

The following are some key findings from the survey, which had an overall response rate of approximately 76.9% ( $n=386$ ).

<b>General Satisfaction</b>	<i>n</i>	<i>Very Dissatisfied or Dissatisfied</i>	<i>Neither Dissatisfied nor Satisfied</i>	<i>Very Satisfied or Satisfied</i>
The overall quality of academic instruction	385	5%	11%	84%
The overall quality of instructional spaces (e.g., classrooms, labs, studios)	333	7%	14%	79%
The maintenance (upkeep) of campus buildings (e.g., offices, classrooms, dorms) and grounds	315	11%	16%	73%
Social life on campus	243	7%	31%	62%
Feeling of personal safety on campus	304	3%	13%	84%
Availability of financial support for graduate students (e.g., tuition support, graduate research/teaching assistantships)	320	19%	26%	54%

  

<b>Campus Services</b>	<i>n</i>	<i>Strongly Disagree or Disagree</i>	<i>Neither Disagree nor Agree</i>	<i>Strongly Agree or Agree</i>
It was easy to get assistance when I had a problem or question that needed to be resolved	378	13%	18%	69%

  

<b>Academics (General)</b>	<i>n</i>	<i>Strongly Disagree or Disagree</i>	<i>Neither Disagree nor Agree</i>	<i>Strongly Agree or Agree</i>
I felt like there was somewhere or someone I could turn to on campus if I was struggling academically.	318	8%	19%	73%
I feel that UMass Dartmouth has prepared me to enter the work force or further my studies.	373	8%	13%	79%

  

<b>Academics (Within the Program)</b>	<i>n</i>	<i>Very Dissatisfied or Dissatisfied</i>	<i>Neither Dissatisfied nor Satisfied</i>	<i>Very Satisfied or Satisfied</i>
Your overall experience in your program.	386	6%	9%	84%
The quality of academic instruction in your program.	386	6%	10%	84%
The frequency of class offerings in your program.	380	14%	19%	66%
The quality of academic advising in your program.	374	9%	14%	76%

  

<b>Thesis (for students who completed or were in the process of completing a thesis or dissertation):</b>	<i>n</i>	<i>Very Dissatisfied or Dissatisfied</i>	<i>Neither Dissatisfied nor Satisfied</i>	<i>Very Satisfied or Satisfied</i>
[Satisfaction with:] Understanding of how to complete a successful thesis or dissertation study.	131	10%	11%	79%

  

<b>Overall Rating</b>	<i>n</i>	<i>Very Dissatisfied or Dissatisfied</i>	<i>Neither Dissatisfied nor Satisfied</i>	<i>Very Satisfied or Satisfied</i>
Level of satisfaction with overall experience at UMass Dartmouth.	386	7%	11%	82%

  

<b>Overall Rating</b>	<i>n</i>	<i>Strongly Disagree or Disagree</i>	<i>Neither Disagree nor Agree</i>	<i>Strongly Agree or Agree</i>
I would recommend UMass Dartmouth to future graduate students.	386	8%	17%	75%