

COVID-19 back to school survey
Aug. 24-30, 2021

Some questions held for future release.

A1a.

Base=All

Single choice

First, are there any children between the ages of 12 and 17 living in your household right now?

Yes

No **[thank and terminate]**

A1b.

Base=All

And to confirm, are you the parent or guardian of that child/those children?

Yes

No **[thank and terminate]**

First, we'd like to ask you a few questions about back-to-school in the fall.

A2.

Base=All parents

Single choice

As we all know, the COVID-19 pandemic had a lot of impact on schools in Canada in the last year. Now, it looks like many provinces will be returning kids to classrooms for school full-time this fall. How do you feel about that?

I'm very comfortable with my child(ren) returning to in-person classes full time

I'm more comfortable than worried

I'm more worried than comfortable

I'm very worried about my child(ren) returning to in-person classes full time

A3.

Base=All parents

Single choice

Suppose your province offered online learning as an option this fall. Would you prefer your child attend remotely or in-class this fall? (If you have more than one school-aged child, think of the oldest one.)

Absolutely prefer in-class

Slightly prefer in-class

Slightly prefer online

Absolutely prefer online

A4.

Base=All parents

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There is some discussion about whether proof of vaccination and masking should be required to return to classrooms this fall. What do you think? For each of the following groups do you think:

Students

Teachers/principals etc.

Other school staff (coaches, janitors, administrative assistants, etc)

Both masks and proof of vaccination should be required

Only proof of vaccination required

Only masks required

Neither should be required

A5.

Base=All parents

Single choice

Has your child between the ages of 12 and 17 been vaccinated? (Again, if you have more than one, think of the oldest one.)

Yes

No/not yet

Prefer not to say

A6.

Base=All parents

Single choice

How concerned are you about your child/children becoming sick from COVID-19?

Very concerned

Moderately concerned

Not that concerned

Not at all concerned