Other Demographic Characteristics of Southeastern Students



In the Fall of 2016, Institutional Research conducted a survey of Southeastern's student body. The random sample survey provided the following background information on Southeastern's students.

- » Most (81%) of the respondents have never been married, and 16% are currently married.
- » Over one-tenth (13%) of the respondents have children under the age of 18.
- » More than one-third (37%) of the respondents travel more than 30 miles, one way, to Southeastern's main campus, 28% travel between 5 and 30 miles, 19% travel less than 5 miles, and 16% live on campus.
- » The vast majority (74%) of the respondents work, with most of them (62%) working off campus, 7% work on campus, and 4% work both on and off campus.
- » Of the students who work, 42% work 20 or fewer hours per week, 27% work 21 to 30 hours per week, and 31% work more than 30 hours per week.
- » One-fifth (18%) of the respondents are first-generation college students, meaning neither of their parents have any college education. Half (50%) of the students have a parent who has earned a baccalaureate degree or higher.

Source: 2016-2017 Survey of Current Students