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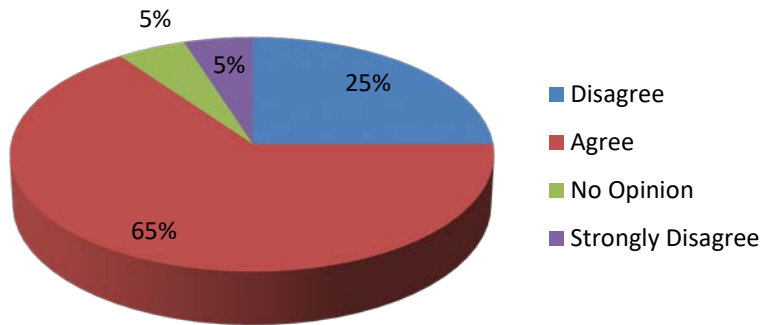
The image features a group of silhouettes representing high school graduates. Three graduates are shown in yellow, wearing caps and gowns, with their arms raised in celebration. In the foreground, a single silhouette of a person in a red suit stands with their arms at their sides, representing a dropout. The background is white.

Early School Drop Out

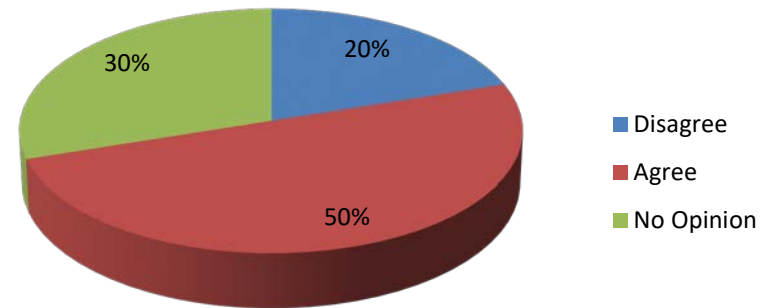
High School
Dropouts;
ONE IS TOO MANY

Is drop out related to bullying?

Girls



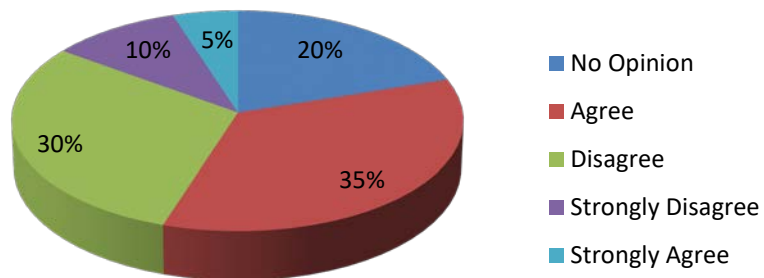
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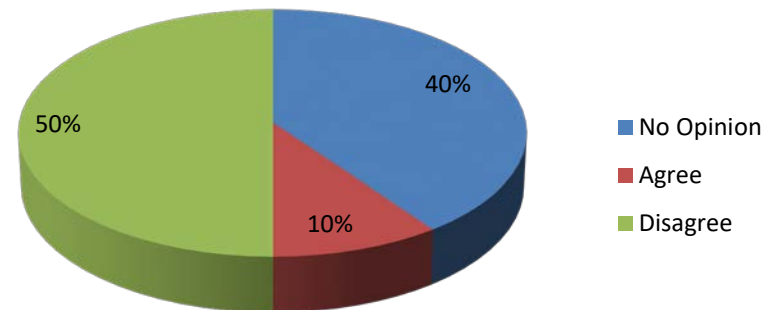
While opinions differ it is clear that the majority of students believe that victims of bullying are most likely to drop out of school.

Are cases or feelings of drop out in your school relevant issue?

Girls



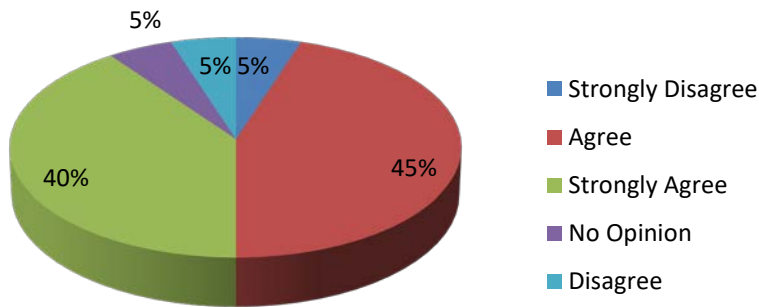
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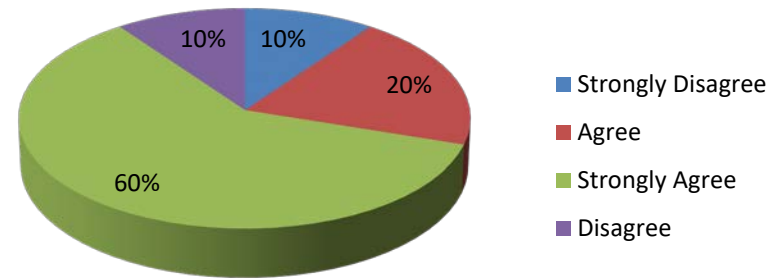
There is not a clear conclusion regarding the relevance of drop out in the greek school as the feelings of the participants are mixed.

Is there competition between the students?

Girls



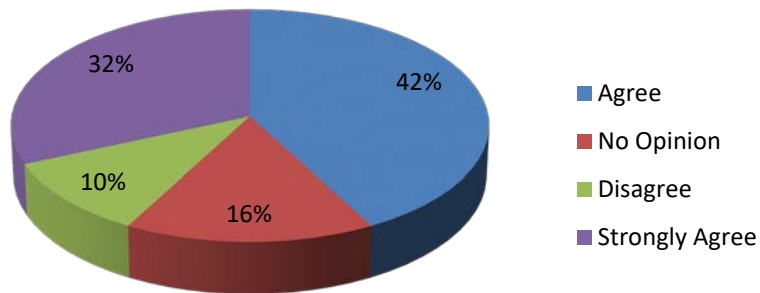
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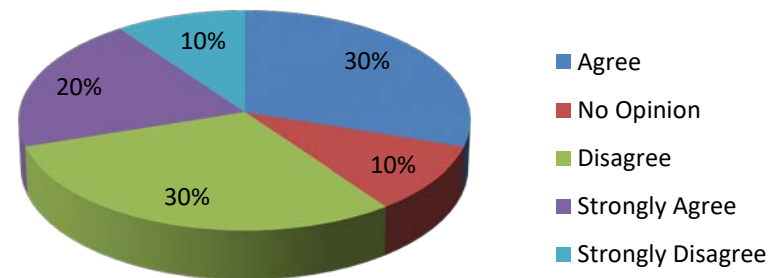
Most girls and boys who took part in this survey strongly believe that students compete with each other.

Do students like educational programs?

Girls



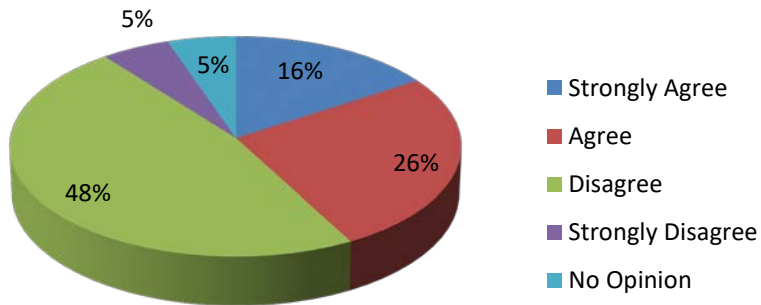
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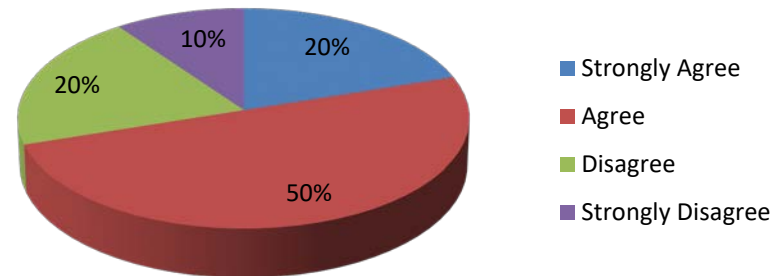
While most girls believe that students are fond of educational programs, it seems that only half of the boys feel the same way.

Are educational programs so demanding that students don't have time for any other activities?

Girls



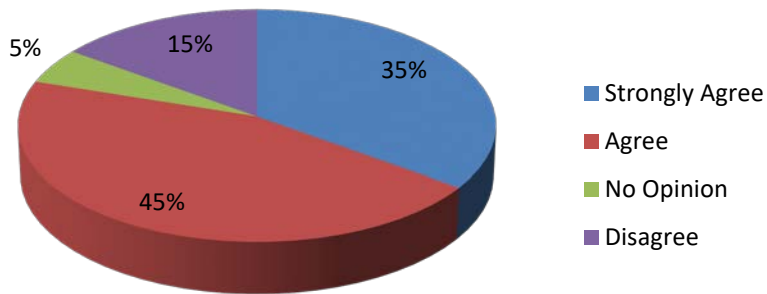
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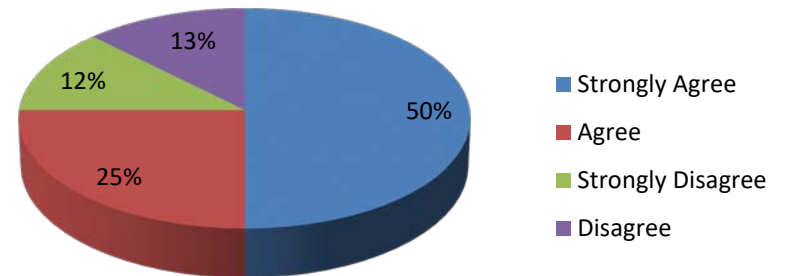
The small majority of the girls believe that educational programs are not that time consuming, while most boys do not share the same opinion with the opposite gender.

Are final exams difficult?

Girls



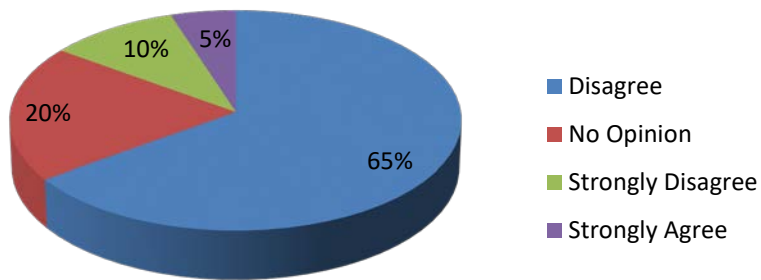
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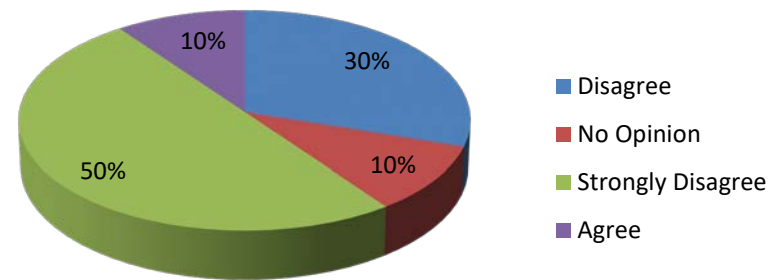
Both of the genders seem to agree that final exams are challenging.

Is accessing the school difficult?

Girls



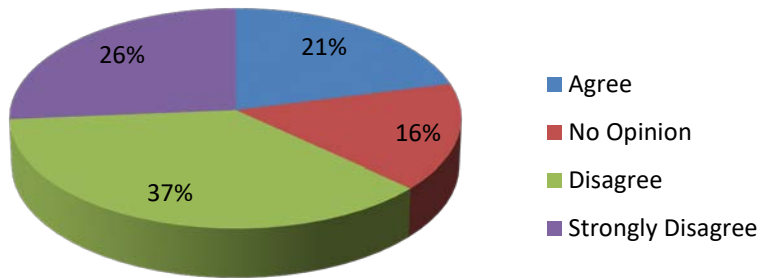
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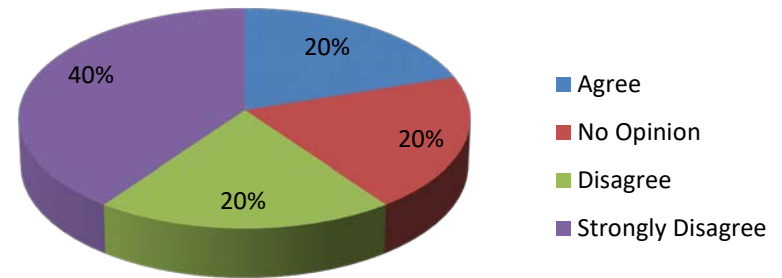
For the majority of students, girls and boys alike, accessing school is rather easy.

Are teachers likeable by students?

Girls



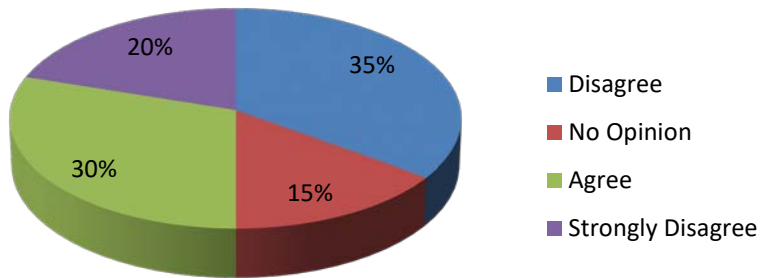
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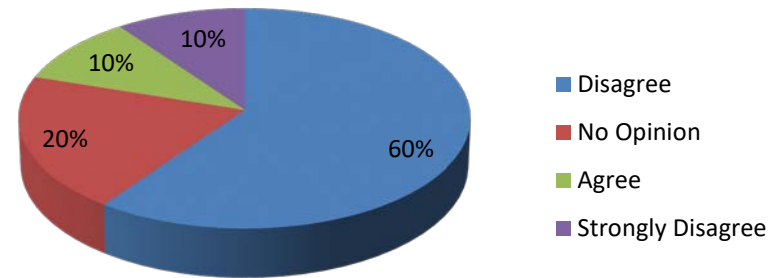
A unanimous feeling exists that students are not fond of teachers.

Is there a fair application of school rules?

Girls



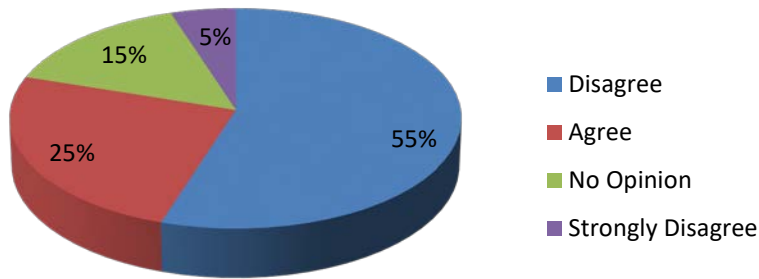
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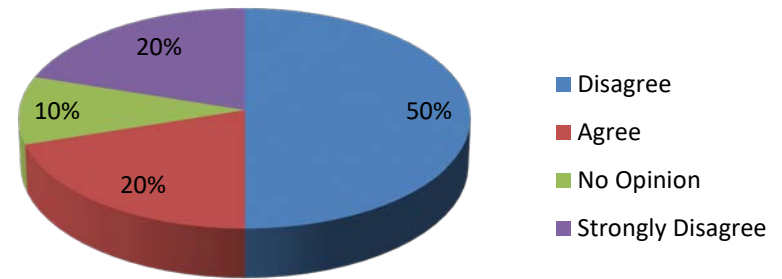
The results of the survey lead to the conclusion that school rules are not always applied.

Is there violence and bullying in your school?

Girls



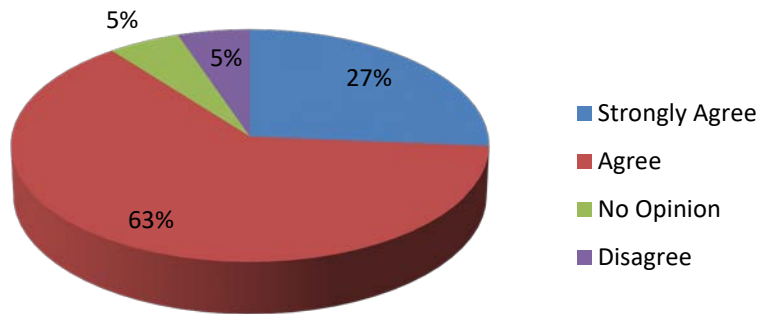
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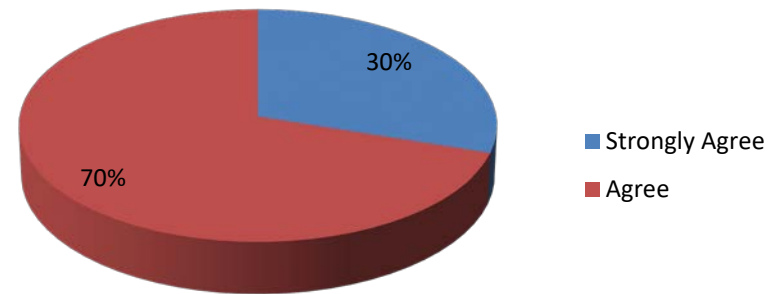
While nearly most girls and boys believe that their fellow classmates are not bullied, there is still a worrying percentage that believes the opposite.

Did you find new friends in school?

Girls



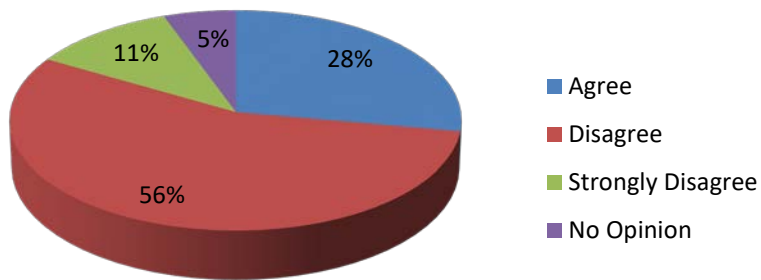
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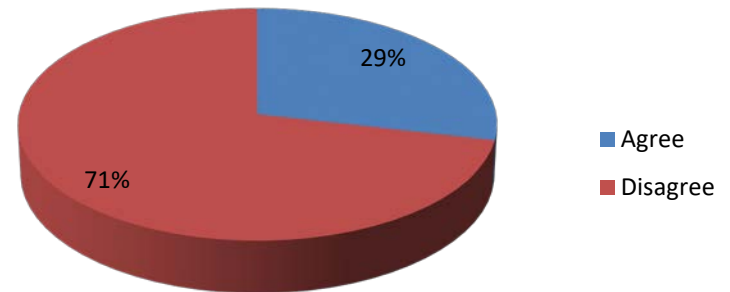
With only a terribly small percentage of participants who support otherwise, the huge majority of students claims to be educated in a friendly environment.

Do students trust teachers?

Girls



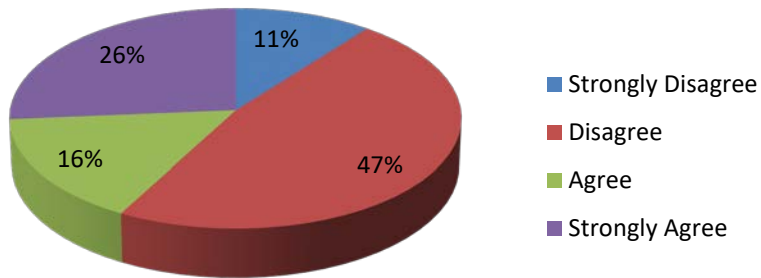
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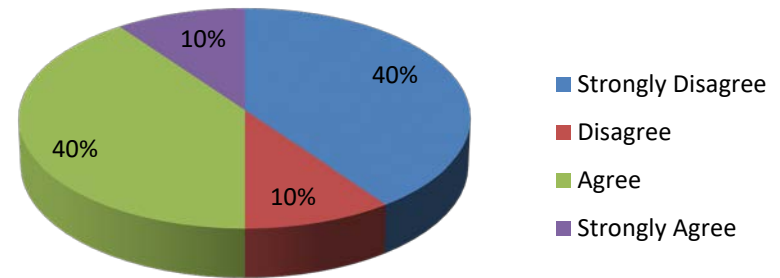
It seems that students are not likely to seek the help of their teachers, as they don't trust them.

Do your parents or guardians help you with your homework?

Girls



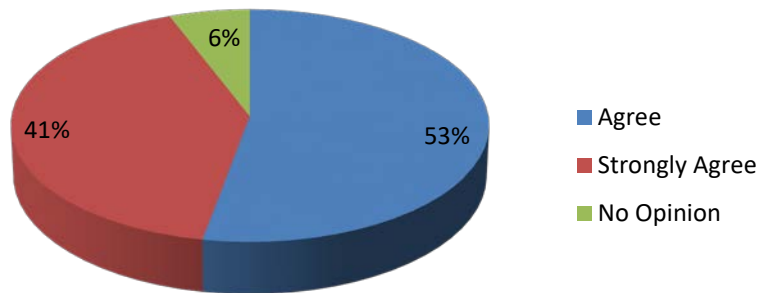
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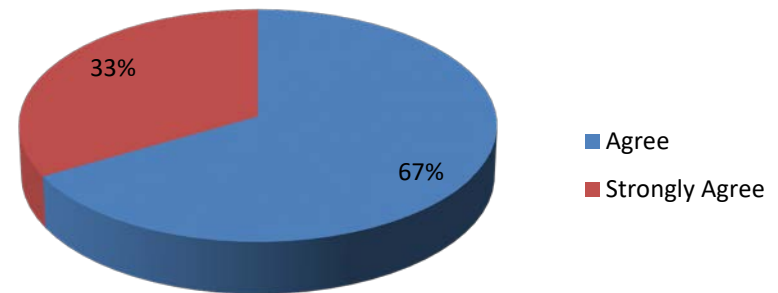
The survey shows that while most girls don't get help at home, half of the boys agree with the opposite gender and the other half disagrees with them.

Do parents care about their children's performance in school?

Girls



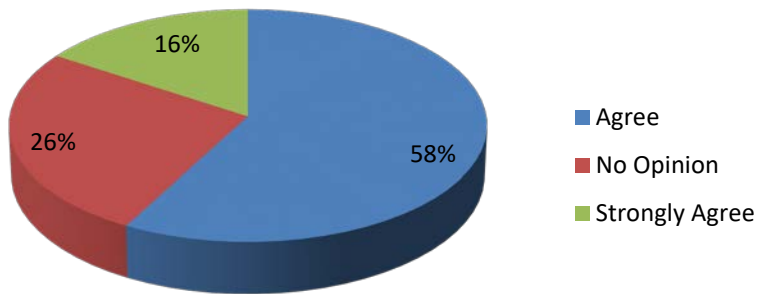
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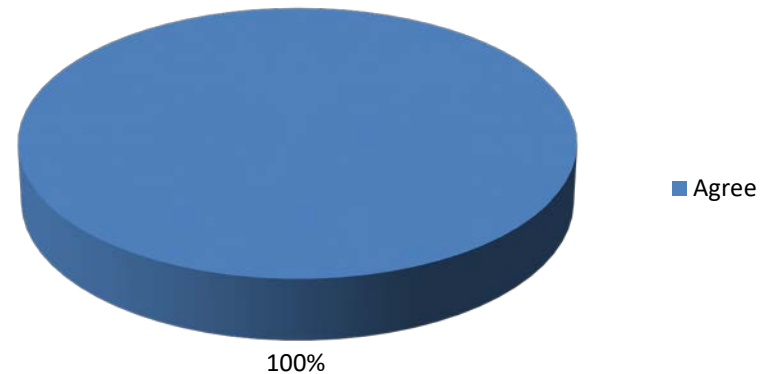
Almost the whole body of the students believe that their parents or guardians care about their performance.

Are students in your school facing family problems?

Girls



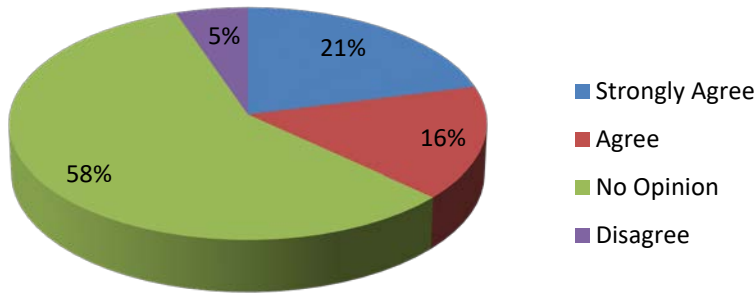
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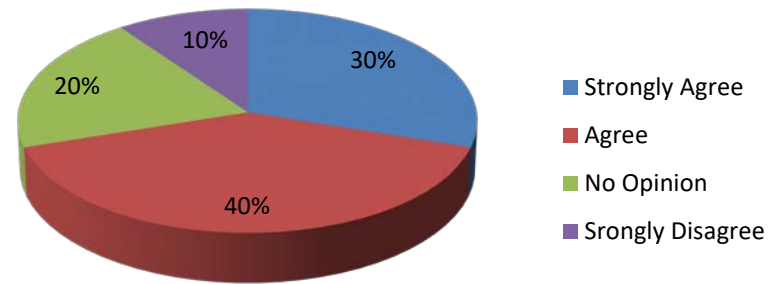
The students are unanimous in their opinion that their classmates are struggling with family problems.

Are there prospects for your future after school?

Girls



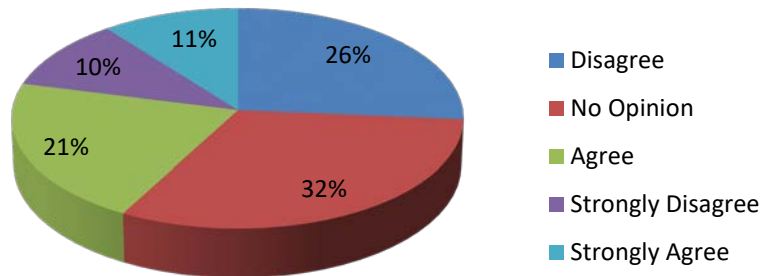
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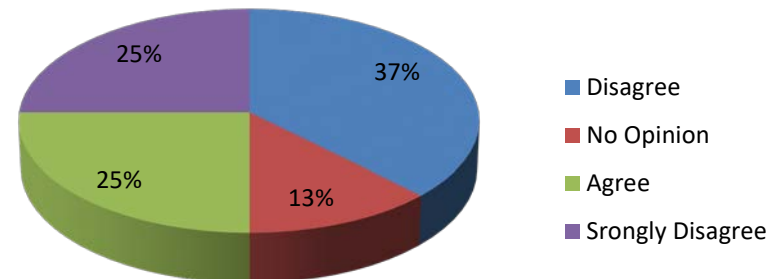
The majority of boys is optimistic that having a comfortable life in the future is possible while girls seem to be skeptical concerning their chances at future prosperity.

Do you believe that school and later on university will help you find a job easily?

Girls



Boys



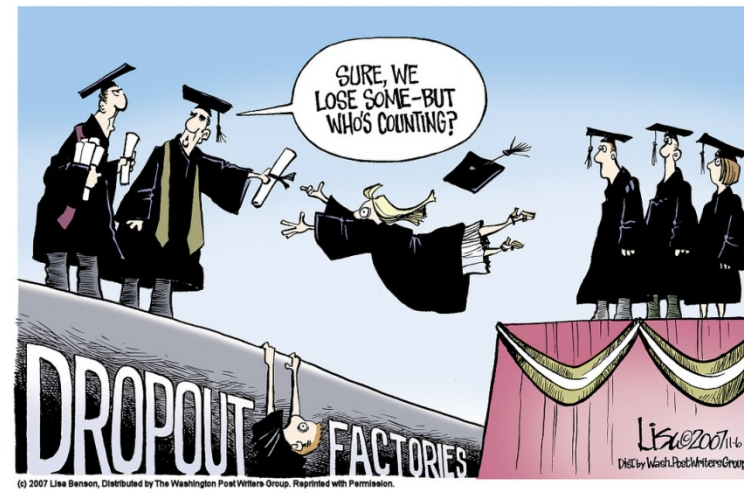
Most boys don't believe that their education will help them find an employment. On the other hand, the opinion of the female gender is not clear. Some are optimistic, while others are either skeptical or share the same opinion with the boys.

Final Conclusions

In conclusion, according to the participants in the survey, who are all aged from 15 to 18 years old, dropping out of school is not a common phenomenon. However the seriousness of the problem cannot be denied. The reasons behind the choice of a student to abandon school could be a result of their experiences in the educational environment, such as getting bullied, the rare application of school rules, the difficult courses and exams or the opinion that is cultivated amongst the student body that school cannot provide them with the means to have a comfortable future. Other external reasons could be the pressure that the students are under because of their parents' expectations or family problems.



And remember...You can help someone. Prevent the deterioration of this sever phenomenon. Become an obstacle to the creation of an illiterate world.



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