2016 Lincoln Academy Parent Survey Summary

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*The survey was emailed to 640 individuals. 121 represents a 19% response rate.

Strengths

- 94% of respondents are satisfied with Lincoln Academy all or most of the time. This is up from 90% last year.
- 96% of respondents stated that their child is having a positive academic experience at Lincoln Academy. This is up from 90% last year.
- 100% of Elementary Survey respondents are satisfied with their child’s teacher. This is up from 94% last year.
- 94% of respondents stated that the current 6th grade program has been beneficial in transitioning their student from elementary to middle school.
- 96% of respondents are satisfied with the middle school sports program.
- 86% of respondents are satisfied with middle school electives. (This is a 56% improvement over last year.)
- 15 respondents commented that their alumni students have been very well prepared for high school at Lincoln Academy.
- Respondents have volunteered in class an average of 7 or more times.
- Overall responses in the following areas were also highly favorable and consistent with or better than last year's results:
  ✓ Encouraging parent involvement and providing ample volunteer opportunities
  ✓ Professional and courteous office staff
  ✓ Respecting diverse cultures and backgrounds
  ✓ Principal's communication, visibility, approachability, modeling of high standards
  ✓ Clean and well-maintained facility
  ✓ Effective school-family communication
  ✓ Staff provides positive social environment and high expectations for students
  ✓ Children receive both needed academic and social/emotional support
  ✓ Rating of middle school core classes

Opportunities for Improvement

- Many comments about the poor state of the parking lot
- Perceived effectiveness of school governance by the Board is down 5% from last year.
- 27% of respondents said they don't know how to communicate with the Board. (This is a 3% improvement over last year.)
- 31% of respondents are not satisfied with the Hot Lunch program.
- 13 comments expressing frustration with the Dress Code.
- Parent Partner Program improvements: More contact, some new parents missed
- Concerns about growth of the school

Recommendations to the Board of Directors

- Parking lot repairs
- Review Dress Code
- Review Parent Partner Program (SAC)