Generic Student Academic Engagement and Success (SAES) survey

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Q1 I have read the "Agreement to Participate" document and agree to participate in this research.

* Yes
* No

End of Block: Block 1

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Q2 Category 1: Demographics

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Q3 Which of the following best describes your racial/ethnic background?

* American Indian or Alaska Native
* Asian or Asian American
* Black or African American
* Hispanic or Latinx
* Middle Eastern or North African
* Multi-racial (two or more races)
* Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander
* White
* I do not identify with any of these categories. Please specify. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* I prefer not to respond

Q4 Are you an international student?

* Yes
* No

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Q5 What is your gender identity?

* Female
* Gender non-conforming
* Male
* Prefer not to say
* Another gender identity. Please specify. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Q6 Did you receive a Federal Pell grant or [state grant] as part of your financial aid package? (This does not include private student loans)

* Yes
* No
* Unsure

Q7 Has either of your parents/guardians earned a four-year college/university degree?

* Yes
* No

Q8 Are you a transfer student?

* Yes
* No

Q9 Are you a part-time or full-time student?

* Full-time
* Part-time

Q10 What is your academic class standing?

* Freshman (First year)
* Sophomore (Second year)
* Junior (Third year)
* Senior (Fourth year)
* Undeclaired / Non- Degree

Q11 What is the primary college where you are enrolled? [Insert your institution's college name here]

* Insert College name here
* Insert College name here
* Insert College name here

Q12 Last semester, what was your GPA? Please use two decimal point (e.g., 3.29)

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Q13 Category 2: Academic engagement activities

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Q14 During the past semester [enter semester i.e. (Fall 2023)], how often have you visited the following?

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|  | Unaware of this | Never | Seldom (once or twice a semester) | Sometimes (about once a month) | Often (2-3 times a month) | Weekly (once or more times a week) |
| A university library at [your institution] |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Campus service to support academics (e.g., peer coaching, tutoring, advising, etc.) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Campus service to support well-being (e.g., counseling, disability, health center, wellness center, etc.) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cultural Center (e.g., African American, Asian American, etc.) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Student Organization meeting or event |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| [your institution's] online library website |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| [your institution's] Commuters center |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Writing center |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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If During the past semester [enter semester i.e. (Fall 2023)], how often have you visited the follow... = A university library at [your institution] [ Seldom (once or twice a semester) ]

Or During the past semester [enter semester i.e. (Fall 2023)], how often have you visited the follow... = A university library at [your institution] [ Sometimes (about once a month) ]

Or During the past semester [enter semester i.e. (Fall 2023)], how often have you visited the follow... = A university library at [your institution] [ Often (2-3 times a month) ]

Or During the past semester [enter semester i.e. (Fall 2023)], how often have you visited the follow... = A university library at [your institution] [ Weekly (once or more times a week) ]

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Q15 During the past semester (semester period) [enter semester i.e. (Fall 2023)], how often did you do the following in the library?

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|  | Never | Seldom (once or twice a semester) | Sometimes (about once a month) | Often (2-3 times a month) | Weekly (once or more times a week) |
| Attended a library instructional session |  |  |  |  |  |
| Attended an online class |  |  |  |  |  |
| Met with friends |  |  |  |  |  |
| Obtained physical library materials (e.g., books, course reserves) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Participated in a one-on-one consultation/meeting with a librarian |  |  |  |  |  |
| Prayed or meditated |  |  |  |  |  |
| Studied and/or worked on homework or research projects on my own (Individual) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Studied and/or worked on homework or research project with other students (Group) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Engaged in non-school activities (e.g., job interviews, confidential conversations) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Took a break (e.g.., took a nap, watched videos, played games) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Used a computer |  |  |  |  |  |
| Used a printer |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other (please specify |  |  |  |  |  |

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If During the past semester [enter semester i.e. (Fall 2023)], how often have you visited the follow... = A university library at [your institution] [ Never ]

Q16 Please select the reasons you did not visit the university library. Select all that apply.

* I could not find a space easily
* I did not like the library environment (e.g., too loud or too dark)
* I did not need library materials/resources for my coursework
* I used study space at home/residence hall
* I used other study space **on** campus
* I used other study space **off** campus
* I was concerned for personal safety (e.g., crime near campus)
* I was concerned about COVID-related health issues
* I was unsure where the library was
* I was able to access what I needed online
* It was too far from where I live
* The library hours were not convenient to me
* Other (Please specify) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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If During the past semester [enter semester i.e. (Fall 2023)], how often have you visited the follow... = [your institution's] online library website [ Seldom (once or twice a semester) ]

Or During the past semester [enter semester i.e. (Fall 2023)], how often have you visited the follow... = [your institution's] online library website [ Sometimes (about once a month) ]

Or During the past semester [enter semester i.e. (Fall 2023)], how often have you visited the follow... = [your institution's] online library website [ Often (2-3 times a month) ]

Or During the past semester [enter semester i.e. (Fall 2023)], how often have you visited the follow... = [your institution's] online library website [ Weekly (once or more times a week) ]

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Q17 During the past semester (semester period) [enter semester i.e. (Fall 2023)], how often did you do the following from the online library website (any location)?

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|  | Unaware of this | Never | Seldom (once or twice a semester) | Sometimes (about once a month) | Often (2-3 times a month) | Weekly (once or more times a week) |
| Accessed research guides |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chatted with or emailed a librarian |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Checked library hours |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Participated in a one-on-one consultation/ meeting with a librarian |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Requested material from another library |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Searched library databases for journal articles |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Searched library databases or catalogs for books or other online materials |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other (Please specify) |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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If During the past semester [enter semester i.e. (Fall 2023)], how often have you visited the follow... = [your institution's] online library website [ Never ]

Q18 Please select the reasons you did not visit a library website. Select all that apply.

* I did not need library materials/resources for my coursework
* I could find what I needed on Google
* It was difficult to navigate the library website
* I was not familiar with online library resources or how to search them
* Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Q19 In your program, how many courses last semester matched the following statements?

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|  | None | 1-2 courses | 3-5 courses | More than 5 courses |
| My assignments or quizzes required me to seek out additional information in order to complete them. |  |  |  |  |
| I was provided guidance in my classes on how and/or where to find the information I needed to complete my assignments. |  |  |  |  |

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Q20 Category 3: Goal setting/attainment, social learning, self-directed learning, information seeking behaviors

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Q21 Please rate the level of agreement on the following statements.

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|  | Strongly disagree | Disagree | Uncertain or unsure | Agree | Strongly agree |
| I have a hard time setting goals for myself. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I usually keep track of my progress toward my goals. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I am able to accomplish goals I set for myself. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I have personal standards, and try to live up to them. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Once I have a goal, I can usually plan how to reach it. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I get easily distracted from my plans. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I can stick to a plan that’s working well. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I am able to resist temptation when working to accomplish my goals. |  |  |  |  |  |

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Q22 Please rate the level of agreement on the following statements.

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|  | Strongly disagree | Disagree | Uncertain or unsure | Agree | Strongly agree |
| I am inspired to study or complete my coursework by observing how others study. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I interact with and/get support from other students to enhance my learning. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I enhance my learning by working with my TAs and instructors for support. |  |  |  |  |  |

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Q23 Please rate the level of agreement on the following statements.

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|  | Strongly disagree | Disagree | Uncertain or unsure | Agree | Strongly agree |
| I can stay focused and productive whether I'm at home, in a library, or even on the go. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I can stay focused in noisy environments. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I can concentrate on my studies despite being around friends or family. |  |  |  |  |  |

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Q24 Please rate the level of agreement on the following statements.

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|  | Strongly disagree | Disagree | Uncertain or unsure | Agree | Strongly agree |
| I can easily find information I need to complete my coursework without library assistance. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I am confident that I can evaluate information I find to determine whether or not it is reliable to use for my coursework. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I am confident in my ability to read and apply the information I find to my coursework. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I am comfortable asking for assistance if I need help searching for information. |  |  |  |  |  |

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Q25 Category 4: Students' own definition of academic success

Q26 Please select the best description that matches how academic success looks and feels to you. Select up to three.

* getting good grades/doing well in class
* passing classes
* achieving goals or staying on track
* being able to stay organized
* working hard, personal fulfillment and satisfaction
* being proud/exceeding expectations or earning recognition
* balancing school, life, and other responsibilities
* learning and applying skills and knowledge
* improving social skills with peers, professors, instructors, or TAs
* getting a job
* getting a degree/graduating
* being able to help others
* others. Please specify: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Q27 Thank you for your time. The following is the final question of the survey. By clicking your answer below, your response to this survey will be submitted.   
  
Are you willing to participate in an 8-week online journal to report your weekly academic engagement activities between [start date]  and [end date]? If you choose to participate, you will receive up to [enter incentive - i.e. $80]. If your response is yes, you will be directed to a separate survey to enter your contact information. Your contact information will not be linked with your survey responses.

* Yes
* No

End of Block: Default Question Block