# SENIOR SURVEY – SPRING 2025 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Senior Survey is designed as an exit survey for graduating seniors. It focuses on a broad range of college outcomes and post-college goals and plans, and it provides the College with a framework to make positive changes in the services and educational opportunities afforded its students.

All students who are scheduled to participate in the May 2025 graduation ceremony (December 2024, May 2025, and August 2025 graduates; n=203) were sent an electronic survey to their Barton College email address on March 6, 2025 using Class Climate survey software. The solicitation email was sent from the Office of Institutional Research. Follow-up emails were sent to students who had not yet filled out the survey to encourage participation. A total of 58 students responded to the survey, resulting in a response rate of 29% (versus 25% in 2024, 27% in 2023, 36% in 2022 and 29% in 2021). The launch date of the 2025 survey was almost a month later than the 2024 survey. This shift was the result of updates to the academic calendar, including the addition of a J-term, causing a later start for the spring term.

According to the responses, participants did not feel as impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic, compared to past results. When asked in the Senior Survey whether the COVID-19 pandemic impacted their academic success, 15.5% responded "yes" (down from 34.5% in 2024), 70.7% responded "no" (up from 43.6% in 2024) and 13.8% responded that they were "unsure" (down from 21.8% in 2024). In the comments received students mentioned COVID-19 largely impacting their first year at Barton.

#### **CHARACTERISTICS OF THE RESPONDENTS**

- 69% of the respondents were female and 24% of the respondents were male. The overall population surveyed consisted of 59% female and 41% male students.
- 89.6% of the respondents were full-time traditional students and 10.3% of the survey respondents were non-traditional students in the Professional Studies Program.
- 30.2% of students entered in 2022, 58.5% entered in 2021, and 11.3% of the respondents were "super-seniors" who came to Barton in 2020 or earlier.
- While a senior, 17.5% of respondents indicated they lived on campus, while 33.3% of respondents indicated that they lived in an off-campus room or apartment. Additionally, 24.6% of respondents indicated that they lived at their own home, while 24.6% indicated that they lived with parents/relatives. None of the respondents indicated that they lived in a fraternity house.
- When asked to report the highest level of education completed by parent 1, respondents reported;
   5.2% completed jr high school/middle School, 27.6% completed high school, 13.8% completed 2 year college, 27.6% completed 4 year college, 24.1% completed graduate school, and 1.7% had a response of "unknown".
- When asked to report the highest level of education completed by parent 2, respondents reported; 6.9% completed jr high school/middle School, 29.3% completed high school, 13.8% completed 2 year college, 29.3% completed 4 year college, 12.1% completed graduate school, and 8.6% had a response of "unknown".

#### Race/Ethnicity of Respondents

- 13.8% (up from 5.4% in 2024) of the respondents indicated that they were Hispanic or Latino
- 70.7% of the respondents self-reported as White.
- 20.7% of the respondents self-reported as Black or African American.
- The remainder of the respondents self-reported as Non-Resident Alien (1.7%), Two or more races (5.2%), American Indian or Alaska Native (1.7%), and Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (1.7%)

#### **School Breakdown of Respondents**

Responses were received from students representing each of Barton's 4 undergraduate schools. The
respondent breakdown is as follows; 9% from School of Humanities & Art (10.3% of survey pool),
25% from the School of Business & Innovation (32.0% of survey pool), 18% from the School of
Education and Social Sciences (19.2% of survey pool), and 48% from the School of Health Sciences
(38.4% of survey pool).

#### **FEEDBACK ABOUT THE MAJOR**

- 80.7% of respondents rated the overall quality of the majors as good or excellent (exactly the same as the 80.7% in 2024). Feedback about instruction in the 300-400 level courses in the major was also positive, with 82.2% of respondents rated this category as good or excellent (versus 85.2% in 2024). Respondents were positive in their feedback regarding Academic Advising in their major (71.4% Good or Excellent in 2025)
- Positive feedback declined notably from the previous year's evaluations in 2 categories; Practical Experiences (practica, internships, labs, clinicals, etc) in the major (64.7% Good or Excellent in 2025 vs 72.2% Good of Excellent in 2024), and Major courses as preparation for employment after graduation (64.9% Good or Excellent in 2025 vs 70.9% Good or Excellent in 2024)
- 48.9% of the respondents rated the laboratory/studio facilities as "adequate", while 20% rated them as "more than adequate" (versus 53.1% and 18.4% respectively in 2024).
- 43.1% of the respondents rated library books, resources, and reference materials as "adequate" while 37.3% rated them as "more than adequate" (versus 41.8% and 36.5% respectively in 2023).

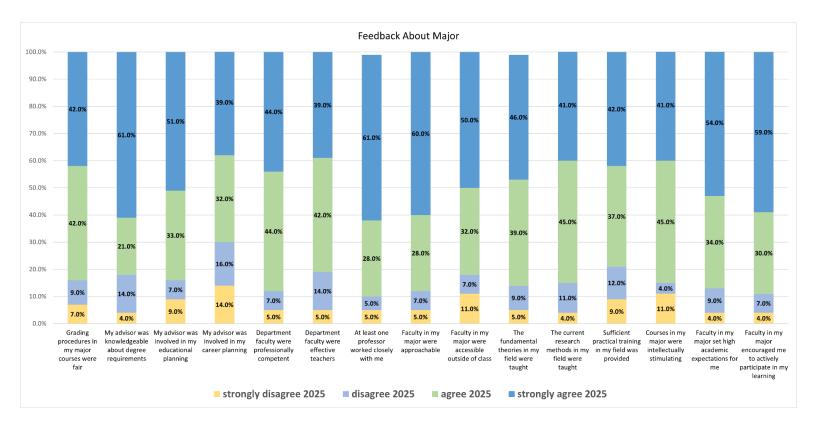
The following table contains the 2023, 2024, and 2025 responses to the statements about the major.

	2023 Responses	2024 Responses	2025 Responses
Overall quality of the major			
Poor	3.1%	5.3%	10.5%
Fair	7.7%	14.0%	8.8%
Good	50.8%	47.4%	42.1%
Excellent	38.5%	33.3%	38.6%

Instruction in 300-400 level course in the major			
Poor	1.6%		7.1%
Fair	9.4%	14.8%	10.7%
Good	45.3%	46.3%	41.1%
Excellent	43.8%	38.9%	41.1%
Practical experiences (practica, labs, internships, clini	cals. etc.) in the maic	or	
Poor	6.3%	5.5%	14.8%
Fair	19.0%	21.8%	20.4%
Good	39.7%	34.5%	24.1%
Excellent	34.9%	38.2%	40.7%
Major courses as preparation for employment after graduation			
Poor	6.3%	9.1%	12.3%
Fair	15.9%	20.0%	22.8%
Good	47.6%	41.8%	29.8%
Excellent	30.2%	29.1%	35.1%
Major courses as preparation for graduate or professional school			
Poor	3.2%	7.3%	12.7%
Fair	19.0%	18.2%	16.4%
Good	42.9%	45.5%	34.5%
Excellent	34.9%	29.1%	36.4%
Academic Advising in the major			
Poor	4.6%	10.5%	12.5%
Fair	10.8%	17.5%	16.1%
Good	18.5%	17.5%	19.6%
Excellent	66.2%	54.4%	51.8%
Career advising in the major			

Poor	7.9%	16.7%	17.5%
Fair	14.3%	22.2%	21.1%
Good	27.0%	20.4%	26.3%
Excellent	50.8%	40.7%	35.1%
Classroom facilities in the major department			
Poor	12.7%	12.7%	21.6%
Fair	23.8%	36.4%	23.5%
Good	38.1%	29.1%	27.5%
Excellent	25.4%	21.8%	27.5%
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Inadequate	3.8%	12.2%	20.0%
Somewhat Inadequate	13.2%	16.3%	11.1%
Adequate	66.0%	53.1%	48.9%
More than adequate	17.0%	18.4%	20.0%
Library books, resources, and reference materials			
Inadequate	1.6%	5.8%	7.8%
Somewhat Inadequate	4.9%	9.6%	11.8%
Adequate	57.4%	48.1%	43.1%
More than adequate	36.1%	36.5%	37.3%

#### FEEDBACK TO STATEMENTS ABOUT THE MAJOR

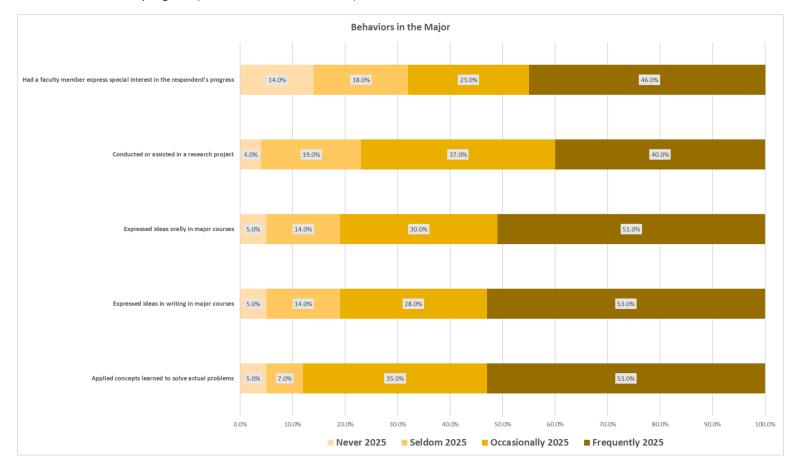


- The most favorable responses (responding "agree" or "strongly agree") were for statements regarding at least one professor working closely with the student (89%), Faculty encouragement to actively participate in learning (89%), The professional competency of faculty (88%), the approachability of faculty (88%), and the high expectations set by faculty (88%).
- While all responses were favorable, the lowest positive response was received for the statement regarding advisors being involved in career planning, where 71.0% (75.9% in 2024) of respondents either agreed or strongly agreed with the statement.
- Only one other area recorded a positive response below 80%; Sufficient practical training in my field was provided (79.0% positive response in 2025 vs 89.3% positive response in 2024).

#### ACADEMIC BEHAVIORS IN THE MAJOR

- 88% of the respondents reported that they occasionally or frequently expressed ideas orally in the major (down from 94.7% in 2024).
- 81% indicated that they occasionally or frequently expressed ideas in writing in the major (down from 91.2% in 2023).
- 88% of the respondents reported that they occasionally or frequently applied concepts learned to solve actual problems (down from 91.3% in 2023).
- 77% of the respondents reported that they occasionally or frequently conducted or assisted in a research project in the major (down from 80.7% in 2023).

• 69% responded that they occasionally or frequently had a faculty member express special interest in their progress (down from 84.2% in 2023).



## FEEDBACK REGARDING BARTON COLLEGE PREPARATION

Seniors were asked to indicate how well they were prepared by their Barton experiences for each of the following:

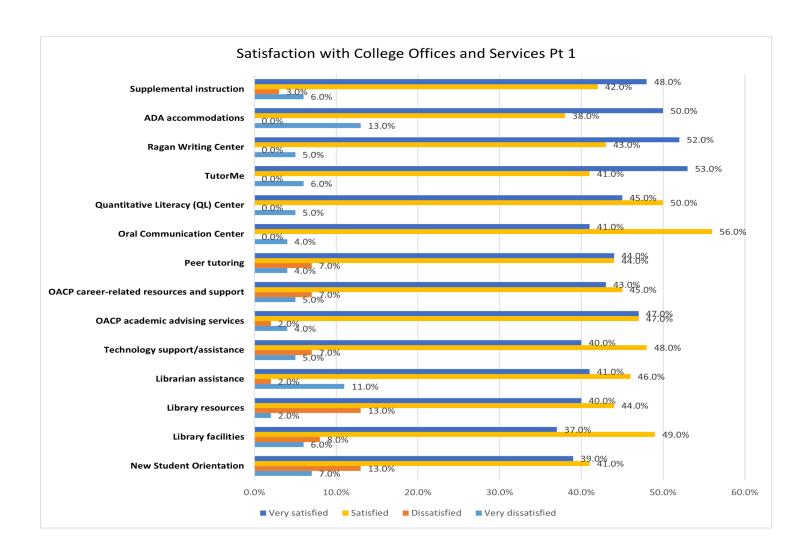
Preparation	strongly disagree	disagree	agree	strongly agree
Writing effectively	7.0%	5.0%	39.0%	48.0%
Speaking effectively	9.0%	7.0%	39.0%	46.0%
Listening effectively	4.0%	5.0%	33.0%	58.0%
Reading comprehension	4.0%	5.0%	37.0%	54.0%
Making formal presentations	11.0%	7.0%	23.0%	60.0%
Knowing how to access the information needed in one's professional position	9.0%	9.0%	35.0%	47.0%
Using basic computer skills (word processing, spreadsheets, etc.)	11.0%	7.0%	29.0%	53.0%
Using computers to search for and retrieve information	7.0%	7.0%	32.0%	54.0%
Being prepared for employment after graduation	16.0%	9.0%	38.0%	38.0%
Being prepared for graduate or advanced education	14.0%	5.0%	35.0%	46.0%
Analyzing, synthesizing, and evaluating information	11.0%	5.0%	42.0%	42.0%
Defining and solving problems	9.0%	7.0%	34.0%	50.0%
Thinking objectively about beliefs, attitudes and values	11.0%	5.0%	36.0%	48.0%
Having tolerance for different points of view	5.0%	11.0%	32.0%	53.0%

Understanding the present as it relates to historical events and processes	11.0%	9.0%	37.0%	44.0%
Understanding international issues	16.0%	11.0%	41.0%	32.0%
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Understanding interaction of people and their environment	5.0%	9.0%	41.0%	45.0%
Understanding another culture and/or language	12.0%	19.0%	33.0%	35.0%
Understanding and applying scientific principles and methods	9.0%	16.0%	36.0%	38.0%
Understanding and appreciating art, music, literature and theater	13.0%	20.0%	33.0%	35.0%
Knowledge of the principles of good mental and physical health	13.0%	7.0%	34.0%	46.0%
Resolving interpersonal conflict	9.0%	11.0%	44.0%	37.0%
Working cooperatively and as a team member	9.0%	7.0%	33.0%	51.0%
Working with people from diverse ethnic and cultural backgrounds	4.0%	12.0%	37.0%	47.0%
Understanding and exercising one's rights, responsibilities, and privileges as a citizen	11.0%	11.0%	35.0%	44.0%
Gaining specialized occupational skills and knowledge	9.0%	14.0%	39.0%	39.0%
Recognizing and acting upon ethical principles	7.0%	14.0%	39.0%	39.0%
Conducting work activities in an ethical manner	5.0%	11.0%	34.0%	50.0%
Overall satisfaction with your preparation at Barton College	13.0%	6.0%	45.0%	36.0%

In 2025, the respondents expressed the highest levels of confidence in their preparation (sum of % of students who agreed or strongly agreed) in "writing effectively," "speaking effectively", "listening effectively", "reading comprehension", "using computers to search for and retrieve information", and "understanding interaction of people and their environment" with over 85% reporting they agreed or strongly agreed.

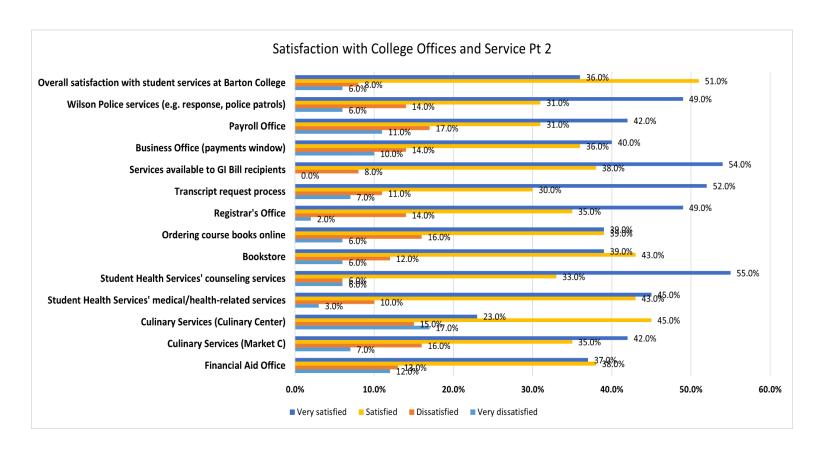
- 31% of respondents either disagreed or strongly disagreed with feeling prepared by their Barton
  experience to understand another culture or language and 27% of respondent either disagreed or
  strongly disagreed with feeling prepared by their Barton experience to understand international
  issues
- 25% of respondents either disagreed or strongly disagreed with feeling prepared by the Barton for employment after graduation (up from 21.4% in 2024), and 25% of the respondents strongly disagreed or disagreed that their Barton education prepared them for understanding and applying scientific principles and methods (up from 7.2% in 2024).

#### SATISFACTION WITH COLLEGE OFFICES AND SERVICES



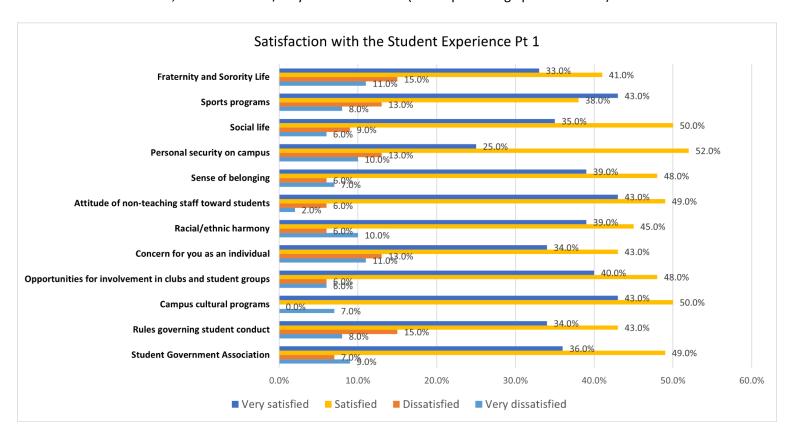
Overall, the respondents expressed high levels of satisfaction with College offices and services. In 2025, seven offices or services had a 90% or higher combined "satisfied" or "very satisfied" rating; OACP Academic Advising Services (94%), the Oral Communication Center (97%), the Quantitative Literacy Center (95%), the Ragan Writing Center (94%), ADA Accommodations (95%), Supplemental and Instruction (90%), and Services Available ot GI Bill Recipients (92%).

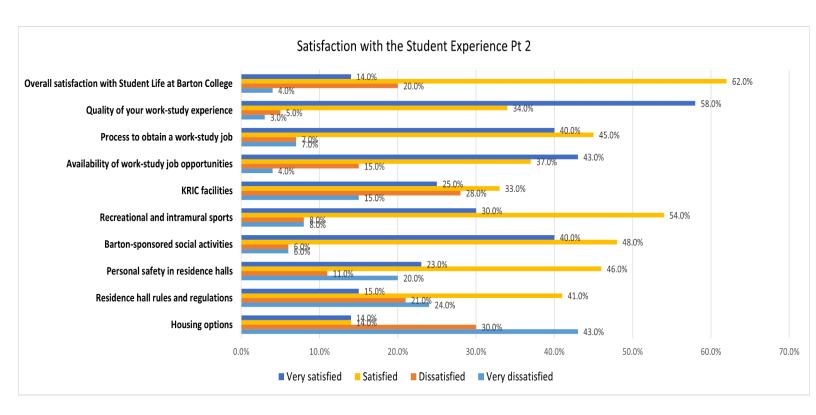
- In 2025, six offices reported the lowest levels of satisfaction, with a combined "satisfied" or "very satisfied" rating under 80%; The Financial Aid Office (75%), The Market C (77%), the Culinary Center (68%), Ordering Books Online (78%), the Business Office (76%), and the Payroll Office (73%).
- All other offices or services were rated between 80-90% combined "satisfied" or "very satisfied" ratings based on student feedback.
- Overall satisfaction with student services dropped 3 percentage points, from 90% "satisfied" and "very satisfied" in 2024 to 87% "satisfied" and "very satisfied" in 2025.



#### SATISFACTION WITH ELEMENTS OF THE STUDENT EXPERIENCE

- Over 90% of respondents reported high satisfaction (combination or those reporting "satisfied" or "very satisfied") with campus cultural programs (93% in 2025, a 12.5 percentage point increase from 2024), the attitude of non-teaching staff towards students (92%), and the quality of the work-study experience (92%).
- Respondents reported the lowest levels of satisfaction (combination of those reporting
  "dissatisfied" or "very dissatisfied") with housing options (73%, up 22 percentage points from
  2024), residence hall rules and regulations (45%), and KRIC facilities (43%).
- Some areas saw noted increases in student satisfaction between 2024 and 2025. As previously stated, campus cultural programs saw a 12.5 percentage point increase from 80.5% reporting satisfied/very satisfied in 2024, to 93% reporting satisfied/very satisfied in 2025. Likewise, satisfaction with recreational and intramural sports increased from 67.7% satisfied/very satisfied in 2024, to 84% satisfied/very satisfied in 2025 (a 16.3 percentage point increase).





- 88% of respondents were satisfied or very satisfied with Barton-sponsored social activities (up from 85.5% in 2024).
- 92% of respondents were satisfied or very satisfied with the quality of their work-study experience (up from 90% in 2024)
- Satisfaction with personal safety in resident halls fell by over 9 percentage points, with 69% of respondents reporting being satisfied or very satisfied in 2025 vs 78.1% of respondents reporting being satisfied or very satisfied in 2024.
- 76% of the 2025 respondents reported their overall satisfaction with Student Life at Barton College as "satisfied" or "very satisfied" (vs 81% in 2024).

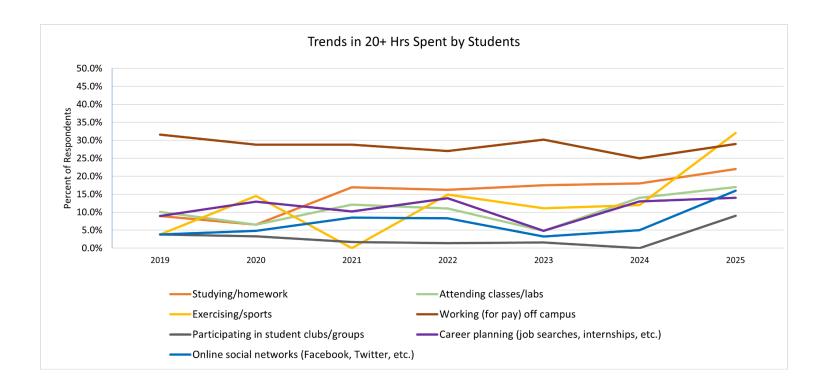
#### **USE OF TIME AS SENIORS**

The following tables contain the 2025 responses about the ways respondents used their time as seniors.

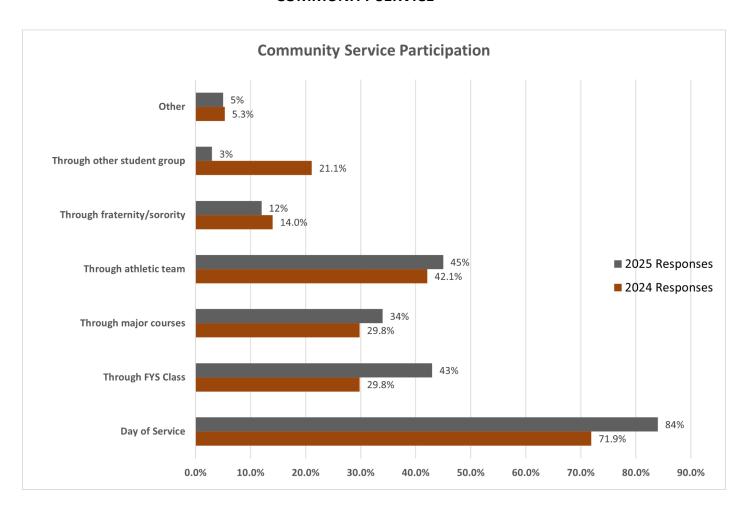
2025	none	less than 1 hour	1-2 hours	3-5 hours	6-10 hours	11-15 hours	16-20 hours	over 20 hours
Studying/homework	0.0%	0.0%	10.0%	21.0%	28.0%	12.0%	7.0%	22.0%
Attending classes/labs	0.0%	2.0%	5.0%	28.0%	22.0%	19.0%	7.0%	17.0%
Exercising/sports	12.0%	9.0%	9.0%	12.0%	4.0%	14.0%	9.0%	32.0%
Partying	43.0%	16.0%	14.0%	10.0%	7.0%	5.0%	2.0%	3.0%
Socializing with friends	7.0%	12.0%	21.0%	17.0%	12.0%	19.0%	0.0%	12.0%
Working (for pay) on campus	55.0%	3.0%	7.0%	7.0%	3.0%	16.0%	0.0%	9.0%
Working (for pay) off campus	47.0%	0.0%	0.0%	3.0%	5.0%	12.0%	3.0%	29.0%
Participating in student clubs/groups	46.0%	9.0%	11.0%	9.0%	7.0%	11.0%	0.0%	9.0%
Watching TV	3.0%	16.0%	29.0%	24.0%	10.0%	7.0%	3.0%	7.0%
Providing childcare	69.0%	2.0%	5.0%	7.0%	7.0%	3.0%	2.0%	5.0%
Commuting	24.0%	22.0%	16.0%	12.0%	7.0%	5.0%	0.0%	14.0%
Praying/meditating	31.0%	24.0%	19.0%	5.0%	5.0%	9.0%	0.0%	7.0%
Career planning (job searches, internships, etc.)	10.0%	22.0%	7.0%	21.0%	16.0%	5.0%	5.0%	14.0%
Online social networks (Facebook, Twitter, etc.)	2.0%	12.0%	14.0%	21.0%	21.0%	12.0%	3.0%	16.0%

- 52% of seniors reported working for pay off-campus (versus 56.3% in 2024 and 61.9% in 2023); 32% of the 2023 respondents indicated they worked off campus for 16 or more hours per week (vs 30% in 2024).
- 45% of the respondents stated that they worked on campus (versus 38.6% in 2024)
- In 2025, 22% reported spending over 20 hours per week studying or doing homework, up from 17.5% in 2024.
- 54% reported commuting more than 1 hour per week versus 49.1% in 2024.
- 31% of the respondents reported spending 6 hours or more per week on online social networks (versus 38.1% in 2023).
- 52% of the respondents spent no time weekly participating in student clubs/orgs (versus 42.1% in 2024 and 55.6% in 2023)

The following graph displays trends in time spent in 7 categories over the past 6 years; "studying/homework", "attending classes/labs", "exercising/sports", "working (for pay) off campus", "participating in student clubs/groups", "career planning", and "online social networks".



#### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**



• Of all survey respondents, 93% indicated that they had participated in community service while a student at Barton College in 2025 (up from 76.9% in 2024), with 84% indicating that they did so as part of Day of Service (up from 71.9% in 2024).

#### **USE OF TECHNOLOGY**

- 100% of the respondents reported that they used their own computer while attending Barton.
- A variety of computing devices were used to complete homework assignments, including personal PC laptop (45%); personal MAC laptop (52%); personal PC desktop (2%); personal Mac desktop (3%); personal tablet (15.8%); personal Chromebook (28%); and Barton-owned desktop (5%) or laptop (2%). Respondents could select more than one response to this question.
- When asked if these students had access to the technology they needed to learn remotely, 96% responded in the affirmative (down from 100% in 2024).

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

• In the coming year, 71% of respondents planned to be working full time (versus 68.4% in 2024, 67.7% in 2023 and 76.9% in 2022), 33% plan on attending graduate/professional school (versus 29.8% in 2024, 40% in 2023, and 32.1% in 2022), 2% plan to enter military service, and 5% plan to care for a home or family (versus 10.5% in 2024 and 7.7% in 2023). 5% are undecided.

#### The current employment plans from respondents are as follows:

- 33% have already found a job (versus 48.2% in 2024, 32.1% in 2023, and 22.4% in 2022).
- 42% are looking for a job (versus 37.5% in 2024, 44.6% in 2023, and 61.2% in 2022).
- 24% will begin looking for a job after graduation (versus 8.9% in 2024, 16.1% in 2023, and 14.9% in 2022).
- 2% are not planning to be employed after graduation (versus 5.3% in 2024, 7.1% in 2023, and 1.5% in 2022).

#### **CHOOSING OR RECOMMENDING BARTON**

• 59% polled said they definitely would or probably would choose Barton College if they had the decision to make again (up from 72.7% in 2024, 70.7% in 2023, and 71.3% in 2022). 64% responded that they would recommend Barton College to a friend or family member (down from 72.2% in 2024, 78.9% in 2023 and 73.6%).

#### **ATTACHMENTS**

Attachment 1 displays the 2025 survey responses

Attachment 2 is a blank copy of the survey used.

## Final No Comments

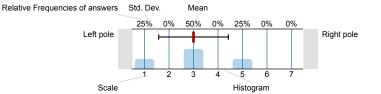
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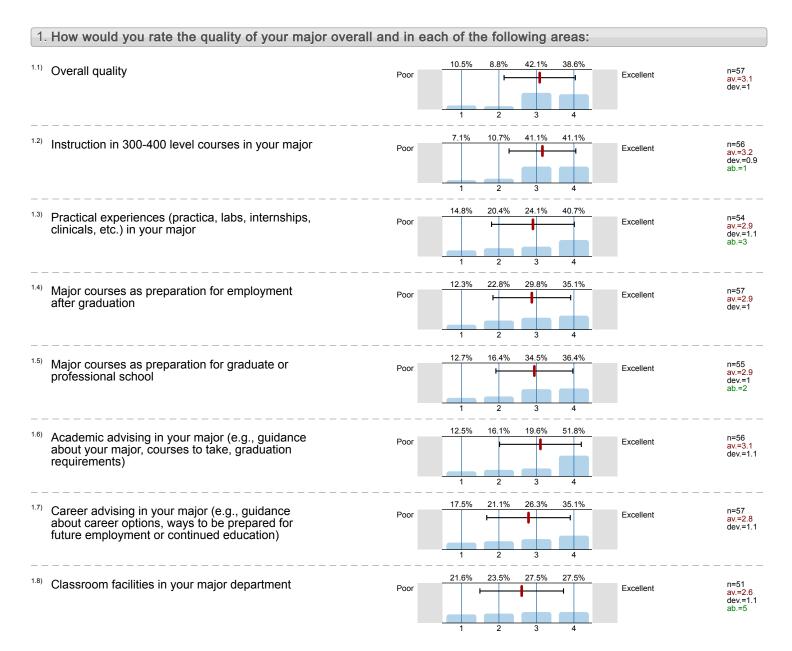
#### Survey Results

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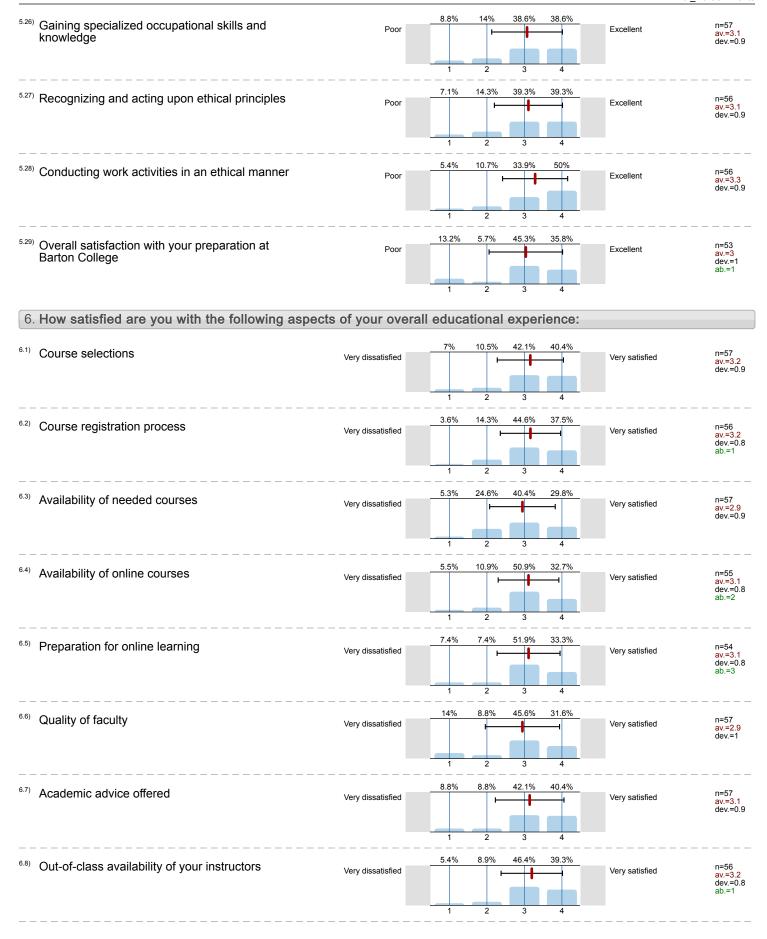


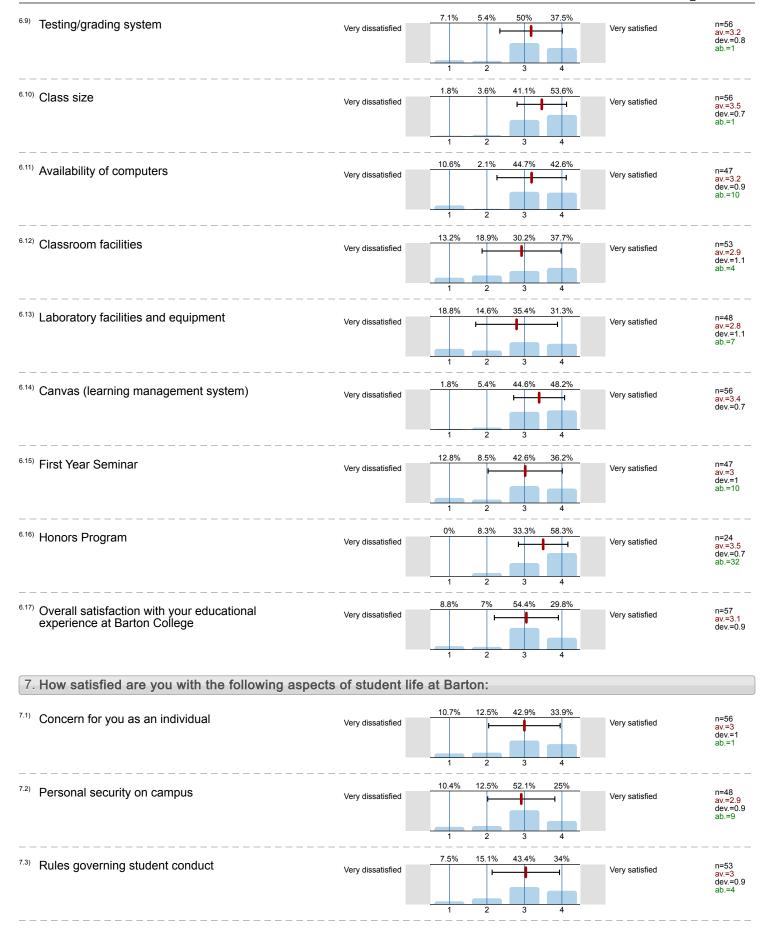
#### 2. How adequate were each of the following for courses in your major: 11.1% 48.9% Laboratory/studio facilities n=45 av.=2.7 dev.=1 ab.=12 Inadequte More than adequate 11.8% 43.1% Library books, resources and reference materials n=51 Inadequte More than adequate av.=3.1 dev.=0.9 ab.=6 3. How often did you do each of the following in your major: n=57 av.=3.4 dev.=0.8 Applied concepts learned in my major to solve Frequently actual problems 28.1% Expressed ideas in writing in courses in my major n=57 av.=3.3 dev.=0.9 Never Frequently 29.8% 5.3% 14% 50.9% Expressed ideas orally in courses in my major n=57 av.=3.3 dev.=0.9 Never Frequently 36.8% 3.5% 19.3% 40.4% n=57 av.=3.1 dev.=0.9 Conducted or assisted in a research project Frequently Never 17.5% 22.8% 45.6% How often did a faculty member in your major express special interest in your progress? n=57 Frequently Never av.=3 dev.=1.1 4. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your major: Grading procedures in my major courses were fair n=57 av.=3.2 dev.=0.9 Strongly disagree Strongly agree 14% My advisor was knowledgeable about degree n=57 av.=3.4 dev.=0.9 Strongly disagree Strongly agree requirements 2 8.8% 33.3% 50.9% My advisor was involved in my educational n=57 Strongly disagree Strongly agree av.=3.3 dev.=0.9 planning 14% 15.8% 31.6% n=57 av.=2.9 dev.=1.1 My advisor was involved in my career planning Strongly disagree Strongly agree



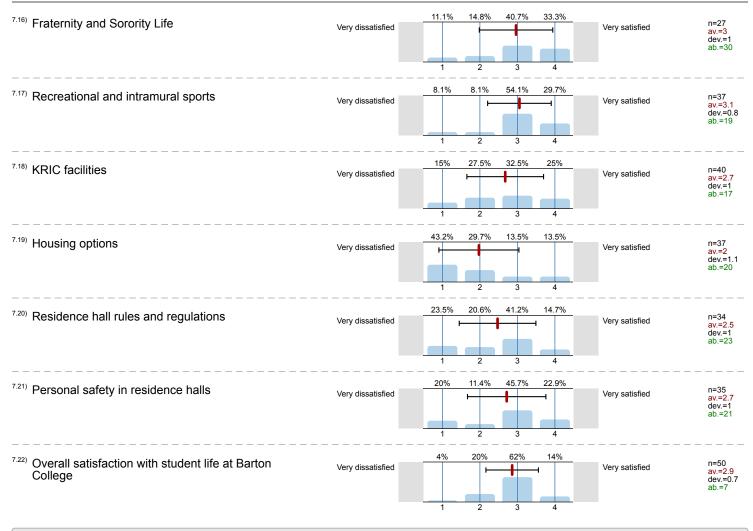




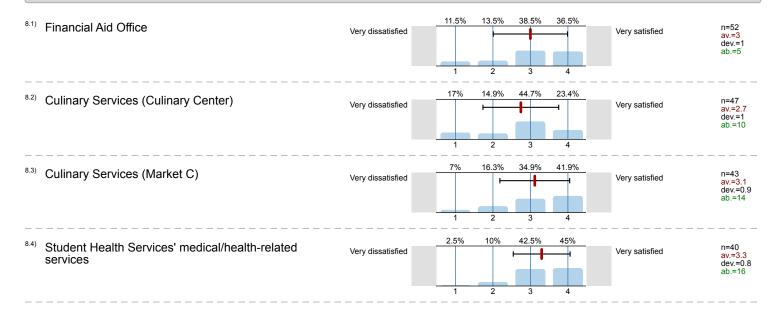




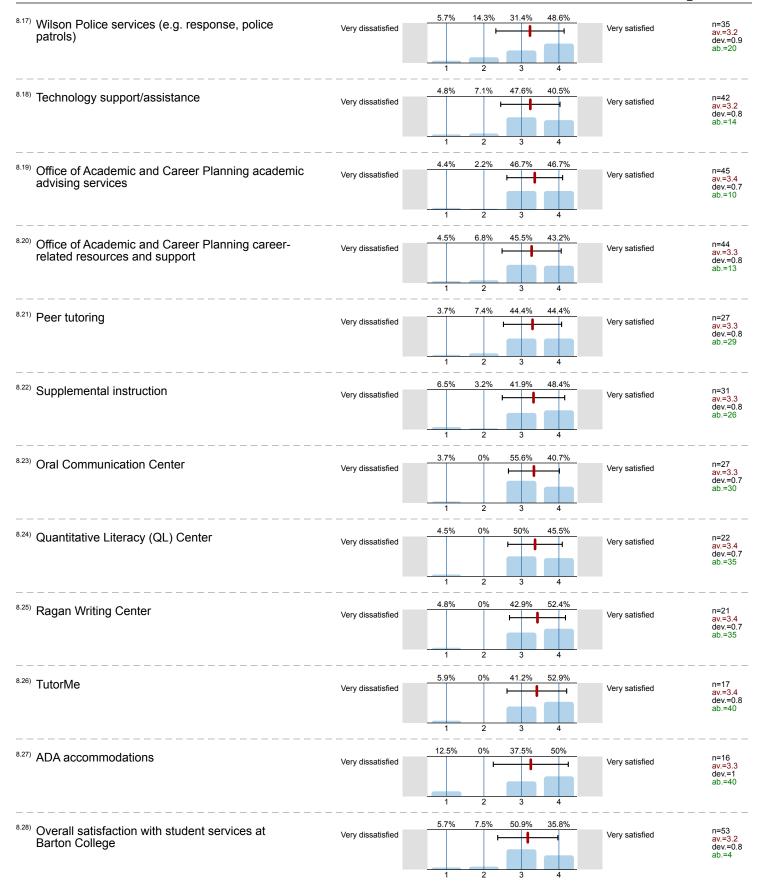




8. This question asks about services you may have used while at Barton College. If you used a service, please indicate below the degree of your satisfaction with that service. If you did not use the service, please select "Not applicable/No opinion."







9. Community Service			
9.1) Did you participate in community service while a student at Barton?			
Yes		93%	n=57
No		7%	
9.2) If you answered "yes" to the preceding question, in what ways did yo	u participate (Please check all that a		
Day of Service		84.5%	n=58
Through my FYS class		43.1%	
Through courses in my major		34.5%	
Stop Hunger Now		0%	
Through my athletic team		44.8%	
Through my fraternity/sorority		12.1%	
Through another student organization	_	3.4%	
Other	0	5.2%	
10. Technology			
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<sup>10.1)</sup> Did you use your own computer while attending Barton College?			
Yes		100%	n=57
No		0%	
10.2) What computing device(s) did you use to complete your homework a	ssignments? (Check all that apply.)		
PC laptop (personal)	(	44.8%	n=58
MAC laptop (personal)		51.7%	
PC desktop (personal)		1.7%	
MAC desktop (personal)	<b>V</b>	3.4%	
Tablet (personal)		27.6%	
Chromebook (personal)		0%	
Laptop (Barton-owned)	Λ	1.7%	
Desktop (Barton-owned)	•	5.2%	
Other	<u> </u>	1.7%	
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<sup>10.3)</sup> Did you have access to the technology that you needed to learn remo	 otely?		
Yes		96.4%	n=56
No	0	3.6%	
11. What is your gender?			
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Final\_No Comments 11.1) n=58 Female 69% Male 24.1% Non-binary 0% Prefer not to say 6.9% 12. Are you Hispanic or Latino? n=58 13.8% No 86.2% 13. Which of the following races best describes you: 13.1) n=58 American Indian or Alaska Native () 1.7% Asian 0% Black or African American 20.7% Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander 0% Non-Resident Alien () 1.7% Two or more races 5.2% Unknown 0% White 70.7% 14. What year did you first enter Barton College? 14.1) n=53 2022 30.2% 2021 58.5% 2020 11.3% 2019 0% 2018 0% 2017 0%

15. Graduation date:		
13. Graduation date.		

2014 or earlier

2016

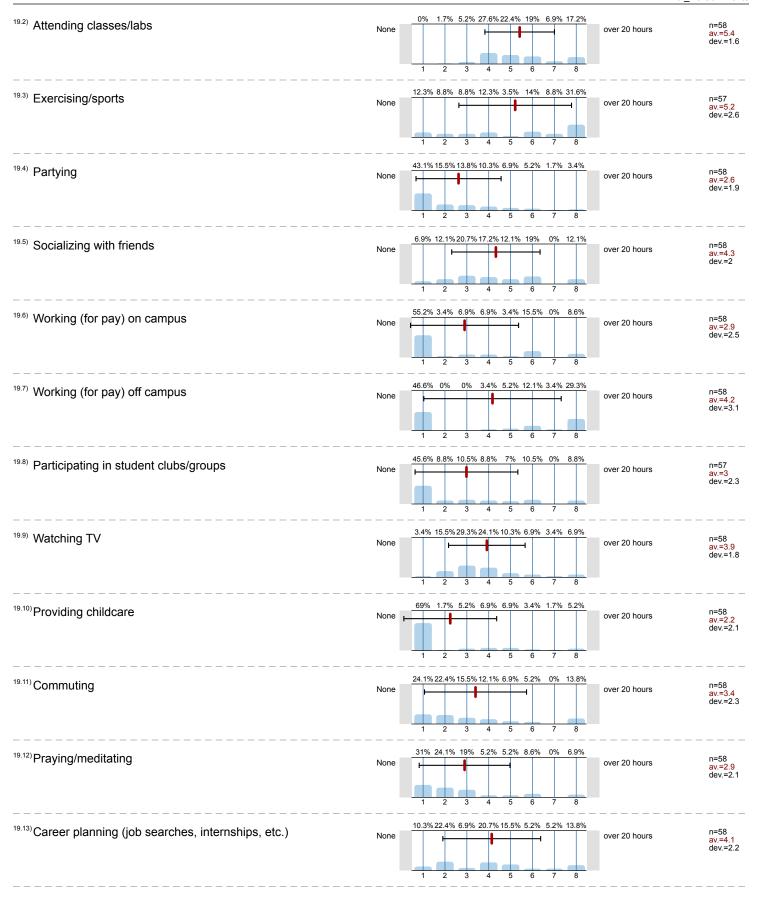
2015

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0%

15.1)			
Graduated in December 2022		0%	n=54
May 2023	0	1.9%	
August 2023		0%	
Other		98.1%	
Not sure		0%	
16. What is the highest level of education COMPLETED by yo	ur Parent 1?		
16.1)			
Jr. High/Middle School (grades 6-8)		5.2%	n=58
High School (grades 9-12)		27.6%	
2 Year College		13.8%	
4 Year College		27.6%	
Graduate School		24.1%	
Unknown	0	1.7%	
17. What is the highest level of education COMPLETED by yo	ur Parent 2?		
17.1)			
			n=58
Jr. High/Middle School (grades 6-8)		6.9%	11 00
High School (grades 9-12)		29.3%	
2 Year College		13.8%	
4 Year College		29.3%	
Graduate School		12.1%	
Unknown		8.6%	
18. Do you have a disability, as defined by the Americans with	Disabilities Act (ADA)? Select	all that apply.	
18.1)			
No		96.6%	n=58
Yes, restricted mobility		0%	
Yes, restricted vision		0%	
Yes, restricted speaking		0%	
Yes, restricted hearing		0%	
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19. During your senior year at Barton, how much time did you activities?	spend during a typical week doll	ng the following	
	0% 0% 10 3% 20 7% 27 6% 42 40/ 6 00/ 22 40/		
19.1) Studying/homework None	0% 0% 10.3% 20.7% 27.6% 12.1% 6.9% 22.4%	over 20 hours	n=58 av.=5.5 dev.=1.7



<sup>19.14)</sup>Online social networks (Facebook, Twitter, TikTok, n=58 av.=4.7 dev.=1.9 over 20 hours None SnapChat, etc.) 20. Which one of the following is most descriptive of your enrollment status during your time at Barton? n=58 Traditional full-time student 86.2% Traditional part-time student 3.4% Non-traditional full-time student 6.9% Non-traditional part-time student 3.4% 21. Which one of the following describes your most recent college residence: 21.1) n=57 Residence hall 17.5% Fraternity house 0% Off-campus room/apartment 33.3% Living with parents/relatives 24.6% My own home 24.6% 22. Which of the following describes your plans for the coming year (select all that apply): 22.1) n=58 Look for a job 46.6% Work full-time 70.7% Enter military service [ 1.7% Enroll in a graduate program 32.8% Care for a home/family 5.2% Undecided 5.2% 23. If you plan to work after graduation, which one of the following best describes the current state of your employment plans: 23.1) n=55 Have already found a job 32.7% Am searching for a job 41.8% Will begin searching for a job after graduation 23.6% Do not plan to work (for pay) after graduation 1 1.8% 24. Program(s) of Study:

1.7% 12.1% 13.8% 20.7% 20.7% 12.1% 3.4% 15.5%

Major 1:			
Biology (	(BA) ()	1.8%	n=56 av.=18.4 dev.=11.3
Biology (	(BS)	7.1%	dev.=11.3
Business (	(BA) ()	1.8%	
Business Administration (	(BS)	16.1%	
Chemistry (	(BS) (	1.8%	
Criminal Justice and Criminology (	(BS)	3.6%	
Educational Studies (	(BS) (	1.8%	
Elementary Education (	(BS) ()	1.8%	
Exercise Science (	(BS)	10.7%	
Health Care Administration (	(BS) (	1.8%	
Health Promotion (	(BS) ()	1.8%	
Mass Communication Studies (	(BA) ()	1.8%	
Middle School Education (	(BS)	5.4%	
Nursing (B	SN)	10.7%	
Nursing (RN to B	SN) (	3.6%	
Political Science (	(BS) ()	1.8%	
Psychology (	(BS)	10.7%	
Social Work (BS	SW)	8.9%	
Sport Management (	(BS)	7.1%	
<sup>24.2)</sup> Major 2:	/po)	4000	n=10
Biology (		10%	
Criminal Justice and Criminology (		10%	
Educational Studies (		10%	
Health Promotion (		10%	
Interdisciplinary Studies (		10%	
Psychology (		10%	
Spanish (		30%	
Sport Management (	(BS)	10%	
25. Has the COVID-19 pandemic impacted your academic s	success?		
25.1)			
			n=58
	Yes	15.5%	11-30
	No (	70.7%	
Uns	sure (	13.8%	
26. If you had to make the decision again, would you choos	se to attend Barton College?		

26.1)

Definitely yes	23.2%	n=56
Probably yes	35.7%	
Probably no	25%	
Definitely no	16.1%	

## 27. Would you recommend Barton College to a friend or family member interested in attending college?

27.1)

Yes	63.8%	n=58
No C	36.2%	

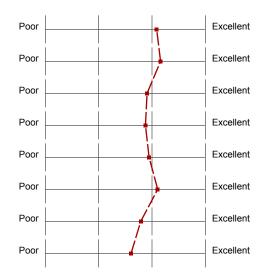
## **Profile**

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#### 1. How would you rate the quality of your major overall and in each of the following areas:

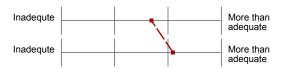
- 1.1) Overall quality
- 1.2) Instruction in 300-400 level courses in your major
- Practical experiences (practica, labs, internships, clinicals, etc.) in your major
- 1.4) Major courses as preparation for employment after graduation
- 1.5) Major courses as preparation for graduate or professional school
- 1.6) Academic advising in your major (e. g., guidance about your major, courses to take, graduation requirements)
- 1.7) Career advising in your major (e.g., guidance about career options, ways to be prepared for future employment or continued education)
- 1.8) Classroom facilities in your major department

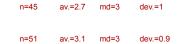


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## 2. How adequate were each of the following for courses in your major:

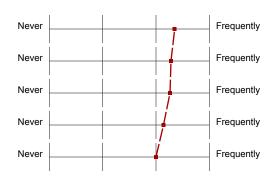
- <sup>2.1)</sup> Laboratory/studio facilities
- 2.2) Library books, resources and reference materials





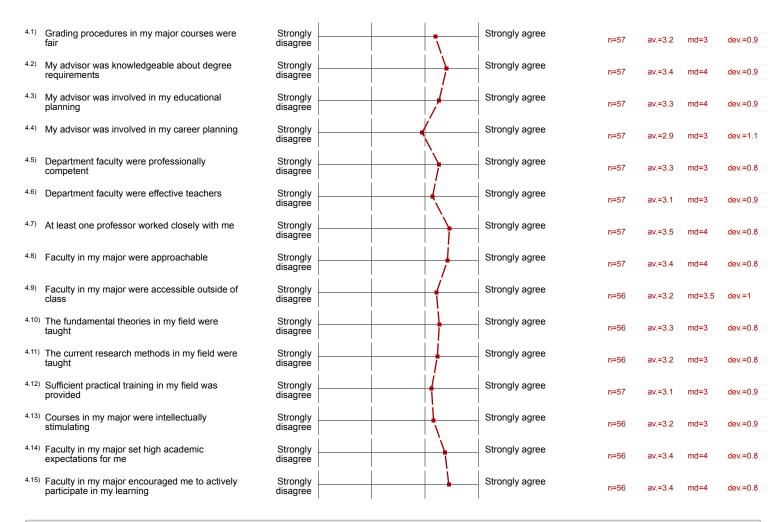
#### 3. How often did you do each of the following in your major:

- 3.1) Applied concepts learned in my major to solve actual problems
- 3.2) Expressed ideas in writing in courses in my major
- 3.3) Expressed ideas orally in courses in my major
- 3.4) Conducted or assisted in a research project
- 3.5) How often did a faculty member in your major express special interest in your progress?

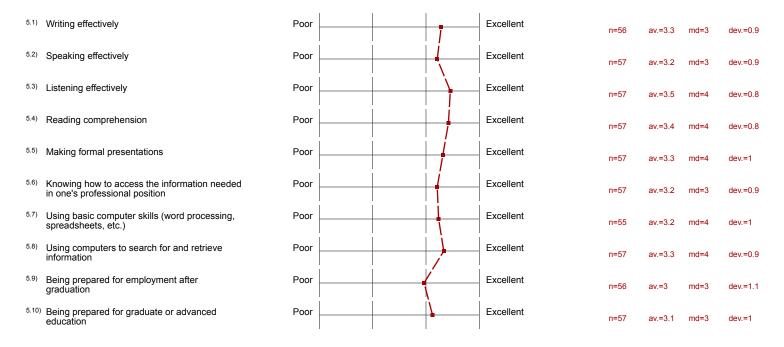


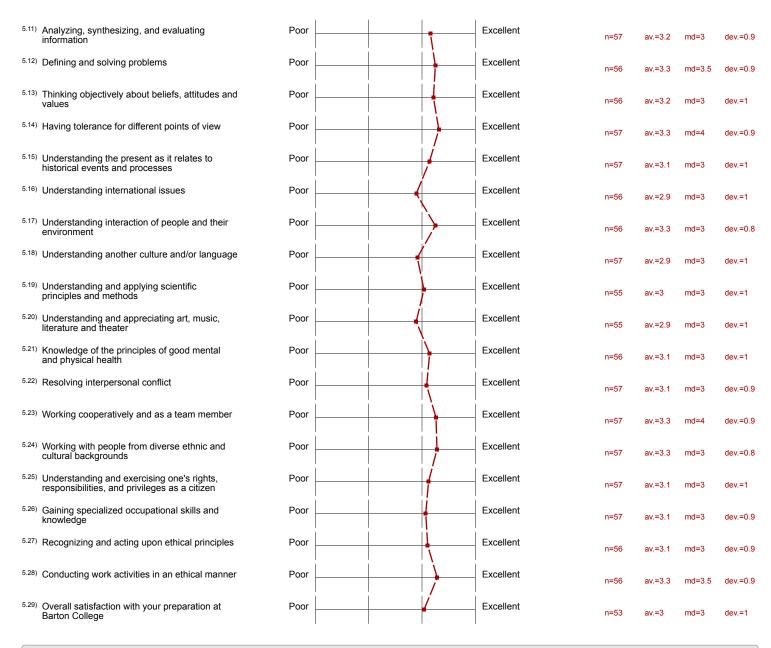
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#### 4. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your major:

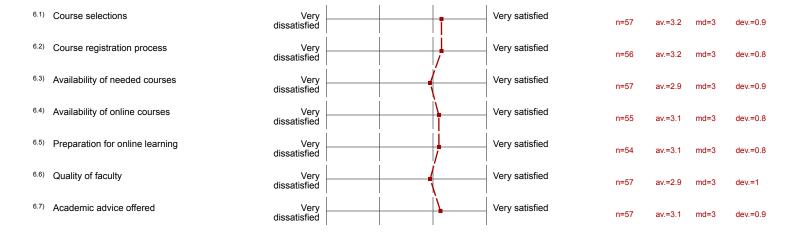


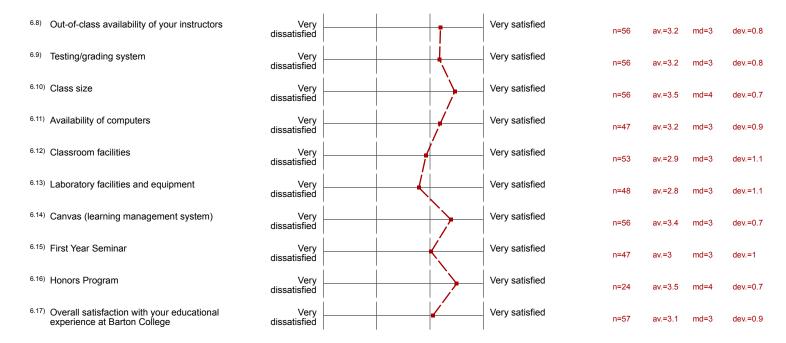
#### 5. For each of the goals listed below, indicate how well you think you were prepared by your experiences at Barton.



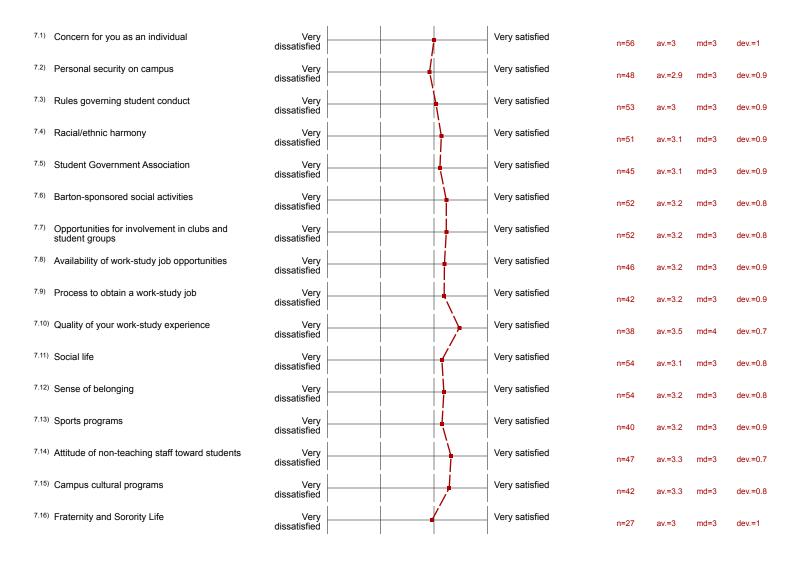


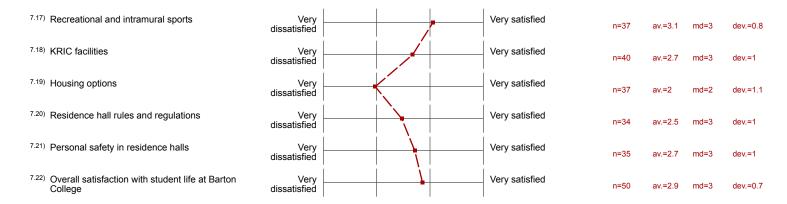
#### 6. How satisfied are you with the following aspects of your overall educational experience:



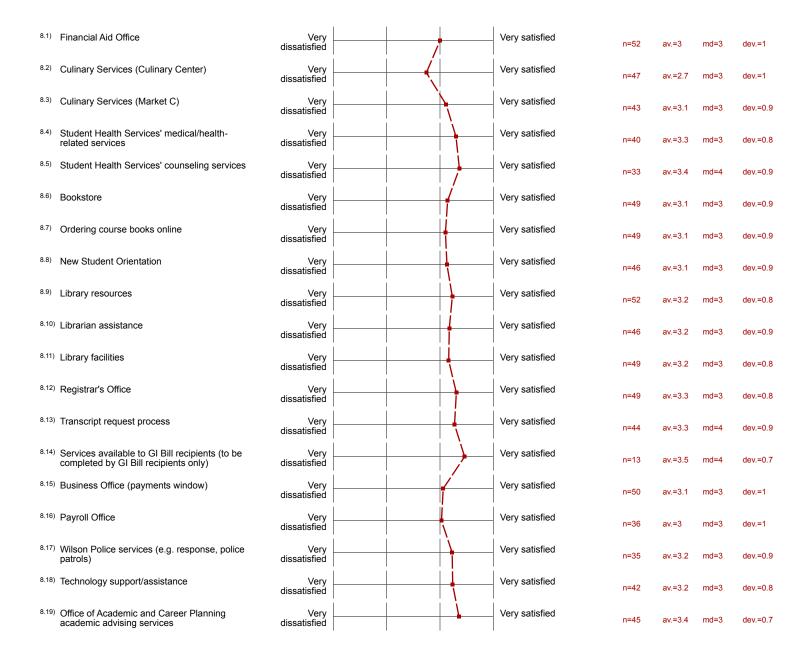


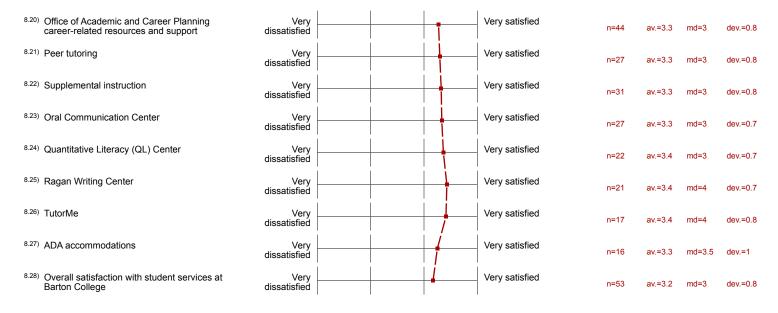
#### 7. How satisfied are you with the following aspects of student life at Barton:



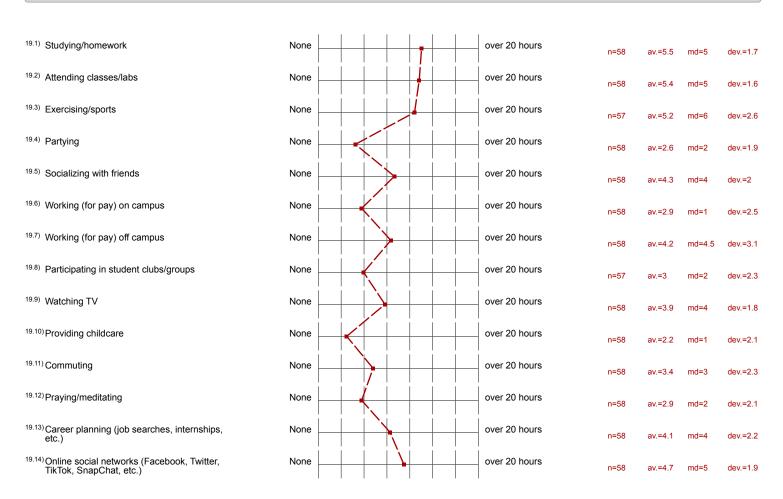


8. This question asks about services you may have used while at Barton College. If you used a service, please indicate below the degree of your satisfaction with that service. If you did not use the service, please select "Not applicable/No opinion."





#### 19. During your senior year at Barton, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?



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College. T	y is part of an on-going process he information you provide will a ring our programs and better me	essist the f	aculty,	staff ar	nd admir	on at Barton nistration in evaluating
where we r	ipation is voluntary. This is you need improvements and where w This survey should take approxir	e excel. P	lease b	e as ho	nest an	nior to let us know d open as
	n collected in the study will be ke ng purposes. No reports will ide					solely for research
	for participating.					
How would	l you rate the quality of your maj	or overall	and in e	each of	the follo	owing areas:
		Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent	No opinion
Practical expe	/ 00-400 level courses in your major eriences (practica, labs, inicals, etc.) in your major					
•	as preparation for employment					
=	as preparation for graduate or					
	rising in your major (e. about your major, courses to take, quirements)					
about career of	ng in your major (e.g., guidance options, ways to be prepared for ment or continued education)					
Classroom fac	cilities in your major department					
How adequ	ate were each of the following fo	or courses	in you	r major	:	
Laboratory/stu Library books,	udio facilities resources and reference materials	Inadequte	Somewhat inadequate	Adequate	More than adequate	Not applicable
How often	did you do each of the following	in your ma	ajor:			
Expressed ide	epts learned in my major to solve actual pro eas in writing in courses in my major eas orally in courses in my major	oblems		Never	Seldom	Occasionally Frequently

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How often	did you do each of the fol	lowing in your	major:	[Continu	ıe]			
	assisted in a research project a faculty member in your major e r progress?	express special						
To what ext	tent do you agree or disaç	gree with each	of the fo	ollowing	stateme	ents about y	our major:	
		Strongly sagree	di- Disagre	e Agree	Strongly agree	No op	inion	
	lures in my major courses were fair s knowledgeable about degree						<del>-</del>	
My advisor wa Department fac	involved in my educational planning s involved in my career planning sulty were professionally competent culty were effective teachers							
At least one pr Faculty in my r Faculty in my m The fundament The current re	rofessor worked closely with me major were approachable ajor were accessible outside of class tal theories in my field were taugh search methods in my field were	t 🗆					] ] ]	
Courses in my i	cal training in my field was provided major were intellectually stimulating major set high academic or me						Ī	
Faculty in my reparticipate in n	major encouraged me to actively ny learning						]	
For each of the goals listed below, indicate how well you think you were prepared by your experiences at Barton.								
		Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent	No op	inion	
Writing effective Speaking effect Listening effect Reading comp Making formal Knowing how in one's profes	ctively ctively orehension						] ] ] ] ]	
	emputer skills (word processing,						]	
•	ers to search for and retrieve						]	
Being prepared Analyzing, syntl Defining and s	d for employment after graduation for graduate or advanced education nesizing, and evaluating information olving problems stively about beliefs, attitudes and						] ] ]	
Having toleran Understanding	ice for different points of view the present as it relates to ts and processes							
Understanding	international issues						]	

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For each of the goals listed be experiences at Barton. [Cont		ow well y	ou thir	ık you v	were pre	epared by your
Understanding interaction of people a environment	nd their					
Understanding another culture and/or Understanding and applying scientific principles and methods	language					
Understanding and appreciating art, material literature and theater	nusic,					
Knowledge of the principles of good mand physical health	ental					
Resolving interpersonal conflict Working cooperatively and as a team Working with people from diverse ethr cultural backgrounds						
Understanding and exercising one's ri responsibilities, and privileges as a cit	ghts, izen					
Gaining specialized occupational skills knowledge	and					
Recognizing and acting upon ethical processes conducting work activities in an ethical Overall satisfaction with your preparate Barton College	ıl manner					
How satisfied are you with the	e following aspe	ects of yo	ur ove	rall edu	cationa	l experience:
		Von	Dissortisfied	Satisfied	Von	Not applicable/No apinion
Course selections Course registration process Availability of needed courses Availability of online courses Preparation for online learning Quality of faculty Academic advice offered Out-of-class availability of your instruct Testing/grading system Class size Availability of computers Classroom facilities Laboratory facilities and equipment Canvas (learning management system First Year Seminar Honors Program Overall satisfaction with your education experience at Barton College	າ) nal	Very dissatisfied		Satisfied	Very satisfied	Not applicable/No opinion
How satisfied are you with the	e following aspe	ects of st	udent I	ife at B	arton:	
Concern for you as an individual Personal security on campus Rules governing student conduct Racial/ethnic harmony Student Government Association		Very dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very satisfied	Not applicable/No opinion

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How satisfied are you	How satisfied are you with the following aspects of student life at Barton: [Continue]								
Barton-sponsored social acti Opportunities for involvemer student groups	vities								
Availability of work-study job Process to obtain a work-study ex Quality of your work-study ex Social life Sense of belonging Sports programs Attitude of non-teaching staft Campus cultural programs Fraternity and Sorority Life Recreational and intramural KRIC facilities Housing options Residence hall rules and reg Personal safety in residence Overall satisfaction with stud College	dy job  kperience  f toward students  sports  ulations halls								
service, please indicat	This question asks about services you may have used while at Barton College. If you used a service, please indicate below the degree of your satisfaction with that service. If you did not use the service, please select "Not applicable/No opinion."								
Financial Aid Office Culinary Services (Culinary Culinary Services (Market Collinary Services)	Center)	Very dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very satisfied	Not applicable/No opinion			
related services Student Health Services' cou Bookstore Ordering course books onlin New Student Orientation Library resources Librarian assistance Library facilities Registrar's Office Transcript request process Services available to GI Bill accompleted by GI Bill recipier	unseling services e								
Business Office (payments v Payroll Office Wilson Police services (e.g.	vindow)								
patrols) Technology support/assistan Office of Academic and Care academic advising services									

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Office of Academic and Career Planning career-related resources and support

Peer tutoring

Supplemental instruction

Oral Communication Center

Class Climate **Graduating Senior Survey Spring 2025** SCANTRON This question asks about services you may have used while at Barton College. If you used a service, please indicate below the degree of your satisfaction with that service. If you did not use the service, please select "Not applicable/No opinion." [Continue] Quantitative Literacy (QL) Center Ragan Writing Center П TutorMe ADA accommodations Overall satisfaction with student services at **Barton College Community Service** Did you participate in community service while a □ Yes П № student at Barton? If you answered "yes" to the preceding question, in what ways did you participate (Please check all that apply.) □ Day of Service ☐ Through my FYS class ☐ Through courses in my major ☐ Through my fraternity/sorority ☐ Stop Hunger Now ☐ Through my athletic team ☐ Through another student organization ☐ Other How many hours of community service would you estimate you performed during your Barton career? Technology П № Did you use your own computer while attending ☐ Yes Barton College? What computing device(s) did you use to complete your homework assignments? (Check all that apply.) ☐ MAC laptop (personal) ☐ PC laptop (personal) ☐ PC desktop (personal) ☐ MAC desktop (personal) ☐ Tablet (personal) ☐ Chromebook (personal) ☐ Laptop (Barton-owned) ☐ Desktop (Barton-owned) ☐ Other Did you have access to the technology that you ☐ Yes □ No needed to learn remotely? If you answered "No" above, what kind of technology were you lacking access to? What unique computer programs did you use in your major (eg, SAS)? What is your gender? ☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Non-binary □ Prefer not to say Are you Hispanic or Latino? ☐ No ☐ Yes Which of the following races best describes you:

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Which of the following races b	pest describes you: [Continue	el								
☐ American Indian or Alaska Native ☐ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	☐ Asian ☐ Non-Resident Alien	•	ican American e races							
☐ Unknown	☐ White									
What year did you first enter B	Barton College?									
	☐ 2022 ☐ 2019 ☐ 2016	☐ 2021 ☐ 2018 ☐ 2015	☐ 2020 ☐ 2017 ☐ 2014 or earlier							
Graduation date:	_	<u>_</u>	<u>_</u>							
	☐ Graduated in December 202	☐ May 2023 22	☐ August 2023							
	☐ Other	☐ Not sure								
What is the highest level of ed	lucation COMPLETED by you	r Parent 1?								
	☐ Jr. High/Middle School (grades	High School (grades 9-12)	☐ 2 Year College							
	☐ 4 Year College	, , ,	I 🗌 Unknown							
What is the highest level of education COMPLETED by your Parent 2?										
	☐ Jr. High/Middle School (grades	High School (grades 9-12)	☐ 2 Year College							
	☐ 4 Year College	e ☐ Graduate Schoo	I 🔲 Unknown							
Do you have a disability, as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)? Select all that apply.										
☐ No ☐ Yes, restricted speaking Other (please specify)	☐ Yes, restricted mobility ☐ Yes, restricted hearing	☐ Yes, restrict	ed vision							
During your senior year at Bar following activities?	rton, how much time did you	spend during a typic	cal week doing the							
Studying/homework Attending classes/labs Exercising/sports Partying Socializing with friends Working (for pay) on campus Working (for pay) off campus		None Less 1-2 3-5 6-10 than hours hours hours								

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Class Climate Graduating Senior Survey Spring 2025 SCANTRON Which one of the following is most descriptive of your enrollment status during your time at Barton? ☐ Traditional full-☐ Traditional part-☐ Non-traditional time student time student full-time student Non-traditional part-time student Which one of the following describes your most recent college residence: ☐ Residence hall ☐ Fraternity house ☐ Off-campus room/ apartment ☐ Living with ☐ My own home parents/relatives Which of the following describes your plans for the coming year (select all that apply): ☐ Work full-time Look for a job ☐ Enter military service ☐ Enroll in a graduate program ☐ Care for a home/family ☐ Undecided Other (please specify): Where do you plan to enroll in a graduate program? If you plan to work after graduation, which one of the following best describes the current state of your employment plans: Have already ☐ Am searching for Will begin searching for a job found a job a job after graduation ☐ Do not plan to work (for pay) after graduation Program(s) of Study: Major 1: ☐ Art and Design (BFA) ☐ Biology (BA) ☐ Biology (BS) ☐ Birth-Kindergarten Education (BS) Business (BA) ☐ Business Administration (BS) ☐ Chemistry (BS) ☐ Criminal Justice and Criminology (BS) ☐ Educational Studies (BS) ☐ Elementary Education (BS) ☐ English with Teacher Licensure (BA) ☐ English (BA) ☐ Exercise Science (BS) ☐ Gerontology (BS) ☐ Health Care Administration (BS) ☐ Health Promotion (BS) ☐ Interdisciplinary Arts and Media (BA) ☐ History (BA) ☐ Interdisciplinary Studies (BA) ☐ Mass Communication Studies (BA) ☐ Mass Communications (BS) ☐ Mathematics (BA) ☐ Mathematics (BS) ☐ Middle School Education (BS) ☐ Nursing (BSN) ☐ Nursing (RN to BSN) ☐ Photojournalism (BS) ☐ Political Science (BS) ☐ Psychology (BS) ☐ Religious Studies (BA) ☐ Social Studies (BS) ☐ Social Work (BSW) ☐ Social Studies (BA) ☐ Spanish (BA) ☐ Special Education (BS) ☐ Sport Management (BS) ☐ Studio Art (BA) **Teacher Assistant to Elementary Teacher Assistant to Special** Education (BS) Education (BS) ☐ Theatre (BA) ☐ Visual Communications (BA)

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Program(s) of Study: [Continue]									
Major 2:  Art and Design (BFA)  Birth-Kindergarten Education (BS)  Chemistry (BS)  Elementary Education (BS)  Exercise Science (BS)  Health Promotion (BS)  Interdisciplinary Studies (BA)  Mathematics (BA)  Nursing (BSN)  Political Science (BS)  Social Studies (BA)  Spanish (BA)  Studio Art (BA)  Minor 1:	<ul> <li>□ Biology (BA)</li> <li>□ Business (BA)</li> <li>□ Criminal Justice and Criminology (BS)</li> <li>□ English (BA)</li> <li>□ Gerontology (BS)</li> <li>□ History (BA)</li> <li>□ Mass Communication Studies (BA)</li> <li>□ Mathematics (BS)</li> <li>□ Nursing (RN to BSN)</li> <li>□ Psychology (BS)</li> <li>□ Social Studies (BS)</li> <li>□ Special Education (BS)</li> <li>□ Theatre (BA)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Biology (BS)</li> <li>□ Business Administration (BS)</li> <li>□ Educational Studies (BS)</li> <li>□ English with Teacher Licensure (BA)</li> <li>□ Health Care Administration (BS)</li> <li>□ Interdisciplinary Arts and Media (BA)</li> <li>□ Mass Communications (BS)</li> <li>□ Middle School Education (BS)</li> <li>□ Photojournalism (BS)</li> <li>□ Religion and Philosophy (BA)</li> <li>□ Social Work (BSW)</li> <li>□ Sport Management (BS)</li> <li>□ Visual Communications (BA)</li> </ul>							
Minor 2:									
What do you like best about your major?	What are the strengths of your major?								
What do you like least about your major?	What are the weakness of your major?								
What do you like best about Barton? What	at are Barton's strengths?								
What do you like least about Barton? What are Barton's opportunities for improvement?									
Has the COVID-19 pandemic imp	pacted your academic success?								
		No Unsure							

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Has the COVID-1	9 pandemic impacted yo	our academic succes	ss? [Continue]	
	0-19 has impacted your academ			
If you had to mal	ce the decision again, wo	ould vou choose to a	attend Barton Colle	ege?
	,	☐ Definitely yes☐ Definitely no	☐ Probably yes	☐ Probably no
Please explain your re	easons:	•		
Would you recom	nmend Barton College to	a friend or family me	ember interested in	attending college?
		☐ Yes	□ No	
Please explain your re	easons:			
	ır time and assistance in <sub>l</sub> grams and services.	providing feedback th	nat will assist Barto	n College in
Please be on the	ookout for an email soon	from the Office of Ac	ademic and Career	Planning about the

First Destination Survey of seniors.

Don't forget to keep in touch with Barton after you leave. You can find us on Facebook (facebook.com/bartoncollege), Twitter (twitter.com/bartoncollege), and Instagram (instagram.com/barton.college).

You can also join the Barton Alumni Network by visiting bartonalumni.com and creating a profile.