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Student Survey on Evening Services & Course Offerings

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PURPOSE

The purpose of this survey was to gather student feedback regarding factors that either encourage or discourage students from enrolling in evening courses.

METHOD




In order to collect this information, student researchers decided to develop a survey in consultation with the Research & Institutional Effectiveness Office. Once the survey was developed it was determined that the best way to capture both evening and non-evening student feedback would be to post a link to the survey on the student portal.

Given that evening students are least likely to participate in campus surveys the message below was sent to 477 evening faculty.

Student Course Survey
<p>Dear Mt. SAC Faculty Member,</p> <p>You are receiving this message because you are currently teaching one or more evening classes and Mt. SAC needs your help in obtaining valuable student input. We want to know what classes/services need to be added in order to help evening students be successful. Decisions will be made based on student feedback. Please ask your evening students to take the survey in order to help the college learn what their needs/wants are as they relate to their academic success at Mt. SAC. Students can either use the URL below or click on the link in their student portal.</p> <p>http://www.mtsac.edu/student-survey</p> <p>The purpose of this survey is to gather student feedback regarding factors that either encourage or discourage students from enrolling in EVENING courses. This survey is confidential. The estimated amount of time to complete this survey is 5 minutes.</p>

The survey contained skip-logic that would skip to the appropriate question based on each student's response. The survey went live on Monday, Oct. 26, 2015 and was deactivated on Monday, Dec. 14, 2015. During that time 1,362 student responses were collected.

1. Please indicate the gender that you identify with.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Male		389	34%
2	Female		741	64%
3	Other		19	2%
	Total		1,149	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	3
Mean	1.68
Variance	0.25
Standard Deviation	0.50
Total Responses	1,149

2. What is your age?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%	▲
2	20-24	<div></div>	375	33%	
1	19 or less	<div></div>	218	19%	
3	25-29	<div></div>	204	18%	
6	40-49	<div></div>	114	10%	
4	30-34	<div></div>	100	9%	
7	50+	<div></div>	62	5%	
5	35-39	<div></div>	58	5%	
	Total		1,131		

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	7
Mean	3.00
Variance	3.18
Standard Deviation	1.78
Total Responses	1,131

3. Please indicate your ethnicity.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Hispanic/Latino	<div></div>	609	53%
2	Asian	<div></div>	209	18%
3	Caucasian/Non-Hispanic	<div></div>	185	16%
4	Decline to State	<div></div>	26	2%
5	African American	<div></div>	73	6%
6	Filipino	<div></div>	60	5%
7	Multi-ethnic	<div></div>	40	3%
8	Pacific Islander	<div></div>	9	1%
9	American Indian/Native Alaskan	<div></div>	16	1%
10	Other	<div></div>	52	5%

Other
chicana
Vietnamese and Chinese
Mexican
white
White
Chicano
Italian
NA
Armenian
Indian
Middle-Eastern
Mixed
human
Basque
Human Being
mex/irish
Chicano
AFRICAN
Caucasian/Arabic

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	10
Total Responses	1,148

4. How many hours per week do you work?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%	▲
6	I do not work	<div></div>	324	29%	
4	31-40 hours per week	<div></div>	218	19%	
3	21-30 hours per week	<div></div>	191	17%	
2	10-20 hours per week	<div></div>	180	16%	
5	More than 40 hours a week	<div></div>	125	11%	
1	1-10 hours per week	<div></div>	90	8%	
	Total		1,128		

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	6
Mean	3.96
Variance	2.79
Standard Deviation	1.67
Total Responses	1,128

5. What days of the week do you normally work? Check all that apply.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
7	Sundays	<div></div>	300	38%
6	Saturdays	<div></div>	400	51%
3	Wednesdays	<div></div>	552	70%
2	Tuesdays	<div></div>	564	71%
1	Mondays	<div></div>	566	71%
4	Thursdays	<div></div>	583	74%
5	Fridays	<div></div>	637	80%

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	7
Total Responses	792

6. During what time range do you normally work?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Day (7 a.m. - 5 p.m.)		461	58%
2	Evening (5 p.m. - 11 p.m.)		177	22%
3	Graveyard (11 p.m. - 7 a.m.)		31	4%
4	Other		129	16%
	Total		798	

Other
12 p.m. - 5 p.m.
6:30am - 3pm
varies
5 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.
No set schedule
5am-11pm
3:30-8:00
11 am - 8 pm
6PM-2AM
2PM-10PM
24 hour shifts
4:30 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.
1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Days + Evenings
11-7
2:15 pm-7:15 pm
3pm-10pm
2 p.m - 9:30 p.m
6:30 p.m. - 5:00 am
5 am - 2 pm
11am-7pm
Depends on the day
7-1pm
5pm -1 am
My hours vary according to day
12HR SHIFT
3p.m. - 7p.m.
varies
ALL
7pm-2am
I teach classes in the morning and in the evening.
5-2 am
6 AM - 6 PM
7:45 p.m. - 12:30 a.m.
5 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
7PM-2AM
9 a.m - 2 pm
Closing Shift 6pm - 2am
Day AND evening
each week is different
(4 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.)
8:30 a.m. -5.30 p.m.
2-10pm
8-6
7 a.m. - 6 p.m.

4 a.m. - 1:30p.m.
5am to 4pm
9 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Dont work
530am to 3pm
8AM - 11PM
No Work
12-8 pm
Day (5 a.m. - 2 p.m.)
10-7
7 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Both day and night
4p.m - 12:30 a.m
630am-10pm
random
1 to 7 pm
Morning, evening, and graveyard
Retail, Varies
All hours. I'm a ridesharing driver.
8:00am -5:00pm
10 AM to 1 AM (2 Jobs)
5am- 11am
5 a.m. -5 p.m.
5am-2pm or 3pm-1030pm
11 a.m. -7 p.m.
mornings and evenings
4 am to 12 pm or 2pm to 10pm
8am-7pm
hours vary
It varies 3 days out of the week is part time two full days
every day varies in time
9AM -6PM
Day 8am- 10pm
4am-5pm
Day and Evening
3 p.m. - 12:00 a.m.
9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
7am-9pm
Afternoon 12:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
2:50 am-9am
Different times
All of the above
9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Anywhere from 6am-Midnight
6 a.m.- 3 p.m.
it changes every day
ranges from 9 am-9pm
All
9a*6p
2 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Varies 2-7, 9-5
8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
4pm-9pm
it varies
6 a.m.-3 p.m.

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Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	4
Mean	1.78
Variance	1.22
Standard Deviation	1.10
Total Responses	798

7. Are you currently or have you previously been enrolled in an evening course?
 NOTE: An evening course is any course offered Monday-Friday where the meeting time is 4 p.m. or later.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Yes	<div></div>	881	78%
2	No	<div></div>	248	22%
	Total		1,129	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	2
Mean	1.22
Variance	0.17
Standard Deviation	0.41
Total Responses	1,129

8. If no, would you ever consider enrolling in an evening course?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Yes	<div><div></div></div>	163	66%
2	No	<div><div></div></div>	84	34%
	Total		247	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	2
Mean	1.34
Variance	0.23
Standard Deviation	0.47
Total Responses	247

9. If you have never enrolled in evening classes, please tell us why. Check all that apply.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	% ▲
5	I can focus better during the daytime hours		62	28%
1	Does not work with my schedule		49	22%
4	More services are available during the daytime hours		46	21%
6	Other		30	14%
3	I work in the evening		22	10%
2	I have childcare needs		13	6%
	Total		222	

Other
I don't want to take an evening class
transportation issues
Transportation issues/ I take public transportation
My work and family. Ill have more options
fell asleep in class
Track and Field
i have to go home
AC
not attending mt. sac yet
This question does not allow you to "check all that apply": evenings does not work with my schedule right now; I word during the evenings and every other wknd 07-1900 (12 hours)
new student
classes I need are usually grouped in the morning
I'll be my first time in college
Only time offered
never tried it
I wont be starting school till winter
Exhausted
practice and games

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	6
Mean	3.67
Variance	3.05
Standard Deviation	1.75
Total Responses	222

10. If yes, How late should services stay open for EVENING students?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
7	9:00 p.m.	<div></div>	494	47%
8	Other	<div></div>	189	18%
5	8:00 p.m.	<div></div>	160	15%
3	7:00 p.m.	<div></div>	78	7%
6	8:30 p.m.	<div></div>	62	6%
4	7:30 p.m.	<div></div>	36	3%
1	6:00 p.m.	<div></div>	19	2%
2	6:30 p.m.	<div></div>	13	1%
	Total		1,051	

Other
10pm
10:30pm
10:00 p.m.
10:00 p.m
11:00pm
10:00pm
11pm
10pm
11PM
11:00pm
10:30 p.m.
10:00 p.m.
10:00pm
10:00PM
10:00 p.m.
10PM
Midnight
10:00 p.m
11:00pm
10pm
11:00 p.m.
12:00 AM
10:10
i don't take evening class
12am
24 hrs
10pm - 11pm
11:00
10:00 p.m.
11pm
10:00 p.m.
10pm
10pm
10:00 p.m.
AT LEAST AN HOUR AFTER THE END OF THE LAST CLASS OFFERED AT THE COLLEGE
Until the final classes of the day end.
Until midnight
12am
10:30pm
9:30 p.m.
10

10 pm. Some students carpool and must wait elsewhere for their rideshares to be done with 10 pm class. It would be nice to have a place thats cozy or with AC until the very last class is over (10:10 pm).

10:00 p.m.

10:30

Midnight

11:00 PM

930

11:00 pm

11:00 p.m.

10:00 p.m.

12:00 AM

10 pm & 12am for finals week

10:00 p.m.

10:00pm

10:00 pm

3:45-5:45

11:00 p.m

10pm

10:30

10 p.m.

10

midnight

11pm

AC

10 p.m.

10:30 11:00

11pm

until classes end

10:30pm I guess

10:00p.m

10:00pm

10

10

10 pm

10:00 p.m.

10:00

2am

9:30

Midnight

9:30

past 9:00 p.m.

10

10:00 p.m.

10:00 p.m.

10

11

11:00

10:30 pm

11:00 p.m.

10:00 p.m.

10:00 p.m.

10:00 p.m.

10 or 11

10 pm

10

12:00 am

10:30 or later	
10:00 pm	
10:00 PM	
9:30pm	
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Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	8
Mean	6.25
Variance	2.63
Standard Deviation	1.62
Total Responses	1,048

11. Do you prefer day or evening courses?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Day (classes offered Mon.-Fri. starting BEFORE 4 p.m.)		598	55%
2	Evening (class offered Mon.-Fri. starting 4 p.m. or LATER)		497	45%
	Total		1,095	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	2
Mean	1.45
Variance	0.25
Standard Deviation	0.50
Total Responses	1,095

12. Please explain why.

Text Response
I can focus better during the day. i am too tired at night
It is more relaxing to have an evening class because I get to sleep in. In addition, it is less crowded on campus.
I prefer evening classes because I love working in the morning, and my job is in the morning. It gives me time to go to school well rested and have study time. For instance, I work part time, so I still have time to study and relax.
In my experience the professors during the day tend to be more accommodating, helpful, and knowledgeable. Their demeanor seems to be better than the evening professors. The tutoring centers close in the early evening hours so thats also why I prefer morning or day classes because if I need help at least the tutors are available.
Personally I perfer evening classes becuae the school is less crowded. Parking at this time is much easier to find versus peak hours. Since I work Monday - Friday 9:00am-6:00pm, 7:00pm is the only time I can take classes.
It gives me time to complete all of the courses I'n required to complete.
It's what I've always been used to, so I didn't see a point in changing it.
I need my job in order to afford my bills and providing for my child. I am a single parent. I don't have the option to work nights or weekends so evening courses are my only option. If I can find an evening job that pays enough to cover my bills I'd be fine with changing.
With my work schedule and childcare concerns evening courses fit within my needs to work and spend time with my family.
my sons daycare stays open till 5
My spouse watches our 3 kids while I attention evening classes. We save a lot of money
idk man i just like feeling like i can still do stuff after class
The day time is more efficient in terms of alertness and availability.
I think I pay more attention in the morning and like to take exams early, instead of stressing about them until the evening
Able to start the day off early with a cup of coffee and then have the evening free for going out with friends/family.
I enjoy evening classes due to the students are a little more serious. My job hours only allow me to take evening classes
I like to be home during the evening with my family and go to sleep on time.
Evening classes give me the opportunity to work in the morning and go to school after I am out of work.
because i have obligations during the day
I am not able to focus during evening classes after a full day's school or work. I'm exhausted and ready to do something else not work or school related at that point.
I prefer both, but evening classes are more calm and there are less people.
Because I am a single mom of 2 and a full time employee so evening classes are perfect for my life and schedule.
I focus better in the evening.
For me at least, when I am functioning is during the day and I am awake. By the time night rolls around, I am tired and just want to relax. I am not at my best during evening classes. Unless the professor keeps you engaged, then I will lose focus.
More stuff is available during the day like tutoring hours
less hassle with parking
Since i work during the day i have no choice.
There are less students roaming around campus
I think its better, at least for me i feel like i can function better
the situation of work during the morning, and attending classes during the evening is not favorable.
It is easier to find parking and is more time convenient for me
Feels safer to walk around on campus during the day. At night a lot of the outside building lights are dim and many don't work.
I personally prefer evening classes as it fits my schedule. Also, the schools tends to be less crowded so better chance to enroll/register classes AND better chance for parking spot.
It depends on what classes I am going to take. There are certain professors that only teach during the evening, but there are more time options available when the classes are scheduled for earlier in the day.
Doesn't really matter what time as long as I get a good professor
more convenient, more time to study and do homework
It would be stressful
I just like it better.
I do not work
More services available
I work full time, so evening classes are necessary for me.
There are thousands of individuals who are older and trying to complete an associate degree or complete the requirements for transfer to a university. We have to work during the day to support ourselves and our families and the only way we can achieve our educational goals is to take courses online or in the evenings. It would be almost impossible for us to not work so that we can take day classes, we just can't. I have been at Mt. SAC long enough to remember when classes were offered on Saturday. That was how I was first able to make the transition back to college after a long break after high school. I appreciated it so much back then and I miss it now. So I, and others like myself, appreciate that classes are offered in the evenings at Mt. SAC so that we can further our education and careers.
I prefer day courses because everything is open and you don't have to worry about places being closed
I have a full time job
I didn't go to elementary school/high school in the evening, I suppose it's just seems odd to me to go to school in the evening.

Because I think it is more safe to walk alone to the parking lot at day time. It is also allow me to have more free time to do homework and assignment later in the day if I finish class earlier.

I would prefer morning/afternoon classes over evening classes since it makes me feel more in sync with society. Although, I do admit night classes provide a more quiet atmosphere since the majority of students are off campus after 4.

By 4pm and later most people are mentally tuned out and tired, also depends on their personal life.

Work schedule, also I feel like the students in evening classes are usually older and have more life experience.

i dont have to wake up early, its usually cooler tempature, i seem more focused at night

I prefer morning classes mostly so I have time to myself in the evening, however I have taken several evening classes and they are absolutely fantastic when my schedule requires my attention in the morning].

You have time to go to work or finish some homework before class starts

Day courses are easier for me, but with a full time job my classes extend from early morning hours to 10pm. on one or two days

I have more time for stuff in the evening rather than the night.

I prefer to have a fresh mind without of any issues of a dayñ this way I can focus more on my classes.

The evening classes seem to fill up less quickly, making it easier to enroll. In addition, parking is less of an issue in the evening.

able to have more time to do school work after class and have enough time to sleep and wake up on time

Good to start the day early and come home early as well.

In order to be able to attend school I need to have a full time job, and a 9-5 job is ideal.

It best fits my schedule

Less traffic, services are accessible before my classes start, and it's a nice campus to enjoy late in the evenings.

The evening classes make everybody tired coming in.

Evening classes allow me to still work a mostly full day without having to compromise my school schedule.

I like to take day classes, because it gives me the evening to do whatever comes up.

I prefer evening classes because there is less traffic on the freeways and more parking available.

It allows me more time to get things done during the day

I have problems sleeping at night and struggle to wake up soundly in the mornings for class. It's also good studying time for me to catch up later in the evening before my class. The campus, I find, is more peaceful at night in the dark as well.

Because I enjoy spending the evening with my daughter.

Day courses interfere with my work schedule.

More convenient for my schedule. Many services and programs aren't open past 8, also I feel unsafe on campus late at night.

Because I work full time and evening classes are ideal.

Because between those times I cam more focused, awake and learn better if classes are before 4 p.m..

it is much easier for me because I could go home and take a rest then study.

Because I get to work in the morning and do a little study

more convenient

Because I have Swim team at 7am

Wakefulness

busy schedule with my children in the evening

Does not conflict with my work schedule.

Works with my work schedule

It is the only time I am able to attend school after work.

I prefer both, but I lean more toward day classes because I have more time in the library to get other assignments done.

both -- I prefer having both options

It depends on work schedule.

Evening classes are more convenient, allows for students to be more concentrated in class rather than sleeping with no sleep. With many students being involved with work or community service work it allows us to take more classes without worrying that there isn't an open spot because of the time arrangement.

I perfer going in the morning and throughout the day than stay late at school. Campus tempt to stay very lonenly in the evening and fridays.

There is hardly any crowd.

Because you have time all day to do your homework and everything that you have to do

Parking is not a worry. The campus is not congested. The temperature is nice.

I work full time and the evening classes work best for my schedule

I feel more alert and concentrate better in the day than evening.

I personally concentrate better during evening hours, preferably after the sun goes down. I feel that it gives me more time to work on my homework or whatever it may be. You also get more of that college campus life feel as well. At night you dont really see a packed campus like you would during the day. I love to socialize and meet new people which is why I like to come during the day.

I work at a medical office that is open during the day. If more evening classes were available I would be able to stay at work longer and make more money for my family.

It better accommodates work schedules. Also, it allows a student to fit more course load into certain days rather than splitting all the courses across all 4 days.

I'm most active and attentive during the morning to the afternoon.

I perform best during the day, but would prefer services to be open late so I can get help on campus.

Both because my job is flexible with hour school scheduling

The reason I prefer day classes is because I don't have a car to be taking evening classes. I have to take bus which I don't like to ride at night time. That's mostly the reason I haven't taken evening class.

Able to work my schedule around classes more easily with day classes, whereas with night classes there is no such option. Night classes require a lot less available time to work on at home assignments due to having to work and then go straight to class.

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Statistic	Value
Total Responses	734

13. Please click and drag each of the services listed below in order of priority for EVENING students with your first choice being the most important.

#	Answer	▲									Total Responses
5	Tutoring Services	233	175	143	143	98	82	69	21	14	978
1	Academic Counseling Services	157	193	178	114	129	87	57	42	21	978
7	Place to Eat, Socialize, & Study	153	128	105	102	109	120	95	91	75	978
2	Food Services	121	120	107	138	126	124	104	73	65	978
3	Book Store Access	98	130	129	155	149	125	97	57	38	978
9	Evening Faculty Office Hourse	93	117	150	137	132	123	105	74	47	978
6	Child Care Services	85	45	54	57	80	83	136	178	260	978
4	Re-entry Center for Older Adults	24	39	49	51	64	113	132	250	256	978
8	Club Activities or Evening Events	14	31	63	81	91	121	183	192	202	978
	Total	978	978	978	978	978	978	978	978	978	-







Statistic	Academic Counseling Services	Food Services	Book Store Access	Re-entry Center for Older Adults	Tutoring Services	Child Care Services	Place to Eat, Socialize, & Study	Club Activities or Evening Events	Evening Faculty Office Hourse
Min Value	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Max Value	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
Mean	3.71	4.61	4.43	6.83	3.42	6.32	4.57	6.55	4.57
Variance	4.57	5.80	4.84	4.81	4.44	6.89	6.61	4.40	5.18
Standard Deviation	2.14	2.41	2.20	2.19	2.11	2.62	2.57	2.10	2.28
Total Responses	978	978	978	978	978	978	978	978	978

14. Which of the following services would make it more likely for you to enroll in EVENING courses. Please click and drag each response in order of priority with your first choice being the most important.

#	Answer										Total Responses
1	Academic Counseling Services	159	174	151	104	102	87	66	44	34	921
2	Food Services	93	98	102	121	133	123	105	79	67	921
3	Book Store Access	74	110	137	149	159	118	91	48	35	921
4	Re-entry Center for Older Adults	28	26	38	48	79	87	126	235	254	921
5	Tutoring Services	214	174	149	130	77	68	52	31	26	921
6	Child Care Services	68	28	34	54	62	73	120	217	265	921
7	Place to Eat, Socialize, & Study	156	118	98	92	97	125	105	71	59	921
8	Club Activities or Evening Events	28	41	75	101	104	133	170	129	140	921
9	Evening Faculty Office Hourse	101	152	137	122	108	107	86	67	41	921
	Total	921	921	921	921	921	921	921	921	921	-

Statistic	Academic Counseling Services	Food Services	Book Store Access	Re-entry Center for Older Adults	Tutoring Services	Child Care Services	Place to Eat, Socialize, & Study	Club Activities or Evening Events	Evening Faculty Office Hourse
Min Value	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Max Value	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
Mean	3.83	4.83	4.50	6.90	3.44	6.68	4.48	6.01	4.34
Variance	5.27	5.65	4.47	4.72	4.83	6.17	6.43	4.87	5.39
Standard Deviation	2.30	2.38	2.11	2.17	2.20	2.48	2.54	2.21	2.32
Total Responses	921	921	921	921	921	921	921	921	921

15. What types of classes would encourage you to enroll during the EVENING?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Courses within Business		127	12%
2	Courses within the Sciences		162	16%
3	Courses within the Social Sciences		38	4%
4	General Education (UC/CSU transferable courses)		515	50%
5	Basic Skills courses		76	7%
6	Other		106	10%
	Total		1,024	

Other
Math courses
RVT major
No preference
all of these
Vocational Ed. 2 year programs
Computer Courses
Any I cannot find in the morning
photography courses
all of the above
All classes
All in the list
None
EMT
electives, transfer classes
All
Histotechnology
Rvt classes
VET TECH PROGRAM
veterinary tech program
Languages
Courses in my field of study
Radiology
HRM classes
computer programming/network security
welding
Paralegal
Computer Courses
Literature
Music
ac
Business and real estate
both Business classes & General Education (UC/CSU Transferable courses)
COURSES PERTAINING TO MY MAJOR
None
CSIN classes
Algebra
All of the Above
Basic Skills courses and Recreational courses such as P.E. and other electives.
criminal law
Animal Science courses
None
Agriculture
Art

Dance, Art, ASL
Dance, computer science, art
All
math
computer programs for my major
Sign classes
EVENING
basic courses & General Ed Courses
SIGN or SPEECH
Graphic Design
None
math
Child Development
A wider selection than now provided
Computer Science & Skill Classes
Most courses would be helpful
Dance
ag
Non
pilates teacher certificate
Theater Art classes
Classes in Major
Arts
Interpreting Program Classes
Whatever class is available.
rvt progam classes
graphic designed
tech
Vocational courses
Tchnology
Radio Television/ Arts
all options
No service or type of class encourages or makes me more likely to enroll in evening courses. Registration dates decide for you.
any /all listed courses
the aviation science courses

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	6
Mean	3.56
Variance	2.08
Standard Deviation	1.44
Total Responses	1,024

16. At Mt. SAC there are various learning communities, also know as cohorts. A cohort is a group of students that takes classes they need to meet their educational goal together over the course of 1-2 years. The classes are guaranteed for students as long as they pass each course. If a cohort were created for EVENING students would you be interested in participating?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Yes	<div></div>	853	82%
2	No	<div></div>	188	18%
	Total		1,041	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	2
Mean	1.18
Variance	0.15
Standard Deviation	0.38
Total Responses	1,041

17. If not, please explain why?

Text Response
zsljdfsljdj;lakjlkdvk;djlaksvnl;dkfjadlfv;dlzj
im not sure what this is
i am not here to get a degree i am here to learn what i can about computers and other classes that might help in a job
graduating this semester
I don't plan on taking evening courses
With working full time this may not be beneficial, as some one may only be able to take 1 or 2 classes a semester and cohorts usually have to take 3 or more classes.
As much as I would love to, it wouldn't coincide with my major (classes for my major are only in the day).
I find it unlikely that many others would need the same classes I need, or have to same pace I have. It also seems like it would be difficult to coordinate in regards to summer and winter intersessions. In summary, the hassle doesn't seem worth the benefits (nothing against it being in the evening).
I am already in my second year which makes me being on the way of finishing my GE courses. I would be interested in it if I was still in my first year.
My life and work schedule are too unstable to commit to anything specific other than studying for this long. I want to be able to sign up or drop classes without affecting other people's progress or being hindered by them. Doing it on my own right now works best.
concentration better during the day
No extra time after class, i need to get home and do homework
The only advantage would be a guaranteed entry into classes. I, personally, like to meet people from different walks of life every semester. It enhances the college experience and makes one a more well-rounded individual. A possible motivator would be to guarantee a small number of add spots for those in the honors program. Help the successful succeed as opposed to have them sacrifice for the sake of many on this campus who do not care about their education.
No interest in being part of a cohort
I have been at mt sac for over 4 years and i have completed most courses needed. joining one would not benefit me.
same as my previous answer
No explanation.
I am a returning student. I am taking post-bac classes in order to enter a master's program.
It would be pointless for me to join now because next semester is my last semester at Mt. SAC. However, if I knew about the cohorts before, I would have considered joining it if it was compatible with my work schedule.
My work schedule is very flexible. Work come after school not the other way around.
I prefer to work and study alone. it's less of a hassle and I depend on no one. If I fail I fail on my own and no one brought me down or burdened me, if I pass it's my own work and no one else can take credit. I cannot be burdened nor do I have to compromise on anything like I would for a project, or time. I can study when I want and where I want without having to schedule it around with someone.
It is not my preference to take evening classes.
I prefer to work on my own, regardless of when classes are.
I am near my goal and like to go at my own pace.
I do not work well with others, I prefer to be alone.
Im not a people person. Its better to be honest than lie.
The major I used to be in was very niche - as in every class of that major you see the same people; I did not like the people so I will like the option to avoid the people. Also expecting the same people every semester takes away the novelty of seeing new interactions.
I'm in my second year and have my classes mapped out. I don't see the benefit of being stuck with a group. I've learned a lot from getting to know different people.
It's difficult for me to go out in the evening because I don't have transportation.
I am transferring soon and I also prefer taking day courses.
I prefer to take day classes as the majority of my work schedule revolves around the evening times.
I like to meet new people.
My evening courses are not required.
sets limits to my busy schedule.
I cannot answer with a blanket yes because I do not know what subject area the cohort is in. Vet tech program yes, or other specific program area would be beneficial, I believe for many students an undergrad study program corohrt would probably be beneficial, but not for me personally.
dont like clubs
My field of study is in Nursing from the Nursing department. I am done with any prerequisites. I would just like to have certain facilities open on campus so that I can make use of them during my work hours and hours of class time at night.
It is difficult to find open classes at night that are needed and end up having to work during at night during a needed class if you can get into it. More science labs are needed at night to allow more of background in basic two year science courses that will allow a solid 2-year science background and then transfer to a 4-year college.
Because, every student MAP is different. I believe that classes towards their major would be important to get full understanding then rush through the course needed when transferring to a four year university.
because at this time I currently only need a couple of classes before I am able to transfer to a CSU but If the cohort was something that started when I first began my educational journey I may have wanted to be a part of it.
Because my objective is to use my time to attend to class, tutoring, and homework time. I believe that sometimes this cohort classes prevent students to use that time to study, do homework or seek tutoring. It will be beneficial only if use as a study groups where each member participates.
i dont want to take any night classes
too limiting

Professors complain about the lack of those cohorts.
Classes I need that they dont need
Because the campus feels safer during the day. I'd rather have a lower rated professor in a day class rather than take the better professor in the evening.
Only have time for 1-2 classes per semester.
I learn and work better individually.
I don't want to rush to try to complete something that big.
Time
i feel like i wouldn't have time since i live far
What about those who are in computer science majors or math majors. "Class are guarantee for those who pass their course." But this is easier said than done for those who are in those majors especially when they get higher in their math classes.
i work so i want to take school at my own pace
I do not like study at night.
I dislike evening courses
i have a family and so with that being said my schedule needs flexibility.
Those of us in the Ag program have already formed our study groups. I'm not sure what other ":benefits" this concept is offering. More information would be welcome.
I feel like studying with others would distract me from actually studying.
I work evenings and my job will not allow for me to take the days necessary to attend evening classes
Every person has such a drastic difference in motivation and goals. It's a nice idea but it doesn't seem to be very practical.
Evening classes are NOT a priority for me. The classes I take often last long hours and mean I am away from home for at least 7 hours, but often longer.
I can't attend evening classes
my degree is not at mtsac i am taking my lower division here
My attendance for night classes is mainly based on my schedule and classes that I need, and the teachers who are teaching.
independent learner
I prefer to work and study alone. I'd rather find a community or group to work with n the specific class/course so there are similar interest in subject area and what to study or prepare for.
I have other things to do.
I do not have the attention span at night and do not feel motivated to attend class at night. I also do not want to commute 55 miles during rush hour to get to school in the afternoon/evening. I only take night courses when I have to squeeze an additional course in to accommodate my work schedule.
No time.
Not interested in Cohort
I like to take my classes during the day when my children are also in school. I have a hard time staying awake during the late evening classes. I do not like to drive at night and especially when I am tired. I feel that I am more likely to get into an accident.
I am about to get my AA degree and transfer to a four year college
No time to spare. With homework and chores, I would rather focus on my own education.
Again I am a mother. I have seven children and taking three courses at night would be difficult for me to do.
I do not like to depend on other individuals in order to attain my goals.
I am mostly done with transfer/degree requirements
health
I prefer morning/day classes.
It does not sound like something I would personally be interested in.
I need only one more course to fulfill my requirements for the A.S. degree.
I'm not interested in being a part of a cohort.
I am almost done with the classes that I need to take to apply for the specific certificate that I want, also, I am a single mother with 2 children, so babysitting is hard to arrange.
I have a Bachelor's degree that helped transfer the units that are required for general requirements. I am more interested in taking major/core units catered to obtaining my associate's degree to help prepare in future license exams or a master's program. The cohort would be more beneficial for students who are freshmen or sophomores at this school.
I may wish to take classes in a different order based on difficulty and what my family responsibilities are at that given time. So, I may need an easier course during a specific time of year, but the cohort class may be a more challenging one, thus causing undo stress, if I could choose when to take which courses.
I prefer to study on my own
I feel fine without it.
I have other tasks
I would rather take cohort classes during the day. I prefer to have all my classes end before 3 p.m.
I only have a very select number of classes I need to get into PT school. I don't want to take extra classes with other people.
Im currently working in the evening.
I do not have the time to do so.
I attend this school to complete pre reqs for a graduate program
Not my thing
I'm afriad the cohort would interfer with my schedule. It is a good idea for students who need the classes but in my case, it would not benefit me.

It is because I am going to transfer.	
I don't work well with others	
work to do	
because I work	
Don't have time	
Not in my interest	
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Statistic	Value
Total Responses	145

18. Choose the answer that best represents your needs.

#	Question	Not Necessary	Occasionally Necessary	Neutral	Moderately Necessary	Very Necessary	Total Responses	Mean
1	How necessary is the availability of EVENING classes in your ability to meet your educational goal?	60	144	242	158	433	1,037	4.54

Statistic	How necessary is the availability of EVENING classes in your ability to meet your educational goal?
Min Value	1
Max Value	6
Mean	4.54
Variance	2.61
Standard Deviation	1.62
Total Responses	1,037

19. If a course that you were planning on taking next semester were also offered in the EVENING would you enroll in it?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Yes	<div><div></div></div>	879	85%
2	No	<div><div></div></div>	152	15%
	Total		1,031	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	2
Mean	1.15
Variance	0.13
Standard Deviation	0.35
Total Responses	1,031

20. If not, please explain why?

Text Response
cant focus at night
I would rather be able to take the class during the day.
Sleep at night.
I would rather take classes in the day, but I usually take evening courses for my work schedule or for the professor teaching that course.
If it was enrolled earlier, I would take the earlier class because I focus and learn better in the morning or early afternoon as opposed to the evening. I would only take an evening class if my work schedule required it.
I personally would rather get out of class early (daylight) than at night.
I do not sleep as much as it is, due to the fact that I am up writing essays al the time and trying to catch up with my work for all classes
too late, security on campus, no one to walk me to my car
I don't care for evening classes as I said before.
As mentioned before I prefer classes in the morning and my work schedule is in the afternoon, so I am not currently in the necessity of taking evening classes if those classes are available in the morning. But maybe some other people will need that option.
because I know the class im taking next semester is hard so I'd rather tkae it in the morning so I could study at night
I prefer morning classes. However, I do remember when I had taken evening courses, it was difficult to obtain necessary supplies such as scantrons/bluebooks as well as schedule counseling appointments.
I am a woman and I don't feel safe taking classes at night. I just don't feel the campus is safe at night for a young woman like myself at night. But I advocate for all the things that evening students may need.
I have a preference for the morning-afternoon classes because I am much more attentive around that time frame.
If it is available in the "day" time slot, I would much perfer to take it then. The only time I take evening courses is when that is the only option available, which does happen.
I work better during the day
Because i work in the evening
I deliberately schedule my work hours to be during the evening.
Live far away from school and have to commute daily by bus and train for a total of 8 hours daily. Currently, I leave school at 3pm and get home at 7pm with the bus and train stopping after 9pm. This makes it impossible right now to be enrolled in evening classes.
I am a daytime person. evening classes makes me fall asleep. professor hours are closed during the evening, the veteran resources center isn't open during evening, and most of the college counselors are gone for the evening. this is very depressing.
The evening schedule conflicts with my sport.
it is very difficult to change my work schedule also i am already acclimated to my current routine .
IT MIGHT BE MORE CONVENIENT FOR ME TO TAKE THE DAY CLASS, BUT IF THERE WAS A CHANCE TO HAVE MORE DAYS OFF AND SAVE MONEY AS WELL I'D TAKE AN EVENING CLASS
I get enough units during the day. I need evenings for work and study.
I don't have reliable transportation.
I prefer morning classes. Although students who do work or have other prior obligations impeding the ability to access an equal equation deserve the opportunity to take the classes they need in a timely fashion.
I do not drive and my I would not want my parents to have to drive when it is dark outside.
I will not focus in evening classes
It is difficult for me to attend evening classes because I would much rather just be home. I find it more difficult not to ditch my evening classes because they end so late and I am usually tired from the rest of the day. Also, the campus is usually not very active and I would rather not have to walk to a far parking lot by myself at night.
It is more convenient to take classes in the day, so if i had the opportunity to take a class during the day I will.
I prefer day classes.
i dont want to take any night classes
I would rather get the class done and over with for the day instead of having to wait all day for the class to begin.
Same reason. Campus feels safer during the day.
Only if the day class was closed and I needed it.
because it doesn't match my scheduled I have other things to do its regarding family. family problems
in winter it's too cold to be out late
I prefer to learn in the morning and day time because I am more awake and by evening I am often very tired. Also, a lot of the best professors on campus teach during the day and not at night.
i am trying to get earlier classes to them over with.
I'll trasfer.
While I would like to take a class in the evening I don't have time to take it in the evening.
Because I have a hard time focusing in the evening.
I'm not interested in evening classes
Work evenings
it is too tierd to study, and driving is more dangerous than daytime.
Because I'd rather take it during the day but would take it in the evening if need be.

I like getting school over with by noon, allowing me the rest of the day. Having an evening class feels like I'm just counting down till the time I have to go.

At times, an evening class is not convenient.

I don't have the stamina to be here from 07:00 to 23:00 every day. I am old and disabled and in fragile health. I only take the evening classes because a number of the courses I need are ONLY offered in the evening. I prefer morning -- early morning -- classes.

Evening classes just don't appeal to me.

my job will nt allow for me to leave work or have the off

If I can take it during the day, that would be my first choice. If I couldn't get the day option, I would fall back on the evening course.

I work at night and it will hurt my work schedule more and I mostly fall asleep in the evening if not working.

time slot fits better

I would rather take classes during the day to have time to do homework/ study throughout the evening. It would make it easier for me not to procrastinate on assignments, projects, etc.,.

If the class is being offered at an earlier time, I will take it at an earlier time.

I prefer morning classes due to my schedule and living habits.

I prefer day courses if possible

This is my last semester, since I will be graduating Fall 2015.

Evening classes don't work for me

I have two evening classes this semester. I'd like a break from evening classes and switch to daytime classes.

I have the privilege of not working currently in order to finish my prerequisites and requirements for professional school. I prefer morning courses over evening courses, and I am able to prioritize getting classes scheduled during the day rather than in the evenings. Also, the professors that I'd like to learn from usually don't teach evenings.

I prefer morning classes

I go to work in the evening

I would need daycare available

Because the child development classes are way to late I have did it the last 3 semesters and am tried of being at school so late, away from my family and having to ride the bus so late by myself.

not enough info. I'd likely take another class, and I'd need to prioritize before I decide which goes in morning or evening, etc.

Winter is cold

Mt sac student rapist mario trujillo berganza, thats why.

Other necessities occur.

I concentrate and focus better earlier in the day. Plus, the tutoring center is closed for math courses and I become lazy and tired at night, So I end up waiting until the next day to do my homework or study.

Traffic

The weather is too cold. there is no fresh and hot food on campus. The classes that offered during evening all too long.

More work schedule conflicts with evening courses.

I don't like to be out when its dark

I don't like staying on campus after it gets dark.

Who can predict what will happen next semester?

I might have to get a job that time

I am already on my way to transfer. I only need one more spring semester, so I really have all of the classes I need done, but I feel like having evening honors courses for students would be helpful.

It's easier for me to go to school, then work.

I am a female and I don't feel safe taking classes during the evening.

I prefer to go to school in the morning and because I work in the evening

To myself, daytime courses are a better option due to the absence of fatigue existing in those times. On the other hand, evening classes provides a better course availability, but it provides an academical disadvantage due to the amount of fatigue accumulated over the course of the day.

I have had a bad experience with evening classes (transportation issues).

I dont have a need to take it in the evening,

Like I said before I can't concentrate when it's late

I have to take day time because of my work

don't want evening classes right now

Wouldn't work with me at all.

I don't like being at school all day, but If a class I need is only offered in the afternoon that is when I will take it.

I have a family who needs me home in the evening

Like I said before, I'm more comfortable with day classes and it's risky walking to the parking lot at night by yourself.

prefer day

I do not like evening classes.

I DONT THINK I WOULD LIKE TO BE AT SCHOOL SO LATE UNLESS I GET A JOB

I prefer day classes.

My work is open more in the evening/later in the day rather than the morning and I need the work hours.

I have Children.

The class would likely also be offered during the day, around the time as the rest of my classes. That is more convenient for me. That said, most of my classes are in my major, Music, and there's limited flexibility for that.

I work in the evenings

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Statistic	Value
Total Responses	120