RESULTS FROM TEXAN ORIENTATION STUDENT SURVEY 2009

Quantitative Findings
**Question 1:** Orientation contributed to my ability to connect with my peers

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QUESTION 2: I AM AWARE OF PROGRAMS AVAILABLE TO ASSIST IN MY OVERALL SUCCESS

Strongly Agree: 54%
Agree: 63%
Neutral: 37%
Disagree: 33%
Strongly Disagree: 8%

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QUESTION 3: I UNDERSTAND THE ROLE MY ACADEMIC ADVISOR PLAYS IN THE ADVISING PROCESS

Strongly Agree: 63%
Agree: 31%
Neutral: 5%
Disagree: 3%
Strongly Disagree: 1%

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QUESTION 4: I AM COMFORTABLE NAVIGATING THROUGH THE REGISTRATION SYSTEM

Strongly Agree
Agree
Neutral
Disagree
Strongly Disagree

57%
57%
55%
33%
33%
8%
9%
2%
1%
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QUESTION 5: MY ORIENTATION ADVISOR WAS KNOWLEDGEABLE

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QUESTION 6: I AM MORE KNOWLEDGEABLE ABOUT THE TARLETON AFTER ATTENDING ORIENTATION

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Qualitative Findings
**Question 1:** Based on what you learned at Orientation, what is one way that you can get involved at Tarleton?

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**Texan Orientation-Student Survey-Summer 2009**
**Session 1:**
1. Study - 32
2. Go to class - 24
3. Study groups - 19

**Session 2:**
1. Study - 39
2. Study groups - 29
3. Go to class - 25

**Session 3:**
1. Study - 51
2. Study groups - 27
3. Go to class - 17

**Session 4:**
1. Study - 44
2. Study groups - 30
3. Supplemental Instruction - 12

**Session 5:**
1. Study - 56
2. Study groups - 18
3. Supplemental Instruction - 13
   Go to class - 13

**Session 6:**
1. Go to class - 31
2. Study - 25
3. Study groups - 20

**Session 7:**
1. Study - 60
2. Study group - 18
3. Go to class - 15

**Session 8:**
1. Study - 19
2. Library - 13
3. Go to class - 11

**Session 9:**
1. Study - 29
2. Go to class - 6
3. Study groups - 5

**Session 10:**
1. Study - 17
2. Study groups - 5
3. Library - 4

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**Question 2:** Name one way you will engage in academic work.
**Question 3: If you find yourself struggling personally or academically, name one resource Tarleton offers to assist you.**

**Session 1:**
1. Supplemental Instruction - 27
2. Counselors/Counseling - 22
3. Library - 14

**Session 2:**
1. Counselors/Counseling - 23
2. Library - 14
3. Academic advisor - 14
4. Counseling Center - 12
5. Supplemental Instruction - 12

**Session 3:**
1. Counseling/Counselor - 41
2. Tutoring/Tutors - 19
3. Academic Advisors - 10
4. Supplemental Instruction - 12

**Session 4:**
1. Supplemental Instruction - 55
2. Tutoring/Tutors - 17
3. Counseling/Counselor - 11

**Session 5:**
1. Supplemental Instruction - 50
2. Tutors/Tutoring - 17
3. Counselors/Counseling - 14

**Session 6:**
1. Tutoring/Tutors - 23
2. Supplemental Instruction - 20
3. Academic Advisor - 9
4. Counseling/Counselors - 9
5. Math Clinic/Lab - 9

**Session 7:**
1. Tutors/Tutoring - 25
2. Supplemental Instruction - 23
3. Library - 13

**Session 8:**
1. Tutors/Tutoring - 11
2. Counselor/Counseling - 9
3. Library - 8

**Session 9:**
1. Tutors/Tutoring - 12
2. Counselor/Counseling - 10
3. Supplemental Instruction - 9

**Session 10:**
1. Tutoring/Tutors - 8
2. Library - 6
3. Supplemental Instruction - 5
QUESTION 4: RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FUTURE TEXAN ORIENTATION: (COMMENTS)

Session 1:
1. Dance- 11
2. Group us with like majors.
3. Keep sessions short and sweet and to the point.
4. More trust building games
5. It was great- just a little long

Session 2:
1. Have fun- 6
2. Orientation was great! Make application and registration more user-friendly!
3. No boring speakers
4. Shorter sessions
5. More time to sleep

Session 3:
1. Make it shorter
2. No lectures.
3. Keep it up
4. Not so late at night
5. Not long speeches

Session 4:
1. Give bottled water away!
2. Have teachers in specific college help with getting classes together
3. No games, it’s childish
4. Very good!
5. It was great!

Session 5:
1. Needs to be shorter
2. More signs about where to go…
3. Inform more about dorm staying during orientation.
4. It was long but exciting
5. Talk more about the great traditions
Question 4: Recommendations for Future Texan Orientation Continued:

**Session 6:**
1. More time to write the play
2. 3 day instead of 2
3. Mix it up, fun and boring stuff
4. More games to “break the ice”
5. I had a great time and became more knowledgeable about Tarleton and important Freshman info.

**Session 7:**
1. Don’t be shy and come open-minded
2. Nothing it was great!!
3. Shorter!
4. Registration easier
5. More physical activities

**Session 8:**
1. More games
2. More activities
3. More Pool 😊
4. Help more with registering
5. More entertainment

**Session 9:**
1. Better maps
2. More group activities
3. Listen to what the advisors say
4. Some need to change the attitude
5. Help a little more with the picking of the class process

**Session 10:**
1. Shorter
2. Better map 😊
3. More advisors
4. Go visit dorm room
5. No long boring Power Points