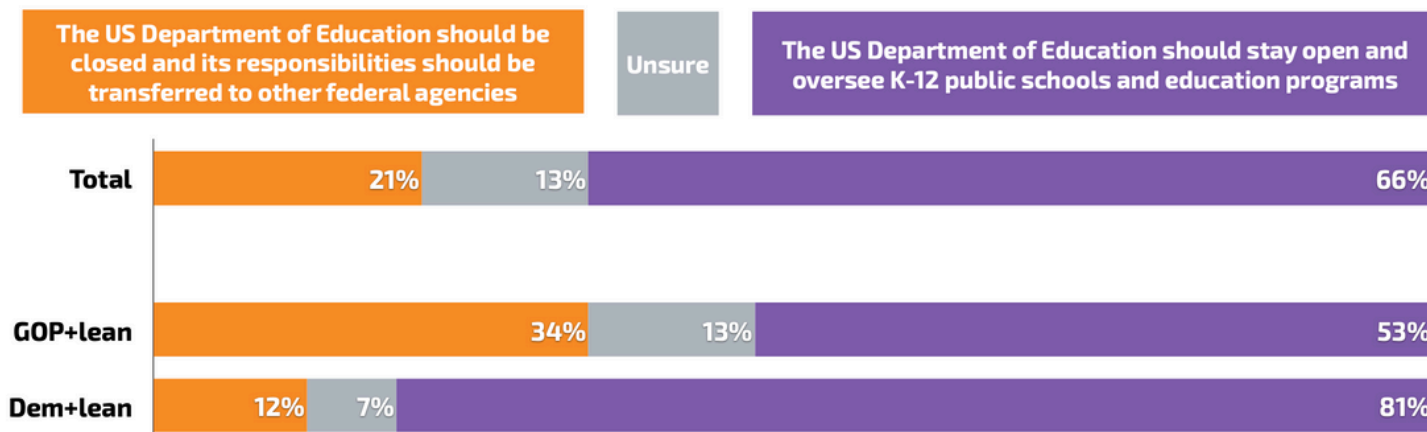


NEW POLL ALERT: Parents Support the Department of Education

When asked about closing the Department of Education and transferring responsibilities to specific other federal agencies, 66% say ED should stay open – including most Republicans

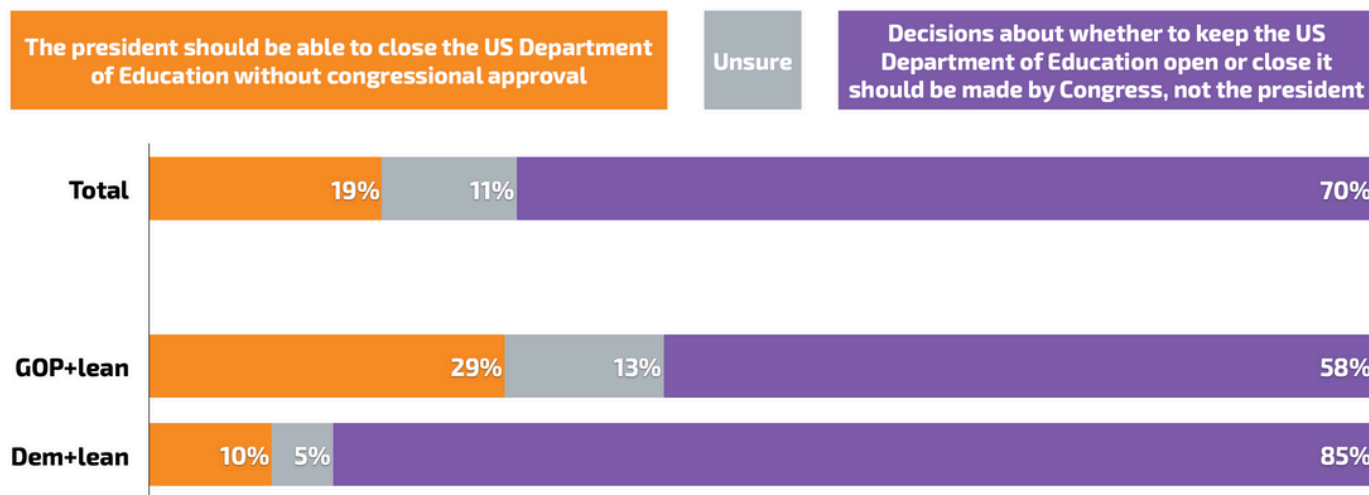
Q. The federal Department of Education has overseen K-12 public schools and education programs. President Trump has proposed closing the Department of Education and moving programs to other federal agencies, including the Department of Labor, Department of Health and Human Services, Department of the Interior, and the State Department. Which best describes your view?



N=1,516 parents of public school students in grades kindergarten through 12th grade, conducted December 10–15, 2025



Majority of parents in both parties agree Congress, not the President, should decide the future of the Department of Education



Q. Making changes to the structure of the federal government like closing the Department of Education requires an act of Congress. Do you think...?
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