

**SKILLPOINT ALLIANCE/Research, Data, and Evaluation
2008 College and Career Fair
Student Survey Results (n = 389)**

Demographics

Class				School District			
		#	%		#	%	
	Senior	181	47%	Round Rock ISD	96	26%	
	Junior	150	39%	Pflugerville ISD	59	16%	
	Sophomore	30	8%	Austin ISD	58	16%	
	Freshman	21	5%	Del Valle ISD	57	15%	
	Total	382		Hays CISD	31	8%	
				Manor ISD	21	6%	
Ethnicity				Lockhart ISD	18	5%	
	Hispanic	183	47%	Elgin ISD	16	4%	
	White	99	25%	Charter HS	7	2%	
	African American	83	21%	Jarrell ISD	4	1%	
	Asian	20	5%	Bastrop ISD	3	1%	
	Other*	7	2%	Leander ISD	1	0%	
	Total	392		Liberty Hill ISD	1	0%	
				Total	372		
Note: Students could choose all that applied.				Sex			
* Other ethnicities listed included Cuban, Irish, and Middle Eastern.				Female	238	62%	
				Male	146	38%	
				Total	384		
Age				Note: A total of 389 students completed a student survey; however, not every student answered every question. Totals reflect number of nonblank responses.			
	> 18	9	3%				
	18	78	24%				
	17	154	47%				
	16	68	21%				
	15	17	5%				
	14	5	1.5%				
	Total	331					

Responses

What was the <u>best</u> thing about today's event? (n = 389)				How would you rate the college and career fair overall?			
	Seeing all the different opportunities	140	25%	Excellent (5)	146	38%	
	Information provided about jobs/careers	138	25%	Good (4)	195	51%	
	Information provided about colleges	125	22%	Average (3)	35	9%	
	Demonstrations (culinary, robotics, multimedia)	65	12%	Fair (2)	10	3%	
	Financial Aid Plaza	51	9%	Poor (1)	0	0%	
	Speakers (in concession area)	34	6%	Total	386		
	Other	9	2%	Average rating	4.24		
	Total	562					
What was the <u>worst</u> thing about today's event? (n = 389)				Did you go to the Financial Plaza?			
	Nothing	119	29%	Yes	304	90%	
	Not enough time	106	26%	No	35	10%	
	Crowds/too many people	96	23%	Total	339		
	Finding my way around the arena	58	14%	If "yes," how would you rate it?			
	Not enough info in area of particular interest	19	5%	Excellent (5)	89	31%	
	Environment in the arena	3	1%	Good (4)	180	58%	
	Other	9	2%	Average (3)	26	8%	
	Total	410		Fair (2)	7	2%	
				Poor (1)	1	0%	
				Total	303		
Note: Though students were instructed to choose one best and one worst thing about the event, many checked multiple options. Totals, therefore, exceed 389.				Average rating	4.15		
If "yes," did you work on a FAFSA?				If "yes" you did work on FASFA, did you complete it?			
	No	204	72%	Yes	53	66%	
	Yes	81	28%	No	27	34%	
	Total	285		Total	80		