



# Framingham State University

## Undergraduate Student Exit Survey: Longitudinal Results Summary



Survey Questions	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
	Sample:626	Sample:721	Population:1010 Sample:786 Response rate:78%	Population:914 Sample:703 Response rate:77%	Population:850 Sample:559 Response rate:66%	Population:824 Sample: 181 Response rate:22%
How satisfied are you with your overall experience at Framingham State University?*	91%	92%	91%	94%	86%	90%
<b>Within the Major</b>						
How satisfied were you with your overall experience within your major*	95%	95%	94%	94%	90%	91%
Availability of faculty *	96%	96%	93%	94%	92%	94%
Quality of teaching *	93%	94%	92%	91%	89%	93%
Academic advising *	83%	83%	82%	81%	76%	81%
Availability of classes*	77%	74%	73%	76%	74%	78%
Faculty concern for your academic progress*	92%	90%	89%	91%	87%	89%
Writing preparation *	93%	92%	91%	93%	89%	95%
Connections between your major and General Education courses*	72%	73%	70%	71%	73%	75%
Career preparation and guidance from advisors and faculty*	77%	77%	74%	76%	73%	78%
<b>Academic and Co-Curricular Activities</b>						
Participated in FSU First-Year Foundations Program	53% Yes	51% Yes	54% Yes	52% Yes	46% Yes	43% Yes
Participated in a capstone, senior seminar, or thesis	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	59% Yes	54% Yes
Practicum/Field Experience	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	16% Yes	28% Yes
Licensure Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	7% Yes	8% Yes	16% Yes
Participated in an internship	N/A	N/A	N/A	50% Yes	48% Yes	41% Yes
Worked on a research project	16% Yes	18% Yes	18% Yes	19% Yes	45% Yes	52% Yes
Participated in community service or volunteer work	42% Yes	37% Yes	40% Yes	23% Yes	23% Yes	23% Yes
Studied abroad	11% Yes	13% Yes	10% Yes	12% Yes	14% Yes	11% Yes
Student clubs or organizations	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	44% Yes	48% Yes
Intercollegiate/Intramural/Club sports	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	19% Yes	16% Yes
<b>Support Utilization at FSU</b>						
Center for Academic Success and Achievement	N/A	N/A	N/A	52% Yes	50% Yes	59% Yes
Career Services and Employer Relations	N/A	N/A	N/A	51% Yes	45% Yes	43% Yes
Counseling Center	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	25% Yes	28% Yes
Health Center	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	49% Yes	44% Yes
<b>Future Plans</b>						
Plan to pursue a Master's degree	85%	83%	85%	80%	82%	85%
Accepted a full-time job related to degree	22%	32%	27%	29%	25%	26%

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<b>Top Two Influencing Factors to Attend FSU</b>						
(1) Affordability**	76%	78%	75%	71%	65%	60%
(2) Proximity to home**	68%	71%	68%	57%	51%	59%
<b>Demographics/Campus Residency</b>						
First-generation college student? (Added 2019)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	36% Yes	39% Yes
Did you live on campus at FSU?	N/A	N/A	N/A	61% Yes	62% Yes	50% Yes
Did you transfer to FSU?	33% Yes	39% Yes	38% Yes	36% Yes	36% Yes	45% Yes
What is your racial/ethnic background?	N/A	N/A	N/A	70.9% (n=493) White 11.9% (n=83) Hispanic 9.5% (n=66) Black/ African American 3.7% (n=26) Asian 3.0% (n=21) Two or more races 0.4% (n=3) American Indian/ Alaskan Native 0.3% (n=2) Cape Verdean 0.1% (n=1) Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander	68.6% (n=378) White 14.0% (n=77) Hispanic 10.9% (n=60) Black/ African American 2.7% (n=15) Two or more races 2.5% (n=14) Asian 0.7% (n=4) Cape Verdean 0.4% (n=2) American Indian/ Alaskan Native 0.2% (n=1) Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander	71.5% (n=128) White 14.0% (n=25) Hispanic 7.3% (n=13) Black/ African American 5.0% (n=9) Asian 1.1% (n=2) Two or more races 0.6% (n=1) Cape Verdean 0.6% (n=1) Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander
Do you identify as transgender? (Added 2019)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.4% Yes	0.0% Yes
To which gender identity do you most identify? (Selection options updated in 2019)	N/A	N/A	N/A	69.6% (n=488) Female 29.8% (n=209) Male 0.4% (n=3) Gender Fluid, Gender Non- Conforming, Gender Non Binary 0.1% (n=1) Transgender Man	65.2% (n=361) Female 34.3% (n=190) Male 0.4% (n=2) Non- binary/ third gender 0.2% (n=1) Prefer Not to Answer	73.5% (n=133) Female 24.9% (n=45) Male 1.1% (n=2) Non- binary/ third gender 0.6% (n=1) Prefer Not to Answer

\* Combination of satisfied and very satisfied

\*\* Percent of Cases (Number of times the factor was selected divided by the sample size)