

**Quick statistics**

Survey 613749 'Western Survey of Non-Returning Students'

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**Results****Survey 613749**

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Number of records in this query:	432
Total records in survey:	432
Percentage of total:	100.00%

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## Summary for Intent

When you enrolled at Western, was your intent to:

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<b>Answer</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Earn a degree from Western (1)	371	85.88%
Transfer to another institution (2)	41	9.49%
Take classes without earning a degree from any institution (3)	7	1.62%
No answer	1	0.23%
Not completed or Not displayed	12	2.78%

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## Summary for Intent2

Have you enrolled at the institution to which you intended to transfer?

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<b>Answer</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Yes (1)	34	7.87%
No (2)	7	1.62%
No answer	0	0.00%
Not completed or Not displayed	391	90.51%

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## Summary for Return

How likely is it that you will return to Western to continue your education?

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<b>Answer</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Very unlikely (1)	154	35.65%
Somewhat unlikely (2)	35	8.10%
I am unsure (3)	51	11.81%
Somewhat likely (4)	44	10.19%
Very likely (5)	134	31.02%
No answer	2	0.46%
Not completed or Not displayed	12	2.78%

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## Summary for NotEnrICat

Which of the following categories describe the most important reasons why you did not return to Western this fall?

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<b>Answer</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Finances (1)	172	39.81%
Academics (2)	156	36.11%
Western's environment or location (3)	102	23.61%
Family or personal (4)	207	47.92%
Community and connectedness (5)	101	23.38%
Other (7)	80	18.52%
Not completed or Not displayed	19	4.40%

### Summary for NotEnrIFin

Which financial reasons were important in your decision not to return to Western this fall? Check all that apply.

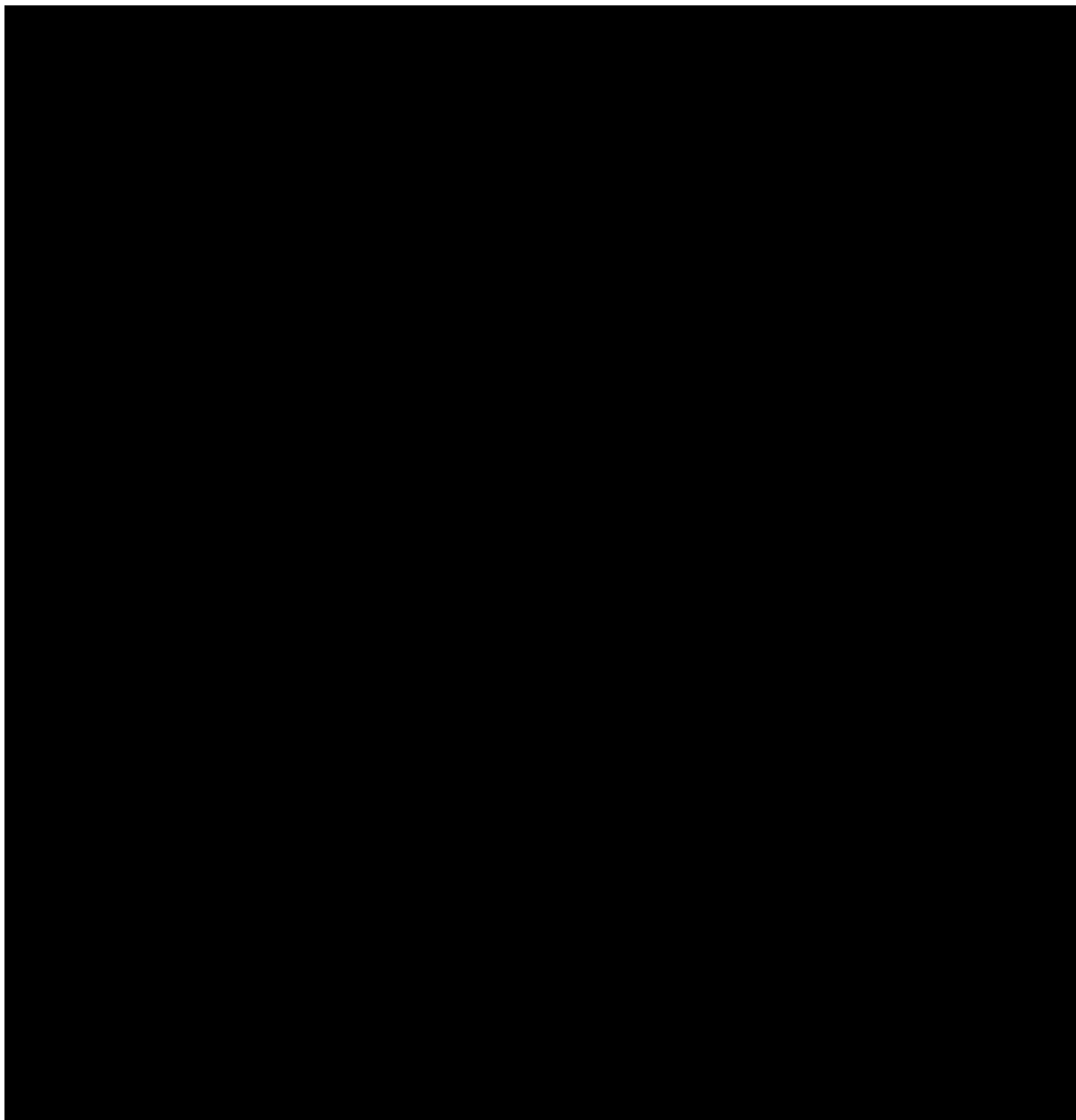
Answer	Count	Percentage
I worried my student loans were too large (1)	37	8.56%
My or my family's financial situation changed (2)	55	12.73%
Working for pay interfered with my studies (3)	62	14.35%
I didn't receive financial aid (4)	35	8.10%
My financial aid did not cover all my expenses (5)	72	16.67%
I didn't receive work study funds (6)	6	1.39%
I didn't receive adequate financial support from my family (7)	28	6.48%
I wasn't getting my money's worth at Western (8)	42	9.72%
I didn't have enough money for living expenses like food or rent (9)	87	20.14%
I had a career opportunity (10)	17	3.94%
COVID affected my financial situation. (11)	27	6.25%
Other	15	3.47%
Not completed or Not displayed	262	60.65%

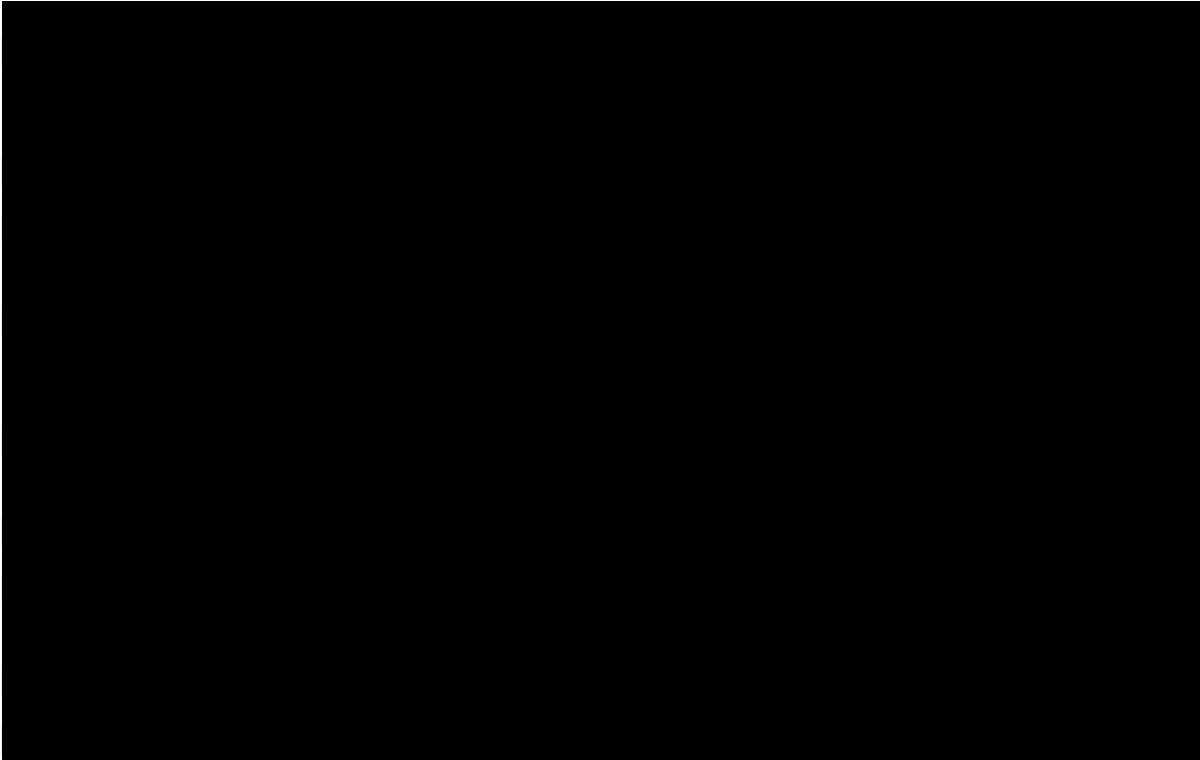
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### Summary for NotEnrIAcd

Which academic reasons were important in your decision not to return to Western this fall? Check all that apply.

Answer	Count	Percentage
I achieved my goals and felt no more need to attend (1)	4	0.93%
I wanted to complete GURs at another college (2)	9	2.08%
Another school has a better reputation (3)	23	5.32%
I struggled academically at Western (4)	72	16.67%
I didn't feel challenged by the courses I took at Western (5)	21	4.86%
I was unsure of what I wanted to study (6)	44	10.19%
Western doesn't offer the major program that interests me (7)	35	8.10%
I was not able to declare the major I was interested in (8)	19	4.40%
It was too hard to get the classes I needed (9)	32	7.41%
Classes were too big (10)	8	1.85%
The curriculum was not inclusive (11)	19	4.40%
Other	42	9.72%
Not completed or Not displayed	279	64.58%







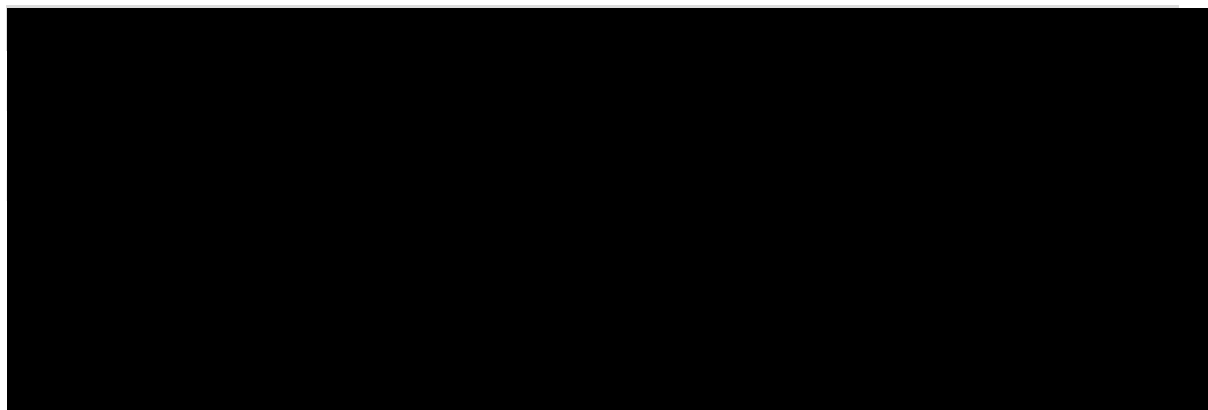
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### Summary for NotEnrIClass

Why was it too hard to get the classes you needed? Check all that apply.

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Answer	Count	Percentage
They were full (1)	16	3.70%
They had prerequisites that I had not completed (2)	15	3.47%
They were at conflicting times (3)	9	2.08%
They were not taught by the professors I wanted (4)	3	0.69%
Not enough online courses were offered (5)	11	2.55%
They were not offered frequently (6)	14	3.24%
Other	4	0.93%
Not completed or Not displayed	400	92.59%



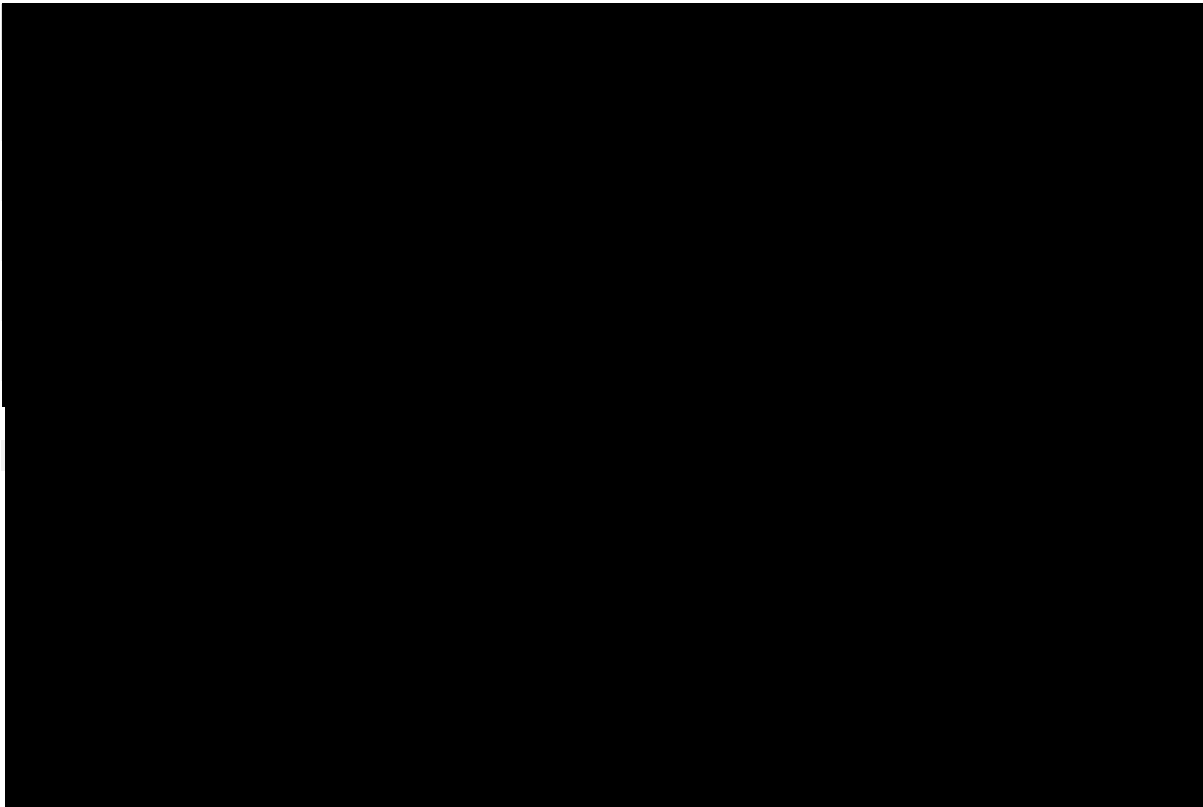
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### Summary for NotEnrIEnvLoc

Which environment or location reasons were important in your decision not to return to Western this fall?  
Check all that apply.

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Answer	Count	Percentage
Western is too big (1)	11	2.55%
Western is too small (2)	18	4.17%
I disliked the weather, recreation opportunities, or location in general (3)	30	6.94%
I wanted to be closer to home (4)	40	9.26%
I wanted to be further from home (5)	6	1.39%
I was unhappy with my housing situation (6)	40	9.26%
Western did not offer the support resources I needed (7)	19	4.40%
Due to COVID, I was not able to be on campus (8)	7	1.62%
Other	13	3.01%
Not completed or Not displayed	335	77.55%



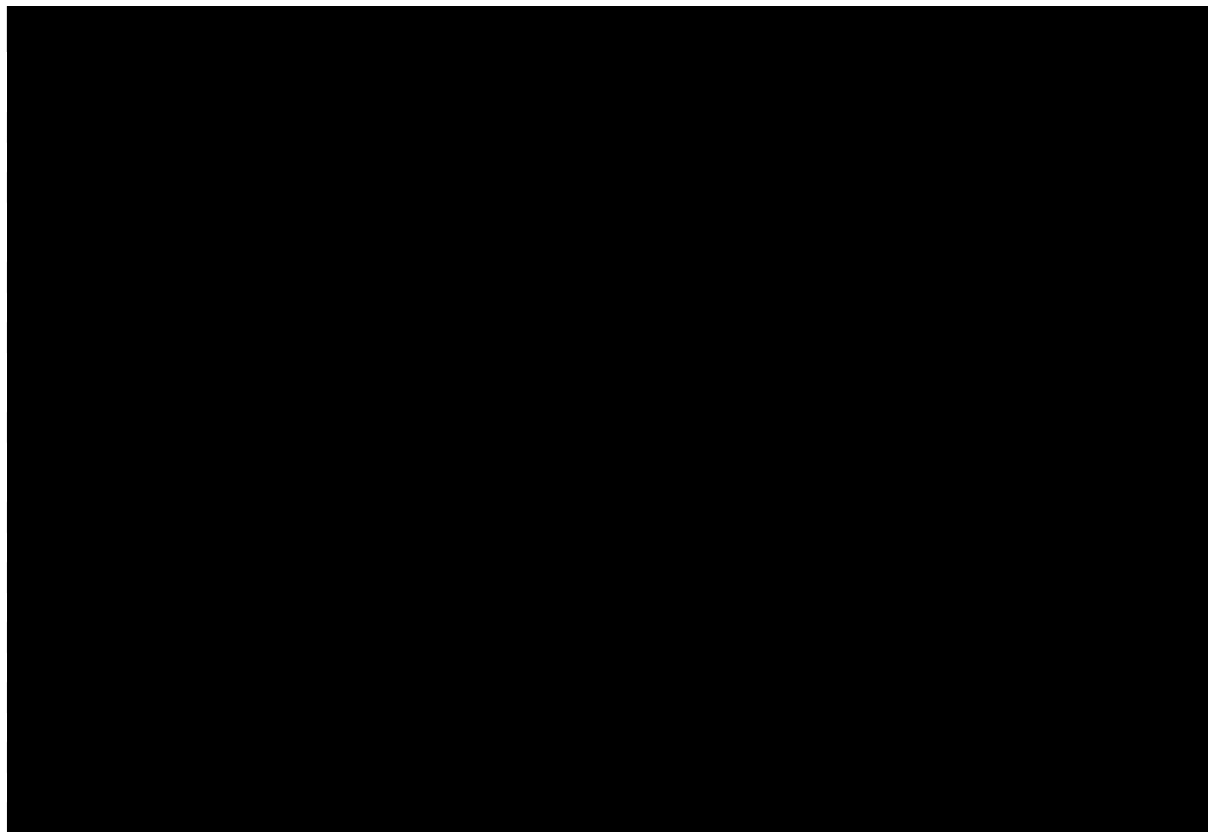
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### Summary for NotEnrIPrsnl

Which family or personal reasons were important in your decision not to return to Western this fall? Check all that apply.

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Answer	Count	Percentage
I lacked social support at Western (1)	47	10.88%
Someone in my family needed assistance (2)	36	8.33%
I wanted to be with friends or a significant other (3)	31	7.18%
I had personal medical reasons (4)	42	9.72%
I was struggling with mental health issues (5)	135	31.25%
I didn't fit in at Western (6)	31	7.18%
I wanted to do something or go somewhere new and different (7)	55	12.73%
I wanted to serve in the military (8)	1	0.23%
While I was at Western I experienced crime, violence, or sexual violence (9)	8	1.85%
Due to COVID-related issues, I did not want to attend Western (10)	9	2.08%
Other	22	5.09%
Not completed or Not displayed	231	53.47%



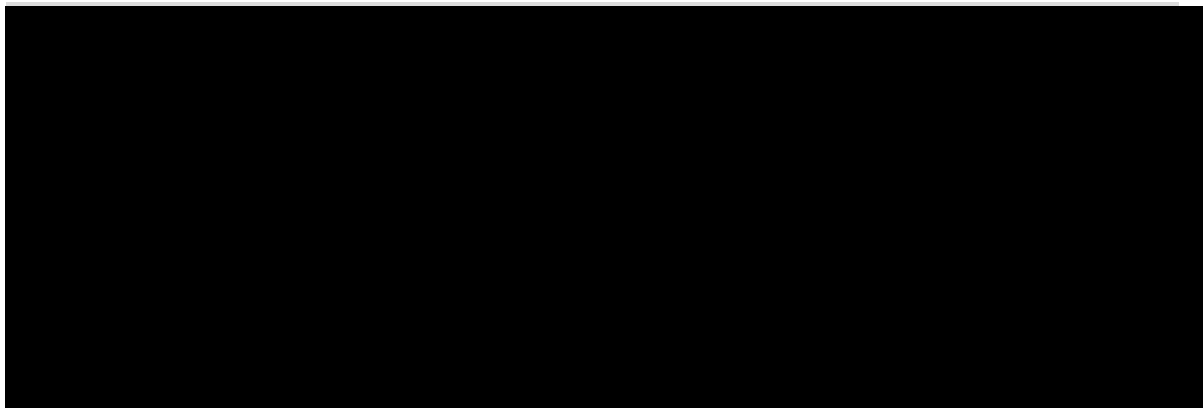
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### Summary for NotEnrIPrsnlCom

Which reasons regarding community and connectedness were important in your decision not to return to Western this fall?

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Answer	Count	Percentage
I did not find a connection or community at Western (1)	76	17.59%
My identity was not supported at Western (2)	12	2.78%
I did not feel a sense of belonging at Western (3)	63	14.58%
I did not feel safe on campus (4)	17	3.94%
My whole self was not supported at Western (5)	23	5.32%
There was lack of diversity at Western (7)	30	6.94%
I was treated poorly by Western's faculty and staff (8)	13	3.01%
Due to COVID I did not feel connected to the Western community (9)	25	5.79%
Other	6	1.39%
Not completed or Not displayed	335	77.55%



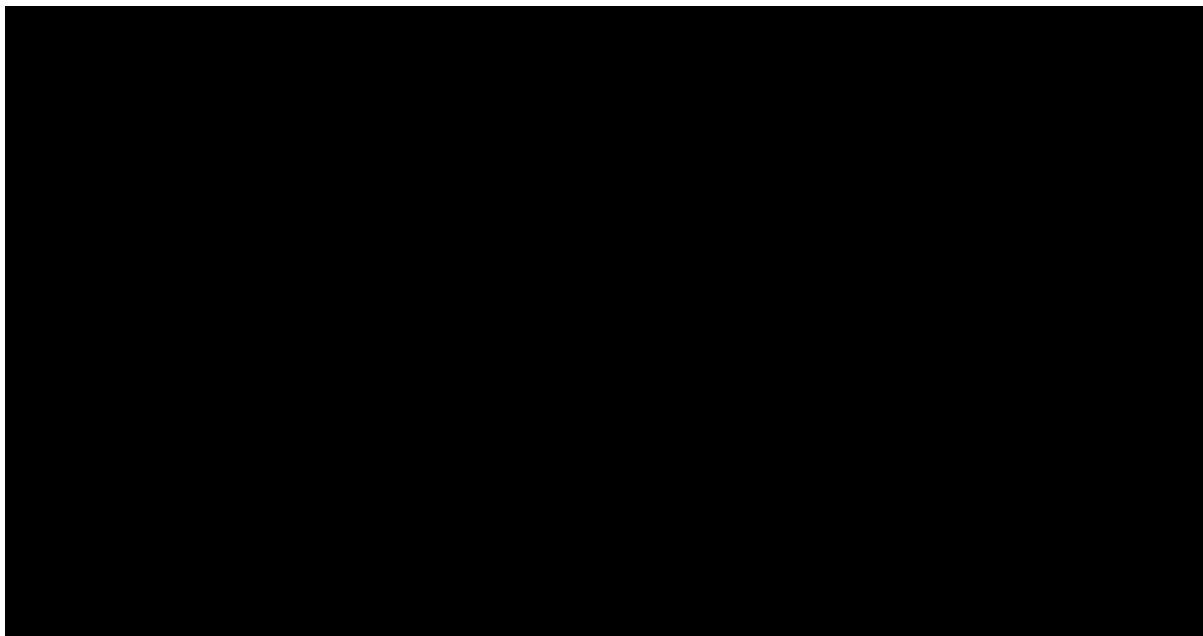
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## Summary for Principal

What is currently your principal activity?

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Answer	Count	Percentage
Paid employment (1)	198	45.83%
Student at another institution (2)	126	29.17%
Military service (3)	2	0.46%
Volunteer activity (e.g. Peace Corps) (4)	4	0.93%
Starting or raising a family (5)	2	0.46%
Unemployed and/or looking for employment (6)	28	6.48%
Personal or family health issues (7)	18	4.17%
Other	20	4.63%
No answer	6	1.39%
Not completed or Not displayed	28	6.48%



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## Summary for jobperm

Is your job permanent?

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<b>Answer</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Yes (1)	81	18.75%
No (2)	112	25.93%
No answer	2	0.46%
Not completed or Not displayed	237	54.86%

## Summary for jobindustry

In which industry/field do you work?

Answer	Count	Percentage
Accounting (1)	0	0.00%
Agriculture/Natural Resources/Environment (2)	3	0.69%
Arts/Design/Planning (3)	2	0.46%
Communication (4)	1	0.23%
Computer Science/Statistics (5)	2	0.46%
Consulting (6)	1	0.23%
Education/Teaching (7)	13	3.01%
Engineering (8)	2	0.46%
Financial Services (9)	0	0.00%
Food service (10)	57	13.19%
Government (11)	3	0.69%
Health care (12)	9	2.08%
Hospitality/Travel (13)	6	1.39%
Law enforcement (14)	1	0.23%
Legal (15)	0	0.00%
Management/Administration (16)	3	0.69%
Marketing/Sales (17)	2	0.46%
Non-profit (18)	1	0.23%
Politics (19)	1	0.23%
Research (20)	0	0.00%
Retail (21)	36	8.33%
Social Services (22)	5	1.16%
Supply Chain (23)	9	2.08%
Other (24)	36	8.33%
No answer	2	0.46%
Not completed or Not displayed	237	54.86%

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## Summary for AttendAfter

Since you left Western, have you attended another school?

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<b>Answer</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Yes (1)	25	5.79%
No (2)	247	57.18%
No answer	2	0.46%
Not completed or Not displayed	158	36.57%



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**Summary for AttendSchool**

Which school are you attending, or have you attended since you left Western? If you have attended more than one, choose the school you attended immediately after Western.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Bellevue College (1)	8	1.85%
Bellingham Technical College (2)	4	0.93%
Boise State University (3)	0	0.00%
Cascadia Community College (4)	0	0.00%
Clark College (5)	0	0.00%
Central Washington University (6)	3	0.69%
Eastern Washington University (7)	6	1.39%
Everett Community College (8)	0	0.00%
Evergreen State College (9)	1	0.23%
Green River Community College (10)	2	0.46%
Gonzaga University (11)	0	0.00%
Lewis & Clark College (12)	0	0.00%
Linfield College (13)	0	0.00%
Olympic College (14)	0	0.00%
Oregon State University (15)	2	0.46%
Pacific Lutheran University (16)	0	0.00%
Portland State University (17)	1	0.23%
Seattle Pacific University (18)	0	0.00%
Seattle University (19)	1	0.23%
Skagit Valley College (20)	3	0.69%
University of British Columbia (21)	1	0.23%
University of Colorado at Boulder (22)	2	0.46%
University of Montana (23)	0	0.00%
University of Oregon (24)	2	0.46%
University of Portland (25)	0	0.00%
University of Puget Sound (26)	0	0.00%
University of Washington (27)	15	3.47%
Washington State University (28)	11	2.55%
Whatcom Community College (29)	5	1.16%
Whitman College (30)	0	0.00%
Willamette University (31)	0	0.00%
Other	82	18.98%
No answer	2	0.46%
Not completed or Not displayed	281	65.05%

ID	Response
457	Eastern Washington University
458	Western Governors University
466	University of the Basque Country
468	Lower Columbia College
469	Western governors university
473	Spokane Falls Community College
475	St. Edward's University
477	Western Governors university
481	Westmont College
482	ISI In Tokyo Japan
486	Walla Walla University
488	Northern Arizona university
494	UBCO- Univeristy of British Columbia Okanagan
504	University of Vermont
506	Cabrillo
510	Arizona State University - Online
511	Colorado State University
518	Southern New Hampshire University online
519	montana state university

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523	Northern Illinois University
525	Shoreline Community College
540	Virginia Commonwealth University
555	Colorado State University
559	Seattle Central University
564	Universidad de Vigo
572	Edmonds Community college
573	Arizona State University
581	South Puget Sound Community College
584	north seattle college
587	University of UH Manoa
588	South Puget Sound Community College
590	SRJC
595	university of utah
598	Evergreen beauty college
605	South Puget Sound Community College
606	Utah Valley University
612	Mississippi State University
620	school of the art institute of chicago
628	Lake Washington Institute of Technology
631	salt lake community college
632	None i am taking this year off, will go back to school after this year
634	Pierce College
635	Bates technical college
640	university of arizona
641	university of hawaii at hilo
653	Edmonds college
654	University of Phoenix
663	Montana State University
676	North Seattle community college
682	University for the Creative Arts
684	Peninsula college
686	Saint Michaels College
691	Columbia Gorge Community College
692	College of san mateo
695	Las Positas College
696	North Seattle College
704	Centralia Beauty College
705	Community College of Philadelphia
708	highline college
712	Northern Arizona University
714	Northwest University
722	Arizona State University
728	Pacific University College of Optometry
731	Northern Illinois University
744	Seattle Central College
748	Cornish College of the Arts
757	University of Arizona
790	Arizona State University Online
798	Pierce College Puyallup
800	Unitek and Northern Cascade Reforestation
806	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
827	Fort Lewis Collage
831	Asu
861	University of Washington Bothell
865	university of British Columbia
869	University of washington Tacoma
877	Seattle central

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## Summary for AttendStill

Are you still enrolled at a higher education institution?

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<b>Answer</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Yes (1)	138	31.94%
No (2)	7	1.62%
No answer	6	1.39%
Not completed or Not displayed	281	65.05%

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## Summary for AttendCompleteb

Have you completed a degree or certificate since you last attended Western?

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<b>Answer</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Yes (1)	10	2.31%
No (2)	381	88.19%
No answer	6	1.39%
Not completed or Not displayed	35	8.10%

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## Summary for SeekDegree

What degree are you working towards?

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<b>Answer</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Certificate (1)	9	2.08%
Associate's (2)	32	7.41%
Bachelor's (3)	279	64.58%
Other (4)	4	0.93%
None (5)	45	10.42%
No answer	6	1.39%
Not completed or Not displayed	57	13.19%

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## Summary for EarnedDegree

What degree did you earn?

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<b>Answer</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Certificate (1)	3	0.69%
Associate's (2)	4	0.93%
Bachelor's (3)	2	0.46%
Other (4)	1	0.23%
None (5)	0	0.00%
No answer	0	0.00%
Not completed or Not displayed	422	97.69%

## Summary for SexualOrientation

What is your sexual orientation?

Answer	Count	Percentage
Heterosexual/Straight (1)	197	45.60%
Gay (2)	8	1.85%
Lesbian (3)	19	4.40%
Bisexual (4)	74	17.13%
Queer (5)	28	6.48%
Pansexual (6)	16	3.70%
Asexual (7)	8	1.85%
Other	7	1.62%
No answer	26	6.02%
Not completed or Not displayed	49	11.34%

ID	Response
457	Bi-questioning
460	Questioning
568	this isn't relevant?
577	Doesn't matter
603	Not relevant
633	None of your business
827	Rather not say

## Summary for Gender

What is your gender identity?

Answer	Count	Percentage
Agender (1)	5	1.16%
Genderqueer/fluid (2)	12	2.78%
Man (3)	121	28.01%
Nonbinary (4)	29	6.71%
Trans man (5)	3	0.69%
Trans woman (6)	4	0.93%
Two-spirit (7)	2	0.46%
Woman (8)	176	40.74%
Other	5	1.16%
No answer	26	6.02%
Not completed or Not displayed	49	11.34%

ID	Response
480	Too many options here
568	again, not relevant
577	Doesn't matter
756	Genderfuck
834	Girlflux