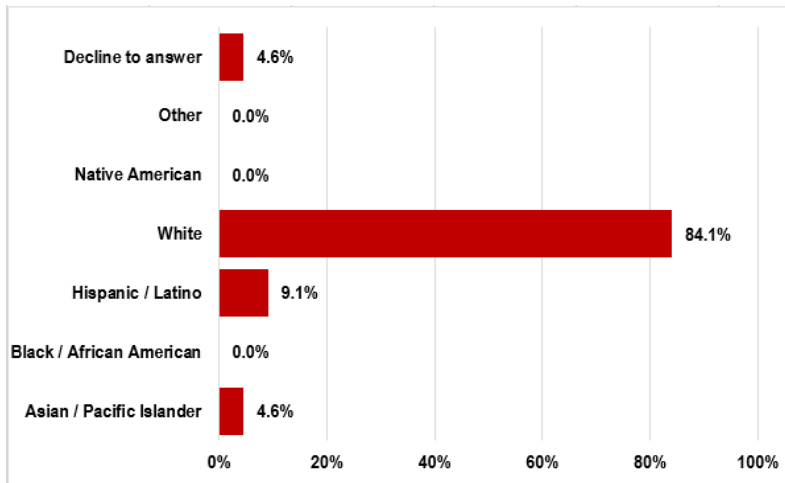


Hood River County Prevention Department 2018 HRVHS Parent Survey

In September and October 2018, the Hood River County Prevention Department surveyed parents of students at Hood River Valley High School. The purpose of the survey was to ask parents what they think about teen substance use. Many of the survey questions were based on surveys given to middle and high school students (the Oregon Healthy Teens Survey and the Oregon Student Wellness Survey). Tablets or paper surveys were completed. Parents could take the survey in either English or Spanish. The survey was completed by 45 parents. This report shows the results from the survey.

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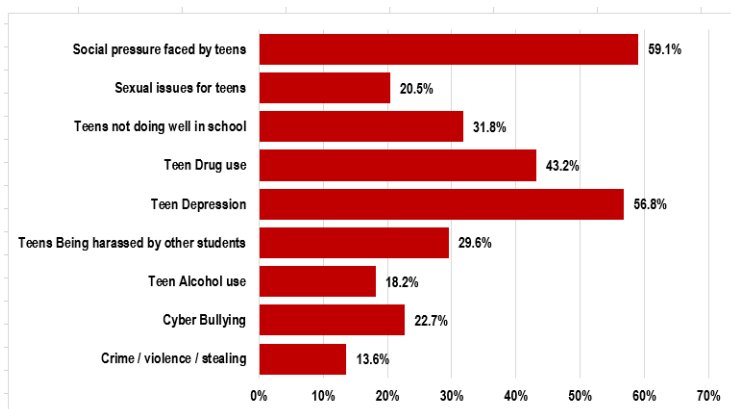
This is the ethnicity breakdown for all Hood River County parents who took the Parent Survey.



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Parent Attitudes Toward Teen Substance Use

For all Hood River County students in grades 9 through 12, what are the three issues that concern you most?



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Teen Drug and Alcohol Use Among Parent Concerns

Teen drug use is the #3 concern among parents who responded.

Teen alcohol use is the #8 concern among parents who responded.

Parent Involvement in the Prevention of Teen Substance Use

Parents believe that they have an influence on their child's decision to use or not to use drugs. Most parents agree that using substances in front of children has negative consequences. Many parents think that the school should play a role in preventing the use of drugs and alcohol among teens, but fewer feel that their children are getting the education they need to make healthy decisions.

88%

of parents who responded agree that they have an influence on their teen's decision to use or not to use alcohol, marijuana and / or nicotine.

n=44

93%

of parents who responded agree that using alcohol, marijuana, and / or nicotine in front of their teen has negative consequences.

n=45

91%

of parents who responded believe that the school should play a role in alcohol and drug prevention through school policy.

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66%

of parents who responded think their teen is getting enough education and information about how to prevent drinking and using drugs.

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96%

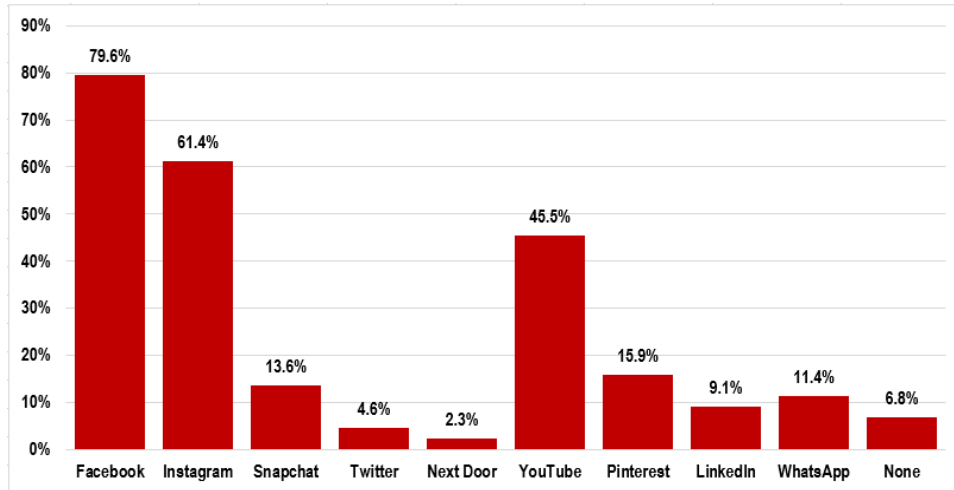
of parents who responded know there are laws against hosting an underage drinking party.

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Educating Parents

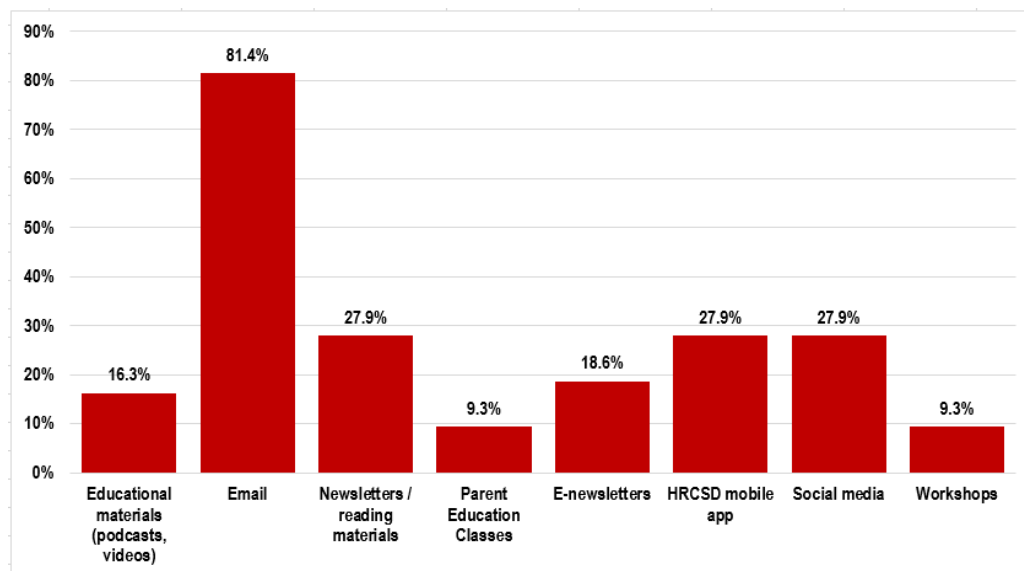
Most parents say they would like to have more information on events and celebrations, construction bond updates, as well as updates from district leadership. Most parents are most interested in hearing from teachers and staff, the School Board, and parents.

Which social media networks do you use regularly? Select all that apply.



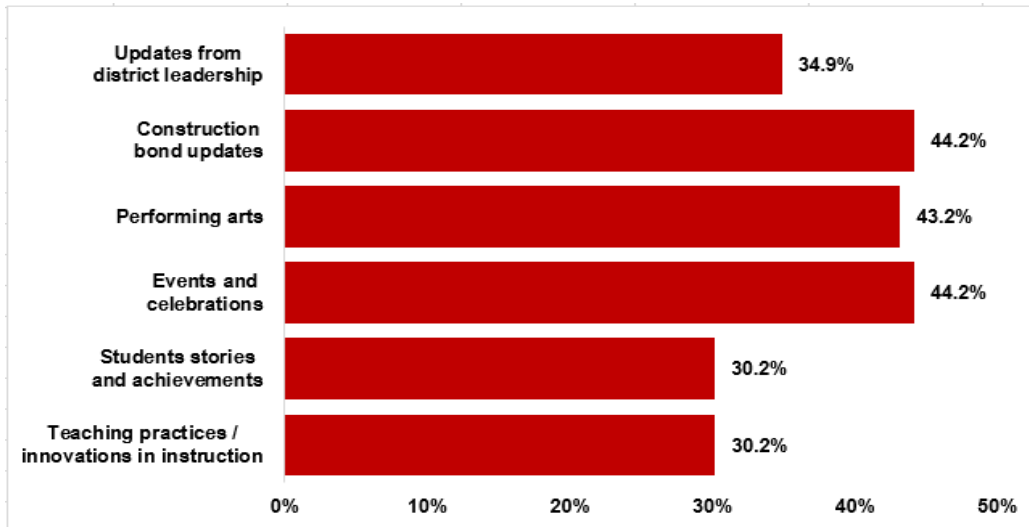
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How would you like to receive information? Select all that apply.



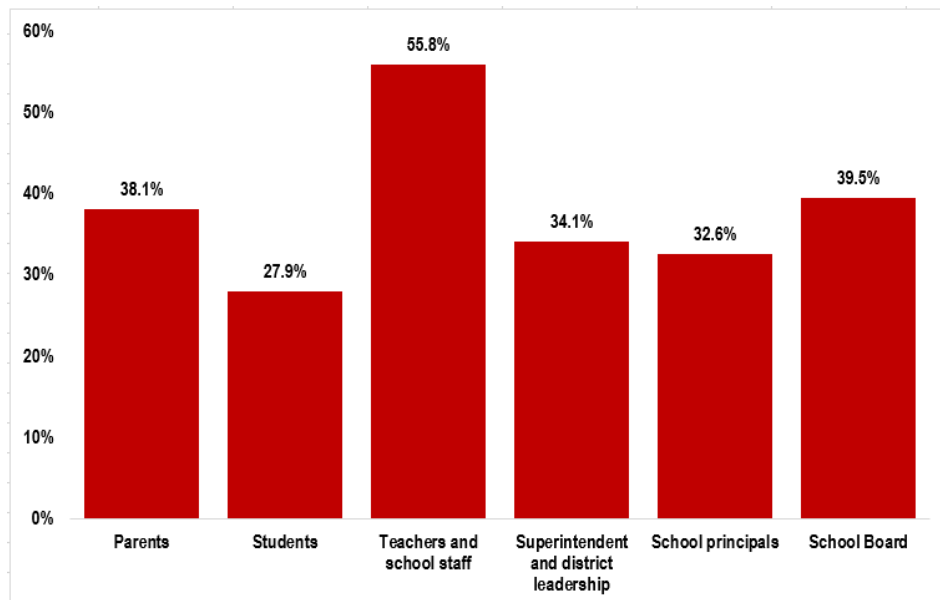
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What kind of school news do you care most about? (Top three choices)



n=45

Who are you most interested in hearing from? (Top three choices)



n=45

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