

Graduating Student Satisfaction Survey Report: Fall 2021

This report presents a snapshot of key data derived from items in the Graduating Student Survey. This survey was administered during the last four weeks of fall semester 2021. The general objective is to gather student perceptions related to several components of their educational experience as well as postgraduation plans.





Survey Launch:

The GSS is conducted electronically and includes Likert scale, multiple choice, and open-ended questions. Data collection for the GSS occurred during the last four weeks of fall semester of 2021. Students were invited to participate in the GSS via email. Reminder emails were sent to nonrespondent students every three days until the close of the survey. Participation was voluntary, and no incentives were provided to students for their participation.

Sampling Method:

A total of 1,383 students were invited to complete the GSS. Exactly 638 students responded to the survey, yielding a response rate of 46%. Key respondent demographics are provided to the right.



Respondent Demographics (%)

General Items About Participants



Overall College Experience

Nearly 83% of respondents said that, if given the opportunity, they would choose to attend USA again. Over 83% of respondents agreed that being involved in a student organization added value to their experience at USA.





Graduating Students and Faculty

In general, faculty were interested in my academic success:

The coursework for my program was engaging:



Academic Advising

Over 81% of students were satisfied with the quality of advising for career planning. Safety

Nearly 85% of students reported feeling very safe or safe while on campus.



