

University of Kentucky
Graduating Senior Survey - 2012-2013 Degree Applicants

The FREQ Procedure

Degree Applicants' College				
College	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
College of Health Sciences	26	100.00	26	100.00

1.What was your status when you first entered the University of Kentucky?				
Q1	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Fist-time in college	14	53.85	14	53.85
Transfer with UK credit awarded	9	34.62	23	88.46
Earning a second Bachelor's degree	3	11.54	26	100.00

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2. Indicate the number of terms, if any, that you were involved in the following activities and educational experiences.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses				
		0 terms	1 term	2 terms	3 terms	4+ terms
Question						
a. Independent study	23	86.96	8.70	4.35	.	.
b. Study abroad	24	83.33	16.67	.	.	.
c. Community service or volunteer work	25	16.00	8.00	16.00	8.00	52.00
d. Work with a faculty member on a research project outside of course or program	24	45.83	33.33	8.33	12.50	.
e. Practicum, internship, field or co-op experience, or clinical assignment	24	45.83	37.50	8.33	8.33	.
f. Service learning course or course option	24	91.67	4.17	4.17	.	.
g. Participate in a learning community or formal program where groups of students take classes together	24	83.33	.	4.17	.	12.50

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3.Indicate the number of terms, if any, that you were involved in the following activities and educational experiences.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses	
		No	Yes
Question			
a. Self-designed major	25	96.00	4.00
b. Capstone course or thesis	25	80.00	20.00

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4. Compared with when you started your first year, how would you describe your following skills and knowledge?	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses				Mean	StDev
		No progress	Slight progress	Moderate progress	A lot of progress		
Question							
a. Making effective oral presentations	25	8.00	36.00	32.00	24.00	2.72	0.94
b. Writing effectively	25	.	44.00	20.00	36.00	2.92	0.91
c. Understanding the world from a variety of viewpoints	24	8.33	20.83	25.00	45.83	3.08	1.02
d. Using statistical or mathematical reasoning to solve problems	25	16.00	40.00	32.00	12.00	2.40	0.91
e. Appreciating the arts	25	20.00	28.00	24.00	28.00	2.60	1.12
f. Valuing cultural diversity	25	20.00	20.00	32.00	28.00	2.68	1.11
g. Understanding methods and applying principles of reasoning in the natural sciences	24	8.33	33.33	25.00	33.33	2.83	1.01
h. Understanding yourself	25	12.00	12.00	32.00	44.00	3.08	1.04
i. Using computers and information technology	25	8.00	48.00	20.00	24.00	2.60	0.96
j. Developing a meaningful philosophy of life	25	20.00	28.00	24.00	28.00	2.60	1.12
k. Thinking critically and analytically	25	4.00	28.00	24.00	44.00	3.08	0.95
l. Working cooperatively in a group	25	4.00	28.00	28.00	40.00	3.04	0.93
m. Using foreign languages	25	64.00	20.00	12.00	4.00	1.56	0.87
n. Developing insight into why you behave the way you do	25	24.00	24.00	24.00	28.00	2.56	1.16

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5.If you took more than four years to complete your degree requirements at UK, please answer the following questions.	Number of Responses
Question	
a. Work obligations limited my enrollment	2
b. Family obligations limited my enrollment	1
c. Tuition and other costs of attendance limited my enrollment	1
d. A decision to change majors added to my requirements	5
e. Required course was not offered when needed	3
h. I had to withdraw for a semester(s) or take a semester (s) off	2

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6.Indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about: UNIVERSITY STUDIES PROGRAM:	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses					Mean	StDev
		Strongly disagree	Disagree	Not sure	Agree	Strongly agree		
Question								
a. Most of my USP courses have been intellectually challenging	24	8.33	25.00	20.83	37.50	8.33	3.13	1.15
b. I understand why USP courses are required	24	4.17	12.50	25.00	45.83	12.50	3.50	1.02
c. I understand how the various USP requirements fit together	24	4.17	12.50	33.33	37.50	12.50	3.42	1.02
d. Most of my USP instructors described the goals of the courses	24	4.17	29.17	33.33	29.17	4.17	3.00	0.98
e. The quality of instruction in my USP courses was as good as my major courses	24	8.33	29.17	25.00	33.33	4.17	2.96	1.08
f. I understand the value of USP courses better now than at the time I took them	24	12.50	16.67	29.17	33.33	8.33	3.08	1.18
g. The broad range of choices among courses to meet USP requirements was important to me	24	4.17	8.33	29.17	45.83	12.50	3.54	0.98
h. I found USP requirements difficult to understand	24	25.00	20.83	37.50	12.50	4.17	2.50	1.14

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7. Indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about: YOUR MAJOR PROGRAM:	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses					Mean	StDev
		Strongly disagree	Disagree	Not sure	Agree	Strongly agree		
Question								
a. Required courses in my major were offered so that I could complete my degree on time	24	4.17	8.33	.	33.33	54.17	4.25	1.11
b. Grading practices were appropriate and fair	24	.	4.17	12.50	37.50	45.83	4.25	0.85
c. Faculty prepared carefully for their classes	24	.	4.17	8.33	37.50	50.00	4.33	0.82
d. Faculty gave helpful feedback on my academic progress	24	.	8.33	.	45.83	45.83	4.29	0.86
e. Faculty were accessible outside of the classroom	24	.	.	4.17	37.50	58.33	4.54	0.59
f. Faculty were knowledgeable in their subject matter	24	.	4.17	4.17	41.67	50.00	4.38	0.77
g. Faculty treated students with respect	24	4.17	4.17	.	37.50	54.17	4.33	1.01
h. The department was characterized by mutual respect between students and professors	24	.	.	12.50	29.17	58.33	4.46	0.72
i. The department helped me find appropriate employment or pursue further study	24	.	4.17	20.83	25.00	50.00	4.21	0.93
j. I would recommend my major program to other students	24	4.17	4.17	8.33	16.67	66.67	4.38	1.10

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8. Rate your level of satisfaction or dissatisfaction with the following student services.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses					Mean	StDev
		Very dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Satisfied	Very satisfied		
Question								
a. Recreation areas in Student Center	14	.	.	35.71	35.71	28.57	3.93	0.83
b. Campus dining services	15	.	6.67	20.00	60.00	13.33	3.80	0.77
c. Counseling & Testing Center (personal counseling)	8	12.50	.	50.00	37.50	.	3.13	0.99
d. Counseling & Testing Center (career counseling)	11	.	.	63.64	27.27	9.09	3.45	0.69
e. Career Center Services	11	.	.	54.55	45.45	.	3.45	0.52
f. Student Billing Services	18	5.56	.	44.44	50.00	.	3.39	0.78
g. Registration	20	5.00	.	25.00	60.00	10.00	3.70	0.86
h. Woman's Place	10	.	.	40.00	50.00	10.00	3.70	0.67
i. Health Services	18	5.56	.	22.22	50.00	22.22	3.83	0.99
j. Fitness and athletic facilities	19	.	.	10.53	47.37	42.11	4.32	0.67
k. Student Financial Aid Office	14	7.14	.	28.57	50.00	14.29	3.64	1.01
l. UK Bookstore	18	.	5.56	22.22	55.56	16.67	3.83	0.79
m. University Apartments	8	.	.	50.00	37.50	12.50	3.63	0.74
n. Residence Hall (living quarters)	14	7.14	21.43	21.43	42.86	7.14	3.21	1.12
o. Residence Hall (dining services)	14	7.14	.	21.43	50.00	21.43	3.79	1.05

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9.How would you rate the quality of each of the following aspects at UK?	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses				Mean	StDev
		Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent		
Question							
a. Quality of instruction by overall faculty	24	4.17	20.83	58.33	16.67	2.88	0.74
b. Quality of instruction by faculty in major	23	8.70	.	30.43	60.87	3.43	0.90
c. Quality of instruction by teaching assistants	24	8.33	50.00	29.17	12.50	2.46	0.83
d. Individual attention from instructors	24	4.17	8.33	62.50	25.00	3.08	0.72
e. Preparation for my first career job	24	8.33	12.50	45.83	33.33	3.04	0.91
f. Preparation for graduate or professional school	24	12.50	8.33	45.83	33.33	3.00	0.98
g. Quality of library services	24	.	25.00	41.67	33.33	3.08	0.78
h. Availability of computing resources	24	4.17	12.50	50.00	33.33	3.13	0.80
i. Willingness of faculty to meet with students	24	.	12.50	45.83	41.67	3.29	0.69
j. Quality of UK's library collection	24	.	16.67	54.17	29.17	3.13	0.68
k. Quality of service provided by the computer lab staff	24	.	8.33	70.83	20.83	3.13	0.54

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10. Rate your level of satisfaction or dissatisfaction with the following academic support programs.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses					Mean	StDev
		Strongly disagree	Disagree	Not sure	Agree	Strongly agree		
Question								
a. The Study	10	.	10.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	3.80	1.03
b. The Writing Center	11	9.09	.	36.36	36.36	18.18	3.55	1.13

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11.To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about YOUR ACADEMIC ADVISOR?	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses					Mean	StDev
		Strongly disagree	Disagree	Not sure	Agree	Strongly agree		
Question								
a. Spent sufficient time with me	24	4.17	4.17	25.00	41.67	25.00	3.79	1.02
b. Was accessible when I needed help	24	4.17	.	25.00	37.50	33.33	3.96	1.00
c. Reviewed my academic record prior to giving advice	24	4.17	.	25.00	33.33	37.50	4.00	1.02
d. Is someone I would recommend to other students	24	4.17	4.17	25.00	25.00	41.67	3.96	1.12

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12. Assess the extent to which the ACADEMIC CLIMATE is discriminatory or supportive for each of the student groups.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses				Mean	StDev
		Very discriminatory	Discriminatory	Supportive	Very supportive		
Question							
a. Women	22	.	.	63.64	36.36	3.36	0.49
b. Men	22	.	4.55	59.09	36.36	3.32	0.57
c. African Americans	22	.	.	63.64	36.36	3.36	0.49
d. Other racial minorities	22	.	.	63.64	36.36	3.36	0.49
e. International students	22	.	.	63.64	36.36	3.36	0.49
f. Disabled students	23	4.35	.	60.87	34.78	3.26	0.69
g. Gay/Lesbian students	21	.	9.52	61.90	28.57	3.19	0.60

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13. Assess the extent to which the SOCIAL CLIMATE is discriminatory or supportive for each of the student groups.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses				Mean	StDev
		Very discriminatory	Discriminatory	Supportive	Very supportive		
Question							
a. Women	22	.	4.55	63.64	31.82	3.27	0.55
b. Men	22	.	.	63.64	36.36	3.36	0.49
c. African Americans	22	.	.	68.18	31.82	3.32	0.48
d. Other racial minorities	22	.	4.55	63.64	31.82	3.27	0.55
e. International students	22	.	4.55	63.64	31.82	3.27	0.55
f. Disabled students	23	4.35	4.35	65.22	26.09	3.13	0.69
g. Gay/lesbian students	22	4.55	9.09	54.55	31.82	3.14	0.77

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14.What is your sexual orientation?				
Q14	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Heterosexual	20	83.33	20	83.33
Gay	1	4.17	21	87.50
I prefer not to answer	3	12.50	24	100.00
Frequency Missing = 2				

15.Are you a member of a fraternity or a sorority?				
Q15	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Yes	8	33.33	8	33.33
No	16	66.67	24	100.00
Frequency Missing = 2				

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16.To what extent do you feel UK emphasizes each of the following.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses				Mean	StDev
		Very little	Some	Quite a bit	Very much		
Question							
a. Studying and academic work outside of class	24	4.17	29.17	37.50	29.17	2.92	0.88
b. Providing the support you need to help you succeed academically	24	8.33	29.17	33.33	29.17	2.83	0.96
c. Providing the support you need to develop an active social life	24	12.50	29.17	33.33	25.00	2.71	1.00
d. Encouraging contact among students of different backgrounds	24	8.33	29.17	33.33	29.17	2.83	0.96
e. Developing scholarly, analytical, and intellectual qualities	24	4.17	33.33	29.17	33.33	2.92	0.93
f. Developing aesthetic, expressive, and creative qualities	24	12.50	29.17	33.33	25.00	2.71	1.00
g. Developing an understanding and appreciation of human diversity	24	8.33	33.33	29.17	29.17	2.79	0.98
h. Developing information literacy skills	24	4.17	29.17	41.67	25.00	2.88	0.85
i. Providing job-related skills and knowledge	24	4.17	33.33	37.50	25.00	2.83	0.87
j. Offering courses that are practical	24	4.17	41.67	29.17	25.00	2.75	0.90

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17.To what extent has your college education fulfilled your expectations?				
Q17	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Far below	2	8.33	2	8.33
Met expectations	9	37.50	11	45.83
Moderately above	5	20.83	16	66.67
Far above	8	33.33	24	100.00
Frequency Missing = 2				

18.How satisfied or dissatisfied were you with your experiences at UK?				
Q18	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Very dissatisfied	2	8.33	2	8.33
Neutral	4	16.67	6	25.00
Satisfied	9	37.50	15	62.50
Very satisfied	9	37.50	24	100.00
Frequency Missing = 2				

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19.If you could start college again, would you enroll at UK?				
Q19	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Definitely not	1	4.17	1	4.17
Probably not	2	8.33	3	12.50
Probably yes	12	50.00	15	62.50
Definitely yes	9	37.50	24	100.00
Frequency Missing = 2				

21.What is MOST LIKELY to be your PRINCIPAL activity upon graduation?					
Q21	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent	
Employment, full-time paid	8	33.33	8	33.33	
Employment, part-time paid	2	8.33	10	41.67	
Graduate or professional school, full-time	12	50.00	22	91.67	
Graduate or professional school, part-time	1	4.17	23	95.83	
Starting or raising a family	1	4.17	24	100.00	
Frequency Missing = 2					

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22.If you are continuing your education, what is the highest degree you plan to earn?				
Q22	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
No plans for graduate degree	4	16.67	4	16.67
Master's or Educational specialist degree	14	58.33	18	75.00
Medicine degree	1	4.17	19	79.17
Ph.D or Ed.D	2	8.33	21	87.50
Other doctoral degree	3	12.50	24	100.00
Frequency Missing = 2				

What is your gender?				
sex	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Male	4	15.38	4	15.38
Female	22	84.62	26	100.00

What is your ethnic group?				
race	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Nonresident Alien	1	3.85	1	3.85
Asian, Non-Hispanic Only	1	3.85	2	7.69
White, Non-Hispanic Only	24	92.31	26	100.00

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College				
College	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
College of Health Sciences	26	100.00	26	100.00