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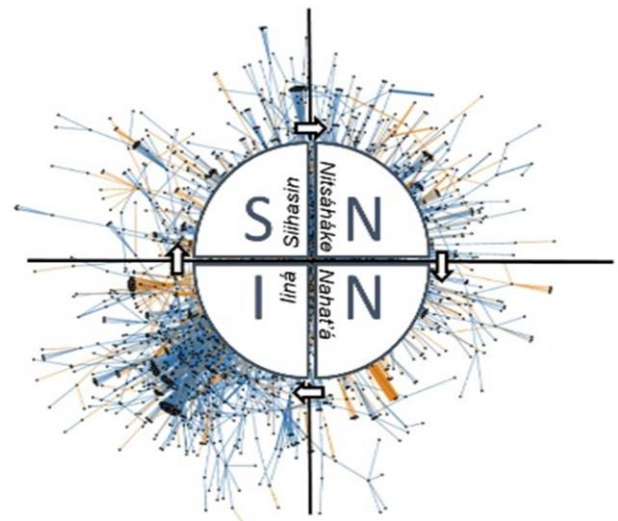
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Report | Fall 2014

August 13, 2014

# New Student Orientation

*Creating a Culture of Evidence*



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# Description

**Reporting Date:** August 13, 2014

**Target Audience:** Fall 2014 New Students

**Purpose:**

New Student Orientation is a period of time at the beginning of the academic year, which is held to orientate and welcome new students to Diné College. All 6 campuses individually hosted New Student Orientations at the beginning of the Fall semester.

Because Diné College's effectiveness in preparing students for their first semester of college, Student Services provides important information about academic policies and procedures, registration options, college services, and student activities.

The New Student Orientation program helps students enjoy campus life and helps with the transition into college through service introduction and staff meet-and-greet.

**Total Audience Response:** 335

**Method of Data Collecting:**

Paper Evaluations

Survey Booths (Quick Tap)

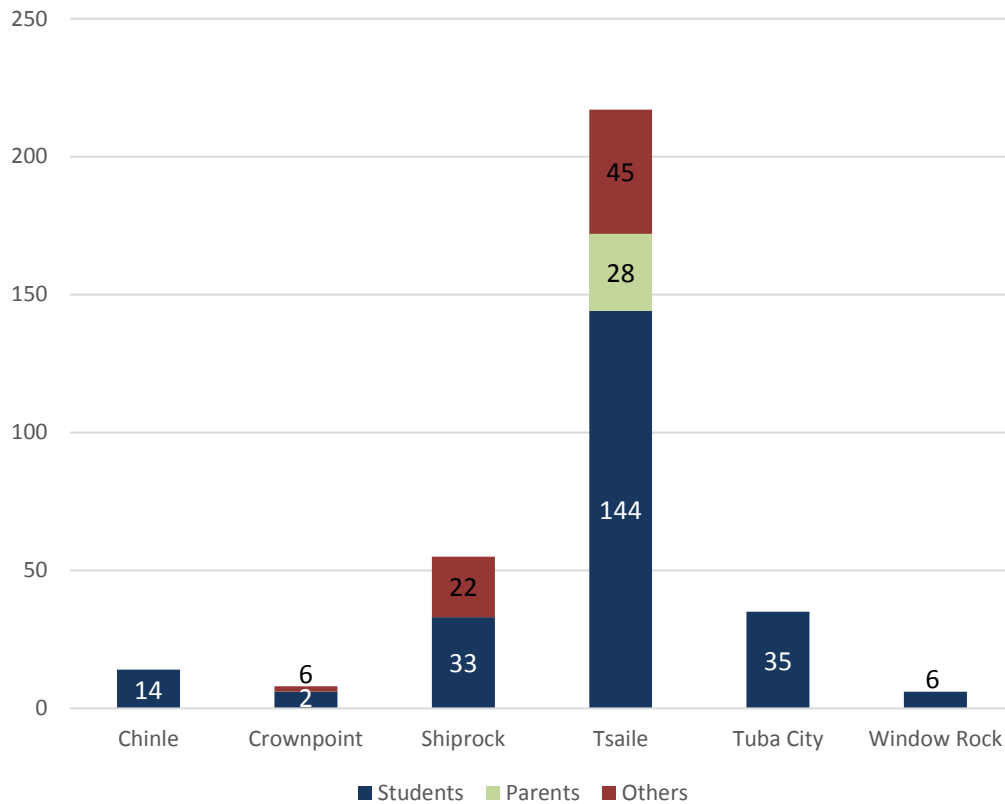
# Section 1.0

Diné College-Overall

Date of Orientation: August 13, 2014

## Fall 2014 New Student Orientation

N=335



Site	Students	Parents	Others	Total
Chinle	14	0	0	14
Crownpoint	6	0	2	8
Shiprock	33	0	22	55
Tsaile	144	28	45	217
Tuba City	35	0	0	35
Window Rock	6	0	0	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>335</b>

# Section 2.0

Diné College- Chinle Center

**Coordinator:** Agatha Spencer

**Attendance:** Total of 14 Attendees

**Presentations Evaluation Questions:**

1. Was this information helpful?
2. Would you recommend the presenter(s)?
3. Please rate the presenter(s).
4. What would you rate this session overall?

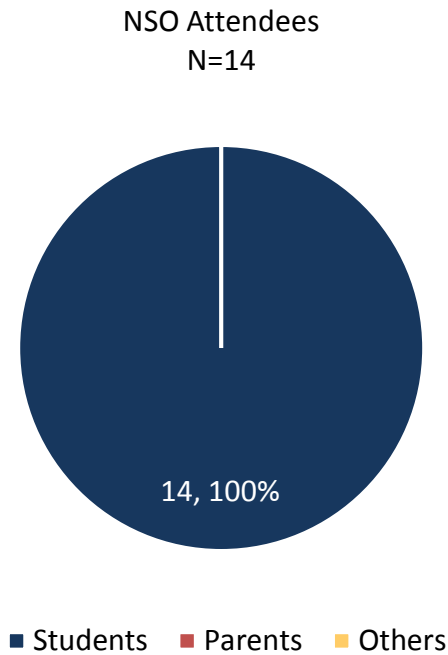
Students were able to evaluate the presenter’s and their presentation at this Fall 2014 New Student Orientation.

The answer set for *questions 1 & 2* were simply **Yes** or **No**.

Answer set for *questions 3 & 4* was scale set, which was based from **Excellent, Good, Okay, Fair** or **Poor**.

**Excellent** being the greatest and **poor** being the least great.

**Evaluation Results:**



Total number of Attendees for Fall 2014 New Student Orientation-Chinle Center was **14**. Based on Sign-In sheets **11, 79%** were new students and **3, 21%** were identified as other.



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## AGENDA STUDENT ORIENTATION CHINLE CENTER

August 13, 2014  
9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

*Cathy L. Bahe, Director*  
*Agatha Spencer, Program Coordinator*  
*Gwendolyn Dedman, Office Coordinator*

Tsaile Campus  
1 Circle Drive  
Tsaile, AZ 86556  
www.dinecollege.edu  
1-877-988-3463

Shiprock Branch  
PO Box 580  
Shiprock, NM 87420  
505-368-3529

Chinle Site  
PO Box 1997  
Chinle, AZ 86503  
928-674-3319

Crownpoint Site  
PO Box 57  
Crownpoint, NM 87313  
505-786-7391

Tuba City Site  
PO Box 1716  
Tuba City, AZ 86045  
928-283-5113

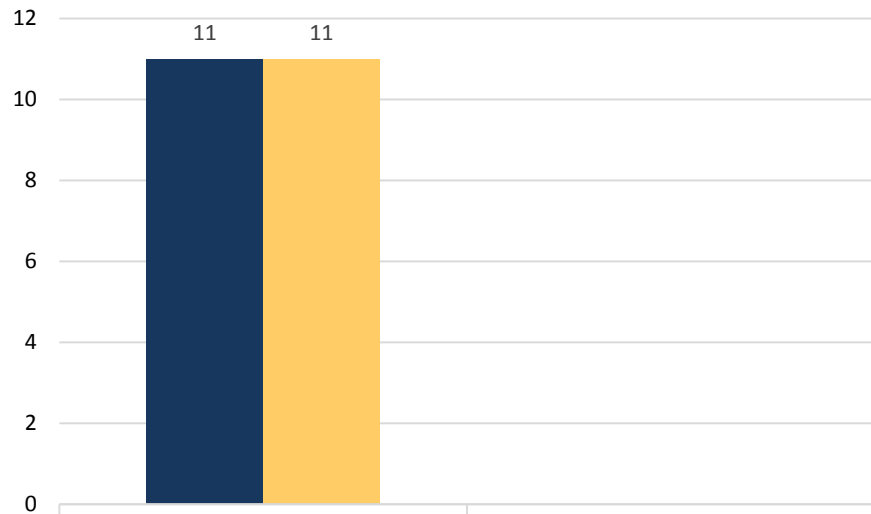
Window Rock Site  
Po Box 1924  
Window Rock, AZ 86515  
928-871-2230

Time	Topic
9:00-9:15	Sign-in
9:15-9:30	Welcome and Introductions
9:30-10:00	What Dine College is All About
10:00-10:15	Transition from High School to College
10:15-10:30	Selecting a Major/Minor
10:30-10:45	College Terminology
10:45-11:00	Break
11:00-11:15	FERPA Policy
11:15-11:45	Student Code of Conduct
11:45-12:00	Financial Aid & Scholarships
12:00-12:10	Questions/Answers & Evaluation
12:10-1:00	LUNCH

**“YOUR DREAMS, YOUR WORK, YOUR SUCCESS”**  
*What you are willing to put into college is what you will get out of it!*  
~ Casey Carter- 2013

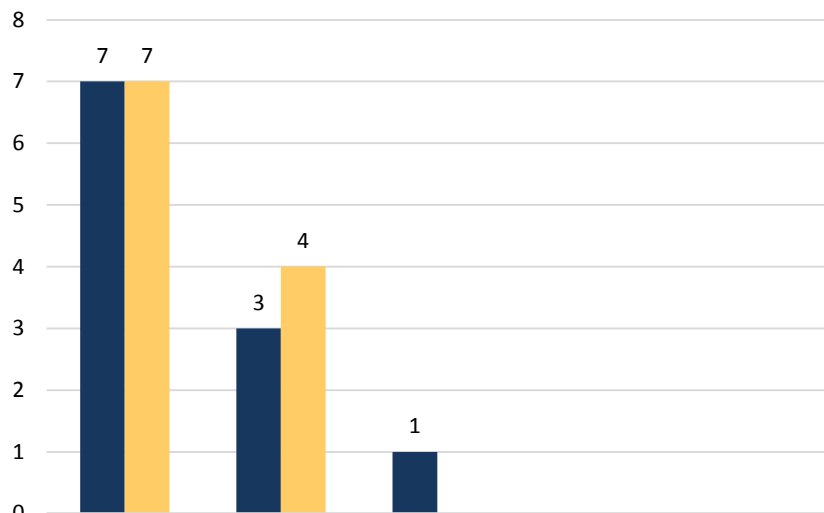
Sa’ah Naagháí Bik’eh Hózhóón

Presentation Evaluations Results  
N=11



	Yes	No
■ Was this information helpful?	11	0
■ Would you recommend the presenter(s)?	11	0

Presentation Evaluations Results  
N=11



	Excellent	Good	Okay	Fair	Poor
■ Please rate the Presenter(s).	7	3	1	0	0
■ What would you rate this session overall?	7	4	0	0	0

Overall, results were **positive**. **11 (100%)** students agreed that the information was helpful and they would recommend the presenter. Also, **7 (64%)** students thought that the Presenter and overall session was **Excellent** for Diné College-Chinle Center.

# Section 3.0

**Diné College- Crownpoint Center**

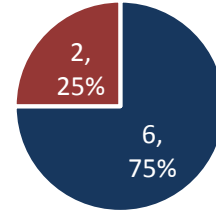
**Coordinator:** Peggy Willeto-West

**Attendance:** Total of 6 Attendees

- 6 students
- 2 others

NSO Attendees  
N=8

■ Students ■ Parents ■ Others



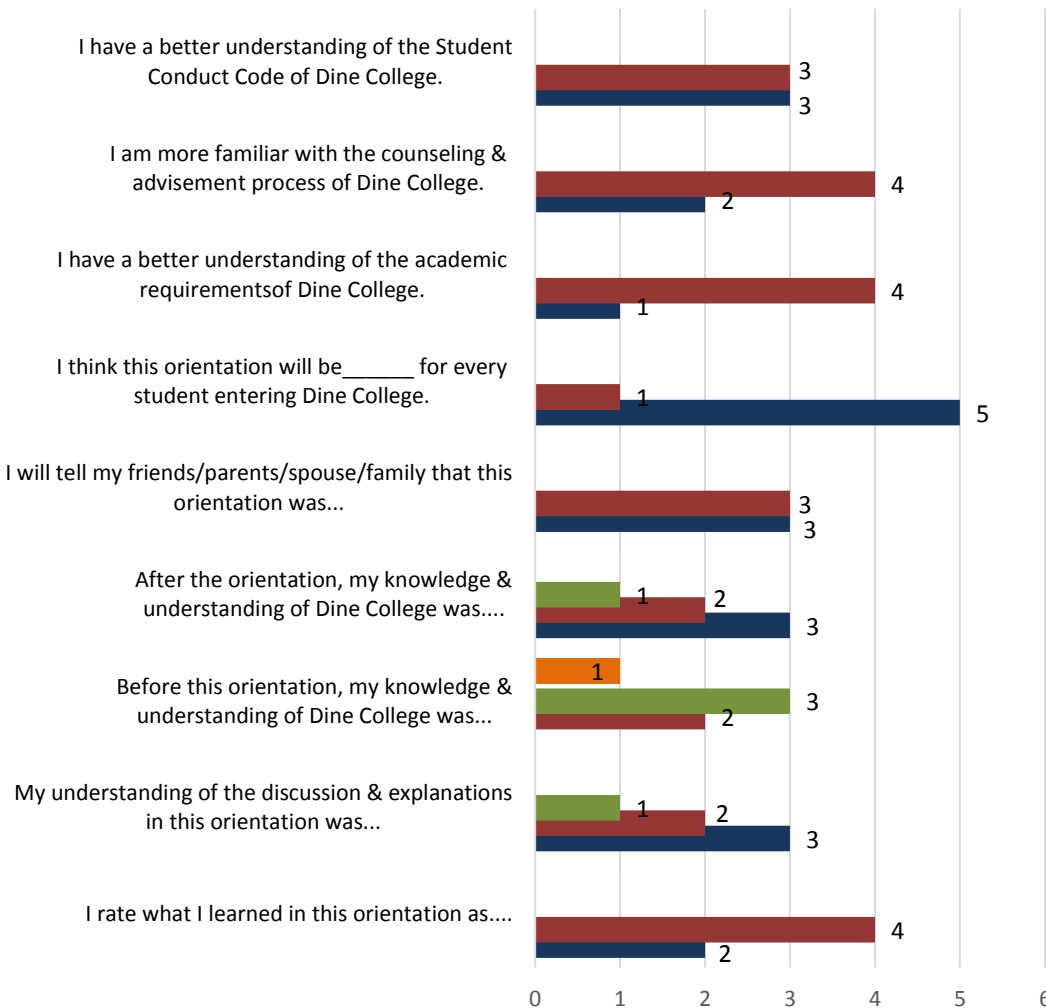
Student Evaluation survey results are shown on the chart below. These were the questions that were asked and the answer set was from **Excellent** to **Poor**. There were 8 attendees but only students were allowed to complete the Evaluation. Where 4 of the 6 said that the orientation was **Good**.

**Evaluation:**

Student Evaluation Results

N=6

■ Poor ■ Fair ■ Okay ■ Good ■ Excellent





Of the 6 students, 3 left **positive** feedbacks. Comments are shown 'as is'.

Comments	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• I now understand Dine College then before this orientation.</li><li>• Food was great and the orientation was excellent. :)</li><li>• The orientation was informative. There were a lot of good info regarding the code of conduct that will help the new students. My recommendations is to have ice breakers and to get the students involved</li></ul>

# Section 4.0

Diné College- Shiprock Campus

**Coordinator:** Becky Begay

**Attendance:** Total of 55 Attendees

- 33 students
- 22 others

Of the **33** students, only **26** evaluations were turned in. Results are shown on chart below. 16 students agreed that the orientation was **Excellent**.

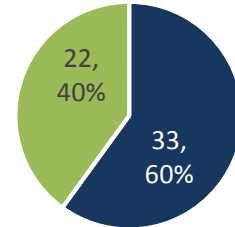
**Evaluation:**

Only 7 of the 33 students left feed backs. Comments are shown "as is".

Shiprock NSO Attendees

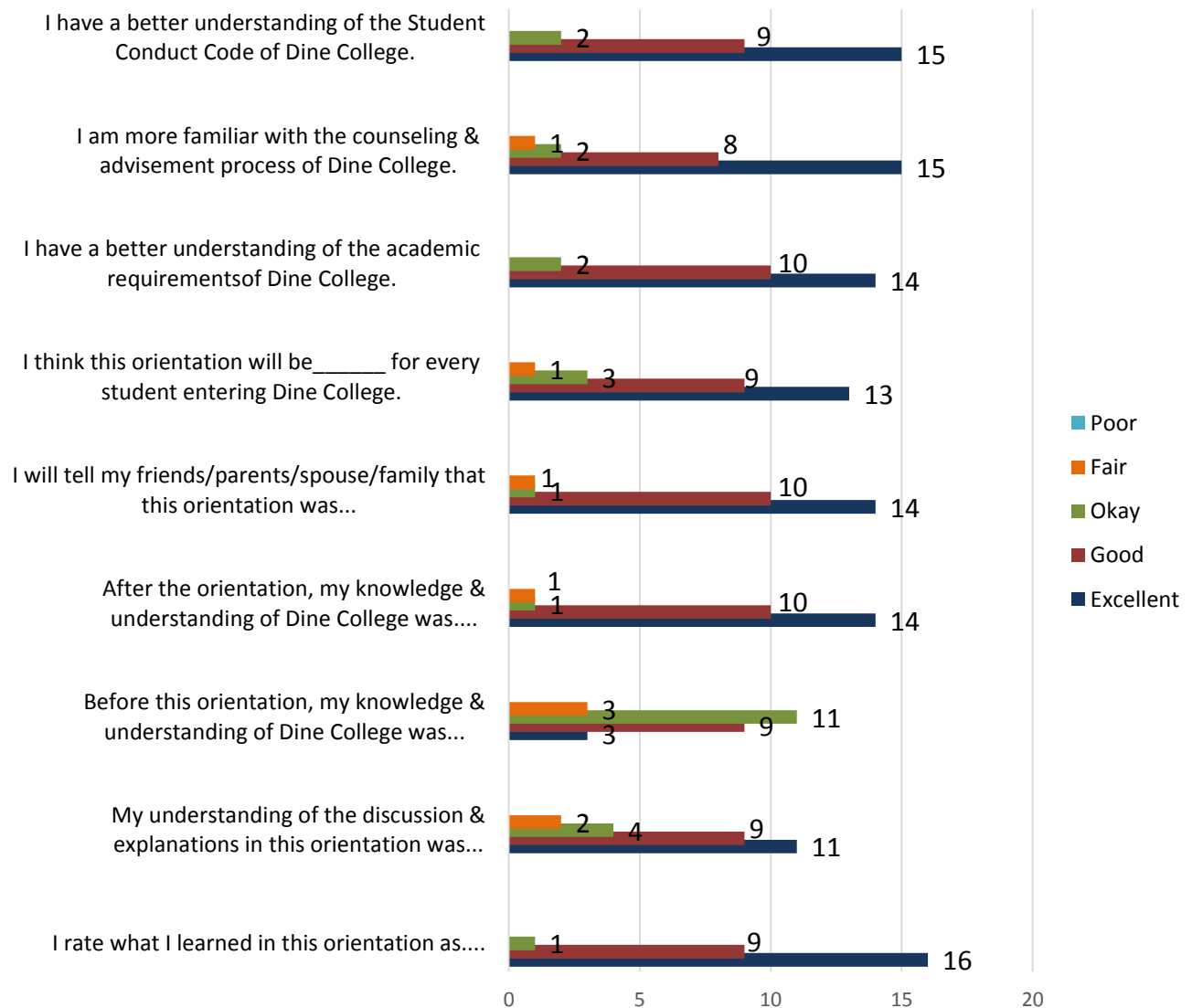
N=55

■ Students ■ Parents ■ Others



Shiprock: Student Evaluations

N=26



## Comments

- I enjoyed this orientation. Was a little too hot but knowledgeable
- The speakers need to speak up a bit, can't really hear them.
- It was hot!
- More air conditioning.
- Sorry for the late attendance, but great documents.
- I'm glad I came and met some of my future teachers
- I think this should last the whole day. One in the morning & afternoon for dine staff and advisors, another for the teachers only.

# Section 5.0

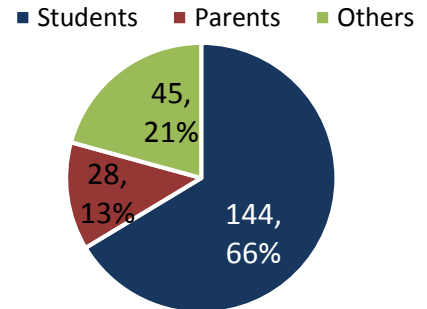
**Diné College-Tsaile Campus**

**Coordinator:** Verlena Livingston

**Attendance:** Total of 217 Attendees;

- 144 students
- 28 Parents
- 45 others
  - 26 Staff members
  - 19 others (relatives)

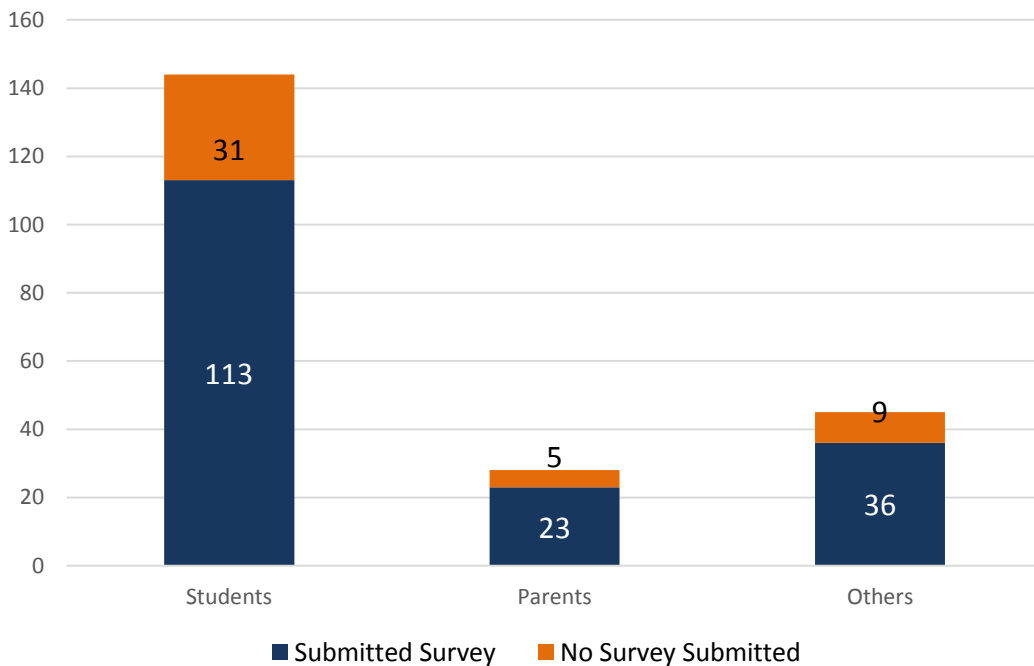
Tsaile: NSO Attendees  
N=217



**Evaluation:**

There were **217** individuals who attended this semesters New Student Orientation. Of the 217 attendees, only **172** individuals took the time and completed the overall New Student Orientation Survey. The chart below shows the number results of those who complete the survey and those who didn't.

Participant Feedback  
N=217



One of the overall survey questions asked for the location of main campus and **164** individuals said that Tsaile was their main campus.



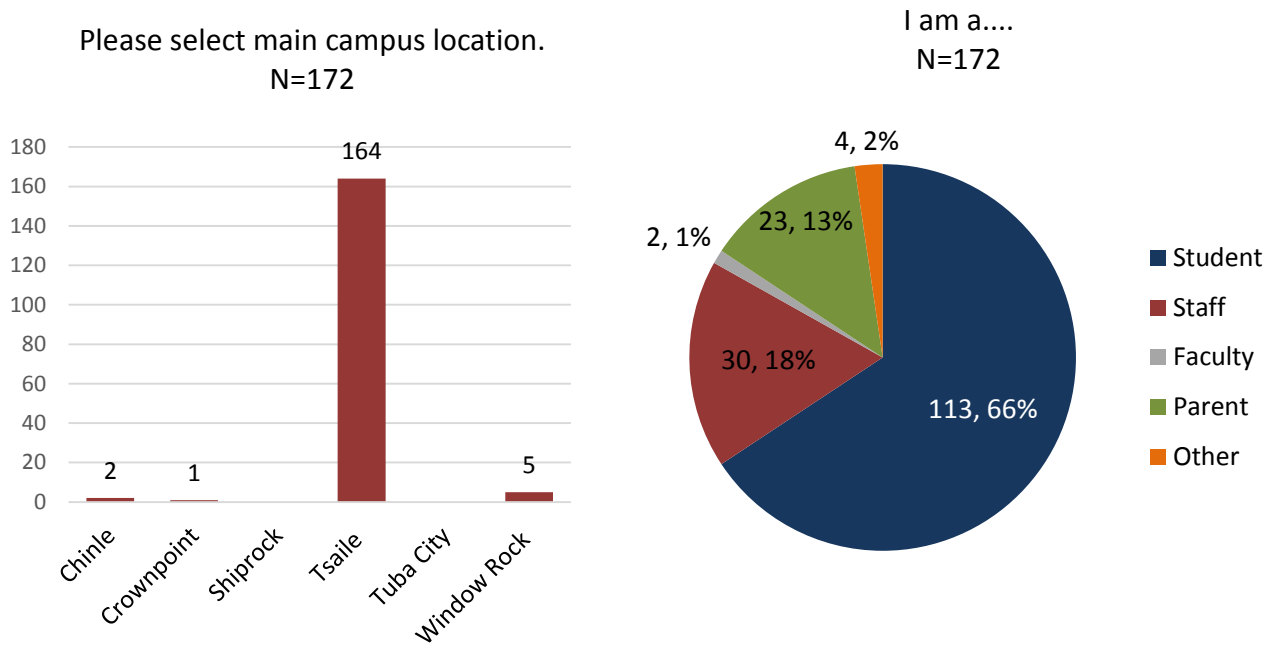
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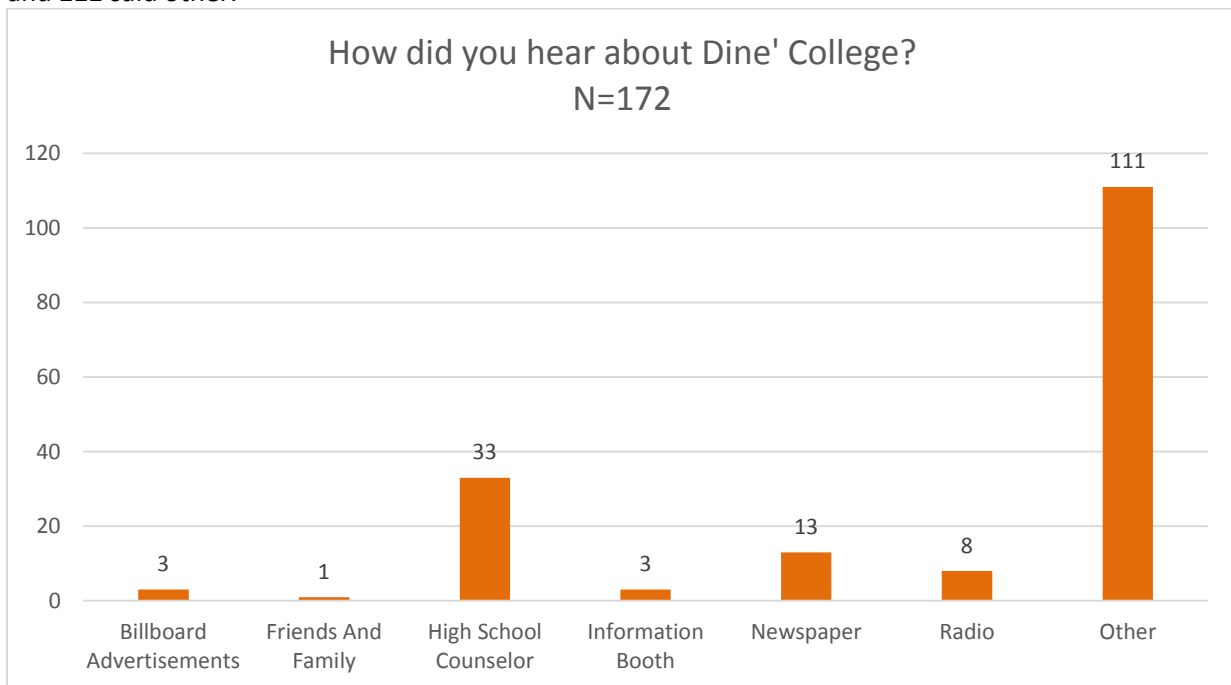
## TSAILE CAMPUS NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION Wednesday, August 13, 2014

Time	Topic	Presenter(s)	Location	
8:00 - 9:00	Student Registration Color Code Assignments	Andora, Liz & Barb, <i>Support Staff</i>	SUB Activity Room	
9:00 - 9:05	Welcome To Diné College	Verlena Livingston <i>FYE Coordinator</i>		
9:05 - 9:10	Welcome Address	Glennita Haskey <i>VP of Student Success</i>		
9:10- 9:20	About Diné College	Davina Morris <i>Career Specialist</i>		
9:20-9:35	Higher Learning Commission	Glennita Haskey <i>VP of Student Success</i>		
9:35-10:00	Residence Life/Student Code of Conduct	Dawayne Bahe <i>Residence Life Coordinator</i>		
<b>10:05-12:40</b>  <i>*Presentations are 15 min. each session with a 5 min. transition in between sessions.*</i>  <i>Color Coded Groups are assigned a Campus Tour Guide</i>	1. Learning Center	Fred Tahe	Learning Center NHC 101	
	2. Finance/Cashier/Bookstore	Lisa Byjoe & Merle Dayzie	NHC 199	
	3. Student Outreach Services	Marlencia Jackson, Lavine Blackmountain, Natalie Denezpi	SSC -101	
	4. Financial Aid & Scholarship Office	Ordell Joe & Jathan Dan	SSC -113	
	5. Academic Advising Registration/Transcripts/ Drop & Add	Davina Morris, Latoyia Largo & Ed Curtis	GCB-109	
	6. IT-Warrior Web & Campus Technology	Louis Ortiz	IT conference room	
	7. Library Services	Bruce Chandler	<b>12:05-1:00 Parents/Family Orientation Session &amp; Round Table (Q &amp; A Session)</b>	Library
	8. Athletic Programs	Jackson Craig		Gym
<b>12:45-1:00</b> Diné College Community ▪ Student Activities ▪ Campus Security & Safety	Foster Gorman & Sgt. Delmar	<b>No students NHC 199 Glennita Haskey &amp; Ordell Joe</b>	SUB Activity Room	
1:00-1:10	Orientation Evaluation	Presenters & Staff	SUB Activity Room	
	LUNCH	Ticket needed for a free lunch & given after evaluation is completed	Cafeteria	

Of the 172 individuals who completed the overall survey, **113 (66%)** were students, and **30 (18%)** were staff.



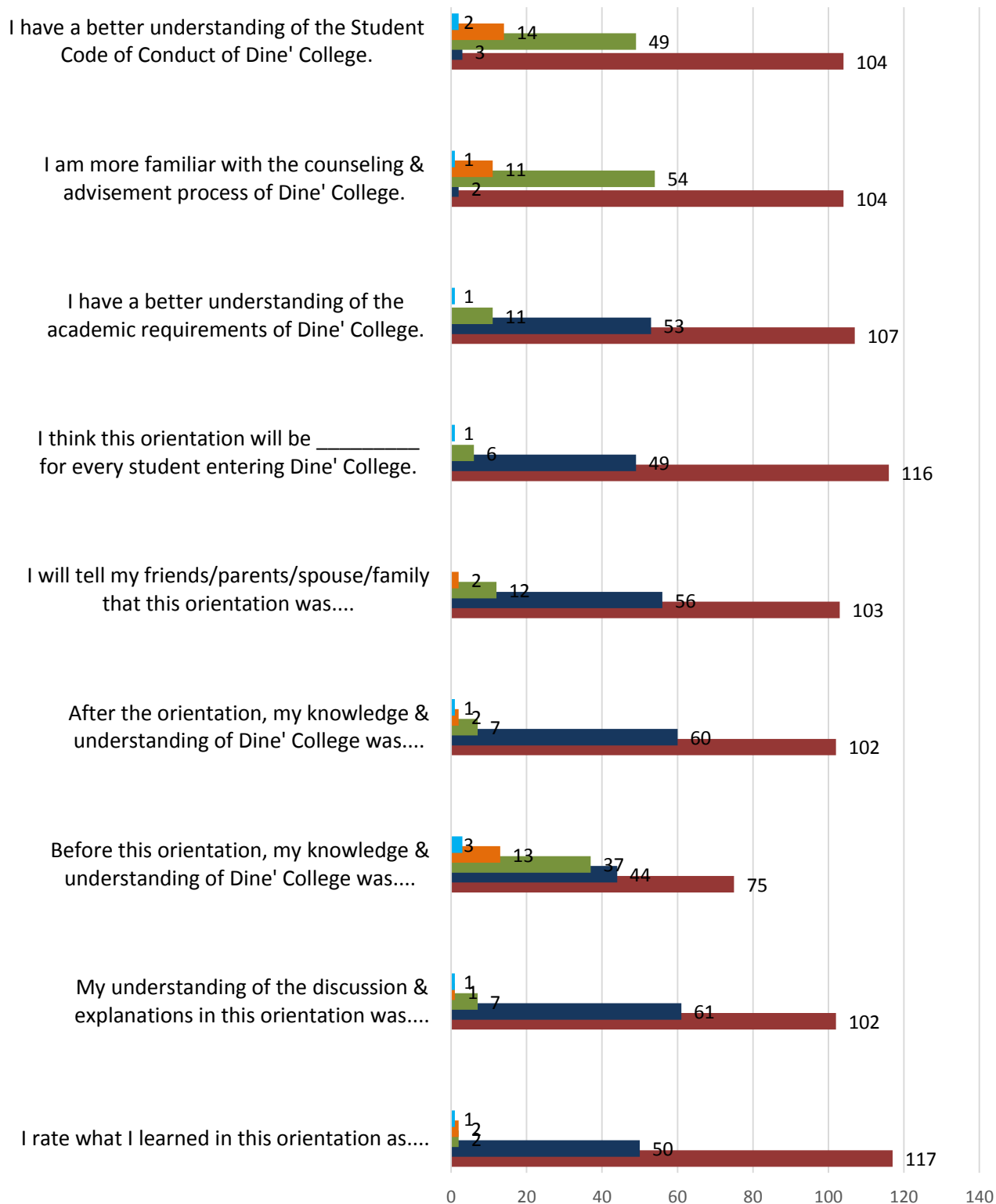
**33** individuals said they heard of Diné College from their High School Counselors, **12** said the Newspaper and **111** said other.



Below shows the feedback from the participants who completed the overall New Student Orientation survey.

Tsaile: NSO Overall Evaluation  
N=172

■ Poor ■ Fair ■ Okay ■ Good ■ Excellent

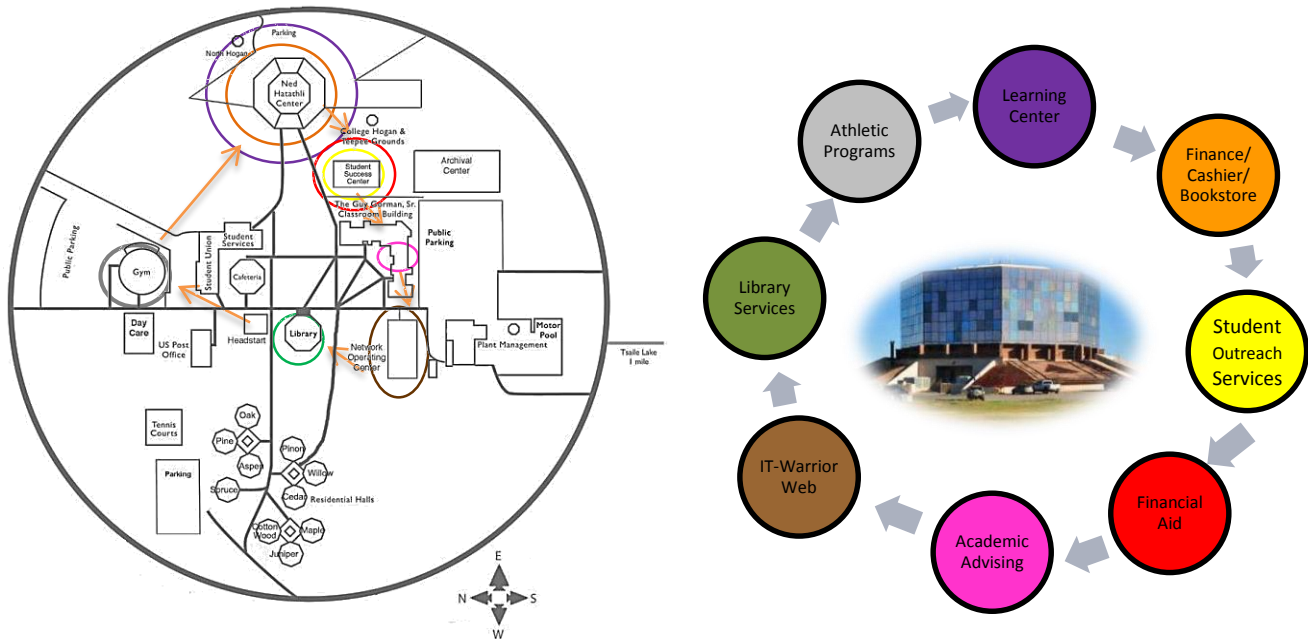


There were 8 groups of student's this semester. Leading those groups were student leaders assigned by colors. Group leaders were residential aid. Group leaders led their groups to each department presentation sessions on campus.

The department presentation were 15 minutes each, however some session were split by two departments. Departments that spilt a session, only had 7 minutes to present to the students.

Departments were located at each of the locations on the rotation map based on color.

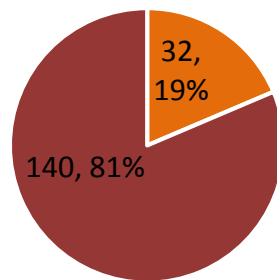
**Rotation Map:**



Was there enough time for each session?

N=172

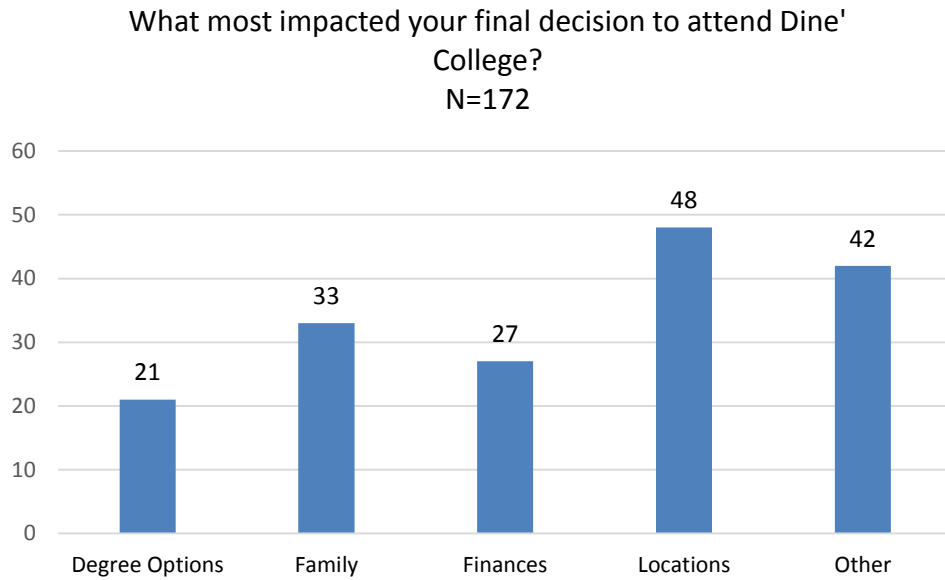
■ Yes ■ No



**140 (81%)** individuals said there was enough time for each presentation session and **32 (19%)** said there was not enough time for each presentation session.



**48** individuals stated that **Locations** was the main impact to attend Diné College. **42** said other reasons.



Comments are shown 'as is'.

**Comments:**

- Was so excited
- Its great
- Orientation was good and understandable
- Looking forward to the school year.
- This orientation was excellent the way it went. Learn new things this year.
- So far stuff n facility are doing a great job here at dine college
- Thank you
- Everything that was advised today had more information from last year
- the food is awesome and the classes and teachers are very positive and helpful and i know my time here will be fun.
- DC is a good college
- The orientation was great!
- Ever thing was good
- Thank you
- Was a great session
- Thank you
- I feel like i was the only one keeping track of time
- I love it
- Orientation was good.
- Adding another sibling to family and also where my family had attended.
- It was good
- The orientation was really good
- More time and it was terrific
- It was good orientation. Learned a lot.
- Make more time for each section of each workshop.
- Happy to start this year at dine college.

- Thank you to the ssc team for hosting this informative session and day. Nizhoni!
- Good.
- Pleased.
- Dine college is really good college
- Admissions was a major hassle. Made me want to quit. Had everything else done before admitted.
- It was great.
- Thank you for the information.
- Dine college is a good college to attend
- It was good
- Dine college is the place to be.
- Thanks n like being a presenter
- Gotta a small lecture from Wilson on my return to the sub. Great sessions,
- It sounds like a very good school to attend.
- This was really a pleasure to see this campus nd
- It was good
- Im excited to attend
- It was good
- Good job everyone (:
- Stay in college
- Great job on the orientation.
- When great
- The school is truly a money saving school
- It was sexy
- The sessions were too FAST!!!! Information overload. But was good info. But you all need to increase presentation time. Please.
- Finish my two year program
- It was good
- Great job staff...we did it....
- Good job!
- Should have longer time for orientation sessions
- The student orientation was very organized, It was awesome. :)
- Everything was well explained.
- Was good (:
- Awesome! I enjoyed showing the students around :)
- Paying for my educations,
- It was fun
- Nizhoni
- Good
- This college is excellent
- Good job!
- The orientation went great!
- Good job
- The tour was great
- Cool
- Yea
- Everything is informative

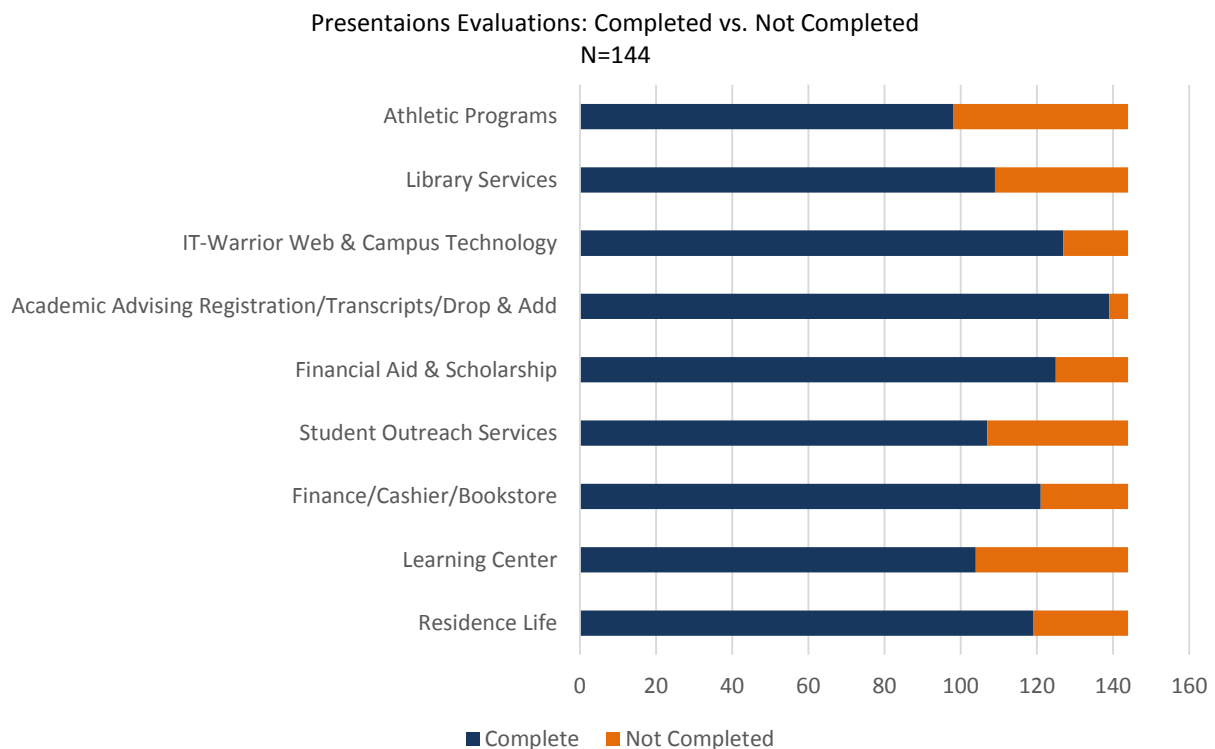
- Everything was all good.
- (: orientation was fun. I enjoyed it.
- Great Job! :D this was an amazing experience.
- I had fun with the tour :)
- Just needed a little more time. Was informative with the time allowed
- Thank you
- Overall a good choice for my son
- Thanks
- I had to do walking
- Very good
- Looking forward to starting classes
- Great school
- Thx
- I felt that the services that dine college provided today were excellent and met my needs. I would recommend incoming students to participate in next years orientation.
- I would enjoy attending college here
- Getting more info from advisor
- Uhh thx
- Needed more information on teacher education program
- Thank you
- I learned alot more
- Everything was good
- To get closer to what i want to be in
- It was a great orientation. But water bottles would be nice.
- It was awesome and also great
- Relearning culture
- Very good presentation
- More time per session would have been great. The amount of information given was not enough.
- It was great
- I had a total blast at the orientation to
- Good job team!
- I will enjoy continuing my education here at Dine
- Thank you
- Walk in
- Dorm
- I wanted to go back to support my daughter
- Good job
- Good
- I think this orientation was exciting
- Everything was great!!
- Thank you

There were a total of 13 departments that presented to give information about their departments. In some locations there were 2 department's that shared a session.

Below is a chart of all departments and name of presenter(s).

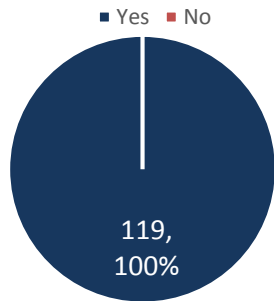
<u>Name of Department workshop</u>	<u>Name of presenter(s)</u>
1. Residence Life/Student Code of Conduct	Dawayne Bahe-Residence Life Coordinator
2. Learning Center	Fred Tahe
3. Finance/Cashier/Bookstore	Lisa Byjoe & Merle Dayzie
4. Student Outreach Services	Marlencia Jackson, Lavine Blackmountain, Natalie Denezpi
5. Financial Aid & Scholarship	Ordell Joe & Jathan Dan
6. Academic Advising/ Registration/Transcripts/Drop & Add	Davina Morris, Latoyia Largo & Ed Curtis
7. IT- Warrior Web & Campus Technology	Louis Ortiz
8. Library Services	Bruce Chandler
9. Athletic Programs	Jackson Craig
10. Student Activities	Foster Gorman
11. Campus Security	Sgt. Delmar
12. Parents/Family Orientation Session	Glennita Haskey & Ordell Joe

Though, group leaders were in charge of giving out the student presentation evaluations, not all evaluations were returned back to the Groups leaders. Therefore, each presentation has different numbers of evaluations. The chart below shows how many were turned in and how many weren't. The total number of students who attended was **144**.

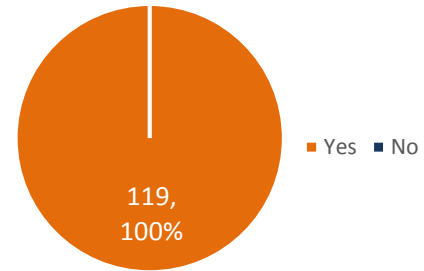


## 1. Residence Life: Presentation Evaluations Results

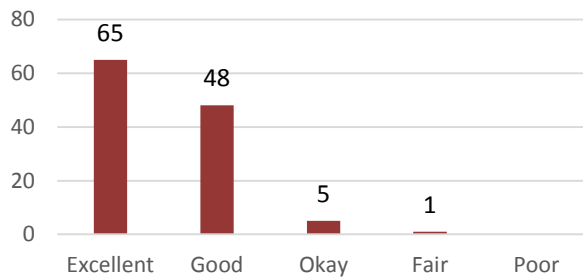
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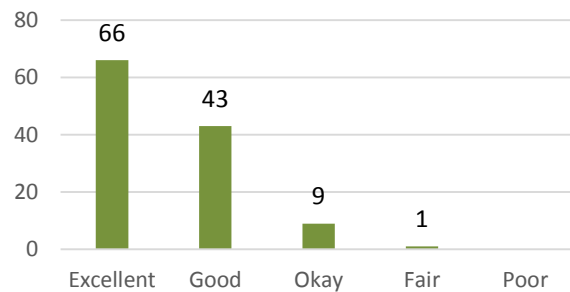
Would you recommend the presenter(s)?  
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Please rate the Presenter(s).  
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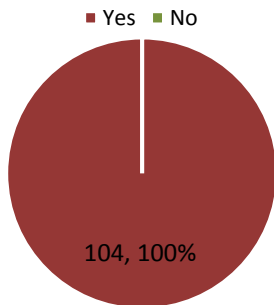


What would you rate this session overall?  
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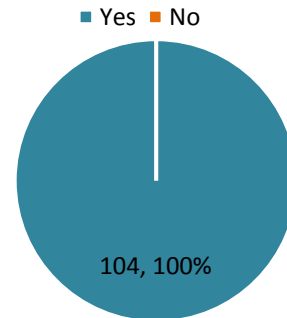


## 2. Learning Center: Presentation Evaluations Results

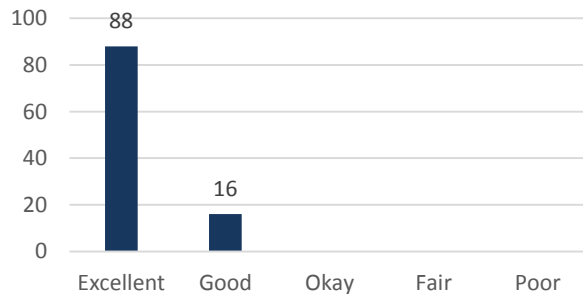
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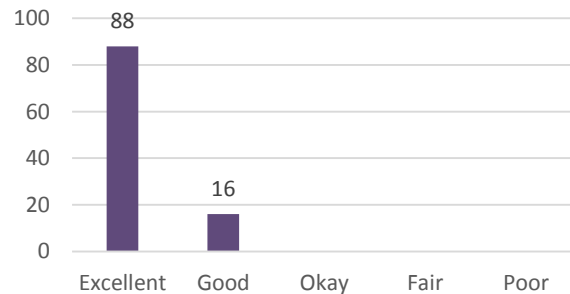
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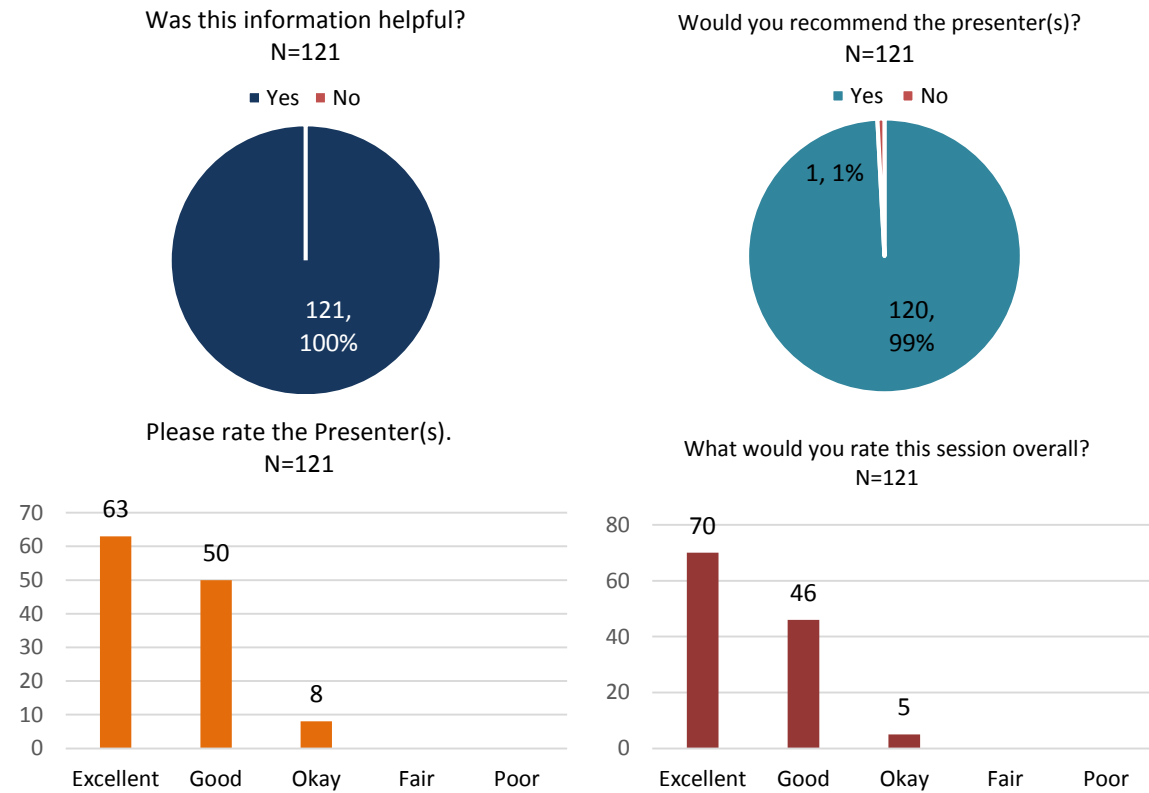
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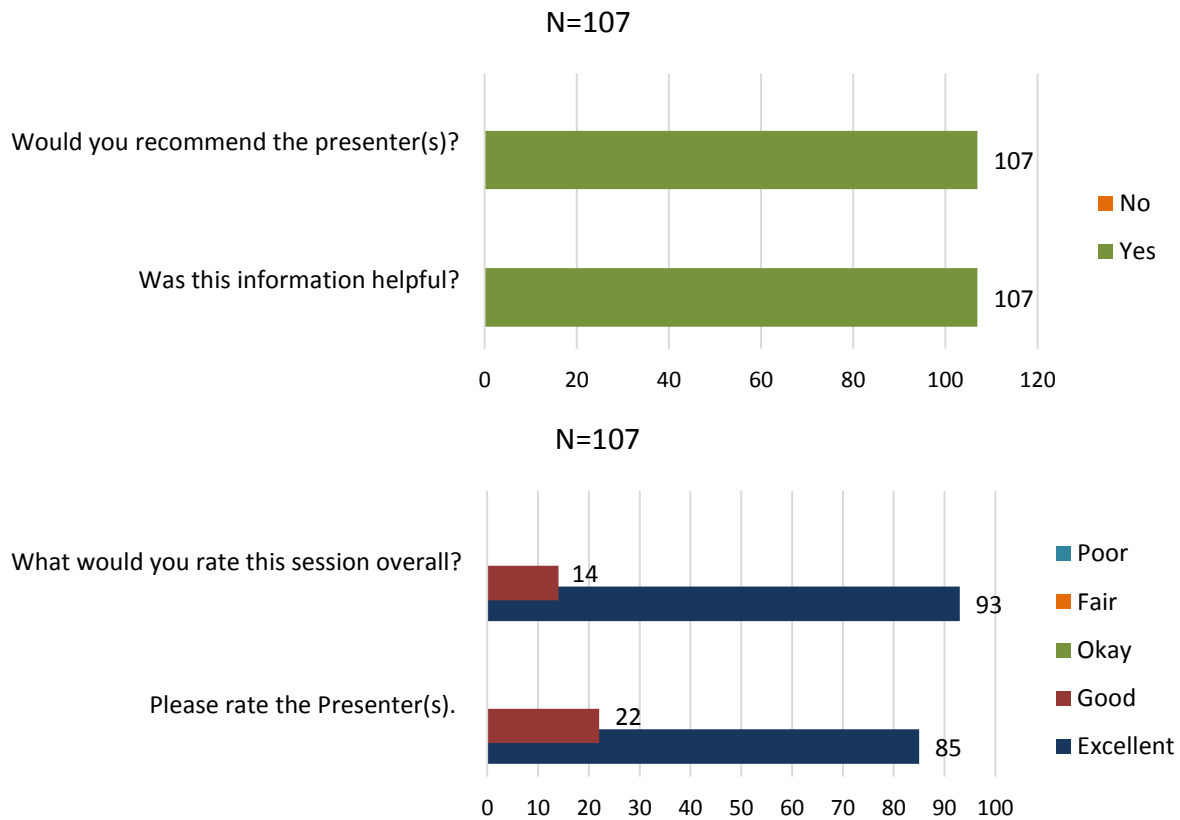
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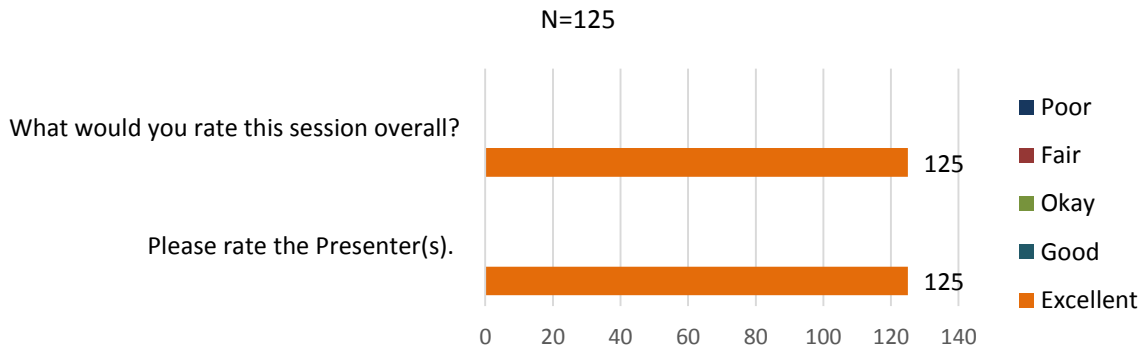
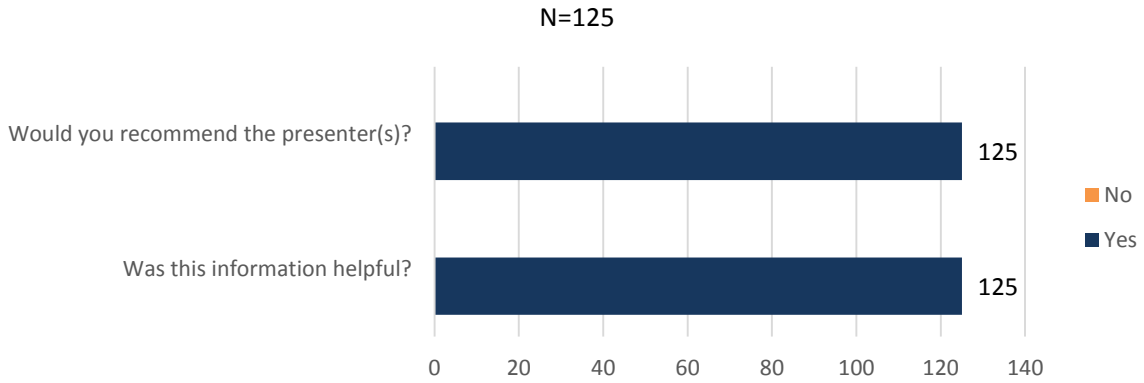
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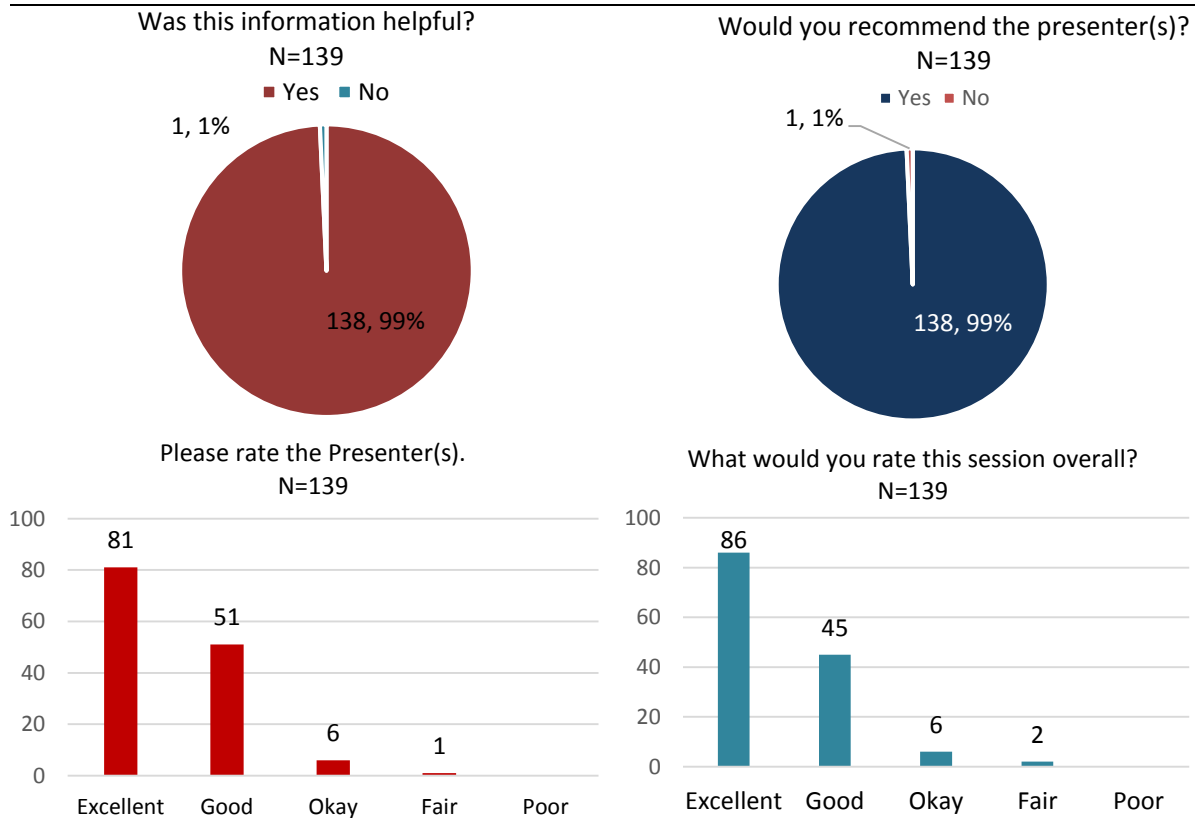
### 4. Student Outreach Service: Presentation Evaluation Results



**5. Financial Aid & Scholarship: Presentation Evaluation Results**



**6. Academic Advising Registration/Transcripts/Drop & Add: Presentation Evaluations Results**

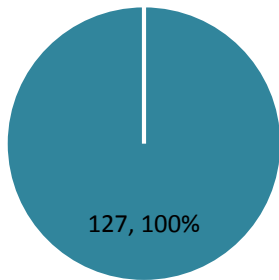


**7. IT-Warrior Web & Campus Technology: Presentation Evaluation Results**

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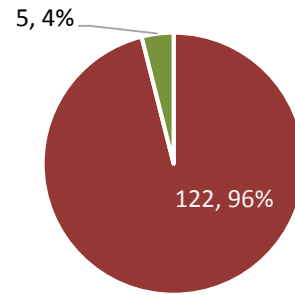
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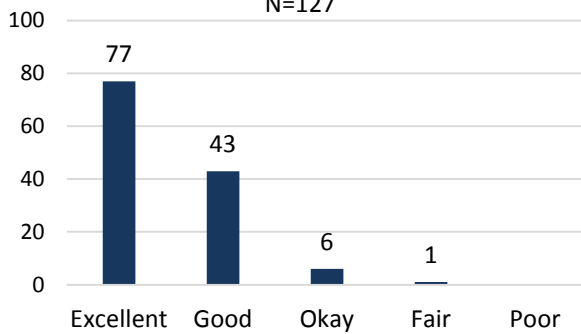
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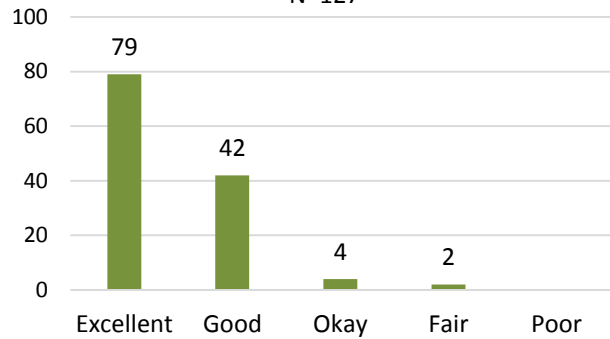
Please rate the Presenter(s).

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What would you rate this session overall?

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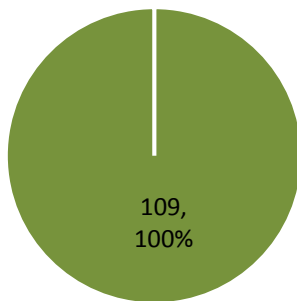


**8. Library Services: Presentation Evaluation Results**

Was this information helpful?

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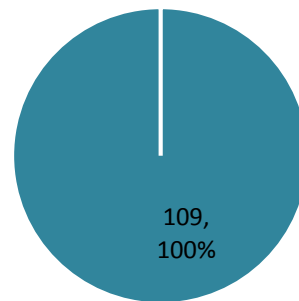
■ Yes ■ No



Would you recommend the presenter(s)?

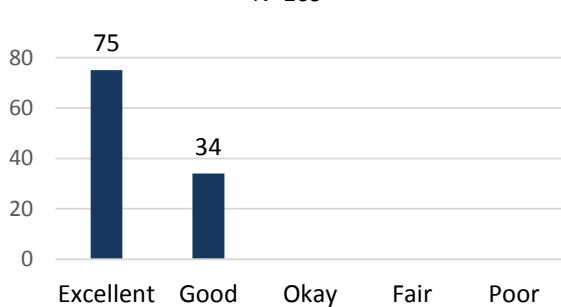
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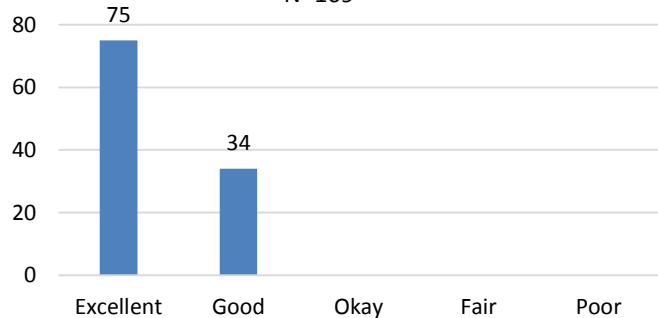
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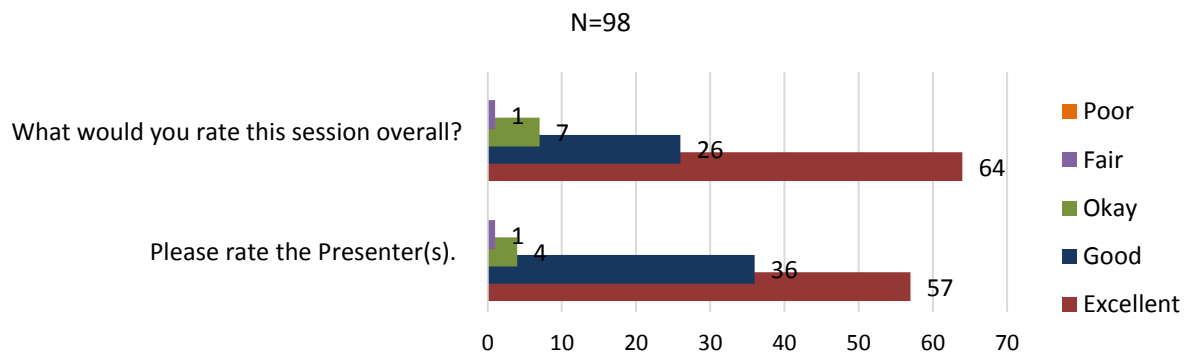
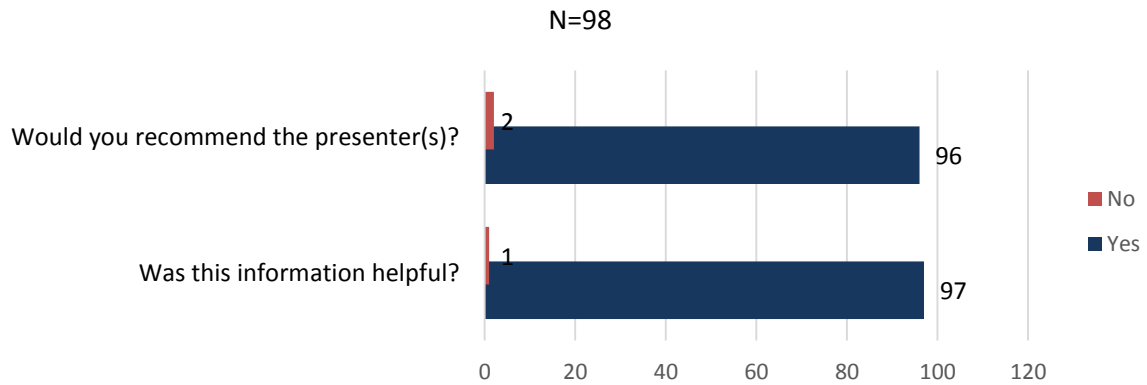
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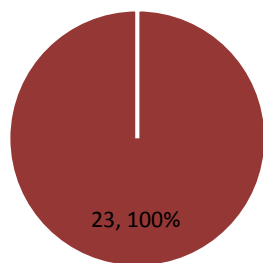


**10. Parent/Family Orientation Session & Roundtable: Results**

Was this information helpful?

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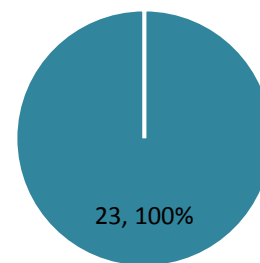
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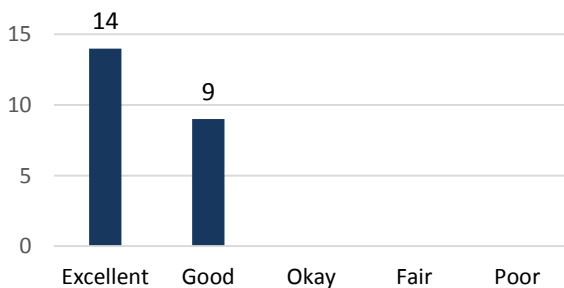
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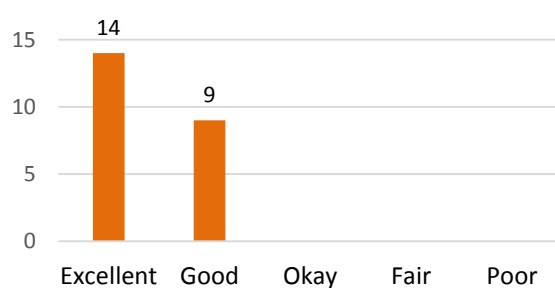
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# Section 6.0

Diné College-Tuba City

Coordinator: Phyllis Begay

Attendance: Total of 35 Attendees

## DINÉ COLLEGE-TUBA CITY

FALL 2014

### 2014 Fall New Student Orientation Agenda

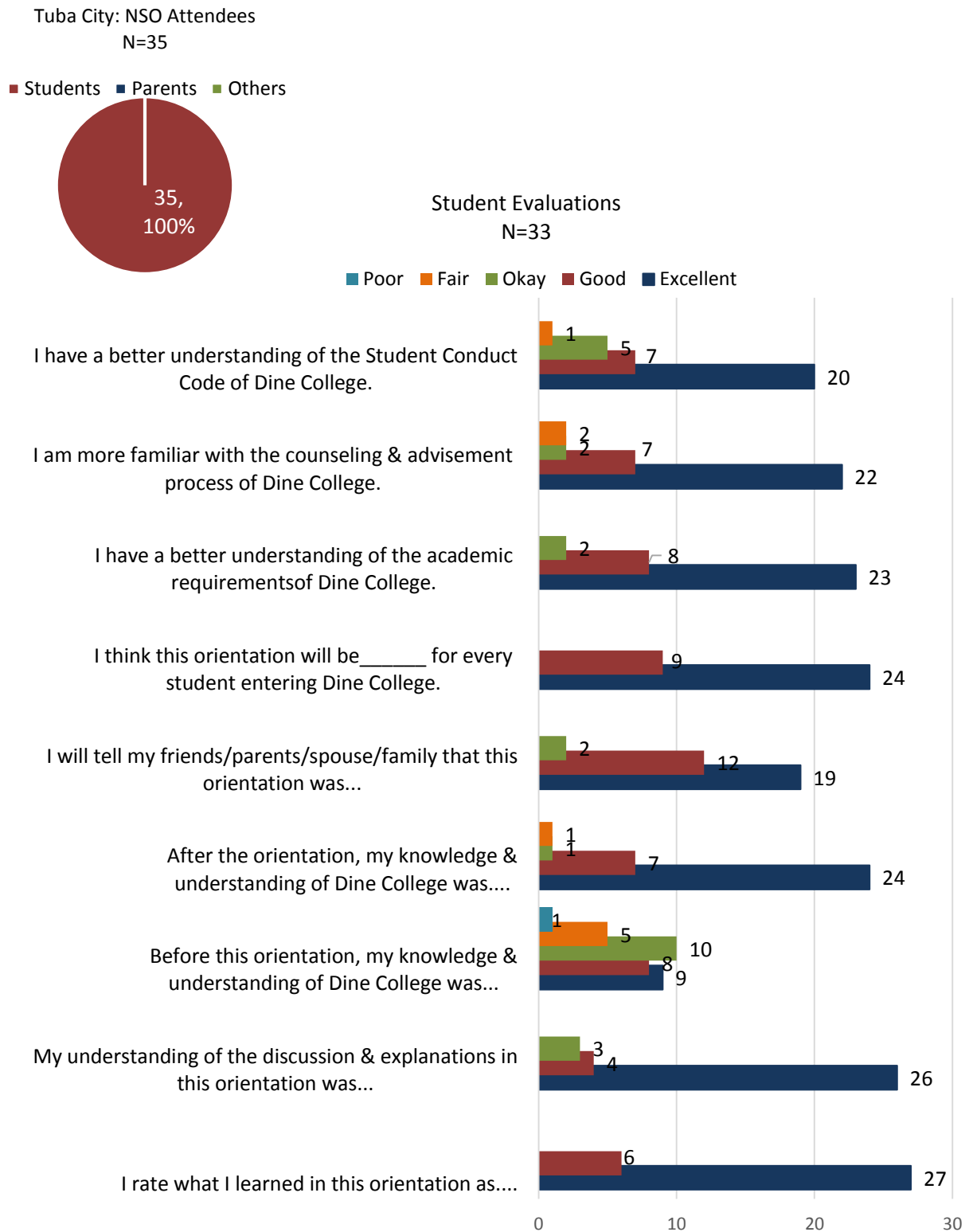
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13, 2014  
8:30AM - 4:00PM



TIME	ACTIVITY	FACILITATORS	LOCATION
8:30 - 9:00 AM	Continental Breakfast - Sign in	Everyone	Learning Center Lobby
9:00 - 9:10 AM	Welcome, Pre-Test, & DC History	Phyllis	Room 109
9:10 - 9:30 AM	Name Game	Everyone	Room 109
<b>9:35 - 10:05 AM</b>	<b>Blue Group: Degree, Majors, &amp; Requirements, AZ Transfer Guide, Financial Aid/Scholarships, Students w/Disabilities</b>	Shirley & Larrita	Room 106 - ITV Room
	<b>Yellow Group: Student Code of Conduct, FERPA Policy, Academic Policies</b>	Phyllis & Priscilla	Room 116
<b>10:15 - 10:45 AM</b>	<b>Blue Group: Student Code of Conduct, FERPA Policy, Academic Policies</b>	Phyllis & Priscilla	Room 116
	<b>Yellow Group: Degree, Majors, &amp; Requirements, AZ Transfer Guide, Financial Aid/Scholarships, Students w/Disabilities</b>	Shirley & Larrita	Room 106 - ITV Room
<b>10:55 - 11:25 AM</b>	<b>Blue Group: Business Budgeting, Refunds, Disbursements, Textbooks, Book Buys Backs, eBooks, etc.</b>	Priscilla	Room 106 - ITV Room
	<b>Yellow Group: Student Resources, Ambassador's Club, Tutoring, Workshop Seminars, Library, NAU EOP</b>	Larrita	Room 116
11:30 - 12:00 PM	<b>Blue Group: Student Resources, Ambassador's Club, Tutoring, Workshop Seminars, Library, NAU EOP</b>	Larrita	Room 116
11:30 - 12:00 PM	<b>Yellow Group: Business Budgeting, Refunds, Disbursements, Textbooks, Book Buys Backs, eBooks, etc.</b>	Priscilla	Room 106 - ITV Room
12:00 - 1:00PM	LUNCH with Diné College Alumni	Everyone	Room 109
1:00 - 1:30 PM	<b>Blue Group: Transition to College, Time Management, Communication, Expectations, Workshops</b>	Larrita	Room 106 - ITV Room
	<b>Yellow Group: Foods for Thought - Super Foods for a Super College!</b>	Dr. Rivera	Room 116
1:35 - 2:05 PM	<b>Blue Group: Foods for Thought - Super Foods for a Super College!</b>	Dr. Rivera	Room 116
	<b>Yellow Group: Transition to College, Time Management, Communication, Expectations, Workshops</b>	Larrita	Room 106 - ITV Room
2:10 - 3:00 PM	Wrap-Up/Evaluation, Post-Test, Questions/Concerns	Everyone	Room 109
3:30 - 5:00 PM	Photos for Student ID & Warrior Web	Larrita	Computer Lab

**Evaluations:**

Of the 35 attendees, only 33 students completed the New Student Orientation Evaluations. Results are shown below. 27 students agreed that the overall orientation was **Excellent**.



**Comments:**

Was great and enjoyed lunch.

This could have been more exciting.

Time management was taken care of very well.

Thank you, orientation well organized.

I had a good time at presentation.

Good on providing information about Dine College and yet I rate this as 5 stars

Wever lesson was explained to the fullest.

The new student orientation i think was excellent knowing that everything i heardwas understanding to my knowledge.

Good presentation. Thank you!

Did a great job. Staff seems very dedicated.

I like this school, so far.

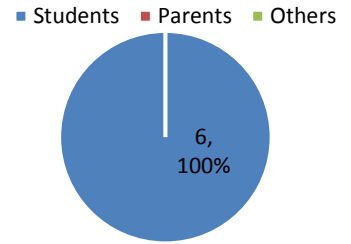
# Section 7.0

Diné College-Window Rock Center

Coordinator: Ilen Naegle

Attendance: Total of 6 Attendees (100% Students)

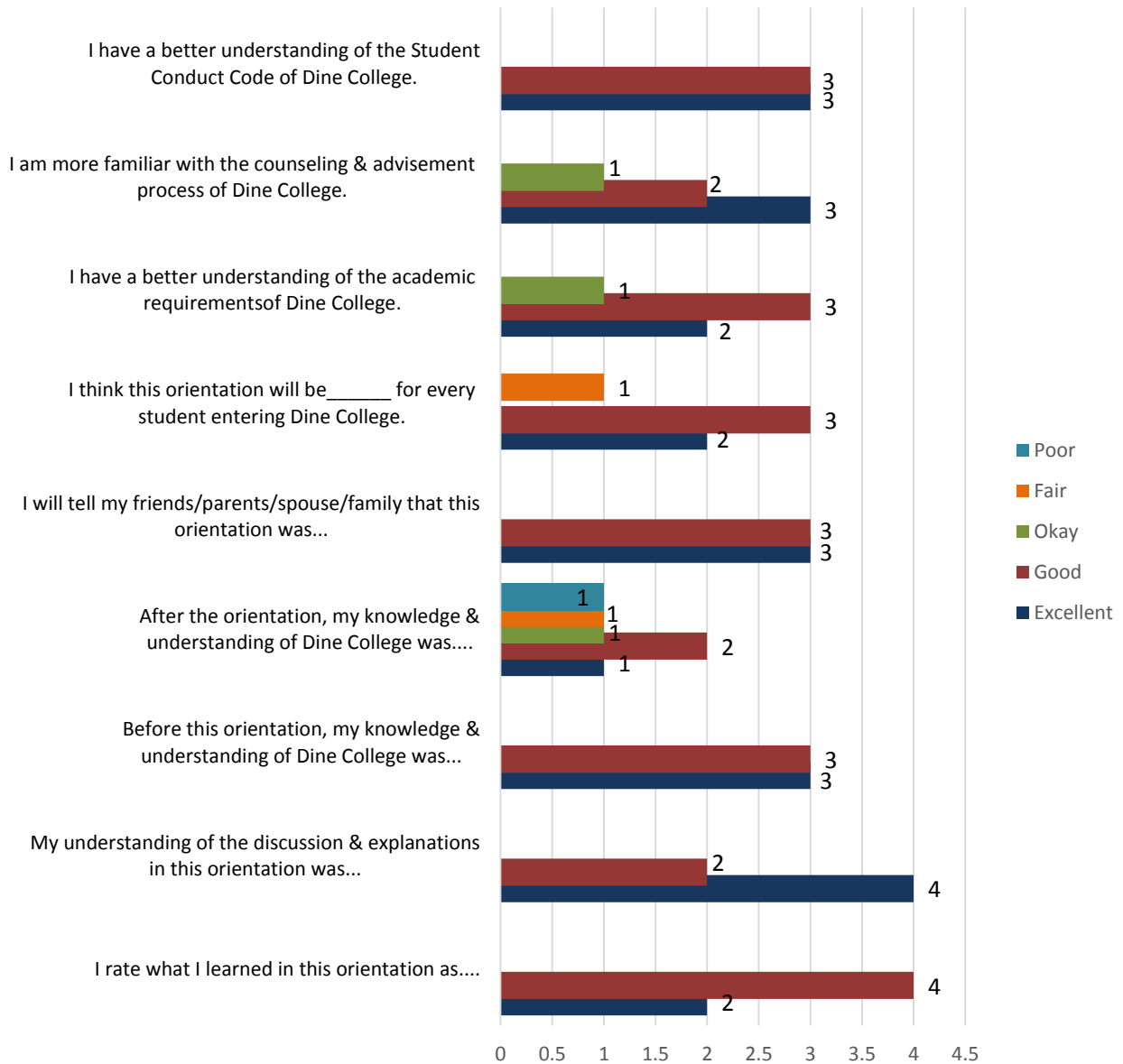
Window Rock: NSO  
Attendees  
N=6



There were 6 students who attended this fall's new student Orientation. All evaluations were submitted and

## Evaluation

Student Evaluations  
N=6



**Comments:**

- Thanks I feel better prepared and very welcome. Beautiful.
- Can't wait to start class.
- The information was scattered

3 of the 6 students left feedbacks. Comments are shown 'as is'.

**Brief Summary:**

Overall, majority of all site's New Student Orientation were positive and students feel more prepared gaining more knowledge about their future experience at Diné College.

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