

The following are some key findings from the survey, which had an overall response rate of approximately 63.5% ($n=296$)^a.

General Satisfaction	<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	294	3%	8%	89%
The overall quality of instructional spaces (e.g., classrooms, labs, studios)	285	10%	13%	76%
The maintenance (upkeep) of campus buildings (e.g., offices, classrooms, dorms) and grounds	279	11%	15%	73%
Social life on campus	232	4%	28%	68%
Feeling of personal safety on campus	272	3%	11%	86%
Availability of financial support for graduate students (e.g., tuition support, graduate research/teaching assistantships)	265	19%	18%	63%

Campus Services	<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	288	10%	16%	74%

Academics (General)	<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.	254	6%	17%	77%
I feel that UMass Dartmouth has prepared me to enter the work force or further my studies.	287	9%	17%	74%

Academics (Within the Program)	<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.	283	4%	11%	85%
The quality of academic instruction in your program.	294	6%	11%	82%
The frequency of class offerings in your program.	286	16%	20%	64%
The quality of academic advising in your program.	287	10%	11%	78%

Thesis (for students who completed or were in the process of completing a thesis or dissertation):	<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.	128	6%	15%	79%

Student Life	<i>n</i>	<i>Strongly Disagree or Disagree</i>	<i>Neither Disagree nor Agree</i>	<i>Strongly Agree or Agree</i>
I received sufficient help with any personal or social issues.	209	6%	27%	67%
Participated in student clubs/organizations (student government, academic clubs, service clubs, the arts, intramural sports, etc.)	295	31%	69%	
Had an interest in attending campus events or activities (e.g., concerts, plays, speakers, athletics)	295	63%	37%	

Overall Rating	<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.	295	7%	16%	77%

	<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.	295	12%	16%	73%

^{a/} Valid percentages are shown (i.e., based only on those students who responded to the specific question item -- "not applicable" and unknown responses excluded). All Respondents counts and % weighted by college.