

The Student Experience Survey (SES)
Metropolitan State College of Denver

Profile of Survey Respondents

Number of surveys sent to your organization: 3598

Number of respondents: 411

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Demographic Category	Response Options	Number of Respondents	Percentage of Respondents
Gender n=297	Male	109	36%
	Female	176	59%
	Trans-gender	1	0%
	Decline to answer	11	3%
Age n=298	Under 17	0	0%
	18-20	50	16%
	21-24	65	21%
	25-29	55	18%
	30-34	50	16%
	35-39	21	7%
	40-44	19	6%
	45-49	15	5%
	50-54 Years	13	4%
	55-59	6	2%
	60-64	1	0%
	65+	0	0%
Decline to answer	3	1%	
Ethnicity n=289	No, not of Hispanic/Latino origin	232	80%
	Yes, Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano	20	6%
	Yes, Puerto Rican	2	0%
	Yes, Cuban	0	0%
	Yes, another, Hispanic, Latino or Spanish origin	14	4%
Decline to answer	21	7%	
Race n=291	American Indian or Alaska Native	11	3%
	Asian	13	4%
	Black or African American	21	7%
	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1	0%
	White	220	75%
	Other	22	7%
	Decline to answer	28	9%
Transfer Status n=300	Started Here	132	44%
	Transferred from another institution	168	56%
How long have you been attending or taking courses at Metro State? n=295	1-2 years	154	52%
	2-4 years	91	30%
	4-6 years	29	9%
	6 or more years	21	7%
Employment Status (On Campus) n=286	None, I don't have a job	260	90%
	1-10 hours	9	3%
	11-20 hours	8	2%
	21-30 hours	5	1%
	31-40 hours	2	0%
More than 40 hours	2	0%	
Employment Status (Off Campus) n=295	None, I don't have a job	77	26%
	1-10 hours	26	8%
	11-20 hours	52	17%
	21-30 years	43	14%
	31-40 hours	64	21%
More than 40 hours	33	11%	
Credit Hours this Semester n=300	6 or fewer	44	14%
	7-11	58	19%
	12-14	117	39%
	15-16	54	18%
17 or more	27	9%	
Degree Pursuing n=299	None	4	1%
	Vocational Certificate	2	0%
	Associate (A.A. or equivalent)	0	0%
	Bachelor's Degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)	281	93%
	Master's Degree	12	4%

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Major/Expected Major n=295	Primary Major (type only one)	279	94%
	Do not know	16	5%
Current Residence n=299	Dormitory/Residence Hall	4	1%
	Fraternity/Sorority House	0	0%
	Rent room or apartment within walking distance of campus	12	4%
	Rent room or apartment within driving distance to campus	96	32%
	Own house	80	26%
	Parent/Family Home	91	30%
	Other	16	5%
Current GPA n=296	1.99 or below	6	2%
	2.0-2.49	14	4%
	2.5-2.99	47	15%
	3.0-3.49	93	31%
	3.5 or above	132	44%
	I did not receive grades in my courses	4	1%
SAT Verbal n=264	Under 300	0	0%
	300-400	2	0%
	400-500	8	3%
	500-600	11	4%
	600-700	19	7%
	Over 700	8	3%
	Not Applicable	216	81%
SAT Math n=262	Under 300	1	0%
	300-400	3	1%
	400-500	7	2%
	500-600	18	6%
	600-700	15	5%
	Over 700	8	3%
	Not Applicable	210	80%
SAT Writing n=262	Under 300	0	0%
	300-400	1	0%
	400-500	5	1%
	500-600	11	4%
	600-700	15	5%
	Over 700	8	3%
	Not Applicable	222	84%
ACT Score n=268	Under 19	10	3%
	20-25	66	24%
	26-29	40	14%
	Over 30	15	5%
	Not Applicable	137	51%
Parents/Family Contribution to College Expenses n=292	All or nearly all	84	28%
	More than half	19	6%
	Less than half	32	10%
	None or very little	157	53%
Self n=290	None	37	12%
	Very little	80	27%
	Less than half	44	15%
	About half	26	8%
	More than half	16	5%
	All or nearly all	87	30%
Parents n=284	None	197	69%
	Very little	36	12%
	Less than half	9	3%
	About half	11	3%
	More than half	12	4%
	All or nearly all	19	6%
Spouse or Partner n=280	None	231	82%
	Very little	21	7%
	Less than half	5	1%
	About half	9	3%
	More than half	2	0%
	All or nearly all	12	4%
Employer Support n=285	None	244	85%
	Very little	22	7%
	Less than half	7	2%
	About half	2	0%
	More than half	4	1%
	All or nearly all	6	2%
Scholarship and Grants n=289	None	135	46%
	Very little	46	15%
	Less than half	30	10%
	About half	21	7%
	All or nearly all	34	11%

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	Very little	19	6%
	Less than half	27	9%
	About half	30	10%
	More than half	32	11%
	All or nearly all	88	30%
Other Sources n=274	None	242	88%
	Very little	16	5%
	Less than half	4	1%
	About half	2	0%
	More than half	4	1%
	All or nearly all	6	2%
Parents'/Family Household Income n=286	\$25,000 or less	60	20%
	\$25,001 to \$50,000	56	19%
	\$50,001 to \$75,000	37	12%
	\$75,001 to \$100,000	28	9%
	\$100,001 to \$125,000	15	5%
	\$125,001 to \$150,000	5	1%
	\$150,001 to \$175,000	6	2%
	Decline to answer	79	27%
Highest Level Parent Education n=292	Did not finish High School	28	9%
	Graduated from High School	77	26%
	Attended college but did not complete degree	47	16%
	Completed an associate's degree (A.A., A.S., etc.)	22	7%
	Completed a bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)	69	23%
	Completed a master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)	34	11%
Completed a doctoral degree (Ph.D., J.D., M.D., etc.)	15	5%	
Citizenship Status n=299	U.S. Citizen	291	97%
	Permanent resident (green card)	6	2%
	Neither	2	0%
International/foreign national n=293	Int'l Student	5	1%
	Foreign National	3	1%
	Not Applicable	285	97%
Hours per week on academic activities n=295	5 or fewer hours a week	12	4%
	6-10 hours a week	75	25%
	11-15 hours a week	60	20%
	16-20 hours a week	54	18%
	21-25 hours per week	45	15%
	26-30 hours a week	26	8%
	More than 30 hours a week	23	7%
Top 5 Reasons selected Institution n=297	Academic Reputation	116	39%
	Campus Appearance	65	21%
	Cost	256	86%
	Diversity	79	26%
	Financial Aid	101	34%
	Geographic Setting	201	67%
	Opportunity to play sports	3	1%
	Recommendation from family/friends	102	34%
	Size of Institution	80	26%
	Personalized attention prior to enrollment	25	8%
	Other	76	25%
Expected Placement (Seniors Only) n=103	Not actively looking for a position	36	34%
	Looking but no offers yet	23	22%
	Received offer for a position, but declined	0	0%
	Currently considering an offer	4	3%
	Accepted an offer of employment	8	7%
	Not planning on employment immediately after graduation	2	1%
	Attending a Graduate School	30	29%

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