

COLLEGE OF ALAMEDA LIBRARY – STUDENT SURVEY TABULATED RESPONSES

The survey resulted in nearly 230 completed questionnaires of which 217 were valid (contained applicable responses). Given that some 700 students were selected for the survey, the return rate was approx. 31% or significant – the error level at 90% confidence equals 4.7%, at 95% confidence, the error is 5.5%.

		STRONGLY AGREE	AGREE	DISAGREE	STRONGLY DISAGREE	UNSURE/NO OPINION
1	I use the Library to read and study alone	47	94	38	18	20
	%	22	43	16	8	9
2	I use the Library to study in groups	13	79	74	31	20
		6	36	34	14	9
3	I use the Library to get information for writing a paper and other class assignments	66	75	56	0	20
	%	30	35	26	0	9
4	I go to the Library to use the textbooks and other class materials on reserve	42	89	54	11	20
		19	41	25	5	9
5	I go to the Library to use or read print magazines, newspapers and journals	16	39	94	44	24
	%	7	18	43	20	11
6	I go to the Library to have copies made of the media resources assigned by my instr.	6	34	121	32	24
		3	16	56	15	11
7	I go to the Library to use the photocopiers	39	107	37	14	20
	%	18	49	17	7	9
8	I use Library computers for personal and/or class-related email	49	58	75	5	30
		22	27	35	2	14
9	I use Library computers to search the internet for info for my class assignments	76	45	59	11	26
	%	35	21	27	5	12
10	I ask a Librarian to help me find materials to print or on the Internet for my classes	43	49	48	53	24
		20	23	22	24	11
11	I use the library's online Article Database for my class assignments	34	64	86	9	24
	%	16	30	40	4	11
12	I find Library Orientations to be helpful for my class assignments	5	63	89	21	39
		2	29	41	10	18
13	I find the Library handouts helpful for my research and study needs	19	71	72	26	29
	%	9	33	33	12	13
14	My instructors require a Library Research assignment	9	17	70	88	33
		4	8	32	41	15
15	I know how to find a book in the Library using the online catalog	60	69	50	14	24
	%	28	32	23	7	11
16	I know how to find good internet information for my assignments	87	99	11	0	20
		40	46	5	0	9
17	The Library has enough books to complete my assignments	41	70	59	0	47
	%	19	32	27	0	22
18	The Library has enough magazines, newspapers & journals to complete my work	24	84	54	22	33
		11	39	25	10	15
19	The Library has enough Audio/Visual/multimedia resources	28	60	34	29	66
	%	13	28	16	13	30
20	The library is open enough hours for my research and study needs	41	81	45	19	31
		19	37	21	9	14
21	The Library has enough seating and study rooms	28	77	82	1	29
	%	13	36	38	1	13

Turn over →

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22	The Library has enough computer workstations for my study needs	10	88	78	0	41
		5	41	36	0	19
23	The level of quite in the Library is good for studying	22	122	43	6	24
		% 10	56	20	3	11
24	The Library environment and facilities are clean, well lit, and comfortable	30	94	46	23	24
		14	43	21	11	11
25	Other student services in L Building are easy to locate	15	71	86	0	45
		% 7	33	40	0	21
26	The Reference Librarians are helpful	17	106	46	0	48
		8	49	21	0	22
27	The Library staff at the service area(Circulation, Reserve) is helpful	26	133	4	0	54
		% 12	61	2	0	25