FIRST YEAR STUDENT SURVEY
Name of School
October 2002

1. Which of the following best describes your current employment status? (Circle one.)
   a. Employed full-time
   b. Employed part-time
   c. Not employed and not seeking employment
   d. Not employed and seeking employment
   e. In the Armed Forces

2. Are you currently enrolled as a student? (Circle one.)
   a. Yes
   b. No

   If yes, please give name and location of the institution you are now attending.
   Name: _____
   City, State: _____

3. What is your current educational goal? (Circle one.)
   a. Associate's degree
   b. Bachelor's degree
   c. Graduate or professional degree
   d. Unsure
   e. Other (Please explain.) _____

4. Do you plan to re-enroll at the Name of School as an undergraduate? (Circle one.)
   a. Yes
   b. No

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The purpose of the following section is to assess the reasons why you chose not to return to Name of School this fall. Using the following response code, please indicate which of the following items contributed to your decision not to return to the university. This information is very important to us.

Response Code:
3 = Major reason for leaving
2 = Minor reason for leaving
1 = Not a reason for leaving or does not apply

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Circle your response to each item.

	Major	Minor	Not
Academic Reasons			
5. Academically unprepared for course(s)	3	2	1
6. Poor academic performance	3	2	1
7. Courses were not interesting	3	2	1
8. Inadequate study techniques or habits	3	2	1
9. Desired program was not available	3	2	1
10. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	3	2	1
11. Needed courses not available	3	2	1
12. Classes too large	3	2	1
13. Undecided about my major or vocation	3	2	1
Financial Reasons			
14. Did not have enough money to continue	3	2	1
15. Change in family financial circumstances	3	2	1
16. Incurred too much debt	3	2	1
17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	3	2	1
18. Financial aid was not sufficient	3	2	1
19. Transferred to a lower cost institution	3	2	1
20. Increases in tuition and fees	3	2	1
Personal Reasons			
21. Medical (physical)	3	2	1
22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)	3	2	1
23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)	3	2	1
24. Family illness/responsibility	3	2	1
25. Housing was unsatisfactory	3	2	1
26. Homesick	3	2	1
27. Unmotivated or tired of school	3	2	1
28. Too much social life	3	2	1
29. Military obligations	3	2	1
30. Issues with roommate or other students	3	2	1
31. Moved out of the area	3	2	1
32. Insufficient time for both job and studies	3	2	1
33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging	3	2	1
34. Afraid for personal safety	3	2	1
Other Reasons (use back if necessary)			
35. _____	3	2	1

Thank you for taking time to complete this survey! If you have any questions, please call Name of Contact at 555-555-555.