



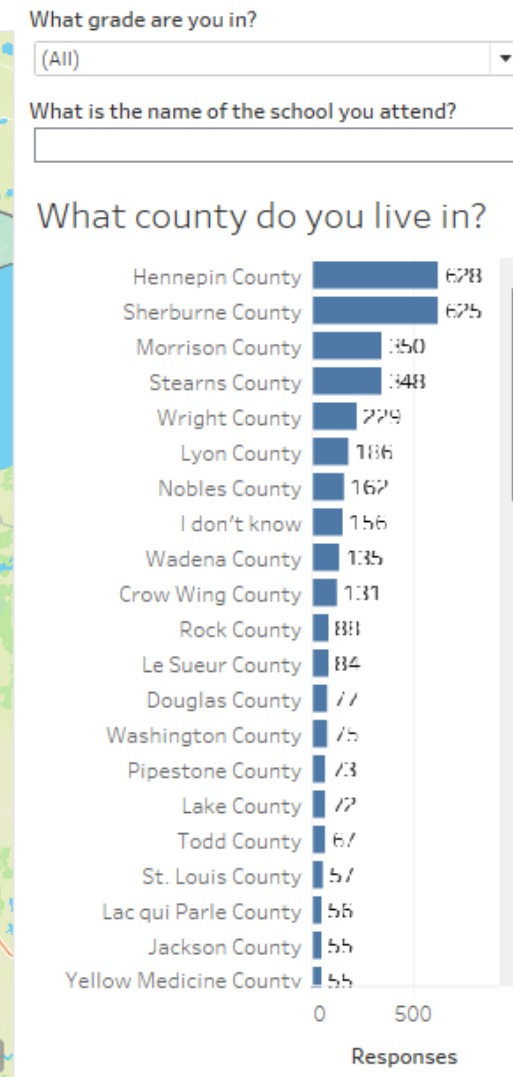
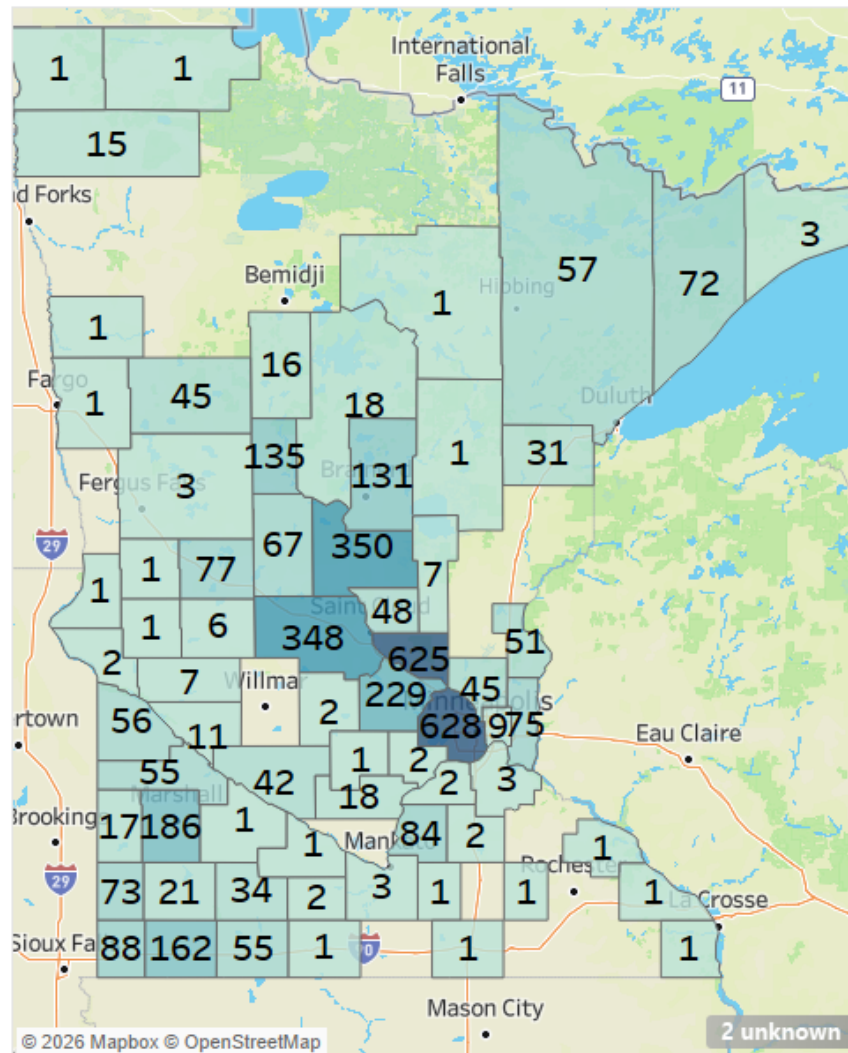
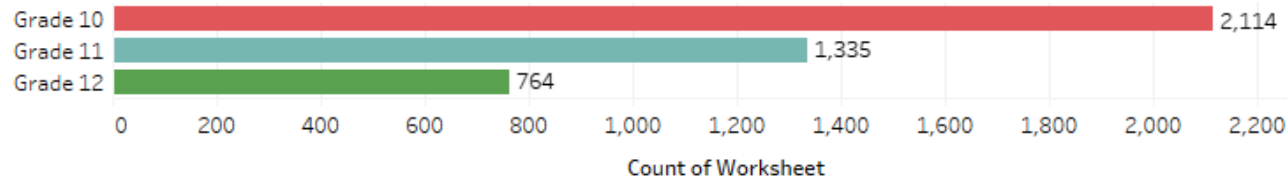
Students of Central Minnesota



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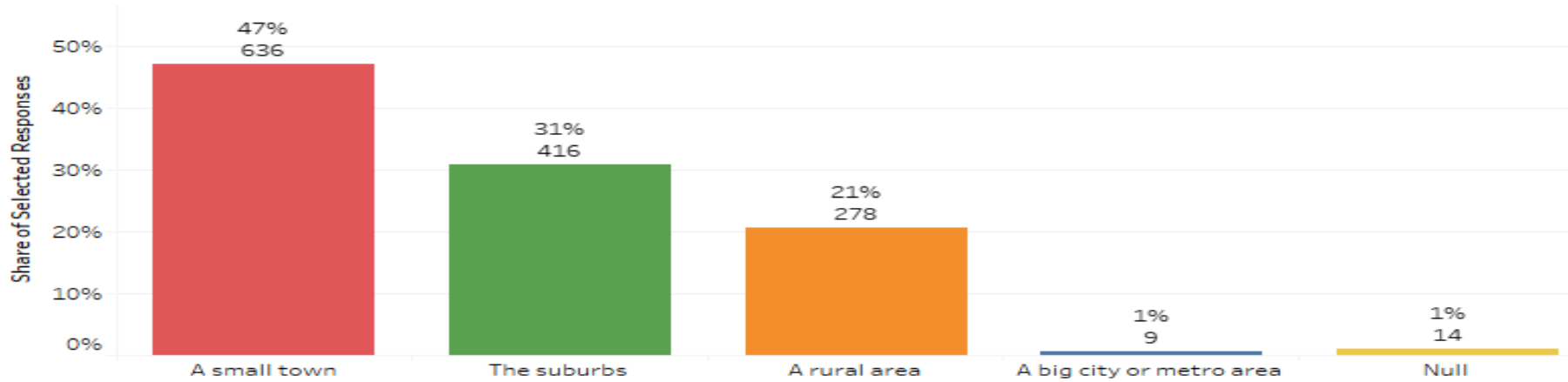
Student Responses by County

- Students select what county they live in
- Central Minnesota responses are highly concentrated in Sherburne, Wright, and Stearns
- Pine, Kanabec, Isanti and Kandiyohi County have no responses, Meeker, Mille Lacs and McLeod are basically the same

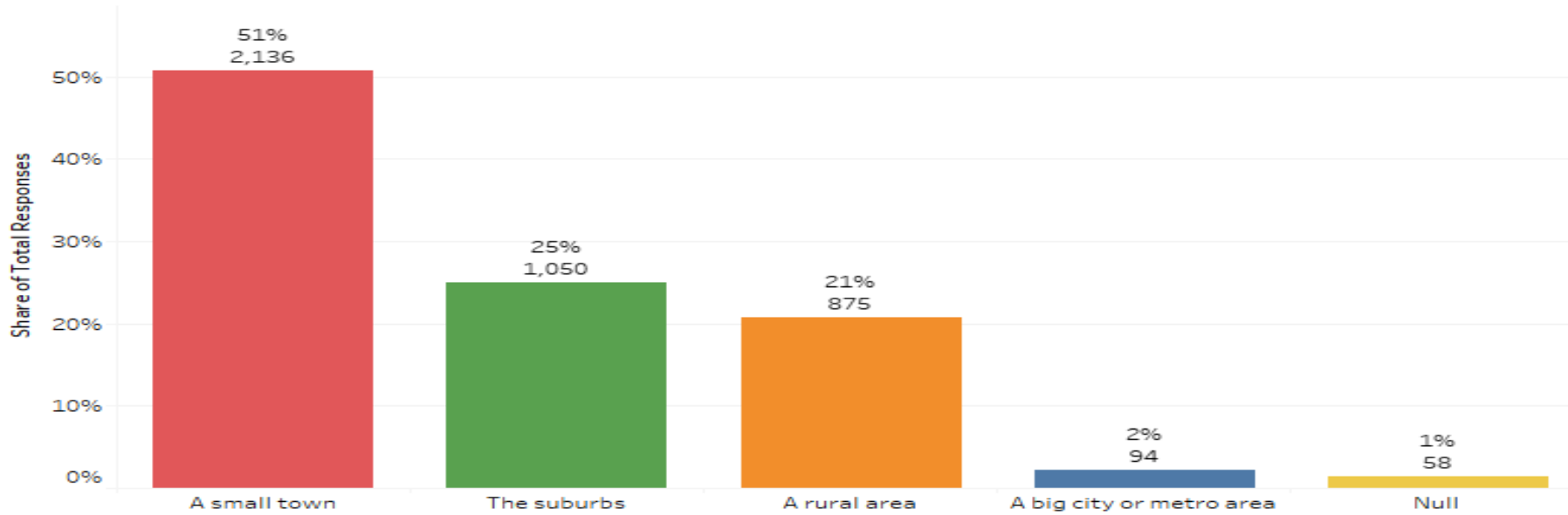


What type of place do students live?

Selected Area

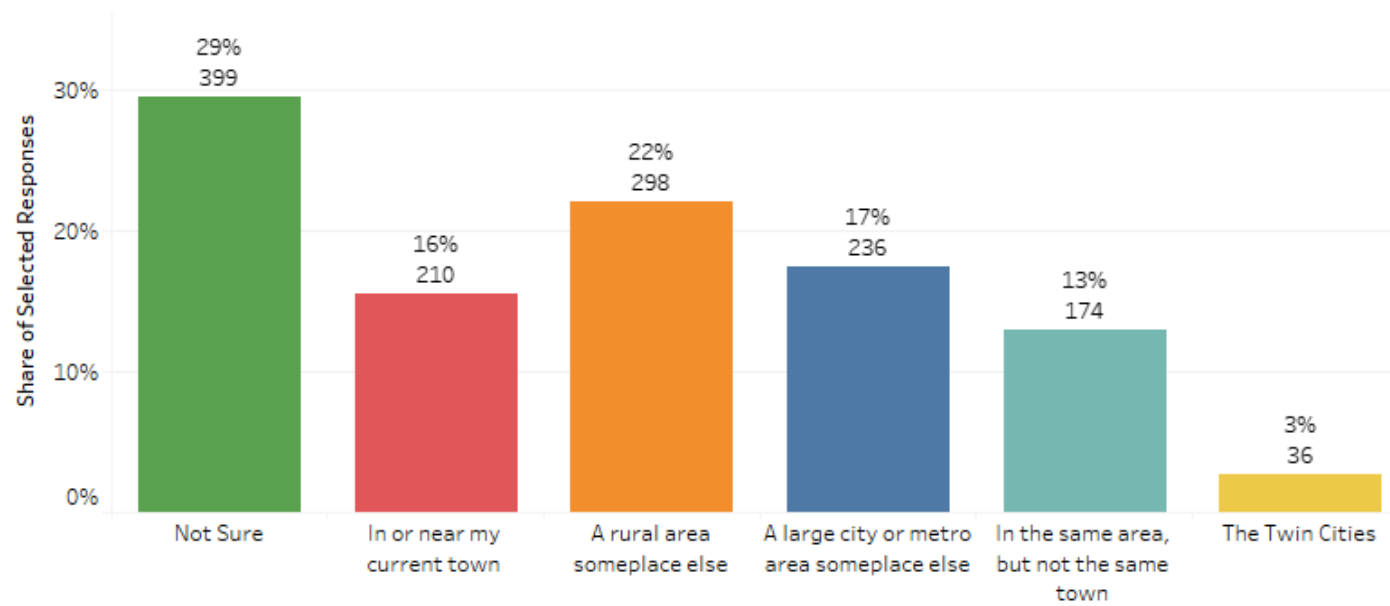


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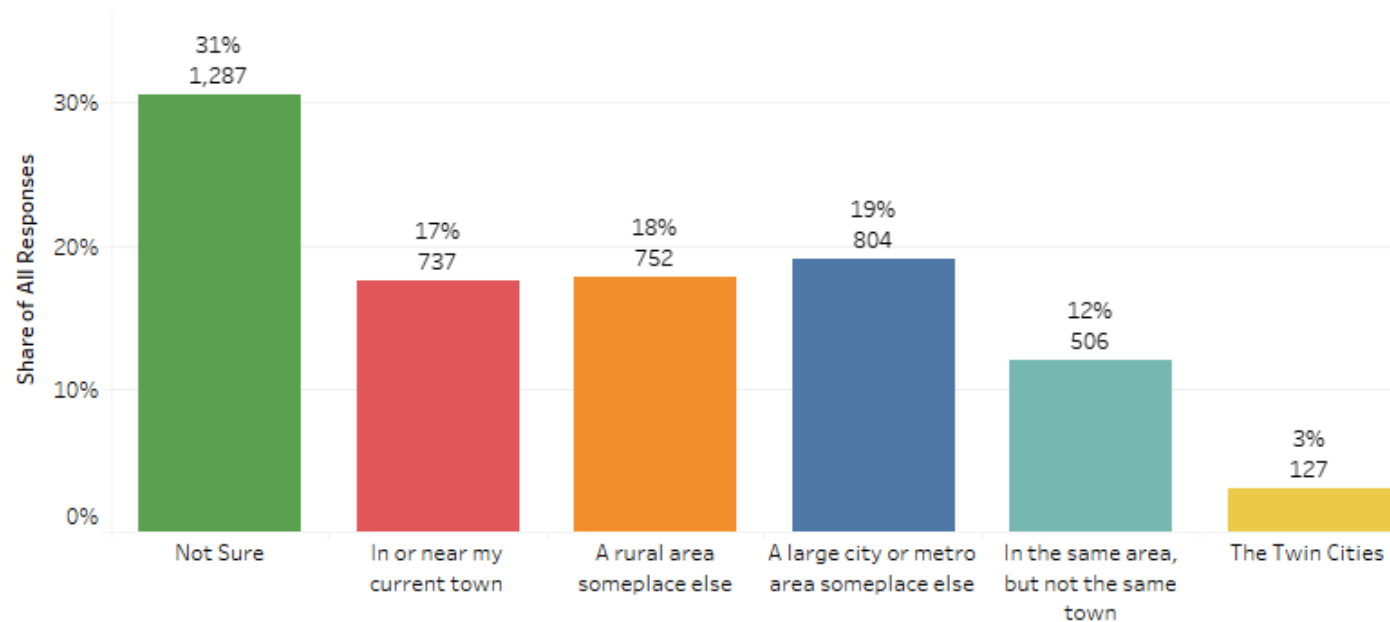
What type of place do students want to live?

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- 29% want to live in their same area or hometown
 - Exact same rate as the statewide results

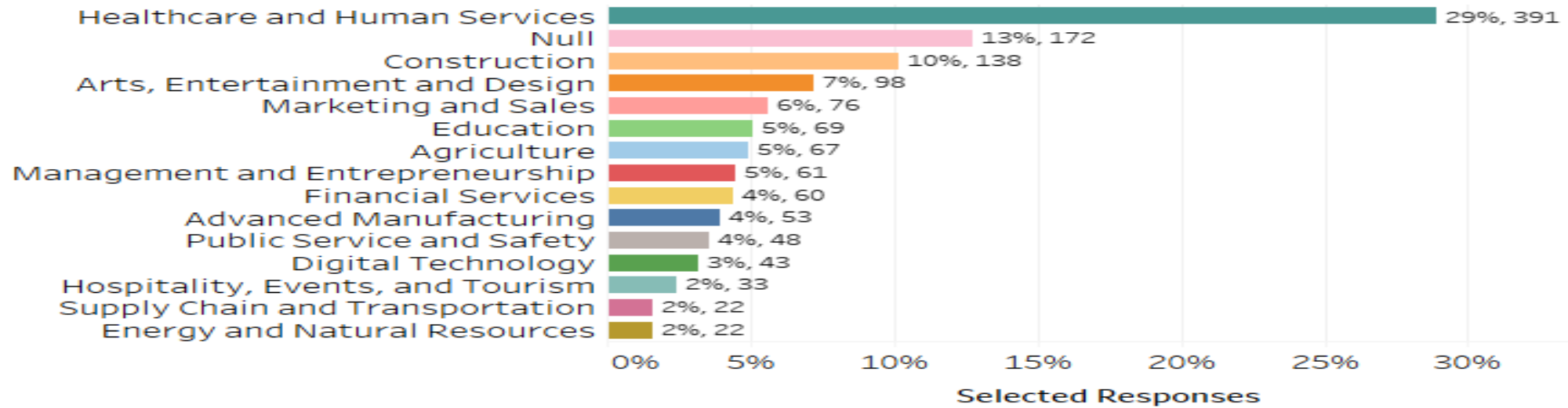
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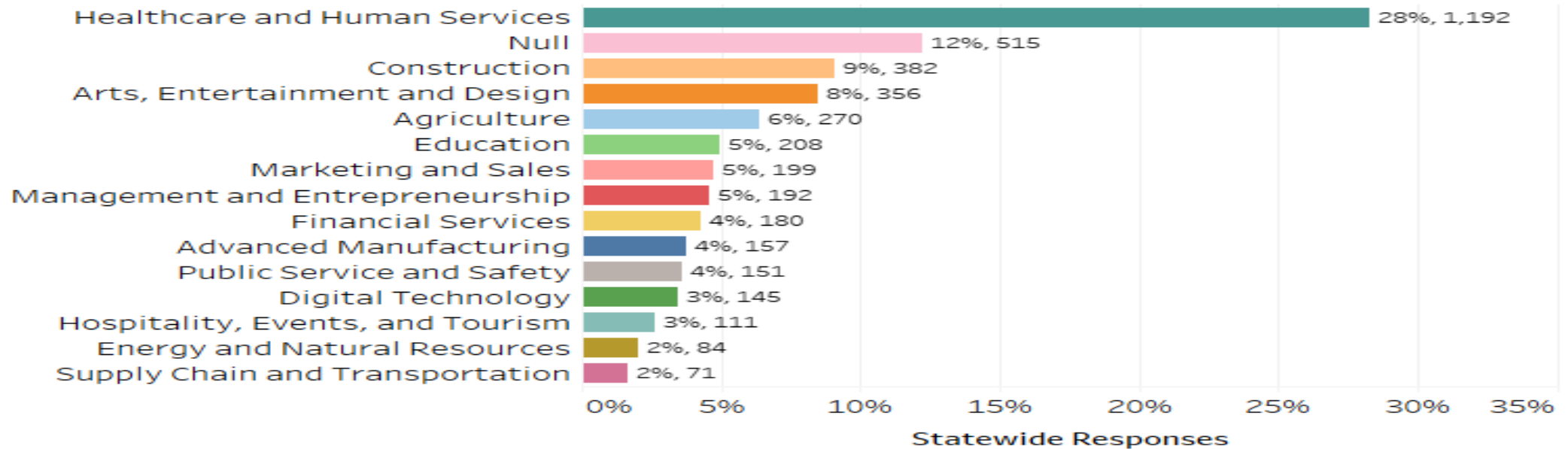
- Pulling out only seniors show a slight shift with more wanting to stay local (32%)
- Distribution for all other categories remain constant except for “not sure”

What Career field are you most interested in?

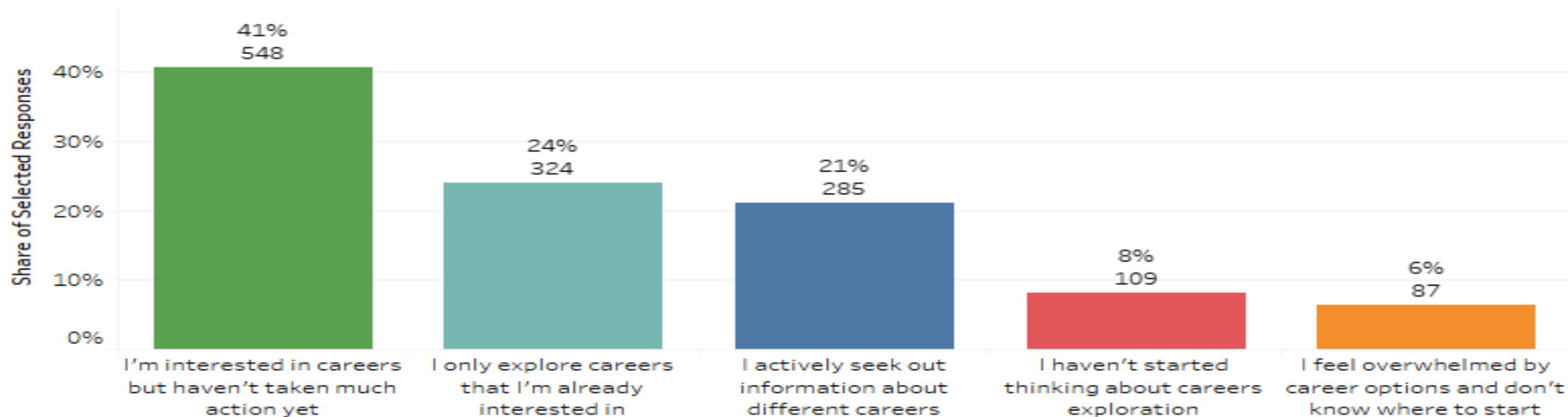
Selected Area/Schools



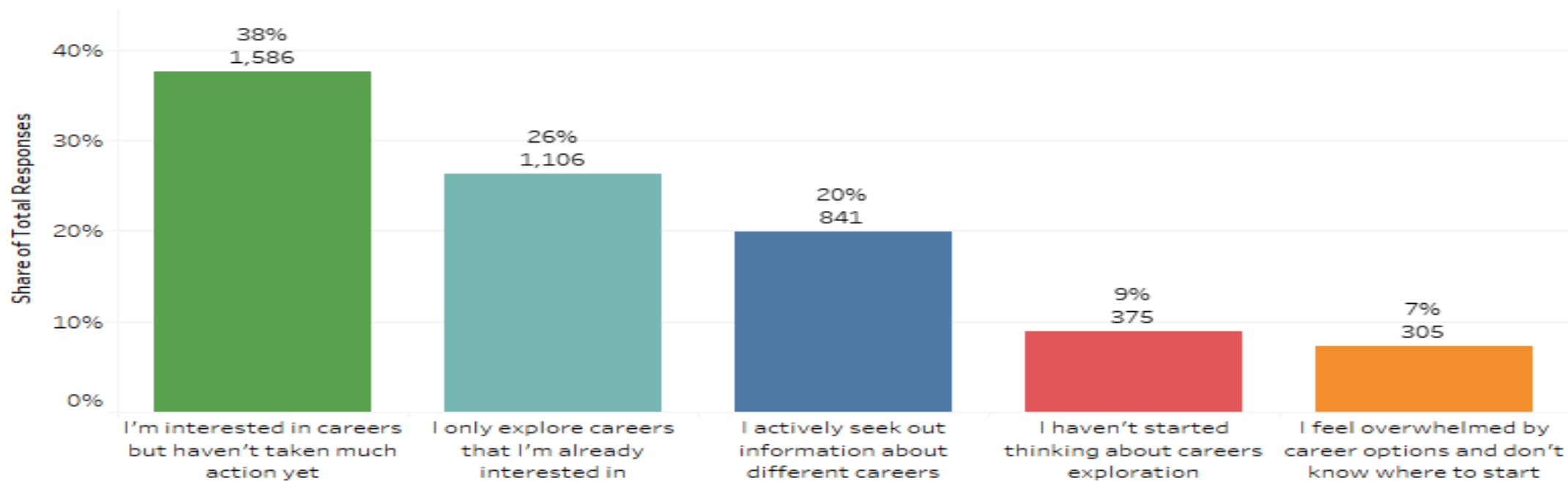
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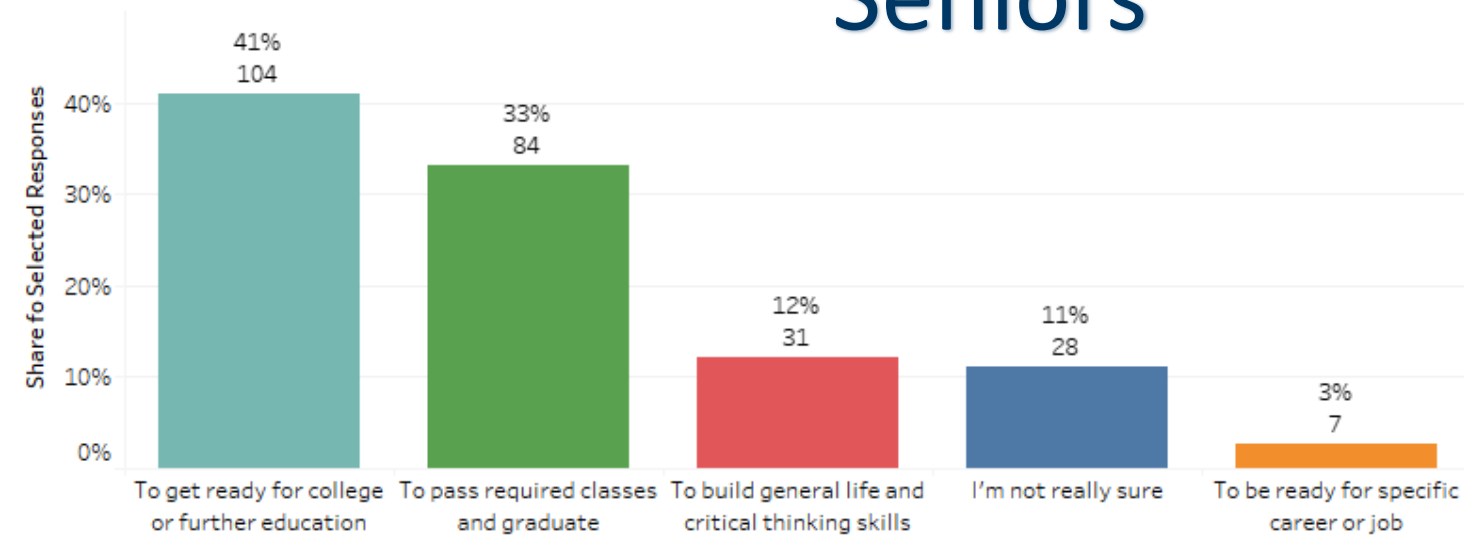


Seniors

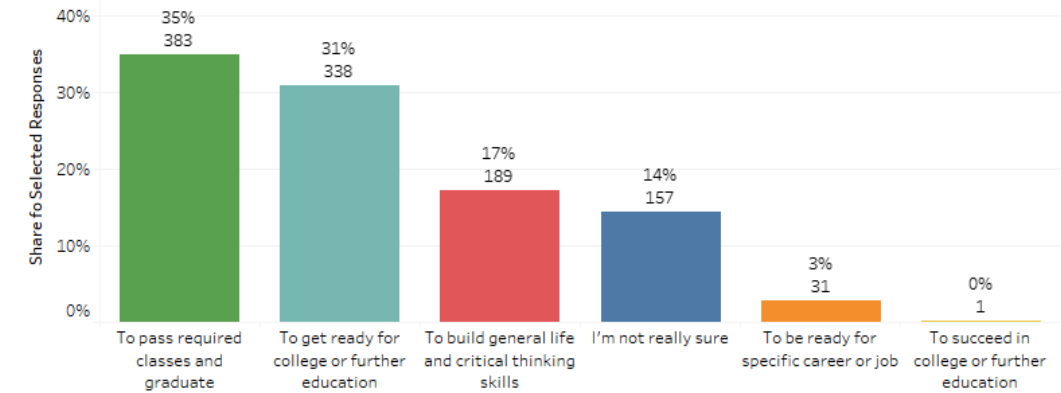
What do you feel high school is mostly preparing you for?

10th and 11th grade

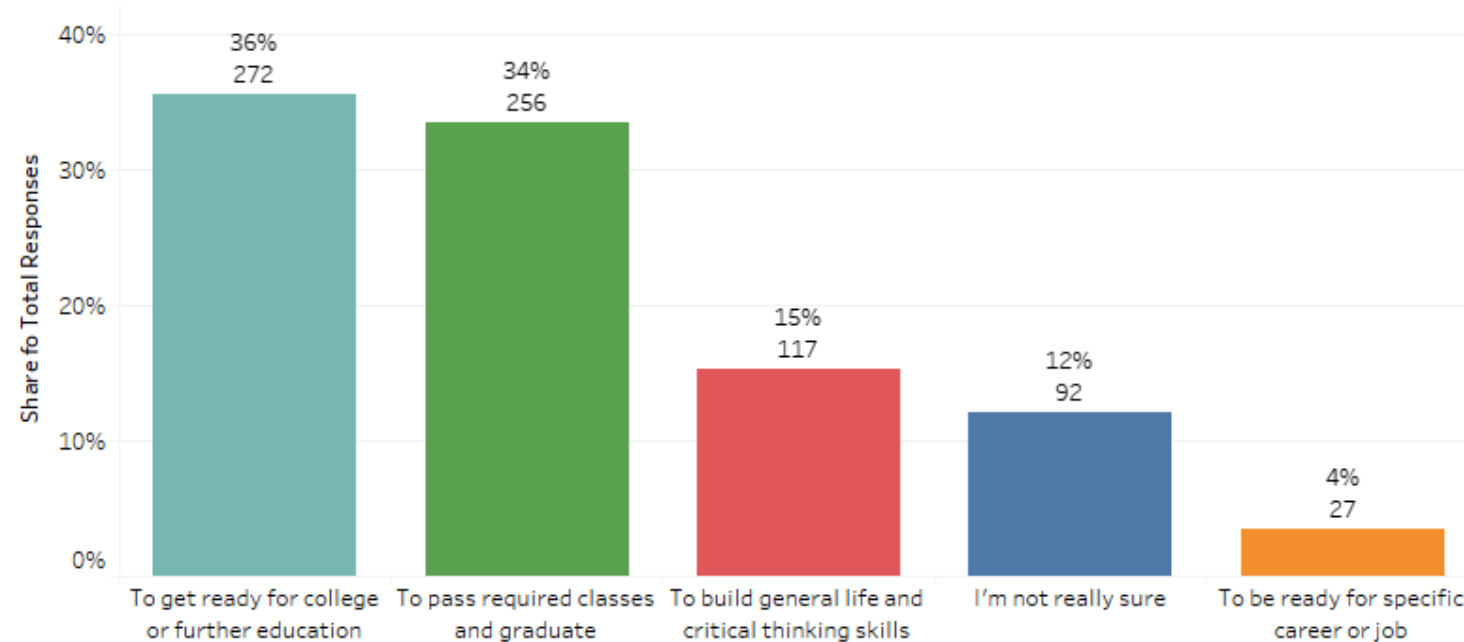
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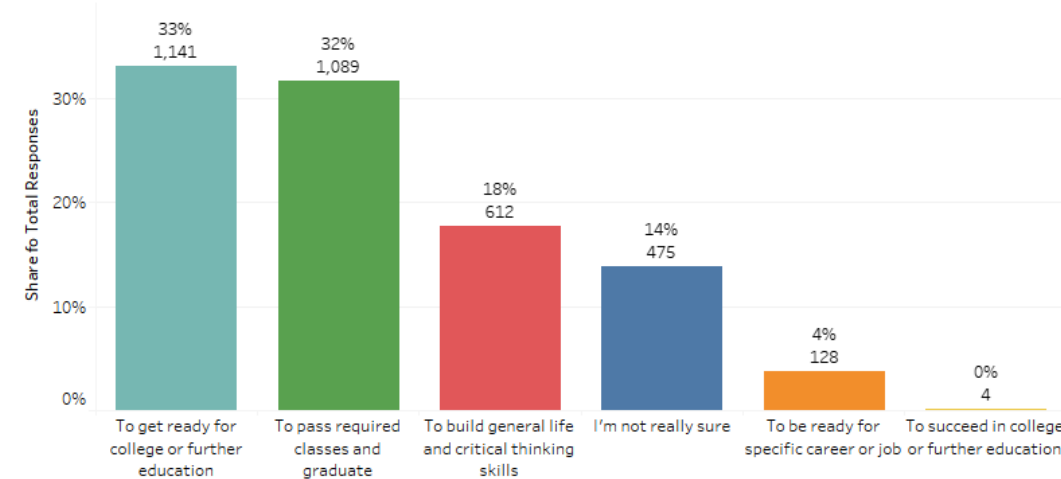
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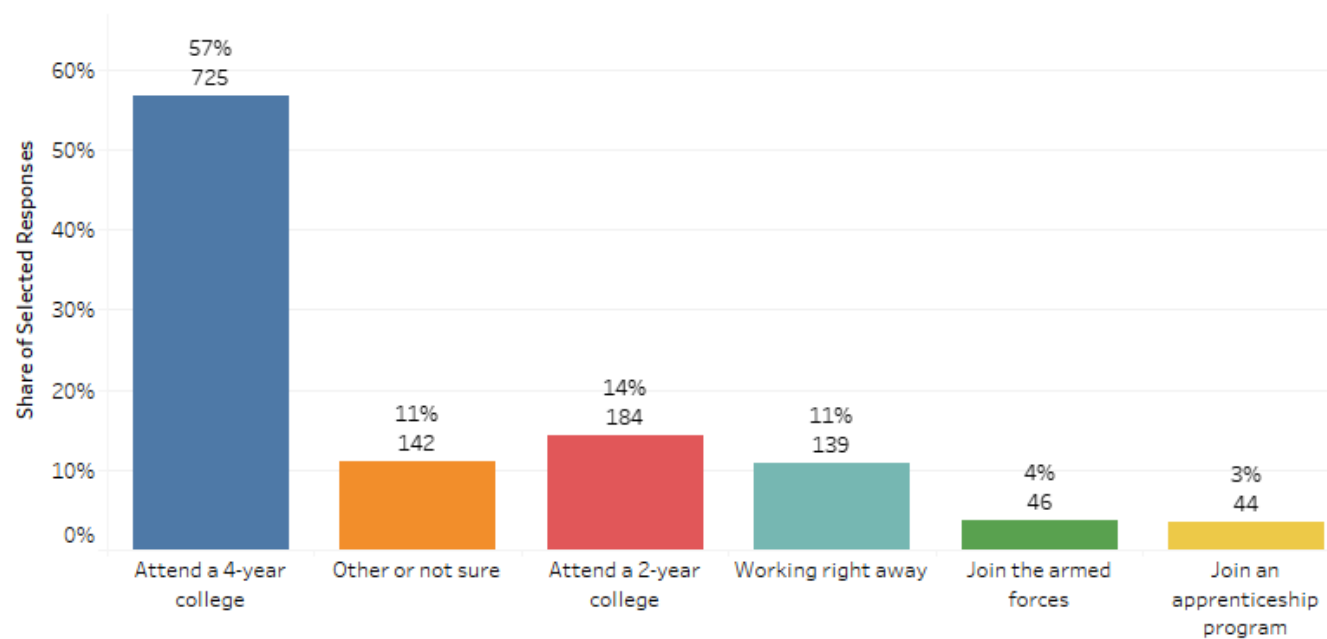
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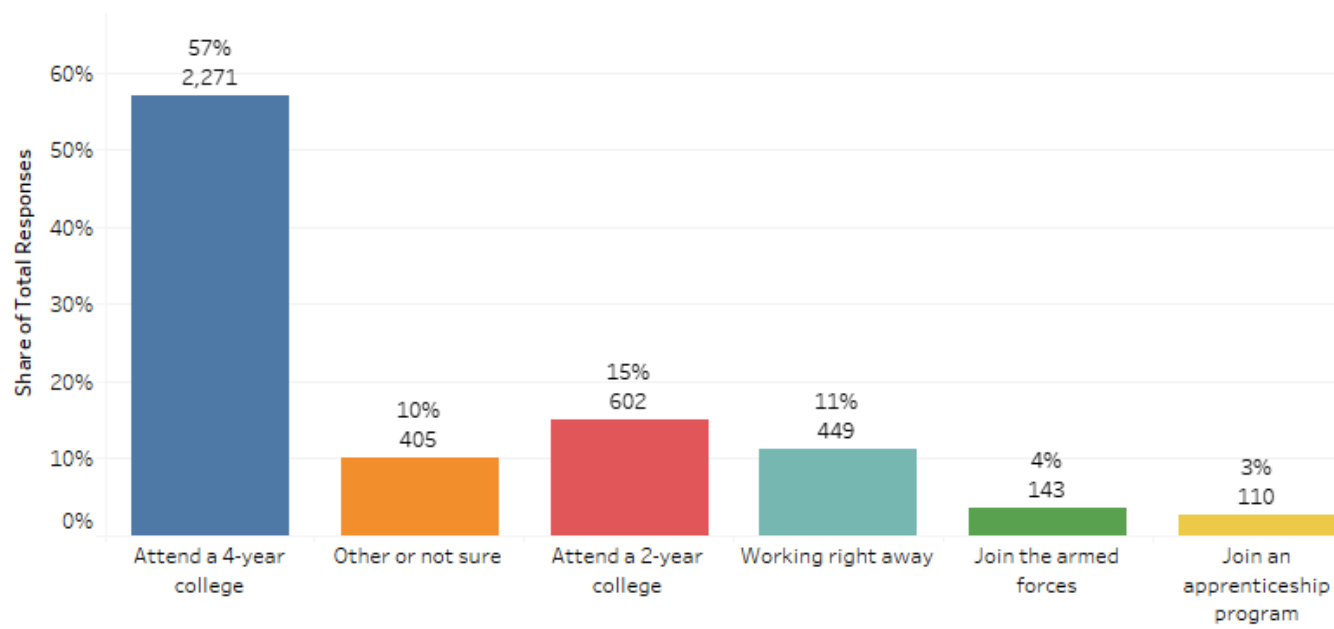
What are you planning on doing after high school?

- Plans are not impacted by grade level, these appear to be locked in by the sophomore year
- In 2024, at the very most 40% of graduates enrolled at a 4 year school, it's somewhere between 31% and 40%
- At least 18% enrolled at a 2- year school

Selected Region

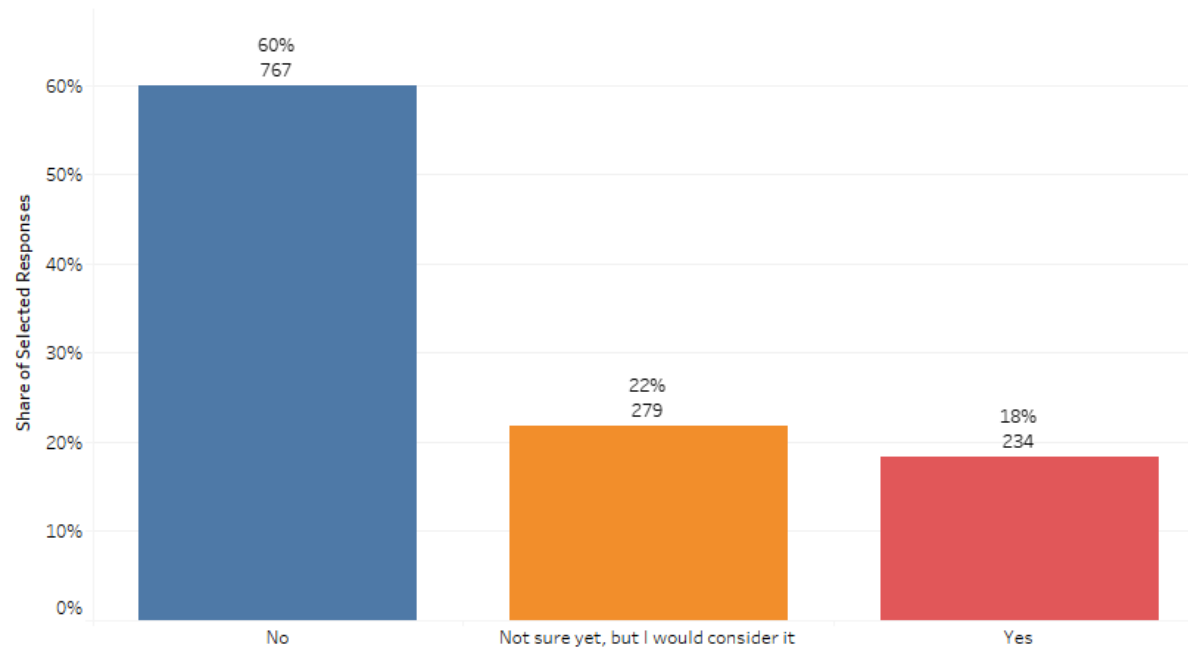


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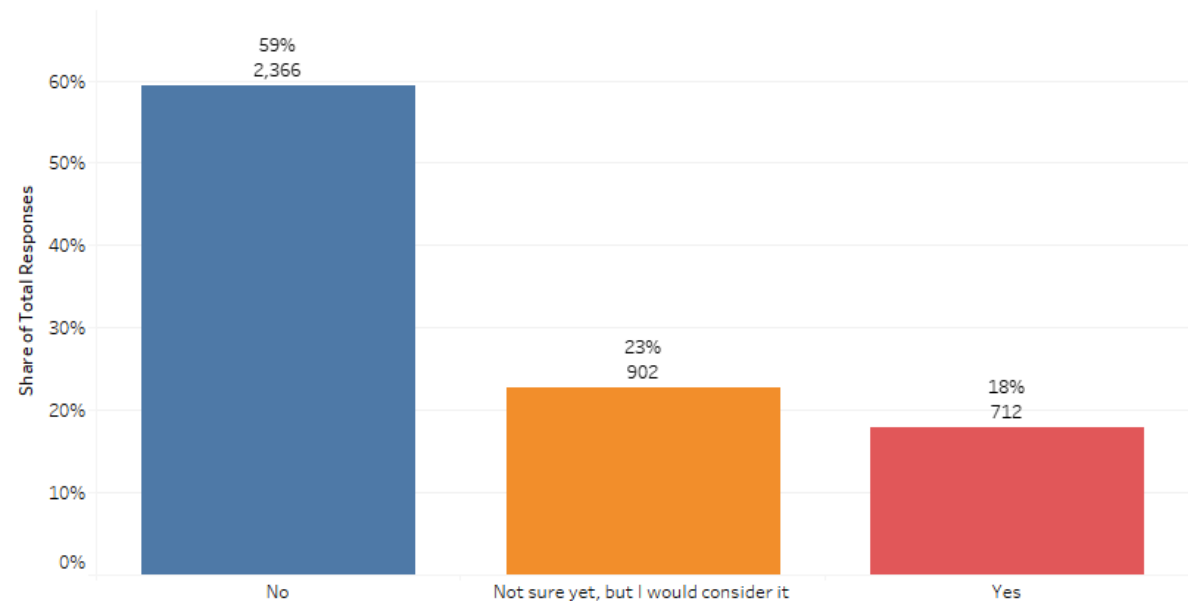


Are you interested in doing the same type of career as one of your parents?

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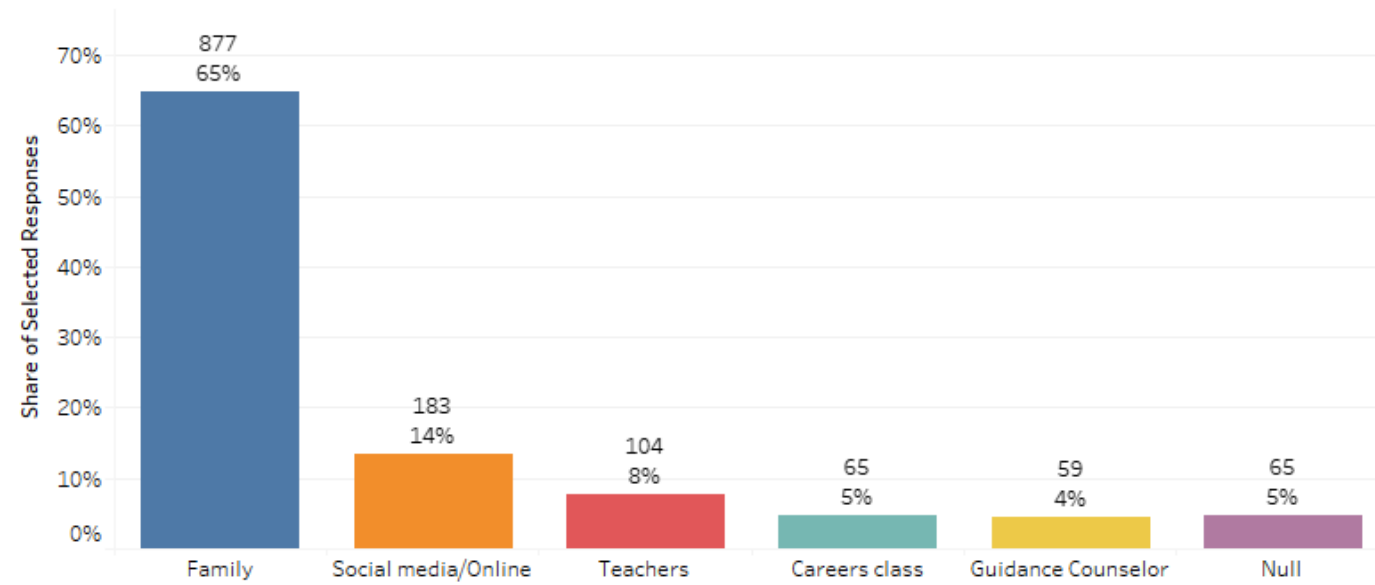
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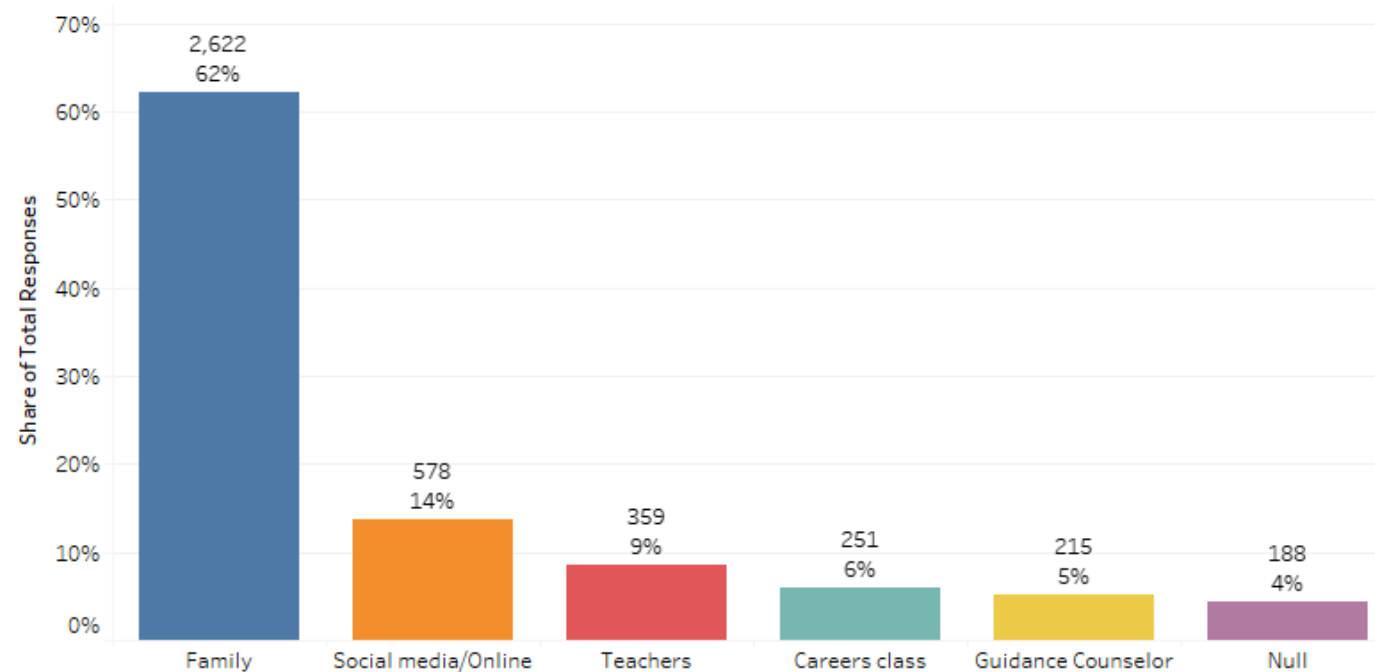
- Seniors are far less likely to be interested in the same type of job as their parents than lower classmen
- Consider this; 15% of our jobs are in manufacturing, only 4% of students are interested in it, are their parents talking them out of it?

What is your primary source of advice about your future education and career decisions?

Selected Area



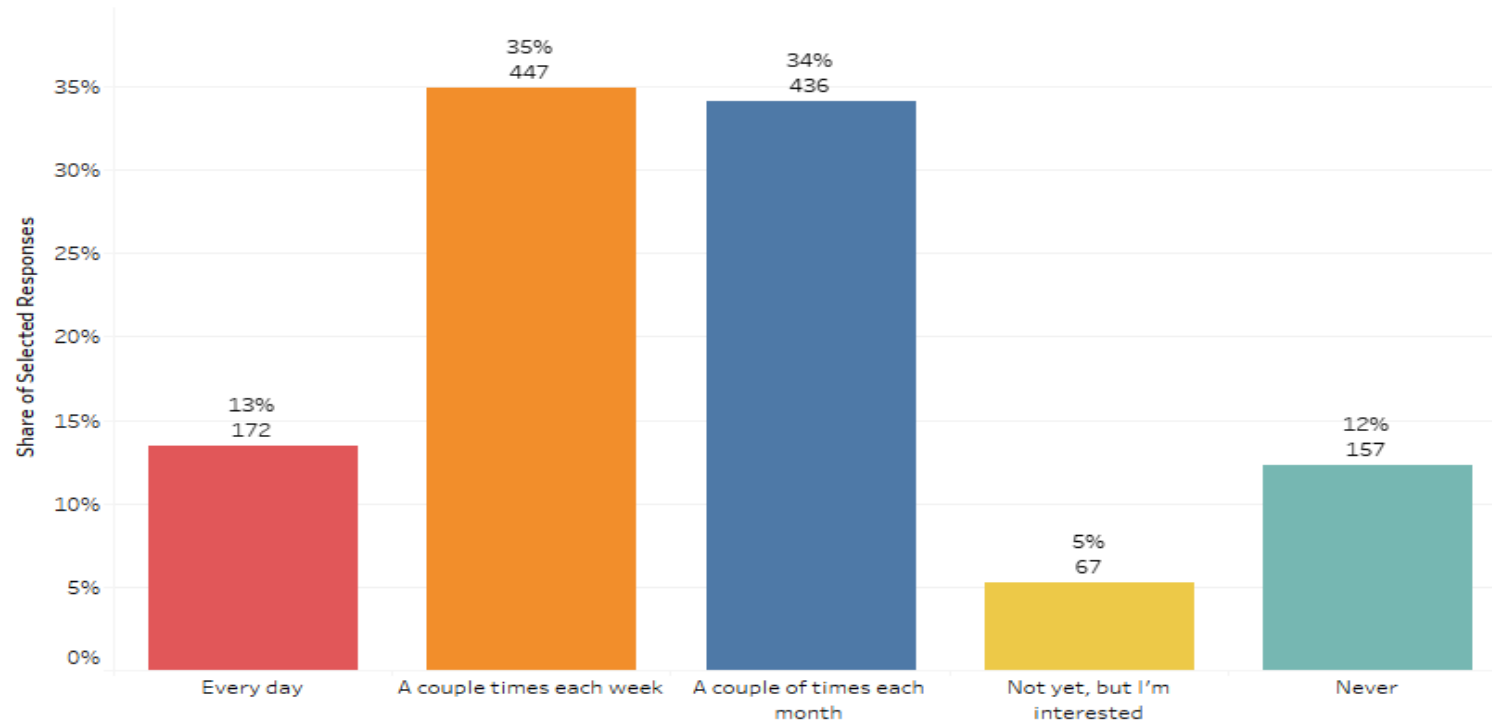
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- Almost no difference between sophomores and seniors
- Sources appear to remain constant through high school
- If the hypothesis is true, implications of constant sources likely provide highly biased information, positive or negative

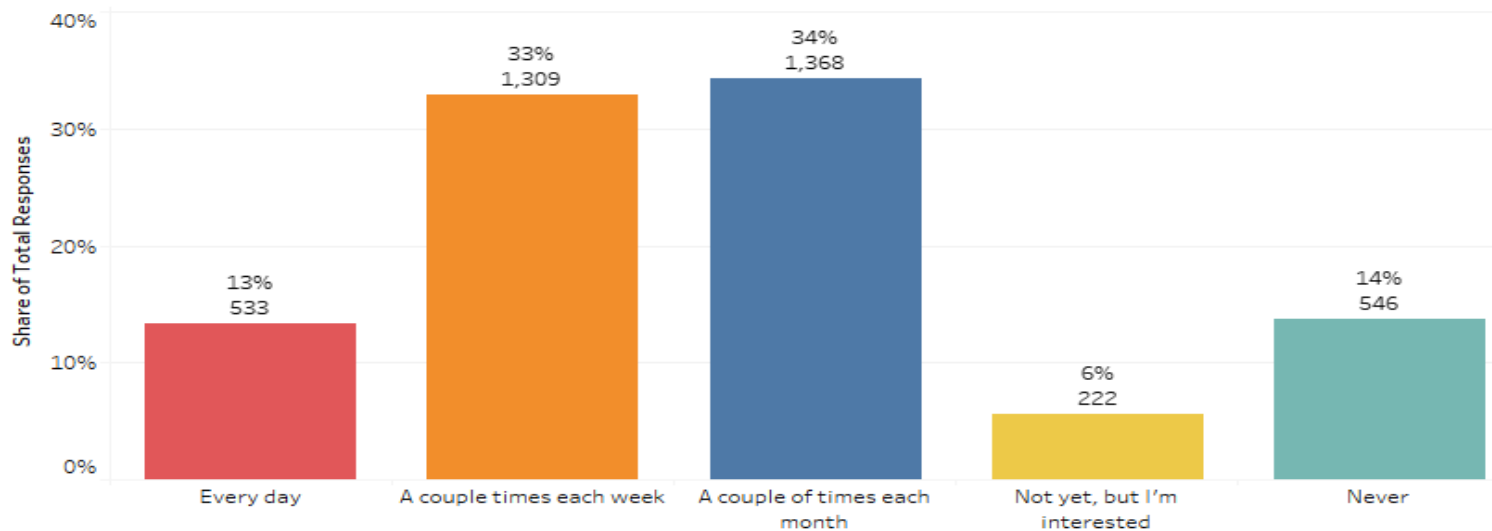
How often do you use Artificial Intelligence (AI)?

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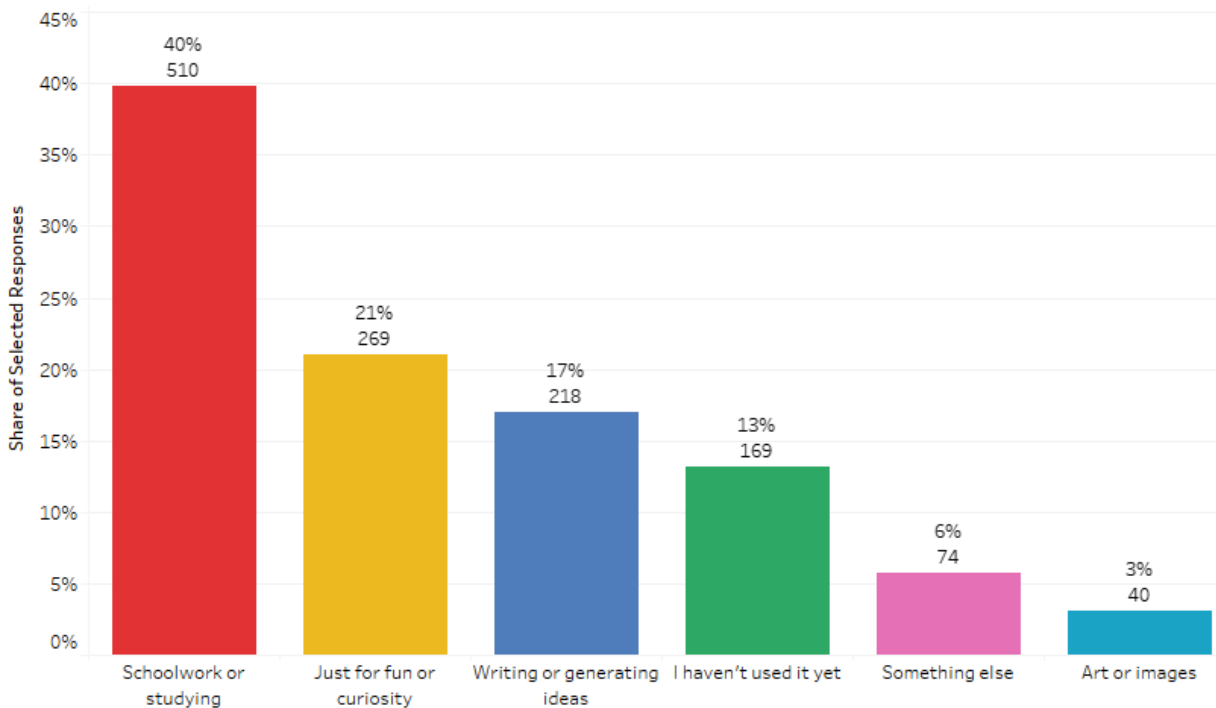
- Distribution is constant for 10-12th grade
- Same share that use daily as those that never use it

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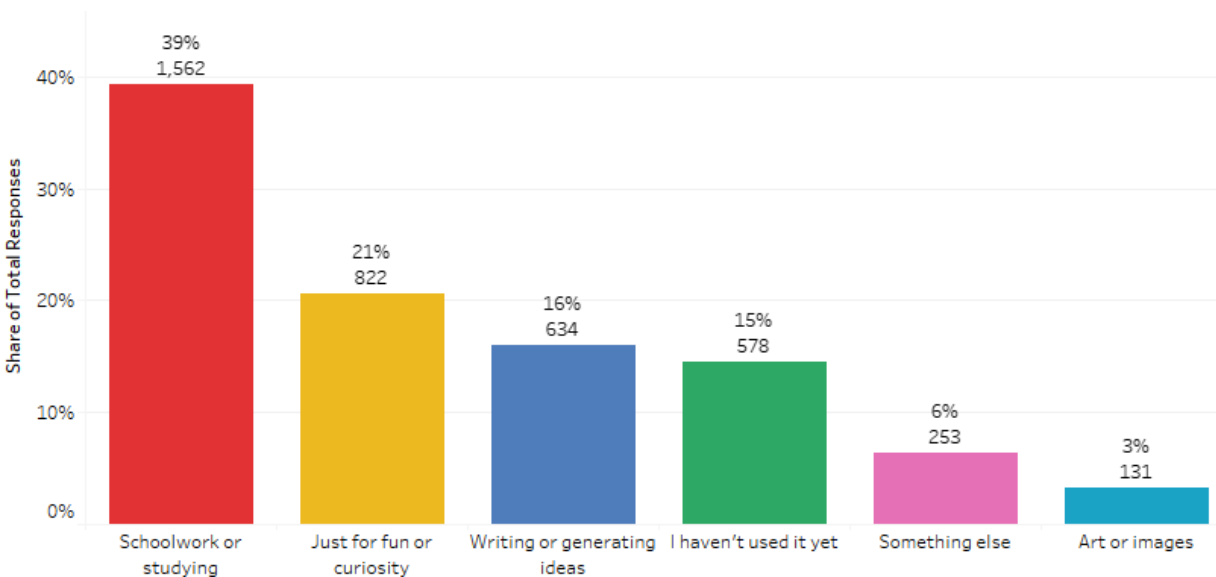


If you do use AI, what is the primary thing you use AI for?

Selected Region



Total, All Responses



- Large share of students are using it for productive purposes
- Not clear the type of guidance, if any students are receiving when using AI for schoolwork
- How will their use or lack of use help or hurt employers?

What to do with this info

- Share the survey with your local district!
- <https://survey.alchemer.com/s3/8437750/DEED-Student-Survey>



Care to Share? What Should I Be Researching?



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