**Undergraduate Students Summer School Survey**

**Page 1: Introduction page**

Dear WIU undergraduate students:

This survey was developed by the Faculty Senate Summer School Committee to obtain the general opinions from our students regarding the summer school courses offered at Western Illinois University. Your participation will provide us valuable information that the university will use for developing summer school courses in the future.

It will take approximately 10 minutes to complete this survey.

Your responses are completely confidential. There is no risk for revealing your opinions regarding the various summer school programs. However, we need your honest input which will become meaningful information for us.

If you are willing to take this survey, please click the ‘**Yes, I will participate’** option below.

* **Yes, I will participate**
* **No, I will not participate**

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Q21. Are you considering taking a summer school course (or courses)? Yes, No

🡺 (use logic) the following ‘open ended question pops up when ‘no’ is chosen.

What is the reason for not taking a summer school course (or courses)? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Q22. What kind of course do you want most in summer? (pulldown menu) courses in major, electives, general education

Q23. Why would you consider taking summer school classes – Check all that apply?

* To maintain/Improve GPA
* To lighten my load during the academic year
* To complete graduation requirements early
* Because a course needed is offered only in Summer
* To fulfill prerequisites
* To retake classes
* To resolve the conflicting schedule in the regular semesters
* I am a full-time employee
* I think summer courses are easier
* To avoid another professor who teachers the courses

Q24. Have you taken summer school courses at other institutions? Yes, No

* (Use logic: if Q24 is answered Yes, then pops up the following Q25)

Q25. What are(were) the reasons for taking summer school courses at another institution?

* + Cheaper tuition – such as at a local community college
  + Close to home for the summer
  + More summer offerings at another institution
  + Easier class
  + Other ( leave open ended section for other).

Q26. Are you planning to take summer school courses at other institutions? Yes, No

* (Use logic: if Q26 is answered Yes, then pops up the following Q27)

Q27. What are(were) the reasons for taking summer school courses at another institution?

* + Cheaper tuition – such as at a local community college
  + Close to home for the summer
  + More summer offerings at another institution
  + Easier class
  + Other & leave open ended section for other.

Q28. Currently, most summer courses at WIU are three credit hour courses. Would you like to take any courses during the summer at WIU **if offered for 1 credit hour**? Yes, No

Q29. Currently, most summer courses at WIU are three credit hour courses. Would you like to take any courses during the summer at WIU **if offered for 2 credit hours**? Yes, No

Q230. How likely would you be to take them during the summer at WIU **If general courses were offered at the same price as at community colleges**?

**1 (most unlikely) 2 (unlikely) 3 (neutral) 4 (likely) 5 (most likely)**

Q231. How would you most like summer school courses to be taught? **face-to-face online**

**Page 3. Opinions about various face-to-face summer school courses**

Following are **various face-to-face formats** for summer school courses. Please read the description of each format and indicate how likely you are to take each by using the 5-point response scale (1=most unlikely to 5=most likely)

Q31. **Maymester Course:**  face-to-face; three weeks; M-F; beginning on Monday following commencement.

How likely would you be to take this **Maymester Course**?  **1 (most unlikely) 2 (unlikely) 3 (neutral) 4 (likely) 5 (most likely)**

Q32. **First 4 Weeks Course:** face-to-face; four weeks; M-Th; beginning the first week of June

How likely would you be to take this First 4 Weeks course? **1 (most unlikely) 2 (unlikely) 3 (neutral) 4 (likely) 5 (most likely)**

Q33. **Second 4 Weeks Course:** face-to-face; four weeks; meeting M-Th; beginning the first week of July

How likely would you be to take this **Second 4 Weeks Course**? **1 (most unlikely) 2 (unlikely) 3 (neutral) 4 (likely) 5 (most likely)**

**Q34. First 6 Weeks Face-to-Face Course:** face-to-face; Six weeks; meeting M-Th or varied by the instructor; beginning the first week of June and ending the 2nd week of July

How likely would you be to take this **First 6 Weeks Face-to-Face Course**? **1 (most unlikely) 2 (unlikely) 3 (neutral) 4 (likely) 5 (most likely)**

**Q35. Second 6 Weeks Face-to-Face Course:** Six weeks; meeting M-Th or varied by the instructor; beginning the first week of July and ending the 2nd week of August

How likely would you be to take this **Second 6 Weeks Face-to-Face Course**? **1 (most unlikely) 2 (unlikely) 3 (neutral) 4 (likely) 5 (most likely)**

**Q36. All 8 Weeks Face-to-Face Course:** eight weeks; meetings M-Th or twice a week or varied by the instructor; beginning the first week of June and ending in July

How likely would you be to take this **All 8 Weeks Face-to-Face Course**? **1 (most unlikely) 2 (unlikely) 3 (neutral) 4 (likely) 5 (most likely)**

Q37. **All 8 Weeks Course (compressed):** face-to-face; 8 weeks; **meeting in class on Saturdays only**; beginning the first week of June

How likely would you be to take this **All 8 Weeks Course (compressed)**? **1 (most unlikely) 2 (unlikely) 3 (neutral) 4 (likely) 5 (most likely)**

**Page 4. Opinions about various online summer school courses**

Following are **various online formats** for summer school courses. Please read the description of each format and indicate **how likely you are to take them by using the 5-point response scale (1=most unlikely to 5=most likely)**

**Q39. 6 weeks Online Course:** face-to-face; Six weeks; beginning the first week of June and ending the 2nd week of July

How likely would you be to take this **6 weeks Online Course**? **1 (most unlikely) 2 (unlikely) 3 (neutral) 4 (likely) 5 (most likely)**

**Q40. All 8 weeks Online Course:** eight weeks; beginning the first week of June and ending in July

How likely would you be to take this **All 8 weeks Online Course**? **1 (most unlikely) 2 (unlikely) 3 (neutral) 4 (likely) 5 (most likely)**

**Q41. All 8 weeks Online Course (hybrid):** online & face-to-face; eight weeks; **occasional class meeting on Saturday**; beginning the first week of June and ending in July

How likely would you be to take this **All 8 Weeks Online Course (hybrid)**? **1 (most unlikely) 2 (unlikely) 3 (neutral) 4 (likely) 5 (most likely)**

**Page 5. Biodata (put all of the following questions as “forced answer”)**

Instruction: The following questions are about your demographic information. This information is helpful in making decisions regarding summer courses, so you are highly encouraged to answer all of the following 12 questions. Thank you.

Q41. At which campus are you enrolled? (pull down menu) Macomb, QC

Q42. What is your year in school? (Pull down menu): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior, Non-degree seeking/Other

Q43. Are you a transfer student? (pull down menu) Yes, No

Q44. Are you an international student? (pull down menu) Yes, No

* (Use logic: If Q44 is answered as Yes, show the following Q45)

Q45. (for International students only) How likely would you take summer school courses at WIU **if they were offered at the in-state rate**?

**1 (most unlikely) 2 (unlikely) 3 (neutral) 4 (likely) 5 (most likely)**

Q45. Your current residence type

* Live in on-campus residential hall
* Live in rental near school (moved in to attend school)
* Commute
* (use logic. The following two questions pop up when Live in the residential hall or Live in the rent near school is selected)

Q46. Will you go home in summer? Yes, No

Q47. How far away is your home from the campus (Macomb or QC) where you attend classes? Indicate the distance in miles. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* (use logic. The following question pops up when commute is selected)

Q48. How far away are you living from the campus (Macomb or QC) where you attend classes? Indicate the distance in miles. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Q49. Are you currently a full-time employee? Yes, No

Q50. Do you have a paying job during the school year? Yes, No

Q51. Do you have a paying job during the summer? Yes, No

Q52. Do you have an internship during the summer? Yes, No

* (use logic. Pops up when Yes for internship is selected)

Q53. Is the internship site close to the campus (Macomb or QC) where you attend classes? Yes, No

Q53. What is your age? (pull down menu) under 17, 17, 18, 19, ---------, 79, 80 or over

Q54. What is your sex? (Pull down menu) Male, Female

Q55. What is your academic college?

* College of Arts and Sciences
* College of Business and Technology
* College of Education and Human Services
* College of Fine Arts and Communication