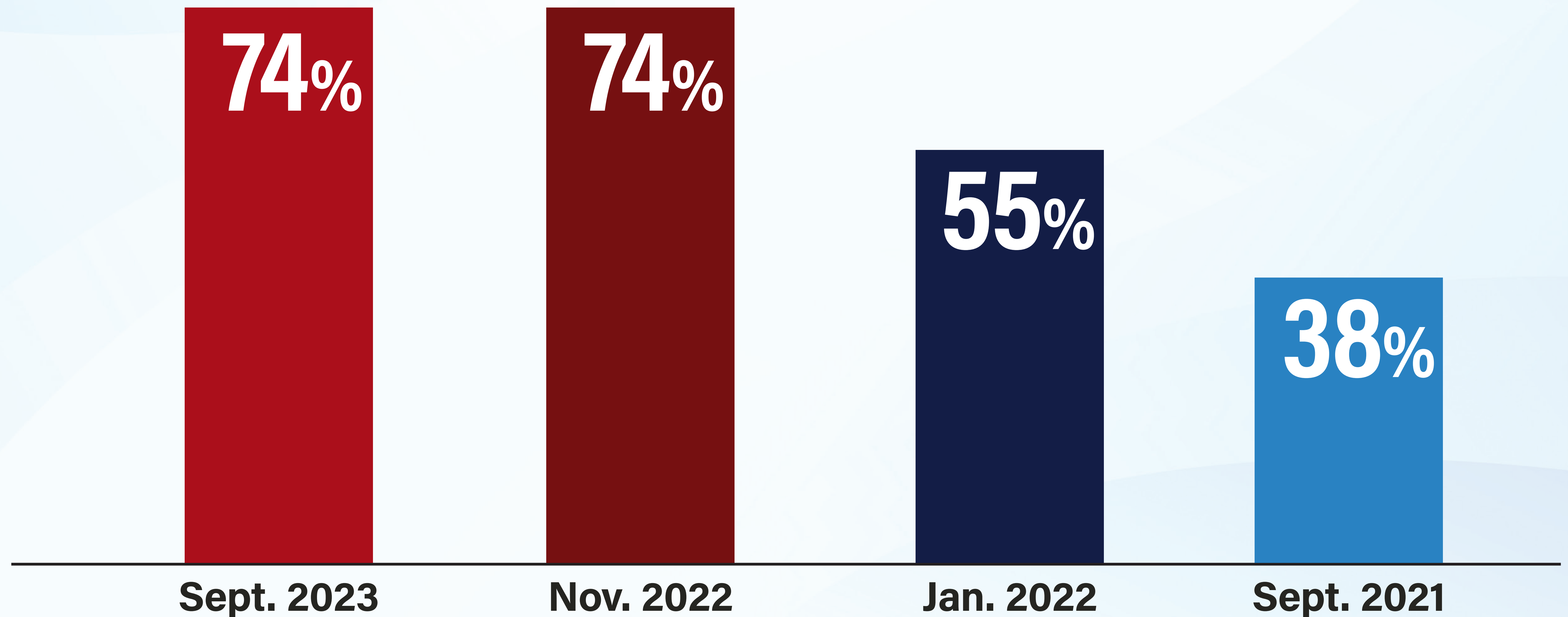
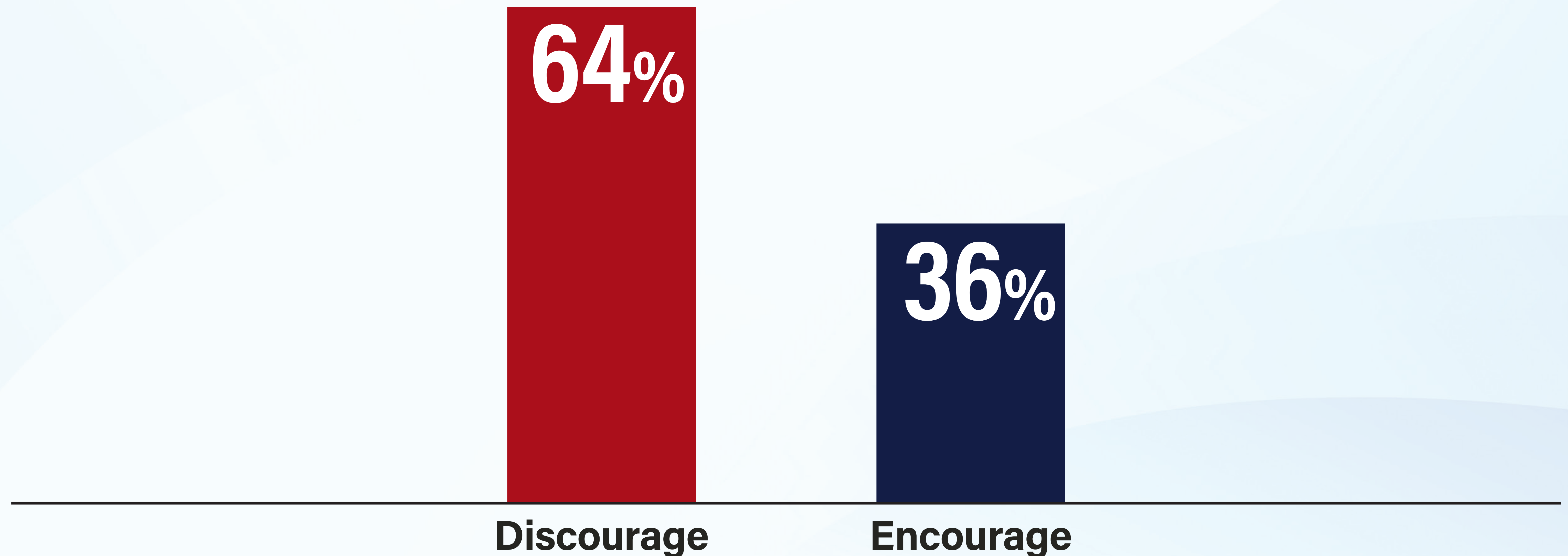


THREE-QUARTERS OF EDUCATORS SAY THEY ARE MORE LIKELY TO LEAVE/RETIRE EARLY



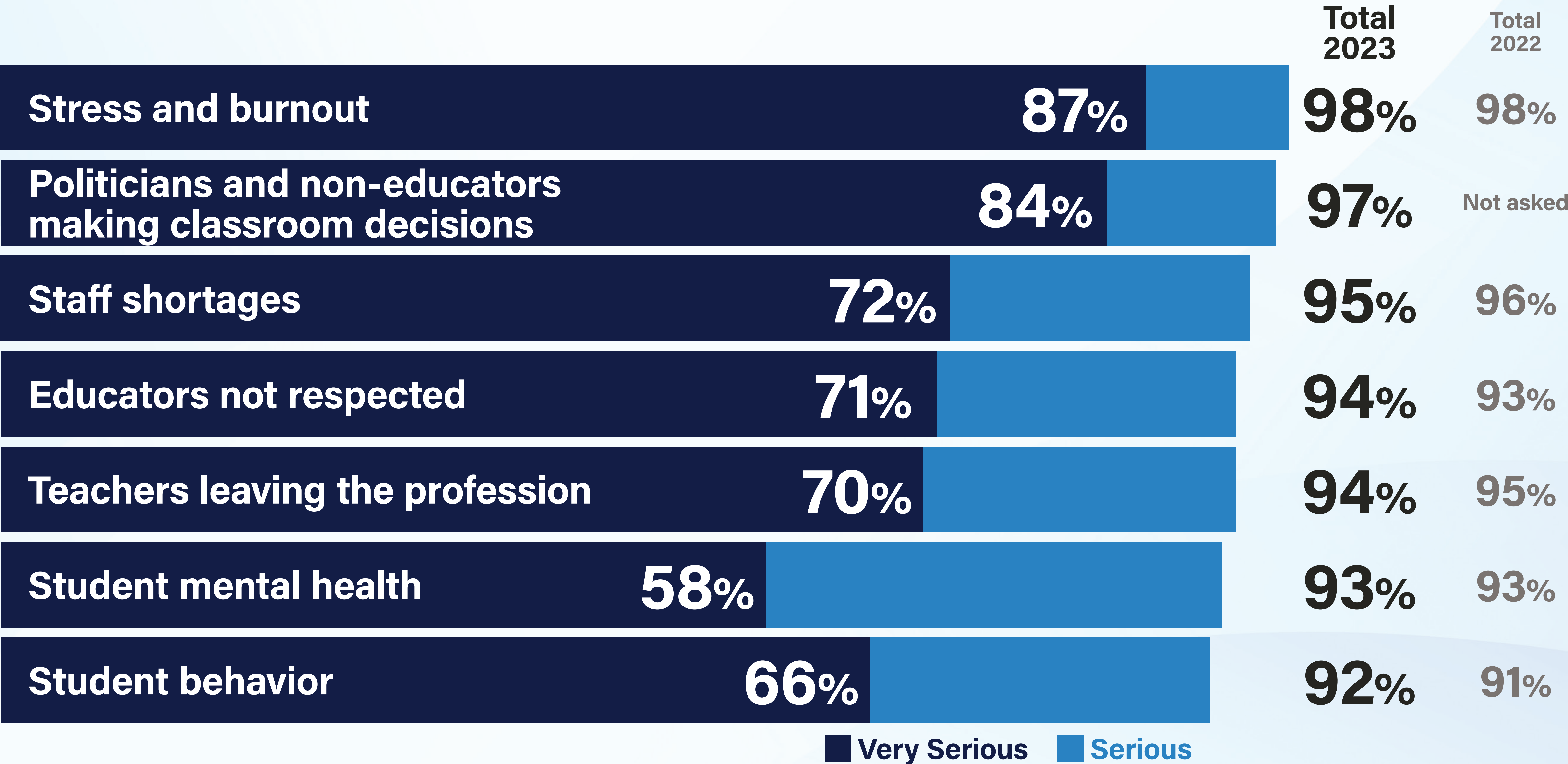
Compared to a few years ago, are you more likely to retire or leave education earlier than you'd planned, more likely to work longer than you'd planned, or is there no difference in your plans?

NEARLY TWO-THIRDS OF EDUCATORS WOULD DISCOURAGE FRIENDS AND FAMILY MEMBERS FROM BECOMING TEACHERS



If a friend or family member were considering becoming a teacher, are you likely to encourage them to enter the teaching profession, or would you discourage them from becoming a teacher?

EDUCATORS' TOP CONCERNS



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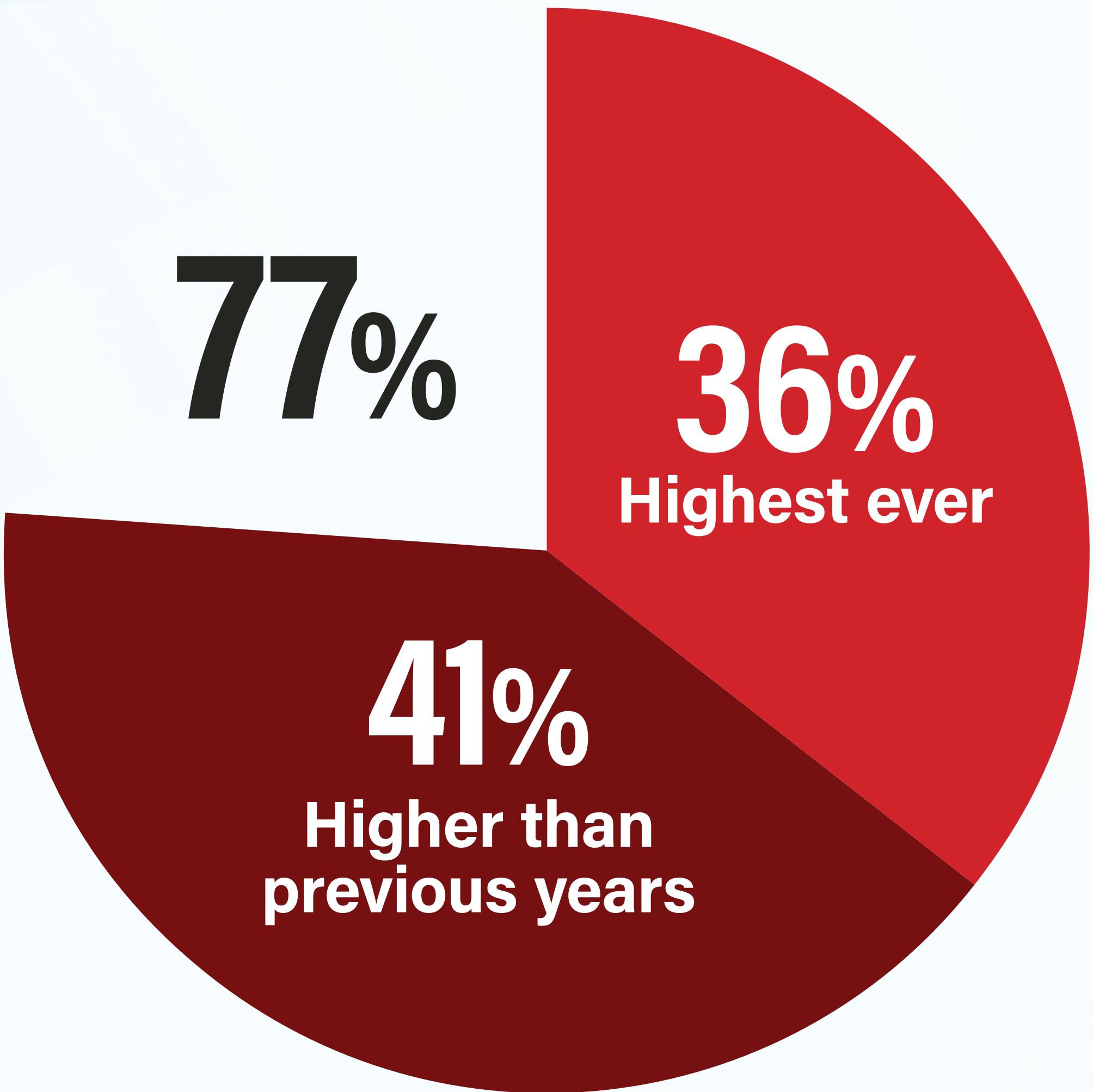
TOP PROPOSALS TO ADDRESS EDUCATOR SHORTAGE

Raise salaries	99%
More planning/prep time	97%
Limit non-teaching duties and excessive paperwork	97%
More effective disciplinary policies	96%
Reduce class sizes	96%
More mental health and behavioral supports for students	95%
More teacher autonomy in instructional practices	94%

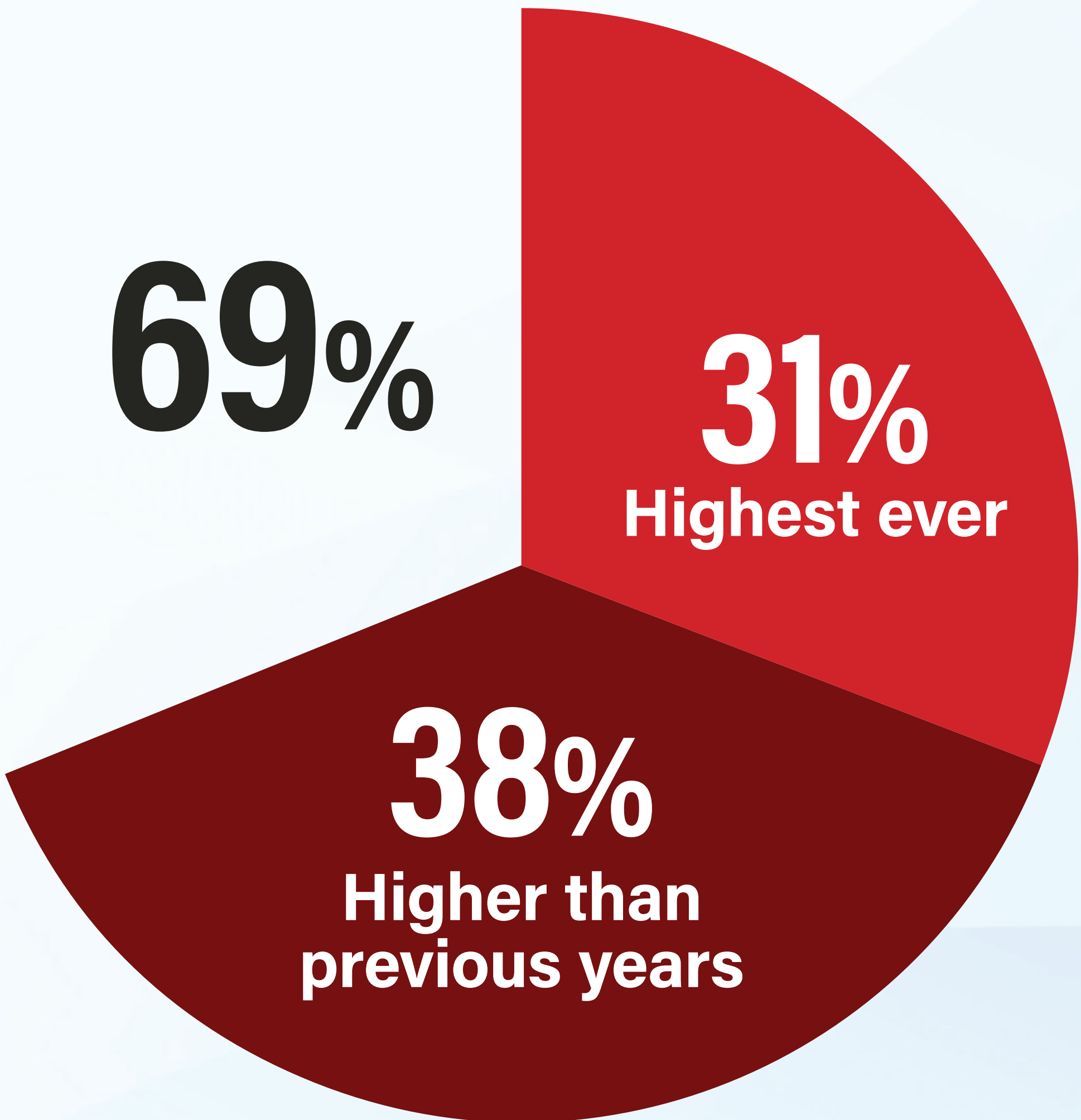


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FRUSTRATION AND BURNOUT LEVELS CONTINUE RISING WITH THREE-QUARTERS OF TEACHERS FEELING THE NEGATIVE IMPACT



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What is your level of frustration and burnout now compared to several years ago?