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Congratulations on completing your program of study! Before you leave us, please share some information about your educational experience at SOWELA Technical Community College and your future plans. This survey is voluntary and will not identify you personally. Please answer it as honestly and thoughtfully as you can and return to Registrar's Office. Your feedback will enable SOWELA to become more responsive to future students' needs. Thank you.

1. About Yourself

1.1 What is your major? (Specify only one)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Accounting Technology | <input type="checkbox"/> Automotive Technology | <input type="checkbox"/> Aviation Maintenance Technology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Collision Repair Technology | <input type="checkbox"/> Criminal Justice | <input type="checkbox"/> Culinary Arts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drafting and Design Technology | <input type="checkbox"/> General Apprenticeship: Electrical Construction | <input type="checkbox"/> General Apprenticeship: Plumbing Construction |
| <input type="checkbox"/> General Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Graphic Art | <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial Electrician |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial Instrumentation | <input type="checkbox"/> Office Systems Technology | <input type="checkbox"/> Practical Nursing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Process Technology | <input type="checkbox"/> Welding | <input type="checkbox"/> Chemical Lab Technology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business Administration | <input type="checkbox"/> Information Systems Technology | <input type="checkbox"/> Nursing (RN) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer Degree (Arts) | <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer Degree (Science) | |

1.2 What are your goals after graduation?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Employment | <input type="checkbox"/> Pursuing a degree at a 4-year college | <input type="checkbox"/> Pursuing a second associate degree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other | | |

1.3 If you are currently employed or will soon be, is the job related to your program of study?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, directly related | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, somewhat related | <input type="checkbox"/> Not related |
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1.4 What are your plans for employment?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I am looking for a job | <input type="checkbox"/> I plan to start my own business | <input type="checkbox"/> I plan to continue in my current job |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I do not plan to be employed | <input type="checkbox"/> I have accepted employment after graduation | |

1.5 After graduation where do you plan to reside?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> In Southwest Louisiana | <input type="checkbox"/> In another state | <input type="checkbox"/> Elsewhere in Louisiana |
| <input type="checkbox"/> In another country | | |

1.6 Gender:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Male | <input type="checkbox"/> Female |
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1.7 Age Group:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 24 or under | <input type="checkbox"/> 25-to 29 | <input type="checkbox"/> 30 to 39 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 40 and over | | |

1.8 What is your racial heritage?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian/Pacific Islander | <input type="checkbox"/> White, non-Hispanic | <input type="checkbox"/> Black, non-Hispanic |
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaskan Native | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic | <input type="checkbox"/> International (non-US citizen or permanent resident) |

1.9 Number of Children:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> None | <input type="checkbox"/> One | <input type="checkbox"/> Two |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Three or more | | |

1.10 Marital Status:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Single | <input type="checkbox"/> Married | <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed | | |



1. About Yourself [Continue]

1.11 Last type of school attended (before SOWELA):

- High school Vocational/Technical college Community college
 Four-year college or university

1.12 Where did you reside (before enrolling at SOWELA)?

- In Southwest Louisiana Elsewhere in Louisiana In another state
 In another country

1.13 Main source of financing your education at SOWELA:

- Parents or family Personal savings Loans
 Employment Scholarships and/or grants

1.14 Primary living arrangement while at SOWELA:

- With parents or relatives Rental Own home

1.15 On average, credit hours completed each semester:

- 12 or more 11 or less

1.16 Length of time to complete your degree or diploma:

- 3 or more years 2 years Less than 2 years

1.17 Overall grade point average:

- 3.5 - 4.0 2.5 - 2.9 2.0 - 2.4
 Don't know

1.18 Extracurricular activities in which you participated at SOWELA:

- Student government Campus or community volunteer work Academic department club/organization (PBL, Skills USA, VICA, etc.)
 Other clubs or organizations None

1.19 Hours per week employed while attending SOWELA:

- 0 1 to 10 11 to 20
 21 to 39 40 or more

2. Select one response for each question

2.1 If you could start over again, would you choose the same major?

Yes, definitely Probably yes Probably not No, definitely not

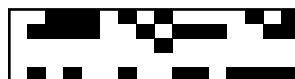
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2.2 Have you been challenged to do your best at SOWELA?

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2.3 Would you recommend SOWELA to a friend or relative considering a technical/community college?

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3. Satisfaction with SOWELA Technical Community College

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Disatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	Did not use
3.1 Faculty advising in your major	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.2 Clarity of associate degree or diploma requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.3 Availability of courses required for your degree or diploma	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.4 Availability of elective courses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.5 Instruction in your major	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.6 Instruction in elective courses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.7 Instruction in general education courses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.8 Opportunities to interact with faculty, in or out of class	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.9 Professional competence of faculty in your major	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.10 Responsiveness to your concerns by your major department	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.11 Admissions process	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.12 Overall registration process	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.13 Availability of student services throughout your time at SOWELA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.14 Career advising services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.15 Job placement services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.16 Preparation for the job market	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.17 Sense of "belonging" to this college	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.18 Overall quality of your SOWELA degree or diploma	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.19 Library facility	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.20 Library access from off-campus	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.21 Library resources for your program	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.22 Electronic resources and databases	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.23 Library staff assistance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.24 Library equipment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.25 Library's hours of operation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



4. Rate YOURSELF on each of the following abilities and attributes. Please provide your most accurate estimate of how you see yourself.

	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
4.1 Understand and apply math concepts and statistical reasoning	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.2 Use computer technology	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.3 Apply scientific knowledge and skills	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.4 Locate screen and organize information	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.5 Read with comprehension and efficiency	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.6 Write clearly and logically	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.7 Appreciate the value of history in understanding past and present	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.8 Give effective oral presentations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.9 Appreciate great works of music, art and drama	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.10 Understand and enjoy literature	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.11 Gain a broad education about different fields of knowledge	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.12 Critically evaluate information for decision making	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

5. Estimate how much your SOWELA experience helped to develop these abilities and attributes

	A great deal	Somewhat	A little	None
5.1 Awareness of global issues and events	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.2 Working with a team or a group	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.3 Leadership skills	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.4 Being a responsible contributor to society	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.5 Openness to new ideas and practices	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.6 Enthusiasm for lifelong learning	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.7 Appreciation of cultures or groups other than your own	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.8 Intellectual curiosity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.9 Self-confidence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.10 Possessing your own values and ethical standards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.11 Following through on projects to completion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.12 Setting priorities and managing time	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

6. If you are planning to continue your education

6.1 What college or school do you plan to attend?

6.2 If you have any comments or suggestions, please print them in the space provided. Return this survey to Registrar's Office. Thank you for your time. CONGRATULATIONS!

