






## Student Summer School Survey Results

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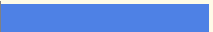

### 1. Do you agree to participate in this survey regarding summer school at Western?

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Yes, I will participate in the survey		626	97%
2	No, I do not wish to participate in the survey		17	3%
	Total		643	100%



### 2. What kind of course do you want most in summer?

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Courses in my major		450	75%
2	General Education courses		106	18%
3	Electives		48	8%
	Total		604	100%



### 3. How would you most like summer school courses delivered?

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Face-to-Face		265	44%
2	Online		342	56%
	Total		607	100%



#### 4. Would you be interested in taking a course in the summer that is mostly online, but also has some face-to-face meetings?

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Yes		390	64%
2	No		218	36%
	Total		608	100%


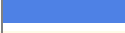

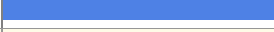
#### 5. Do you have a paying job during the school year?

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Yes		411	67%
2	No		198	33%
	Total		609	100%







#### 6. Do you have a paying job during the summer?

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Yes		442	72%
2	No		168	28%
	Total		610	100%

#### 7. When are you most likely to take summer school classes?

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Early 3 weeks (May)		71	12%
2	First 4 weeks (June)		149	26%
3	Second 4 weeks (July)		29	5%
4	All 8 weeks (June/July)		332	57%
	Total		581	100%

## 8. Why would you consider taking summer school classes? (check all that apply)

#	Answer		Response	%
1	To complete graduation requirements early		451	76%
2	To make up classes		145	25%
3	To retake classes		77	13%
4	To lighten my load during the academic year		431	73%
5	To avoid another professor who teaches the course		118	20%
6	Other		44	7%

Other
Catch up with required Major classes that did not transfer from Community College
To take classes not normally offered.
to add an endorsement
To get General Educations out of the way so during the semester I can take major/minor courses
Scholarship
keep up with my credits
Acct 547 is only offered during the summer
If I was very interested in the material.
to take interesting classes outside of my major
Less Expensive
I teach during the school year
graduate classes
I take courses year around.
taking one class at a time
to graduate faster
have a fulltime job
to complete math courses
To complete graduation requirements as soon as possible
complete job requirements
to access as many courses as possible
I'm a teacher and would like to be able to take courses I can use during the summer
try to help better my gpa
shortened class length
GA paying for them
course not offered during school year
some courses in my program are only offered in the summer
to get endorsements towards my certification
To continue my education while I'm not working a full time job
personal improvement
Graduate on time
A class that I need is offered
later class times due to less competition for later class times
Conflicting class schedules in the fall
Interest
graduate

build resume-EMS, First aid...

To learn

To continue school throughout the year; there is nothing I can take either online or on campus currently so I have to take the summers off; prefer to keep on going! Not enough selections are offered....

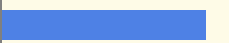

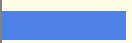



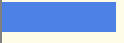

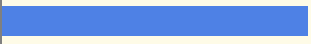

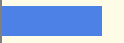

declare my major

To take mini-courses at the WIU-QC campus - wish they were offered during the semesters, too

To finish core courses in order to study abroad in the fall

less conflict with work schedule

## 9. What are the barriers to your taking summer school classes at Western? (check all that apply)

#	Answer		Response	%
1	I have to work a job during the summer		245	43%
2	I cannot afford the cost		110	19%
3	I am not planning to be in the Macomb and/or Quad Cities area		150	26%
4	The class times are difficult for my schedule		133	23%
5	The class dates are difficult for my schedule		78	14%
6	The courses I want are not offered online		274	48%
7	The courses I want are not offered face-to-face		137	24%
8	I have technology issues		10	2%
9	The courses I need are not offered		367	64%
10	Course testing requirements for online courses are too restrictive		28	5%
11	Financing and/or Financial Aid barriers		120	21%
12	Other		33	6%

Other
courses I need overlap meeting dates
have to work part time cost of travel
I travel from Chicago to Macomb/Quad Cities for each class, so travel is a serious issue for me.
I have not had very good luck with accerated courses in the past.
I will be graduating in May.
Driving to the Quad Cities for classes that should be also offered in Macomb
the 6 hours credit requirement in order to be able to get a loan in the summer is not fair. it should be reduced to 3 hours credit.thanks
Online courses I need are restricted to General Studies majors.
There are very few courses offered in the summer
Takes time
i am planning on some courses, its just nothing offered during second 4 weeks that apply to my major
NA
None
No PSY classes that meetgrad requirement in QC or ON line
AAS315, AAS325, POLS 380
Summer weekends are busy and I would rather they be week days.
the classes I need are offered at the same time, same days!!
courses only for certain major
I have to wait to see if students who have first choice of Stats fill the class first, then I would be considered.
SELECTION AVAILABLE
On-line student from Chicago area
instructor
nothing is available
Not enough selections are offered
Live out of state
Other Research is Planned
Lazy
NO CLASSES OFFER BY CS DEPARTMENT
live an hour away

**10. Have you ever taken a summer school class at Western before? (check all that apply)**

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Yes - a face-to-face course		140	24%
2	Yes - an online course		149	26%
3	No		336	59%

**11. Would you take more online summer school classes at Western?**

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Yes		138	93%
2	No		10	7%
	Total		148	100%

**12. Would you take more face-to-face summer school classes at Western?**

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Yes		114	82%
2	No		25	18%
	Total		139	100%

### 13. Why would you not take more online summer school classes at WIU?

#### Text Response

They tend to be too excellerated during the summer time and often make unreasonable requests, such as working in groups.

They are too expensive compared to other community colleges for the same Gen Ed classes.

The online course I took was too difficult and I needed a professor in a classroom environment to fully comprehend the material. Plus, I don't have internet access at my home for the time being.

I'm graduating in the fall and My internship is all I have left to complete.

Don't like the online set up and the instructors are in the classes I have taken have not been good.

Too much work to do in a short period of time; it is easer when the professor is right their with me going over the material!

Because the professor do not work with me and making accommodation.

I have met my graduation requirements

too easy to fall behind or forget due dates



## 14. Why would you not take more face-to-face summer school classes at WIU?

### Text Response

I prefer the face to face but I have a job that I can't be gone long. Most face to face classes are too late in the day.

Because If I want to work this summer I wouldnt be able to with face to face classes.

I live in Ohio, so On-line work great for me.

I graduate in May

The weather and the fact that no one is really here over the summer makes it difficult to get up and physically go to class. The times are odd as well

I teach during the school year, and I enjoy having the flexibility of the online classes during summer break. Also, I have to drive up to 90 minutes to take classes at the campus.

I work full-time so during the summer I like to know I can go to work without interruptions in my day for 3 months. Online is very convenient for work schedule where face-to-face is not

I prefer the online courses because I have a fulltime job on campus and it is difficult to take the time away from my job.

The hours for online courses are more flexible.

I work full-time and it is not convenient to take face-to-face courses.

Not now

I am glad this question asked for an explanation. I will take more face-to-face summer classes because I HAVE to. Some of my required courses are only offered during the summer and they are only face-to-face, however, I go on vacation in the summer, I work 50+ hours per week, I have a family, I do not have the time to leave and go to school all night or all day long. Online gives me the convenience to stay home and complete my schoolwork as it fits my schedule or as I have time here an there during work on vacation.

I'm in southern IL.

I like to do my work on my time. After working eight hours a day it is hard to go to class after work.

Because of the distance.

Does fit in my summer schedule

The time and dates do not work out with a normal work schedule. They are almost all offered during the day, and not at night.

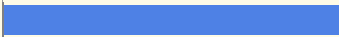

I would rather take online or a hybrid course so I wouldn't have to leave Macomb at 2:30 during my work day. Presently, the class I need is going to be offered 4 pm - 8 pm. If it were offered 5 pm - 9 pm, that would save me at least an hour. If it were online, I wouldn't have to miss any work and that would make my life and checkbook a lot better off. Even if it were a type of online class with occasional face-to-face, that would help tremendously.

Wouldn't want to go to class every day.



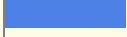



I do not mind taking face to face classes, I just do not want more of them

I won't be living in Macomb, and I will be working back home.












**15. If they were available, would you take classes at Western between fall and spring semester, i.e., in January?**

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Yes		408	71%
2	No		170	29%
	Total		578	100%



**16. If you could take as many courses as you wanted in the summer, how many credit hours would you take?**

#	Answer		Response	%
1	1 - 3 credit hours		85	14%
2	4 - 6 credit hours		247	42%
3	7 - 9 credit hours		151	26%
4	10 - 12 credit hours		66	11%
5	13 - 15 credit hours		30	5%
6	16 - 18 credit hours		11	2%
	Total		590	100%




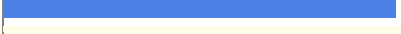


## 17. What is your age?

#	Answer		Response	%
1	under 18		1	0%
2	18		16	3%
3	19		40	7%
4	20		55	9%
5	21		57	10%
6	22		43	7%
7	23		57	10%
8	24 - 29		123	21%
9	30 - 34		49	8%
10	35 - 39		34	6%
11	40 - 49		69	12%
12	50 or older		44	7%
	Total		588	100%

## 18. What is your gender?





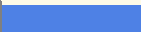

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Male		207	35%
2	Female		380	65%
	Total		587	100%

## 19. What is your ethnicity?



#	Answer		Response	%
1	African / African American		58	10%
2	American Indian / Alaskan Native		2	0%
3	Asian or Pacific Islander		14	2%
4	Caucasian / European		477	82%
5	Hispanic		26	4%
6	Other		19	3%

Other
Middle East
Middle Eastern
middle east
Middle Eastern
white American
Arabian
north african
Arabian
persian

## 20. What is your year in school?

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Freshman		41	7%
2	Sophomore		56	9%
3	Junior		163	28%
4	Senior		144	24%
5	Graduate Student		178	30%
6	Non-Degree Seeking / Other		8	1%
	Total		590	100%

## 21. Are you a transfer student?

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Yes		247	42%
2	No		341	58%
	Total		588	100%

## 22. Are you an international student?

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Yes		25	4%
2	No		560	96%
	Total		585	100%

## 23. Please indicate which of the following types of financial aid you have. (check all that apply)

#	Answer		Response	%
1	I do not have financial aid		150	26%
2	I have scholarships		96	17%
3	I have a Pell Grant		182	32%
4	I have Work Study earnings		28	5%
5	I have Guaranteed Student Loans		234	41%
6	Other		102	18%


Other
IVG
grad assistantship
graduate assistant
employee
employer is paying for classes
Graduate Assistantship
Student loans
Graduate Assistantship
FASFA
Assistantship that will end this May
I have financial aid, but, can't use it since I'm not taking enough classes to qualify for usage of financial aid funds.
Graduate Assistanship Postion
Resident Assistant Waivers Housing Costs
Graduate assitantship
graduate assistantship
FEDERAL SUBSIDIZED LOAN,FEDERAL UNSUBSIDIZED LOAN
Chapt. 30 GI Bill
financial aid
IVG
Graduate Assistantship
fafsa
VA Benefits
SMART grant
civil service tution waiver
IVG
Graduate Assistantship
Veteran
Tuition wavers
Employer
WIU employee
Graduate Assistantship
parent plus loans
other student loans
finanical aid

Teacher Tuition Waiver
Tuition waiver through work
Illinois Veterans grant
Talent Grant
employee of WIU
WIA
Tuition
Graduate Assistant
GI Bill
tuition reimbursement from employer (Deere)
TGAAA
WIU emp[oyee
IL Veteran Grant
work tuition waivers
IVG
Assistantship
CS waiver
Assistantship
Student Teacher Credits
GA
Pay for it myself
GI Bill
graduate assistantship
student loans
assitantship
assistantship
VA
parent plus loans
graduate assistantship
Graduate Assistantship
Federal Loans
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IVG
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assistantship

GI Bill
Vouchers from having a student teacher
Grad Assitantship
life savings
IL Teacher Tuition grant
IVG and GI Bill
\$300.00 Mary Olive Woods
DCFS
GI Bill
Private loans
GI Bill & IVG
student loan
GA
Federal Loans
mapp
I have financial aid
Illinois Veterans Grant, Montgomery G.I. Bill
GRADE ASSISTANT
grad assistant
assistantship
Research Assistantship
Military
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gi bill



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
#	Answer		Response	%
1	Accountancy		25	6%
2	African American Studies		1	0%
3	Agriculture		9	2%
4	Anthropology		3	1%
5	Art		4	1%
6	Athletic Training		1	0%
7	Bilingual / Bicultural Education		1	0%
8	Biology		16	4%
9	Broadcasting		4	1%
10	Chemistry		3	1%
11	Clinical Laboratory Sciences		0	0%
12	Communication		3	1%
13	Communication Sciences & Disorders		5	1%
14	Computer Science		9	2%
15	Construction Management		7	2%
16	Economics		3	1%
17	Elementary Education		23	6%
18	Emergency Management		2	0%
19	Engineering		2	0%
20	English		5	1%
21	Exercise Science		2	0%
22	Family & Consumer Sciences		10	2%
23	Finance		5	1%
24	Forensic Chemistry		5	1%
25	French		0	0%
26	General Studies		46	11%
27	Geography		1	0%
28	Geology		1	0%
29	Graphic Communication		7	2%
30	Health Sciences		1	0%
31	Health Services Management		1	0%

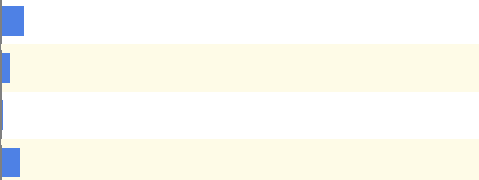
32	History		0	0%
33	Human Resource Management		1	0%
34	Information Technology		1	0%
35	Instructional Design & Technology		5	1%
36	Interdisciplinary Studies		1	0%
37	Journalism		1	0%
38	Law Enforcement & Justice Administration		37	9%
39	Liberal Arts & Sciences		11	3%
40	Management		20	5%
41	Manufacturing Engineering Technology		3	1%
42	Marketing		5	1%
43	Mathematics		1	0%
44	Meteorology		3	1%
45	Music		9	2%
46	Musical Theatre		1	0%
47	Network Technology		1	0%
48	Nursing		6	1%
49	Philosophy		1	0%
50	Physical Education		4	1%
51	Physics		1	0%
52	Political Science		4	1%
53	Psychology		10	2%
54	Recreation, Park & Tourism Administration		15	4%
55	Religious Studies		1	0%
56	Social Work		7	2%
57	Sociology		5	1%
58	Spanish		2	0%
59	Special Education		9	2%
60	Supply Chain Management		6	1%
61	Theatre		1	0%
62	Women's Studies		0	0%
63	Undeclared		5	1%
64	Other		21	5%

	Total		403	100%
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Other
Early Childhood Education
Art in General Studies
Minor: Management
general studies
Biology Education
Engineering Physics
MBA
Double in Math and Accounting
BOT
General Studies
BOT Bachelor/Fire Admin, Investigation
Foresnic PSY
Early childhood education
Bachelor of Arts in General Studies/Degrees at a Distance Program for Firefighters
Art Education
Poli Sci and French
BGS degree
Board of Trustees
General Business and IS minors
BGS

## 25. What is your graduate program?

#	Answer		Response	%
1	Accountancy		4	2%
2	Biology		9	5%
3	Business Administration		21	12%
4	Chemistry		1	1%
5	College Student Personnel		1	1%
6	Communication		4	2%
7	Communication Sciences & Disorders		0	0%
8	Computer Science		7	4%
9	Counseling		11	6%
10	Economics		5	3%
11	Educational & Interdisciplinary Studies		12	7%
12	Educational Leadership		7	4%
13	Elementary Education		6	3%
14	English		4	2%
15	Geography		1	1%
16	Health Education		6	3%
17	History		4	2%
18	Instructional Design & Technology		12	7%
19	Kinesiology		3	2%
20	Law Enforcement & Justice Administration		6	3%
21	Manufacturing Engineering Systems		2	1%
22	Mathematics		1	1%
23	Music		1	1%
24	Physics		3	2%
25	Political Science		3	2%
26	Psychology		2	1%
27	Reading		11	6%
28	Recreation, Park & Tourism Administration		9	5%
29	Sociology		3	2%

30	Special Education		8	5%
31	Sport Management		3	2%
32	Theatre		0	0%
33	Other		7	4%
	Total		177	100%

Other
health sciences
Liberal Arts and Sciences
Liberal Arts and Science
Post Bach Certificate in Health Administration
Liberal arts and science
LAS