

## Troy University Troy Campus 2006-07 Graduating Student Survey Report

### Report 1 (Q23): Student self-rated development in their educational experiences

Rank*	Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities	Excellent		Good		Average		Fair		Poor		Total	Mean*	SD
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%			
1	Planning and carrying out projects	268	43%	279	45%	65	11%	4	1%	2	0%	618	4.31	0.71
2	Working cooperatively in groups	261	42%	275	44%	69	11%	10	2%	5	1%	620	4.25	0.78
3	Critical thinking skills	231	37%	320	51%	64	10%	4	1%	3	0%	622	4.24	0.70
4	Reading skills	243	39%	289	47%	78	13%	9	1%	1	0%	620	4.23	0.73
5	Management and organization skills	249	40%	273	44%	86	14%	6	1%	3	0%	617	4.23	0.76
6	Strategies for applying skills in the field	248	40%	277	45%	79	13%	9	1%	6	1%	619	4.21	0.79
7	Time management	241	39%	275	44%	87	14%	14	2%	2	0%	619	4.19	0.78
8	Writing skills	223	36%	288	47%	98	16%	5	1%	1	0%	615	4.18	0.73
9	Problem solving skills	218	35%	304	49%	86	14%	4	1%	5	1%	617	4.18	0.75
10	Leadership skills	233	38%	264	43%	104	17%	9	1%	4	1%	614	4.16	0.80
11	Research skills	218	35%	294	48%	92	15%	12	2%	1	0%	617	4.16	0.75
12	Speaking/presentation skills	210	34%	281	45%	115	19%	12	2%	3	0%	621	4.10	0.80
13	Citizenship skills	209	34%	270	44%	118	19%	7	1%	10	2%	614	4.08	0.85
14	Understanding different philosophies and cultures	173	28%	289	47%	128	21%	24	4%	5	1%	619	3.97	0.85
15	Computer technologies	149	24%	304	49%	138	22%	21	3%	8	1%	620	3.91	0.84
16	Appreciation of the arts	155	25%	237	39%	174	28%	33	5%	15	2%	614	3.79	0.96
17	Scientific principles and methods	124	20%	282	46%	172	28%	34	6%	6	1%	618	3.78	0.86
18	Mathematical skills	121	20%	280	45%	169	27%	36	6%	12	2%	618	3.75	0.90

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### Report 2 (Q24): Student ratings on education and academic support services

Rank*	Education and Academic Support Services	Excellent		Good		Average		Fair		Poor		Total	Mean*	SD
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%			
1	Overall quality of academic program	223	36%	295	48%	74	12%	21	3%	2	0%	615	4.16	0.79
2	Instruction in major courses	221	36%	280	45%	75	12%	36	6%	5	1%	617	4.10	0.88
3	Communication between faculty and staff	212	34%	261	42%	92	15%	35	6%	17	3%	617	4.00	0.98
4	Faculty accessibility	203	33%	249	41%	104	17%	43	7%	13	2%	612	3.96	0.99
5	Faculty's use of technologies to enhance teaching	172	28%	283	46%	112	18%	36	6%	11	2%	614	3.93	0.92
6	Instruction in general education courses	137	24%	280	49%	114	20%	35	6%	7	1%	573	3.88	0.88
7	Natural Science Center	79	24%	136	41%	96	29%	12	4%	5	2%	328	3.83	0.89
8	Course availability in your major	187	30%	248	40%	106	17%	45	7%	33	5%	619	3.83	1.10
9	Reading Center	67	22%	137	45%	84	27%	11	4%	7	2%	306	3.80	0.90
10	Academic advising	196	32%	218	36%	102	17%	60	10%	37	6%	613	3.78	1.17
11	Writing Center	87	22%	169	43%	113	29%	18	5%	9	2%	396	3.78	0.92
12	Center for International Program	58	23%	102	41%	64	26%	13	5%	10	4%	247	3.75	1.00
13	IMPACT/New Student Orientation Program	122	25%	189	39%	118	24%	35	7%	19	4%	483	3.75	1.04
14	Testing Center	73	20%	162	44%	110	30%	16	4%	10	3%	371	3.73	0.92
15	Registration Procedures	162	26%	243	39%	128	21%	52	8%	34	5%	619	3.72	1.11
16	Library	125	22%	240	42%	136	24%	34	6%	40	7%	575	3.65	1.09
17	Laboratory/instructional equipment	88	18%	205	42%	133	27%	52	11%	14	3%	492	3.61	0.99
18	Computer labs	96	18%	207	39%	129	24%	58	11%	38	7%	528	3.50	1.13

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### Report 3 (Q25): Student satisfaction with the offices and services at Troy University

Rank*	Offices and Services	Very Dissatisfied		Dissatisfied		Neutral		Satisfied		Very Satisfied		Total	Mean*	SD
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%			
1	Trojan WebExpress	20	3%	33	5%	111	18%	275	45%	174	28%	613	3.90	0.98
2	Student organization	6	1%	19	4%	110	25%	181	42%	118	27%	434	3.89	0.90
3	Admissions Office	21	3%	22	4%	131	22%	272	45%	161	27%	607	3.87	0.96
4	Buildings and Grounds	13	3%	28	6%	112	22%	211	42%	140	28%	504	3.87	0.97
5	Athletic programs	12	3%	16	4%	106	27%	159	40%	105	26%	398	3.83	0.97
6	Recreational and intramural activities	8	2%	16	4%	106	27%	174	45%	85	22%	389	3.80	0.90
7	Unversity Media (website, newsletter, radio, TV, etc.)	10	2%	24	5%	149	29%	216	42%	113	22%	512	3.78	0.91
8	Student Health Services	6	2%	23	6%	114	30%	165	43%	76	20%	384	3.73	0.90
9	Information Technology (IT) Services	20	4%	30	6%	117	24%	214	44%	103	21%	484	3.72	1.00
10	Business Office	18	4%	28	5%	140	27%	223	44%	103	20%	512	3.71	0.96
11	Bookstore Services	26	5%	49	9%	119	21%	239	42%	132	23%	565	3.71	1.06
12	Safety and Security Services	18	4%	36	8%	116	25%	199	42%	101	21%	470	3.70	1.01
13	Counseling Service	10	3%	19	6%	98	30%	127	39%	68	21%	322	3.70	0.97
14	Student Support Services (SSS)	13	4%	14	4%	103	31%	137	41%	65	20%	332	3.68	0.96
15	Registrar/Records Office	29	5%	50	8%	137	23%	256	43%	130	22%	602	3.68	1.05
16	Adaptive Needs Services	10	4%	9	3%	98	37%	91	35%	55	21%	263	3.65	0.97
17	Career Service	12	3%	23	7%	106	30%	145	41%	64	18%	350	3.65	0.97
18	Trojan Fitness Center	22	5%	38	9%	97	23%	173	41%	90	21%	420	3.65	1.07
19	Veteran Services	10	4%	16	6%	96	34%	109	39%	51	18%	282	3.62	0.96
20	Financial Aid Services	32	6%	56	11%	114	23%	184	37%	115	23%	501	3.59	1.14
21	Food Services	18	4%	46	10%	120	27%	190	42%	77	17%	451	3.58	1.02
22	Placement Service	12	4%	24	8%	105	34%	123	40%	43	14%	307	3.52	0.96
23	Housing and Residential Life	13	4%	40	12%	108	31%	132	38%	51	15%	344	3.49	1.00
24	Parking facilities	134	26%	103	20%	124	24%	96	19%	53	10%	510	2.67	1.32

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### Report 4 (Q26): Student opinions and perceptions about Troy University

Rank*	Student Opinions and Perceptions on	Strongly Disagree		Disagree		Neutral		Agree		Strongly Agree		Total	Mean*	SD
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%			
1	The degree program in which I enrolled is valuable for me in my employment.	13	2%	10	2%	81	13%	286	47%	220	36%	610	4.13	0.86
2	Courses in my curriculum contributed to skills and knowledge required in my field.	15	2%	19	3%	72	12%	301	49%	206	34%	613	4.08	0.89
3	My academic program was intellectually challenging and stimulating.	14	2%	25	4%	80	13%	279	46%	214	35%	612	4.07	0.92
4	Troy University faculty care about students as individuals	29	5%	22	4%	121	20%	266	43%	176	29%	614	3.88	1.02
5	The goals, objectives, and requirements for my academic Program were clearly defined.	28	5%	36	6%	91	15%	301	49%	159	26%	615	3.86	1.02
6	The tuition and fees I paid at Troy University were a worthwhile investment.	23	4%	29	5%	146	24%	267	44%	145	24%	610	3.79	0.98
7	The intellectual caliber of students in my academic program was high.	19	3%	29	5%	152	25%	285	46%	130	21%	615	3.78	0.94
8	Courses were offered frequently enough for timely completion of my degree program.	27	4%	55	9%	99	16%	277	45%	153	25%	611	3.78	1.06
9	Troy University faculty were helpful with my career plan.	31	5%	42	7%	160	26%	247	40%	133	22%	613	3.67	1.05
10	Troy University is responsive to needs of its students.	29	5%	48	8%	156	26%	256	42%	121	20%	610	3.64	1.03

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### Report 5 (Q27): Overall ratings on Troy University

Overall Ratings	Excellent		Good		Average		Fair		Poor		Total	Mean*	SD
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%			
How would you rate Troy University's preparation of you for employment?	158	26%	258	42%	150	24%	36	6%	15	2%	617	3.82	0.96
How would you rate Troy University's preparation of you for further education?	174	28%	264	43%	129	21%	37	6%	14	2%	618	3.89	0.96
What is your overall rating of your college experiences at Troy?	205	33%	255	42%	109	18%	32	5%	12	2%	613	3.99	0.95

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### Report 6: Recommendations of Troy University

Recommendations	Definitely yes		Probably yes		Probably not		Definitely not		Total
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Q28 If you were starting over, would you enroll in the same program?	319	52%	187	30%	86	14%	23	4%	615
Q29 If you could start college over, would you attend Troy University again?	263	42%	233	38%	95	15%	30	5%	621
Q30 Would you recommend your academic program to other students?	319	51%	233	38%	51	8%	17	3%	620
Q31 Would you recommend Troy University to someone planning to go to college?	326	53%	221	36%	56	9%	17	3%	620