

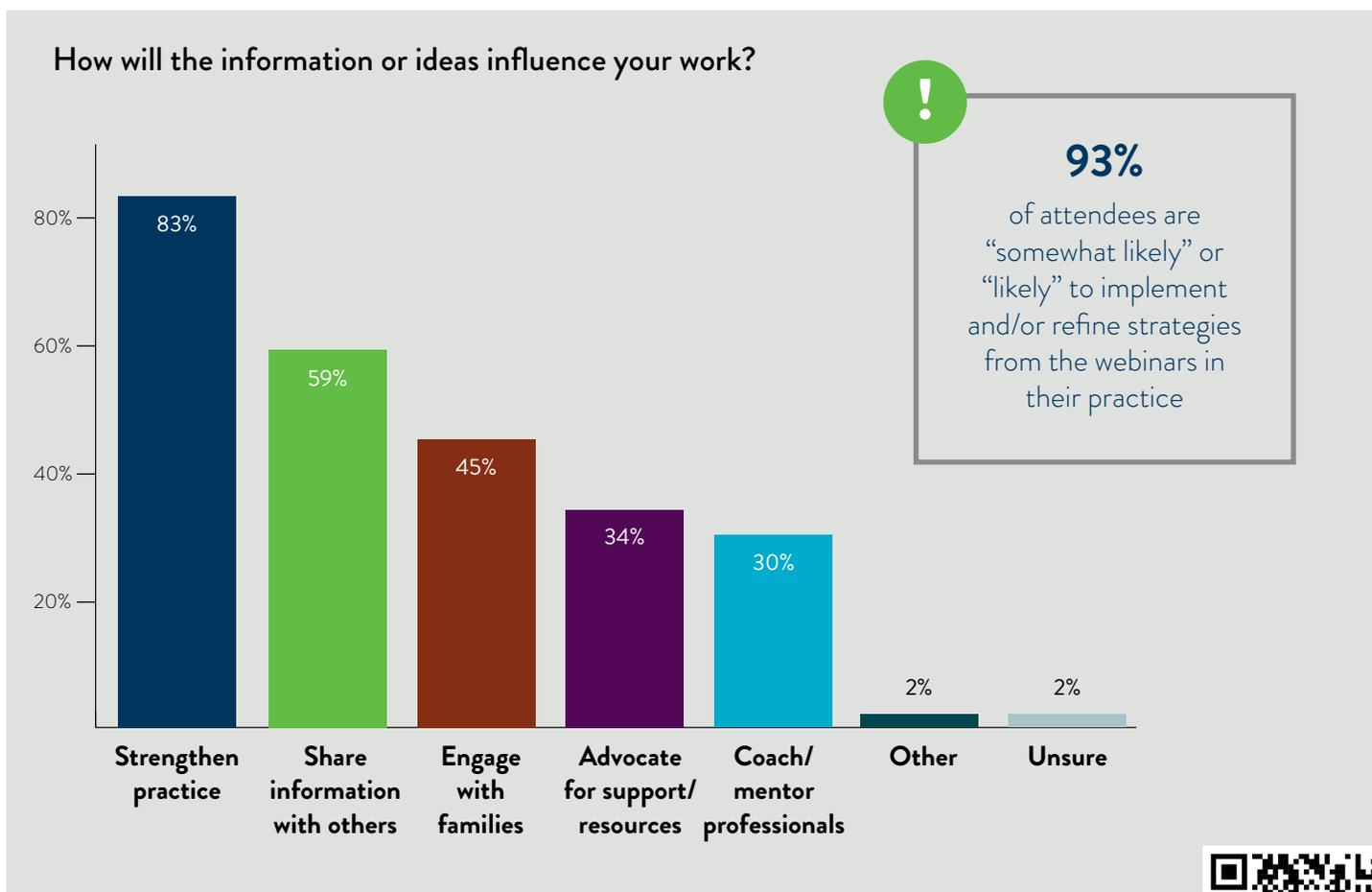
Impact of Outdoor and Nature-Based Learning Webinars

The state of Minnesota has created resources to support early care and education providers in offering outdoor and nature-based learning opportunities. These resources include a series of webinars on topics such as:

- Evaluation of Learning
- Safety First!
- Curriculum Planning and Assessment with Nature in Mind
- Exploring Nature as a Teacher for Social Emotional Development and Social Systems
- Exploring Nature as a Teacher for Language, Literacy, Communication, Creativity and the Arts
- Exploring Nature as a Teacher for Math and Science
- Exploring Nature as a Teacher for Physical Development

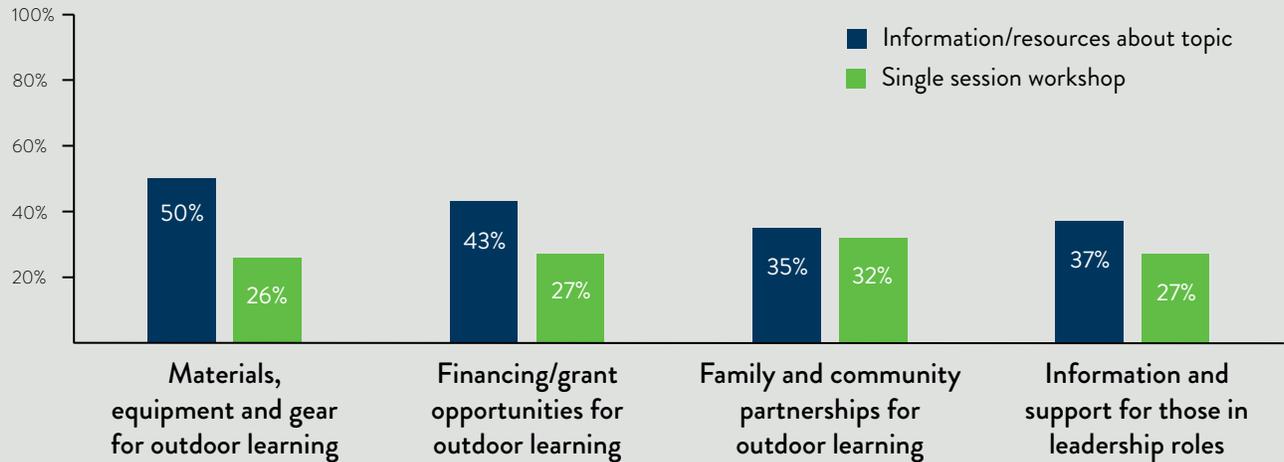
The Department of Children, Youth, and Families surveyed webinar attendees to learn more about the educators seeking out resources and analyze the effectiveness of the state's support.

Attendees show a commitment to using what they learn.

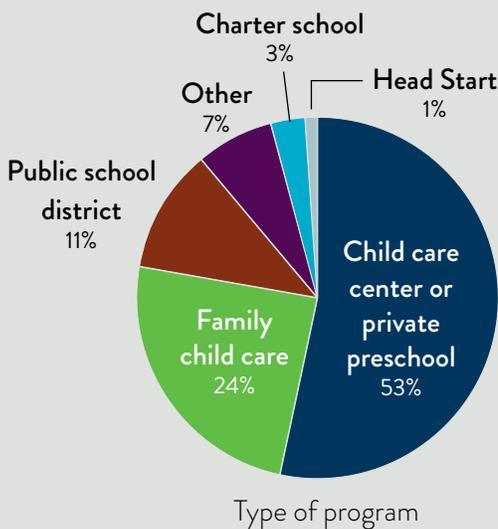


Attendees want the state to provide more resources and professional learning opportunities.

What professional learning topics and resources could MDE/DCYF offer to further support and improve your work?



Attendees work with families across the state in a variety of roles.



Primary role	% of participants
Classroom teacher/educator	49%
Assistant teacher	11%
Program director	7%
Program owner	7%
Aide	6%
Principal	1%
Other	14%

