

Framingham State University

Biology - Undergraduate Student Exit Survey: Longitudinal Results Summary

Survey Questions	University-Wide 2019 Population:850 Sample:559 Response rate:66%	Biology 2019 Population:35 Sample:14 Response rate:40%	University-Wide 2020 Population:824 Sample:181 Response rate:22%	Biology 2020 Population:43 Sample:9 Response rate:21%
How satisfied are you with your overall experience at Framingham State University?*	86%	79%	90%	100%
Within the Major				
How satisfied were you with your overall experience within your major*	90%	79%	91%	100%
Availability of faculty *	92%	86%	94%	100%
Quality of teaching*	89%	79%	93%	100%
Academic advising*	76%	71%	81%	89%
Availability of classes*	74%	71%	78%	56%
Faculty concern for your academic progress*	87%	71%	89%	78%
Writing preparation *	89%	79%	95%	100%
Connections between your major and General Education courses*	73%	79%	75%	78%
Career preparation and guidance from advisors and faculty*	73%	64%	78%	67%
Academic and Co-Curricular Activities				
Participated in FSU First-Year Foundations Program	46% Yes	29% Yes	43% Yes	56% Yes
Participated in a capstone, senior seminar, or thesis	59% Yes	43% Yes	54% Yes	56% Yes
Practicum/Field Experience	16% Yes	14% Yes	28% Yes	11% Yes
Licensure Exam	8% Yes	0% Yes	16% Yes	0% Yes
Participated in an internship	48% Yes	21% Yes	41% Yes	11% Yes
Worked on a research project	45% Yes	79% Yes	52% Yes	89% Yes
Participated in community service or volunteer work	23% Yes	36% Yes	23% Yes	11% Yes
Studied abroad	14% Yes	0% Yes	11% Yes	11% Yes
Student clubs or organizations	44% Yes	64% Yes	48% Yes	67% Yes
Intercollegiate/Intramural/Club sports	19% Yes	14% Yes	16% Yes	22% Yes
Support Utilization at FSU				
Center for Academic Success and Achievement	50% Yes	64% Yes	59% Yes	89% Yes
Career Services and Employer Relations	45% Yes	23% Yes	43% Yes	56% Yes
Counseling Center	25% Yes	29% Yes	28% Yes	44% Yes
Health Center	49% Yes	64% Yes	44% Yes	67% Yes
Future Plans				

If you plan to pursue another degree what is the type of degree you will be seeking?	82% Master's Degree	33% Master's Degree	85% Master's Degree	56% Master's Degree
Top Two Influencing Factors to Attend FSU				
What factors had a significant influence on your decision to attend FSU?*	65% Affordability 51% Proximity to home	71% Affordability 50% Proximity to home	60% Affordability 59% Proximity to home	67% Affordability 56% Small class size
Demographics/Campus Residency				
First-generation college student?	36% Yes	21% Yes	39% Yes	44% Yes
Did you live on campus at FSU?	62% Yes	36% Yes	50% Yes	56% Yes
Did you transfer to FSU?	36% Yes	43% Yes	45% Yes	33% Yes
What is your racial background?	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	64.3% (n=9) White 14.3% (n=2) Asian 14.3% (n=2) Black/African American 7.1% (n=1) Hispanic	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	55.6% (n=5) White 22.2% (n=2) Hispanic 22.2% (n=2) Black/ African American
Do you identify as transgender?	0.4% Yes	0.0% Yes	0.0% Yes	0.0% Yes
To which gender identity do you most identify?	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	85.7% (n=12) Female 14.3% (n=2) Male	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	100.0% (n=9) Female

* Combination of satisfied and very satisfied

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