

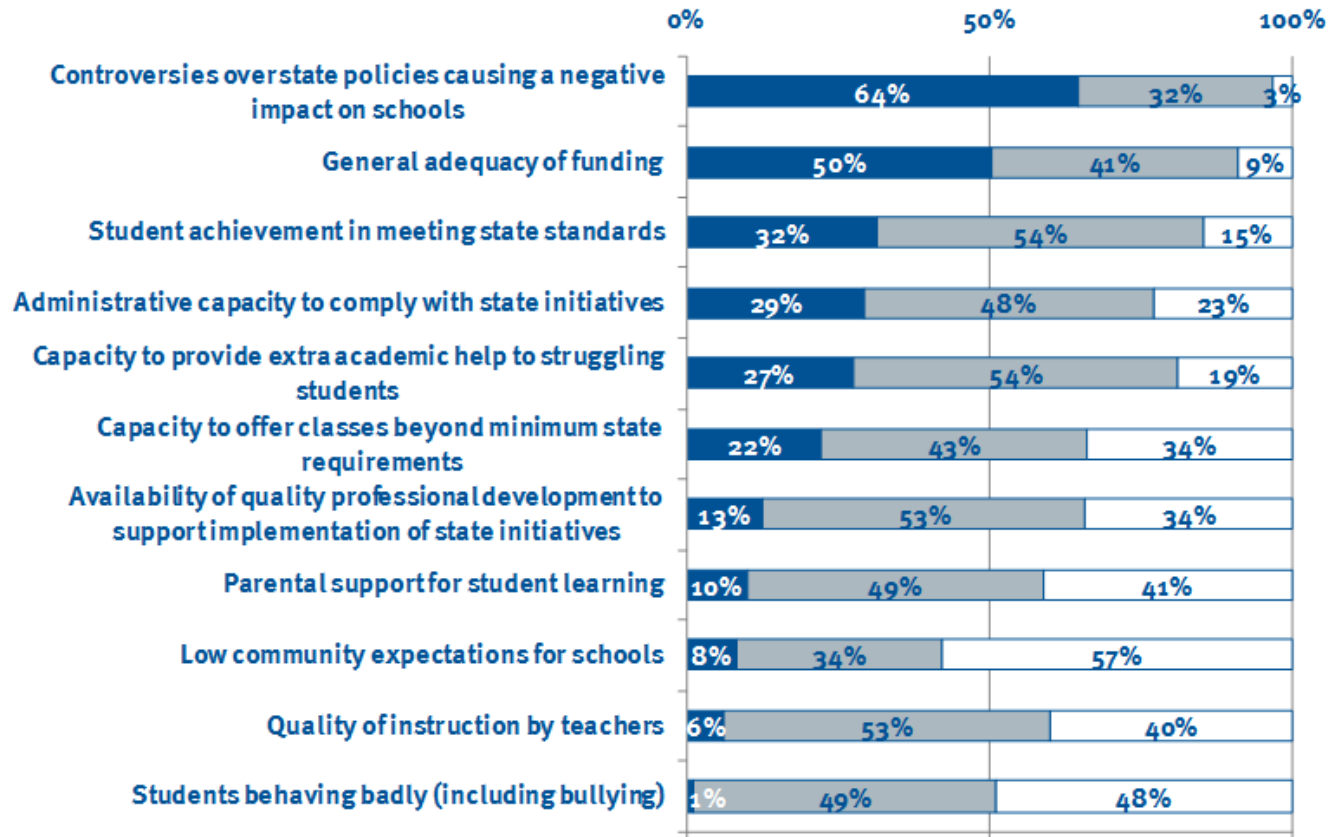


Results from a Council survey of superintendents, August 20–September 5, 2015.

Response rate: 47.6 percent

To what extent, if any, have the circumstances listed below been problems for your school district or BOCES?

■ Significant problem ■ Somewhat of a problem □ Not a problem at all



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	Low community expectations for schools	Parental support for student learning	Students behaving badly (including bullying)	Student achievement in meeting state standards	Quality of instruction by teachers	Administrative capacity to comply with state initiatives	Availability of quality professional development to support implementation of state initiatives	Capacity to provide extra academic help to struggling students	Capacity to offer classes beyond minimum state requirements	General adequacy of funding	Controversies over state policies causing a negative impact on schools
	← Significant Problem/Somewhat of a Problem →										
NEW YORK STATE	8% / 34%	10% / 39%	1% / 49%	32% / 54%	6% / 53%	29% / 48%	13% / 53%	27% / 54%	22% / 43%	50% / 41%	64% / 32%
Character											
City	21% / 53%	33% / 61%	11% / 61%	83% / 17%	17% / 61%	28% / 56%	6% / 61%	61% / 28%	28% / 33%	78% / 17%	61% / 28%
Suburb	4% / 17%	5% / 28%	0% / 46%	16% / 56%	2% / 46%	16% / 53%	9% / 49%	19% / 54%	13% / 37%	36% / 53%	67% / 30%
Rural	10% / 42%	11% / 60%	1% / 51%	37% / 56%	8% / 57%	39% / 44%	15% / 55%	29% / 56%	27% / 49%	57% / 37%	62% / 35%
Region											
Long Island	2% / 23%	6% / 25%	0% / 40%	15% / 58%	0% / 38%	9% / 57%	8% / 49%	17% / 42%	8% / 34%	23% / 62%	62% / 34%
Lower Hudson Valley	12% / 12%	11% / 22%	4% / 44%	33% / 37%	0% / 44%	26% / 41%	7% / 48%	30% / 52%	19% / 30%	44% / 48%	70% / 26%
Mid-Hudson Valley	4% / 28%	12% / 38%	0% / 46%	40% / 40%	8% / 58%	35% / 27%	19% / 31%	23% / 54%	15% / 46%	54% / 31%	73% / 23%
Capital Region	11% / 36%	16% / 34%	5% / 51%	32% / 48%	14% / 43%	23% / 55%	5% / 64%	32% / 41%	27% / 34%	39% / 48%	57% / 39%
Mohawk Valley	18% / 53%	6% / 71%	0% / 59%	59% / 41%	0% / 82%	35% / 47%	6% / 71%	24% / 65%	18% / 47%	71% / 18%	59% / 35%
Central New York	16% / 24%	13% / 46%	0% / 52%	36% / 56%	4% / 60%	21% / 54%	12% / 52%	28% / 56%	4% / 65%	38% / 54%	63% / 33%
North Country	6% / 47%	6% / 75%	0% / 44%	36% / 56%	3% / 58%	47% / 36%	22% / 64%	33% / 61%	36% / 50%	64% / 28%	58% / 39%
Southern Tier	6% / 51%	14% / 69%	0% / 43%	26% / 74%	9% / 65%	35% / 47%	20% / 51%	34% / 54%	26% / 46%	64% / 36%	66% / 29%
Finger Lakes	8% / 33%	8% / 53%	3% / 60%	28% / 56%	3% / 51%	44% / 51%	15% / 51%	26% / 67%	24% / 47%	63% / 34%	72% / 26%
Western New York	10% / 33%	9% / 63%	0% / 58%	37% / 56%	17% / 60%	31% / 48%	12% / 50%	29% / 60%	36% / 48%	62% / 33%	65% / 35%
Estimated Student Poverty % (% eligible for Free or Reduced Price Lunch Program)											
0 to 10%	0% / 0%	0% / 0%	0% / 28%	0% / 44%	0% / 19%	3% / 56%	3% / 44%	6% / 50%	0% / 29%	22% / 50%	69% / 25%
11 to 20%	0% / 14%	0% / 18%	0% / 38%	0% / 66%	4% / 46%	18% / 50%	6% / 46%	10% / 60%	10% / 30%	26% / 60%	48% / 46%
21 to 40%	3% / 28%	1% / 54%	0% / 50%	24% / 64%	5% / 51%	34% / 46%	18% / 52%	31% / 51%	18% / 53%	55% / 40%	77% / 22%
41 to 60%	11% / 50%	15% / 67%	1% / 54%	44% / 55%	8% / 60%	36% / 41%	15% / 53%	30% / 58%	28% / 48%	57% / 38%	59% / 37%
Over 60%	28% / 44%	33% / 52%	7% / 60%	72% / 26%	9% / 73%	36% / 58%	9% / 69%	47% / 44%	40% / 38%	67% / 27%	67% / 31%
Not sure	0% / 50%	0% / 50%	0% / 100%	0% / 50%	0% / 50%	0% / 100%	0% / 0%	0% / 100%	0% / 50%	50% / 50%	50% / 50%

REGIONS:

Long Island: Nassau and Suffolk Counties	Central New York: Cayuga, Cortland, Madison, Onondaga, Oswego, Tompkins
Lower Hudson Valley: Putnam, Rockland, Westchester	North Country: Clinton, Essex, Franklin, Hamilton, Jefferson, Lewis, St. Lawrence
Mid-Hudson Valley: Dutchess, Orange, Sullivan, Ulster	Southern Tier: Broome, Chemung, Chenango, Delaware, Otsego, Schuyler, Steuben, Tioga
Capital Region: Albany, Columbia, Greene, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Warren, Washington	Finger Lakes: Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne, Wyoming, Yates; excluding Rochester
Mohawk Valley: Fulton, Herkimer, Montgomery, Oneida, Schoharie	Western New York: Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Erie, Niagara