Other Demographic Characteristics of Southeastern Students



In the Fall of 2012, Institutional Research and Assessment conducted a survey of Southeastern's student body. The random sample survey provided the following background information on Southeastern's students.

- » Most (75%) of the respondents have never been married, and 22% are currently married.
- » About one-fifth (15%) of the respondents have children under the age of 18.
- » More than one-third (34%) of the respondents travel more than 30 miles, one way, to Southeastern's main campus, 32% travel between 5 and 30 miles, 17% travel less than 5 miles, and 18% live on campus.
- » The vast majority (67%) of the respondents work, with most of them (51%) working off campus, 11% work on campus, and 5% work both on and off campus.
- » Of the students who work, 40% work 20 or fewer hours per week, 26% work 21 to 30 hours per week, and 34% work more than 30 hours per week.
- » One-fourth (25%) of the respondents are first-generation college students, meaning neither of their parents have any college education. Over two-fifths (46%) of the students have a parent who has earned a baccalaureate degree or higher.

Source: 2012-2013 Survey of Current Students