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# GRADUATE SURVEY

Congratulations! You are close to completing your requirements for graduation. Data from our graduating students is essential in helping us improve our learning environment for all students, and in getting the word out about Charter Oak. As a graduating student, **you must complete and return this survey in order to graduate.** If you have any questions, please contact Gale Terrill at 860-832-3838 or at [gterrill@charteroak.edu](mailto:gterrill@charteroak.edu)

**DIPLOMA NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Please print your name exactly as you would like it to appear on your diploma.

Daytime Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Four Digits of Your Social Security #: \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_

**How important were the following factors in your choosing to matriculate (enroll) at Charter Oak State College?**

	Very important	Somewhat important	Not important
1. Cost	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Open Admissions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Type of concentrations available	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Acceptance of credits regardless of date earned	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Acceptance of non-college credits	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Flexibility of program	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Opportunity to complete the degree quickly	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Availability of academic counseling/advising	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Lack of academic residency requirement	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Availability of financial aid	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Availability of distance learning courses at Charter Oak	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Please mark your level of satisfaction regarding the following policies and services of Charter Oak State College:**

	Very satisfied	Satisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Not Satisfied	Does Not Apply
12. Overall cost of earning your degree.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
13. Level of financial aid award.	<input type="checkbox"/>				
14. Timeliness of response by financial aid staff.	<input type="checkbox"/>				
15. Quality of admissions advising prior to matriculating.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
16. Timeliness of response of admissions staff.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
17. Quality of academic advising (once matriculated at Charter Oak).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
18. Timeliness of response by your academic advisor (once matriculated).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
19. Amount and/or level of credit awarded for prior college or other experiences.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

	Very satisfied	Satisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Not Satisfied	Does Not Apply
20. General Education requirements (writing, quantitative analysis, etc.).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
21. Requirements to complete your concentration.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
22. Variety of ways to earn credit.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
23. Test administration services provided by COSC for standardized tests (e.g., DANTES, CLEP).	<input type="checkbox"/>				
24. The Portfolio Assessment Process	<input type="checkbox"/>				
25. Accommodations for students with disabilities.	<input type="checkbox"/>				
26. Service from suggested book provider	<input type="checkbox"/>				
27. Availability of library resources for research assignments.	<input type="checkbox"/>				
28. Payment plan option.	<input type="checkbox"/>				
29. Interaction with Charter Oak Business Office.	<input type="checkbox"/>				
30. The Charter Oak State College program overall.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

31. If you marked “somewhat” or “not” satisfied on any of the above questions, please explain why.

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Charter Oak State College’s General Education requirements are designed to ensure that graduating students have the skills and knowledge that will help students be successful lifelong learners and workers. As a graduate of COSC, how competent do you feel in each of the areas listed?

	Very Competent	Competent	Somewhat Competent	Not Competent
32. Writing effectively	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
33. Understanding history	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
34. Conducting research	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
35. Understanding and appreciating the arts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
36. Understanding analytic and quantitative reasoning and data interpretation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
37. Understanding how groups and communities work	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
38. Understanding science and its impact on the world	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
39. Ethics and citizenship	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
40. Understanding Western civilization and culture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
41. Understanding and appreciating the implications and responsibilities of living in a global society	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Distance Learning

42. Did you take any distance learning courses from Charter Oak?  Yes  No

How satisfied were you with:

	Very satisfied	Satisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Not Satisfied	Does Not Apply
43. The availability of distance learning courses at Charter Oak necessary for your degree.	<input type="checkbox"/>				
44. Quality of service from the distance learning office.	<input type="checkbox"/>				
45. Timeliness of service from the distance learning office.	<input type="checkbox"/>				

46. Would you have taken (more) distance learning courses from Charter Oak if they had been available?

Yes  No

47. What additional courses would you like Charter Oak to offer?

48. \_\_\_\_\_

49.  online  video

50. \_\_\_\_\_

51.  online  video

52. If you will be receiving your Associate degree from COSC, will you continue with Charter Oak State College to earn a Bachelor's degree?

Yes 53. Proposed concentration \_\_\_\_\_

No  Not sure  Not continuing my education now  N.A. (not enrolled in AS degree program)

54. If you responded No to Question 52, why are you not continuing at COSC?

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55. If you received a BA/BS, have you been accepted at a graduate school?

Yes  No  Not sure  Not continuing my education now

56. If you answered "yes" to question 55, where have you been accepted? \_\_\_\_\_

57. What suggestions do you have that would help us improve the educational experience at Charter Oak State College? \_\_\_\_\_

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58. What benefits did you receive, as a result of your experience with and/or your earning a degree at Charter Oak State College? \_\_\_\_\_

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## Professional Information

59. If you are currently employed, please indicate the category of your present job?

1. Agriculture
  2. Architecture
  3. Business Professional: Executive, Administrative, Managerial
  4. Business Professional: Other
  5. Clerical
- (more on next page)

- 6. Construction
- 7. Education (e.g. Teacher, Librarian, Academic Counselor, etc.)
- 8. Engineering
- 9. Health
- 10. Marketing or Sales
- 11. Mathematician or Natural Scientist
- 12. Mechanic or Repairer
- 13. Military
- 14. Production (e.g. Machine Operator in a factory)
- 15. Protective Service (e.g. Fire, Police, etc.)
- 16. Social Scientist, Social Worker, Religious Worker, Legal, Counselor
- 17. Technologies or Technician (not in health field)
- 18. Writer, Artist, Musician, Performing Artist
- 19. Other
- 22. Not employed

**What is your job title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**We will never contact your employer, using your name, without your permission.**

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (Main Number): \_\_\_\_\_

Does your employer have a newsletter:  Yes  No Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like us to send information about your graduation to the newsletter?  Yes  No

Does your employer provide tuition reimbursement?  Yes  No

Does your employer provide reimbursement of Charter Oak fees?  Yes  No

We would like to share information about Charter Oak with the human resources or training manager in your company. Please provide the name, title and address of the person with that responsibility.

**Address Same as Above**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

May we use your name?  Yes  No

Is there any person or organization whom you believe would be interested in receiving information about Charter Oak?

**Please indicate their name title and mailing address.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

May we use your name?  Yes  No

**Thank you for your help in improving Charter Oak State College**