

Honors U-Night Survey 2010-2011

Brief description of program: High school juniors and seniors attend a day and a half on campus in order to learn more about the U, tour campus and the resident halls, sit in on a classroom, learn about the Honors College, meet with an academic advisor and hear from a few services on campus. They stay overnight in the resident halls with a current Honors student and attend a current student event on campus.

Who was asked to complete survey: High school student participants and their parents/family members

Respondents: 29 high school students; 19 parents/family members

Administration Type: iTouches and paper

Summary of Key Findings:

- 100% of participants agreed or strongly agreed that the event was worthwhile to attend
- 22.92% indicated that the MOST helpful part of the visit was meeting with current students
- 100% of participants agreed or strongly agreed that they understood the importance of the Honors College
- 85.7% of student participants strongly agreed that their student host was friendly and courteous
- 67.67% are more likely to attend the U after their Honors U-Night visit

Actions Taken:

- Based on comments at the end of the survey we will do the following:
 - Enhance the evening activity such as have them attend a sporting event or select which evening activity they would like to attend prior to coming to the event

Which department and/or program goals does this survey align with?

- Educate future undergraduate students about the opportunities available through higher education and at the University of Utah. Specific target groups include in-state and out-of-state freshmen and transfer students, ethnically diverse students, underrepresented students, academically talented students, non-traditional students, and international students.
- Guide, support, and advocate for future students throughout the inquiry to enrolled process.
- Provide future student groups and their families academically enriching experiences and programs on campus

Which Student Affairs goals does this survey align with?

c. Promote experiential learning opportunities (e.g. career development, internships, mentoring programs and part-time employment).

d. Support leadership opportunities (e.g. community engagement, volunteerism, student organizations involvement and peer-to-peer mentoring).