MVCC Results of 2016 SUNY Student Opinion Survey (SOS)

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SOS

- Developed by SUNY to assess students' satisfaction with their college experience
- 24 Community Colleges participated in 2016
- Had 8 "medium" colleges in this data comparison
- MVCC has participated in the survey since 1982, usually every three years

2016 SOS

- MVCC Survey was administered in classes on both campuses (not online or dual credit courses)
- 9 out of the 24 schools administered the survey online
- > 607 surveys were used in the MVCC data
- Includes 14 MVCC specific questions

Highlights of MVCC Results

- MVCC means increased for many items, but so did other colleges - so rankings did not increase
- For MVCC 2016 means compared to MVCC 2013 means:

59% increased,

30% decreased,

4% stayed the same, and

7% were new questions

Highlights of MVCC Results

Compared to the other college results, MVCC students are:

- Younger
- More male
- Not as Hispanic
- > Taking more ESL courses
- Not married or needing child care
- More often Dual Credit students
- More apt to be full-time students
- Enrolled in more on-campus courses (than online)
- Low income (receiving more Pell and TAP awards)

Information on Institutional Effectiveness and Assessment

Institutional Effectiveness Website

http://www.mvcc.edu/about/institutional-research-and-assessment/institutional-effectiveness

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