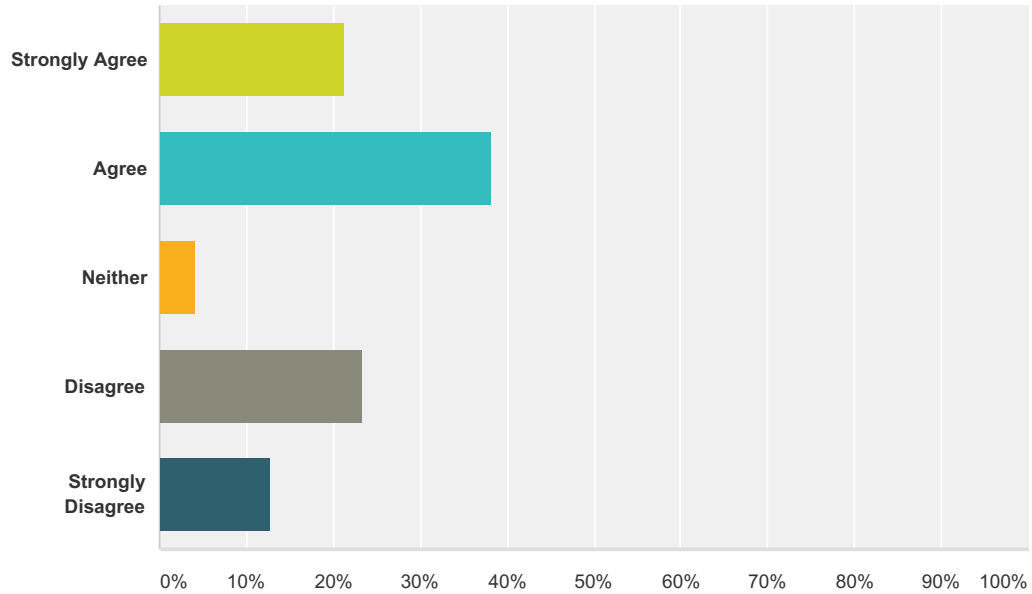


Q1 Council tax Support is 'self-funding'. This means that it costs the same as the amount of the Government grant the Council receives. To what extent do you agree or disagree with reducing people's maximum council tax support in line with this if it were to cost more?

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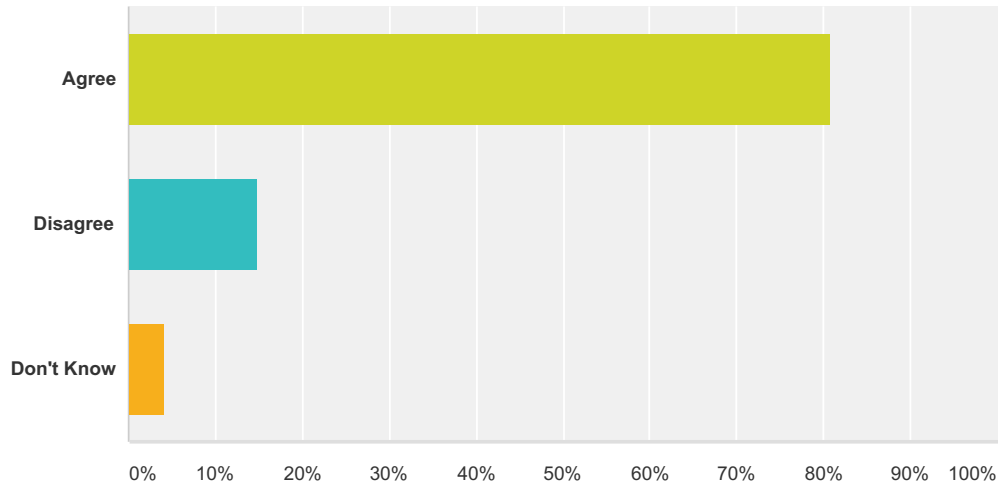


Answer Choices	Responses
Strongly Agree	21.28% 10
Agree	38.30% 18
Neither	4.26% 2
Disagree	23.40% 11
Strongly Disagree	12.77% 6
Total	47

Council Tax Support

Q2 Do you agree or disagree with the principle of all working age claimants paying something towards their council tax bill?

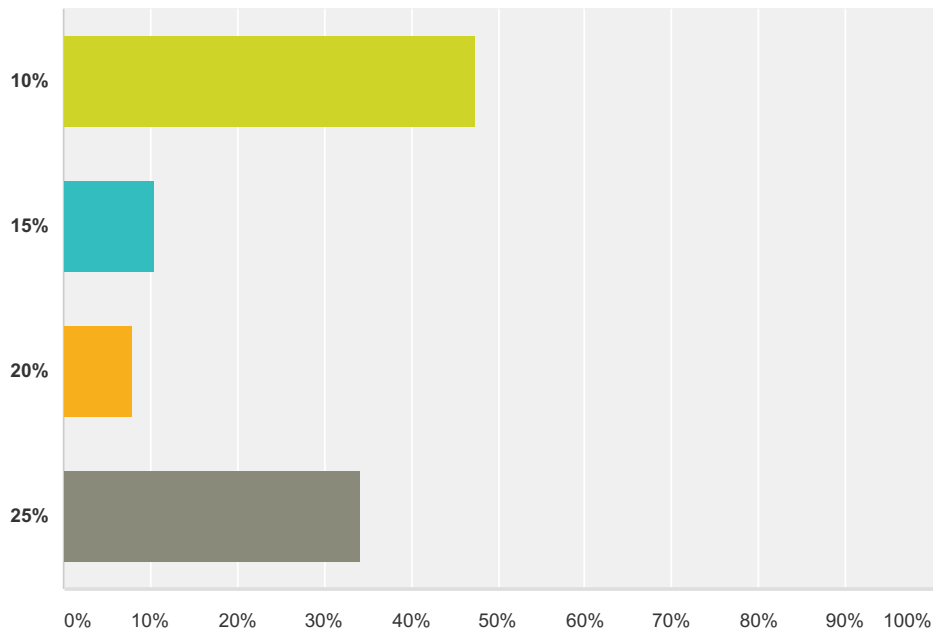
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Answer Choices	Responses	
Agree	80.85%	38
Disagree	14.89%	7
Don't Know	4.26%	2
Total		47

Q3 If you do agree, what level of minimum payment do you think should be applied?

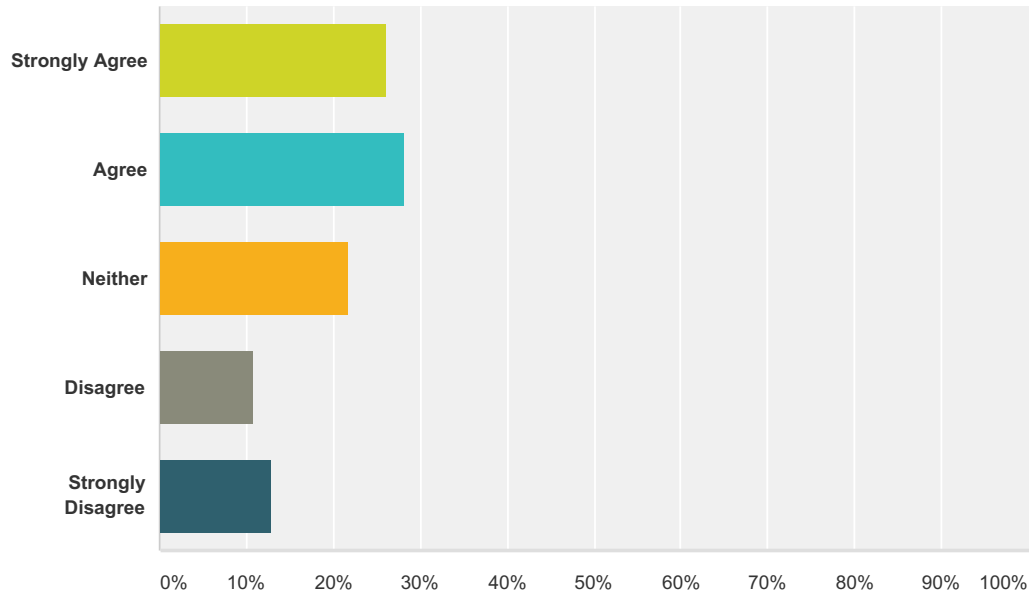
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Answer Choices	Responses	
10%	47.37%	18
15%	10.53%	4
20%	7.89%	3
25%	34.21%	13
Total		38

Q4 To what extent do you agree/disagree with the removal of the family premium (£17.45) for new claimants and for those with children from 1st April 2017 in line with changes to Housing benefit legislation?

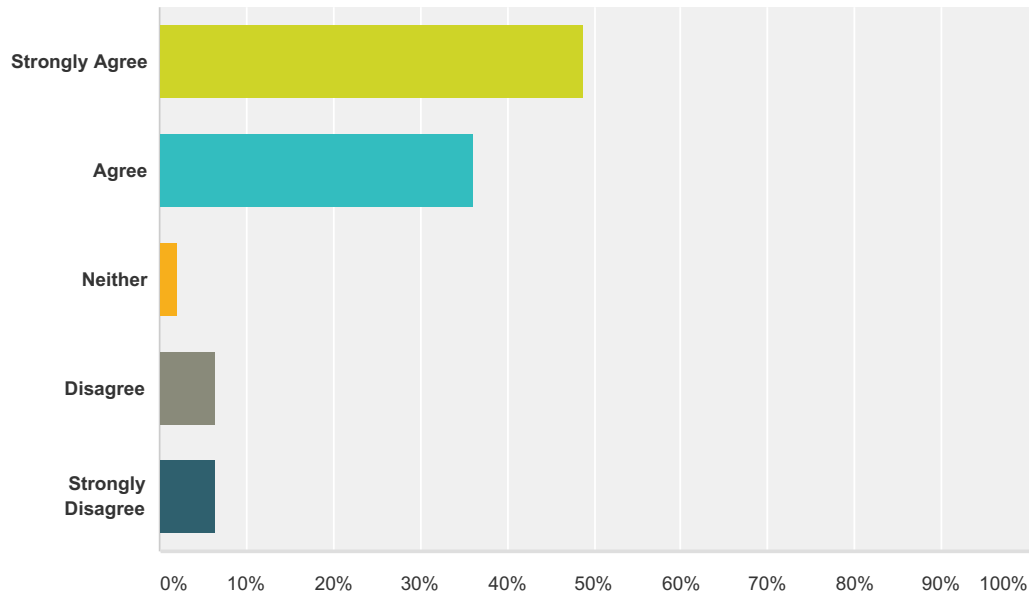
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Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly Agree	26.09%	12
Agree	28.26%	13
Neither	21.74%	10
Disagree	10.87%	5
Strongly Disagree	13.04%	6
Total		46

Q5 A claimant is only allowed to be absent from Great Britain for up to 4 weeks at a time (previously 13 weeks) before their Housing Benefit claim is closed. Do you agree/disagree that this should be introduced into local council tax support in line with this?

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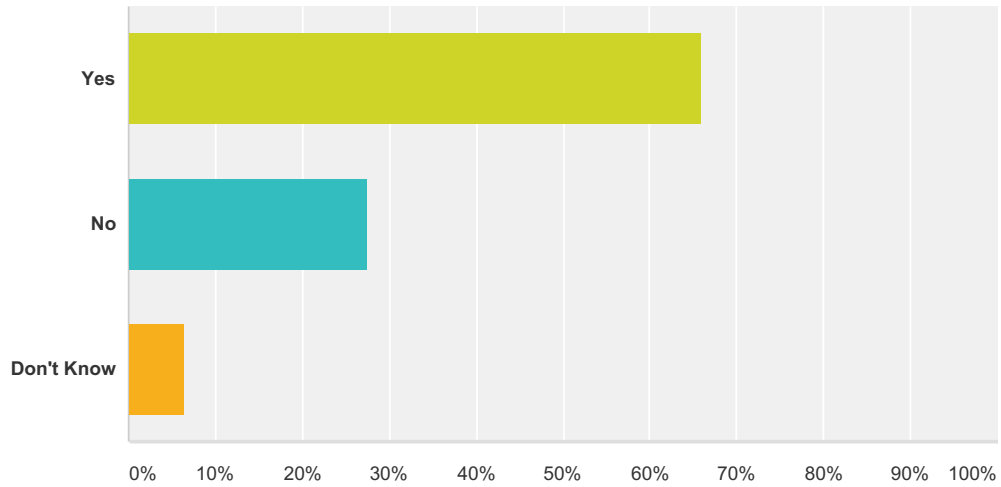


Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly Agree	48.94%	23
Agree	36.17%	17
Neither	2.13%	1
Disagree	6.38%	3
Strongly Disagree	6.38%	3
Total		47

Council Tax Support

Q6 At the moment, a person can get their council tax support backdated for up to 6 months if they have a valid reason for not claiming on time. Do you feel this should be reduced in line to 1 month?

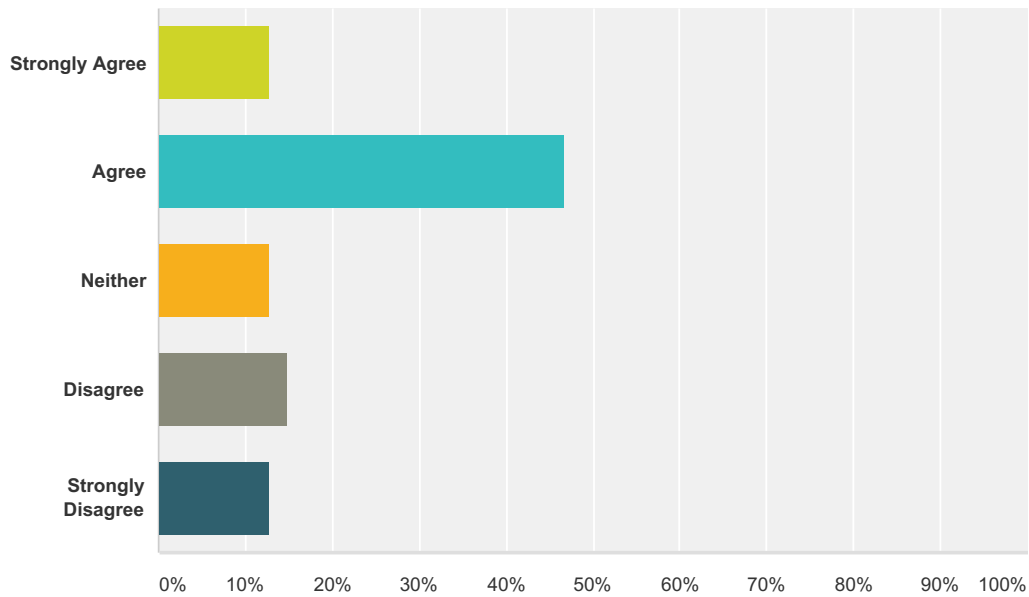
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Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	65.96% 31
No	27.66% 13
Don't Know	6.38% 3
Total	47

Q7 The Government has introduced a 'Minimum Income Floor' for those who are self-employed and claiming universal credit. This means that anyone after an initial designated start up business period (12 months) that their income will be assumed at 35 hours a week at National Living Wage (regardless of the hours you actually work, and whether or not your income meets this level). This is proposed to incentivise people into growing and expanding their business. To what extent do you agree/disagree this should be implemented into the local council tax support scheme?

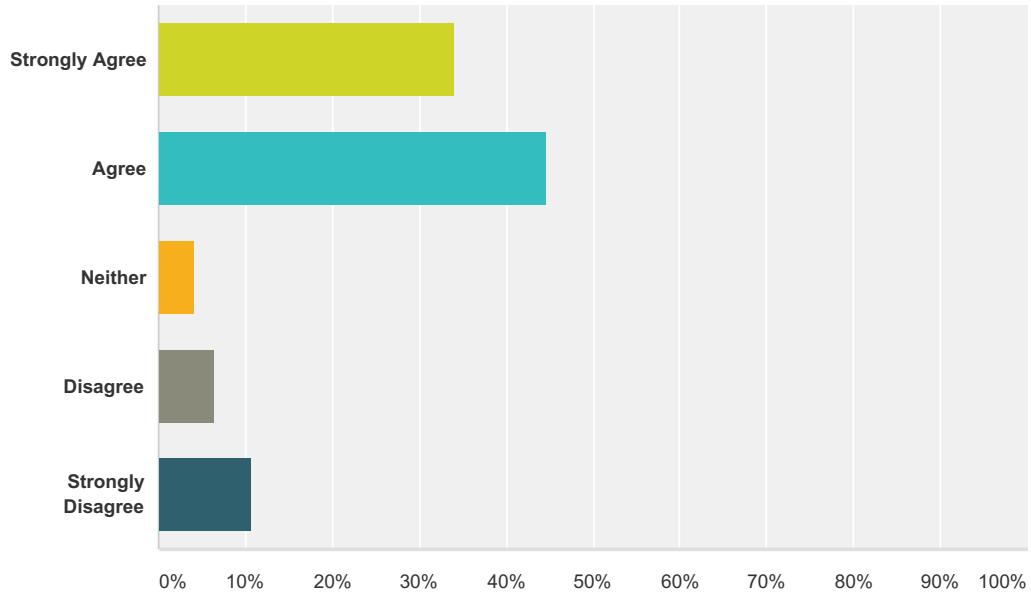
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Answer Choices	Responses	Count
Strongly Agree	12.77%	6
Agree	46.81%	22
Neither	12.77%	6
Disagree	14.89%	7
Strongly Disagree	12.77%	6
Total		47

Q8 From April 2017 limiting the child element to two children for new claims and births after April 2017 will be introduced. We are proposing to include these restrictions to LCTS alongside housing benefit. To what extent do you agree/disagree with this change?

Answered: 47 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly Agree	34.04%	16
Agree	44.68%	21
Neither	4.26%	2
Disagree	6.38%	3
Strongly Disagree	10.64%	5
Total		47

Q9 Do you have any other views or comments on these proposed changes?

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