Additional Questions

Your school has requested that you answer some additional questions regarding your undergraduate experience. These questions take about three minutes to answer.

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Prior to your official entry into a higher education institution, how many college credits did you earn in high school using Advanced Placement, dual credit, part-time study on campus, or other similar programs?

- None
- A few (2-6)
- Some (7-15)
- Many (16-24)
- Lots (More than 24)

What factor was the strongest influence on your decision to attend this institution? (Choose only one.)

- Overall academic reputation
- Liberal arts program
- Cost, including financial aid available
- Strong academic program in my area of interest
- Other (i.e., location, athletics, student life)

Assuming you had a choice, did you first enroll at this institution without having declared a specific major (or academic program)? That is, did you enter as an undecided student?

- Yes
- No
- Does not apply – all students enter without selecting a specific major (or academic program)

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If you are having difficulty making progress with your studies, which one of the following factors has been most responsible for this difficulty? (Choose only one.)

- Academic preparation for college
- Time management or study skills
- Motivation
- External pressures (family, health, or work obligations, etc.)
- Not applicable – I am satisfied with my progress

What has been the primary source of your academic advising during the current academic year? (Choose only one.)

- My officially assigned advisor
- An advisor in the Advising Center/Minority Student Resources, or other advising center
- An instructor or staff member not assigned as your advisor
- Friends or family
- Institution publications/Institution Web site

During this academic year, to what extent have you experienced a sense of community at this institution (that is, being part of a group which shares common interests, goals, values, and experiences)?

- Very strongly
- Strongly
- Somewhat
- Not at all
- No opinion

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If you are not living at home while attending this institution (that is, if you are living either on campus or off campus), approximately how many weekends per academic term have you spent back home or elsewhere away from campus?

- None
- A few (1-3)
- Some (4-8)
- Many (9 or more)
- Does not apply – I am a commuter

Do you plan to transfer to another institution prior to completing your undergraduate education?

- Definitely yes
- Definitely no
- Undecided at this time

If you plan on transferring, which one of the following factors has had the greatest impact on this decision? (Choose only one.)

- Always planned to transfer from this school
- Desired major (or academic program) is not available at this institution
- Academic issues (disappointing grades, level of challenge, course availability, etc.)
- Financial issues
- Other personal issues (did not feel welcome, boyfriend/girlfriend issues, etc.)

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Do you own a computer?

- Yes
- No

How would you rate the overall availability of public access computers (that is, computers available to any member of the campus community) for students at this institution?

- Excellent
- Good
- Fair
- Poor
- Do not use public access computers

How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: Overall, your instructors show respect for the diverse talents and learning styles of students by using a variety of instructional methods.

- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree
- No opinion

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How satisfied are you with the academic challenge of your General Education courses (i.e., the courses outside your major or primary academic program)?

- Very satisfied
- Satisfied
- Dissatisfied
- Very dissatisfied
- Not applicable/no opinion

How satisfied are you with faculty enthusiasm for teaching General Education courses (i.e., the courses outside your major or primary academic program)?

- Very satisfied
- Satisfied
- Dissatisfied
- Very dissatisfied
- Not applicable/no opinion

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How satisfied are you with the academic challenge of your courses in your major or primary academic program?

- Very satisfied
- Satisfied
- Dissatisfied
- Very dissatisfied
- Not applicable/no opinion

How satisfied are you with faculty enthusiasm for teaching courses in your major or primary academic program?

- Very satisfied
- Satisfied
- Dissatisfied
- Very dissatisfied
- Not applicable/no opinion

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In your introductory courses, what time frame works best for your learning style?

- Class meets 3 times/week for 50 minutes per meeting
- Class meets 2 times/week for 75 minutes per meeting
- Class meets 1 time/week for a total of 150 minutes
- No preference

In your upper-level courses, what time frame works best for your learning style?

- Class meets 3 times/week for 50 minutes per meeting
- Class meets 2 times/week for 75 minutes per meeting
- Class meets 1 time/week for a total of 150 minutes
- No preference
- Does not apply

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To what degree have library instruction sessions had a positive impact on your ability to conduct college-level research?

- Very much
- Quite a bit
- Some
- Very little
- Does not apply