Remote Learning During COVID-19

Survey Instrument

In response to the rapid spread of the COVID-19 virus and the State of Wisconsin’s Safer-at-Home mandate, all students at the UW-Whitewater campuses were advised on March 12, 2020 that following a two-week Spring break, courses at UW-Whitewater would resume remotely for the remainder of the semester. In order to gauge the impact of this transition, UW-Whitewater administered a ‘Remote Learning During COVID-19’ survey to all active students at both UW-Whitewater campuses. The survey contained seven (7) substantive questions related to the student experience in transitioning to an online learning environment in the middle of the Spring 2020 semester. The survey was open between April 13 – April 20, 2020.

Please share your current experience with UW-W courses this semester by answering the following questions.

1. Compared to classroom-based instruction, how challenging has it been to learn remotely since Spring Break?
   - Very challenging
   - More challenging
   - About the same
   - Less challenging
   - Much less challenging
2. Compared to classroom-based instruction, what is the most challenging aspect of taking classes remotely? Please check all that apply.

- Issues with technology
- Communicating with professors
- Completing assignments and exams
- Staying organized
- Staying on task/not getting distracted
- Competing time for coursework and my schedule
- Other: __________________________________________________________

Not applicable

3. Who will provide you with the most emotional and/or academic support for the rest of the semester? Please check all that apply.

- My family members
- My friends
- My professors
- My academic advisor
- My work colleagues
- My tutor
- Other mentors on campus
- Other: __________________________________________________________

I am not sure who will provide me support for the rest of the semester
4. Which of the following are a concern for you for the rest of the semester? Please check all that apply.

- Access to a computer or laptop
- Internet access
- Completing coursework
- Income
- Social isolation
- Job security
- Housing
- Food
- Child/family care
- Health care
- Transportation

Other: ________________________________________________
5. Which of these services or activities at **UW-W** are you using/will you use remotely for the rest of the semester? Please check all that apply.

   - Academic advising
   - Career services
   - Counseling services
   - Center for Students with Disabilities
   - Financial aid
   - Financial Services (Payments/Cashier's Office)
   - Health care services
   - International student services
   - Military or veteran student services
   - Student, Diversity, Engagement and Success services
   - Recreation services
   - Student activities/events
   - Student organizations
   - Tutoring services
   - University Computer Helpdesk
   - Other services ____________________________________________________________

6. How can UW-W best support or help students for the rest of the semester?

7. What do you miss most about not being on campus (either Whitewater or Rock County)?

   <End Survey>