We rely upon NSSE and FSSE data to encourage the campus community to take responsibility for student learning and engagement.

— Margaret W. Cohen, Associate Provost Emerita
University of Missouri - St. Louis

Register by September 23, 2016 at fsse.indiana.edu
The Faculty Survey of Student Engagement (FSSE) was designed to complement the National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE), which is administered to undergraduate students. FSSE measures faculty, instructor, and graduate student expectations for undergraduate student engagement in educational practices that are empirically linked with student learning and development. Although most institutions use FSSE concurrently with NSSE, FSSE can be administered on its own.

FSSE’s core instrument targets faculty members and other instructional staff. Institutions that employ graduate students who teach can get a more complete understanding of undergraduate education on their campus by including graduate students in their FSSE administration. As a result of the many different faculty, instructors, and graduate students who may participate in a FSSE administration, when we refer to faculty, we mean all people who teach undergraduate courses. Since FSSE’s inception, more than 250,000 faculty members from over 800 colleges and universities have participated in the survey.

**View the survey and register online**

fsse.indiana.edu

**Why Do Institutions Choose FSSE?**

Information from those who teach undergraduates at your institution helps contextualize findings from students. FSSE results, particularly in combination with those from NSSE, can be a catalyst for productive discussions related to teaching, learning, and the quality of your undergraduates’ educational experiences. Institutions can use FSSE results in many ways, including for accreditation and self-studies, assessment and improvement, curricular reform, professional development, institutional research, faculty and graduate student workshops and retreats, and the scholarship of teaching and learning.

FSSE focuses on

- How often faculty use effective teaching strategies
- How much faculty encourage students to collaborate
- The nature and frequency of faculty-student interactions
- Opportunities for students to engage diverse perspectives
- The importance faculty place on increasing institutional support for students
- The importance faculty place on various areas of learning and development
- How faculty members organize their time, both in and out of the classroom
What Does It Cost?

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ᵃTopical modules are extra item sets focused on engagement-related topics that institutions can append to the FSSE instrument.
ᵇInstitutions participating in a NSSE consortium may add FSSE consortium questions when available. Institutions that do so may add only one topical module.

FSSE Topical Modules

Academic Advising  | Experiences with Writing
Civic Engagement   | Learning with Technology
Development of Transferable Skills | Scholarship of Teaching and Learning
Experiences with Diverse Perspectives | Teaching Professional Development

How Is FSSE Administered?

FSSE staff handle all aspects of survey administration, including invitations and follow-up messages, delivery of the online survey, compilation of data, and analysis of results. Institutions should also note the following:

- FSSE will be administered in spring 2017.
- Each institution provides the names and email addresses of its selected sample of faculty, instructors, and/or graduate students who have taught at least one undergraduate course in the 2016–17 academic year.
- Customization options for FSSE include a selection of topical modules, the addition of parallel NSSE consortium or system questions, and the adaptation of disciplinary areas to complement NSSE major field groupings.

We strongly recommend that each institution contact participating faculty, instructors, and/or graduate students who teach undergraduates prior to survey administration to indicate the institution’s support for the survey.
What Does a Participating Institution Receive?

FSSE institutions receive detailed analyses including:

- Customized reports of participants’ responses
- A report of faculty and student participation in effective educational practices that pairs NSSE and FSSE results
- A report of participant responses by disciplinary area
- A data file of participant responses (including demographics as of 2016)
- An overview of FSSE 2017 institutions and respondents
- Key findings from the latest NSSE administration including findings based on FSSE results

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