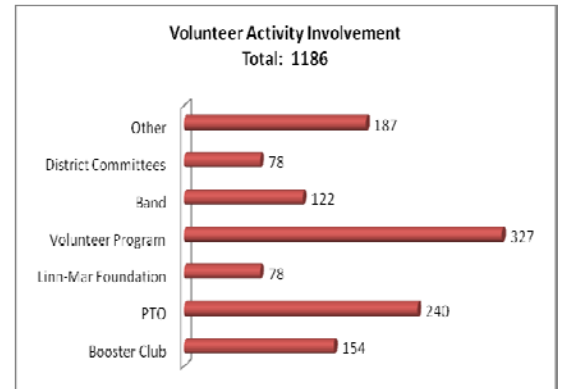
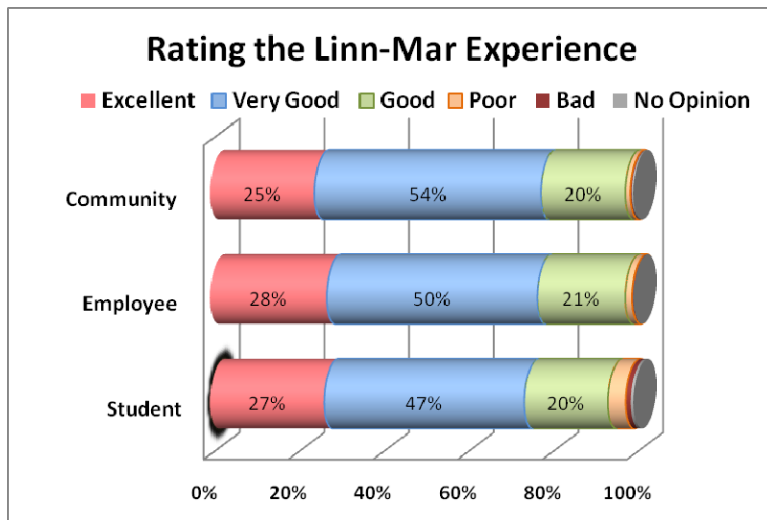
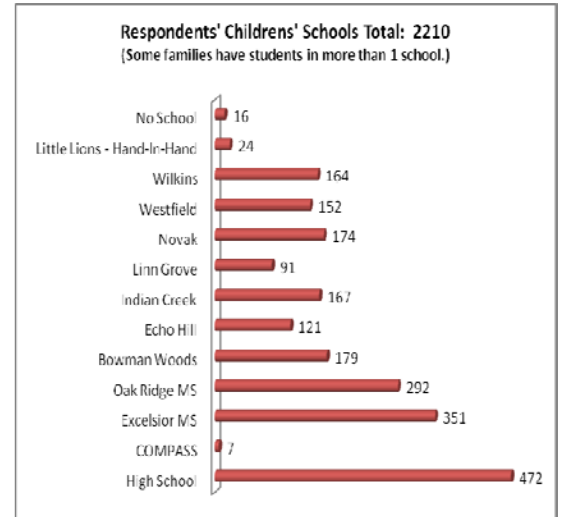
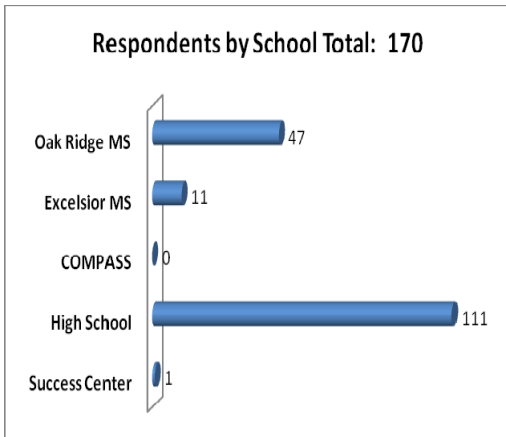
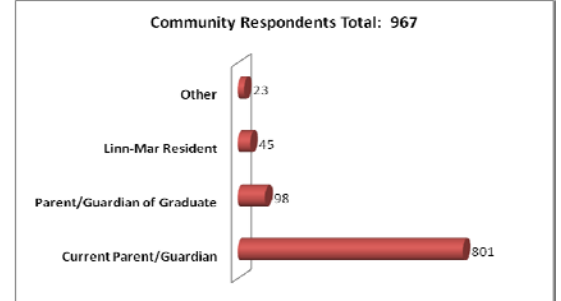
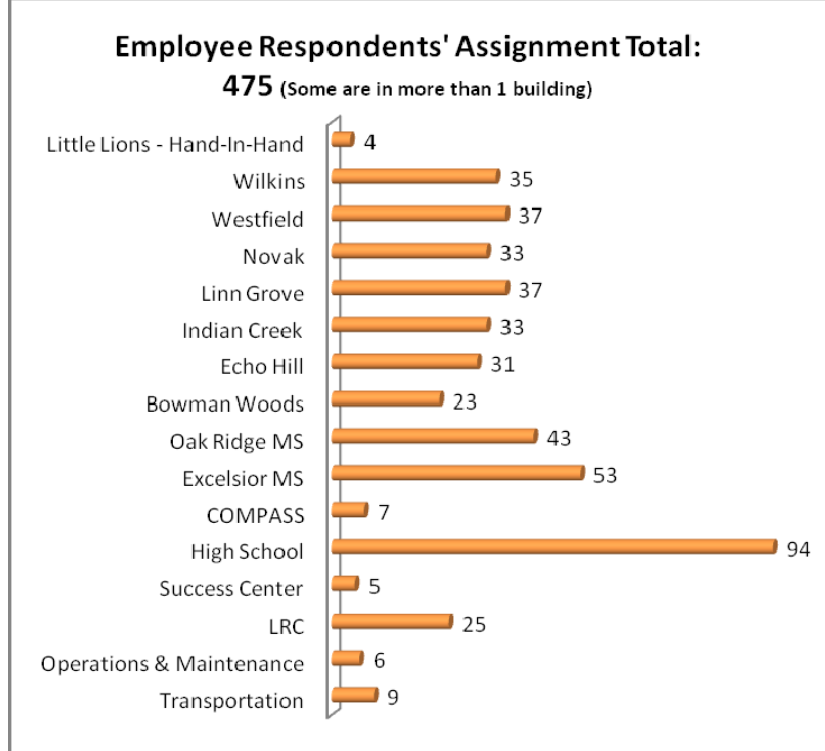
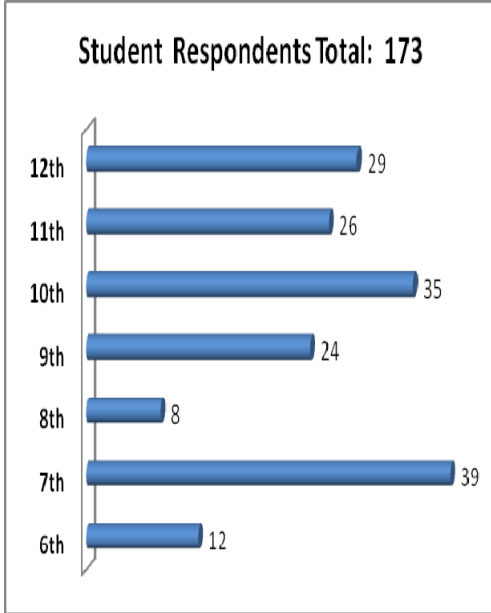




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The 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Linn-Mar Survey that was conducted in October 2010 included students, employees and community.





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	<b>% Students</b>	<b>% Employees</b>	<b>% Community</b>
<b>Skills that should be emphasized</b> in Middle School and High School Curriculum are:	56 Creativity or Innovative Thinking 51 Writing 50 High Level Mathematics & Science 41 Technology Expertise 41 Working in a Team 37 Handling Money and Credit	60 Technology Expertise 60 Creativity or Innovative Thinking 53 Writing 47 Working in a Team 32 Handling Money and Credit 30 High Level Mathematics & Science	55 Creativity or Innovative Thinking 48 Technology Expertise 47 High Level Mathematics & Science 46 Writing 40 Handling Money and Credit 32 Working in a Team
<b>College &amp; Post Secondary Preparation</b> Besides letter grades, student achievement should be recognized by:	46 Certificates of Accomplishment listing Course Competencies 44 Special Note on High School Transcript 43 Student Portfolio or Collection of Best Work 20 Project in Student's Strength Area 14 Letter Grades Only 20 Don't Know	44 Student Portfolio or Collection of Best Work 42 Certificates of Accomplishment listing Course Competencies 31 Special Note on High School Transcript 21 Project in Student's Strength Area 10 Letter Grades Only 16 Don't Know	45 Special Note on High School Transcript 44 Certificates of Accomplishment listing Course Competencies 32 Student Portfolio or Collection of Best Work 16 Project in Student's Strength Area 11 Letter Grades Only 14 Don't Know
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