

# **Youth Budget Forum - May 11, 2022**

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How old are you?

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## What school do you attend?

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Godinez High School  
Los Amigos Sanata Ana High Chapman  
Century Segerstrom Segerstrom high school Saddleback Highschool  
**Santa Ana High School**

Godinez Fundamental High School

Century High School

Godinez

# What extracurricular activities do you participate in school?

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# What is your favorite animal?

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## How often do you visit the Santa Ana Zoo?

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Every few years



Every year



Every few months



Rarely



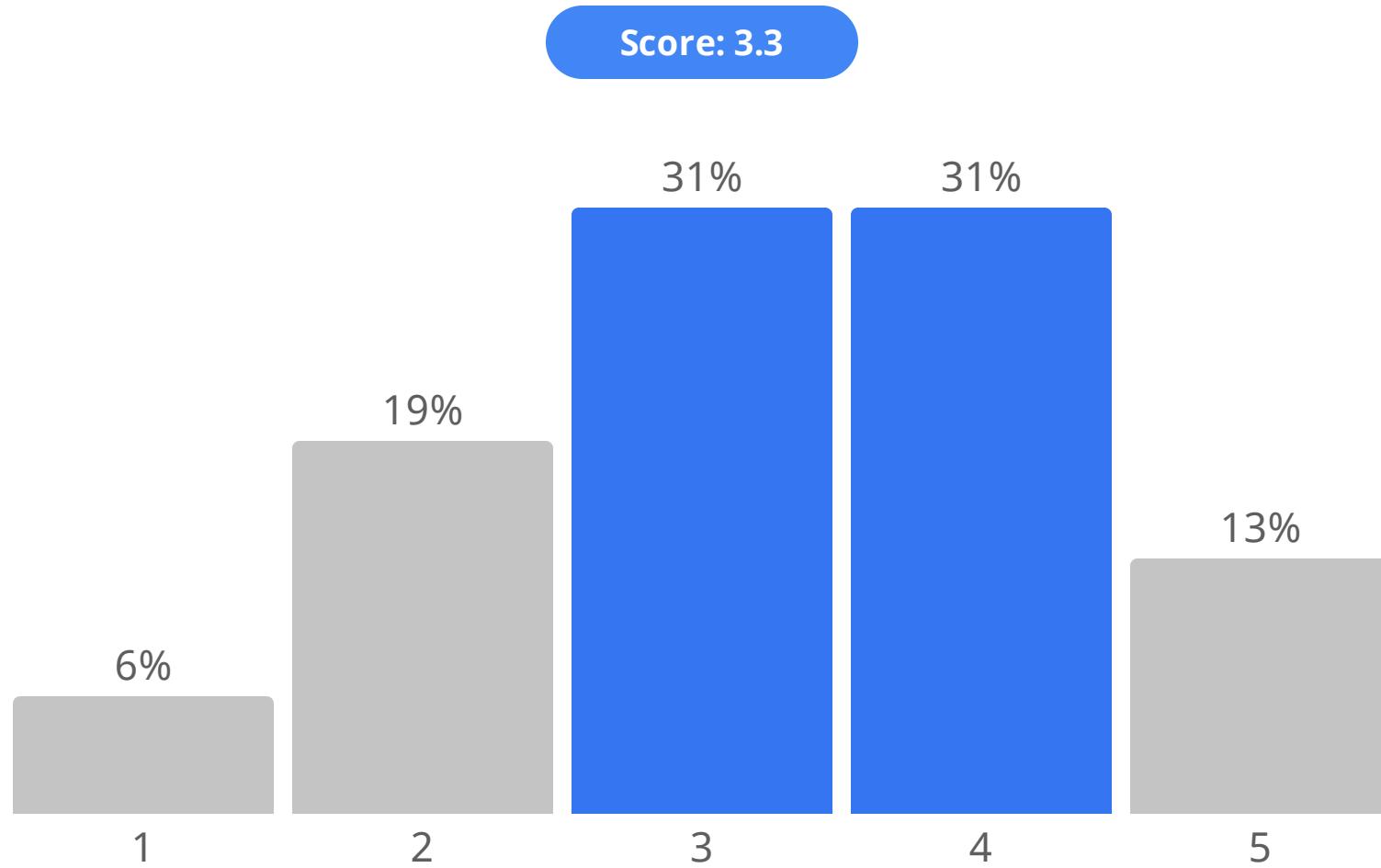
Never been





# How would you rate the quality of our Zoo?

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What types of programs/exhibits would you like to see added to the Zoo?

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More Outreach to SAUSD schools  
Petting zoo, rabbits animals  
Gorillas different clubs Interships  
Felines age zoo groups Gophers  
Jaugar more animals Snakes  
Giraffe Raccoons More exotic birds  
Intro to Zoology Workshops

## How often do you visit the Santa Ana Library (Main or Newhope)?

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(1/2)

Never



It's My First Time Here



Every few years



Every few months



Every few weeks



## How often do you visit the Santa Ana Library (Main or Newhope)?

(2/2)

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Every week

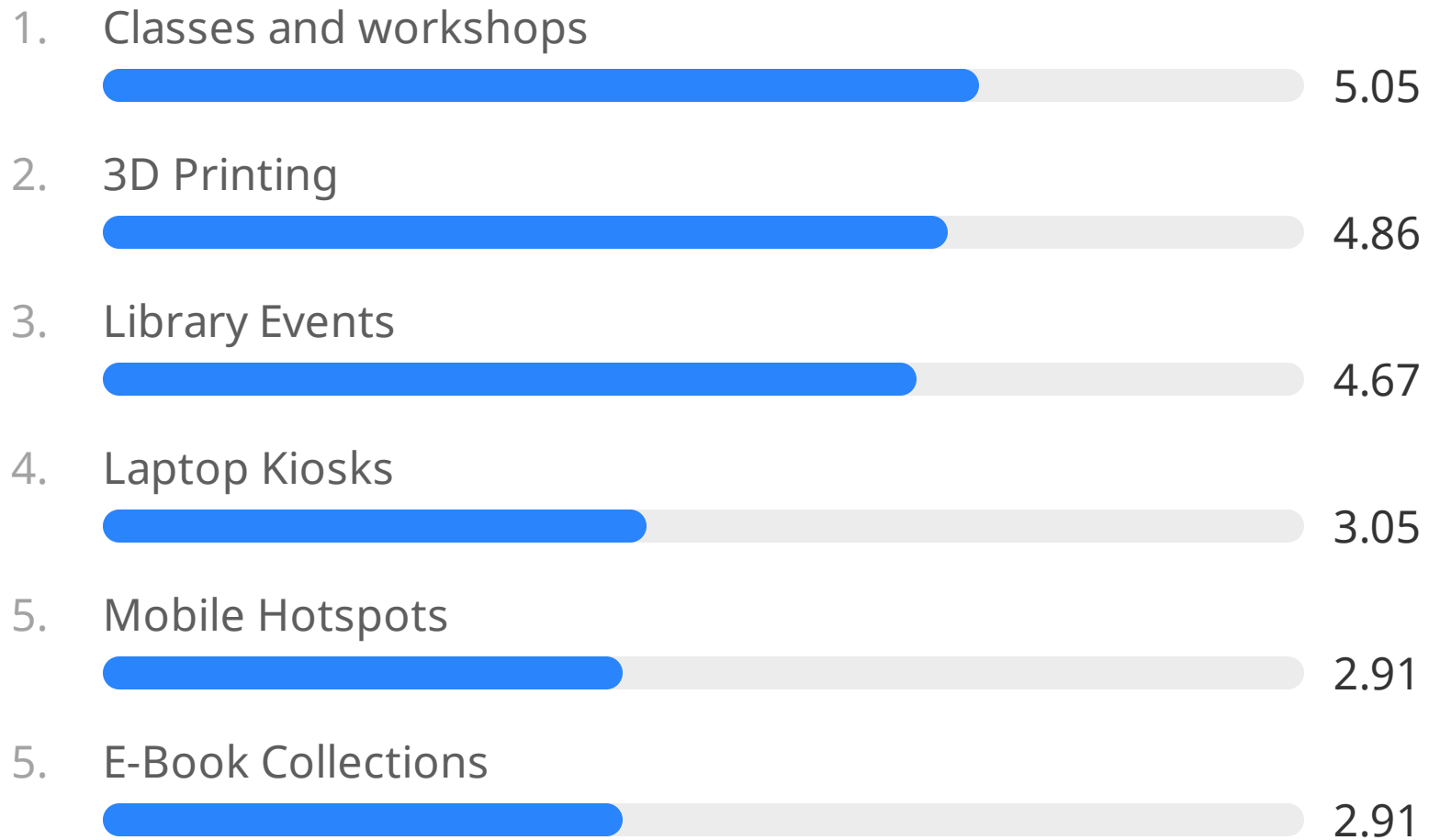


Multiple days a week



**Please rank the following library services**  
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**Please rank the following library services**  
(2/2)

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7. Online Tutoring



# What other types of programs/services would you like to see at the Library?

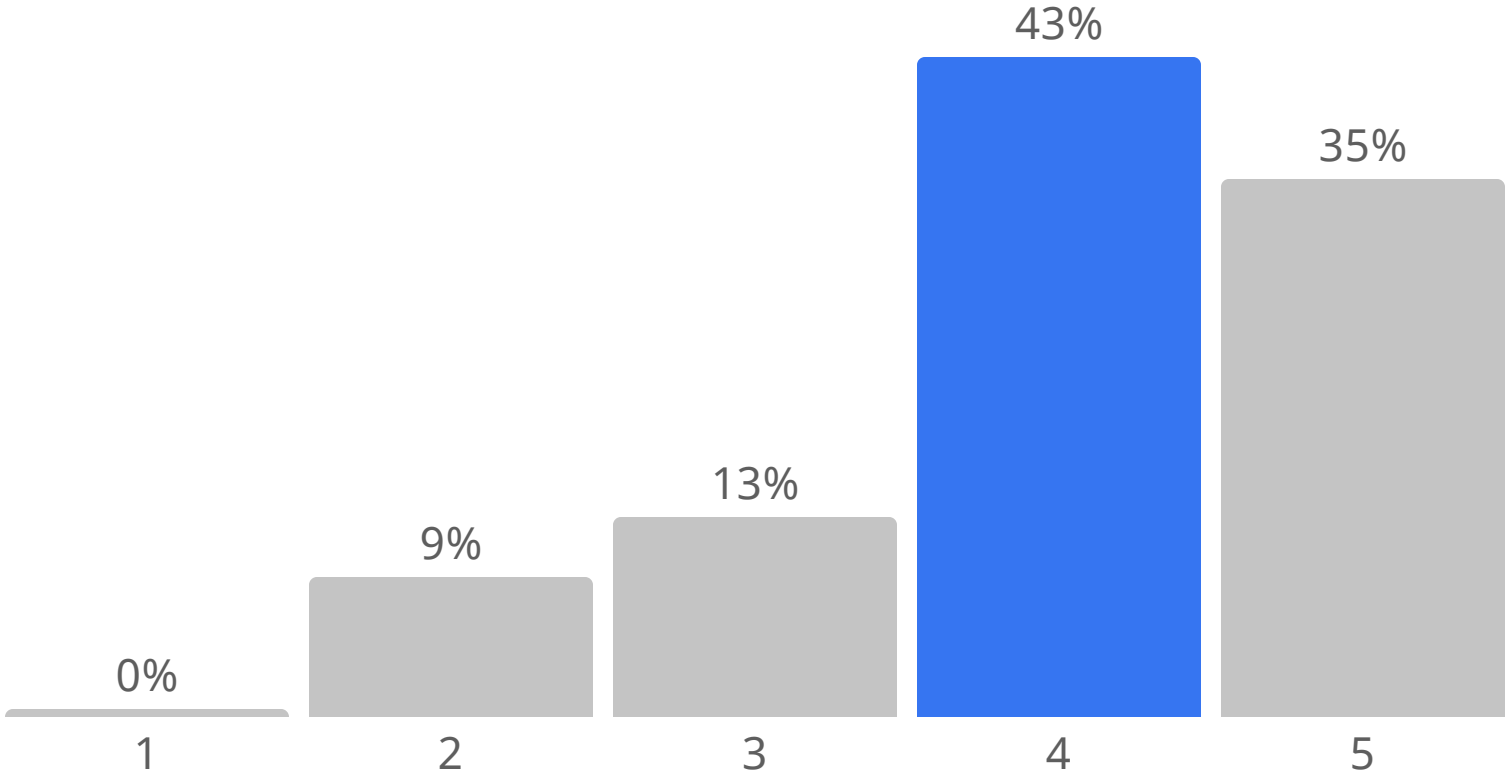
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# How would you rate the quality of our Libraries?

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Score: 4.0





## How often do you utilize the parks in the city?

0 2 5

Rarely



Every few months



Every few weeks



Every few days



Every day



## What type of activities do you prefer?

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Indoor



Outdoor

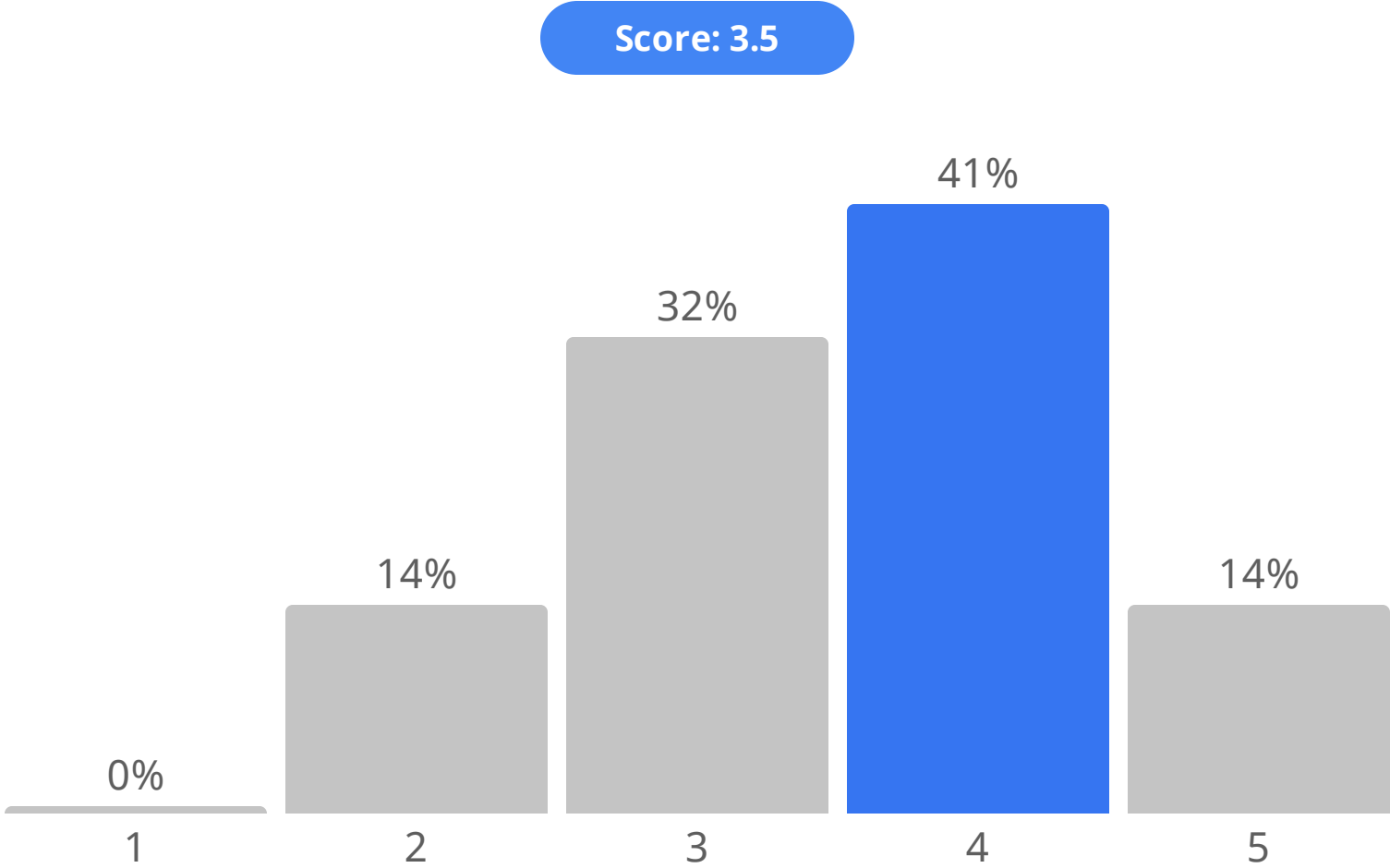


Both



# How would you rate the quality of our Parks?

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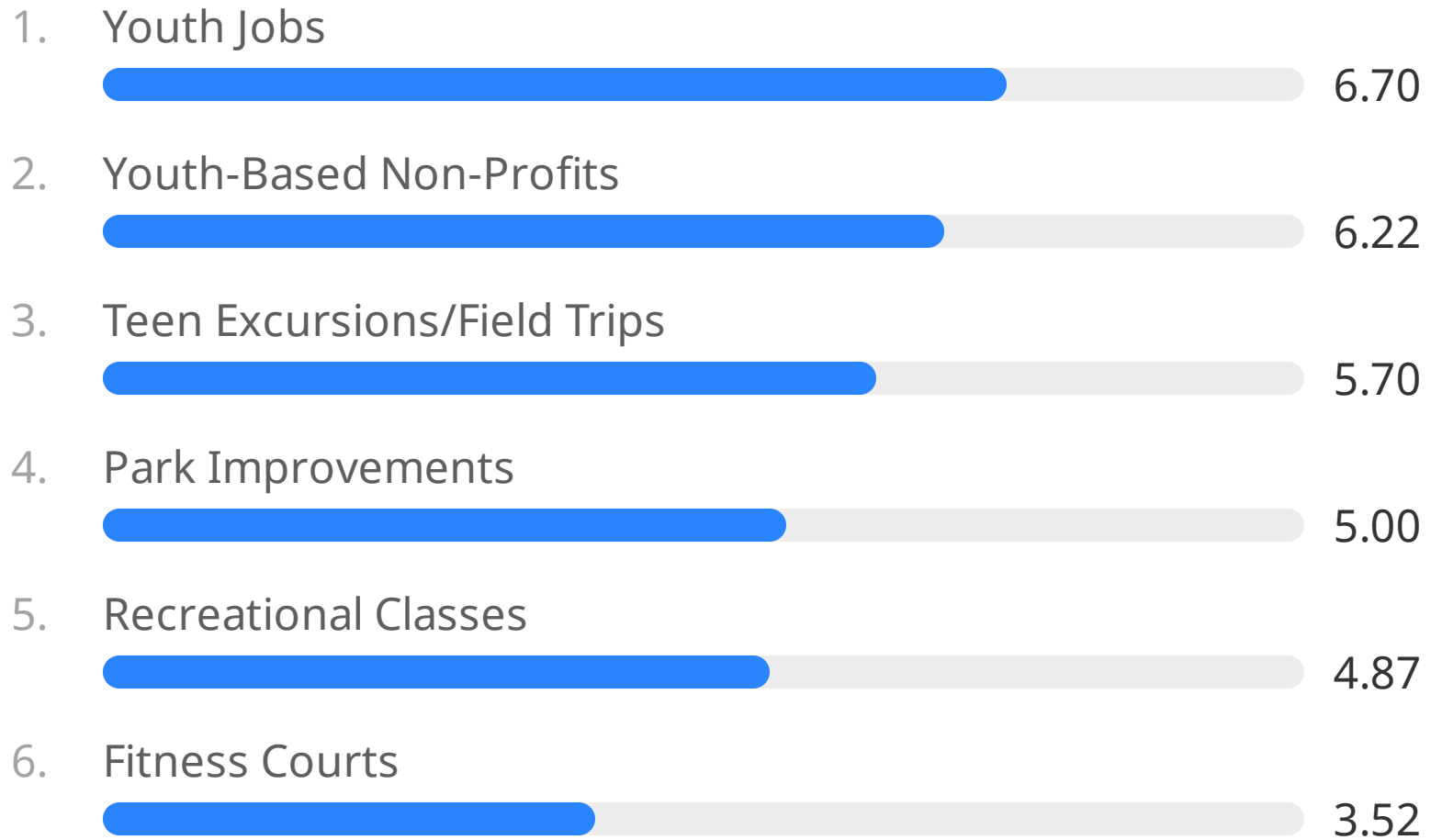
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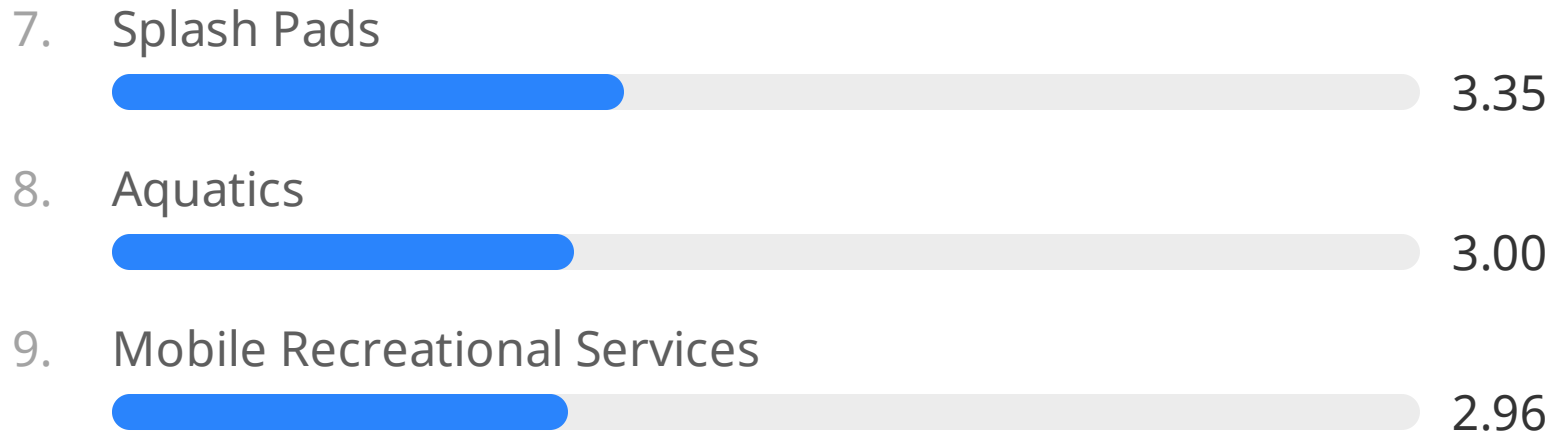
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(1/2)

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**Please rank the following programs and projects**  
(2/2)

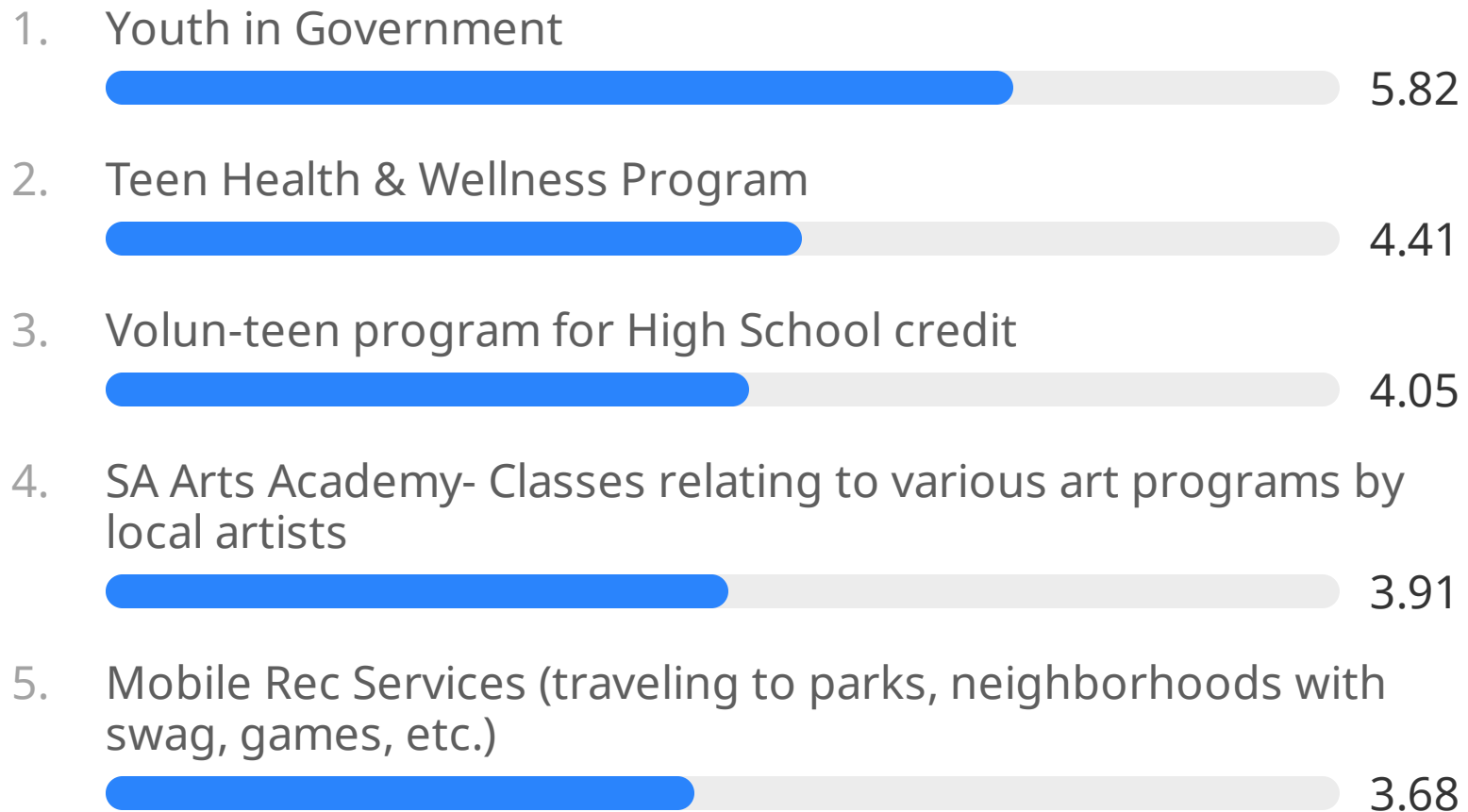
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## Which of the following upcoming events/programs are you interested in participating in?

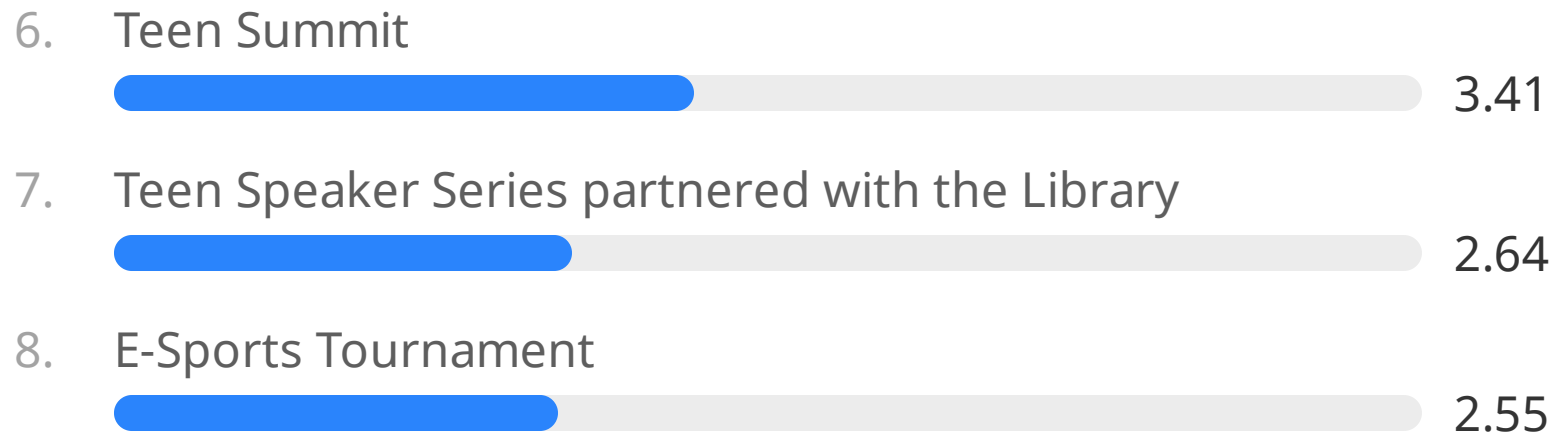
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(1/2)



**Which of the following upcoming events/programs are you interested in participating in?**  
(2/2)

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## What other types of Recreation programs would you like the city to offer?

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(1/2)

- really really free markets
- More outdoor
- Yes movie nights and concerts
- music events at parks
- Dyi selling
- Free tutoring
- more movie nights
- Open drop in centers
- more security at parks
- Pop up location for selling
- Maze
- More Youth Centers
- later hours for community gardens
- A store but you can trade things for something of equal value
- A place to get snacks
- Music
- Gardens
- Bike trails
- Sports for youth. We only have one softball field in the city
- Food drive programs
- Weight lifting
- Snack bar
- Music
- Public speaking
- A thrift store but

## What other types of Recreation programs would you like the city to offer? (2/2)

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- everything is free
- Clean restrooms
- Hikes
- Chess tournament More sports tournaments for HS
- Music related programs
- more hours for rec & community centers
- Music bands forming
- Weight lifting
- music programs
- Community Service Programs
- Fitness/ Training programs
- Mental health
- Gardening
- Beginner gymnastics
- water refill stations
- dog park

## Please share your ideas any other youth programs and services you would like to see in the city

0 2 0

(1/3)

- Water filters tho!
- refill stations all over the city not just one place
- native plants and fruit trees
- Showers
- Swings for wheelchairs
- wheel accessible playgrounds
- Pls better school lunch
- Group therapy
- water refill stations
- Adaptable playgrounds
- city history in other places than library like around the city
- Drone equipment
- Drivers ED
- Better school lunch
- Anything and all about disability
- LGBTQ program
- Free therapy bruh
- Test taking techniques
- Driving lessons
- Hockey ring
- more community murals
- Cleaner and secure restrooms
- Bullying prevention
- Mentorship Programs
- city history stuff
- SAT Prep

## Please share your ideas any other youth programs and services you would like to see in the city

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- How to deal with bullies
- Roller Rink
- Piano/Music based lessons/programs
- Opportunities for teen input on local politics
- Cultural culinary exchange events
- Talent Show
- more nature
- Instrument Rental Program
- Self-esteem builder
- Public talent shows
- ASL Lessons
- Night light shows
- Skate Rental Program
- Godinez's basketball gym should be open to students
- open up school jungle gyms
- More shaded areas
- Orchestra/Band programs
- Resources for queer youth
- A place to sleep for youth with no homes but in the morning they have to go
- Lights in the streets for night time
- Learning a foreign language but fun
- Support/ fund other centers/ programs that




## Please share your ideas any other youth programs and services you would like to see in the city

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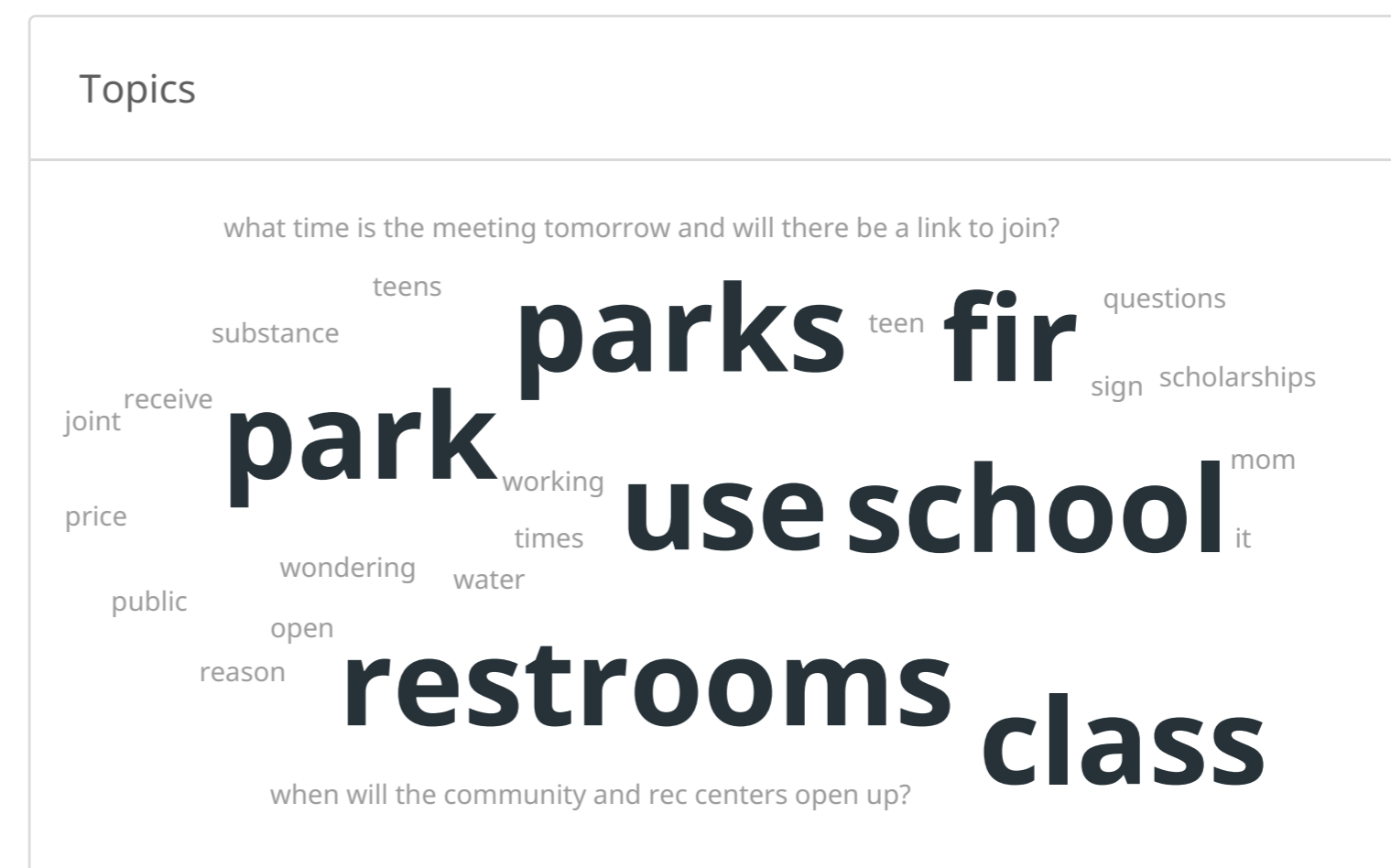
- are not part of the city
- Program on getting to know the local gov.
- Quality Mental Health Support sponsored by the city
- Gaming tournaments 🧑🏻????????
- Homeless youth shelters
- More flexible joint use agreements
- mediation classes
- More humanistic approaches to helping teens with addiction
- music programs
- Inter cultural exchange activities
- A place to sleep
- better lighting and security at parks
- Classes on being nicer to each other
- Music programs for youth of all ages!
- Youth Safe Spaces!!!

## Event summary report Youth Budget Forum - May 11, 2022



 <b>Active users</b> <b>34</b>	 <b>Questions</b> <b>27</b>	 <b>Poll votes</b> <b>455</b>
Engagement score	Likes / dislikes	Polls created
<b>501</b>	<b>19 / 0</b>	<b>19</b>
Engagement per user	Anonymous rate	Votes per poll
<b>14.7</b>	<b>96%</b>	<b>24</b>

### Popular questions

 Anonymous	0	3
What does closing the restrooms in school have to do with fights and substance abuse? restrooms are there for a reason, why can't we use them		
 Anonymous	0	2
Why is there any cost for classes? They should be free admission		
 Anonymous	0	2
i would like to see more free sports instead of scholarships that go to a few people		
 Anonymous	0	2
can we look into more security at parks, it not enough at the moment		
 Anonymous	0	1
I would like to see water refill stations		



### Influential users

 Mike Cuevas	1	1
 Anonymous users	26	18

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## OTHER COMMENTS

I would like to see more money put towards the after school and summer programs for SAUSD, specifically the Engage 360 program. Having after school care is vital for families where both parents work full time. My daughter is finishing up Kindergarten at Thorpe Fundamental. We were lucky enough to get into the Engage 360 after school program. But, we were waitlisted for the summer Engage 360 program. Now, I am so worried that we will have to be waitlisted when they do the lottery for the 2022-2023 school year. Please put more budget towards staffing the impacted schools, so all children/families that need access to after school care at their school site can have access. She is building relationships with the after school staff and they are becoming important adults in her life. It would be difficult for her to be forced to change programs every year. All children need consistency and stability. We were able to get a spot for summer childcare at the Jerome Center and we are looking forward to our daughter experiencing their program. Please also consider adding funding to those summer programs as well, so there are enough spots for children each summer. And, so they can do enriching activities and experiences.

How old can teens start working at the rec centers?

How can youth give public comments at the city council meetings?

I do think we need to motivate our own kids in Santa Ana to play sports like softball in our own city. Everyone is going to other cities.

## SOCIAL MEDIA COMMENTS

Computer classes

Water parks!!!!

Free swim classes and splash pads in the parks.

Shade for playgrounds and also playground equipment for children with disabilities.

More Gyms for teens Sky zone for free!

More libraries

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## SOCIAL MEDIA COMMENTS (CONTINUED)

More organized sports. Basketball has become increasingly more popular in our city and registrations fill up fast. How about offering it more than 1 time a year? City of Garden Grove does a summer league in addition to the league in the winter.

City has millions of dollars for youth programs? Awesome. No need to divert police funding away to support those programs as many keep clamoring for. Glad Thats settled.

City of Santa will be giving \$3.5million to nonprofits! Wow! That's a lot of \$\$\$

What about ANIMAL CARE and FREE SPAY AND NEUTERING???

Yeah, Finally some Splash Pads... no more driving to South OC. How about an Aquatics Center like the one in San Clemente? Summer camp/field trips/activities for the kids.

How about activities for teens, some teens in our city have never been to a baseball game, fishing, hiking, off-roading, amusement park, go-karts, roller-skating, batting cages. I would like to see money being used for at risk teens, teach them there is more to life than gangs and drugs, instead of quickly locking them up and starting the cycle of being incarcerated.

Skateparks!!!!!!