

Northwestern | QUALTRICS

Intro Block



Thank you for taking ASG's Winter Student Survey. The following survey can be expected to take 5-10 minutes. The data collected from this survey will be used by ASG to make budget and policy recommendations to the University. All responses are **confidential** and cannot be traced back to the respondent.

You will have the opportunity to answer questions about the following topics on this survey:

- Campus sustainability
- Norris Student Center
- Transportation
- Student employment

Surveys in the fall and spring quarters cover other areas of student experience. At the end of this survey, you will have the opportunity to opt in to our incentive pool, where you will have a chance to win a prize from our pool. Please refer to your invitation email for a list of prizes for this survey. Please note that leaving your email address at the end of this survey through the provided link maintains the confidentiality of your responses on this survey.

All questions or concerns about the survey may be directed to asg-analytics@u.northwestern.edu. Please click the arrow to begin!

Sustainability 1

Do you live in university-provided housing? (This includes residence halls, residential colleges, or fraternity/sorority

housing).

- Yes, residence hall
- Yes, residential college
- Yes, fraternity/sorority housing
- Yes, other (please specify)
- No

How often do you find the temperature in your room uncomfortable?

- Never
- Sometimes
- About half the time
- Most of the time
- Always

You indicated that the temperature in your room is uncomfortable at least sometimes. Please complete the following sentence:

When I find it uncomfortable, the temperature in my room is usually _____

- Much too hot
- Slightly too hot
- Slightly too cold
- Much too cold

Does your room have its own air conditioning unit?

- Yes
- No

Are you more likely to run the AC in your room or open your window?

- Much more likely to run the AC
- Somewhat more likely to run the AC
- About equally likely
- Somewhat more likely to open the window
- Much more likely to open the window

Recycling Quiz

Please answer the following questions to the best of your

ability, without outside assistance.



You just finished a pizza. Can you recycle this cardboard box?

- Yes
- No
- Unsure



Can you recycle a glass bottle?

- Yes
- No
- Unsure



Can you recycle an empty gum wrapper?

- Yes
- No
- Unsure

Sustainability 2

How often do you:

Most of the About half Less than
half of the

	Always	time	of the time	time	Never
Carry a reusable water bottle	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Take single-use water bottles from on-campus dining locations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Bring a reusable thermos to campus	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Compost your organic waste	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Throw away class handouts	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Run your AC instead of opening your window	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Do you prefer receiving class handouts in paper or digitally?

- Much prefer paper handouts
- Somewhat prefer paper handouts
- Prefer them about equally
- Somewhat prefer digital handouts
- Much prefer digital handouts

Sustainability 3

Out of the following eight sustainability projects, which **three** are the most important to you?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Diverting waste created by Ryan Field from landfills | <input type="checkbox"/> Adding vegetation to the roofs of Northwestern buildings |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bird-proofing windows on Northwestern buildings | <input type="checkbox"/> Promoting the use of reusable materials at Norris |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adding a graduation requirement for sustainability-related coursework | <input type="checkbox"/> Reducing energy consumption by electronic devices on campus |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Removing non-native species from the Northwestern campus | <input type="checkbox"/> Expanding vegan and vegetarian dining options |

Have you taken a course with overarching environmental or sustainability themes?

- Yes
- No

How likely would you be to take courses with environmental or sustainability themes if more options were offered?

- Extremely likely
- Very likely
- Somewhat likely
- Not very likely
- Not likely at all

Norris

How often do you go to Norris?

- Every day
- A few times per week
- About once per week
- About once per month
- About once per quarter
- Never

Why do you not go to Norris more frequently? Please select all that apply.

- Not enough seating
- Inadequate food options
- Bad vibe (e.g. too loud)
- Building aesthetics

- Inconvenient location
- Inconvenient hours
- Other (please specify)

Which of the following are issues you have with dining at Norris? Please select all that apply.

- The food is too expensive
- The dining option I want does not take meal exchanges
- The food tastes bad
- The food is unhealthy
- The lines are too long
- Norris restaurants close too early
- I have dietary restrictions
- Other (please specify)

In what ways do you think the vibe is bad at Norris?

- Norris is too loud
- I prefer not having music
- Other students at Norris are obnoxious
- The staff are not welcoming

What aspects of the aesthetics at Norris dissuade you from coming more frequently? Please select all that apply.

- The building exterior
- The furniture
- The decorations
- The lighting
- Other (please specify)

If anything, what do you prefer about other buildings on campus aside from Norris? Please select all that apply.

- I can reserve spaces in other buildings
- Other buildings are quieter than Norris
- My friends prefer other buildings
- Other buildings are located more conveniently for me
- Other buildings have better operational hours
- I prefer the seating types in other buildings
- I prefer other buildings' aesthetics
- Other (please specify)

When you do come to Norris, for which of the following reasons do you do so? Please select all that apply.

- To eat
- To get coffee
- To study
- To socialize
- For student organization activities and events
- For Norris-supported events (i.e. mini courses)
- To work a job
- Other (please specify)

When it comes to socializing, do you prefer Norris to other spaces on campus?

- Much prefer Norris
- Somewhat prefer Norris
- Feel ambivalent
- Somewhat prefer going elsewhere
- Much prefer going elsewhere

Why do you prefer Norris to other spaces on campus for

socializing?

- I feel more welcomed at Norris
- Norris has better food options
- Norris has a better vibe
- Norris is in a better location
- Norris's specialized spaces appeal to me (e.g. Game Room, ARTica)
- Other (please specify)

How likely would you be to come to Norris late at night, if Norris were open 24/7?

- Extremely likely
- Likely
- Somewhat likely
- Not very likely
- Not likely at all

How likely would you be to use the following services, if Norris were to provide them?

Extremely likely Likely Somewhat likely Not very likely Not likely at all

IT help desk	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Grocery store	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Movie theater	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Photo studio	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
21+ lounge	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Amazon lockers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Barber shop	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Drop-in registrar/financial aid office	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How likely would the following changes be to make you visit Norris Barnes and Noble more frequently?

	Extremely likely	Likely	Somewhat likely	Not very likely	Not likely at all
Selling games	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Selling music (including records)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Adding lounge seating	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Selling non-academic reading materials	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Lowering clothing
prices

Offering book
donation and thrifting

Please select all the words that you associate with Norris.

Collaborative

Convenient

Comfortable

Unwelcoming

Social

Outdated

Cringy

Fun

Cramped

Loud

Boring

Lively

Transportation

How often do you go into Chicago for leisure?

At least once per week

Once every couple weeks

About once per month

About once per quarter

Never

Which of the following is the biggest reason why you don't

go into Chicago for leisure more often?

- Lack of good transportation options
- Not enough time
- Too expensive
- Not interested
- I wouldn't know where to go
- Other (please specify)

Thinking of the Northwestern Intercampus shuttle system, please indicate how satisfied you are with each of the following:

	Extremely satisfied	Somewhat satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	Somewhat dissatisfied	Extremely dissatisfied
Weekday-only service	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Frequency of buses	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Limited destinations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Safety	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ride time	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

To which of the following locations would you be most likely to use expanded transit options?

- | | |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <input type="radio"/> Loop | <input type="radio"/> River North |
| <input type="radio"/> Chinatown | <input type="radio"/> Wicker Park |
| <input type="radio"/> Boystown | <input type="radio"/> Wrigleyville |

At what time would you be most likely to use expanded transit to $\{q://QID68/ChoiceGroup/SelectedChoices\}$?

- Week**day** daytime
- Week**day** evening
- Week**end** daytime
- Week**end** evening

Student Employment 1

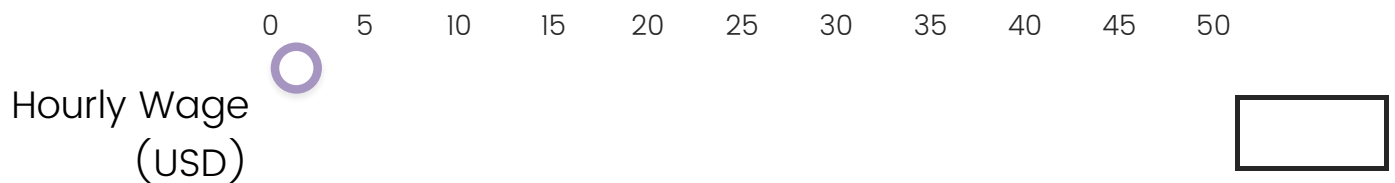
Do you have an on-campus job at Northwestern?

- Yes
- I did previously but I no longer do
- No

Is/was your position work-study?

- Yes
- No

What is the highest hourly wage you receive or received at your on-campus job?



Where on campus do/did you work?

- Norris
- NUIT
- Libraries
- Recreation
- Academic Departments & Programs
- Concerts @ Bienen
- Residential Services
- Undergraduate Admissions
- Other (please specify)

Please indicate the degree to which you agree with the following statement:

"While working my on-campus job(s), I have been able to evaluate my supervisors to the extent that I would like to."

- Strongly disagree
- Somewhat disagree
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Somewhat agree
- Strongly agree

Student Employment 2

Are you either employed off campus or self-employed?

- Yes
- No

In which of the following areas are you employed? Please select all that apply.

- Retail
- Food Services
- Outside NU Academic Research
- Tutoring
- Freelance coding
- Other

For which of the following reasons do you not have an on-campus job currently? Please select all that apply.

- My current pay is better
- My current job is more interesting
- My current job is more convenient logistically
- I could not find an available on-campus position
- I was not aware of on-campus positions
- Other

How much are you paid hourly for your off-campus/self employed position?

0 5 10 15 20 25 30 35 40 45 50



Hourly Wage
(USD)

Self Employment 3

For which of the following reasons do/did you have a job?
Please select all that apply.

- To cover living expenses
- To pay for tuition
- To pay for non-tuition school expenses
- For extra spending money
- To save money
- Other

Why do you not currently have a Northwestern on-campus job?

- Don't have time
- Unable to find a position
- On-campus jobs don't pay enough
- Not offered enough hours
- Not interested in having a job in general

- Could not find a position that interested me
- Unaware that Northwestern had on-campus jobs
- My work-study allocation ran out
- Other

Community

Do you feel a sense of community on the Northwestern campus?

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree

Which of the following would you consider to be your main sources of community, support, and well-being?
Please select all that apply.

- IFC/PHA Greek Life
- Multicultural Greek Life
- Friend Group

- Family
- Academic Cohort (people in your major, PA group, Peer-Guided Study group)
- Dorm/neighborhood
- Student organization
- Sports team
- Religious groups/institutions
- Multicultural Student Association spaces/groups
- Other

ASG Election

Did you vote in last year's ASG presidential election?

- Yes
- No

How did you hear about the ASG presidential election last year? Please select all that apply.

- Friends told me
- Official communication from ASG
- Official communication from university administration

- University administration emails
- Social media
- Presidential debate
- I did not know about the ASG presidential election last year

Demographics

What is your class year?

- First year
- Second year
- Third year
- Fourth year
- Fifth year or higher

What is your primary school at Northwestern?

- Weinberg
- School of Communication
- SESP
- McCormick
- Bienen
- Medill

What is your race and/or ethnicity? Please mark the option with which you most closely identify.

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="radio"/> American Indian or Alaska Native
(Examples: Navajo Nation, Blackfeet Tribe, or Inupiat Traditional Govt.) | <input type="radio"/> Middle Eastern or North African
(Examples: Lebanese, Iranian, Egyptian, Syrian, Moroccan) |
| <input type="radio"/> Asian (Examples: Chinese, Japanese, Filipino, Korean, South Asian, Vietnamese) | <input type="radio"/> Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander (Examples: Samoan, Guamanian, Chamorro, Tongan) |
| <input type="radio"/> Black or African-American
(Examples: Jamaican, Nigerian, Haitian, Ethiopian) | <input type="radio"/> White (Examples: German, Irish, English, Italian, Polish, French) |
| <input type="radio"/> Hispanic or Latino (Examples: Puerto Rican, Mexican, Cuban, Salvadoran, Colombian) | <input type="radio"/> Additional race, ethnicity, or origin, not listed (please specify)
<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div> |

What is your gender identity?

- Cisgender man
- Cisgender woman
- Transgender man
- Transgender woman
- Non-binary / Non-conforming

Not listed

Do you identify as a member of the LGBTQ+ community?

- Yes
- No
- Prefer not to answer

Do you identify as a first-generation or low-income college student?

- First generation only
- Low income only
- Both first generation and low income
- Neither first generation nor low income

Open-ended feedback

Thank you again for taking the ASG student survey. The topics covered on this survey are of course not exhaustive; surveys in the fall and spring quarters will further investigate other areas of student experience.

However, we do want to give you the opportunity to address any of the preceding questions or topics in greater depth if you would like to. Please enter any additional comments into the box below, and be as brief or thorough as you wish.

Incentive

Thank you for your participation! You may submit the survey by pressing the button below. You will be redirected to a form where you can leave your email address and be entered into our incentive pool.

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