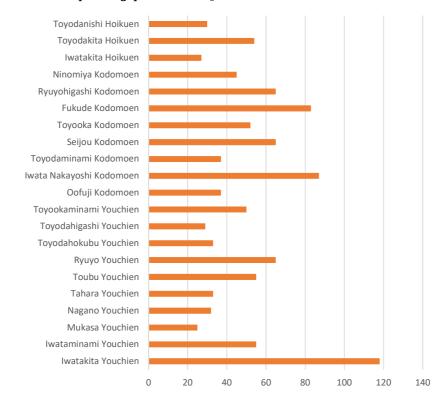
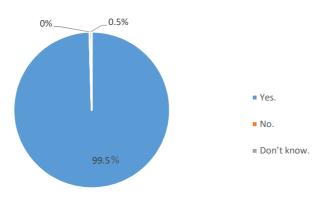
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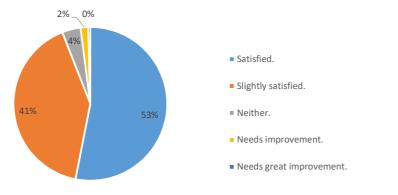


## 問1 Please write the name of the kindergarten your child attends. [If siblings are attending different preschools, please select all corresponding preschools.]

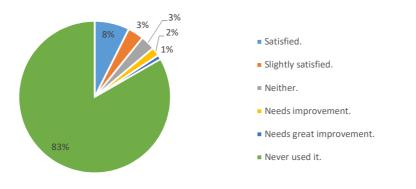
問2 Are you able to obtain information about childcare activities, events in the kindergarten, and other information about your kindergarten?



問3 What is your level of satisfaction with the early childhood education and childcare at your preschool?

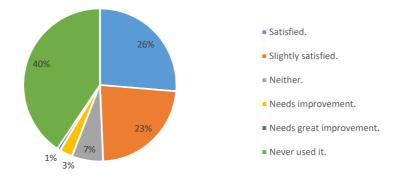


問4 What is your level of satisfaction with Saturday childcare? [Only for those who are enrolled in a Nursery school [Hoikuen], or in a Nursery school frame of a Yōho Renkei-gata Nintei Kodomoen.]

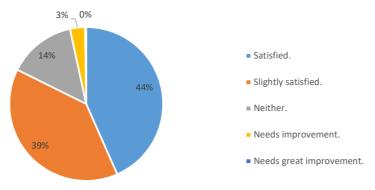


問5 What is your level of satisfaction with Azukari Hoiku [Extended-hour Childcare Service]?

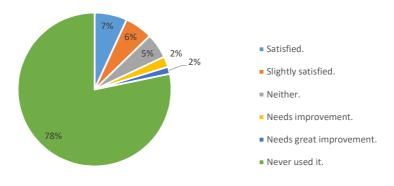
[Only for those who are enrolled in a Kindergarten [Y $\bar{o}$ chien], or in a Kindergarten frame of a Nintei Kodomoen.]



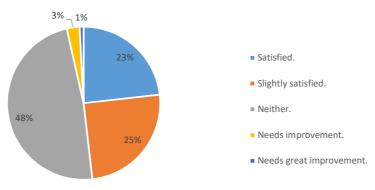
問6 What is your level of satisfaction with the Nintei Kodomoen system? [Only for those who are enrolled in a Nintei Kodomoen.]



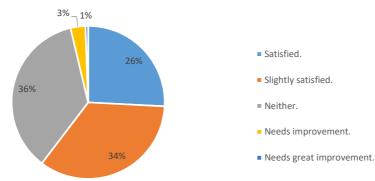
問7 What is your level of satisfaction with childcare for sick children and children recovering from illness?



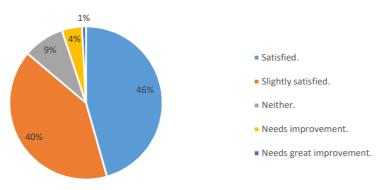
問8 What is your level of satisfaction with your preschool's efforts towards the multicultural coexistence?



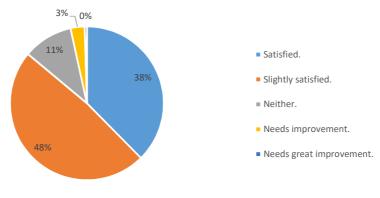
問9 What is your level of satisfaction with your kindergarten, regarding the support to children with disabilities or special needs, and the staff's knowledge?



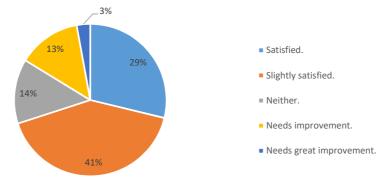
問10 What is your level of satisfaction with the number of staff (employees) assigned?



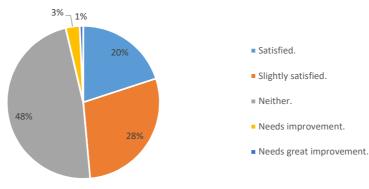
問11 What is your level of satisfaction with the use of ICT (Information and Communication Technologies) in the preschool?



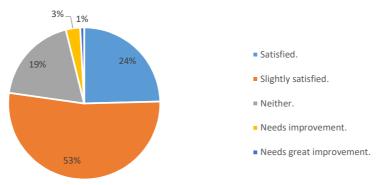
問12 What is your level of satisfaction with the maintenance of the facilities?



問13 What is your level of satisfaction with the reconstruction, integration, and privatization of facilities?



問14 What is your level of satisfaction with Iwata City's early childhood education and childcare promotion project as a whole?



## Main opinions

- Regarding obtaining information, I am glad that I can quickly obtain information including photos by CoDMON, but I would like the preschool to think of ways to effectively disseminate information (Information transmission media and information transmission frequency, etc.) about preschool activities and notifications.
- There is a difference in perception between the school and parents on the ideal form of childcare that fosters independence. I would like to see more consideration given to the content of events such as Undōkai [sports day] and Sankankai [visit day], with group life in mind.
- It would be nice if Azukari Hoiku [Extended-hour childcare service] could be applied electronically. I would like the school lunches could be provided even during long vacation.
- I would like the childcare hours could be extended to early morning and evening hours. • Regarding childcare for sick and convalescent children, it is difficult to make reservations due to the number of accepting facilities and the number of accepted
- people are small.
- The pre-registration and application processes seem to take a long time, making it difficult to use in an emergency.
- There are many people who don't know about the system or the facilities (etc.) that accept them, so I would like people to actively provide us information.
- Regarding initiatives for multicultural coexistence, I would like to have more opportunities for people to interact with English.
- I don't know much about the initiatives. When a staff member is going to communicate with foreign children or their parents, it would be better to provide support by providing an interpreter etc.
- Regarding the staff allocation, considering the safety of children and the burden on staff, I would like the preschool to consider assigning additional assistants to some classes.
- I am grateful for the warmth and caring childcare provided to my child.
- Regarding the use of ICT in preschools, I would like to see active use of CoDMON, etc. (Monthly schedules, body temperature report, growth record of weight, height (etc.), contact book [renrakuchō], billing management, digitization of medication requests, etc.). It is difficult to use because there are various information tools such as CoDMON, paper, bulletin boards, etc.
- There are some subjects that I would like to have them in paper so that I can share them with my family.
- I would like you to consider digitalizing the photos for sale. It would be nice if the price of the photos was a little cheaper.
- At first, I was confused using CoDMON, but I'm grateful because it is easy to be in contact, and I can receive notifications from time to time. Checking on our smartphone will help prevent oversights.
- I feel uneasy when I think about the safety of our children and the measures against suspicious people when it comes to facility maintenance which has a problem with the gate. I would like to see improvements in security and measures to make it easier for parents to close/lock the gate.
- I'm concerned about toilet hygiene. There is not enough playground equipment. The playground is small. The parking lot is narrow and inconvenient.
- Regarding reconstruction, integration, and privatization of the facility, I am happy that new facility will be built, but I am concerned about whether the quality of childcare will be maintained due to changes in the staff structure, education, and childcare environment. Through this survey, I learned for the first time about the situation of facility privatization (etc.), so this information needs to be disseminated. Privatization (etc.) of facilities is necessary due to the declining birthrate and diversifying needs of parents.
- Regarding the overall Iwata City's early childhood education and childcare promotion project, children will not be able to enroll in their desired Hoikuen [Nursery school] or Nintei Kodomoen [Certified childcare centers] (Hoikuen sector), and the form of employment, working hours, etc. will be restricted.

I would like the preschool to decide on its educational and childcare policies and systems, while actively taking into consideration the opinions of parents.