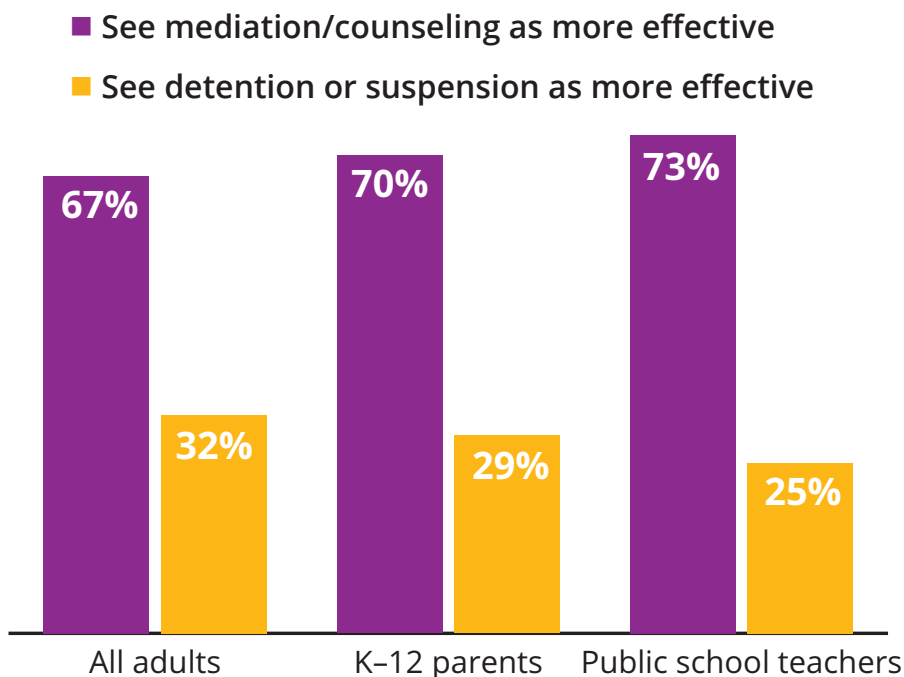


# Poll: Mediation is Preferred Approach to Discipline

More than two-thirds of teachers, parents, and the public view mediation as preferable to detentions or suspensions in dealing with student misbehavior, according to the 2019 PDK Poll.



Among other findings, however, the poll found that only 53% of teachers and 59% of parents trust their school to administer discipline fairly. Trust drops to only 40% among black parents.

