

SWTJC Graduating Student Survey 2013-2014

What will be your primary activity after graduation?	Crystal City N=18	Del Rio N=123	Eagle Pass N=232	Uvalde N=235	All Responses N=639
Transfer to another college-university	65%	59%	52%	36%	47%
Pursue employment	0%	25%	26%	33%	28%
Continue with current employment	24%	4%	2%	6%	5%
Continue at SWTJC	6%	9%	13%	20%	15%
Other	6%	3%	7%	6%	6%

	Crystal City	Del Rio	Eagle Pass	Uvalde	All Responses
	Mean score scale of 1 (poor) - 4 (excellent)				
What was your perception of Southwest Texas Junior College when you first enrolled?	3	3	3	3	3
What is your perception of Southwest Texas Junior College now?	4	4	4	3	4
Mean Score Increase	1	1	1	0	1

	Crystal City	Del Rio	Eagle Pass	Uvalde	All Responses
First Generation College Student	67%	71%	66%	63%	66%

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Who most influenced your decision to attend SWTJC?	Crystal City	Del Rio	Eagle Pass	Uvalde	All Responses
Self	47%	71%	55%	54%	58%
Parent/Family	41%	22%	37%	36%	34%
Friends	0%	3%	1%	1%	1%
Coach	0%	0%	0%	2%	1%
High School Counselor	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%
High School Teacher	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
Employer	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
Other	12%	3%	4%	3%	4%

Majors reasons you chose to attend SWTJC	Crystal City	Del Rio	Eagle Pass	Uvalde	All Responses
Convenient location	89%	83%	80%	75%	78%
Academic reputation	17%	11%	16%	14%	14%
Type of courses-programs offered	33%	36%	37%	49%	41%
Cost	78%	51%	51%	53%	53%
Ethnic composition	0%	3%	3%	0%	2%
Availability of financial aid or scholarships	22%	39%	36%	29%	33%
Recommendation by others	11%	11%	17%	21%	17%
Friends attending SWTJC	28%	11%	11%	15%	13%

What was the primary source of funds for your education?	Crystal City	Del Rio	Eagle Pass	Uvalde	All Responses
Self-spouse	11%	19%	12%	14%	14%
Parents	6%	12%	12%	15%	13%
Scholarship	0%	1%	1%	3%	2%
Employer	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%
Financial aid	72%	59%	72%	65%	67%
Other	11%	8%	1%	3%	3%

What are your plans for employment after graduation?	Crystal City	Del Rio	Eagle Pass	Uvalde	All Responses
I plan to pursue employment	33%	62%	59%	52%	56%
I plan to continue in my current job	44%	23%	12%	16%	17%
I have accepted a job to begin after graduation	0%	0%	3%	2%	2%
I plan to start my own business	6%	4%	3%	8%	5%
I do not plan to be employed	0%	2%	1%	3%	2%
Other	17%	9%	22%	19%	18%

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Percent of Responses Good or Excellent

Rate how well SWTJC prepared you in the following areas

	Crystal City N=18	Del Rio N=123	Eagle Pass N=232	Uvalde N=235	All Responses N=639
Reading comprehension	92%	97%	92%	88%	91%
Writing skills	77%	95%	93%	87%	90%
Mathematical skills	77%	89%	87%	81%	85%
Computer skills	100%	87%	92%	85%	88%
Use of Technology	100%	91%	90%	88%	90%
Oral communication skills	88%	94%	88%	91%	90%
Listening skills	93%	97%	93%	93%	94%
Leadership skills	86%	92%	89%	90%	90%
Working with a team or group	93%	95%	92%	93%	93%
Job search skills	69%	84%	75%	78%	78%
Development of professional ethics	94%	94%	88%	86%	88%
Critically evaluate information for decision making	86%	97%	93%	88%	92%
Locate, screen and organize information	94%	93%	92%	86%	90%
Setting priorities and managing time	93%	93%	92%	88%	91%
Developing foundation for life-long learning	94%	93%	93%	91%	92%

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Percent of Responses Satisfied or Very Satisfied

Indicate your level of satisfaction with the following offices and services

	Crystal City N=18	Del Rio N=123	Eagle Pass N=232	Uvalde N=235	All Responses N=639
Admissions	100%	99%	99%	100%	99%
Registration	100%	98%	98%	100%	99%
Billing and payment procedures	100%	99%	96%	98%	98%
Financial aid	93%	97%	93%	94%	94%
Academic advisement	94%	93%	93%	91%	92%
Personal counseling	93%	97%	99%	97%	97%
Quality of faculty	100%	99%	99%	98%	99%
Quality of other college staff	100%	100%	99%	99%	99%
Methods used for instruction	94%	99%	98%	97%	98%
Availability of courses when needed	81%	90%	93%	94%	92%
Variety of courses offered	94%	87%	91%	94%	91%
Library	100%	97%	94%	98%	96%
ACE lab	100%	100%	97%	100%	99%
Writing lab	100%	99%	98%	100%	99%
Student Success Center	94%	93%	93%	91%	92%
Student Helpdesk	100%	98%	98%	99%	98%
Availability of computers	100%	98%	99%	99%	99%
Quality or quantity of equipment	87%	98%	93%	96%	95%
Tutoring services	100%	99%	97%	98%	98%
Career and job placement services	90%	95%	95%	97%	96%
Campus appearance	93%	99%	99%	97%	98%
Campus housing	78%	97%	95%	85%	90%
Campus sponsored events	92%	95%	94%	96%	95%
Food/cafeteria services	94%	93%	93%	91%	92%
Campus safety	100%	99%	95%	96%	96%
Transportation services	100%	98%	96%	91%	94%
Bookstore	87%	88%	90%	93%	91%
Counselor assisted registration	93%	96%	99%	98%	98%
Workstudy Program	90%	98%	98%	98%	98%
Quality of overall education you received at SWTJC	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.5%	99.8%