

The Evergreen State College  
 Evergreen New Student Survey 2005  
 Tacoma Analysis

How confident are you that you...

New students were asked to indicate their confidence in a variety of areas. The table below shows responses to this series of questions from Tacoma students, sorted from highest to lowest mean (average) response. On average, students were most confident that they: will be able to use their education to meet life-long goals, have the skills and abilities to succeed at Evergreen, and will obtain a well-rounded interdisciplinary education. Tacoma students were least confident that they can get the kinds of courses they want at Evergreen, have the funding to complete their studies at Evergreen, and will obtain technical skills in a specific field.

*How confident are you that you...*

<i>(0=Not at All, 1=A Little, 2=Somewhat, 3=Quite, 4=Very)</i>	Mean	Not at All (0)	A Little (1)	Somewhat (2)	Quite (3)	Very (4)	Missing
Will be able to use your education to meet life-long goals	3.45	0.0%	0.0%	13.8%	27.6%	58.6%	0
Have the skills and abilities to succeed at Evergreen	3.22	0.0%	3.4%	15.5%	36.2%	44.8%	0
Will obtain a well-rounded interdisciplinary education	3.17	0.0%	1.7%	17.2%	43.1%	37.9%	0
Will be able to find a satisfying job or make a desired career change after graduation	3.09	0.0%	5.2%	19.0%	37.9%	37.9%	0
Will have the kind of emotional support from family and friends that you need	3.09	1.7%	8.6%	20.7%	17.2%	51.7%	0
Will be able to manage any debt that you incur in completing your education at Evergreen	2.95	1.7%	8.6%	20.7%	31.0%	37.9%	0
Will fit in at Evergreen socially	2.91	0.0%	6.9%	31.0%	25.9%	36.2%	0
Can get the kinds of courses you want at Evergreen	2.88	0.0%	1.7%	34.5%	37.9%	25.9%	0
Have the funding to complete your studies at Evergreen	2.71	3.4%	8.6%	31.0%	27.6%	29.3%	0
Will obtain technical skills in a specific field	2.65	0.0%	7.0%	42.1%	29.8%	21.1%	1