

Campus Summary

The following are some key findings from the survey, which had an overall response rate of approximately 89.1% (n=1,269)^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	1,264	6%	9%	85%
The overall quality of instructional spaces (e.g., classrooms, labs, studios)	1,229	13%	17%	70%
The maintenance (upkeep) of campus buildings (e.g., offices, classrooms, dorms) and grounds	1,214	21%	20%	59%
Social life on campus	1,147	8%	25%	67%
Feeling of personal safety on campus	1,203	10%	20%	70%

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	1,232	15%	26%	59%

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.	1,200	13%	18%	69%
I feel that UMass Dartmouth has prepared me to enter the work force or further my studies (e.g., at graduate school).	1,255	13%	19%	69%

Academics (Within the Major)	<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 major.	1,266	6%	8%	86%
The quality of academic instruction in your major.	1,266	8%	10%	82%
The frequency of class offerings in your major.	1,261	26%	16%	58%
The quality of academic advising in your major.	1,262	12%	15%	73%

Commitment to Student Learning	<i>n</i>	<i>None or Low</i>	<i>Medium or High</i>
<i>[Extent to which skill area was enhanced by university experience:]</i> Inquiry and Analysis	1,268	15%	85%
<i>[Extent to which skill area was enhanced by university experience:]</i> Communication Skills	1,268	17%	83%
<i>[Extent to which skill area was enhanced by university experience:]</i> Critical Thinking	1,268	14%	86%
<i>[Extent to which skill area was enhanced by university experience:]</i> Civic Engagement	1,268	36%	64%

Time to Degree (for students who took more than 12 semesters to earn degree, top three reasons why):	<i>n</i>	<i>Major Reason</i>	<i>Minor Reason</i>	<i>Not a Reason</i>
Changed/added major or minor	185	33%	17%	50%
Personal issues or responsibilities (e.g., an illness or to provide care for family members, etc.)	185	36%	18%	45%
A job/employment commitments	185	30%	17%	52%

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.	1014	14%	34%	52%

	<i>n</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>
Worked for pay while a student at UMass Dartmouth	1,268	68%	32%
Participated in Greek life or any other student clubs/organizations (student government, academic clubs, service clubs, the arts, intramural sports, etc.)	1,268	51%	49%
Had an interest in attending campus events or activities (e.g., concerts, plays, speakers, athletics)	1,268	65%	35%

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.	1,267	7%	15%	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 college students.	1,267	11%	19%	69%

^{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)