

Graduation Survey 2016-2017 Results

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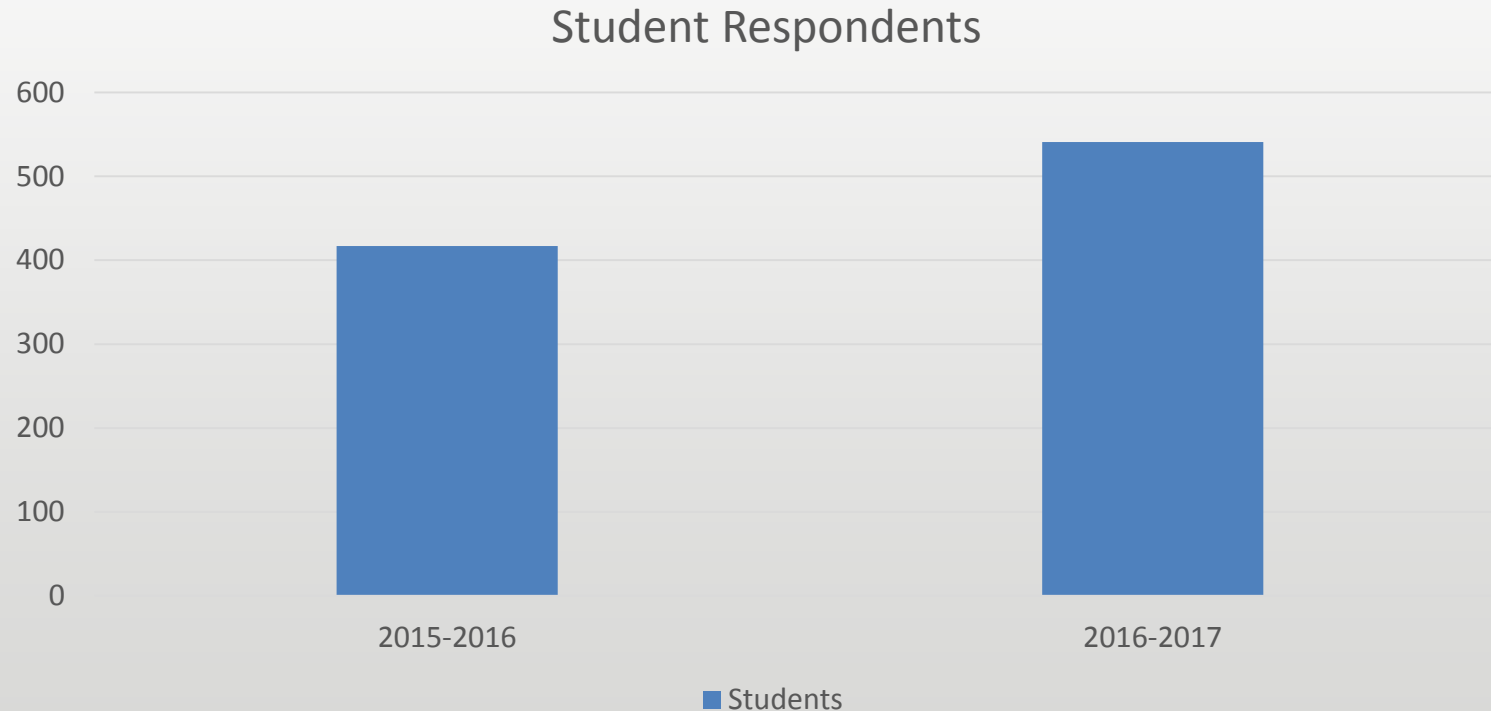


Respondents

This year's survey had a 20% **increase** in participation:

$417/859 = 49\%$ (2015-2016)

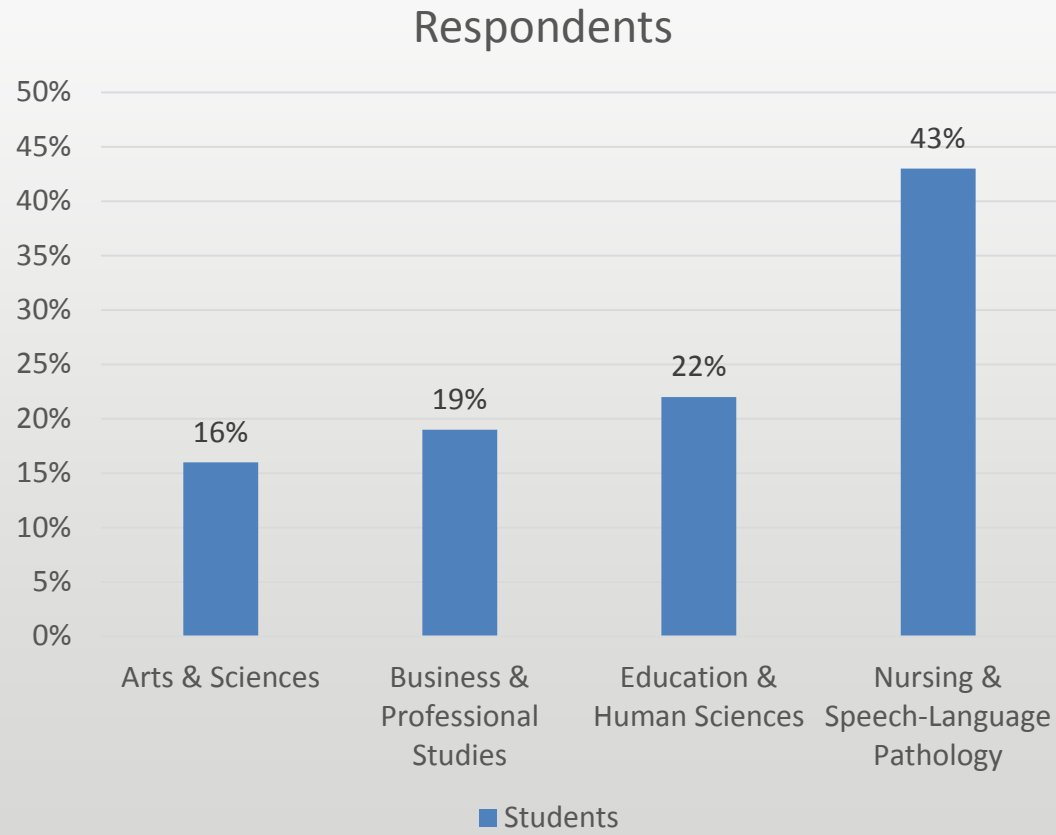
$541/934 = 58\%$ (2016-2017)



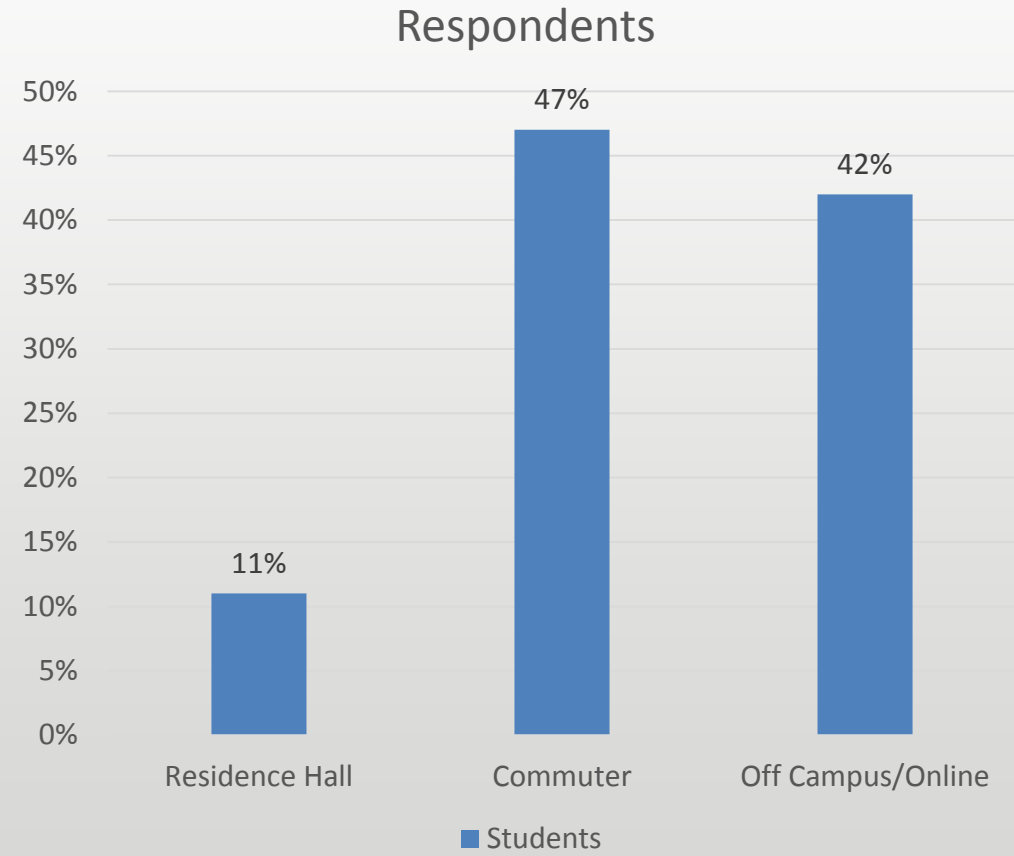


Respondents by College and Status

Colleges



Status





Demographics of Respondents

- **95% Full-Time Hours – 1% decrease from last year**
- **82% Bachelor's Degree – 4% decrease from last year**
- **12% Master's Degree – 5% increase from last year**
- **87% Female – 2% increase from last year**
- **75% Transfer – Same**
- **45% Non-Traditional (ages > 25) – 2% less than last year**
- **37% Minority – 1% more than last year**
- **34% Married – Same**



Reasons for Choosing MUW

- Good Academic Standing – 28% (Same)
- Nearby Location – 15% (**4% increase**)
- Offered the Program I wanted – 13% (5% *decrease*)
- Low Cost of Attending – 12% (2% increase)
- Online Class Availability – 11% (1% increase)
- Size of the University – 5% (1% *decrease*)
- Offered Financial Support – 5% (1% *decrease*)



Results of “MUW’s Contribution to your...”

Personal

- Intellectual Growth – 94%
- Preparation for Further Education – 91%
- General Knowledge of Different Areas of Study – **90%**
- Leadership Development – 89%
- Preparation for Employment - 87%
- Interpersonal (social) Skills – 86%
- Exposure to Art, Literature, Music, Drama, and other Cultural Events – **77%**
- Involvement in Community Service – 75%

General Education

- Written Communication Skills – 91%
- Oral Communication Skills – 89%
- Awareness of other Philosophies, Cultures, and Ways of Life – 86%
- Technology Skills – **85%**
- Understanding of the Scientific Method – 82%



Results of “MUW’s Effectiveness in providing...”

Lowest Ratings (combined **Fair and Poor** ratings)

- Food Service on Campus – 26% (3% increase)
- Services for Commuter Students (awareness of campus events, lounges, etc.) – 18% (2% decrease)
- Awareness of Global Issues – 16% (1% decrease)
- Awareness of National Issues – 15% (1% decrease)



Satisfaction Levels

- 93% Satisfied with Quality of Academic Experience
- 87% Satisfied with Quality of Student Services Provided
- Also, 93% of participants stated that MUW provided an Excellent/Good overall collegiate experience.



FYI for Non-Academic Units

“Were you aware of any of these programs/centers at MUW and the services they provide (mark all that apply)?”

- Student Success Center – 78%
- Counseling Center – 74%
- Career Center – 60%
- Study Abroad – 49%
- Center for Creative Learning – 47%
- Diversity Education & Programs – 24%
- Center for Women’s Research and Public Policy – 19%

Closing Remarks

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