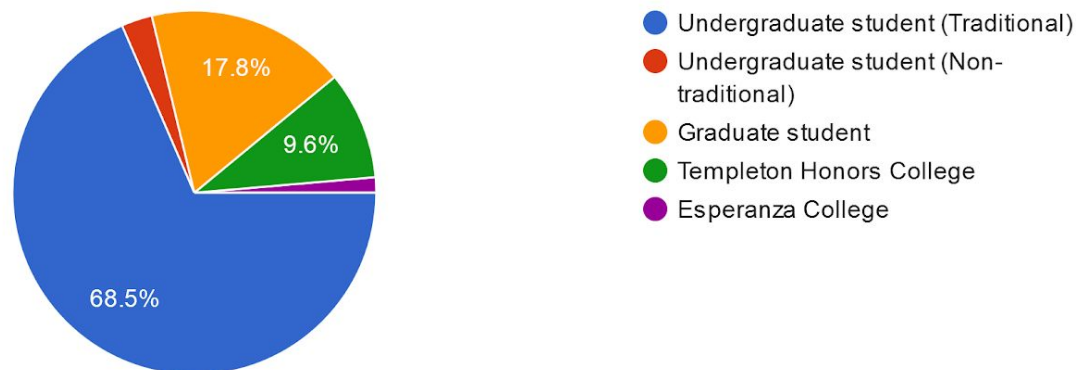


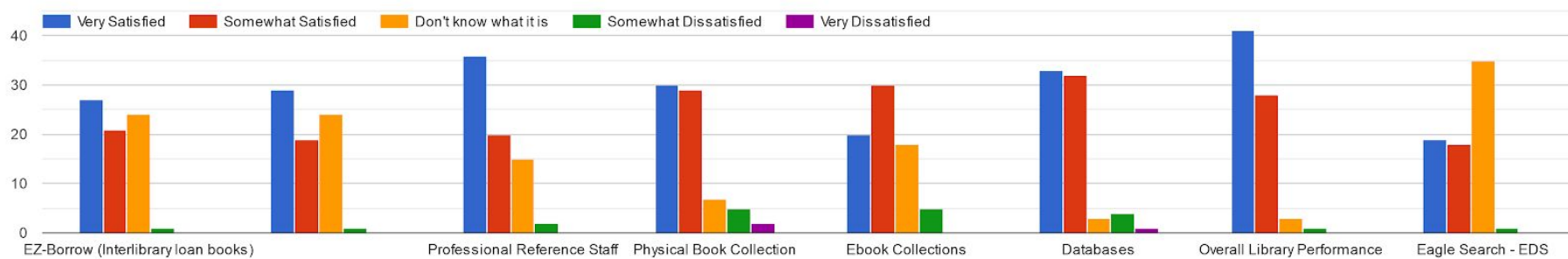
## 2019 Library Survey: Student

Please check the following that best describes your current enrollment status.

73 responses



Please rate the following resources. How well do they satisfy your information needs?



## What is your favorite book? (48 responses)

- The Bible (3)
- A Thousand Splendid Suns (2)
- The End of the Affair (2)
- To Kill a Mockingbird (2)
- Encyclopedias
- Don't Do This
- Magnus Chase
- Dances with Wolves
- Pride and Prejudice
- North & South or Lorna Doone
- My coursework textbooks
- Ruth Bader Ginsburg's book
- Coming Home Crazy
- The Fault in Our Stars
- East of Eden
- Jane Eyre
- The Bell Jar
- The Way of Kings
- Existentialists and Mystics
- Tuesdays with Morrie
- Animal Farm
- Copper Sun
- The Last Battle (Narnia)
- The Horse and His Boy (Narnia)
- Nineteen Minutes
- Stand Tall Molly Lou Melon (a kids book that helped me and I use with my clients). We need a kids section in the library for students working with children
- The Program
- The Unbearable Lightness of Being
- Raven Stole the Moon
- The Host
- You Are What You Love by James K.A. Smith

- Dark Tower series
- Runner by Carl Deuker
- The Little Green Frog
- Good Night Moon brings back memories of reading to my children
- Ministers Wooing - Beecher Stowe
- In the Times of the Butterflies by Julia Alvarez
- The Divine Comedy
- "Room" by Emma Donoghue
- Six of Crows
- Sleepy Hollow
- Too many to list
- Nothing in particular

**Who is your favorite author?** (47 responses)

- C.S. Lewis (6)
- Stephen King (2)
- J.K. Rowling (2)
- Jane Austen (2)
- R.L. Stine
- Washington Irving or Jack London
- S.E. Hinton/Dan Gutman
- Margaret Wise Brown
- J.R.R. Tolkien
- Aristotle
- Charles Dickens
- Paul Langan and Anne Schraff (they write younger books but they got me to start reading and help me with my clients)
- Bill Holm
- Elizabeth Gaskell/William Woodsworth
- Augusten Burroughs
- Dr. Seuss
- Augustine
- Iris Murdoch
- Celeste Ng

- Leigh Bardugo
- Khaled Hosseini
- Rick Riordan
- Sharon G. Flake
- Steinbeck
- Jonathan Hobbs
- Suzanne Collins
- Jodi Picoult
- Ken Follett
- Nicholas Sparks
- Toni Morrison
- Sharon M. Draper
- Garth Stein
- Richard Rohr
- Donald Miller, Peter Rollins
- Harlan Coben
- Emily Bronte
- None currently
- I don't know
- No one specific

**What is your favorite movie?** (50 responses)

- Shawshank Redemption (3)
- The Lion King
- Black Panther/Captain America: Civil War
- Dances with Wolves
- Fruitvale Station
- War Room
- Titanic
- 9
- Les Miserables
- Dear John, UP
- 1 Chance 2 Dance

- Inherit the Wind
- Moulin Rouge
- Lord of the Rings
- Goodfellas
- Interstellar
- Pitch Perfect 3
- The Sound of Music
- Men in Black 2
- Jane Eyre (2011)
- Spy
- The Hunger Games
- Star Wars: Revenge of the Sith
- Braveheart
- My Cousin Vinny
- Mary Poppins Returns
- The Princess Bride
- Top Gun
- Spider-Man
- The Westing Game
- Percy Jackson: Lightning Thief
- Any Marvel movie
- Oceans 8
- The Edge of Tomorrow
- Shutter Island
- Pretty Woman
- Forever My Girl
- Second Hand Lions
- Star Wars (all of them)
- Hidden Figures
- The Sixth Sense, Back to the Future
- Breakfast Club
- Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind
- Madea's Family Reunion
- Meet the Robinsons

- No specific one
- None
- N/A

**What is your favorite website (not including search engines like Google)?** (45 responses)

- YouTube (6)
- Pinterest (4)
- Facebook (2)
- Netflix (2)
- Instagram (2)
- Mlb.com (2)
- Reddit.com (2)
- SpanishDict
- Amazon
- Wikipedia
- Wendys.com
- Canva
- Wordpress
- J3youthministry.com
- Jstor
- My.eastern.edu when it's not a hold on my account...
- www.iloveyoulikeafatladylovesapples.com
- Tfrrs.com
- Economist.com
- Fox News
- ESPN
- Homestar Runner
- Tie between BBC News and Houzz
- BuzzFeed
- Ted.com
- Quizlet.com
- N/A (2)
- Not sure (2)

- Don't have specific (2)

### **Additional Comments and Suggestions:** (26 responses)

- Add more secular books
- Library open longer
- Your student workers rock!
- We need more philosophy books with better translations.
- I would just love to see more physical books in the library, there are not many memoirs in the library book selection. Memoirs would be very valuable for college students to read more often.
- Don't really use many of the library resources, but when I have they work fine, just are not nearly as easy to use and simple as Google is
- The question pertaining to sources is faulty; there should be an option for do not use. For example, I know what both the Rapid ILL and EDS are, but have never used them. However, I was still forced to provide a rating. I also think the online database is weak. I am grateful that I still have access to another university's online database. I'm not sure I would have found adequate research for my thesis this year with only Eastern's database.
- I am not able to use the computers on the top floor and I would like to
- People are way too loud. I've heard music being blasted from the study rooms. The fire alarm keeps chirping
- n/a
- The staff is very nice and courteous especially when dealing with older students like myself who have no clue of finding computer rapid ill papers
- Larger selection for younger audiences, not for student's personal reading, but to help with their studies (education majors, youth min majors, social work majors). Books could be children books on disabilities, learning how to read, how to handle hard situations (example: parent's divorce or bullying in school). Or teen books that help teens build character, along with parenting and teacher books.
- Make it clear how to get books out of the movable bookcases
- I would suggest that the library stay open a little later on Fridays for students who like to get their homework done early so that they don't have as much to do over the weekend and who aren't able to do their homework in their room due to their roommate making too much noise.
- None
- I think the library could benefit from more computer stations. It would also be nice if there were a few by the giant window that overlooks the fields. I've only seen chairs for reading there but it would be a really nice place to work on the computer as well. The printing process is too complicated and ive heard a lot of students complain about it.
- This was harder than I thought it would be, but I tried.
- Continue to contain the noise makers, do more to reduce distractions by others who just came to play in the library and disturb others

- My answers are not reflective of the library's services because it closes too early. I arrive on campus between 4:30pm and 5:00pm for a 7pm class. It really is a shame that I don't have an opportunity to take advantage of the service. Maybe this can be taken in consideration.
- Would it be possible to extend hours on Fridays?
- You guys are really great! So many resources to use and even choose from! Thank you for all you do.
- I really wish the Library was open Saturday morning and/or Friday until about six.
- The library should be open longer past 11:00 pm because I know students who stay up all night and a place where they can focus best is the library.
- For Harrisburg students, are there any reciprocal checkout privileges with Penn state Harrisburg or Dickinson?
- I ruv da liberry!
- Only thing I would say is that it would be nice if there were more ebooks available to borrow, either through the library itself or EZBorrow.