Southwestern Community College<br>Student Satisfaction Survey<br>Spring 2015

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## Southwestern Community College Student Satisfaction Survey, Spring 2015

## Introduction

The Southwestern Community College Student Satisfaction Survey, Spring 2015 survey was intended to elicit student perceptions and opinions regarding student services and institutional support services. Additionally, state educational mandates require that post-secondary public institutions have in place processes capable of generating evidence-based data for accreditation, institution-wide assessment, and student learning outcome evaluations. The Southwestern Community College Student Satisfaction Survey should be viewed as integral to meeting these needs and providing a comprehensive examination of campus programs and services within the institutional and learning environment.

A committee comprised of faculty, staff, and administrators was involved in the creation of questionnaire content. Survey results are typically used to inform campus personnel and administrators regarding the state of student and institutional support services and functions as an important means for generating Program Review assessment data. For spring 2015, the Southwestern Community College Student Satisfaction Survey was revised in two ways:

1. The Student Services portion of the questionnaire underwent revision with the removal of the CTEC and Women's Resource Center portions of the survey.
2. Several Student Services survey questions experienced substantial changes (e.g. Admissions and Records, Assessment Center/Prerequisite Center, Associated Student Organizations [ASO] and Inter-Club Council [ICC], Counseling Center, Food Services/Cafeteria, and Student Affairs).

This year's survey once again made use of the Scantron Class Climate online survey system. The initial e-mail invitation for survey participation was sent out on April 23, 2015 with three followup e-mail reminders sent to non-respondents throughout May. The survey closed on May 29, 2015. Nineteen thousand, seven hundred seven $(19,707)$ invitations were sent out by e-mail. Three hundred thirty-nine (339) surveys were submitted for a response rate of approximately two percent (1.7\%).

It should be noted that this year's response rate (1.7\%) was lower compared to the previous year's response rate ( $4.5 \%$ in 2014); the underlying cause of this decrease in response rates may be largely contributed to technical and hardware errors with the software system used to distribute the surveys this year.

## Survey Analysis Description

The Southwestern Community College Student Satisfaction Survey makes use of several reporting elements, including bar charts and statistical summary tables. Bar charts depict the relative distribution of data by category, including categorical counts, overall count, and response percentages. This analysis is supplemented by numerical (quantitative) data composed of average scores, standard deviations, medians, or modes within "Statistical Result" tables; when warranted, Yes/No survey response frequencies and percentages are included as part of data presentations. Open-ended responses are presented in redacted form, with the number of valid question responses noted each question category where appropriate.

## Methodology

Together, these graphic and numerical representations of survey data constitute a descriptive statistical analysis and convey the most salient features of the underlying information. An important component of this descriptive analysis is the Likert-rating scale system. With the exception of a single question related to familiarity with campus services and departments (Question 1), all scaled questionnaire items make use of the Likert-rating framework based on satisfaction level.

| Familiarity and Satisfaction Level Scoring Key |  |
| ---: | ---: |
| Familiarity Level | Satisfaction Level |
| Very Familiar $=5$ | Very Satisfied $=5$ |
| Familiar $=4$ | Satisfied $=4$ |
| Neutral $=3$ |  |
| Somewhat Familiar $=3$ | Dissatisfied $=2$ |
| Not familiar $=2$ | Very Dissatisfied $=1$ |
| N/A-Never heard of it $=1$ |  |

As a rule, questionnaire items may be viewed as either general or program-specific. The purpose of a general query is to measure the overall awareness of a given program or service without regard to actual use, nevertheless, students may be prompted as to whether they have utilized specific services in some cases. Program-specific survey queries usually occur in combination with the prompts "Have you ever used...," or "Did you participate (in)...," a specified campus program or service. For program-specific queries, a "Yes" response to program utilization typically results in a filtering of responses to include only those students who have participated in the program or service. Students who indicated that they did not use a service were prompted to skip these questions and proceed to the next survey section. These instances are noted within the report with an asterisk (*). The response filtering process is used throughout the report; however, exceptions do occur.

## Statistical Definitions

For this report, each of the reported quantitative measures is computationally unique and defined by the following:

- Average score: The average score is computed as the sum of the rating scores divided by the total number of responses for each survey question.
- Median score: The median score is the middle value after scores are ordered from smallest to largest, or vice versa. Even and odd score counts require two distinct computational approaches. In the case of an odd count, the location of the middle value is centrally located after the data is placed in order. When the count is even, and after the data has been placed in order, the location of the median is found by adding the middle two values and dividing by two.
- Mode: The mode is the value or category repeated most often in the survey data.
- Response percent: The response percent is the percentage found by dividing the total number of survey responses by the sum of both survey responses and non-responses.
- Standard deviation: Standard deviation is a measure of the dispersion of data around the average score. Standard deviation scores that are close to zero indicate very little variability among scores, while larger values of standard deviation indicate greater variability among scores.


## Reliability and Validity

Questionnaires must meet two important conditions to ensure that responses accurately reflect what is being measured-reliability and validity. Both terms encompass a number of statistical concepts, yet each may be viewed simply as a means for ensuring that survey procedures are consistent (reliability) and accurately measure the intended question of interest (validity).

Reliability is defined as the degree that survey questions can dependably produce similar responses-whether it be over time or between similarly worded items. In the context of this survey study, internal consistency reliability is of key importance; the term refers to ability of a group of questions to measure different aspects of the same concept (for instance, quality of service). In this survey, measuring quality of service will often take the form of multiple prompts involving "helpfulness," "courteousness," and/or "overall experience."

Validity refers to the extent that a given question, or group of questions, accurately measures the concept under study and not something else. Thus, survey questions must be focused on service and departmental performance, rather than other issues such as accessibility or student need. As this survey is meant to assess student satisfaction, survey questions and prompts focus on this aspect of students' experiences with student and institutional support services at the College.

## Survey Question Summary

Familiarity with Services and Departments
Question 1 Please indicate your familiarity with each of the following services/departments offered at Southwestern College:

- Academic Success Center
- Admissions \& Records
- Assessment/ Prerequisites Center
- Associated Student Organization (ASO) and Student Clubs
- Bookstore
- CalWORKs
- Career Center
- Cashiering
- College Police
- Counseling
- Custodial
- Disability Support Services
- EOPS/CARE
- Facilities
- Financial Aid
- Food Services/ Cafeteria
- Grounds
- Health Services
- International Programs (Study Abroad)
- Maintenance
- Outreach
- Service Learning
- Student Employment Services
- Student Veterans' Resources Center
- Transfer Center
- Veterans' Services Office


## Admissions and Records

Question 2 For each item listed below, please indicate your level of satisfaction:

- SWC Registration Process for Classes
- Student ID Process
- Transcript Request Service (Internal/External)

Question $3 \quad$ For each item listed below, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the timeliness of service:

- Student ID Process
- External Transcript Evaluation Process
- Transcript Request Service (Internal/External)

Question $4 \quad$ Based on your experience with Admissions and Records, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Helpfulness of staff - Your overall experience


## Financial Aid

Question $5 \quad$ Have you ever received Financial Aid while attending Southwestern College?
Question 6 Do you believe receiving Financial Aid increased your ability to:

- Attend Southwestern College?
- Succeed in your classes at Southwestern College?

Question $7 \quad$ Based on your experience with the Financial Aid Department, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Helpfulness of staff
- Amount of information provided
- Timeliness of information
- Courteousness of staff
- Accuracy of information provided
- Your overall experience

Question $8 \quad$ Have you ever used any of the Financial Aid Office's online services?
Question $9 \quad$ Based on your experience using online services provided by the Financial Aid Office, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Amount of information provided - Accuracy of information provided
- Timeliness of information
- Ease of online navigation process
- Overall quality of service


## Student Affairs

Question 10 What was the most important factor for your attending Southwestern College? Please choose all that apply:

- Denied admission to 4year college
- SWC presentation at your high school
- Advice of high school counselor
- Financial consideration
- Other (please specify:)



## Survey Question Summary

## Career Center

Question 33 Have you ever used any of the services provided by the Career Center?

Question 34 Did you participate in any of the career assessments (Choices, MBTI, Career Cruising)?
Question 35 Did you find the Career Center services helpful in identifying your career or educational goals?
Question 36 Based on your experience with the Southwestern College Career Center, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Helpfulness of staff
- Your overall experience


## Student Employment Services

Question 37 Have you ever used any of the services provided by Student Employment Services?
Question 38 How many times each month do you use services provided by Student Employment Services?

- Never
- 1-3 times
- 4-6 times
- 7 or more times

Question 39 Have you used the resume or interview assistance services provided by Student Employment Services?
Question 40 Have you used the Student Employment Services website?
Question 41 Based on your experience with Student Employment Services, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Helpfulness of staff • Your overall experience


## Disability Support Services

Question 42 Have you used services provided by Disability Support Services?
Question 43 Based on your experience with the Disability Support Services office, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Helpfulness of staff
- Amount of information provided
- Timeliness of information
- Courteousness of staff
- Accuracy of information provided
- Your overall experience


## Counseling Center

Question 44
Question 45
Question 46
Have you ever used any of the services provided by the Counseling Center in Chula Vista?
Were your counseling needs met?
Based on your experience with the Counseling Center at the Chula Vista campus, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Front desk staff
- Counselors at Walk-in service
- Counselors in appointment session

Question 47 In your first semester at Southwestern College, did you attend an orientation to college?

- Yes - I attended an inperson/traditional student orientation
- Yes - I completed an online student orientation
- No
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## Familiarity

As in earlier surveys, students were asked about their familiarity with campus services and departments (twenty-six in all). Statistical results presented within the Familiarity with Student and Institutional Support Departments table summary reflect two distinct computational measures: Familiarity Percentage and Familiarity Average.

The first measure, Familiarity Percentage, is based on an overall awareness of student services and institutional support services. This percent measure combines the "Very Familiar," "Familiar," and "Somewhat Familiar" percentages into a single rating scale. The "Not Familiar" and "N/A-Never heard of it" categories and their respective percentages are not included in this percentage score as these measures do not constitute true familiarity. Therefore, higher Familiarity Percentage scores represents a greater number of students who were familiar, at any level, with a particular student service or institutional support service at the College.

The second measure, the Familiarity Average Score, involves the use of the entire Familiarity scale (from Very Familiar to N/A-Never heard of it). Responses were assigned numerical scores (Very Familiar $=5$, Familiar $=4$, Somewhat Familiar $=3$, Not Familiar $=2$, and N/A-Never heard of it $=1$ ) and then averaged to produce the Familiarity Average Score; higher Familiarity Average Scores represent a greater level of familiarity with a particular student service or institutional support service.

For the purpose of analysis, the choice of either the percentage index or average score would be appropriate for assessing student familiarity. Additionally, to ensure a valid comparison of campus services and departments, two major sub-groups were generated: (1) Student Services and (2) Institutional Support Services. This separation of service and departmental types permits a better analysis based on institutional role.

In this analysis, it is essential to note that:

- Familiarity Percentage and Familiarity Average scores are not intended to represent students' preferences for a given service or department. Rather, these values should be treated only as an indicator of students' level of awareness associated with each campus service or department.
- In addition, many Student Services should be expected to exhibit high familiarity scores, particularly those that have an open eligibility process (i.e., not limited to specific student populations; may include services such as Admissions and Records, Financial Aid, etc.). Conversely, student services and departments with specialized/limited eligibility or lower participation rates will likely have a lower familiarity index scores (e.g., CalWORKs, International Programs [Study Abroad], etc.).


## Familiarity with Student and Institutional Support Services



Institutional Support Services/Departments Familiarity Rankings

| Item | ${\text { Familiarity } \text { Percentage }^{\mathbf{1}}}$ | Familiarity Average Score $^{\mathbf{2}}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Bookstore | $97.0 \%$ | 4.5 |
| Food Services/Cafeteria | $85.3 \%$ | 3.9 |
| Cashiering | $84.0 \%$ | 3.8 |
| College Police | $83.5 \%$ | 3.6 |
| Grounds | $79.7 \%$ | 3.2 |
| Facilities | $75.2 \%$ | 3.3 |
| Custodial | $52.4 \%$ | 2.7 |
| Maintenance | $48.7 \%$ | 2.7 |

*Added to Spring 2015 Familiarity with Services portion of questionnaire.
${ }^{1}$ Familiarity Percentage based on Very Familiar, Familiar, and Somewhat Familiar frequencies
${ }^{2}$ Familiarity Average Score based on Likert scale scores of: Very Familiar = 5, Familiar = 4, Somewhat Familiar = 3, Not Familiar $=2$, N/A-Never heard of it = 1; No Response frequencies not included in average score calculations
Response Count: 338 No Response: $1 \quad$ Response Percent: 99.7\%

# Familiarity with Student and Institutional Support Services Comparisons 

| Question 1 | Please indicate your familiarity with each of the following services/departments offered at <br> Southwestern College: |
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## Student Services/Departments



Institutional Support Services/Departments

|  | Average <br> Score 2015 | Familiarity <br> Ranking <br> 205 | Average <br> Score 2014 | Familiarity <br> Ranking <br> 2014 | Average <br> Score 2013 | Familiarity <br> Ranking <br> 2013 | Average <br> Score <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 2}$ | Familiarity <br> Ranking <br> 2012 | Average <br> Score <br> 2011 | Familiarity <br> Ranking <br> 2011 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bookstore | 4.5 | $\mathbf{1}$ | 4.4 | $\mathbf{1}$ | 4.4 | $\mathbf{1}$ | 4.4 | $\mathbf{1}$ | 4.4 | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Food Services/Cafeteria | 3.9 | $\mathbf{2}$ | 4.1 | $\mathbf{2}$ | 3.9 | $\mathbf{2}$ | 3.8 | $\mathbf{2}$ | 3.9 | $\mathbf{2}$ |
| Cashiering | 3.8 | $\mathbf{3}$ | 3.9 | $\mathbf{3}$ | 3.8 | $\mathbf{3}$ | 3.7 | $\mathbf{3}$ | 3.8 | $\mathbf{3}$ |
| College Police | 3.6 | $\mathbf{4}$ | 3.5 | $\mathbf{5}$ | 3.5 | $\mathbf{5}$ | 3.4 | $\mathbf{5}$ | 3.5 | $\mathbf{5}$ |
| Grounds | 3.2 | $\mathbf{5}$ | 3.6 | $\mathbf{4}$ | 3.2 | $\mathbf{6}$ | 3.2 | $\mathbf{6}$ | 3.3 | $\mathbf{6}$ |
| Facilities | 3.3 | $\mathbf{6}$ | 3.5 | $\mathbf{6}$ | 3.6 | $\mathbf{4}$ | 3.5 | $\mathbf{4}$ | 3.6 | $\mathbf{4}$ |
| Custodial | 2.7 | $\mathbf{7}$ | 2.8 | $\mathbf{8}$ | 2.7 | $\mathbf{8}$ | 2.6 | $\mathbf{8}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{8}$ |
| Maintenance | 2.7 | $\mathbf{8}$ | 2.9 | $\mathbf{7}$ | 2.9 | $\mathbf{7}$ | 2.8 | $\mathbf{7}$ | $\mathbf{2 . 9}$ | $\mathbf{7}$ |

*Added to Spring 2015 Familiarity with Services portion of questionnaire.

Survey Charts \& Results


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## Student Services

Student services are a ubiquitous aspect of campus life and are important resources to academic progress and achievement. Student services are also important to the development of personal and economic well-being for students in preparation for entry into campus life, success in academic studies, transfer, and other educational objectives. The Southwestern Community College Student Satisfaction Survey, Spring 2015 provides campus services and departments with a means to assess service program outcomes from the student perspective. The following charts and statistical results provide a broad evaluative framework in sixteen (16) student service and departmental entities.

Of note within this section of the report:

- Survey results are based on Yes/No item and Likert-scaled satisfaction scores (i.e. Very Satisfied $=5$, Satisfied $=4$, Neutral $=3$, Dissatisfied $=2$, and Very Dissatisfied $=1$ ), multiple choice queries, and a limited number of open-response formats.
- Thirteen (13) student service/departments make use of Likert scoring methodologies in some manner; whether in combination with Yes/No prompts, or multiple-choice queries. Student services/departments using Likert-scaled satisfaction scores include: Admissions and Records, Financial Aid, the Transfer Center, EOPS/CARE, the Associated Student Organization (ASO) of Southwestern College and Inter-Club Council (ICC), Health Services, CalWORKs, Veterans Services, the Career Center, Student Employment Services, Disability Support Services, the Counseling Center, and the Assessment Center/Prerequisites Center.
- Fourteen (14) student service/departments rely primarily on Yes/No prompts, multiplechoice queries, or a combination of these two methodologies. These student services/departments are Financial Aid, Student Affairs, the Transfer Center, EOPS/CARE, the Associated Student Organization of Southwestern College (ASO) and Inter Club Council (ICC), Health Services, CalWORKs, Veterans Services, the Career Center, Student Employment Services, Disability Support Services, the Counseling Center, the Assessment Center/Prerequisites Center, and the Academic Success Center.
- Three open-ended questions are also included in this section, assessing student's feedback regarding current and/or potential student services. A results summary of the students' comments is included at the end of this section.


## Admissions and Records

## Question 2

## Question 3

Question 4

For each item listed below, please indicate your level of satisfaction:

- SWC Registration Process for Classes
- Student ID Process
- Transcript Request Service (Internal/External)

For each item listed below, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the timeliness of service:

- Student ID Process
- External Transcript Evaluation Process
- Transcript Request Service (Internal/External)

Based on your experience with Admissions and Records, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Helpfulness of staff
- Your overall experience

$N=327$
3.2. External Transcript Evaluation Process

$N=334$

$N=329$

$N=337$

$N=332$


Statistical Results: Admissions and Records


Scoring scale: Very Satisfied = 5, Satisfied = 4, Neutral = 3, Dissatisfied = 2, Very Dissatisfied = 1, Not Asked/Applicable excluded

## Financial Aid



$N=335$

$N=231 ;$ Not Asked $=106$

$N=231 ;$ Not Asked $=106$

$N=317$



$N=124 ;$ Not Asked $=213$

## Statistical Results: Financial Aid



## Statistical Results: Financial Aid



## Statistical Results: Financial Aid

|  | Item** | Response <br> Count | No <br> Response | Response <br> Percent | Average <br> Score | Median <br> Score | Standard <br> Deviation |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Question 9.3 | Timeliness of <br> information | 123 | 3 | $97.6 \%$ | 4.0 | 4 | 0.9 |
| Question 9.4 | Ease of online <br> navigation process | 124 | 2 | $98.4 \%$ | 4.1 | 4 | 1.0 |
| Question 9.5 | Overall quality of <br> Service | 124 | 2 | $98.4 \%$ | 4.0 | 4 | 1.0 |

Scoring scale: Very Satisfied $=5$, Satisfied $=4$, Neutral $=3$, Dissatisfied $=2$, Very Dissatisfied $=1$, Not Asked/Applicable excluded
*Item results based on Question 5 response; Not Asked = 106
**Item results based on Question 8 response; Not Asked $=213$

## Student Affairs

| Question 10 | What was the most important factor for you attending Southwestern College? |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | - Denied admission to 4year college <br> - SWC presentation at you high school <br> - Financial consideration <br> - Advice of High School Counselor <br> - Other (please specify: ) |


$N=779$

Statistical Results: Student Affairs

|  | Item | Response Count | No Response | Response Percent | Mode | Mode Count | Mode <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Question 10 | What was the most important factor for your attending Southwestern College? <br> Other factors for attendin "Location/proximity," "se skill advancement," "conv transfer/preparation." | 324 <br> outhwest proveme ence (trav | 15 <br> rn College t," "progra l, schedule | $95.6 \%$ <br> greatest /course etc.)," and | Financial Consideration <br> least, partial fferings," "car "university | 194 <br> list): <br> reer /vo | $59.9 \%$ <br> cational |

## Transfer Center




## Statistical Results: Transfer Center



Scoring scale: Very Satisfied = 5, Satisfied = 4, Neutral = 3, Dissatisfied = 2, Very Dissatisfied = 1, Not Asked/Applicable excluded

## EOPS/CARE

Question 16
Question 17

Question 18

Are you a current EOPS student?
Which other student services programs have you utilized? Please choose all that apply:

- Counseling Center
- Disabled Student Services
- Transfer Center
- None
- Other (please specify: )

Based on your experience with EOPS, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Helpfulness of staff - Your overall experience

$N=329$

$N=76$

$N=72$

$N=75$

Statistical Results: EOPS/CARE

| Question 16 | Response <br> Count | No <br> Response | Response <br> Percent | Percent <br> "Yes" | Percent <br> "No" | Percent <br> Total |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 329 | 10 | $97.1 \%$ | $20.7 \%$ | $79.3 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ |

## Statistical Results: EOPS/CARE

| Question 17 | Item | Response Count | No Response | Response Percent | Mode | Mode Count | Mode Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Which other student services programs have you utilized? | 72 | 6 | 96.0\% | Counseling Center | 60 | 83\% |
|  | Other student service programs utilized (greatest to least, partial list): "Book services" and "tutoring." |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Item | Response Count | No Response | Response Percent | Average Score | Median <br> Score | Standard Deviation |
| Question 18.1 | Helpfulness of staff | 76 | 2 | 97.4\% | 4.5 | 5 | 0.9 |
| Question 18.2 | Your overall experience | 75 | 3 | 96.2 | 4.6 | 5 | 0.8 |

Scoring scale: Very Satisfied = 5, Satisfied = 4, Neutral = 3, Dissatisfied = 2, Very Dissatisfied = 1, Not Asked/Applicable excluded

## Associated Student Organization of Southwestern College (ASO) and Inter-Club Council (ICC)





N = 62; Not Asked = 275

$N=313$

$\mathrm{N}=61$; Not Asked $=275$

$N=211 ;$ Not Asked $=256$

## Statistical Results: Associated Student Organization of Southwestern College (ASO) and Inter-Club Council (ICC)



Statistical Results: Associated Student Organization of Southwestern College (ASO) and Inter-Club Council (ICC)

|  | Item* | Response <br> Count | No <br> Response | Response <br> Percent | Average <br> Score | Median <br> Score | Standard <br> Deviation |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Question 21-4 | Promotion of ASO <br> events | 61 | 3 | $95.3 \%$ | 3.8 | 4 | 1.1 |
|  | Response <br> Count | No <br> Response | Response <br> Percent | Percent <br> "Yes" | Percent <br> "No" | Percent <br> Total |  |
|  | Are you a member of <br> a student club? | 313 | 26 | $92.3 \%$ | $18.2 \%$ | $81.8 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ |
|  | Do the clubs at <br> Southwestern <br> College meet your <br> needs? ** | 56 | 27 | $67.5 \%$ | $82.1 \%$ | $17.9 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ |

Scoring scale: Very Satisfied = 5, Satisfied = 4, Neutral = 3, Dissatisfied = 2, Very Dissatisfied = 1, Not Asked/Applicable excluded
*Item results based on Question 20 response; Not Asked = 275
**Item result based on Question 22 response; Not Asked $=256$

## Health Services

Question 24
Question 25
Question 26

## Have you ever received services from the Health Services Office?

Have you received any information from Health Services related to a healthy lifestyle?
Based on your experience with the Health Services Office, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Helpfulness of staff
- Courteousness of staff
- Your overall experience


$N=331$


N = 56; Not Asked = 241
$N=56 ;$ Not Asked $=241$

$N=56 ;$ Not Asked $=241$

## Statistical Results: Health Services

| Question 24 | Item | Response Count | No Response | Response Percent | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Percent } \\ & \text { "Yes" } \end{aligned}$ | Percent <br> "No" | Percent <br> Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Have you ever received services from the Health Services Office? | 331 | 8 | 97.6\% | 27.2\% | 72.8\% | 100.0\% |
| Question 25 | Have you received any information from Health Services related to a healthy lifestyle?* | 91 | 7 | 92.9\% | 56.0\% | 44.0\% | 100.0\% |
|  | Item* | Response Count | No <br> Response | Response Percent | Average Score | Median Score | Standard <br> Deviation |
| Question 26-1 | Helpfulness of staff | 56 | 42 | 57.1\% | 4.5 | 5 | 0.8 |
| Question 26-2 | Courteousness of staff | 56 | 42 | 57.1\% | 4.5 | 5 | 0.8 |
| Question 26-3 | Your overall experience | 56 | 42 | 57.1\% | 4.5 | 5 | 0.8 |

Scoring scale: Very Satisfied = 5, Satisfied = 4, Neutral = 3, Dissatisfied = 2, Very Dissatisfied = 1, Not Asked/Applicable excluded
*Item results based on Question 24 response; Not Asked = 241

## CaIWORKs



Have you utilized the services in the CalWORKs program?
Question 28
Based on your experience with the CalWORKs program please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Helpfulness of staff
- Your overall experience

$N=34 ;$ Not Asked $=301$


N = 34; Not Asked $=301$

## Statistical Results: CaIWORKs



## Statistical Results: CalWORKs

|  | Item* | Response <br> Count | No <br> Response | Response <br> Percent | Average <br> Score | Median <br> Score | Standard <br> Deviation |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Your overall | 34 | 4 | $92.9 \%$ | 4.4 | 5 | 1.0 |

Scoring scale: Very Satisfied = 5, Satisfied = 4, Neutral = 3, Dissatisfied = 2, Very Dissatisfied = 1, Not Asked/Applicable excluded
*Item results based on Question 27 response; Not Asked = 301

## Veterans Services

## Question 29 Are you a veteran?

Question 30

Question 31
Question 32

Based on your experience with the Veterans' Services Office, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Helpfulness of staff
- Courteousness of staff
- Your overall experience

Have you ever used services provided by the NEW Student Veterans' Resource Center?
Based on your experience with the NEW Student Veterans' Resource Center, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Helpfulness of staff - Courteousness of staff • You experience overall


N = 45; Not Asked = 290

$N=45 ;$ Not Asked $=290$

$N=29 ;$ Not Asked $=286$

$N=29 ;$ Not Asked $=286$

$N=29 ;$ Not Asked $=286$

Statistical Results: Veterans Services


Scoring scale: Very Satisfied = 5, Satisfied = 4, Neutral = 3, Dissatisfied = 2, Very Dissatisfied = 1, Not Asked/Applicable excluded
*Item results based on Question 31 response; Not Asked = 290
${ }^{* *}$ Item results based on Question 33 response; Not Asked $=286$

## Career Center

Question 33
Question 34
Question 35
Question 36

Have you ever used any of the services provided by the Career Center?
Did you participate in any of the career assessments (Choices, MBTI, Career Cruising)?
Did you find the Career Center services helpful in identifying your career or educational goals?
Based on your experience with the Southwestern College Career Center, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Helpfulness of staff
- Your experience overall

$N=337$

$N=316$

$N=188$

$N=331$

$N=192$


## Statistical Results: Career Center

| Question 33 | Item | Response Count | No <br> Response | Response Percent | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Percent } \\ & \text { "Yes" } \end{aligned}$ | Percent <br> "No" | Percent <br> Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Have you ever used any of the services provided by the Career Center? | 337 | 2 | 99.4\% | 28.2\% | 71.8\% | 100.0\% |
| Question 34 | Did you participate in any of the career assessments (Choices, MBTI, Career Cruising)? | 331 | 8 | 97.6\% | 15.4\% | 84.6\% | 100.0\% |
| Question 35 | Did you find the Career Center services helpful in identifying your career or educational goals? | 316 | 23 | 93.2\% | 33.2\% | 66.8\% | 100.0\% |
|  | Item* | Response Count | No Response | Response Percent | Average Score | Median Score | Standard <br> Deviation |
| Question 36-1 | Helpfulness of staff | 192 | 147 | 56.6\% | 3.8 | 4 | 1.0 |
| Question 36-2 | Your experience overall | 188 | 151 | 55.5\% | 3.8 | 4 | 0.9 |

[^1]
## Student Employment Services

| Question 37 | Have you ever used any of the services provided by Southwestern College Student Employment <br> Services? |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Question 38 | How many times each month do you use services provided by Southwestern College Student <br> Employment Services? <br> $\bullet \quad$ Never |
| Question 39 | Have you used the resume or interview assistance services provided by Student Employment <br> Services? |
| Question 40 |  |
| Question 41 | Have you used the Student Employment Services website? |
| Based on your experience with Student Employment Services, please indicate your level of <br> satisfaction with: <br> $\bullet \quad$ Helpfulness of staff |  |


$N=333$

$N=78 ;$ Not Asked $=257$


N = 76; Not Asked $=257$

$N=78 ;$ Not Asked $=257$

$N=75 ;$ Not Asked $=257$

$N=75$; Not Asked $=257$

Statistical Results: Student Employment Services


## Statistical Results: Student Employment Services

|  |  | Response <br> Count | No <br> Response | Response <br> Percent | Average <br> Score | Median <br> Score | Standard <br> Deviation |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Question 41-1 | Item* | Helpfulness of staff | 75 | 7 | $91.5 \%$ | 4.2 | 4 | 0.8 |
|  | Your experience | 75 | 7 | $91.5 \%$ | 4.3 | 4 | 0.8 |  |

Scoring scale: Very Satisfied = 5, Satisfied = 4, Neutral = 3, Dissatisfied = 2, Very Dissatisfied = 1, Not Asked/Applicable excluded
*Item results based on Question 37 response; Not Asked $=257$

## Disability Support Services

Question 42
Question 43

Have you used services provided by Disability Support Services?
Based on your experience with the Disability Support Services office, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Helpfulness of staff
- Amount of information provided
- Timeliness of information
- Courteousness of staff
- Accuracy of information provided
- Your overall experience

$N=334$


N = 54; Not Asked $=283$


N = 54; Not Asked $=283$

$N=54 ;$ Not Asked $=283$

$N=55 ;$ Not Asked $=283$


N = 54; Not Asked $=283$

$N=54 ;$ Not Asked $=283$

## Statistical Results: Disability Support Services



Scoring scale: Very Satisfied $=5$, Satisfied $=4$, Neutral $=3$, Dissatisfied $=2$, Very Dissatisfied $=1$, Not Asked/Applicable excluded
*Item results based on Question 42 response; Not Asked $=283$

## Counseling Center

Question 44
Question 45
Question 46

## Question 47

## Question 48

Have you ever used any of the services provided by the Counseling Center in Chula Vista? Were your counseling needs met?
Based on your experience with the Counseling Center at the Chula Vista campus, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

- Front desk staff
- Counselors at Walk-in service
- Counselors in appointment session
In your first semester at Southwestern College, did you attend an orientation to college?
- Yes-I attended an inperson/traditional student orientation
- Yes-I completed an
- No online student orientation

Did you review information on any of the following topics in the Orientation Sessions?

- College resources
- Did you schedule and attend an individual counseling appointment with a college counselor?

$N=336$

$N=229 ;$ Not Asked $=107$


N = 228; Not Asked = 107

$N=228 ;$ Not Asked $=107$

$N=229 ;$ Not Asked $=107$

$N=230 ;$ Not Asked $=102$

$\mathrm{N}=227$; Not Asked $=102$

$N=297$

$N=228 ;$ Not Asked $=102$

$\mathrm{N}=228$; Not Asked $=102$

## Statistical Results: Counseling Center

## Question 44

Question 45

| Item | Response <br> Count | No <br> Response | Response <br> Percent | Percent <br> "Yes" | Percent <br> "No" | Percent <br> Total |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Have you ever used any <br> of the services provided <br> by the Counseling <br> Center in Shula Vista? | 336 | 3 | $99.1 \%$ | $68.2 \%$ | $31.8 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ |
| Were your counseling <br> needs met?* | 228 | 4 | $98.3 \%$ | $85.1 \%$ | $14.9 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ |

## Statistical Results: Counseling Center



[^2]
## Assessment Center/Prerequisites Center

| Question 49 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Question 50 |
| Question 51 | | Did you take one or more assessment tests during your first semester? |
| :--- |
| Do you clearly understand how to select courses based on the results of your educational goals? |
| Based on your experience with the Assessment Center/Prerequisites Center, please indicate your level <br> of satisfaction with: <br> $\bullet \quad$ Helpfulness of staff |


$N=337$

$N=245 ;$ Not Asked $=85$

$N=251$; Not Asked $=85$


N = 244; Not Asked $=85$

Statistical Results: Assessment Center/Prerequisites Center


## Statistical Results: Assessment Center/Prerequisites Center

|  | Item* | Response <br> Count | No <br> Response | Response <br> Percent | Average <br> Score | Median <br> Score | Standard <br> Deviation |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Question 51-1 | Helpfulness of staff | 245 | 9 | $96.5 \%$ | 4.2 | 4 | 0.8 |  |
|  |  |  | 244 | 10 | $96.1 \%$ | 4.1 | 4 | 0.9 |

Scoring scale: Very Satisfied $=5$, Satisfied $=4$, Neutral $=3$, Dissatisfied $=2$, Very Dissatisfied $=1$, Not Asked/Applicable excluded
*Item results based on Question 49 response; Not Asked = 85

## Academic Success Center




Statistical Results: Academic Success Center


## Open-Ended Questions

Question 53
Question 54
Question 55

Name one service you utilized and liked the most, why you liked it, or how the service was helpful to you.

Name one service you utilized that you did not like and what can be done to improve this service.
List the "Top 3" NEW online service you would like the College to provide.

The Southwestern College Student Satisfaction Survey's open-ended question section offered the opportunity for students to provide feedback regarding current student and institutional support services. The first open-ended question asked students what single service or department is "liked the most," the reason for their favorable view, and how it was helpful to them. Immediately following this question, students were then asked to identify services utilized that they "did not like" and what could be done to "improve this service." The first two questions complement one another and designed with the purpose of identifying the strengths and weaknesses across a range of student and institutional support services. The final question asked students to list any three (3) NEW online services which were not currently available at Southwestern College that they would like to see the College provide.
The analysis makes use of a simple grouping and classification system:

- All responses were first classified into a single service or departmental category
- Counts were made of category items
- Comments were examined for common themes

Student and institutional support services or departmental categories for the first two openended prompts were reported only for those achieving a count threshold of ten or more. In the final open-ended prompt, the "Top 3 " rankings reflect the highest counts among the new online services requested by students.

## Statistical Results: Open-Ended Questions

| Name one service you utilized and liked the most, why you liked it, or how the service was helpful <br> to you:* |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
|  | $\frac{\text { Response }}{}$ | $\frac{\text { Response }}{}$ |  |
| Item | $\frac{\text { Count }}{26}$ | $\frac{\text { Percentage }}{}$ | Comment Summary |
| Tutoring (Open Labs, Library-ITC, etc.) | 26 | $13.3 \%$ | Helpful, patient |
| Writing Center/OWL | 26 | $13.3 \%$ | Helpful, informative |
| Counseling | 23 | $11.7 \%$ | Helpful, constructive |
| EOPS/CARE | 18 | $9.2 \%$ | Important additional support |
| Math Center/Math Open Labs | 11 | $5.6 \%$ | Improved understanding |
| Question Response Total | $\mathbf{1 9 6}$ |  |  |

[^3]
## Statistical Results: Open-Ended Questions

| Question 54 | Name one service you utilized that you did not like and what can be done to improve this service:* |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Response | Response |  |
|  | Item | Count | Percentage | Comment Summary |
|  | Tutorial Open Labs (Math Center, | 13 | 8.2\% | Time constraints, not enough |
|  | Writing Center, etc.) |  |  | tutors |
|  | Counseling | 12 | 7.6\% | Limited availability, information |
|  |  |  |  | provided |
|  | Question Response Total | 158 |  |  |

*Only categories with 10 or more responses are listed

|  | List the "Top 3" NEW online service you would like the College to provide: |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Response | Response |  |
|  | Item | Count | Percentage | Comment Summary |
| Question 55 | 1. Online counseling access | 13 | 11.4\% | Live chat, scheduling |
|  | 2. Online tutoring | 12 | 10.5\% | Greater accessibility |
|  | 3. Online financial aid assistance | 5 | 4.4\% | Additional resources |
|  | Question Response Total | 114 |  |  |

## Institutional Support Services

Institutional support services sustain Southwestern College's working and academic environment by providing services to enhance and secure the success of students, staff, and faculty. These services include Custodial, Grounds, Maintenance, Cafeteria, Bookstore, Police and Cashier's Office services.

- All institutional support services and departments utilized Likert ratings in their survey questions with following scoring framework: Very Satisfied $=5$, Satisfied $=4$, Neutral $=3$, Dissatisfied = 2 and Very Dissatisfied $=1$.
- The Police Department included additional survey item options, specifically, multiple choice response items and an open-ended response query - "Please select which ways you had contact with the Campus Police."


## Custodial Services




Statistical Results: Custodial Services

|  | Item | Response Count | $\begin{gathered} \text { No } \\ \text { Response } \end{gathered}$ | Response Percent | Average Score | Median Score | Standard Deviation |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Question 56-1 | Courteousness of staff | 308 | 31 | 90.9\% | 3.8 | 4 | 0.9 |
| Question 56-2 | Cleanliness of classrooms/labs | 310 | 29 | 91.4\% | 3.8 | 4 | 1.1 |
| Question 56-3 | Overall condition of classroom/labs | 308 | 31 | 90.9\% | 3.8 | 4 | 1.0 |
| Question 56-4 | Level of supplies in the restrooms | 311 | 28 | 91.7\% | 3.4 | 3 | 1.2 |

Scoring scale: Very Satisfied $=5$, Satisfied $=4$, Neutral $=3$, Dissatisfied $=2$, Very Dissatisfied $=1$

## Grounds Department

| Question 57 | Based on your experience with the Grounds Department, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the: |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | - Courteousness of staff <br> - Emptying cycle of exterior trash receptacles | - Number of exterior trash receptacles <br> - College landscape |



Statistical Results: Grounds Department

|  | Item | Response Count | No Response | Response Percent | Average Score | Median Score | Standard <br> Deviation |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Question 57-1 | Courteousness of staff | 308 | 31 | 90.9\% | 3.8 | 4 | 0.9 |
| Question 57-2 | Number of exterior trash receptacles | 310 | 29 | 91.4\% | 3.9 | 4 | 1.0 |
| Question 57-3 | Emptying cycle of exterior trash receptacles | 309 | 30 | 91.2\% | 3.8 | 4 | 1.0 |
| Question 57-4 | College landscape | 309 | 30 | 91.2\% | 4.1 | 4 | 0.9 |

Scoring scale: Very Satisfied $=5$, Satisfied $=4$, Neutral $=3$, Dissatisfied $=2$, Very Dissatisfied $=1$

## Maintenance Department

| Question 58 | Based on your experience with the Maintenance Department, please indicate your level of <br> satisfaction with the: <br> $\bullet \quad$ Courteousness of staff | $\bullet$ Timeliness of classroom repairs |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |


$N=315$

$N=314$

Statistical Results: Maintenance Department

|  | Item | Response <br> Count | No <br> Response | Response <br> Percent | Average <br> Score | Median <br> Score | Standard <br> Deviation |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Question 58-2 | Courteousness of <br> staff | 315 | 24 | $92.9 \%$ | 3.8 | 4 | 0.9 |
|  | Timeliness of <br> classroom repairs | 314 | 25 | $92.6 \%$ | 3.7 | 4 | 1.0 |

Facilities Department
Question 59 Based on your experience with the Facilities Department, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the:

- Ability of new buildings, classrooms and labs to accommodate your educational needs
- Condition of classroom furnishings
- Comfort of classroom furnishings
- Promptness with which safety hazards are removed

$N=319$

$N=318$

$N=314$


## Statistical Results: Facilities Department

## Question 59-1

Question 59-2

Question 59-3

| Item | Response <br> Count | No <br> Response | Response <br> Percent | Average <br> Score | Median <br> Score | Standard <br> Deviation |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ability of new buildings, <br> classrooms and labs to <br> accommodate your <br> educational needs | 318 | 21 | $93.8 \%$ | 3.8 | 4 | 1.0 |
| Comfort of classroom <br> furnishings | 318 | 21 | $93.8 \%$ | 3.5 | 4 | 1.1 |
| Condition of classroom <br> furnishings | 319 | 20 | $94.1 \%$ | 3.5 | 4 | 1.0 |

## Statistical Results: Facilities Department

|  | Item | Response <br> Count | No <br> Response | Response <br> Percent | Average <br> Score | Median <br> Score | Standard <br> Deviation |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Promptness with which <br> Qafety hazards are | 314 | 25 | $92.6 \%$ | 3.8 | 4 | 0.9 |

Scoring scale: Very Satisfied $=5$, Satisfied $=4$, Neutral $=3$, Dissatisfied $=2$, Very Dissatisfied $=1$

Survey Charts \& Results

## Food Services/Cafeteria

| Question 60 | Based on your experience with Food Services, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the: |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | - Friendliness of staff <br> - Cleanliness of food service area | - Courteousness of staff <br> - Food inventory levels | - Selection of cold food choices <br> - Wait time |  | Selection of hot food choices Prices |
| Question 61 | Would you like to see more hours for the Student Union Cafeteria (main campus)? |  |  |  |  |
| Question 62 | What other hot/cold food choices would you like to see made available? |  |  |  |  |




## Statistical Results: Food Services/Cafeteria

|  | Item | Response Count | No <br> Response | Response Percent | Average Score | Median Score | Standard <br> Deviation |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Question 60-1 | Friendliness of staff | 314 | 25 | 92.6\% | 3.9 | 4 | 0.9 |
| Question 60-2 | Courteousness of staff | 314 | 25 | 92.6\% | 3.9 | 4 | 0.9 |
| Question 60-3 | Selection of cold food choices | 313 | 26 | 92.3\% | 3.6 | 4 | 1.1 |
| Question 60-4 | Selection of hot food choices | 313 | 26 | 92.3\% | 3.6 | 4 | 1.1 |
| Question 60-5 | Cleanliness of food service area | 314 | 25 | 92.6\% | 3.9 | 4 | 1.0 |
| Question 60-6 | Food inventory levels | 313 | 26 | 92.3\% | 3.7 | 4 | 1.0 |
| Question 60-7 | Wait time | 313 | 26 | 92.3\% | 3.8 | 4 | 0.9 |
| Question 60-8 | Prices | 310 | 29 | 91.4\% | 3.2 | 3 | 1.2 |

[^4]Statistical Results: Food Services/Cafeteria


[^5]
## Southwestern College Bookstore

| Question 63 | Based on your experience with the Southwestern College Bookstore, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the: |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | - Courteousness of staff <br> - Staff knowledge about product information | - Staff knowledge about textbook selection <br> - Cleanliness of store |



Statistical Results: Southwestern College Bookstore

|  | Item | Response Count | No Response | Response Percent | Average Score | Median Score | Standard Deviation |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Question 63-1 | Courteousness of staff | 324 | 15 | 95.6\% | 4.2 | 4 | 0.8 |
| Question 63-2 | Staff knowledge about textbook selection | 324 | 15 | 95.6\% | 4.1 | 4 | 0.9 |
| Question 63-3 | Staff knowledge about product information | 324 | 15 | 95.6\% | 4.1 | 4 | 0.9 |
| Question 63-4 | Cleanliness of store | 325 | 14 | 95.9\% | 4.3 | 4 | 0.8 |

Scoring scale: Very Satisfied $=5$, Satisfied $=4$, Neutral $=3$, Dissatisfied $=2$, Very Dissatisfied $=1$

## Police Department



$N=271$

$N=265$


## Statistical Results: Police Department

| Question 64 | Item | Response Count | $\begin{gathered} \text { No } \\ \text { Response } \end{gathered}$ | Response Percent | Mode | Mode Count | Mode Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | How many times have you had contact with the Campus Police department? | 271 | 68 | 79.9\% | None | 163 | 60.1\% |
| Question 65 | Please select which ways you had contact with the Campus Police.* | 265 | 74 | 78.2\% | No contact with Campus Police | 125 | 47.2\% |
|  | *Other includes "lost and found," "lost item turn in" and "parking permit." |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Item | Response Count | $\begin{gathered} \text { No } \\ \text { Response } \end{gathered}$ | Response Percent | Average Score | Median Score | Standard Deviation |
| Question 66-1 | Helpfulness of staff | 283 | 56 | 83.5\% | 3.8 | 4 | 1.1 |
| Question 66-2 | Courteousness of staff | 283 | 56 | 83.5\% | 3.8 | 4 | 1.1 |

## Statistical Results: Police Department

|  |  | Response <br> Count | No <br> Response | Response <br> Percent | Average <br> Score | Median <br> Score | Standard <br> Deviation |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Item | Your experience | 282 | 57 | $83.2 \%$ | 3.8 | 4 |

Scoring scale: Very Satisfied $=5$, Satisfied $=4$, Neutral $=3$, Dissatisfied $=2$, Very Dissatisfied $=1$

## College Cashiers Office

| Question 67 | Based on your experience with the College Cashier's Office, please indicate your level of satisfaction <br> with the: <br> $\bullet \quad$Friendliness of <br> courteousness of staffStaff's efficiency in <br> processing transaction <br> accurately | Staff's knowledge about <br> student services and |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  | policies |



## Statistical Results: College Cashiers Office

|  | Item | Response Count | No Response | Response Percent | Average Score | Median Score | Standard Deviation |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Question 67-1 | Friendliness and courteousness of staff | 319 | 20 | 94.1\% | 3.8 | 4 | 1.0 |
| Question 67-2 | Staff's efficiency in processing transactions accurately | 318 | 21 | 93.8\% | 3.9 | 4 | 0.9 |
| Question 67-3 | Staff's knowledge about student services and policies | 318 | 21 | 93.8\% | 3.8 | 4 | 1.0 |

## Supplemental Information

Two supplemental queries, "Your Schedule" and "Your Preferred Communication Method," provide an informal means for ascertaining the most common class scheduling patterns and communication media used by Southwestern College students.

- Among respondents, a substantial number take classes in the morning and morning/afternoon period. However, the relative proportion of responses related to class scheduling is only an approximate measure of the general student population.
- For those interested in accessing additional information regarding Southwestern College student course load and schedule patterns, please visit the California Community College Chancellor's Office (CCCCO) Data Mart website: http://datamart.cccco.edu/Students/Default.aspx


## Your Schedule




## Statistical Results: Your Schedule

| Question 68 | Item | Response <br> Count | No <br> Response | Response <br> Percent | Mode | Mode <br> Count | Mode <br> Percent |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | The majority of my <br> classes are: | 331 | 8 | $97.6 \%$ | Morning/ <br> Afternoon | 127 | $38.4 \%$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Your Preferred Communication Method

Question 69
Please indicate the communication method that you prefer for social and business networking. Please choose all that apply:

- E-mail
- Twitter
- Facebook
- Mobile phone
- Smart phone
- Tablet
- Other (please specify: )

$\mathrm{N}=326$

Statistical Results: Your Preferred Communication Method

| Question 69 | Item | Response Count | No Response | Response Percent | Mode | Mode Count | Mode <br> Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Please indicate the communication method that you prefer for social and business networking. | 332 | 7 | 97.9\% | E-mail | 318 | 95.8\% |
|  | *Other includes "in-person/face-to-face" and "phone calls." |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Appendix

| lass Climate | Southwestern Community College Student Satisfaction Survey，Spring 2015 |  |
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Office of Institutional Effectiveness
Office of Research，Grants and Planning

Mark as shown：
$\square \boxtimes \square \square \square$ Please use a ball－point pen or a thin felt tip．This form will be processed automatically．
Correction：$\square \square \square \boxtimes \square$ Please follow the examples shown on the left hand side to help optimize the reading results．

## FAMILIARITY WITH SERVICES

1．Please indicate your familiarity with each of the following services／departments offered at Southwestern College：

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| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  <br>  <br>  <br>  | ロロ ロロ ロロ ロロ |
|  |  |  |


| Class Climate | Southwestern Community College Student Satisfaction Survey, Spring 2015 | $\widehat{S C A N T R O N}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |

## ADMISSIONS AND RECORDS

## 2. For each item listed below, please indicate your level of satisfaction:



SWC Registration Process for Classes
Student ID Process
Transcript Request Service (Internal/External)

3. For each item listed below, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the timeliness of service.


Student ID Process
External Transcript Evaluation Process
Transcript Request Service (Internal/External)
4. Based on your experience with Admissions and Records, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:


## FINANCIAL AID

5. Have you ever received Financial Aid while attending Southwestern College?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No
If you answered "No" to Question 5 above, please skip to Question 7.
6. Do you believe receiving Financial Aid increased your ability to:

Attend Southwestern College.

| $\square$ Yes | $\square$ No |
| :--- | :--- |
| Succeed in your classes at Southwestern College. | $\square$ Not Applicable |
| $\square$ Yes | $\square$ No |


| Class Climate | Southwestern Community College Student Satisfaction Survey, Spring 2015 | $\widehat{S C A N T R O N}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

7. Based on your experience with the Financial Aid Department, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

|  | $\square$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |

8. Have you ever used any of the Financial Aid Office's online services?
$\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\square$ Not Applicable
If you answered "No" to Question 8 above, please skip to Question 10.
9. Based on your experience using online services provided by the Financial Aid Office, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

Amount of information provided
Accuracy of information provided
Timeliness of information
Ease of online navigation process
Overall quality of service


## STUDENT AFFAIRS

10. What was the most important factor for your attending Southwestern College? Please choose all that apply:
$\square$ Denied admission to 4-year college
Financial consideration
$\square$ Advice of high school counselorSWC presentation at your high school
$\square$ Other
If "Other" selected, please specify:

| Class Climate | Southwestern Community College Student Satisfaction Survey, Spring 2015 | $\widehat{S C A N T R O N}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |

## TRANSFER CENTER

11. Did you participate in any of the Transfer Center's workshops (Steps to Transfer, UC/CSU Application Review, etc.)?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No
12. Did you participate in any of the Transfer Center's university campus tours?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No
13. Have you ever used the Transfer Center website?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No
14. Did you find the Transfer Center's services helpful in meeting your educational or transfer goal?
$\square$ Yes
No
If you answered "No" to Questions 11-14, please skip to Question 16.
15. Based on your experience with the Transfer Center, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:


## EOPS/CARE

16. Are you a current EOPS student?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No

If you answered "No" to Question 16 above, please skip to Question 19.
17. Which other student service programs have you utilized? Please choose all that apply:
$\square$ Counseling CenterDisabled Student Services
$\square$ Transfer Center
$\square$ None
$\square$ Other
If "Other" selected, please specify:

## 18. Based on your experience with EOPS, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:



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## ASSOCIATED STUDENT ORGANIZATION (ASO) OF SOUTHWESTERN COLLEGE AND INTER-CLUB COUNCIL

19. Did you vote in the last ASO student election (May 2014)?
$\square$ Yes
20. Have you ever attended an ASO event?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No
If you answered "No" to Question 20 above, please skip to Question 22.

## 21. Based on your experience with ASO events, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

Number of ASO events per semester
Variety of ASO events per semester
Organization of ASO events
Promotion of ASO events
22. Are you a member of a student club?
$\square$ Yes $\square$ No
If you answered "No" to Question 22 above, please skip to Question 24.
23. Do the clubs at Southwestern College meet your needs?
$\square$ Yes

HEALTH SERVICES
24. Have you ever received services from the Health Services Office?
$\square$ Yes
25. Have you received any information from Health Services related to a healthy lifestyle?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No
If you answered "No" to either Question 24 or 25 above, please skip to Question 27.
26. Based on your experience with the Health Services Office, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:


Helpfulness of staff
Courteousness of staff
Your overall experience

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## CALWORKS

27. Have you utilized the services in the CalWORKs program?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No
If you answered "No" to Question 27 above, please skip to Question 29.
28. Based on your experience with the CalWORKs program, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:


Helpfulness of staff
Courteousness of staff
Your overall experience

## VETERANS SERVICES

29. Are you a veteran?
$\square$ Yes
If you answered "No" to Question 29, please skip to Question 31.
30. Based on your experience with the Veterans Services office, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

31. Have you ever used services provided by the NEW Student Veterans Resource Center?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No
If you answered "No" to Question 31 above, please skip to Question 33.
32. Based on your experience with the NEW Student Veterans Resource Center, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

Helpfulness of staff
Courteousness of staff
Your overall experience


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## CAREER CENTER

33. Have you ever used any of the services provided by the Career Center?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No
34. Did you participate in any of the career assessments (Choices, MBTI, Career Cruising)?
$\square$ Yes
35. Did you find the Career Center services helpful in identifying your career or educational goals?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No
If you answered "No" to Questions 33-35 above, please skip to Question 37.
36. Based on your experience with the Southwestern College Career Center, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:


## STUDENT EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

37. Have you ever used any of the services provided by Student Employment Services?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No

If you answered "No" to Question 37 above, please skip to Question 42.
38. How many times each month do you use services provided by Student Employment Services?
$\square$ Never $\quad \square 1-3$ times
$\square 7$ or more
39. Have you used the resume or interview assistance services provided by Student Employment Services?
$\square$ Yes $\quad \square$ No
40. Have you used the Student Employment Services website?
$\square$ Yes $\quad \square$ No
41. Based on your experience with Student Employment Services, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:


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## DISABILITY SUPPORT SERVICES

42. Have you used services provided by Disability Support Services?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No
If you answered "No" to Question 42 above, please skip to Question 44.
43. Based on your experience with the Disability Support Services office, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:


## COUNSELING CENTER

44. Have you ever used any of the services provided by the Counseling Center in Chula Vista?
$\square$ Yes $\square$ No
If you answered "No" to Question 44 above, please skip to Question 47.
45. Were your counseling needs met?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No
46. Based on your experience with the Counseling Center at the Chula Vista campus, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:


Front desk staff
Counselors at Walk-in service
Counselors in appointment session
47. In your first semester at Southwestern College, did you attend an orientation to college?
$\square$ Yes - I attended an in-person/ traditional student orientation
$\square$ Yes - I completed an online student
$\square$ No orientation

If you answered "No" to Question 47 above, please skip to Question 50.

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## 48. Did you review information on any of the following topics in the Orientation Session?

College resources

| $\square$ Yes | $\square$ No |
| :--- | :--- |
| Student success characteristics | $\square$ No |
| $\square$ Yes | $\square$ No |
| An overview of your educational options | $\square$ Yes |

Did you schedule and attend an individual counseling appointment with a college counselor?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No

## ASSESSMENT CENTER/PREREQUISITES CENTER

49. Did you take one or more assessment tests during your first semester?
$\square$ Yes $\square$ No
If you answered "No" to Question 50 above, please skip to Question 53.
50. Did you clearly understand how to select courses based on the results of your educational goals?
$\square$ Yes $\square$ No
51. Based on your experience with the Assessment Center/Prerequisites Center, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

## ACADEMIC SUCCESS CENTER

52. Which of the following Academic Success Center services have you utilized? Please choose all that apply:

| $\square$ English Writing Center | $\square$ Tutoring Services | $\square$ Online Writing Lab (OWL) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ Test Reviews | $\square$ Workshops | $\square$ Proctored Exams |
| $\square$ Open Labs (Biology, Business, Child | $\square$ Other | $\square$ None |
| Development, CIS/CL, Language <br> Conversation, Math/Science, Music, |  |  |
| Nursing, Reading) |  |  |
| If "Other" selected, please specify: |  |  |


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## OPEN-ENDED QUESTIONS

Please feel free to offer a brief response regarding current and/or potential student services. Each open question response is limited to 200 characters or approximately two (2) short sentences.
53. Name one service you utilized and liked the most, why you liked it, or how the service was helpful to you.
$\square$
54. Name one service you utilized that you did not like and what can be done to improve this service.
$\square$
55 . List the "Top 3" NEW online services you would like the College to provide.
$\square$

## CUSTODIAL SERVICES

56. Based on your experience with Custodial Services, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the:


## GROUNDS DEPARTMENT

57. Based on your experience with the Grounds Department, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the:

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## MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT

58. Based on your experience with the Maintenance Department, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the:


## FACILITIES DEPARTMENT

59. Based on your experience with the Facilities Department, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the:


## FOOD SERVICES/CAFETERIA

60. Based on your experience with Food Services, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the:


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60. Based on your experience with Food Services, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the: [Continue]
61. Would you like to see more hours for the Student Union Cafeteria (main campus)?
$\square$ Yes
$\square$ No
62. What other hot/cold food choices would you like to see made available? (200 character limit)
$\square$

## SOUTHWESTERN COLLEGE BOOKSTORE

63. Based on your experience with the Southwestern College Bookstore, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the:

Courteousness of staff
Staff knowledge about textbook selection
Staff knowledge about product information
Cleanliness of store


## POLICE DEPARTMENT

64. How many times have you had contact with the Campus Police department?

| $\square$ None | $\square 1-2$ times | $\square 3-4$ times |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ | $\square+$ times |  |
| 65 . Please select which ways you had contact with the Campus Police. Please choose all that apply: |  |  |
| $\square$ Parking Violations | $\square$ Victim of a crime | $\square$ Reported a crime |
| $\square$ Witnessed a crime | $\square$ Suspected or charged with a crime | $\square$ Casual encounter |
| $\square$ Traffic stop | $\square$ Service-oriented (i.e. escort, lost | $\square$ No contact with Campus Police |
| $\square$ property, lockout, etc.) |  |  |
| $\square$ Other |  |  |
| If "Other" selected, please specify: |  |  |


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66. Based on your experience with the College Police Department, please indicate your level of satisfaction with:


## COLLEGE CASHIER'S OFFICE

67. Based on your experience with the College Cashier's Office, please indicate your level of satisfaction with the:


Friendliness and courteousness of staff
Staff's efficiency in processing transactions accurately
Staff's knowledge about student services and policies


## YOUR SCHEDULE

68. The majority of my classes are:

| $\square$ Morning | $\square$ Morning/Afternoon | $\square$ Afternoon |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ Afternoon/Evening | $\square$ Evening | $\square$ Weekend |
| $\square$ Online (anytime) |  |  |

## YOUR PREFERRED COMMUNICATION METHOD

69. Please indicate the communication method that you prefer for social and business networking. Please choose all that apply:
$\square$ E-mail
$\square$ Twitter
$\square$ Facebook
$\square$ Mobile Phone
$\square$ Smart Phone
$\square$ Tablet
$\square$ Other
If "Other" selected, please specify:

[^0]:    *Item changed in Spring 2015 from prior survey item, "Did you clearly understand how to select courses based on the results of your assessment test?"

[^1]:    Scoring scale: Very Satisfied $=5$, Satisfied $=4$, Neutral $=3$, Dissatisfied $=2$, Very Dissatisfied = 1, Not Asked/Applicable excluded

[^2]:    Scoring scale: Very Satisfied = 5, Satisfied = 4, Neutral = 3, Dissatisfied = 2, Very Dissatisfied = 1, Not Asked/Applicable excluded
    *Item result based on Question 44 response; Not Asked $=107$
    **Item results based on Question 47 response; Not Asked $=102$

[^3]:    *Only categories with 10 or more responses are listed

[^4]:    Scoring scale: Very Satisfied $=5$, Satisfied $=4$, Neutral $=3$, Dissatisfied $=2$, Very Dissatisfied $=1$

[^5]:    *Only categories with 10 or more responses are listed

[^6]:    Courteousness of staff
    Number of exterior trash receptacles
    Emptying cycle of exterior trash receptacles
    College landscape

