# LOCAL OFFICE STUDY - X VERBATIM

## Verbatim Deliverables:

This is an example of demographic banners attached to verbatim responses. Each response has the demographic information of the respondent followed by the open ended response.

# X. What is a good quote about knowledge?

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Under \$60k

Knowing is not enough; we must apply!

~ Goethe

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Under \$60k

The aim of education is the knowledge not of fact, but of values.

~ Dean William R. Inge

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Under \$60k

A popular government without popular information, or the means of acquiring it, is but a prologue to a farce or a tragedy, or perhaps both.

~ James Madison

## GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Under \$60k

These days people seek knowledge, not wisdom. Knowledge is of the past, wisdom is of the future.

~ Vernon Cooper

#### GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Over \$60k

If we value independence, if we are disturbed by the growing conformity of knowledge, of values, of attitudes, which our present system induces, then we may wish to set up conditions of learning which make for uniqueness, for self-direction, and for self-initiated learning.

~ Carl Rogers

#### **GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Over \$60k**

It is impossible for a man to learn what he thinks he already knows.

~ Epictetus

#### GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Over \$60k

Knowledge will forever govern ignorance; and a people who mean to be their own governors must arm themselves with the power which knowledge gives.

~ James Madison

#### **GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Over \$60k**

We have a hunger of the mind which asks for knowledge of all around us, and the more we gain, the more is our desire; the more we see, the more we are capable of seeing.

~ Maria Mitchell

#### **GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Over \$60k**

If facts are the seeds that later produce knowledge and wisdom, then the emotions and the impressions of the senses are the fertile soil in which the seeds must grow.

~ Rachel Carson

#### **GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Over \$60k**

The first step towards knowledge is to know that we are ignorant.

~ Richard Cecil

#### **GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Over \$60k**

Sit down before fact as a little child, be prepared to give up every precwherever or whatever abysses nature leads, or you will learn nothing.

~ Thomas H. Huxley

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Over \$60k

Go to your bosom: Knock there, and ask your heart what it doth know.

~ William Shakespeare

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Un

Pulaski: Dah-ta, look at this.

Data: [irritated] Day-ta.

Pulaski: What?

Data: My name. It is pronounced 'Day-ta'.

Pulaski: Oh?

Data: You called me "Dah-ta."

Pulaski: [laughing] What's the difference? Data: One is my name. The other is not.

~ Star Trek

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Under \$60k

It is characteristic of wisdom not to do desperate things.

~ Henry David Thoreau

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Under \$60k

A little knowledge that acts is worth infinitely more than much knowledge that is idle.

~ Kahlil Gibran

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Under \$60k

Knowledge is a process of piling up facts; wisdom lies in their simplification.

~ Martin Fischer

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Under \$60k

I have come to believe that the whole world is an enigma, a harmless enigma that is made terrible by our own mad attempt to interpret it as though it had an underlying truth.

~ Umberto Eco

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Over \$60k

The eye sees only what the mind is prepared to comprehend.

~ Henri Bergson

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Over \$60k

I was determined to know beans. Walden

~ Henry David Thoreau

# **Demographic Banner:**

Any close ended responses or sample information can be attached to the open ended response.

Responses are sorted by the demographic banner.

Ex. This respondent is a white male whose household income is over sixty thousand dollars.

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Over \$60k

We are drowning in information but starved for knowledge.

~ John Naisbitt

#### GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Over \$60k

Great are they who see that spiritual is stronger than any material force, that thoughts rule the world. ~ Ralph Waldo Emerson

## GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: Hispanic INCOME: Under \$60k

Imagination is more important than knowledge. For while knowledge defines all we currently know and understand, imagination points to all we might yet discover and create.

~ Albert Einstein

# **Verbatim Response:**

The full text of the response is appended to the demographic banner. If necessary, the text can be cleaned up for readability and checked for spelling.

# Hispanic INCOME: Over \$60k

trument which is used to facilitate integration of the younger ent system and bring about conformity or it becomes the practice of and women deal critically and creatively with reality and discover how of their world.

# Vative American INCOME: Under \$60k

d guided by knowledge.

## Vative American INCOME: Under \$60k

only thing worth doing was to add to the sum of accurate information

# **GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: Native American INCOME: Under \$60k**

If you don't read the newspaper, you are uninformed; if you do read the newspaper, you are misinformed. ~ Mark Twain

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: Native American INCOME: Over \$60k

The universe is full of magical things, patiently waiting for our wits to grow sharper.

~ Eden Phillpotts

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: Native American INCOME: Over \$60k

The beginning of knowledge is the discovery of something we do not understand.

~ Frank Herbert

# **GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: Native American INCOME: Over \$60k**

Intuition and concepts constitute ... the elements of all our knowledge, so that neither concepts without an intuition in some way corresponding to them, nor intuition without concepts, can yield knowledge.

~ Immanuel Kant

#### GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: Native American INCOME: Over \$60k

I believe that imagination is stronger than knowledge -- myth is more potent than history -- dreams are more powerful than facts -- hope always triumphs over experience -- laughter is the cure for grief -- love is stronger than death.

~ Robert Fulghum

## GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: Other INCOME: Under \$60k

Whoever undertakes to set himself up as a judge of Truth and Knowledge is shipwrecked by the laughter of the gods.

~ Albert Einstein

#### GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: Other INCOME: Over \$60k

The possession of knowledge does not kill the sense of wonder and mystery. There is always more mystery.

~ Anais Nin

#### GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: Other INCOME: Over \$60k

Your vision will become clear only when you look into your heart. Who looks outside, dreams. Who looks inside, awakens.

~ Carl Jung

#### GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: Other INCOME: Over \$60k

Trust yourself. You know more than you think you do.

~ Benjamin Spock

#### GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: Other INCOME: Over \$60k

Reason guides our attempt to understand the world about us. Both reason and compassion guide our efforts to apply that knowledge ethically, to understand other people, and have ethical relationships with other people.

~ Molleen Matsumura

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: Other INCOME: Over \$60k

Bodily exercise, when compulsory, does no harm to the body; but knowledge which is acquired under compulsion obtains no hold on the mind.

~ Plato

# GENDER: Male ETHNICITY: Refused INCOME: Refused

Knowledge has three degrees -- opinion, science, illumination. The means or instrument of the first is sense; of the second, dialectic; of the third, intuition.

~ Plotinus

# GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Under \$60k

If one is estranged from oneself, then one is estranged from others too. If one is out of touch with oneself, then one cannot touch others.

~ Anne Morrow Lindbergh

# GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: White INCOME: Under \$60k

Intuition becomes increasingly valuable in the new information society precisely because there is so much data.

~ John Naisbitt

# GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Under \$60k

We cannot seek or attain health, wealth, learning, justice or kindness in general. Action is always specific, concrete, individualized, unique.

~ Benjamin Jowett

# GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Under \$60k

Now there is one outstandingly important fact regarding Spaceship Earth, and that is that no instruction book came with it.

~ Buckminster Fuller

#### **GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Under \$60k**

Any piece of knowledge I acquire today has a value at this moment exactly proportioned to my skill to deal with it. Tomorrow, when I know more, I recall that piece of knowledge and use it better.

~ Mark van Doren

# GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Under \$60k

Even a fool, when he holdeth his peace, is counted wise: and he that shutteth his lips is esteemed a man of understanding.

~ Proverbs 17

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Under \$60k

Intuition is the supra-logic that cuts out all the routine processes of thought and leaps straight from the problem to the answer.

~ Robert Graves

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Under \$60k

It is a wise father that knows his own child.

~ William Shakespeare

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: African American INCOME: Over \$60k

Intuition does not in itself amount to knowledge, yet cannot be disregarded by philosophers and psychologists.

~ Corliss Lamont

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Hispanic INCOME: Under \$60k

Anyone who conducts an argument by appealing to authority is not using his intelligence; he is just using his memory.

~ Leonardo da Vinci

# GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Hispanic INCOME: Under \$60k

I am somehow less interested in the weight and convolutions of Einstein's brain than in the near certainty that people of equal talent have lived and died in cotton fields and sweatshops.

 $\sim Stephen \ Jay \ Gould$ 

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Hispanic INCOME: Over \$60k

We know what we are, but know not what we may be.

~ William Shakespeare

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Asian INCOME: Under \$60k

It is, in fact, nothing short of a miracle that the modern methods of instruction have not entirely strangled the holy curiosity of inquiry.

~ Albert Einstein

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Asian INCOME: Under \$60k

All schools, all colleges, have two great functions: to confer, and to conceal, valuable knowledge. The theological knowledge which they conceal cannot justly be regarded as less valuable than that which they reveal. That is, when a man is buying a basket of strawberries it can profit him to know that the bottom half of it is rotten.

~ Mark Twain

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Asian INCOME: Under \$60k

The two operations of our understanding, intuition and deduction, on which alone we have said we must rely in the acquisition of knowledge.

~ Rene Descartes

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Asian INCOME: Under \$60k

Knowledge is of two kinds: we know a subject ourselves, or we know where we can find information upon it.

~ Samuel Johnson

## GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Asian INCOME: Under \$60k

The great end of life is not knowledge but action.

~ Thomas H. Huxley

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Asian INCOME: Over \$60k

There is no squabbling so violent as that between people who accepted an idea yesterday and those who will accept the same idea tomorrow.

~ Christopher Morley

## GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Native American INCOME: Under \$60k

There was so much handwriting on the wall that even the wall fell down.

~ Christopher Morley

#### **GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Native American INCOME: Under \$60k**

True friendship can afford true knowledge. It does not depend on darkness and ignorance.

~ Henry David Thoreau

#### **GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Native American INCOME: Under \$60k**

Trust your hunches. They're usually based on facts filed away just below the conscious level.

~ Joyce Brothers

## GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Native American INCOME: Under \$60k

If you have knowledge, let others light their candles in it.

~ Margaret Fuller

# GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Native American INCOME: Over \$60k

We must learn our limits. We are all something, but none of us are everything.

~ Blaise Pascal

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Native American INCOME: Over \$60k

Science is organized knowledge. Wisdom is organized life.

~ Immanuel Kant

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Other INCOME: Over \$60k

Virtue is an angel, but she is a blind one, and must ask Knowledge to show her the pathway that leads to her goal.

~ Horace Mann

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Other INCOME: Over \$60k

The preservation of the means of knowledge among the lowest ranks is of more importance to the public than all the property of the rich men in the country.

~ John Adams

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Other INCOME: Over \$60k

I don't believe in intuition. When you get sudden flashes of perception, it is just the brain working faster than usual. But you've been getting ready to know it for a long time, and when it comes, you feel you've known it always.

~ Katherine Anne Porter

## GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Other INCOME: Over \$60k

The dumbest people I know are those who know it all.

~ Malcolm Forbes

#### GENDER: Female ETHNICITY: Other INCOME: Over \$60k

The secret of joy in work is contained in one word - excellence. To know how to do something well is to enjoy it.

~ Pearl S. Buck