

**MSIP Advanced Questionnaire**  
**Secondary Students Frequency Distribution Report**  
**LINN CO. HIGH, LINN CO. R-I School District**

<b>What is your sex? (I am a: boy/girl)</b>		
<b>SEC1</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>MALE</b>	56	45.53
<b>FEMALE</b>	67	54.47

<b>What grade are you in?</b>		
<b>SEC2</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>7TH</b>	17	13.82
<b>8TH</b>	26	21.14
<b>9TH</b>	17	13.82
<b>10TH</b>	17	13.82
<b>11TH</b>	19	15.45
<b>12TH</b>	27	21.95

<b>Which best describes you?</b>		
<b>SEC3</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>WHITE</b>	118	95.93
<b>AMERICAN INDIAN</b>	1	0.81
<b>HISPANIC</b>	2	1.63
<b>MULTI-RACIAL</b>	2	1.63

<b>How far in school did your mother go?</b>		
<b>SEC4</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>FINISHED 8TH</b>	6	4.88
<b>H.S. GRAD</b>	48	39.02
<b>POST SECONDARY</b>	25	20.33
<b>COLLEGE GRAD</b>	29	23.58
<b>DON T KNOW</b>	15	12.20

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<b>How far in school did your father go?</b>		
<b>SEC5</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>1</b>	1	0.81
<b>2</b>	5	4.07
<b>3</b>	61	49.59
<b>4</b>	14	11.38
<b>5</b>	19	15.45
<b>6</b>	23	18.70

<b>How many days of school did you miss last month?</b>		
<b>SEC6</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NONE</b>	76	61.79
<b>1 OR 2 DAYS</b>	41	33.33
<b>3 OR 4 DAYS</b>	5	4.07
<b>5 TO 10 DAYS</b>	1	0.81

<b>How many hours of television do you usually watch each day?</b>		
<b>SEC7</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>ONE HR. OR LESS</b>	45	36.89
<b>TWO HRS.</b>	40	32.79
<b>THREE HRS.</b>	21	17.21
<b>FOUR HRS.</b>	10	8.20
<b>FIVE HRS.</b>	4	3.28
<b>SIX + HRS.</b>	2	1.64

*Frequency Missing = 1*

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<b>What is the one thing that is likely to take the largest share of your time in the year after you leave high school?</b>		
<b>SEC8</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>WORK FULL-TIME</b>	16	13.01
<b>TWO YEAR SCHOOL</b>	21	17.07
<b>FOUR YEAR SCHOOL</b>	63	51.22
<b>MILITARY</b>	12	9.76
<b>OTHER</b>	11	8.94

<b>Which of the following best describes your grades so far in school?</b>		
<b>SEC9</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>A</b>	27	21.95
<b>A &amp; B</b>	40	32.52
<b>B</b>	19	15.45
<b>B &amp; C</b>	19	15.45
<b>C</b>	11	8.94
<b>C &amp; D</b>	7	5.69

<b>How much time do you usually spend on homework each day?</b>		
<b>SEC10</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NONE ASSIGNED</b>	2	1.63
<b>DON T DO IT</b>	3	2.44
<b>1/2 HR. OR LESS</b>	21	17.07
<b>ONE HOUR</b>	58	47.15
<b>TWO HOURS</b>	27	21.95
<b>MORE THAN 2 HRS</b>	12	9.76

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<b>About how many hours per week do you usually work in a part-time job? Exclude summer vacation time.</b>		
<b>SEC11</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NONE</b>	75	60.98
<b>UNDER 6 HRS.</b>	13	10.57
<b>6 TO 10 HRS.</b>	11	8.94
<b>11 TO 15 HRS.</b>	8	6.50
<b>16 TO 20 HRS.</b>	3	2.44
<b>21 TO 25 HRS.</b>	4	3.25
<b>MORE THAN 25</b>	9	7.32

<b>How would you describe the quality of education available to you in this school?</b>		
<b>SEC12</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>EXCELLENT</b>	30	24.39
<b>GOOD</b>	63	51.22
<b>AVERAGE</b>	23	18.70
<b>BELOW AVERAGE</b>	7	5.69

<b>How many hours each week do you usually spend in extra-curricular activities associated with school? - excluding sports?</b>		
<b>SEC13</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>NONE</b>	23	18.70
<b>1 TO 2 HRS.</b>	25	20.33
<b>3 TO 5 HRS.</b>	21	17.07
<b>6 TO 10 HRS.</b>	36	29.27
<b>11 TO 15 HRS.</b>	8	6.50
<b>16 TO 20 HRS.</b>	5	4.07
<b>MORE THAN 20</b>	5	4.07

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<b>I use computers in school: Daily; Several times a week; Once a week; Once every two weeks; Infrequently; Not at all.</b>		
<b>SEC14</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Daily</b>	68	55.28
<b>Several Times/wk</b>	27	21.95
<b>Once a week</b>	15	12.20
<b>Once 2/wks</b>	4	3.25
<b>Infrequently</b>	6	4.88
<b>Not at all</b>	3	2.44

<b>Which of the following best describes the high school program you will complete?</b>		
<b>SEC15</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>College prep.</b>	59	49.17
<b>Voc./ tech.</b>	28	23.33
<b>General</b>	33	27.50

*Frequency Missing = 3*

<b>Talk to one of your parents about your experiences in school.</b>		
<b>SEC16A</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Not at all</b>	3	2.52
<b>Rarely</b>	28	23.53
<b>Occasionally</b>	44	36.97
<b>Regularly</b>	44	36.97

*Frequency Missing = 4*

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<b>Talk to one of your parents about your plans for high school.</b>		
<b>sec16b</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Not at all</b>	13	10.92
<b>Rarely</b>	25	21.01
<b>Occasionally</b>	51	42.86
<b>Regularly</b>	30	25.21

*Frequency Missing = 4*

<b>Talk to one of your parents about your plans for after high school.</b>		
<b>SEC16C</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Not at all</b>	8	6.72
<b>Rarely</b>	26	21.85
<b>Occasionally</b>	48	40.34
<b>Regularly</b>	37	31.09

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<b>Question</b>	<b>Strongly Agree</b>		<b>Agree</b>		<b>Neutral</b>		<b>Disagree</b>		<b>Strongly Disagree</b>		<b>Number Missing</b>
	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	
17 - The classes I have at school cover material that is important to me.	17	13.8	69	56.1	32	26.0	4	3.3	1	0.8	0
18 - I am satisfied with the variety of courses this school offers.	17	13.8	68	55.3	22	17.9	13	10.6	3	2.4	0
19 - My teachers make clear what I'm supposed to learn.	32	26.2	62	50.8	25	20.5	3	2.5	0	0.0	1
20 - The classes I took last year prepared me for this year's subjects.	33	27.3	55	45.5	25	20.7	7	5.8	1	0.8	2
21 - Most of my teachers are organized and well prepared to teach.	33	27.0	59	48.4	25	20.5	5	4.1	0	0.0	1
22 - In most classes, if I am having trouble learning something, my teacher usually finds another way to help me understand.	41	33.3	52	42.3	20	16.3	9	7.3	1	0.8	0
23 - Most of my teachers inform me about my progress in their class.	24	19.5	59	48.0	33	26.8	5	4.1	2	1.6	0
24 - My teachers make learning interesting.	15	12.2	38	30.9	52	42.3	17	13.8	1	0.8	0
25 - I am given opportunities to work and learn independently.	25	20.5	61	50.0	29	23.8	7	5.7	0	0.0	1
26 - My teachers want me to contribute my thoughts in class.	24	19.7	60	49.2	28	23.0	8	6.6	2	1.6	1

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
27 - In my school, all students are given a chance to succeed.	52	42.3	51	41.5	15	12.2	3	2.4	2	1.6	0
28 - There is good communication between teachers and students.	21	17.1	64	52.0	31	25.2	7	5.7	0	0.0	0
29 - I feel safe at school.	56	45.5	54	43.9	10	8.1	1	0.8	2	1.6	0
30 - There is a feeling of belonging at my school.	37	30.3	51	41.8	27	22.1	3	2.5	4	3.3	1
31 - My parents have a good idea of what goes on at school.	44	35.8	60	48.8	11	8.9	7	5.7	1	0.8	0
32 - Most teenagers around here drink a lot.	24	19.5	34	27.6	51	41.5	7	5.7	7	5.7	0
33 - Teachers in my school really care about me.	26	21.3	55	45.1	29	23.8	8	6.6	4	3.3	1
34 - I learn about other cultures in school.	29	24.0	56	46.3	27	22.3	5	4.1	4	3.3	2
35 - I am encouraged to do my best on the MAP test.	66	53.7	41	33.3	14	11.4	2	1.6	0	0.0	0
36 - I know how to find information I need to complete class projects.	40	32.5	66	53.7	15	12.2	2	1.6	0	0.0	0
37 - My teachers can assist me in using computers effectively.	30	24.4	65	52.8	18	14.6	9	7.3	1	0.8	0
38 - If a student has a problem there are teachers who will listen and help.	48	39.0	50	40.7	19	15.4	6	4.9	0	0.0	0
39 - In our community people tend to trust each other.	29	23.8	50	41.0	33	27.0	7	5.7	3	2.5	1
40 - Our classes are often interrupted.	8	6.6	24	19.8	54	44.6	28	23.1	7	5.8	2
41 - Vocational education is an essential part of the district's program of studies.	17	13.9	61	50.0	41	33.6	3	2.5	0	0.0	1
42 - I have fun learning.	15	12.2	37	30.1	50	40.7	12	9.8	9	7.3	0
43 - My teachers think I can learn.	54	44.3	51	41.8	15	12.3	2	1.6	0	0.0	1
44 - The community is proud of this school.	60	48.8	42	34.1	19	15.4	1	0.8	1	0.8	0
45 - Our library has up-to-date resource materials.	53	43.1	54	43.9	16	13.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
46 - Students at my school are friendly.	34	27.9	53	43.4	25	20.5	9	7.4	1	0.8	1
47 - This school is a good place to learn.	45	36.9	56	45.9	19	15.6	2	1.6	0	0.0	1
48 - My school provides me with the textbooks and learning materials I need to learn.	63	51.6	47	38.5	12	9.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
49 - My teachers are good teachers.	42	34.4	52	42.6	24	19.7	3	2.5	1	0.8	1
50 - My school building is in good condition.	47	38.5	63	51.6	9	7.4	3	2.5	0	0.0	1
51 - Drugs are a problem among teenagers in this community.	7	5.7	5	4.1	30	24.4	37	30.1	44	35.8	0
52 - I can get access to the internet at school when I need it.	37	30.1	47	38.2	25	20.3	12	9.8	2	1.6	0

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	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	N	Pct.	
53 - I like going to this school.	45	36.6	52	42.3	19	15.4	4	3.3	3	2.4	0
54 - My family believes that I can do well in school.	72	58.5	41	33.3	8	6.5	1	0.8	1	0.8	0
55 - This community is a good place for a kid to grow up.	43	35.2	57	46.7	19	15.6	1	0.8	2	1.6	1
56 - I would attend a different school if I could.	11	8.9	10	8.1	17	13.8	35	28.5	50	40.7	0
57 - Teachers treat me with respect.	40	33.1	55	45.5	16	13.2	8	6.6	2	1.7	2
58 - All students have an equal opportunity to take the courses they want.	29	23.8	57	46.7	25	20.5	9	7.4	2	1.6	1
59 - My teachers expect very good work from me.	38	31.1	62	50.8	22	18.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1
60 - I am treated fairly at school.	32	26.2	54	44.3	23	18.9	10	8.2	3	2.5	1
61 - I have had lessons in school on how to use computers.	49	40.5	55	45.5	9	7.4	5	4.1	3	2.5	2
62 - There is a lot of teamwork in our community.	34	28.1	52	43.0	30	24.8	4	3.3	1	0.8	2
63 - Discipline is handled fairly in my school.	32	26.0	49	39.8	27	22.0	11	8.9	4	3.3	0
64 - I have been encouraged to establish career or educational goals at school.	37	30.3	64	52.5	20	16.4	1	0.8	0	0.0	1
65 - If I have a personal problem, I can talk to the counselor.	51	41.5	48	39.0	17	13.8	5	4.1	2	1.6	0
66 - My counselor has helped me create a plan to reach my educational and/or career goals.	23	18.7	39	31.7	45	36.6	15	12.2	1	0.8	0
67 - I know how to use electronic resources to locate information.	50	40.7	52	42.3	18	14.6	3	2.4	0	0.0	0

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