

DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY
Advisement/Major Survey
Overall Results -- Spring 2009

2. Degree Receiving:		
Bachelor's	209	74%
Master's	66	23%
Specialist's	4	1%
Doctoral	2	1%
Total	281	100%

3. Please rate the quality of each of the following:					
Top number is the count of respondents selecting the option. Bottom % is percent of the total respondents selecting the option.	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Not Applicable
Availability of my advisor	196 68%	70 24%	12 4%	5 2%	5 2%
Willingness of my advisor to help me	205 71%	60 21%	14 5%	4 1%	5 2%
Quality of courses in preparing me for employment and/or graduate school	153 53%	105 36%	23 8%	5 2%	2 1%
Fairness of grading in my courses	157 55%	80 28%	42 15%	8 3%	0 0%
Quality of instruction in my major	176 61%	87 30%	23 8%	2 1%	0 0%
Opportunities for interaction with faculty in my major	176 61%	86 30%	23 8%	1 0%	1 0%
Ample number of library holdings in my major	135 47%	93 32%	32 11%	5 2%	23 8%
Availability of professional activities or clubs in my major	122 43%	86 30%	46 16%	11 4%	22 8%
Quality of courses for providing a good general education	158 55%	101 35%	23 8%	1 0%	5 2%
Practicum or internship experiences in my major	155 54%	79 28%	26 9%	10 3%	17 6%
Laboratory facilities related to my major	135 47%	78 27%	34 12%	9 3%	31 11%
Classroom facilities related to the major	155 54%	99 34%	24 8%	6 2%	4 1%
Quality of career advising in the major	144 50%	96 33%	27 9%	12 4%	8 3%
Opportunities for formal student evaluation of instruction in my major	162 56%	88 31%	31 11%	3 1%	4 1%
Professional competence of departmental faculty in my major	173 60%	88 31%	22 8%	5 2%	0 0%
My initial contacts and first impression with the department	165 57%	95 33%	26 9%	2 1%	0 0%
Overall quality of this department	167 58%	95 33%	23 8%	3 1%	0 0%
Teach students to think critically, to solve problems, and to develop patterns of thought	178 62%	87 30%	20 7%	3 1%	0 0%
Help students get along with people of different races and ethnic groups	156 54%	95 33%	31 11%	5 2%	1 0%
Develop an appreciation of different cultures	157 55%	91 32%	31 11%	5 2%	4 1%

Total Number of Responses: 288

Two respondents to the survey did not indicate a major therefore these responses are included in the overall total but not in the college/school reports.

Omits/Multi-Marked questions are not included in the overall percentage for each question.

Percentages may not total 100% due to rounding.