

Additional Questions

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

- A1.** Consider the size of the **lower-division** classes you've taken at this university – have they generally been:
- Far larger than you'd like
 - Somewhat larger
 - OK in size
 - Smaller than you'd like
 - Not applicable/have taken no lower-division courses here
- A2.** Consider the size of the **upper-division** classes you've taken at this university – have they generally been:
- Far larger than you'd like
 - Somewhat larger
 - OK in size
 - Smaller than you'd like
 - Not applicable/have taken no upper-division courses here
- A3.** How would you rate the quality of instruction in **lower-division** courses?
- Excellent
 - Good
 - Fair
 - Poor
 - Not applicable/have taken no lower-division courses here
- A4.** How would you rate the quality of instruction in **upper-division** courses?
- Excellent
 - Good
 - Fair
 - Poor
 - Not applicable/have taken no upper-division courses here
- A5.** Would you say that the courses you need to take for your **major** have been available:
- Always or nearly always
 - Most of the time
 - Some of the time
 - Hardly ever
 - Not applicable (haven't tried to take any yet)
- A6.** Would you say that the courses you need to take for your **general education requirements** have been available:
- Always or nearly always
 - Most of the time
 - Some of the time
 - Hardly ever
 - Not applicable (haven't tried to take any yet)
- A7.** How would you rate the academic quality of this university **in general**?
- Excellent
 - Good
 - Fair
 - Poor
- A8.** How would you rate the academic quality of your **major program**?
- Excellent
 - Good
 - Fair
 - Poor
 - No major yet
- A9.** How would you rate the quality of academic advising you have received from your college or department at this university?
- Excellent
 - Good
 - Fair
 - Poor
 - Not applicable
- A10.** How would you rate this university's responsiveness to student academic problems?
- Excellent
 - Good
 - Fair
 - Poor
 - Not applicable

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A11. During the past year, from what source did you receive **most** of your academic advising?

- Advisors in your college or department
- Instructors or staff members not formally assigned as an advisor
- Online registration and degree-tracking system
- Undergraduate catalog or other publications
- Friends or family
- Not applicable

How much do you agree or disagree with the following three statements about advising?

A12. The advisor(s) in your college or department is (are) available when you need to see her/him (them).

- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Not applicable

A13. The information you've received from academic advisors has been accurate and up to date.

- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Not applicable

A14. At this university students have to run around from one place to another to get the information or approvals they need.

- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Not applicable

A15. I expect to complete a bachelor's degree:

- at this university in a total of 4 years or less
- at this university in more than 4 years but within 5 years total
- at this university in more than 5 years total
- at another college or university
- I may well not complete a bachelor's degree

A16. Within one year of ending your undergraduate studies, which do you plan to do?

- Attend graduate or professional school
- Be employed (including self- and part-time employment)
- Attend graduate/professional school and be employed at the same time
- Take time off, have/raise a family, relax, travel, etc.
- I am not at all sure what I will be doing

A17. From the list below, choose **one** item that best describes the **biggest obstacle** to your academic progress.

- Money, work obligations, finances
- Family obligations
- Difficulties getting the courses you need
- Lack of good academic advising
- Lack of personal motivation
- Poor academic performance
- I have no real obstacles

A18. What is your primary reason for working for pay (either on or off campus)?

- To gain knowledge/skills/experience
- To earn money for basic expenses
- To earn extra spending money
- For something to do
- I don't work for pay

A19. While attending this university how often have you been challenged to do the very best you can?

- Most of the time
- Some of the time
- Seldom
- Never

A20. Most of the time, professors in my courses make it clear what they expect me to learn.

- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree

