



Education Students' Association FAMF Proposal

November 30 2021

SUMMARY OF TOPICS

MAIN POINTS COVERED

FAMF Breakdown

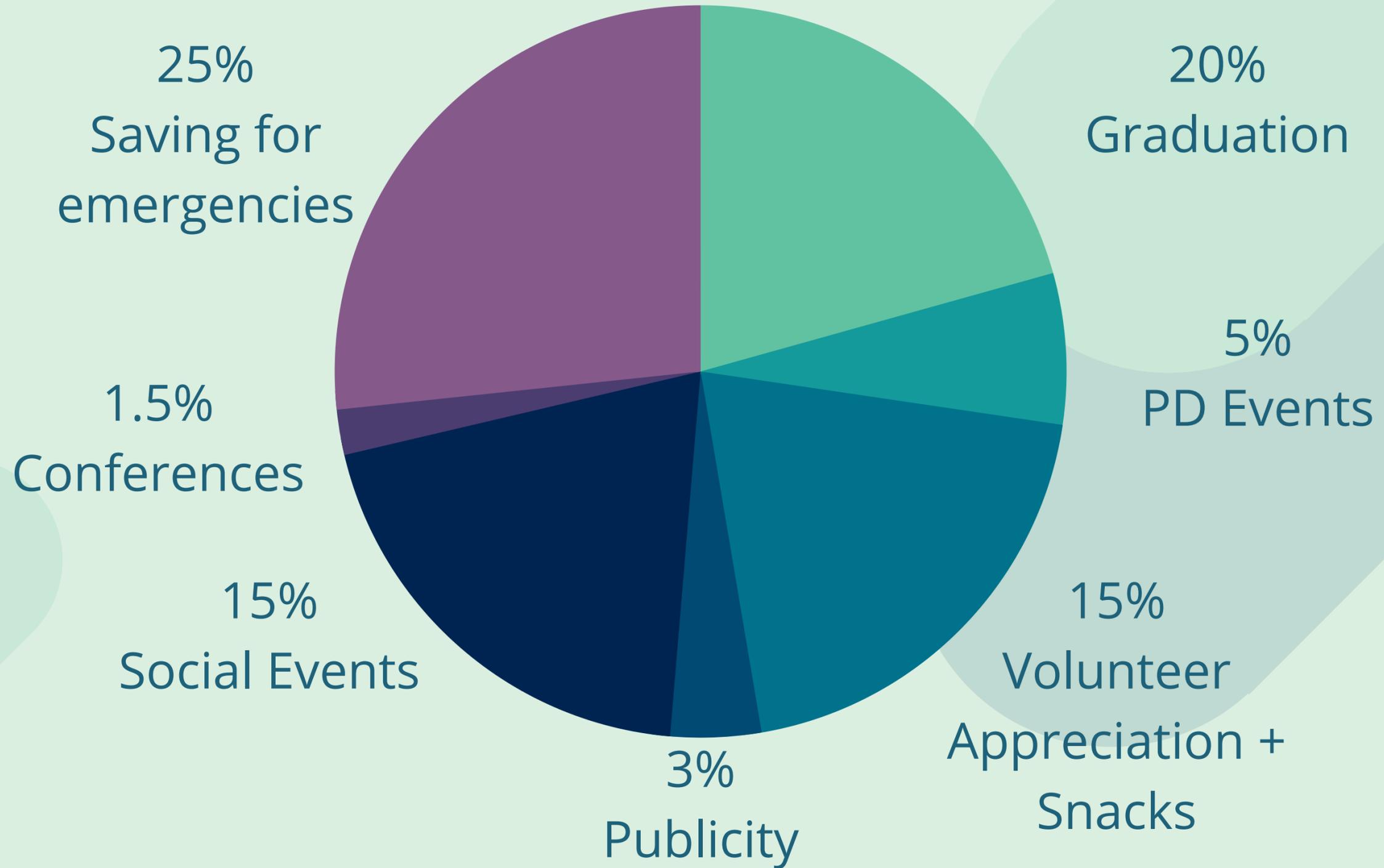
Opt-Out Mechanism

Transparency with Constituents

Consultation

Questions and Conclusion

ALLOCATION BREAKDOWN



Opt-Out Mechanism

- New subsection of our website for FAMF specifically
- Google form for Opt-Out
- E-transfer, Cheque, and Cash will be available
- Opt-Out will NOT prevent someone from accessing programs
- In the event Opt-Out impacts our ability to function, we will reassess as a council what needs to be done

TRANSPARENCY

FAMF BREAKDOWN

We will utilize our website to publish our FAMF breakdowns and services offered

CLASSROOM TALKS

For students who can not attend orientation we will do rounds of fall and winter classroom talks about our services and FAMF fee

ORIENTATION

During student orientation we will make sure to share that FAMF is incorporated into tuition fees so people can opt-out if need be

TABLING

We will regularly table for feedback and questions



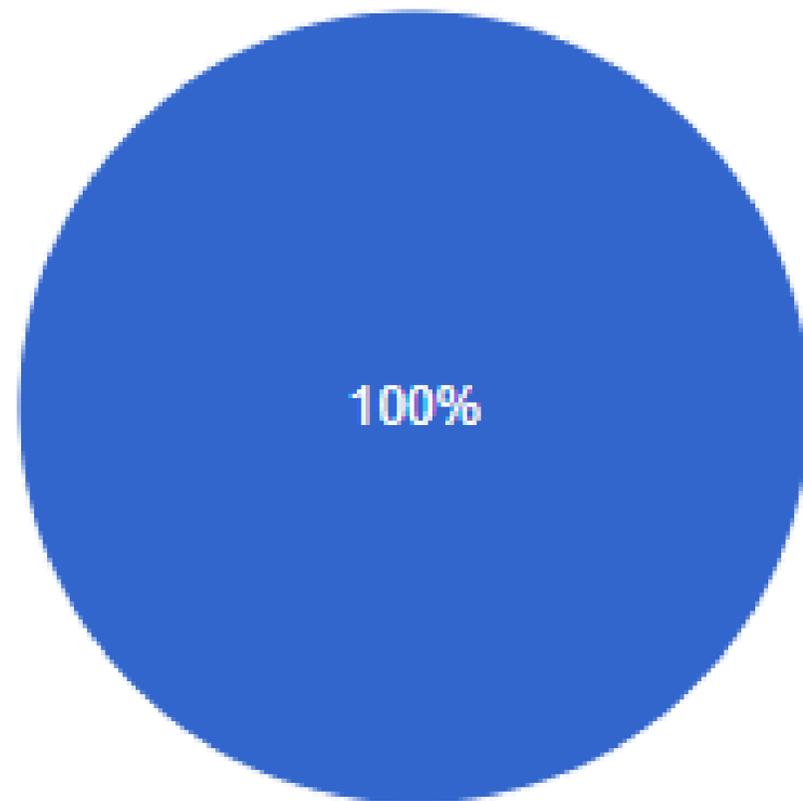
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QUESTION 1

Are you an undergraduate student in the Faculty of Education at the University of Alberta?

332 responses



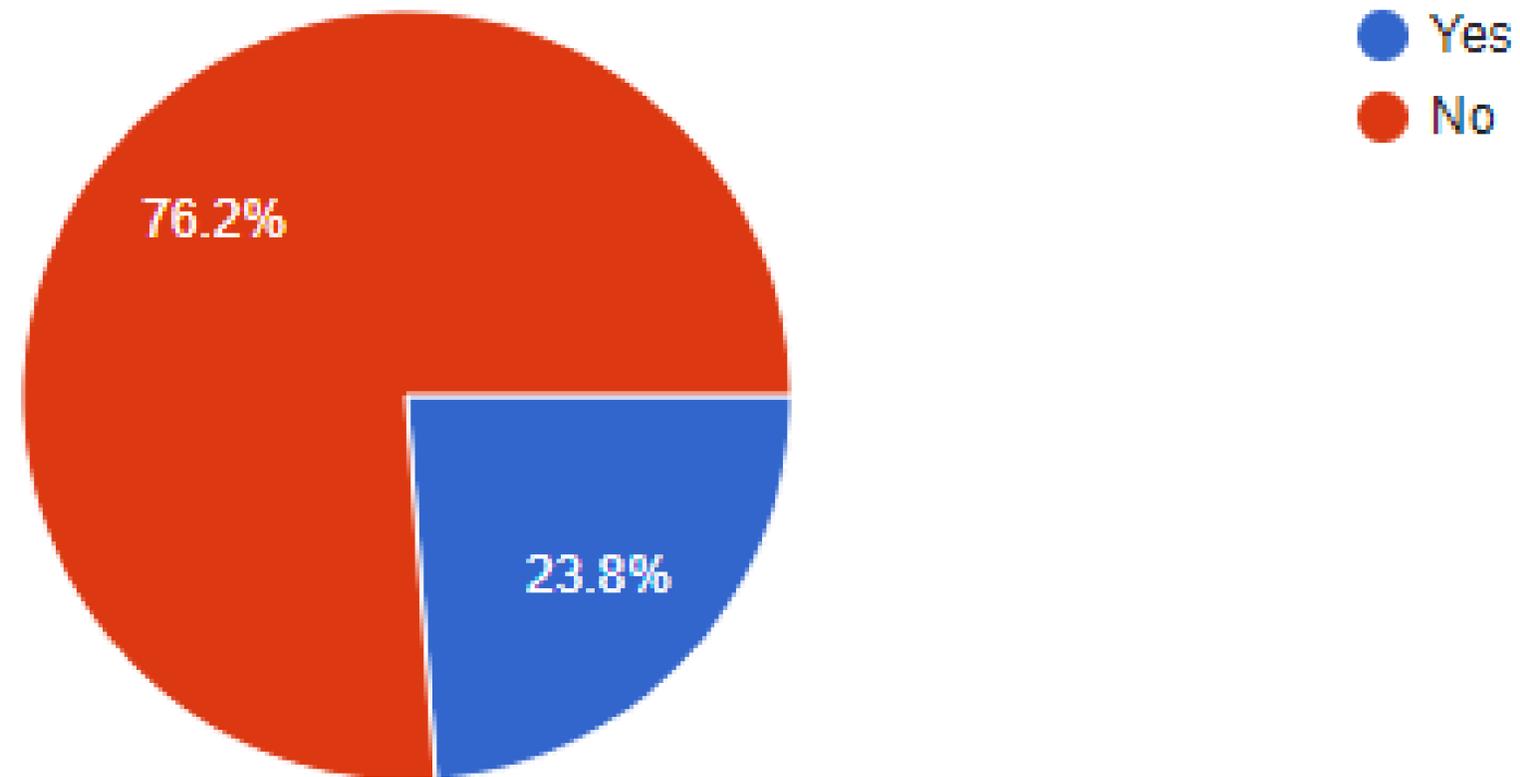
- Yes
- No



QUESTION 2

Were you previously aware that you were being charged this fee if you were an undergraduate in the Faculty of Education between 2018-2021?

332 responses

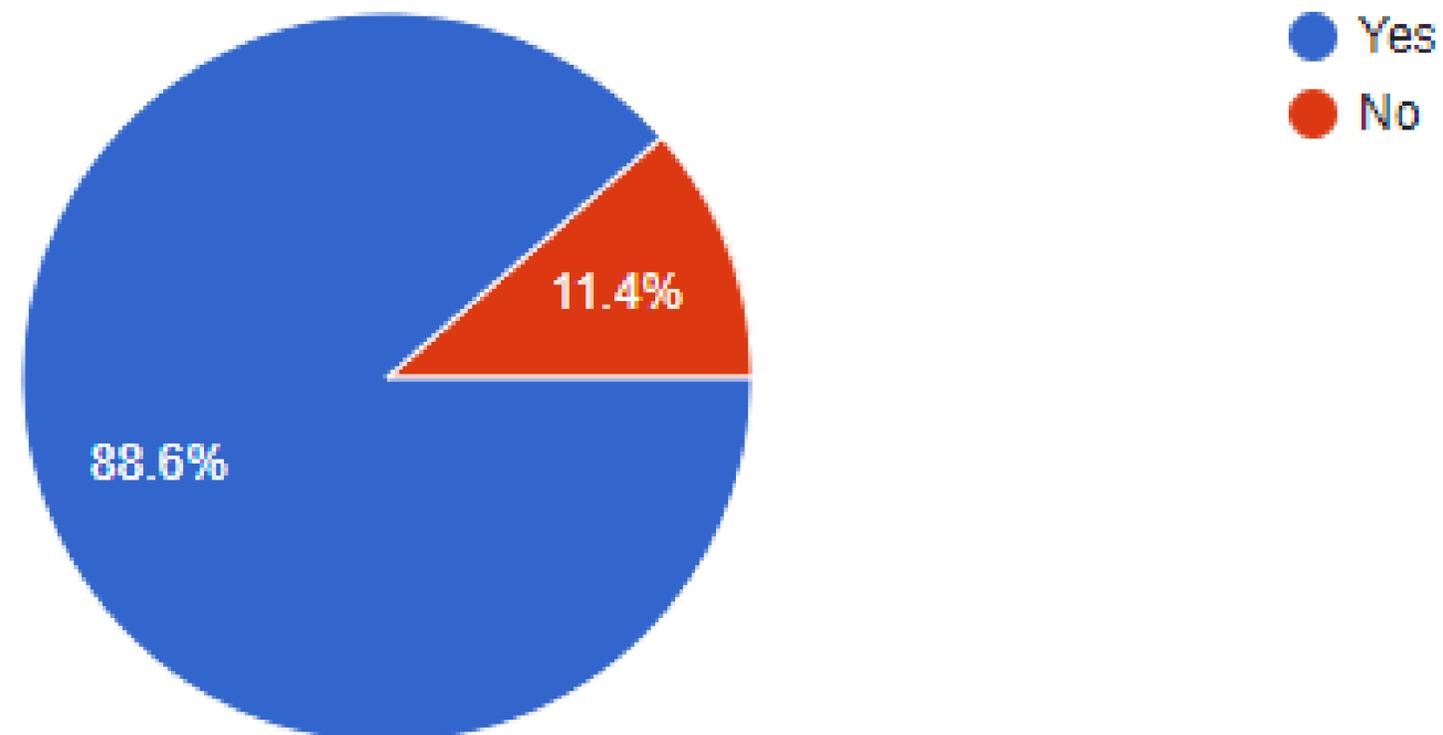


QUESTION 3

Are you in support of this renewal fee being put to a referendum in March of 2022? The fee would start being collected in Fall Term 2022 until the expiration date of the fee on August 31, 2025.



332 responses



"I support the FAMF and I think the money goes towards good things. I do not think a referendum is necessary because the FAMF should continue."

I do support FAMF because the ESA uses this money in a way that supports the students. As a previous member of the Kinesiology, Sport, and Recreation Student Society, we had to fundraise any time we needed money or wanted to plan things for the students. If we had the support of \$7 from every KSR student I feel like we would be able to host more events that are directed at supporting the students through their schooling. I have used the resources provided by the ESA and I will continue to support them.



OTHER RESPONSES

"I do support FAMF because I support any program that supports students and adds to the university experience".

"Developing a sense of community is important and these fees seem to help accomplish that end".

"I believe strongly in the work that the ESA do for education students. Their events and support are very beneficial to education students!"



QUESTION 5

Asked about what people thought about the allocations and if anything should change

RESULTS

The most common response was no suggestions or changes. We did get a few suggestions and have considered them as an executive and considered it too complex or against our mandate

QUESTION 6

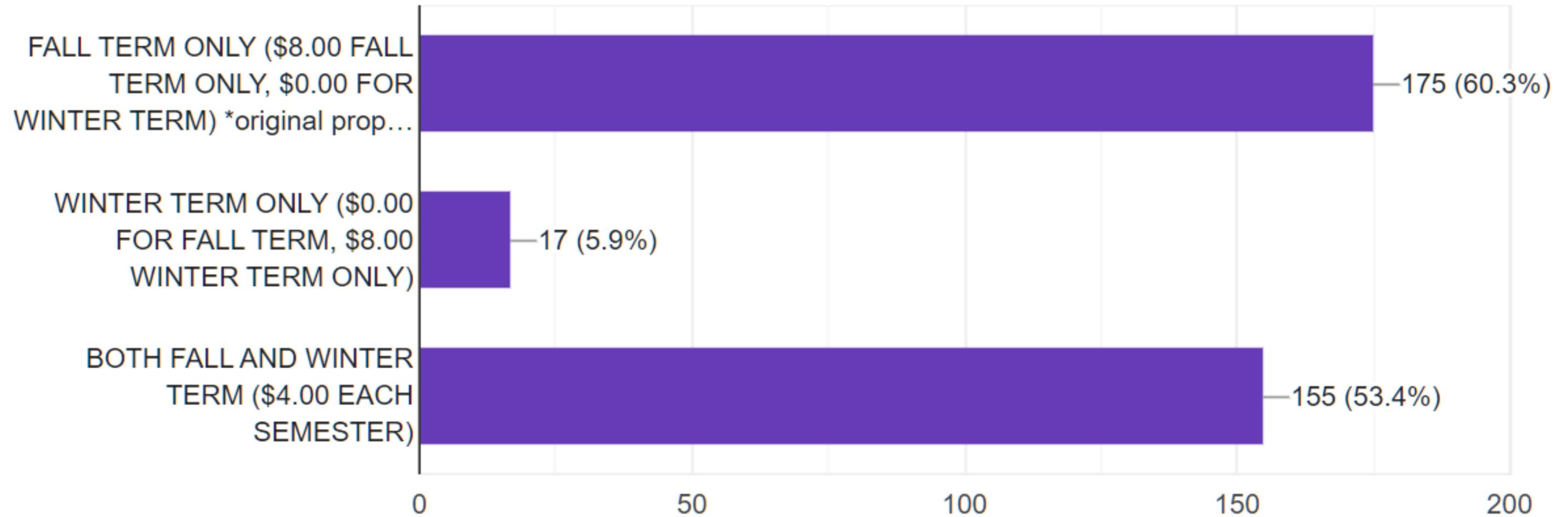
Do you have any concerns about paying the \$8.00 fee?

RESULTS

The most common response was no. Some respondents did indicate feeling as though they could not afford the fee. Some indicated they are grateful we are keeping the fee fixed despite rising tuition.

When do you want this fee to be taken, if approved? Pick/check some, all, or none of the options below.

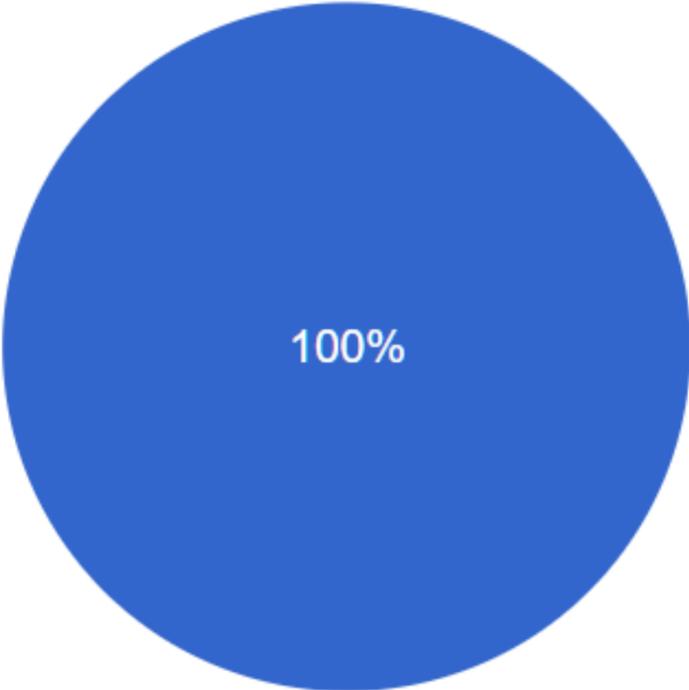
290 responses



Opting Out of FAMF

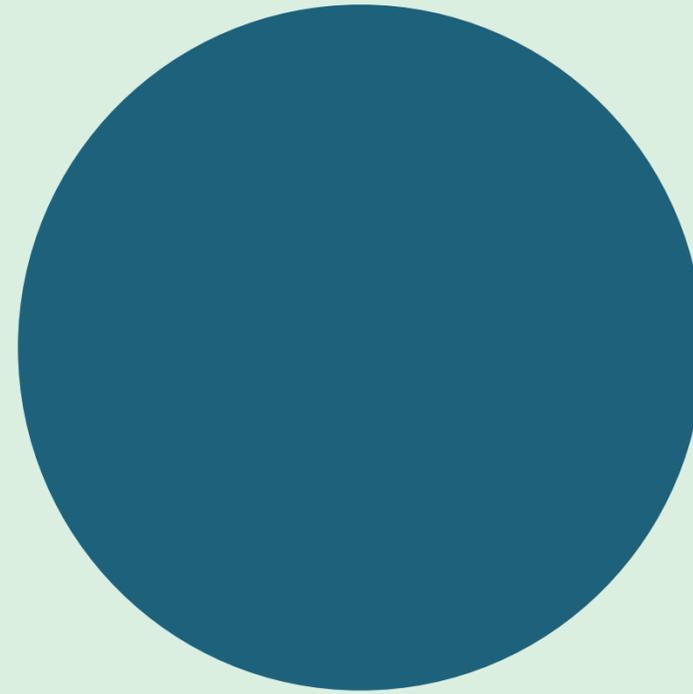
Do you understand that you are able to opt out of FAMF and get refunded by contacting the ESA before October 31st of the year it is charged?

296 responses

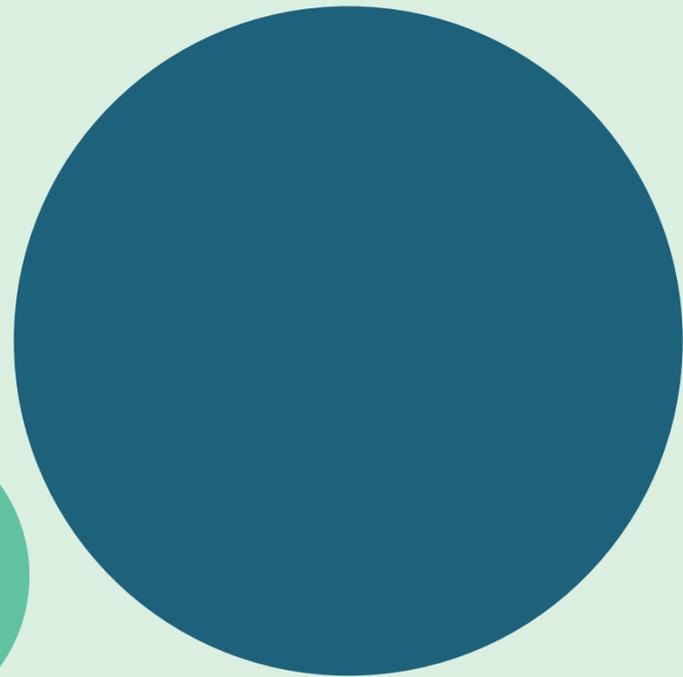


● Yes

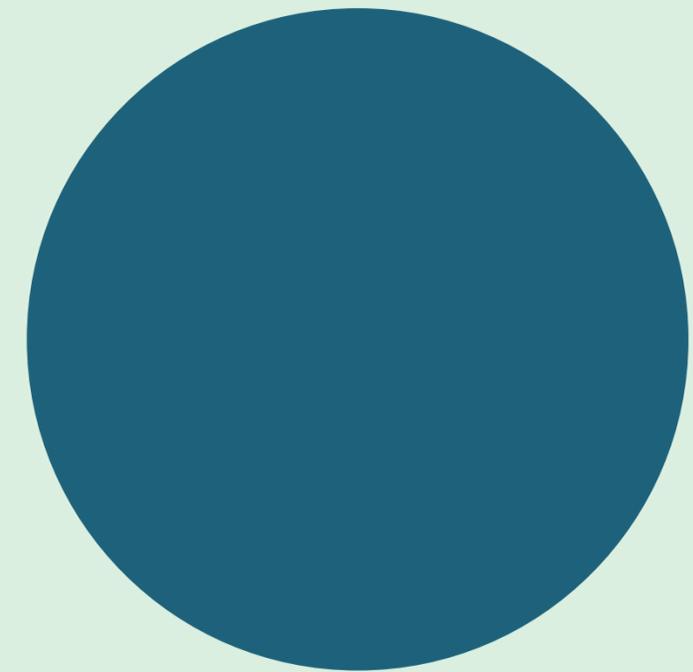
OPT-OUT REPAYMENT METHODS



Cheque



E-transfer



Cash

CONCLUSION

- \$8.00 per year to be renewed in 2025
- Charged to all students once, in the fall semester
- Opt-out available before October 31st of each year
- Transparency will be proactive from now on
- Services will still be available for individuals who opt-out
- External funding will continue to be explored

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Questions?

Thank you.

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