



2011 SPRING GRADUATING STUDENT SURVEY SUMMARY REPORT

Highlights

- 191 graduates responded to the survey. The total number of degrees and certificates conferred in 2011 was 458. Response rate for survey is approximately 42%.
- 69.1% of responding graduates were female. 79.6% of respondents were enrolled full-time, 19.4% were enrolled part-time while attending Dalton State College.
- 10.9% of students worked on campus while attending Dalton State College; 40.8% worked off-campus while attending Dalton State College, 22.5% worked 36 or more hours per week.
- 79.6% of respondents reported that their objective for attending Dalton State College was fully accomplished.
- 21% completed their degree or certificated program in four years.
- 38.7% of respondents said their immediate plans after graduation was to obtain further education.
- 40.8% of respondents indicated that they were “extremely well” prepared for continuing their education.
- 49.2% of respondents who entered the labor force said that their new job was “directly related” to their program of study.
- 90.1% of respondents rated the quality of education they received at Dalton State College as “Excellent” or “Good.”
- 92.7% of respondents indicated that their overall impression/attitude of Dalton State College was “Positive” or “Very Positive.”
- 85.9% of respondents indicated that they would recommend Dalton State College to someone who wanted to major in their program.
- 52.9% indicated that if they could start college over, they would “definitely” choose to attend Dalton State College.
- 92.7% of respondents rated their level of satisfaction with the education they received at Dalton State College as “Satisfied” or “Very Satisfied.”

2011 Spring Graduate Student Summary

Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
1. Degree/Certificate		
(Not Answered)	7	3.66 %
a. Associate of Arts (Transfer Degree)	7	3.66 %
b. Associate of Science (Transfer Degree)	9	4.71 %
c. Associate of Applied Science -- Business	12	6.28 %
d. Associate of Applied Science -- Health	6	3.14 %
e. Associate of Applied Science -- Technology	13	6.81 %
g. Associate of Science Nursing (RN)	44	23.04 %
h. Technical Certificate -- One Year	11	5.76 %
i. Technical Certificate -- Less Than One Year	1	0.52 %
j. Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) -- Accounting	10	5.24 %
k. Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) -- Management	10	5.24 %
l. Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) -- Management Information Systems	4	2.09 %
m. Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) -- Marketing Systems	1	0.52 %
p. Bachelor of Arts -- English	2	1.05 %
r. Bachelor of Arts -- History	4	2.09 %
t. Bachelor of Science -- Biology	5	2.62 %
x. Bachelor of Science -- Criminal Justice	3	1.57 %
y. Bachelor of Science -- Early Childhood Education	17	8.90 %
z. Bachelor of Science -- Early Childhood Education with ESOL	17	8.90 %
bb. Bachelor of Social Work (BSW)	8	4.19 %
Total Responses	191	100 %
3. School:		
(Not Answered)	9	4.71 %
a. School of Business Administration	32	16.75 %
b. School of Education	34	17.80 %
c. School of Liberal Arts (Humanities & Social Sciences)	17	8.90 %
d. School of Natural Sciences & Math	13	6.81 %
e. School of Nursing (RN)	49	25.65 %
f. School of Social Work	7	3.66 %
g. School of Technology	30	15.71 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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	Count	Percent
4. Your Gender:		
(Not Answered)	3	1.57 %
a. Female	132	69.11 %
b. Male	56	29.32 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

5. Your Ethnicity:		
(Not Answered)	5	2.62 %
a. Asian or Pacific Islander	3	1.57 %
b. Black (Non-Hispanic Origin)	2	1.05 %
c. Hispanic	30	15.71 %
d. Native American	1	0.52 %
e. Multiracial	2	1.05 %
f. White (Non-Hispanic Origin)	148	77.49 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

6. Your Age:		
(Not Answered)	3	1.57 %
a. 19 or under	2	1.05 %
b. 20	2	1.05 %
c. 21	23	12.04 %
d. 22	22	11.52 %
e. 23	30	15.71 %
f. 24	18	9.42 %
g. 25	7	3.66 %
h. 26 - 29	16	8.38 %
i. 30 - 39	38	19.90 %
j. 40 - 61	30	15.71 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

7. While a student at Dalton State College, I was mainly enrolled:		
(Not Answered)	2	1.05 %
a. Full-time	152	79.58 %
b. Part-time	37	19.37 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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	Count	Percent
8. The classes I attended most frequently were:		
(Not Answered)	2	1.05 %
a. Day	114	59.69 %
b. Evening	21	10.99 %
c. Day/Evening Combination	54	28.27 %
Total Responses	191	100 %
9. Now that you've graduated, looking back, what SINGLE factor most influenced your decision to attend Dalton State College?		
(Not Answered)	3	1.57 %
a. Advice of high school counselor, teacher, principal	4	2.09 %
b. College publications/ads	1	0.52 %
d. Good academic reputation and faculty	17	8.90 %
e. Liked the size of the College	9	4.71 %
f. Nearby location	109	57.07 %
g. Low cost of attending	26	13.61 %
h. Advice of a friend who has attended here	3	1.57 %
j. Advice of parents or relatives	5	2.62 %
k. Able to maintain employment while attending	12	6.28 %
l. Only institution that accepted me	2	1.05 %
Total Responses	191	100 %
10. Did you participate in any of the following activities while at Dalton State College?		
(Not Answered)	73	38.22 %
a. Campus employment	21	10.99 %
b. Off-campus employment	78	40.84 %
c. Other:	19	9.95 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count Percent

11. How many hours a week did you typically work while taking classes?

(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
a. 1 - 10 hours	11	5.76 %
b. 11 - 15 hours	20	10.47 %
c. 16 - 25 hours	50	26.18 %
d. 26 - 35 hours	32	16.75 %
e. 36 or more hours	43	22.51 %
f. I was not employed	27	14.14 %

Total Responses 191 100 %

12. How many hours a week did you typically spend preparing for classes (studying, reading, writing, and other activities related to your academic program at DSC)?

(Not Answered)	4	2.09 %
a. 1- 5 hours	50	26.18 %
b. 6 - 10 hours	64	33.51 %
c. 11 - 15 hours	37	19.37 %
d. 16 - 20 hours	26	13.61 %
e. 20 or more hours	10	5.24 %

Total Responses 191 100 %

13. How many hours a week did you typically study outside the classroom?

(Not Answered)	2	1.05 %
a. 1 - 5 hours	62	32.46 %
b. 6 -10 hours	66	34.55 %
c. 11 - 15 hours	35	18.32 %
d. 16 - 20 hours	19	9.95 %
e. 20 or more hours	7	3.66 %

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14. In a typical week, how many hours do you use a computer for course-related tasks?		
(Not Answered)	3	1.57 %
a. Zero hours	3	1.57 %
b. 1 - 5 hours	83	43.46 %
c. 6 - 10 hours	59	30.89 %
d. 11 - 15 hours	23	12.04 %
e. 16 or more hours	20	10.47 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

15. How many times did you change your major at Dalton State College?		
(Not Answered)	3	1.57 %
a. Never	89	46.60 %
b. Once	53	27.75 %
c. Twice	28	14.66 %
d. Three or more times	18	9.42 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

16. How involved were you in campus programs, activities, and organizations?		
(Not Answered)	4	2.09 %
a. Heavily	6	3.14 %
b. Moderately	19	9.95 %
c. Slightly	73	38.22 %
d. Not at all	89	46.60 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

17. How often did you discuss ideas from your reading or classes with faculty members outside of class?		
(Not Answered)	2	1.05 %
Never	35	18.32 %
Occasionally	99	51.83 %
Often	35	18.32 %
Very Often	20	10.47 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count Percent

18. How often did you participate in community service or a community-based project as a part of a regular course or your program at DSC?

(Not Answered)	4	2.09 %
Never	78	40.84 %
Occasionally	92	48.17 %
Often	12	6.28 %
Very Often	5	2.62 %

Total Responses 191 100 %

19. How often did you work outside of class with faculty on activities such as college committees, student life events, and other extracurricular activities?

(Not Answered)	4	2.09 %
Never	104	54.45 %
Occasionally	59	30.89 %
Often	17	8.90 %
Very Often	7	3.66 %

Total Responses 191 100 %

20. How often did you engage in discussion with others, such as friends, coworkers, or family, about ideas from your course readings or classes?

(Not Answered)	5	2.62 %
Never	5	2.62 %
Occasionally	48	25.13 %
Often	85	44.50 %
Very Often	48	25.13 %

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21. How often did you have serious conversations with students with religious beliefs, political opinions, or personal values very different from yours?		
(Not Answered)	3	1.57 %
Never	33	17.28 %
Occasionally	97	50.79 %
Often	34	17.80 %
Very Often	24	12.57 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

22. How often did you have serious conversations with students of a different race or ethnicity than your own?		
(Not Answered)	6	3.14 %
Never	16	8.38 %
Occasionally	71	37.17 %
Often	59	30.89 %
Very Often	39	20.42 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

23. What was your primary objective for attending Dalton State College?		
(Not Answered)	3	1.57 %
a. Obtain Associate Degree or Certificate	74	38.74 %
b. Obtain a Bachelor's (4-year) degree	95	49.74 %
c. Take courses to transfer to another College	3	1.57 %
d. Take courses for personal interest, but no degree	2	1.05 %
e. Enhance my job skills in my present field of work or study	3	1.57 %
f. Enhance my job skills for a new line of work	8	4.19 %
g. Other (please certify):	3	1.57 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

24. To what extent do you feel you accomplished your objective?		
(Not Answered)	2	1.05 %
a. Fully accomplished	152	79.58 %
b. Partially accomplished	37	19.37 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
25. How long did it take you to complete your degree or certificate program at Dalton State College?		
(Not Answered)	2	1.05 %
b. 1 year	3	1.57 %
c. 2 years	31	16.23 %
d. 3 years	49	25.65 %
e. 4 years	40	20.94 %
f. 5 years	36	18.85 %
g. 6 years	14	7.33 %
h. 7 or more years	16	8.38 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

26. Were you enrolled in a learning support class (such as English 0090/0096/0098, Reading 0090/0096/0098, or Math 0090/0096/0098) during your time as a student at DSC?

(Not Answered)	3	1.57 %
a. Yes	70	36.65 %
b. No	118	61.78 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

27. If you answered yes to the previous question, please complete this question. "As a result of my taking a learning support class or classes, I believe that I was prepared for success in the college-level class or classes that followed the learning..."

(Not Answered)	119	62.30 %
Strongly Disagree	10	5.24 %
Disagree	6	3.14 %
Agree	18	9.42 %
Strongly Agree	38	19.90 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

28. What are your immediate plans after graduation?

(Not Answered)	3	1.57 %
a. Obtain further education	74	38.74 %
b. Obtain full-time employment (Go to Question 30)	96	50.26 %
c. Other	18	9.42 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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	Count	Percent
29. If your plans are to continue your education, do you plan to eventually...		
(Not Answered)	90	47.12 %
a. transfer to a four-year college?	20	10.47 %
b. transfer to one of DSC's four-year degree programs?	24	12.57 %
c. obtain another associate degree?	8	4.19 %
d. obtain another bachelor's degree?	7	3.66 %
f. take certification review courses in my field through non-college course work?	1	0.52 %
g. take more college courses?	2	1.05 %
h. take some professional development courses?	1	0.52 %
i. attend graduate school.	38	19.90 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

30. How well did Dalton State College prepare you for continuing your education?

(Not Answered)	6	3.14 %
a. Extremely well	78	40.84 %
b. More than adequately	57	29.84 %
c. Sufficiently	50	26.18 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

31. What is the highest degree or certificate you eventually plan to obtain?

(Not Answered)	3	1.57 %
a. Associate degree	11	5.76 %
b. Bachelor's degree	39	20.42 %
c. Master's degree	92	48.17 %
d. Doctoral degree	34	17.80 %
e. Professional degree (such as law, medicine, dentistry)	6	3.14 %
f. Technical program certificate or diploma	1	0.52 %
g. No plans, undecided	5	2.62 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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	Count	Percent
32. What is your current employment status?		
(Not Answered)	4	2.09 %
a. Unemployed, not seeking or planning to work	13	6.81 %
b. Unemployed, seeking employment	52	27.23 %
c. Working part-time at the job I had before I graduated	54	28.27 %
d. Working full-time at the job I had before I graduated	42	21.99 %
e. Working part-time at a new job I recently obtained	8	4.19 %
f. Working full-time at a new job I recently obtained	17	8.90 %
h. Retired	1	0.52 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

33. To improve the curriculum and programs at Dalton State College, we would like to contact your employer for input. May we contact your employer?

(Not Answered)	18	9.42 %
a. Yes	31	16.23 %
b. No	137	71.73 %
c. If Yes,	5	2.62 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

34. What will you earn during your first year?

(Not Answered)	30	15.71 %
a. \$15,000 or less	25	13.09 %
b. \$15,001 - \$20,000	13	6.81 %
c. \$20,001 - \$25,000	7	3.66 %
d. \$25,001 - \$30,000	23	12.04 %
e. \$30,001 - \$40,000	68	35.60 %
f. \$40,001 - \$60,000	23	12.04 %
g. Over \$60,000	2	1.05 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
35. To what extent is your new job related to your program/major at Dalton State College?		
(Not Answered)	26	13.61 %
a. Directly related	94	49.21 %
b. Somewhat related	28	14.66 %
c. Not related	16	8.38 %
d. Does not apply	27	14.14 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

36. How important do you feel your degree or certificate was in obtaining your position?		
(Not Answered)	33	17.28 %
a. Very important	109	57.07 %
b. Somewhat important	15	7.85 %
c. Not important	34	17.80 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

37. In your opinion, how difficult was it to obtain a job in your area of study or major?		
(Not Answered)	40	20.94 %
a. Very difficult	24	12.57 %
b. Difficult	54	28.27 %
c. Average	52	27.23 %
d. Easy	21	10.99 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

38a. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to determine the form of communication appropriate to a particular audiences and purposes; organize and communicate knowledge and ideas in a logical and purposeful way; and use accepted patterns of...		
(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
Strongly Disagree	10	5.24 %
Disagree	4	2.09 %
Agree	111	58.12 %
Strongly Agree	58	30.37 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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	Count	Percent
38b. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to use technology and gather data to conduct research from various sources, including electronic media, and demonstrate an understanding of plagiarism by acknowledging and citing information...		
(Not Answered)	9	4.71 %
Strongly Disagree	7	3.66 %
Disagree	5	2.62 %
Agree	100	52.36 %
Strongly Agree	70	36.65 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

38c. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to demonstrate an understanding of data presented graphically or mathematically.

(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
Strongly Disagree	7	3.66 %
Disagree	12	6.28 %
Agree	111	58.12 %
Strongly Agree	53	27.75 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

38d. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to perform foundational mathematical operations and express and manipulate mathematical information or concepts in verbal, numeric, graphic, or symbolic forms while solving a variety of problems.

(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
Strongly Disagree	9	4.71 %
Disagree	19	9.95 %
Agree	103	53.93 %
Strongly Agree	52	27.23 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

Count Percent

38e. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to exhibit expertise necessary to research, organize, and present an oral report or speech.

(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
Strongly Disagree	9	4.71 %
Disagree	6	3.14 %
Agree	99	51.83 %
Strongly Agree	69	36.13 %
Total Responses		191 100 %

38f. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to express orally or in writing a broad understanding of an array of issues relating to culture, society, creative expression, or the human experience.

(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Strongly Disagree	8	4.19 %
Disagree	8	4.19 %
Agree	104	54.45 %
Strongly Agree	60	31.41 %
Total Responses		191 100 %

38g. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to articulate an understanding of individual and cultural differences and perspectives across the globe.

(Not Answered)	9	4.71 %
Strongly Disagree	8	4.19 %
Disagree	13	6.81 %
Agree	112	58.64 %
Strongly Agree	49	25.65 %
Total Responses		191 100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
38h. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to demonstrate the ability to make informed judgments in interpreting works of art, literature, or other aesthetic experiences of cultures throughout the world.		
(Not Answered)	10	5.24 %
Strongly Disagree	8	4.19 %
Disagree	23	12.04 %
Agree	108	56.54 %
Strongly Agree	42	21.99 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

38i. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to utilize appropriate models, systematic methods, and concepts such as the scientific method to solve problems.

(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Strongly Disagree	8	4.19 %
Disagree	14	7.33 %
Agree	111	58.12 %
Strongly Agree	47	24.61 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

38j. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to demonstrate the ability to evaluate observations, inferences, or relationships in works under investigation.

(Not Answered)	13	6.81 %
Strongly Disagree	7	3.66 %
Disagree	13	6.81 %
Agree	108	56.54 %
Strongly Agree	50	26.18 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count Percent

38k. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to articulate an understanding of major forces and events, influences, or ideas that have shaped history and society.

(Not Answered)	12	6.28 %
Strongly Disagree	8	4.19 %
Disagree	13	6.81 %
Agree	114	59.69 %
Strongly Agree	44	23.04 %

Total Responses	191	100 %
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38l. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to analyze social institutions, world religions, natural landscapes, or human behavior using appropriate disciplinary frameworks.

(Not Answered)	10	5.24 %
Strongly Disagree	8	4.19 %
Disagree	24	12.57 %
Agree	109	57.07 %
Strongly Agree	40	20.94 %

Total Responses	191	100 %
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38m. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to demonstrate the ability to articulate and analyze perspectives and values of diverse cultural groups and their historical experiences in the United States.

(Not Answered)	10	5.24 %
Strongly Disagree	8	4.19 %
Disagree	16	8.38 %
Agree	109	57.07 %
Strongly Agree	48	25.13 %

Total Responses	191	100 %
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Count Percent

38n. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to articulate the constitutional principles and governmental processes fundamental to American democracy and political participation.

(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Strongly Disagree	8	4.19 %
Disagree	14	7.33 %
Agree	115	60.21 %
Strongly Agree	43	22.51 %

Total Responses 191 100 %

38o. As a result of my education at DSC I learned, to analyze, evaluate, and provide convincing reasons in support of conclusions and arguments.

(Not Answered)	9	4.71 %
Strongly Disagree	8	4.19 %
Disagree	9	4.71 %
Agree	107	56.02 %
Strongly Agree	58	30.37 %

Total Responses 191 100 %

39a. I would rate the quality of instruction by faculty as

(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
Does Not Apply	1	0.52 %
Poor	4	2.09 %
Fair	18	9.42 %
Good	89	46.60 %
Excellent	71	37.17 %

Total Responses 191 100 %

39b. I would rate academic advising as

(Not Answered)	6	3.14 %
Does Not Apply	3	1.57 %
Poor	23	12.04 %
Fair	47	24.61 %
Good	65	34.03 %
Excellent	47	24.61 %

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39c. I would rate the clarity of program requirements as		
(Not Answered)	6	3.14 %
Does Not Apply	1	0.52 %
Poor	12	6.28 %
Fair	34	17.80 %
Good	85	44.50 %
Excellent	53	27.75 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

39d. I would rate the availability of my faculty advisor as		
(Not Answered)	7	3.66 %
Does Not Apply	2	1.05 %
Poor	16	8.38 %
Fair	37	19.37 %
Good	72	37.70 %
Excellent	57	29.84 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

39e. I would rate career advising as		
(Not Answered)	6	3.14 %
Does Not Apply	18	9.42 %
Poor	31	16.23 %
Fair	43	22.51 %
Good	59	30.89 %
Excellent	34	17.80 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

39f. I would rate the quality of instruction in laboratories as		
(Not Answered)	7	3.66 %
Does Not Apply	11	5.76 %
Poor	5	2.62 %
Fair	35	18.32 %
Good	80	41.88 %
Excellent	53	27.75 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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39g. I would rate the accessibility of faculty as		
(Not Answered)	6	3.14 %
Does Not Apply	1	0.52 %
Poor	7	3.66 %
Fair	37	19.37 %
Good	81	42.41 %
Excellent	59	30.89 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

39h. I would rate the availability of needed courses as		
(Not Answered)	7	3.66 %
Does Not Apply	1	0.52 %
Poor	20	10.47 %
Fair	43	22.51 %
Good	72	37.70 %
Excellent	48	25.13 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

39i. I would rate the quality of non-instructional services (such as computer services, library, etc.) as		
(Not Answered)	6	3.14 %
Does Not Apply	1	0.52 %
Poor	3	1.57 %
Fair	16	8.38 %
Good	77	40.31 %
Excellent	88	46.07 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

39j. I would rate the testing/grading system as		
(Not Answered)	6	3.14 %
Does Not Apply	1	0.52 %
Poor	5	2.62 %
Fair	28	14.66 %
Good	88	46.07 %
Excellent	63	32.98 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
39k. I would rate the class size as		
(Not Answered)	6	3.14 %
Does Not Apply	1	0.52 %
Poor	2	1.05 %
Fair	16	8.38 %
Good	86	45.03 %
Excellent	80	41.88 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

39l. I would rate the classroom and teaching facilities as		
(Not Answered)	6	3.14 %
Does Not Apply	1	0.52 %
Poor	1	0.52 %
Fair	18	9.42 %
Good	94	49.21 %
Excellent	71	37.17 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

40a. Faculty were genuinely interested in the progress of students in the program		
(Not Answered)	7	3.66 %
Strongly Disagree	2	1.05 %
Disagree	8	4.19 %
Agree	86	45.03 %
Strongly Agree	88	46.07 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

40b. The program was academically demanding		
(Not Answered)	7	3.66 %
Strongly Disagree	1	0.52 %
Disagree	8	4.19 %
Agree	74	38.74 %
Strongly Agree	101	52.88 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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40c. The school or department was characterized by mutual respect between students and professors		
(Not Answered)	10	5.24 %
Strongly Disagree	2	1.05 %
Disagree	9	4.71 %
Agree	92	48.17 %
Strongly Agree	78	40.84 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

40d. Faculty was knowledgeable and well-prepared for their courses		
(Not Answered)	7	3.66 %
Strongly Disagree	1	0.52 %
Disagree	4	2.09 %
Agree	80	41.88 %
Strongly Agree	99	51.83 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

40e. The courses that I needed or required were available		
(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
Strongly Disagree	2	1.05 %
Disagree	15	7.85 %
Agree	87	45.55 %
Strongly Agree	79	41.36 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

40f. The academic ability of other students in my program was high		
(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
Strongly Disagree	3	1.57 %
Disagree	15	7.85 %
Agree	99	51.83 %
Strongly Agree	66	34.55 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
40g. Registration procedures were efficient		
(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
Strongly Disagree	2	1.05 %
Disagree	11	5.76 %
Agree	96	50.26 %
Strongly Agree	74	38.74 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

40h. There were sufficient opportunities to interact with faculty

(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
Strongly Disagree	2	1.05 %
Disagree	11	5.76 %
Agree	83	43.46 %
Strongly Agree	87	45.55 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

40i. Grading practices were fair and appropriate

(Not Answered)	7	3.66 %
Strongly Disagree	2	1.05 %
Disagree	10	5.24 %
Agree	88	46.07 %
Strongly Agree	84	43.98 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

40j. I received helpful feedback from faculty on my academic progress

(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
Strongly Disagree	2	1.05 %
Disagree	17	8.90 %
Agree	83	43.46 %
Strongly Agree	81	42.41 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
40k. I was satisfied with the instruction I received		
(Not Answered)	9	4.71 %
Strongly Disagree	2	1.05 %
Disagree	6	3.14 %
Agree	94	49.21 %
Strongly Agree	80	41.88 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

40l. Instructional equipment was up-to-date and available		
(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
Strongly Disagree	1	0.52 %
Disagree	13	6.81 %
Agree	88	46.07 %
Strongly Agree	81	42.41 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

40m. Classroom facilities were adequate and comfortable		
(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
Strongly Disagree	1	0.52 %
Disagree	11	5.76 %
Agree	97	50.79 %
Strongly Agree	74	38.74 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

40n. If I were starting over, I would take my major in this school again		
(Not Answered)	7	3.66 %
Strongly Disagree	4	2.09 %
Disagree	10	5.24 %
Agree	78	40.84 %
Strongly Agree	92	48.17 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
40o. The atmosphere at DSC and in my school encourage intellectual development		
(Not Answered)	7	3.66 %
Strongly Disagree	2	1.05 %
Disagree	10	5.24 %
Agree	90	47.12 %
Strongly Agree	82	42.93 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

40p. DSC has an image as a strong academic institution		
(Not Answered)	7	3.66 %
Strongly Disagree	6	3.14 %
Disagree	9	4.71 %
Agree	85	44.50 %
Strongly Agree	84	43.98 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

40q. The College administration is committed to providing the best education possible for all students		
(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
Strongly Disagree	7	3.66 %
Disagree	6	3.14 %
Agree	98	51.31 %
Strongly Agree	72	37.70 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

41a. My major advisor knew my name and showed an interest personally		
(Not Answered)	9	4.71 %
Does Not Apply	5	2.62 %
Strongly Disagree	6	3.14 %
Disagree	19	9.95 %
Agree	73	38.22 %
Strongly Agree	79	41.36 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
41b. My major advisor was available during pre-registration and registration to advise me		
(Not Answered)	10	5.24 %
Does Not Apply	6	3.14 %
Strongly Disagree	8	4.19 %
Disagree	13	6.81 %
Agree	82	42.93 %
Strongly Agree	72	37.70 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

41c. My major advisor gave me feedback on my academic progress		
(Not Answered)	9	4.71 %
Does Not Apply	7	3.66 %
Strongly Disagree	5	2.62 %
Disagree	30	15.71 %
Agree	78	40.84 %
Strongly Agree	62	32.46 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

41d. My major advisor provided me with accurate information about what I needed to know about the requirements for my program		
(Not Answered)	10	5.24 %
Does Not Apply	6	3.14 %
Strongly Disagree	7	3.66 %
Disagree	20	10.47 %
Agree	79	41.36 %
Strongly Agree	69	36.13 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

41e. My major advisor was on time for appointments with me		
(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Does Not Apply	9	4.71 %
Strongly Disagree	3	1.57 %
Disagree	8	4.19 %
Agree	80	41.88 %
Strongly Agree	80	41.88 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
41f. My major advisor was accessible when I needed help		
(Not Answered)	9	4.71 %
Does Not Apply	7	3.66 %
Strongly Disagree	4	2.09 %
Disagree	21	10.99 %
Agree	77	40.31 %
Strongly Agree	73	38.22 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

41g. My major advisor reviewed my academic record prior to giving advice

(Not Answered)	9	4.71 %
Does Not Apply	9	4.71 %
Strongly Disagree	4	2.09 %
Disagree	13	6.81 %
Agree	87	45.55 %
Strongly Agree	69	36.13 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

41h. My major advisor gave me information about careers and further educational opportunities in my major

(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Does Not Apply	12	6.28 %
Strongly Disagree	11	5.76 %
Disagree	33	17.28 %
Agree	59	30.89 %
Strongly Agree	65	34.03 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
41i. My major advisor referred me to appropriate resources on campus		
(Not Answered)	14	7.33 %
Does Not Apply	18	9.42 %
Strongly Disagree	7	3.66 %
Disagree	15	7.85 %
Agree	74	38.74 %
Strongly Agree	63	32.98 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

41j. My major advisor is someone I would recommend to other students on campus		
(Not Answered)	13	6.81 %
Does Not Apply	11	5.76 %
Strongly Disagree	11	5.76 %
Disagree	18	9.42 %
Agree	60	31.41 %
Strongly Agree	78	40.84 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42a. I would rate my level of satisfaction with New Student Orientation as		
(Not Answered)	10	5.24 %
Didn't Know About Service	6	3.14 %
Didn't Use	34	17.80 %
Very Dissatisfied	2	1.05 %
Dissatisfied	6	3.14 %
Satisfied	105	54.97 %
Very Satisfied	28	14.66 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
42b. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the Admissions Office as		
(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Didn't Know About Service	1	0.52 %
Didn't Use	5	2.62 %
Very Dissatisfied	7	3.66 %
Dissatisfied	8	4.19 %
Satisfied	129	67.54 %
Very Satisfied	30	15.71 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42c. I would rate my level of satisfaction with General Registration Procedures as		
(Not Answered)	10	5.24 %
Didn't Know About Service	2	1.05 %
Didn't Use	2	1.05 %
Very Dissatisfied	3	1.57 %
Dissatisfied	11	5.76 %
Satisfied	134	70.16 %
Very Satisfied	29	15.18 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42d. I would rate my level of satisfaction with Student Records/Transcripts as		
(Not Answered)	10	5.24 %
Didn't Know About Service	2	1.05 %
Didn't Use	5	2.62 %
Very Dissatisfied	2	1.05 %
Dissatisfied	11	5.76 %
Satisfied	118	61.78 %
Very Satisfied	43	22.51 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
42e. I would rate my level of satisfaction with Business Office (where you pay fees) as		
(Not Answered)	10	5.24 %
Didn't Know About Service	2	1.05 %
Didn't Use	3	1.57 %
Very Dissatisfied	5	2.62 %
Dissatisfied	14	7.33 %
Satisfied	120	62.83 %
Very Satisfied	37	19.37 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42f. I would rate my level of satisfaction with Billing and Fee Payment Procedures as		
(Not Answered)	12	6.28 %
Didn't Know About Service	1	0.52 %
Didn't Use	6	3.14 %
Very Dissatisfied	8	4.19 %
Dissatisfied	19	9.95 %
Satisfied	113	59.16 %
Very Satisfied	32	16.75 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42g. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the Academic Vice President's Office as		
(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Didn't Know About Service	16	8.38 %
Didn't Use	78	40.84 %
Very Dissatisfied	2	1.05 %
Dissatisfied	4	2.09 %
Satisfied	56	29.32 %
Very Satisfied	24	12.57 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
42h. I would rate my level of satisfaction with Learning Support as		
(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Didn't Know About Service	9	4.71 %
Didn't Use	63	32.98 %
Very Dissatisfied	1	0.52 %
Dissatisfied	9	4.71 %
Satisfied	64	33.51 %
Very Satisfied	34	17.80 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42i. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the Library as		
(Not Answered)	9	4.71 %
Didn't Use	4	2.09 %
Dissatisfied	3	1.57 %
Satisfied	84	43.98 %
Very Satisfied	91	47.64 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42j. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the Bookstore as		
(Not Answered)	10	5.24 %
Didn't Use	3	1.57 %
Very Dissatisfied	13	6.81 %
Dissatisfied	18	9.42 %
Satisfied	100	52.36 %
Very Satisfied	47	24.61 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42k. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the Cafeteria as		
(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Didn't Use	17	8.90 %
Very Dissatisfied	4	2.09 %
Dissatisfied	16	8.38 %
Satisfied	96	50.26 %
Very Satisfied	47	24.61 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
42l. I would rate my level of satisfaction with Computer Services as		
(Not Answered)	9	4.71 %
Didn't Know About Service	4	2.09 %
Didn't Use	13	6.81 %
Dissatisfied	7	3.66 %
Satisfied	94	49.21 %
Very Satisfied	64	33.51 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42m. I would rate my level of satisfaction with Parking as		
(Not Answered)	9	4.71 %
Didn't Know About Service	1	0.52 %
Didn't Use	3	1.57 %
Very Dissatisfied	38	19.90 %
Dissatisfied	50	26.18 %
Satisfied	76	39.79 %
Very Satisfied	14	7.33 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42n. I would rate my level of satisfaction with Campus Police and Security as		
(Not Answered)	10	5.24 %
Didn't Know About Service	1	0.52 %
Didn't Use	11	5.76 %
Very Dissatisfied	13	6.81 %
Dissatisfied	21	10.99 %
Satisfied	96	50.26 %
Very Satisfied	39	20.42 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
42o. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the Advising Center as		
(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Didn't Know About Service	8	4.19 %
Didn't Use	43	22.51 %
Very Dissatisfied	8	4.19 %
Dissatisfied	12	6.28 %
Satisfied	83	43.46 %
Very Satisfied	26	13.61 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42p. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the Student Center as		
(Not Answered)	9	4.71 %
Didn't Know About Service	1	0.52 %
Didn't Use	15	7.85 %
Very Dissatisfied	2	1.05 %
Dissatisfied	11	5.76 %
Satisfied	106	55.50 %
Very Satisfied	47	24.61 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42q. I would rate my level of satisfaction with Career Planning Services as		
(Not Answered)	15	7.85 %
Didn't Know About Service	25	13.09 %
Didn't Use	81	42.41 %
Very Dissatisfied	1	0.52 %
Dissatisfied	7	3.66 %
Satisfied	46	24.08 %
Very Satisfied	16	8.38 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
42r. I would rate my level of satisfaction with Disability Support Services as		
(Not Answered)	14	7.33 %
Didn't Know About Service	8	4.19 %
Didn't Use	119	62.30 %
Dissatisfied	1	0.52 %
Satisfied	31	16.23 %
Very Satisfied	18	9.42 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42s. I would rate my level of satisfaction with Financial Aid Services as		
(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Didn't Know About Service	1	0.52 %
Didn't Use	14	7.33 %
Very Dissatisfied	12	6.28 %
Dissatisfied	14	7.33 %
Satisfied	96	50.26 %
Very Satisfied	43	22.51 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42t. I would rate my level of satisfaction with Veterans Affairs as		
(Not Answered)	13	6.81 %
Didn't Know About Service	19	9.95 %
Didn't Use	115	60.21 %
Dissatisfied	1	0.52 %
Satisfied	29	15.18 %
Very Satisfied	14	7.33 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
42u. I would rate my level of satisfaction with Tutorial Services as		
(Not Answered)	15	7.85 %
Didn't Know About Service	15	7.85 %
Didn't Use	97	50.79 %
Very Dissatisfied	1	0.52 %
Dissatisfied	3	1.57 %
Satisfied	39	20.42 %
Very Satisfied	21	10.99 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42v. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the College Publications (e.g., Catalog/Admissions publications, DSC Connections) as		
(Not Answered)	12	6.28 %
Didn't Know About Service	8	4.19 %
Didn't Use	44	23.04 %
Very Dissatisfied	2	1.05 %
Dissatisfied	3	1.57 %
Satisfied	95	49.74 %
Very Satisfied	27	14.14 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42w. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the Student Government as		
(Not Answered)	15	7.85 %
Didn't Know About Service	19	9.95 %
Didn't Use	93	48.69 %
Very Dissatisfied	2	1.05 %
Dissatisfied	4	2.09 %
Satisfied	45	23.56 %
Very Satisfied	13	6.81 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count Percent

42x. I would rate my level of satisfaction with intramural sports and other student activities programs as

(Not Answered)	14	7.33 %
Didn't Know About Service	10	5.24 %
Didn't Use	102	53.40 %
Dissatisfied	5	2.62 %
Satisfied	39	20.42 %
Very Satisfied	21	10.99 %
Total Responses		191 100 %

42y. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the recreation area in the student center as

(Not Answered)	13	6.81 %
Didn't Know About Service	7	3.66 %
Didn't Use	90	47.12 %
Very Dissatisfied	2	1.05 %
Dissatisfied	6	3.14 %
Satisfied	54	28.27 %
Very Satisfied	19	9.95 %
Total Responses		191 100 %

42z. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the Study Areas as

(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Didn't Know About Service	1	0.52 %
Didn't Use	20	10.47 %
Very Dissatisfied	7	3.66 %
Dissatisfied	8	4.19 %
Satisfied	103	53.93 %
Very Satisfied	41	21.47 %
Total Responses		191 100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
42aa. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the general condition of buildings and grounds as		
(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Didn't Use	1	0.52 %
Very Dissatisfied	5	2.62 %
Dissatisfied	6	3.14 %
Satisfied	113	59.16 %
Very Satisfied	55	28.80 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42bb. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the classroom facilities as		
(Not Answered)	11	5.76 %
Didn't Use	1	0.52 %
Very Dissatisfied	3	1.57 %
Dissatisfied	11	5.76 %
Satisfied	117	61.26 %
Very Satisfied	48	25.13 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42cc. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the Laboratory Facilities and Services as		
(Not Answered)	15	7.85 %
Didn't Know About Service	2	1.05 %
Didn't Use	10	5.24 %
Very Dissatisfied	3	1.57 %
Dissatisfied	7	3.66 %
Satisfied	107	56.02 %
Very Satisfied	47	24.61 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
42dd. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the Cultural Programs (lectures, concerts, etc.) as		
(Not Answered)	15	7.85 %
Didn't Know About Service	4	2.09 %
Didn't Use	42	21.99 %
Very Dissatisfied	3	1.57 %
Dissatisfied	9	4.71 %
Satisfied	86	45.03 %
Very Satisfied	32	16.75 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42ee. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the Academic Support Services (e.g., Writing Lab, Math Lab, Chemistry Lab, Physics Lab, Science Learning Center) as		
(Not Answered)	13	6.81 %
Didn't Know About Service	5	2.62 %
Didn't Use	38	19.90 %
Very Dissatisfied	4	2.09 %
Dissatisfied	5	2.62 %
Satisfied	81	42.41 %
Very Satisfied	45	23.56 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

42ff. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the College Administration as		
(Not Answered)	12	6.28 %
Didn't Know About Service	3	1.57 %
Didn't Use	28	14.66 %
Very Dissatisfied	4	2.09 %
Dissatisfied	9	4.71 %
Satisfied	104	54.45 %
Very Satisfied	31	16.23 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count Percent

42gg. I would rate my level of satisfaction with the Fitness Center/Gym as

(Not Answered)	12	6.28 %
Didn't Know About Service	1	0.52 %
Didn't Use	42	21.99 %
Very Dissatisfied	1	0.52 %
Dissatisfied	10	5.24 %
Satisfied	83	43.46 %
Very Satisfied	42	21.99 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

43. Overall, how would you rate the quality of education you received at Dalton State College?

(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
a. Excellent	116	60.73 %
b. Good	56	29.32 %
c. Average	9	4.71 %
d. Below average	2	1.05 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

44. What is your overall impression/attitude toward Dalton State College?

(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
a. Very positive	98	51.31 %
b. Positive	79	41.36 %
c. Negative	3	1.57 %
d. Very Negative	1	0.52 %
e. No Opinion	2	1.05 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

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Count and Percent

	Count	Percent
45. How sure are you that you made the right choice in attending Dalton State College?		
(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
a. Definitely right choice	120	62.83 %
b. Probably right choice	50	26.18 %
c. Not sure	10	5.24 %
d. Definitely wrong choice	3	1.57 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

46. Would you recommend Dalton State College to someone who wanted to major in your program?		
(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
a. Yes	164	85.86 %
b. No	5	2.62 %
c. Don't know	14	7.33 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

47. If you could start college over, would you choose to attend Dalton State College?		
(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
a. Definitely Yes	101	52.88 %
b. Probably Yes	54	28.27 %
c. Not sure	17	8.90 %
d. Probably No	8	4.19 %
e. Definitely No	3	1.57 %
Total Responses	191	100 %

48. Overall, how would you rate your level of satisfaction with the education you received at Dalton State College?		
(Not Answered)	8	4.19 %
a. Very satisfied	110	57.59 %
b. Satisfied	67	35.08 %
c. Dissatisfied	2	1.05 %
d. Neutral	4	2.09 %
Total Responses	191	100 %