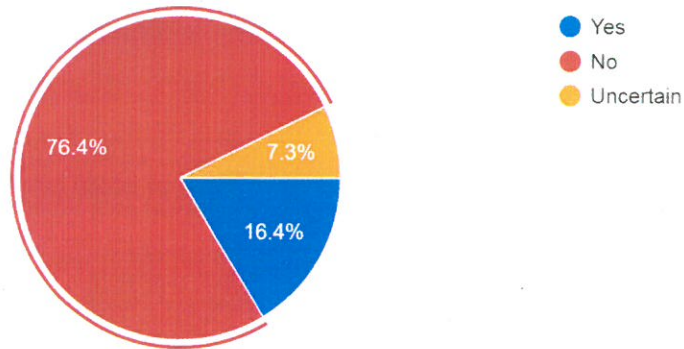


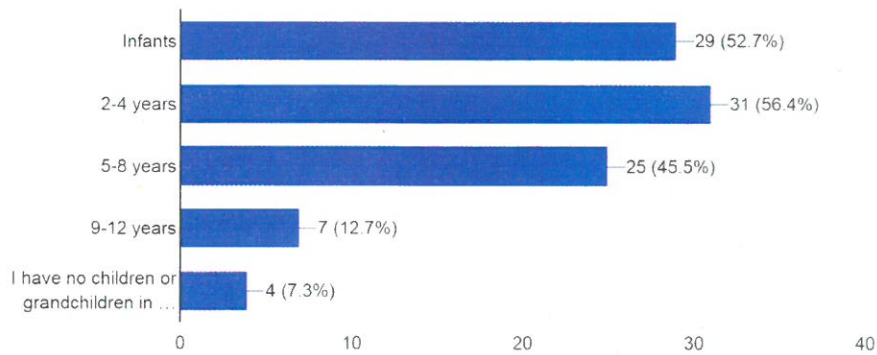
## Do you feel that the communities of Corwith, Wesley and Lu Verne have enough daycare providers already?

55 responses



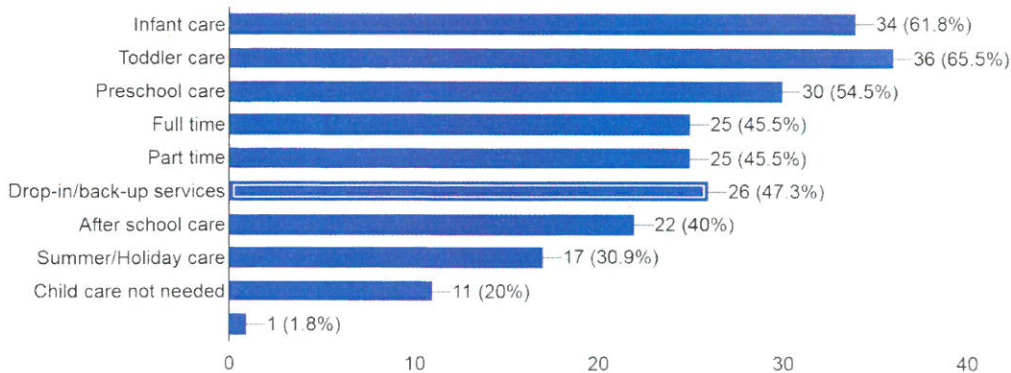
## I have children/grandchildren that are: (choose all that apply)?

55 responses



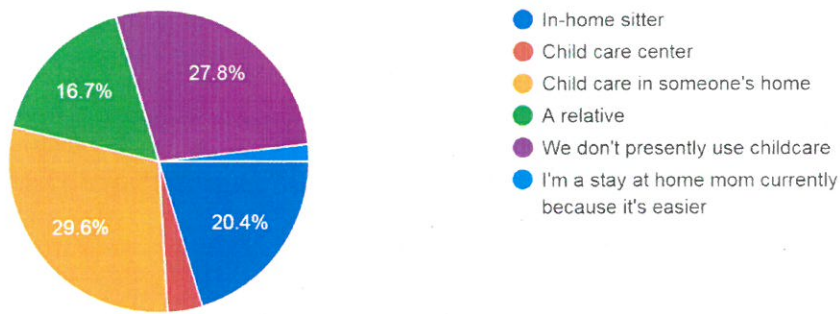
## What type(s) of on-site child care services do you think you might need in the next 3 years (check all that apply)?

55 responses



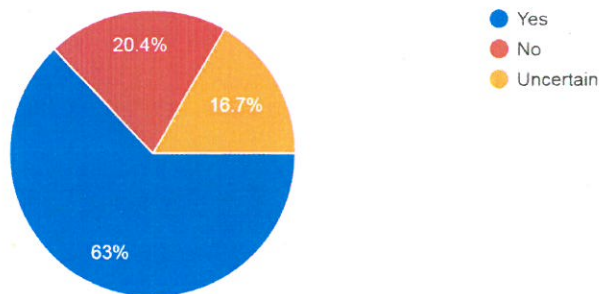
What type of child care arrangement do you currently have (if you have children or grandchildren in our area presently in child care) ?

54 responses



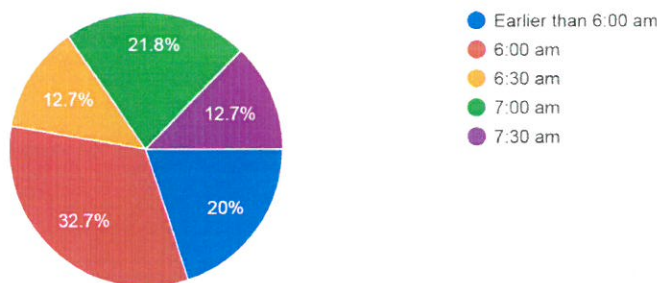
I would send my child/grandchild(ren) to the Lu Verne Elementary School IF an economical daycare was provided at that site.

54 responses



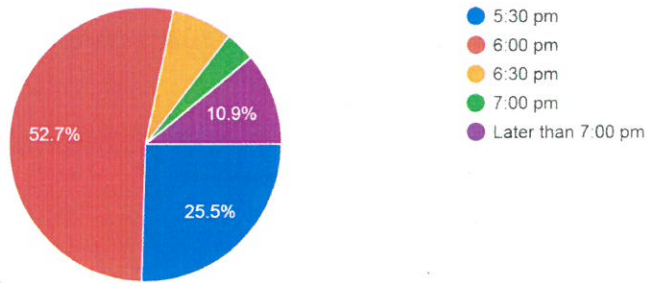
If Lu Verne Elementary had a daycare, I feel the facility should be OPEN BY (choose one):

55 responses



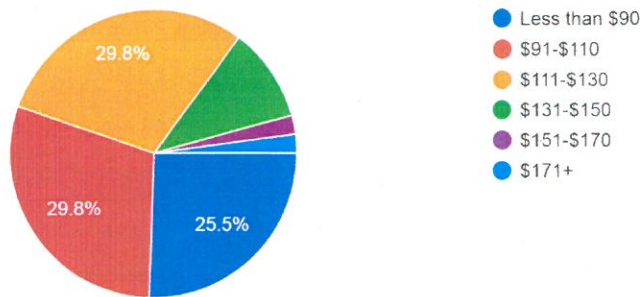
If Lu Verne Elementary had a daycare, I feel the facility should be OPEN UNTIL (choose one):

55 responses



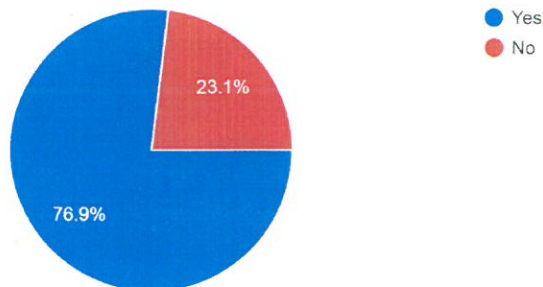
If you presently have children in daycare or plan on having children in daycare, what are you willing to pay (... care per week? (choose one response)

47 responses



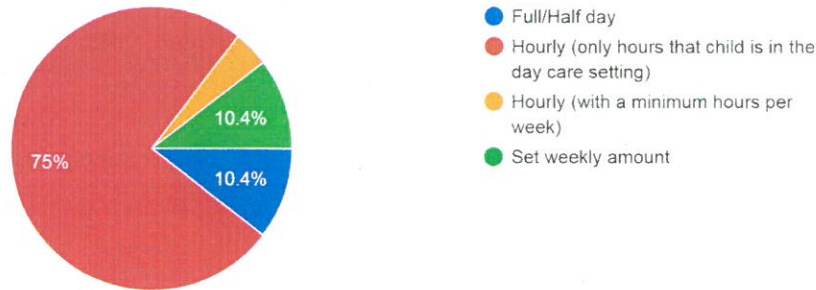
If you presently have children in daycare, does your weekly cost include the cost for meals and snacks? (select one...n daycare you may skip this question)

39 responses



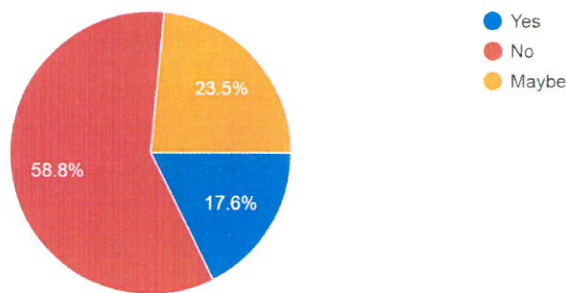
Would you prefer to pay for child care on the following basis (choose one response):

48 responses



Would your family be interested in information about income subsidized child care assistance?

51 responses



#### Results:

The results of the survey were shared with the Lu Verne Board of Education at their February 21, 2019 regular board meeting. The board discussed the 11 questions and the implication for our district. After much discussion it was the consensus of the board that the administration keep exploring the possibility of having a daycare on site in the elementary building.

Since the survey is complete, the next step in the process will be for the district to publish a flyer to be delivered to all patrons asking for people who are interested in our daycare to call or email and leave their name, number and what ages of children they would have to possibly attend the daycare. They wouldn't have to guarantee us they would bring their children, but it would give us an idea on the ages and number of kids potentially in our program.

After we receive the number of possible children in our program the administrative team would crunch the numbers to see if it is feasible for us to have a daycare that is self supporting. This will then be reported back to the board for their input and direction.

If board wants the administration to continue, we then will involve the State of Iowa and the State Fire Marshall in determining the space in our existing building that would best meet this need and/or updating any spaces in our building to meet the codes and requirements of the daycare. This may require some minor updating of our spaces and would include what we would need for furniture and supplies in these spaces. We also will need to look into seeing if we could find potential employees willing to staff this program based on the requirements set forth by the state (with the present unemployment rate in Iowa it could be very difficult to find a both full time and part time staff members.).

As you can see, we have really just begun the process and we will step carefully to make sure it is what's best for the families and kids of our district but also what is best financially for our district. Our goal would be to have a program in place that will help alleviate the lack of affordable daycare in rural Iowa and allow those kids to flow seamlessly into our PreK-5 educational program.

If you have any questions over this survey, please contact me at [jhueser@cwl-csd.org](mailto:jhueser@cwl-csd.org) or 515-882-3357.

Thank you  
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