

Marshall University Student Satisfaction Survey 2023-2024 School Year Graduate Students College of Education & Professional Development

Survey Timeline

Summer 2023 Survey:

- Open Date – June 27, 2023
- Close Date – December 27, 2023

Fall 2023 Survey:

- Open Date – October 24, 2023
- Close Date – May 4, 2024

Spring 2024 Survey:

- Open Date – March 11, 2024
- Close Date – September 23, 2024

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- Student Demographics and Experience Data
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Student Demographics and Experience Data - College of Education and Professional Development Graduate Student Responses - Fall 2023 & Spring 2024

Upon graduation, what was the dollar amount of your educational loan indebtedness?	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. \$0/No indebtedness	8	36%
b. Up to \$4,999	1	5%
g. \$25,000 - \$29,999	2	9%
i. \$35,000 - \$39,999	1	5%
j. \$40,000 - \$44,999	2	9%
k. \$50,000 or more	8	36%
Total	22	100%

During the last year of your studies, how many hours a week did you work while attending classes?	# of Responses	% of Responses
1 to 10	1	5%
11 to 20	1	5%
21 to 30	2	9%
More than 30	17	77%
None	1	5%
Total	22	100%

If you answered "working" as your primary plans after graduation, was this position	# of Responses	% of Responses
did not answer "working"	4	17%
in-person	18	78%
remote	1	4%
Total	23	100%

Did you take part in an internship, practicum or other structured work experience related to your major and anticipated career?	# of Responses	% of Responses
No	13	57%
Yes	10	43%
Total	23	100%

If you answered Yes to the previous question, did that experience increase your ability to secure employment or employment offers?	# of Responses	% of Responses
Yes	8	80%
Insufficient information to answer this question	1	10%
No	1	10%
Total	10	100%

*Residence at time of Admission	# of Students	% of Students
In State	18	78%
Metro	2	9%
Out of State	3	13%
Total	23	100%

*Number of Semesters to Complete Degree	# of Students	% of Students
a. Less than 8	10	43%
b. 8	2	9%
c. 9 to 10	5	22%
d. 11 to 12	1	4%
e. 13 to 20	2	9%
f. More than 20	3	13%
Total	23	100%

*How did the student arrive at Marshall?	# of Students	% of Students
Originally enrolled and stayed	19	83%
Transferred from a 2-year institution	2	9%
Transferred from a 4-year institution	2	9%
Total	23	100%

*Data compiled from Marshall University Institutional Research and Planning, not from survey responses.

The following questions relate to information taught in courses you may have taken early in your academic career, such as English, math, social sciences, etc. While pursuing my degree at Marshall University...

My classes challenged me to analyze and evaluate issues and to solve real-world problems in a manner that is ethical and supportive of our civic well-being.

	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	3	13%
b. Agree	17	74%
c. Neutral	3	13%
Total	23	100%

I used knowledge from more than one area of study to explore issues or to solve problems.

	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	4	17%
b. Agree	16	70%
c. Neutral	3	13%
Total	23	100%

I determined how to improve my own learning and to engage in lifelong learning.

	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	4	17%
b. Agree	16	70%
c. Neutral	3	13%
Total	23	100%

I learned to analyze my own values and to examine other viewpoints and credible evidence.

	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	4	17%
b. Agree	16	70%
c. Neutral	3	13%
Total	23	100%

Writing intensive courses enhanced my learning experience.

	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	2	9%
b. Agree	17	74%
c. Neutral	4	17%
Total	23	100%

I learned to examine issues from multiple perspectives.

	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	3	13%
b. Agree	17	74%
c. Neutral	3	13%
Total	23	100%

I developed multicultural and global perspectives.

	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	3	13%
b. Agree	13	57%
c. Neutral	6	26%
d. Disagree	1	4%
Total	23	100%

I learned to use what I know to solve novel problems.

	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	4	18%
b. Agree	15	68%
c. Neutral	3	14%
Total	22	100%

The following questions relate to information taught in courses you may have taken early in your academic career, such as English, math, social sciences, etc. While pursuing my degree at Marshall University... CONT'D

I developed the ability to express myself effectively through speaking.	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	3	13%
b. Agree	15	65%
c. Neutral	4	17%
d. Disagree	1	4%
Total	23	100%

I learned to find scholarly information, to evaluate it critically and to use it effectively.	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	4	17%
b. Agree	17	74%
c. Neutral	2	9%
Total	23	100%

I used numerical information to explore real world problems.	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	1	4%
b. Agree	12	52%
c. Neutral	9	39%
d. Disagree	1	4%
Total	23	100%

I developed the ability to write effectively.	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	5	22%
b. Agree	15	65%
c. Neutral	3	13%
Total	23	100%

My capstone course, final degree project, or experience challenged me to do my best work.	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	5	22%
b. Agree	16	70%
c. Neutral	1	4%
d. Disagree	1	4%
Total	23	100%

I gained expertise in the use of software, programs, or technology important in my major field.	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	2	9%
b. Agree	16	70%
c. Neutral	4	17%
d. Disagree	1	4%
Total	23	100%

Now that I've completed my degree...

I believe that Marshall University's program in my major field is of high quality.	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	5	22%
b. Agree	15	65%
c. Neutral	2	9%
d. Disagree	1	4%
Total	23	100%

I would recommend Marshall to prospective students.	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	5	22%
b. Agree	18	78%
Total	23	100%

I feel adequately prepared for a career and/or graduate or professional study in my field.	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	5	22%
b. Agree	16	70%
c. Neutral	1	4%
d. Disagree	1	4%
Total	23	100%

I would recommend to others that they study the same program at Marshall.	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Strongly Agree	5	22%
b. Agree	17	74%
c. Neutral	1	4%
Total	23	100%

Please rate your level of satisfaction with the quality of the following at Marshall.

Teaching	#	%
a. Very Satisfied	5	22%
b. Satisfied	14	61%
c. Neutral	4	17%
Total	23	100%

Advising	#	%
a. Very Satisfied	5	22%
b. Satisfied	12	52%
c. Neutral	2	9%
d. Dissatisfied	4	17%
Total	23	100%

Academic Support Services	#	%
a. Very Satisfied	3	14%
b. Satisfied	11	50%
c. Neutral	8	36%
Total	22	100%

Classroom/Lab Facilities (rate only if you have taken courses on the main campus or at another Marshall location)	#	%
a. Very Satisfied	2	11%
b. Satisfied	13	68%
c. Neutral	4	21%
Total	19	100%

Online learning experience (rate only if you have taken online courses)	#	%
a. Very Satisfied	5	22%
b. Satisfied	15	65%
d. Dissatisfied	3	13%
Total	23	100%

College of Education and Professional Development Satisfaction Questions - Graduate Student Responses - asked only in Fall 2023

Please rate your level of satisfaction with the quality of the following...

Preparation for serving diverse populations	# of Responses	% of Responses
b. Satisfied	12	75%
c. Neutral	2	13%
d. Dissatisfied	2	13%
Total	16	100%

Value of field experiences	# of Responses	% of Responses
b. Satisfied	12	80%
c. Neutral	3	20%
Total	15	100%

Preparation for use of technology	# of Responses	% of Responses
b. Satisfied	13	81%
c. Neutral	2	13%
d. Dissatisfied	1	6%
Total	16	100%

Delivery of content knowledge by faculty	# of Responses	% of Responses
b. Satisfied	11	69%
c. Neutral	5	31%
Total	16	100%

College of Education and Professional Development Satisfaction Questions - Graduate Student Responses - asked in both Fall 2023 and Spring 2024

Please rate your level of satisfaction with the quality of the following...

Organization and clarity of instruction	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Very Satisfied	5	22%
b. Satisfied	14	61%
c. Neutral	3	13%
d. Dissatisfied	1	4%
Total	23	100%

Intellectual challenge of courses	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Very Satisfied	5	22%
b. Satisfied	15	65%
c. Neutral	2	9%
d. Dissatisfied	1	4%
Total	23	100%

Effective use of critical thinking as a method of teaching	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Very Satisfied	5	22%
b. Satisfied	14	61%
c. Neutral	3	13%
d. Dissatisfied	1	4%
Total	23	100%

Effective use of a variety of teaching strategies by MU faculty	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Very Satisfied	5	22%
b. Satisfied	13	57%
c. Neutral	5	22%
Total	23	100%

Relation between coursework and field experiences	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Very Satisfied	5	23%
b. Satisfied	13	59%
c. Neutral	2	9%
d. Dissatisfied	2	9%
Total	22	100%

Respect for students' abilities and ideas	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Very Satisfied	5	22%
b. Satisfied	16	70%
c. Neutral	2	9%
Total	23	100%

Role modeling of professional behavior by faculty	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Very Satisfied	5	22%
b. Satisfied	13	57%
c. Neutral	3	13%
d. Dissatisfied	2	9%
Total	23	100%

Relation between class work and exams	# of Responses	% of Responses
a. Very Satisfied	5	23%
b. Satisfied	11	50%
c. Neutral	5	23%
d. Dissatisfied	1	5%
Total	22	100%