

Graduate Student Exit Survey: AY 2015-2016 <u>Campus Summary</u>

The following are some key findings from the survey, which had an overall response rate of approximately 74.6% (n=364)^a.

General Satisfaction	n	Very Dissatisfied or Dissatisfied	Neither Dissatisfied nor Satisfied	Very Satisfied or Satisfied
The overall quality of academic instruction	364	7%	5%	88%
The overall quality of instructional spaces (e.g., classrooms, labs, studios)	342	13%	12%	75%
The maintenance (upkeep) of campus buildings (e.g., offices, classrooms, dorms) and grounds	339	14%	15%	71%
Social life on campus	283	9%	27%	64%
Feeling of personal safety on campus	328	5%	12%	82%
Availability of financial support for graduate students (e.g., tuition support, graduate research/teaching assistantships)	324	23%	21%	56%
Campus Services	n	Strongly Disagree or Disagree	Neither Disagree nor Agree	Strongly Agree or Agree
It was easy to get assistance when I had a problem or question that needed to be resolved				
	355	10%	17%	72%
Academics (General)	n	Strongly Disagree or Disagree	Neither Disagree nor Agree	Strongly Agree or Agree
I felt like there was somewhere or someone I could turn to on campus if I was struggling academically.	329	9%	17%	75%
I feel that UMass Dartmouth has prepared me to enter the work force or further my studies.	359	10%	14%	76%
Academics (Within the Program)	n	Very Dissatisfied or Dissatisfied	Neither Dissatisfied nor Satisfied	Very Satisfied or Satisfied
Your overall experience in your program.	364	8%	8%	84%
The quality of academic instruction in your program.	364	7%	9%	84%
The frequency of class offerings in your program.	358	17%	18%	65%
The quality of academic advising in your program.	357	10%	15%	75%
Thesis (for students who completed or were in the process of completing a thesis or dissertation):	n	Very Dissatisfied or Dissatisfied	Neither Dissatisfied nor Satisfied	Very Satisfied or Satisfied
[Satisfaction with:] Understanding of how to complete a successful thesis or dissertation study.	143	6%	10%	84%
Student Life	n	Strongly Disagree or Disagree	Neither Disagree nor Agree	Strongly Agree or Agree
I received sufficient help with any personal or social issues.	281	6%	20%	74%
	n	Yes	No	
Participated in student clubs/organizations (student government, academic clubs, service clubs, the arts, intramural sports, etc.)	364	37%	63%	
Had an interest in attending campus events or activities (e.g., concerts, plays, speakers, athletics)	364	61%	39%	
Overall Rating	n	Very Dissatisfied or Dissatisfied	Neither Dissatisfied nor Satisfied	Very Satisfied or Satisfied
Level of satisfaction with overall experience at UMass Dartmouth.	364	6%	12%	82%
	n	Strongly Disagree or Disagree	Neither Disagree nor Agree	Strongly Agree or Agree
I would recommend UMass Dartmouth to future graduate students.	364	9%	19%	73%