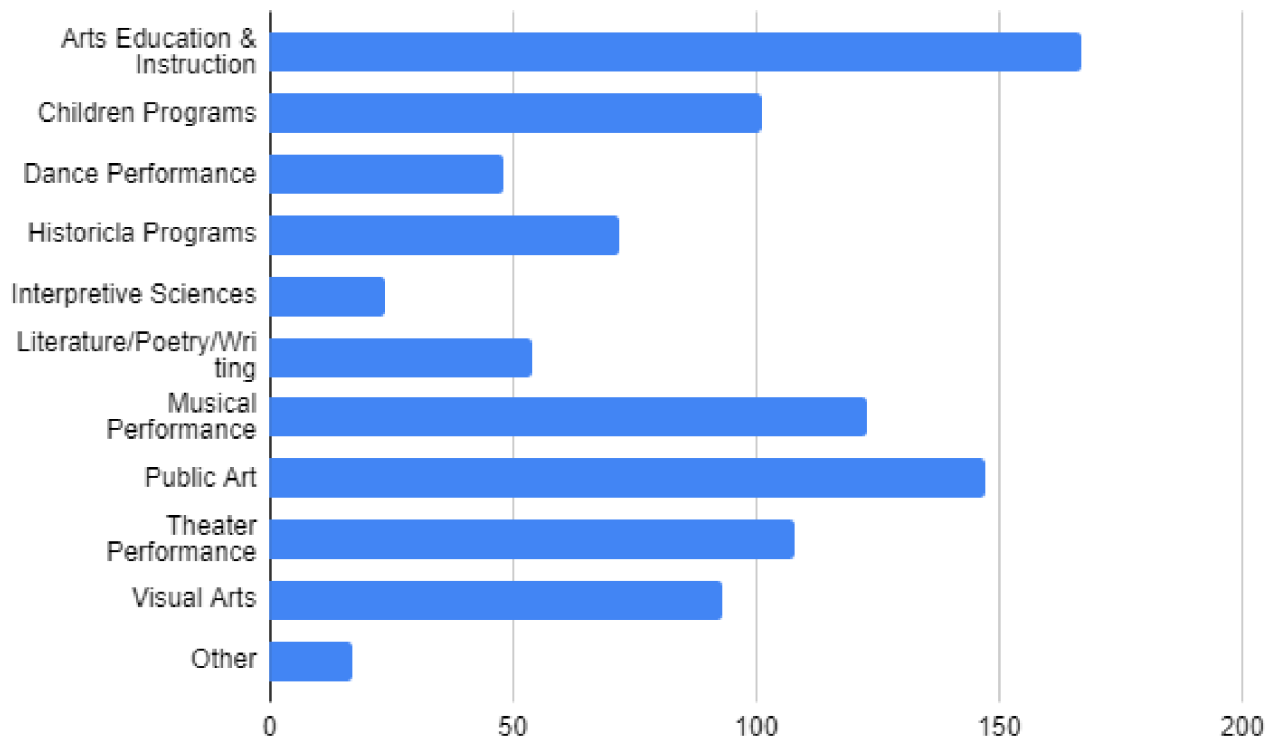




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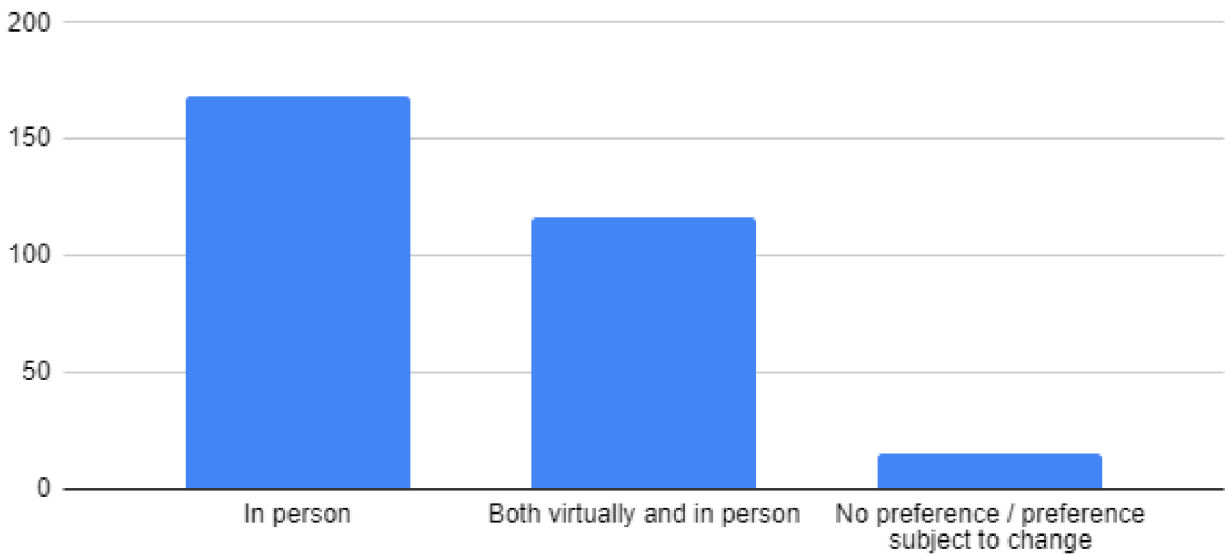


WHAT TYPES OF PROJECTS WOULD YOU MOST LIKE TO SEE THE WORCESTER ARTS COUNCIL PRIORITIZE IN 2024?



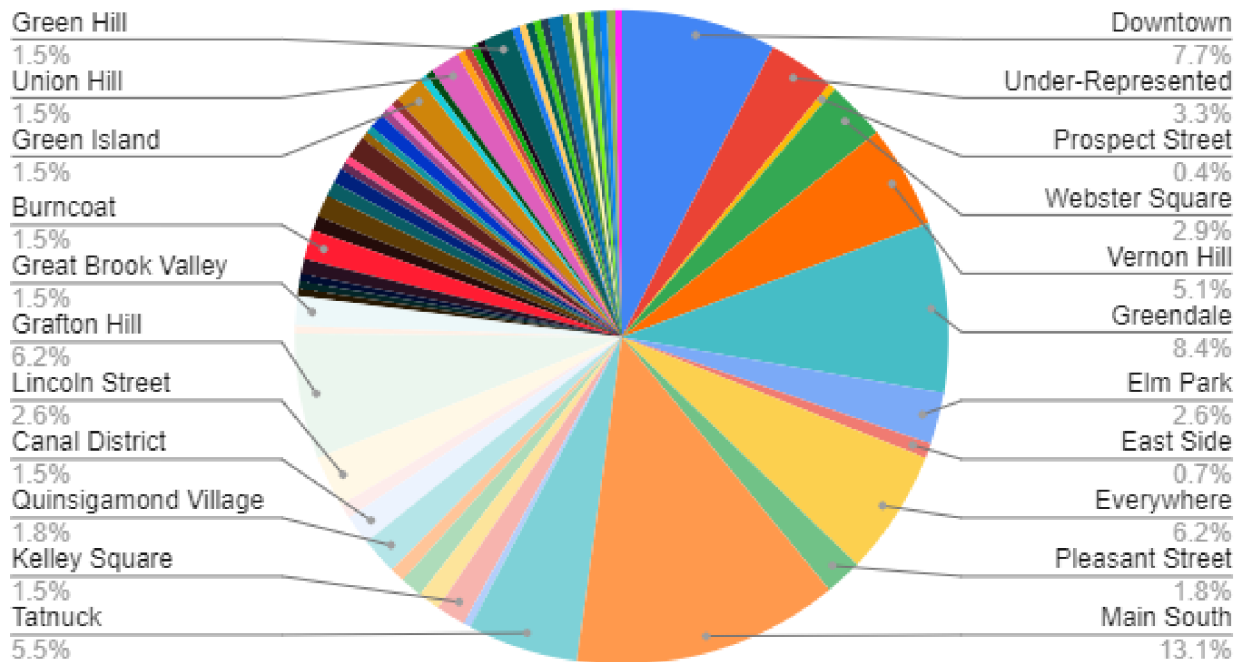


IN 2024, WOULD YOU PREFER TO ATTEND LOCAL ARTS & CULTURAL PROGRAMS VIRTUALLY, IN PERSON, OR BOTH?



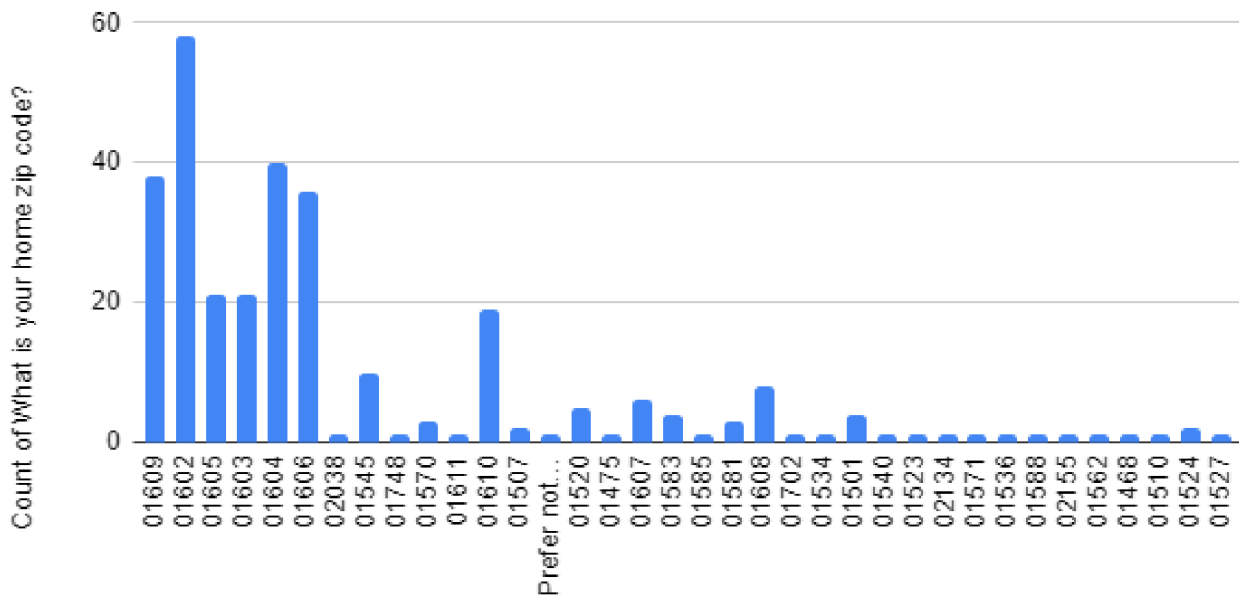


ARE THERE PARTICULAR NEIGHBORHOODS OR AREAS OF WORCESTER WHERE YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE MORE WAC INITIATIVES TAKE PLACE?



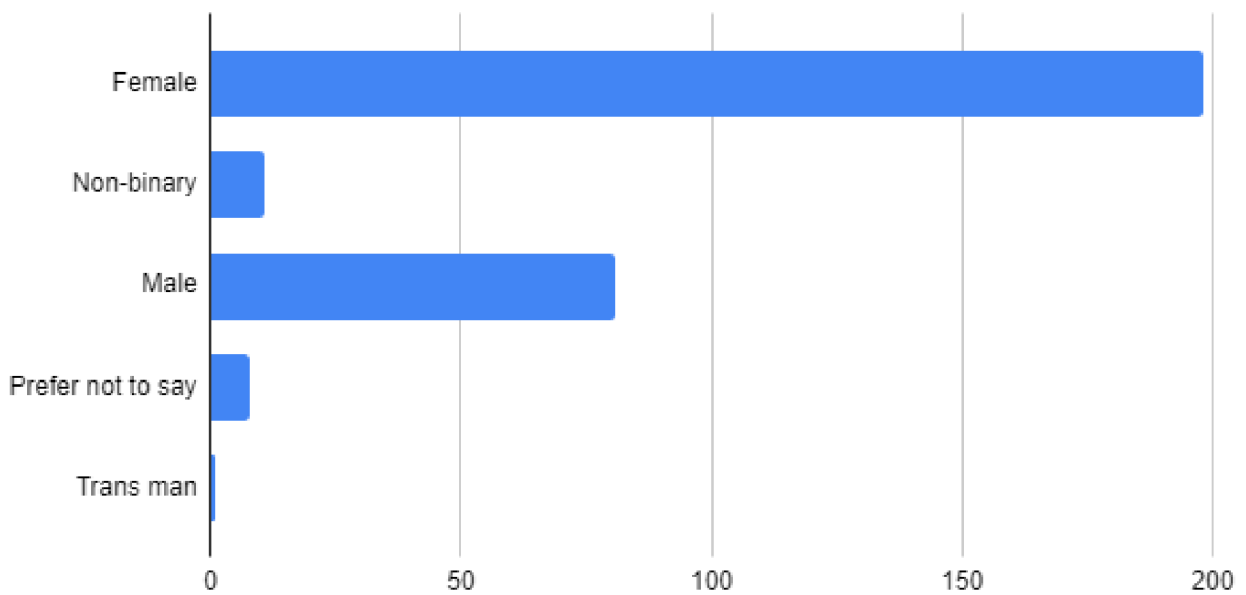


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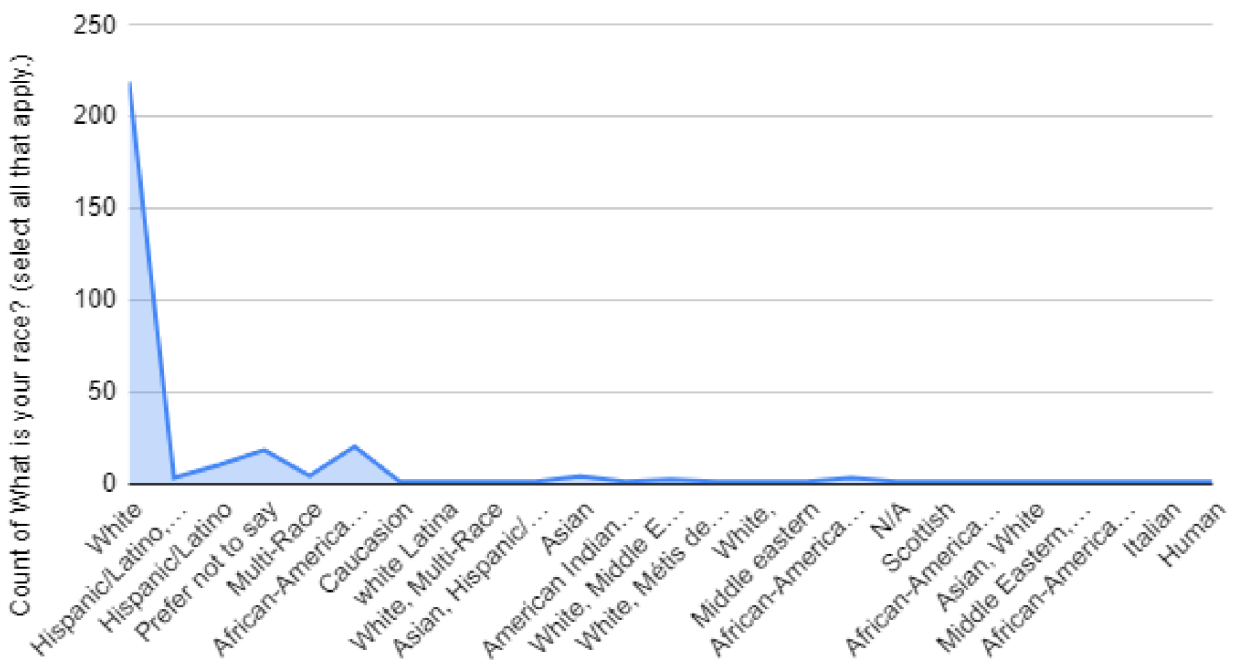


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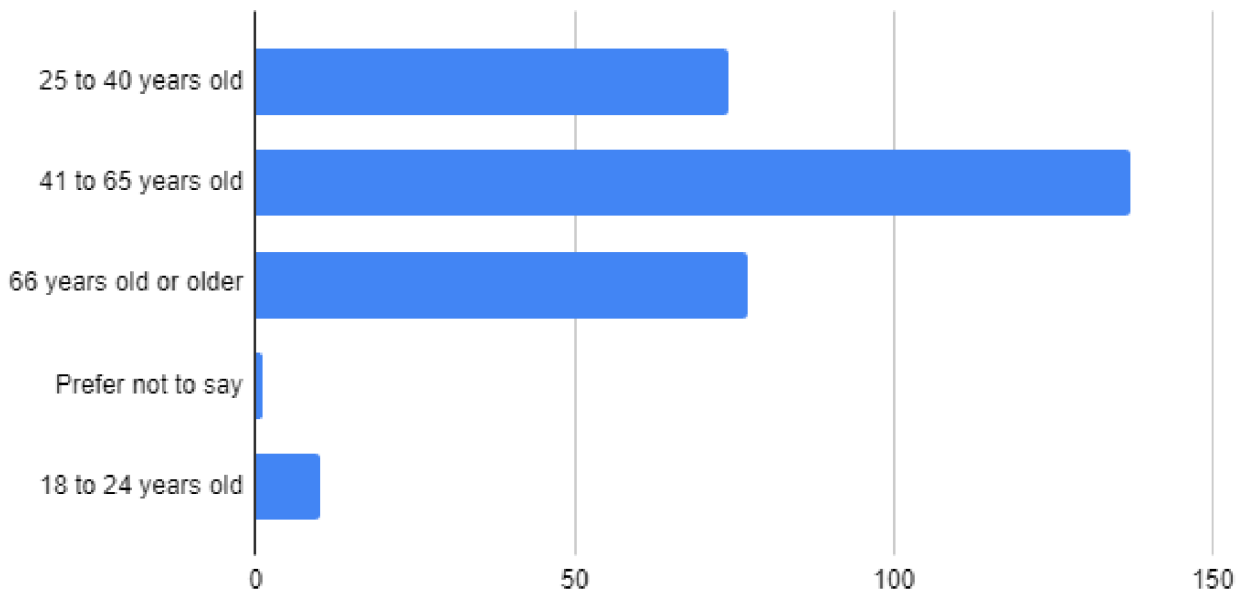


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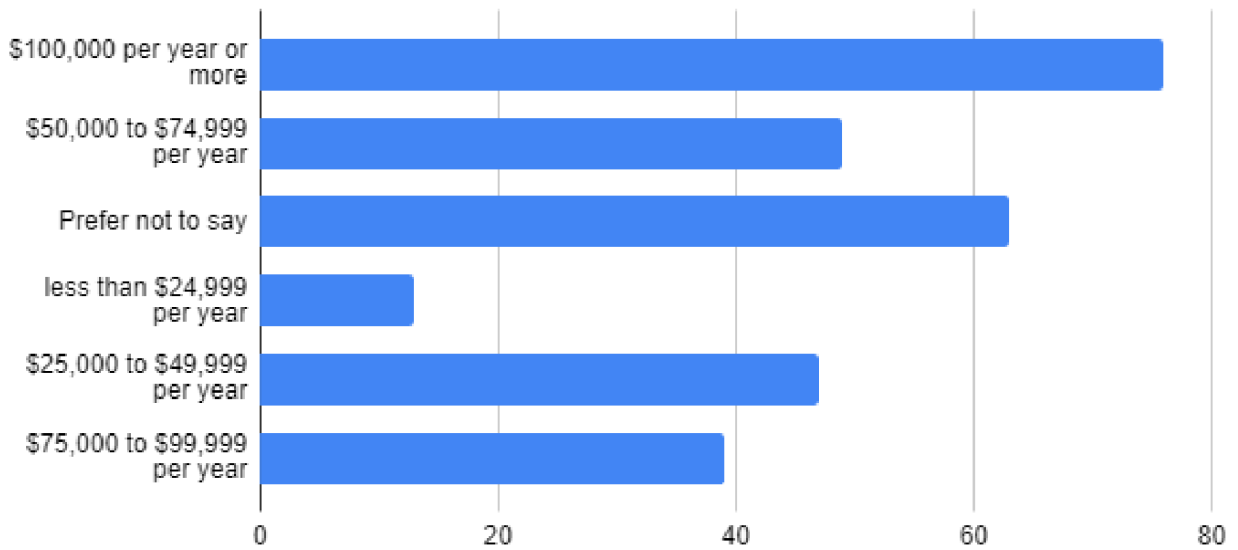


SELECT YOUR AGE GROUP.





SELECT YOUR APPROXIMATE HOUSEHOLD INCOME.





PLEASE SHARE ANY ADDITIONAL COMMENTS OR SUGGESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE RELATED TO ARTS AND CULTURE IN THE CITY OF WORCESTER.

RESIDENTS IN WORCESTER ARE FROM SUCH DIVERSE CULTURES, ART IS A WAY TO CONNECT TO THE COMMUNITY!

I WOULD LIKE TO SEE WAC TAKE A STRONGER STANCE IN 2024 ON FUNDING PROJECTS/PROGRAMS FROM SMALLER ORGANIZATIONS AND INDIVIDUALS VS. CONTINUOUSLY FUNDING PROJECTS FROM LARGE ARTS ORGANIZATIONS (LIKE THE WORCESTER ART MUSEUM). WHILE I RESPECT AND VALUE THE WORK OF THOSE LARGER ORGS, I THINK OUR COMMUNITY WOULD BE BETTER SERVED IF LCC FUNDS WENT TO ORGS WITH SMALLER OPERATING BUDGETS AND INDIVIDUALS INSTEAD.

LOVE THAT THERE'S SO MUCH ART AND CULTURE IN WORCESTER! KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!



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REPRESENTATION MATTERS, SO PROGRAMMING THAT LOOKS LIKE OUR COMMUNITY

WOULD LOVE TO SEE THE ARTS AND DESIGN INJECTED INTO YOUTH PROGRAMS AS A WAY TO INTRODUCE CHILDREN TO HOW CREATIVE CAREERS IN ENGINEERING, SOFTWARE/ WEBSITE DEVELOPMENT, AND OTHER TECH VERTICALS CAN BE.

WOULD LOVE TO SEE MORE SCULPTURES AROUND THE ENTIRE CITY NOT JUST ELM PARK. HOW ABOUT OUTSIDE ART ON THE GROUNDS OF THE WORCESTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS. THE KIDS WOULD LOVE THAT!

WAC IS DOING A GREAT JOB.



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BRING MORE ARTS TO MAIN SOUTH

ENGAGING CHILDREN IN ART IS A WONDERFUL LIFE EXPERIENCE, BRING THIS OPPORTUNITY INTO THEIR WORLD OPENS DOORS THAT BRIGHTEN OUTLOOKS.

WORCESTER HAS A VIBRANT ARTISTIC COMMUNITY AND THE WORK OF ORGANIZATION LIKE THE WAC IS INDISPENSABLE. THANKS FOR ALL YOU DO.

OUTDOOR EVENTS TO BRING COMMUNITY TOGETHER.



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GREEN ST. BRIDGE MURAL NEEDS TO BE PAINTED OVER, SANDBLASTED, OR FINISHED.

WE DESPERATELY NEED AFFORDABLE ARTIST STUDIO SPACES IN SAFE AREAS FOR LOCAL ARTISTS. IT SEEMS THE ONLY ARTIST SPACES ARE IN BOSTON OR WESTERN MASS. THERE ARE MANY EMPTY WAREHOUSES IN CENTRAL MASS THAT COULD BE CONVERTED TO ARTIST WORK SPACES.

PERHAPS OFFERING LARGER GRANTS TO ORGANIZATIONS COLLABORATING - INCENTIVIZING COLLABORATION.

THERE SHOULD ALWAYS BE OPPORTUNITIES FOR FREE OR REDUCED-FARE TICKETS FOR LOW-INCOME INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES.