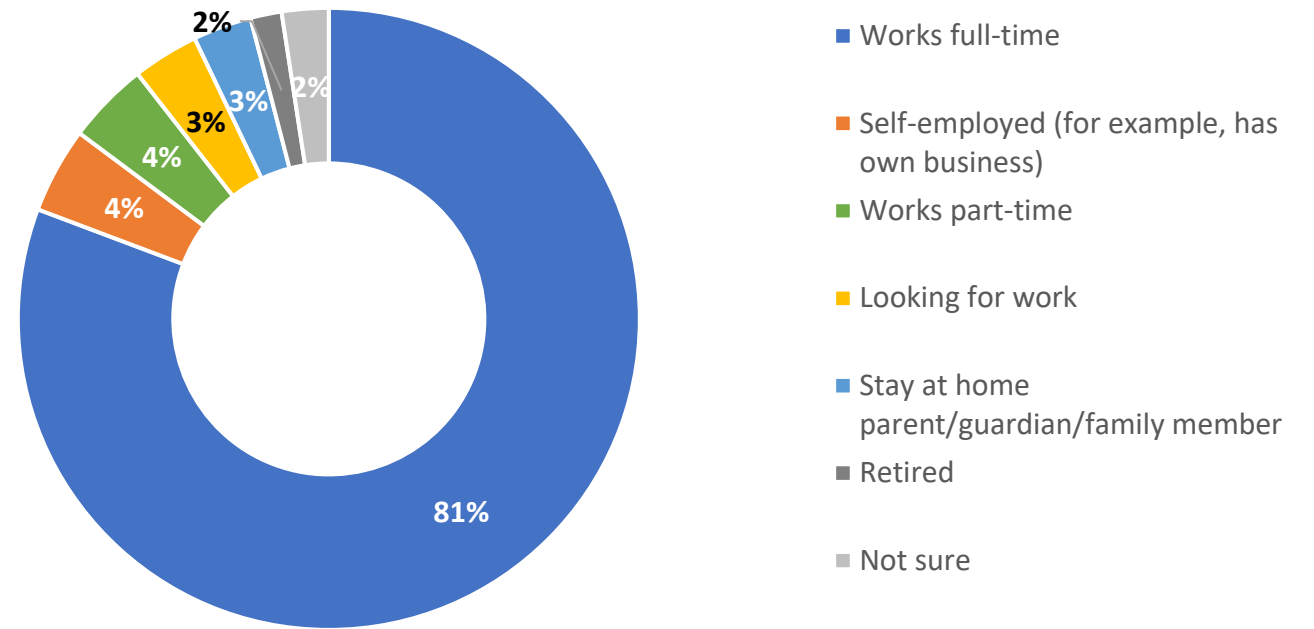
Q12a/ Q13a. Please check your relation with this person. Select only one answer.  
Framework: All respondents  
Sample size: n = 514





# PARENT / GUARDIAN – EMPLOYMENT STATUS

## The majority of parents/guardians work full time



\* 4% preferred not to answer

Q12c/ Q13c. What is this person's employment status? Select all that apply.  
Framework: All respondents  
Sample size: n = 514



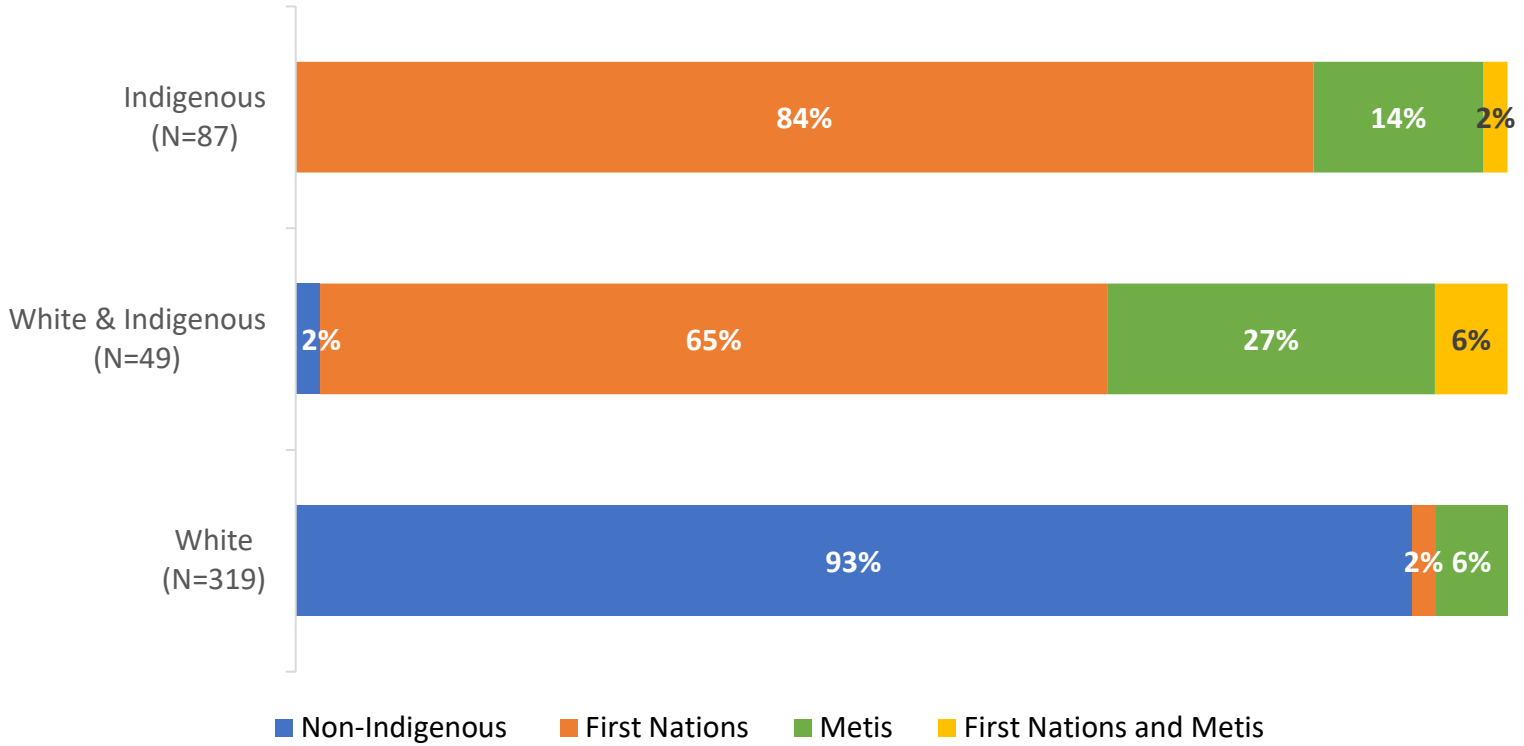


DETAILED DEMOGRAPHIC  
PROFILE BY RACE



**INDIGENOUS**

Majority of White students are non-Indigenous, whereas majority of Indigenous and White & Indigenous students identify as First Nations.



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Q2. Do you identify as First Nations, Métis, and/or Inuit? If yes, select all that apply.  
 Framework: All respondents  
 Sample size: n = 514

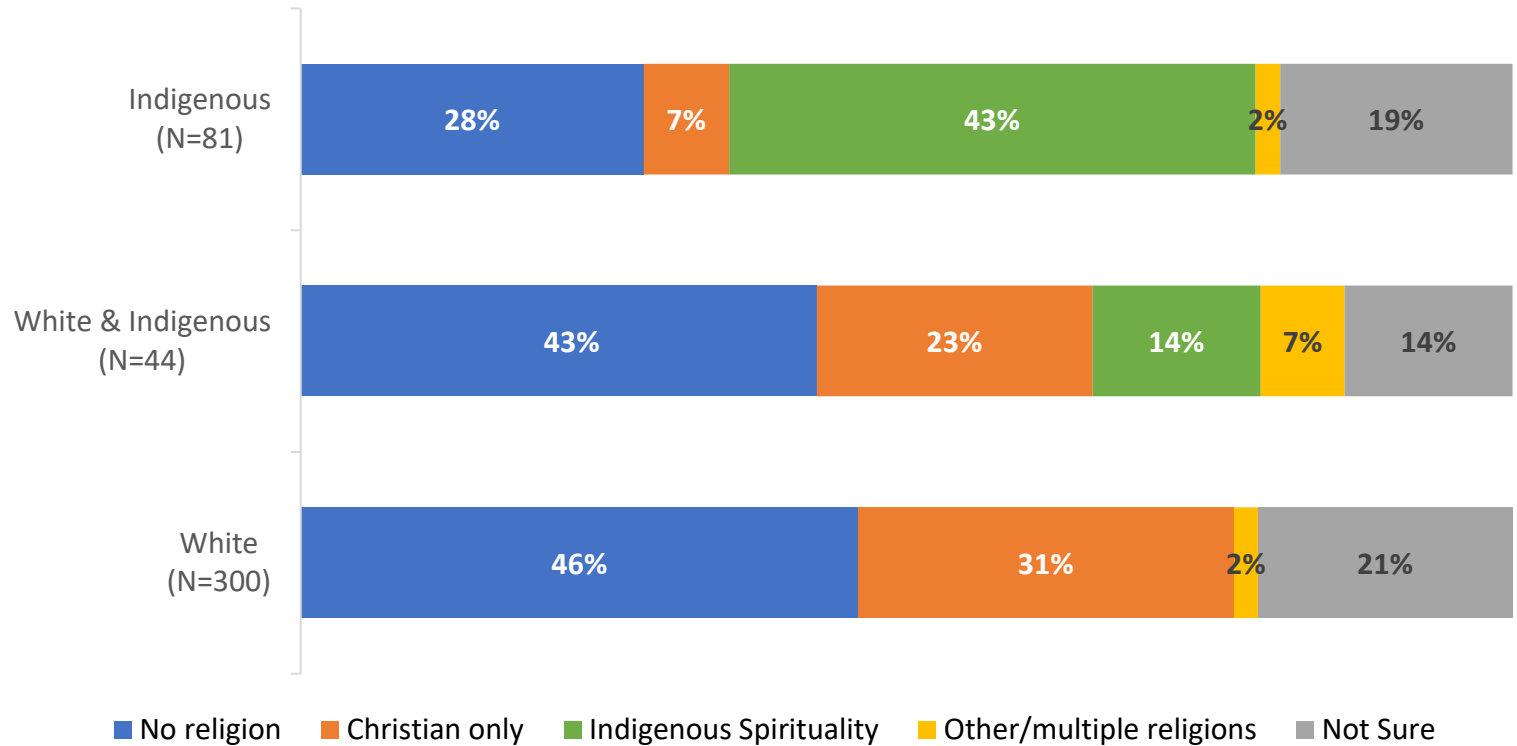






# RELIGION

4 in 9 White students and White & Indigenous students are not religious, whereas 4 in 9 Indigenous students are of Indigenous Spirituality.



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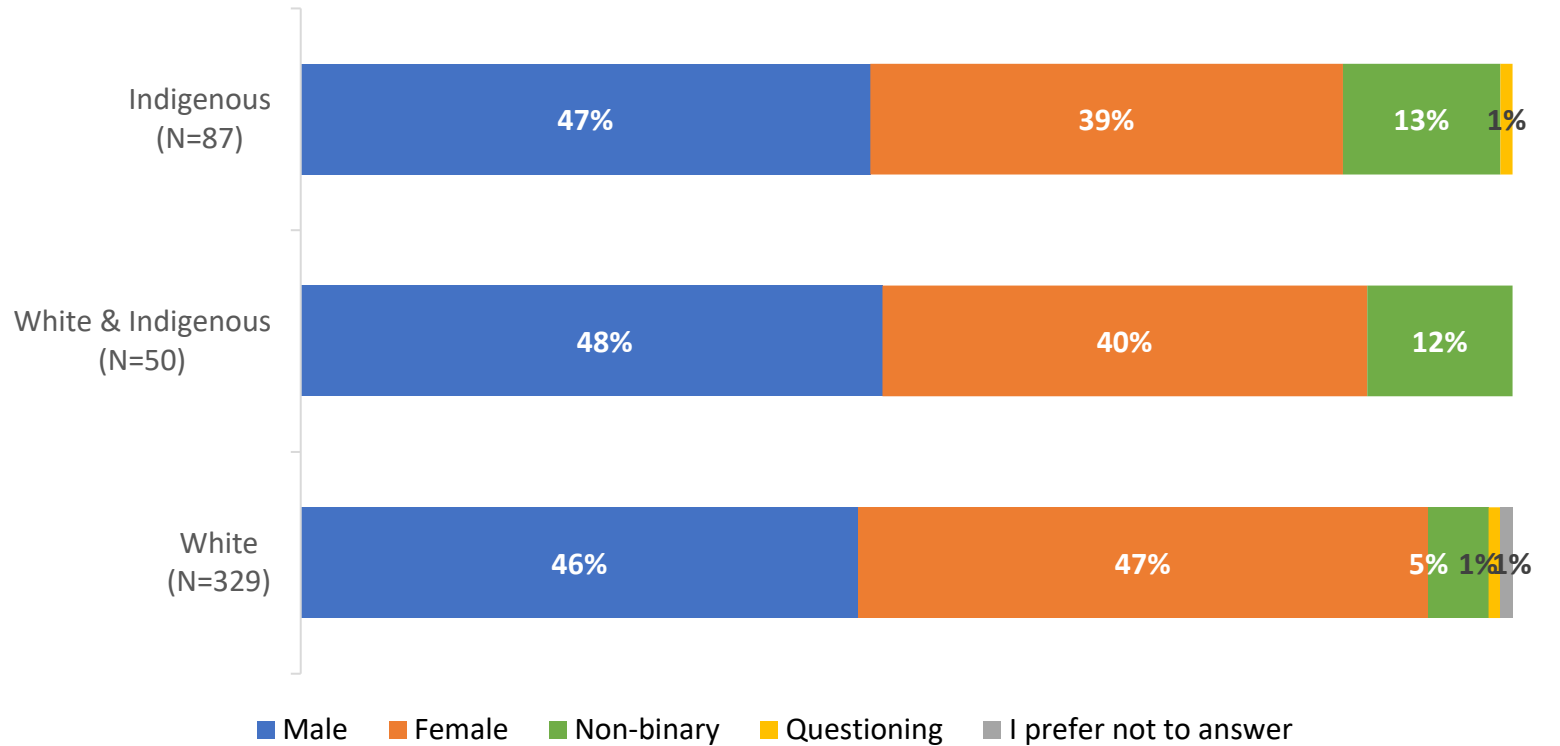
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More than 1 in 10 White & Indigenous and Indigenous students are non-binary.



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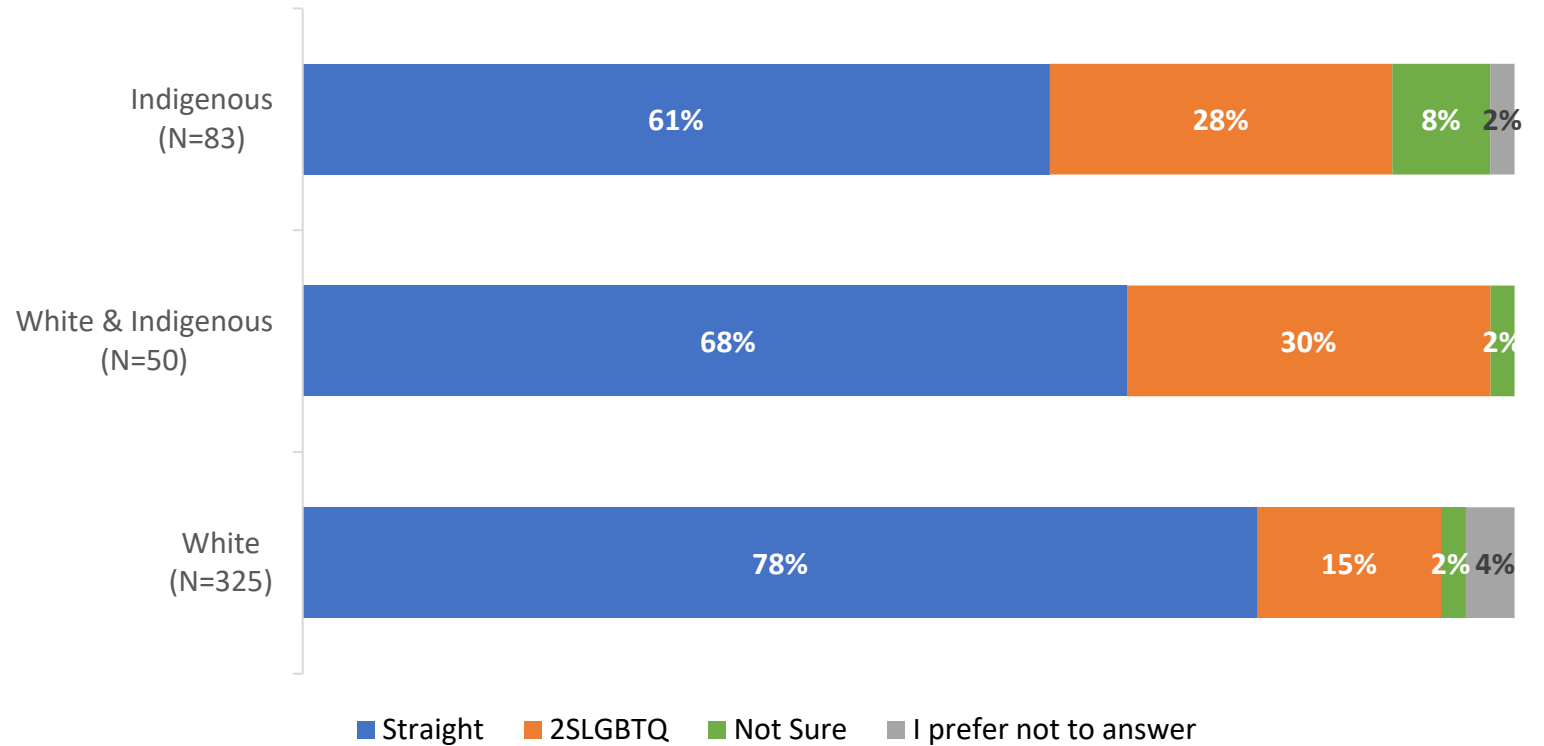
Q7. What is your gender identity? Select all that apply.  
 Framework: All respondents, excluding those who do not understand this question  
 Sample size: n = 511





# SEXUAL ORIENTATION

4 in 5 White students are straight. The proportion of White & Indigenous and Indigenous students who identify as 2SLGBTQ is doubled that of White students.



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Q8. What is your sexual orientation? Select all that apply.  
 Framework: All respondents, excluding those who do not understand this question  
 Sample size: n = 502

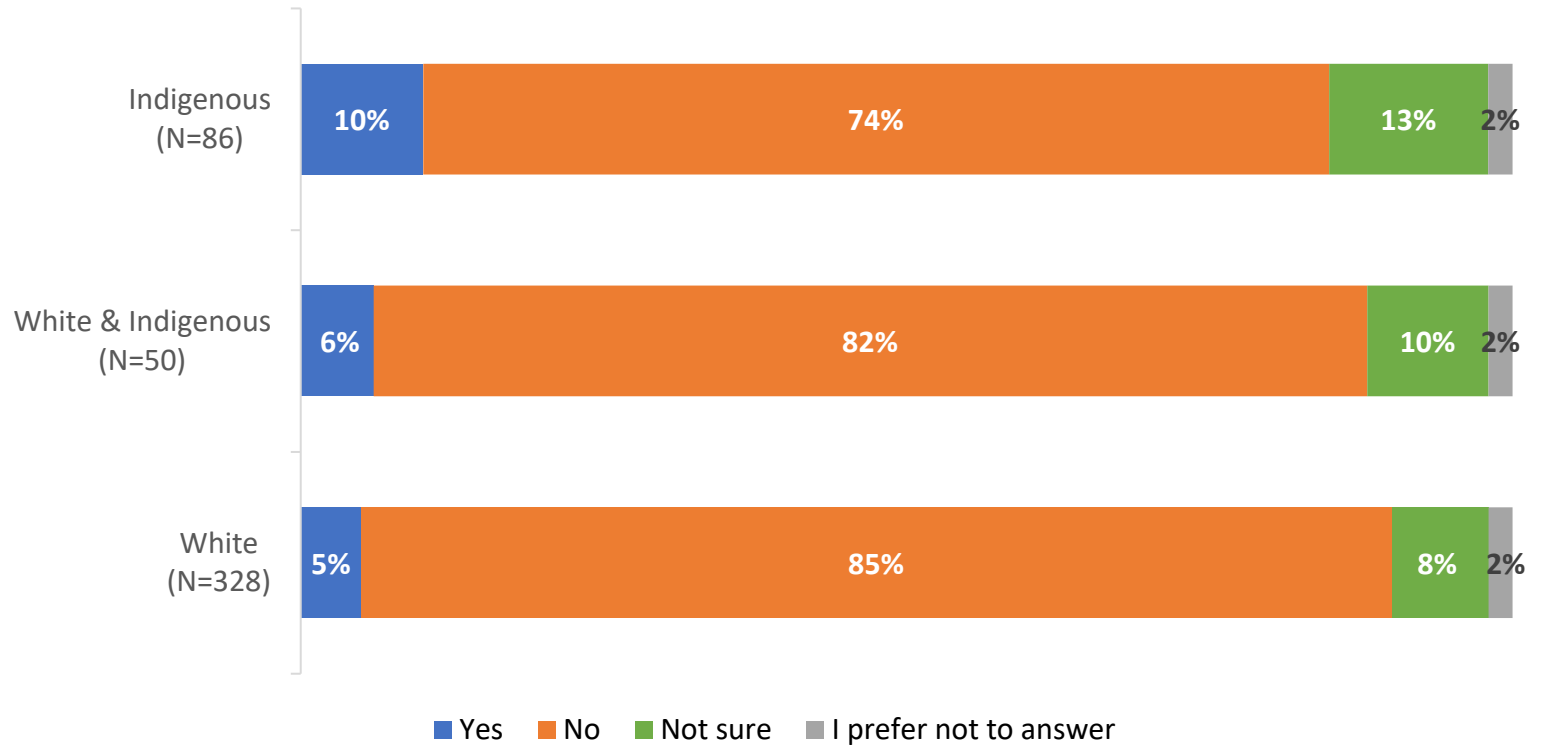


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# DISABILITY

In general, 1 in 10 or less students consider themselves to be a person with a disability.



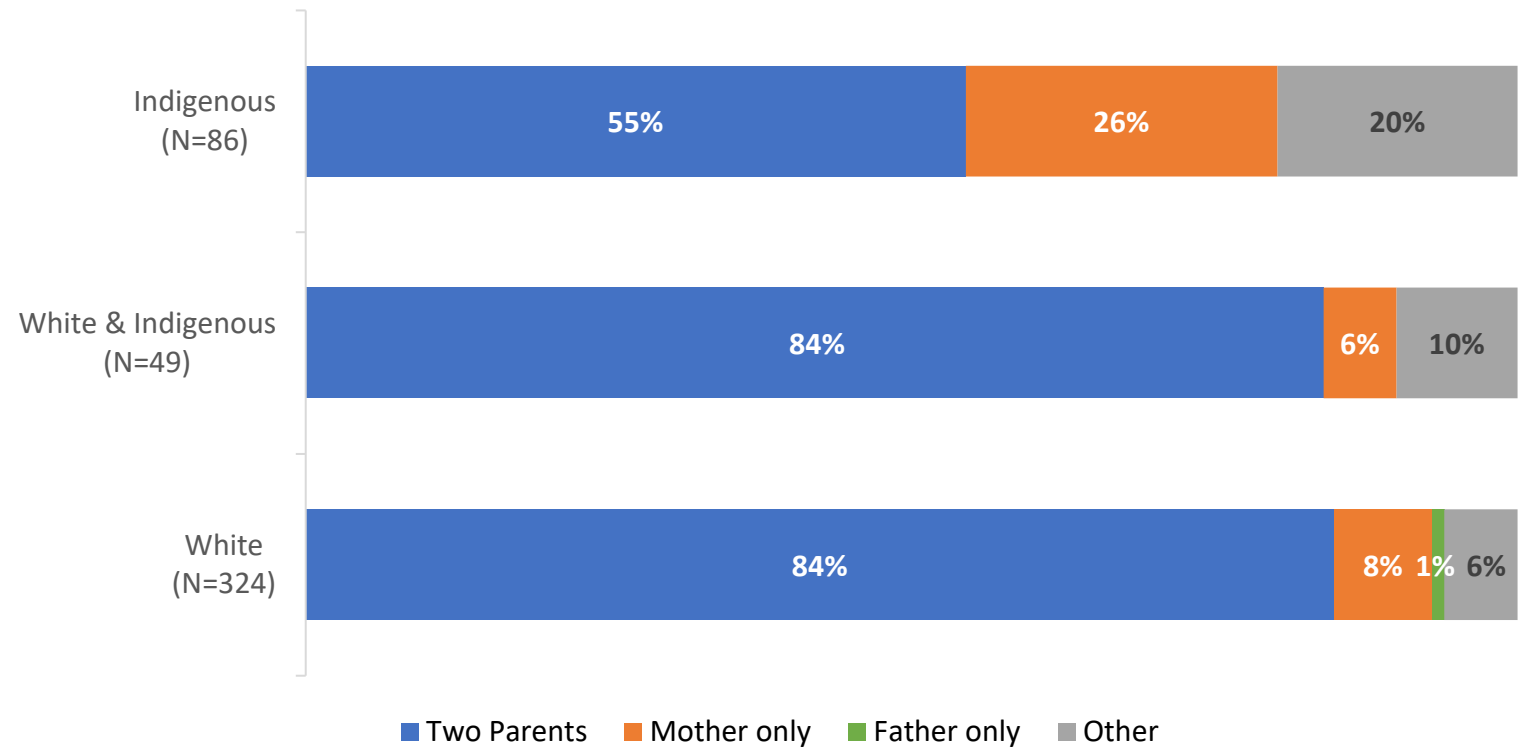
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# PARENTAL PRESENCE AT HOME

Majority of White and White & Indigenous students live with both parents.  
A quarter of Indigenous students live with mother only.



\* 3% preferred not to answer

Q12a/ Q13a. Please check your relation with this person. Select only one answer.  
Framework: All respondents  
Sample size: n = 514

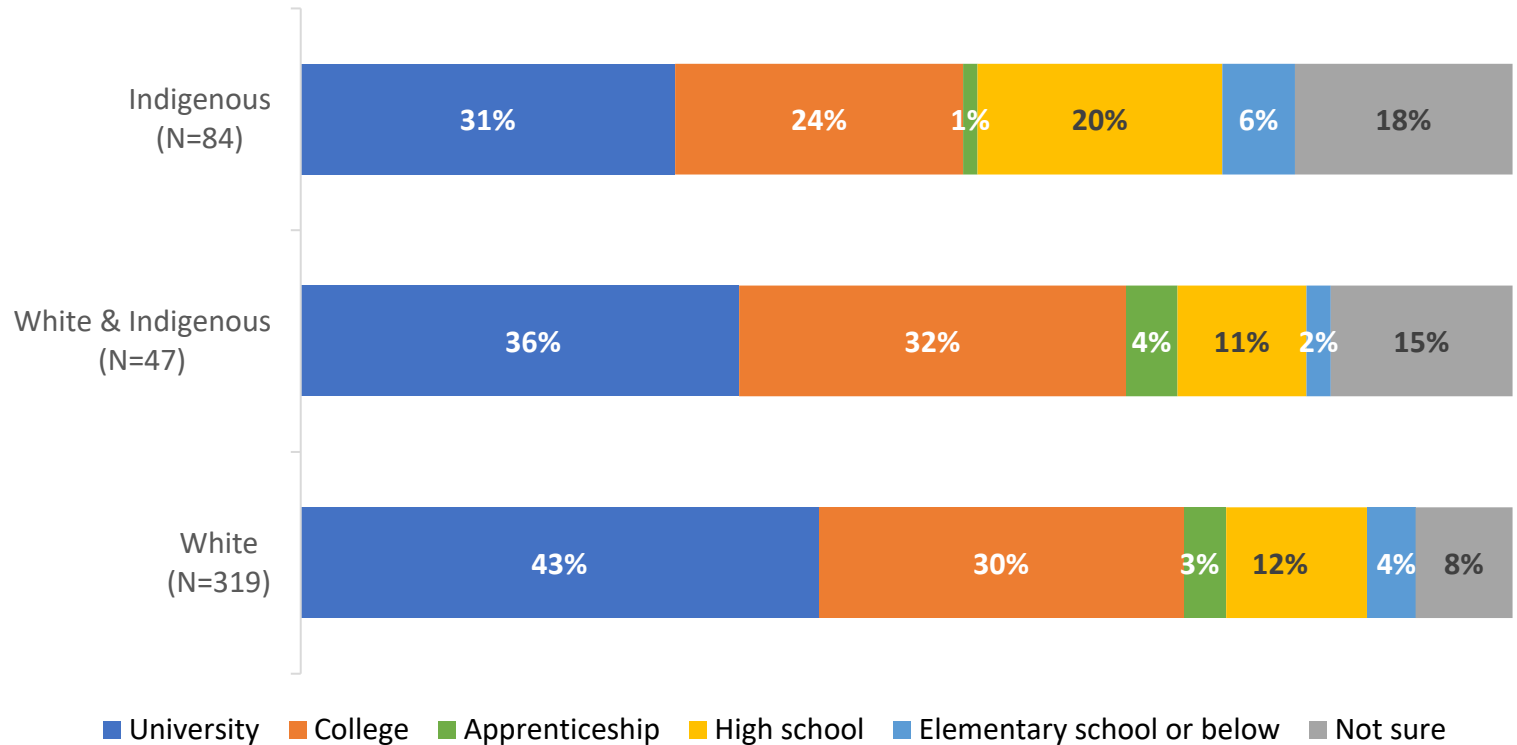


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# PARENT / GUARDIAN – EDUCATION LEVEL

About 7 in 10 White and White & Indigenous students have at least one parent/guardian who completed either college or university. 1 in 5 Indigenous students' parent/guardian have completed high school.



\* 5% preferred not to answer

Q12b/ Q13b. Please check the highest level of education this person completed. Select only one answer.  
 Framework: All respondents  
 Sample size: n = 514

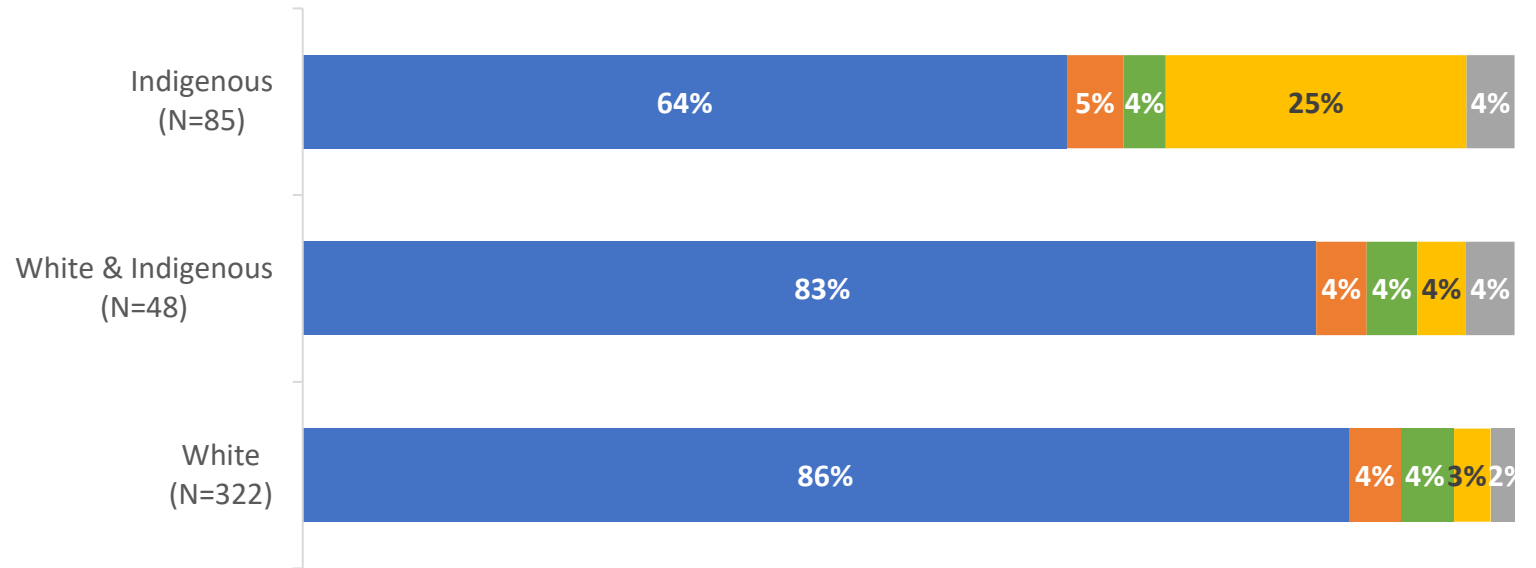


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# PARENT / GUARDIAN – EMPLOYMENT STATUS

The majority of parents/guardians of White and White & Indigenous students work full time; a quarter of parents/guardians of Indigenous students are currently not working.



- Works full-time
- Self-employed (for example, has own business)
- Works part-time
- Looking for work / stay at home / retired
- Not sure

\* 4% preferred not to answer

Q12c/ Q13c. What is this person's employment status? Select all that apply.  
 Framework: All respondents  
 Sample size: n = 514



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