



COLLEGE FACULTY SERVICE LEARNING SURVEY

This survey is designed to measure general attitudes and perceptions of faculty who use service learning. This information will be used to improve and enhance the college's service learning program.

Course Number: _____ Today's Date: _____

Please respond as honestly as possible, relying on your current beliefs or attitudes toward the particular issues raised. Indicate your level of agreement with each statement by circling the appropriate choice.

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
1. Service learning enhanced my ability to communicate the core competencies of the subject matter I teach.	4	3	2	1
2. The service helped my students see the relevance of the course subject matter.	4	3	2	1
3. The service aspect of this course helped my students see how the subject matter they learned can be applied to everyday life.	4	3	2	1
4. The service my students completed was beneficial to the college.	4	3	2	1
5. The service my students completed was beneficial to the community.	4	3	2	1
6. The service my students completed interfered with their other academic responsibilities.	4	3	2	1
7. Using service learning required more of my time as a teacher.	4	3	2	1
8. Using service learning was worth the effort.	4	3	2	1
9. I will use service learning as a teaching strategy with future courses.	4	3	2	1
10. Service learning helps fulfill this college's mission.	4	3	2	1
11. There should be more courses offering service learning at this college.	4	3	2	1
12. I am satisfied with the assistance I received with the mechanics of service learning (identifying placement sites, follow-up with students, etc.).	4	3	2	1

13. What were your top reasons for deciding to teach a course using service learning as a teaching method? (Please rank the top three reasons [1] highest [2] second highest [3] third highest.)

- a. desire to try something new
- b. desire for increased relevance in course
- c. encouragement from colleagues
- d. faculty incentive money
- e. professional recognition

- f. meet tenure/promotion guidelines
- g. prior experience serving the community
- h. encourage civic responsibility
- i. enhance student learning
- j. other: _____

14. Teaching a course that incorporates service learning has affected the following (please check all that apply):

- a. other courses I teach
- b. my own personal service in the community
- c. my research agenda
- d. my plan for publications or presentations (scholarly work)

- e. my relationship with other faculty
- f. my relationship with administrators
- g. my relationship with students
- h. my relationship with community partners
- i. other: _____

Comments: _____

