**Tell Us About Yourself**

**Survey Results**

### College Goals

Students continue to choose the U for its top ranked programs, campus life opportunities, size, and wide variety of majors.

**Deciding to go to College**

- 96% indicated that getting a better job was very important
- 98% want to learn more about things that interest them
- 92% want training for a specific career

*(Combines very important and important on a 5 point scale)*

**When do you plan to graduate from the U of M?**

- 89% 4 years
- 7% 3 years
- 1.3% 5 years
- 1.5% ≤ 2 years

### Transition to College

**Topics of Concern**

Concerns are similar to the Class of 2021, but to a lesser degree.

- 48% are concerned with academic coursework (doing well in class, workload)
- 32% are concerned with deciding on a major/career path
- 46% have financial concerns (paying tuition, financial aid, managing money)
- 34% are concerned with mental health (stress management, emotional health, anxiety, and depression)
- 30% are concerned with staying healthy (nutritious eating, physical fitness, healthy lifestyle)
- 35% are concerned with registration for courses

*(Combines very concerned and concerned on a 5 point scale)*

**Other Topics**

- 58% are likely/very likely to get tutoring or other academic support for specific courses
- 26% are likely/very likely to change career choice
- 64% are likely/very likely to participate in research
- 62% are likely/very likely to participate in a study abroad program
- 1% are likely/very likely to take a temporary leave of absence

*(Combines very likely and likely on a 5 point scale)*

### About

These results are from the 2018 Tell Us About Yourself Pre-Orientation survey. Data was pulled on May 14, 2018. There were 4,950 responses which represents almost 90% of the Class of 2022 (those who confirmed their enrollment).
Overall, there is still a disconnect on how students plan to spend their time in college compared to what will be expected of them. Students must change their study habits to allocate more time for studying.