

SHAWNEE STATE UNIVERSITY

STUDENT EXPECTATION SURVEY

1. What was your reason for choosing to attend Shawnee State University?
 - A. Reputation 5%
 - B. Cost 30%
 - C. Location 34%
 - D. Athletics 10%
 - E. Academic Programs 20%

2. How did Shawnee State University rank among you choices for college?
 - A. 1st 62%
 - B. 2nd 27%
 - C. 3rd 8%
 - D. Less the 3rd 4%

3. What are your immediate educational goals?
 - A. Take a few courses 2%
 - B. Attend 1 year of college 2%
 - C. Attend 2 years of college 13%
 - D. Complete a bachelor's degree 76%
 - E. No definite goal 7%

4. What is your long-term educational goal?
 - A. Associate degree 10%
 - B. Baccalaureate degree 23%
 - C. Considering several majors 29%
 - D. Have made a choice but may 14%
 - E. Not sure 24%

5. How sure are you about a choice of major?
 - A. Certain of my choice 63%
 - B. Completely undecided 9%
 - C. Considering several majors 9%
 - D. Have made a choice but may change 19%

6. Do you think you will need assistance in improving your:
 - A. Math skills 33%
 - B. Reading skills 8%
 - C. Study skills 25%
 - D. Writing skills 15%
 - E. Time management skills 19%

7. How many hours per week do you plan to be employed while attending college?
 - A. 0-10 16%
 - B. 11-20 37%

- C. 21-30 30%
 - D. 31-40 8%
 - E. Will not work 8%
8. My main purpose for employment is:
- A. Help pay for college 41%
 - B. Car expenses 18%
 - C. Job experience 6%
 - D. Family obligations 7%
 - E. Spending money 28%
9. If the answer to 8 is "Help pay for college", which type of payment plan would be most helpful to you/to your family?
- A. A quarterly installment plan (three equal payments) 18%
 - B. An annual ten or eleven payments installment plan 24%
 - C. A loan program 58%
10. How many hours per week do you intend to study outside of class?
- A. 1-6 15%
 - B. 7-12 40%
 - C. 13-18 30%
 - D. 19-24 12%
 - E. 25-30 3%
11. I expect my grade point average to be: (4 point scale)
- A. 4.0-3.0 (A-B) 73%
 - B. 2.9-2.5 (B-C) 24%
 - C. 2.4-2.0 (C+ to C) 3%
 - D. Less than 2.0 (less than C) 0%
12. Do you plan to:
- A. Graduate from SSU 80%
 - B. Graduate 7%
 - C. Gain employability skills 0%
 - D. Transfer to another 4-year school 10%
 - E. Transfer to another 2-year school 2%
13. If you plan to earn a baccalaureate degree from SSU, how many years do you expect it will take?
- A. 4 years 83%
 - B. 5 years 13%
 - C. More than 5 years 4%
14. If you plan to earn an associate degree from SSU, how many years do you expect it will take?
- A. 2 years 63%
 - B. 3 years 28%
 - C. More than 3 years 9%

15. I am most confused or concerned about:

- A. How I'll pay for college/financial aid 38%
- B. How to register for classes 7%
- C. Where to find my classrooms 19%
- D. That I didn't select the right degree 9%
- E. I am not confused and have no concerns 26%

16. If offered would a Saturday Orientation date been more beneficial to you?

Yes 15%

No 24%

No preference 62%