

2018 Alumni Survey

College Comparisons of Overall Satisfaction

Overall Satisfaction

Overall evaluation of undergraduate education at NC State

	NC State	College/School									
		11-CALS	12-DN	13-CED	14-COE	15-CNR	16-HSS	17-COS	18-TEX	20-PCOM	24-DASA
Mean Rating	3.48	3.51	3.43	3.65	3.52	3.47	3.40	3.45	3.59	3.50	3.29
4: Very strong	54.7%	53.8%	48.1%	69.1%	56.8%	57.2%	49.3%	51.0%	64.3%	58.8%	28.6%
3: Strong	39.6%	43.5%	46.3%	28.4%	39.0%	33.3%	43.0%	43.3%	31.6%	34.2%	71.4%
2: Weak	4.7%	2.4%	5.6%	1.2%	3.1%	8.2%	6.3%	5.3%	3.1%	5.4%	.
1: Very weak	1.0%	0.3%	.	1.2%	1.0%	1.3%	1.5%	0.4%	1.0%	1.6%	.
Total (N)	2,296	292	54	81	482	159	540	263	98	313	14

Extent to which NC State education prepared me to be competitive with grads from other institutions

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		11-CALS	12-DN	13-CED	14-COE	15-CNR	16-HSS	17-COS	18-TEX	20-PCOM	24-DASA
Mean Rating	3.45	3.52	3.44	3.60	3.58	3.45	3.26	3.44	3.51	3.51	3.29
4: A great deal	57.3%	59.6%	50.0%	70.4%	64.0%	62.4%	44.4%	57.4%	61.2%	62.3%	35.7%
3: Some	33.1%	34.6%	44.4%	22.2%	30.4%	24.2%	40.6%	31.6%	31.6%	28.8%	57.1%
2: A little	7.2%	3.8%	5.6%	4.9%	4.8%	8.9%	11.1%	9.1%	4.1%	7.0%	7.1%
1: Not at all	2.4%	2.1%	.	2.5%	0.8%	4.5%	3.9%	1.9%	3.1%	1.9%	.
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Would recommend NC State to a friend

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		11-CALS	12-DN	13-CED	14-COE	15-CNR	16-HSS	17-COS	18-TEX	20-PCOM	24-DASA
Yes	93.9%	96.6%	88.9%	95.1%	94.8%	90.6%	92.2%	94.7%	97.0%	93.6%	92.9%
No	1.2%	0.7%	1.9%	1.2%	1.2%	1.9%	1.5%	0.8%	.	1.3%	.
Not sure	4.9%	2.7%	9.3%	3.7%	3.9%	7.5%	6.3%	4.6%	3.0%	5.1%	7.1%
Total (N)	2,295	292	54	81	482	159	539	263	99	312	14

If starting again, would still choose to attend NC State

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		11-CALS	12-DN	13-CED	14-COE	15-CNR	16-HSS	17-COS	18-TEX	20-PCOM	24-DASA
Strongly Agree	67.0%	68.5%	61.1%	78.8%	67.6%	73.4%	62.7%	68.3%	71.7%	64.3%	71.4%
Agree	23.1%	21.6%	27.8%	17.5%	24.7%	18.4%	23.9%	22.5%	17.2%	26.4%	14.3%
Disagree	3.3%	2.4%	5.6%	1.3%	2.5%	1.9%	3.5%	3.4%	4.0%	5.1%	7.1%
Strongly Disagree	1.1%	1.0%	.	.	0.6%	1.9%	1.5%	1.9%	.	1.3%	.
Not Sure	5.5%	6.5%	5.6%	2.5%	4.6%	4.4%	8.3%	3.8%	7.1%	2.9%	7.1%
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If starting again, would still choose same major field of study

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		11-CALS	12-DN	13-CED	14-COE	15-CNR	16-HSS	17-COS	18-TEX	20-PCOM	24-DASA
Strongly Agree	43.0%	40.8%	55.6%	37.5%	56.4%	34.2%	31.4%	44.3%	43.4%	47.3%	35.7%
Agree	24.6%	22.6%	20.4%	23.8%	24.7%	28.5%	24.7%	22.1%	22.2%	27.7%	35.7%
Disagree	15.9%	21.2%	9.3%	15.0%	9.3%	15.2%	20.2%	20.2%	14.1%	12.2%	21.4%
Strongly Disagree	7.6%	7.9%	1.9%	12.5%	2.5%	12.7%	11.7%	6.1%	11.1%	5.5%	.
Not Sure	8.9%	7.5%	13.0%	11.3%	7.1%	9.5%	12.1%	7.3%	9.1%	7.4%	7.1%
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Proud to have graduated from NC State

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		11-CALS	12-DN	13-CED	14-COE	15-CNR	16-HSS	17-COS	18-TEX	20-PCOM	24-DASA
Strongly Agree	79.6%	83.6%	70.4%	86.3%	78.6%	84.8%	77.0%	77.5%	83.8%	79.4%	85.7%
Agree	17.0%	14.4%	24.1%	11.3%	18.3%	10.8%	19.3%	18.7%	15.2%	16.1%	14.3%
Disagree	1.1%	0.3%	1.9%	.	0.8%	0.6%	0.7%	1.9%	.	2.9%	.
Strongly Disagree	0.7%	0.7%	.	.	0.8%	.	1.3%	0.8%	.	0.3%	.
Not Sure	1.6%	1.0%	3.7%	2.5%	1.5%	3.8%	1.7%	1.1%	1.0%	1.3%	.
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Connection to NC State

Importance of feeling connection to NC State

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		11-CALS	12-DN	13-CED	14-COE	15-CNR	16-HSS	17-COS	18-TEX	20-PCOM	24-DASA
5: Very important	34.1%	33.8%	22.2%	50.6%	24.8%	49.0%	34.6%	32.1%	35.0%	39.1%	42.9%
4: Moderately important	29.2%	32.4%	27.8%	21.0%	28.7%	22.3%	29.9%	26.3%	41.0%	30.3%	21.4%
3: Somewhat important	21.5%	22.5%	33.3%	17.3%	24.8%	17.8%	20.0%	23.3%	15.0%	19.6%	21.4%
2: Not very important	11.0%	8.9%	14.8%	7.4%	16.0%	9.6%	9.7%	13.0%	7.0%	8.5%	7.1%
1: Not at all important	4.2%	2.4%	1.9%	3.7%	5.5%	1.3%	5.8%	5.3%	2.0%	2.5%	7.1%
Total (N)	2,314	293	54	81	487	157	549	262	100	317	14

Connection to NC State since graduating

	NC State	College/School									
		11-CALS	12-DN	13-CED	14-COE	15-CNR	16-HSS	17-COS	18-TEX	20-PCOM	24-DASA
5: Very connected	13.7%	17.1%	7.4%	17.3%	9.0%	16.6%	15.1%	12.2%	14.0%	15.5%	14.3%
4: Moderately connected	28.4%	27.0%	27.8%	29.6%	28.1%	31.2%	28.6%	25.2%	32.0%	30.3%	14.3%
3: Somewhat connected	29.9%	30.0%	35.2%	30.9%	33.1%	29.3%	27.0%	28.2%	30.0%	29.7%	42.9%
2: Not very connected	21.4%	21.8%	20.4%	18.5%	22.8%	20.4%	20.2%	25.2%	18.0%	20.5%	21.4%
1: Not at all connected	6.6%	4.1%	9.3%	3.7%	7.0%	2.5%	9.1%	9.2%	6.0%	4.1%	7.1%
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Which do you feel most connected to in current relationship with NC State

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		11-CALS	12-DN	13-CED	14-COE	15-CNR	16-HSS	17-COS	18-TEX	20-PCOM	24-DASA
NC State as a whole	29.6%	25.2%	11.1%	27.8%	24.2%	23.6%	38.2%	29.8%	30.0%	33.2%	42.9%
Your college	7.1%	5.2%	13.0%	6.3%	7.4%	10.2%	3.9%	5.0%	17.0%	10.8%	.
Your academic department/degree program	12.3%	17.9%	20.4%	10.1%	17.1%	15.9%	8.3%	11.5%	9.0%	5.4%	14.3%
An NC State faculty member, advisor, or staff person	5.6%	3.8%	11.1%	7.6%	4.8%	4.5%	7.2%	6.9%	1.0%	5.4%	14.3%
Your fraternity/sorority	5.0%	7.9%	1.9%	10.1%	3.1%	5.1%	5.3%	2.7%	4.0%	6.6%	.
An NC State athletics team	13.7%	12.8%	14.8%	12.7%	12.0%	23.6%	13.2%	9.5%	10.0%	18.4%	.
An NC State club or organization	3.4%	4.1%	3.7%	.	3.7%	4.5%	3.3%	3.4%	3.0%	2.5%	7.1%
Your graduating class	1.9%	1.7%	3.7%	2.5%	2.9%	2.5%	0.9%	1.5%	3.0%	1.6%	.
Individual alumnus/a	17.5%	18.6%	18.5%	17.7%	21.7%	6.4%	13.9%	25.2%	20.0%	14.2%	21.4%
Other (please specify)	3.8%	2.8%	1.9%	5.1%	3.1%	3.8%	5.9%	4.6%	3.0%	1.9%	.
Total (N)	2,301	290	54	79	484	157	545	262	100	316	14

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NC State activities done since graduating

	College/School										
	NC State	11-CALS	12-DN	13-CED	14-COE	15-CNR	16-HSS	17-COS	18-TEX	20-PCOM	24-DASA
Done since graduating: Attended athletic event	64.0%	68.4%	57.4%	73.2%	57.3%	66.0%	61.4%	56.4%	73.0%	76.5%	50.0%
Done since graduating: Attended university event (e.g., arts performance, lectures, Alumni Association events)	28.2%	26.2%	31.5%	39.0%	25.9%	24.1%	29.2%	22.9%	31.0%	33.9%	28.6%
Done since graduating: Joined Alumni Association	27.2%	24.1%	16.7%	35.4%	26.7%	25.3%	27.3%	22.6%	31.0%	34.5%	21.4%
Done since graduating: Philanthropic gift	21.3%	17.7%	22.2%	30.5%	23.1%	25.9%	18.8%	18.0%	15.0%	26.3%	14.3%
Done since graduating: Served as a volunteer on NC State committee or board	2.4%	2.4%	1.9%	3.7%	1.4%	3.1%	2.7%	2.6%	3.0%	2.8%	0.0%
Done since graduating: Registered for NC State non-credit course	9.3%	17.7%	1.9%	15.9%	11.7%	4.9%	8.8%	7.1%	5.0%	3.4%	14.3%
Done since graduating: Used an NC State facility	36.3%	38.8%	40.7%	40.2%	38.1%	34.0%	36.6%	37.2%	27.0%	32.6%	28.6%
Total (N)	2,339	294	54	82	494	162	554	266	100	319	14

Note: Respondents could report multiple activities

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Sources relied on to get information about NC State

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	NC State	11-CALS	12-DN	13-CED	14-COE	15-CNR	16-HSS	17-COS	18-TEX	20-PCOM	24-DASA
Where get info about NC State: University website	52.1%	52.7%	37.0%	54.9%	48.8%	49.4%	56.1%	53.0%	58.0%	50.5%	50.0%
Where get info about NC State: College or Department website	30.0%	33.0%	35.2%	26.8%	34.6%	31.5%	25.5%	25.6%	43.0%	27.0%	28.6%
Where get info about NC State: Websites for non-academic units	9.8%	11.6%	7.4%	11.0%	13.2%	6.8%	9.0%	9.0%	11.0%	6.3%	7.1%
Where get info about NC State: Alumni Association website	13.2%	12.9%	0.0%	15.9%	7.9%	11.1%	14.8%	14.3%	14.0%	21.0%	0.0%
Where get info about NC State: GoPack.com	29.7%	32.3%	14.8%	34.1%	27.1%	37.0%	28.5%	23.7%	32.0%	36.1%	14.3%
Where get info about NC State: The Alumni Association magazine, 'NC State'	14.4%	15.6%	7.4%	15.9%	15.6%	14.2%	12.3%	18.0%	13.0%	13.5%	7.1%
Where get info about NC State: Magazines from NC State college	9.0%	10.9%	20.4%	7.3%	15.2%	5.6%	4.5%	10.2%	7.0%	6.0%	0.0%
Where get info about NC State: Social Media	59.1%	63.3%	64.8%	63.4%	48.8%	58.6%	61.9%	55.6%	66.0%	64.6%	78.6%
Where get info about NC State: Email	57.8%	61.9%	57.4%	64.6%	49.4%	56.8%	57.2%	58.6%	64.0%	63.9%	57.1%
Where get info about NC State: Mailings	27.1%	29.6%	18.5%	34.1%	22.7%	24.7%	27.8%	27.4%	27.0%	31.7%	21.4%
Where get info about NC State: Other	2.8%	2.4%	5.6%	0.0%	3.4%	1.9%	3.6%	2.6%	2.0%	2.2%	0.0%
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Member of Alumni Association

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		11-CALS	12-DN	13-CED	14-COE	15-CNR	16-HSS	17-COS	18-TEX	20-PCOM	24-DASA
Yes - I am a current member	18.4%	17.5%	11.1%	23.5%	16.0%	19.1%	17.9%	17.1%	19.0%	24.6%	14.3%
No - I have been a member in the past but am not currently a member	25.9%	26.4%	22.2%	32.1%	22.8%	26.8%	26.7%	23.2%	25.0%	29.0%	50.0%
No - I have never been a member of the Alumni Association	43.6%	44.9%	48.1%	39.5%	47.8%	45.2%	44.5%	47.5%	44.0%	31.5%	21.4%
Don't know	12.0%	11.3%	18.5%	4.9%	13.3%	8.9%	10.8%	12.2%	12.0%	14.8%	14.3%
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