



Strengths/Challenges Report 2010-2013

Strengths – Students rated these items with both High Importance & High Satisfaction

Institutional Strengths based on the Gap analysis provided by Noel Levitz. These items have repeatedly been rated as strengths each year over 4 years of conducting the survey.

1. The campus staff are caring and helpful.
13. The campus is safe and secure for all students.
20. Students are made to feel welcome here.
34. Faculty are usually available to students outside of class (during office hours, by phone, or by e-mail).
38. Most classes deal with practical experiences and applications.
39. On the whole, the campus is well-maintained.
42. Campus item 2: Staff on this campus are supportive of students.
43. Campus item 3: My overall experience at Southwest Tech has been positive.
44. Campus item 4: I feel confident that the skills I have attained prepared me for my career goals.

Challenges – Students rated these items with both High Importance & Low Satisfaction

Institutional Challenges based on the Gap analysis provided by Noel Levitz. These items have repeatedly been rated as challenges each year over 4 years of conducting the survey.

2. Classes are scheduled at times that are convenient for me.
9. I am able to register for the classes I need with few conflicts.
21. The amount of student parking space on campus is adequate.
25. Faculty provide timely feedback about my academic progress.
37. I seldom get the "run-around" when seeking information on this campus.
41. Campus item 1: Faculty take into consideration student learning styles as they teach a course.