

# CSU Sustainability Survey Fall 2014






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## Q1. Which of the following is the most commonly used definition of sustainable development?

Count	Percent		
24	5.83%		Creating a government welfare system that ensures universal access to education, healthcare, and social services.
339	82.28%		Meeting the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs.
6	1.46%		Setting aside resources for preservation, never to be used.
13	3.16%		Building a neighborhood that is both socio-demographically and economically diverse.
30	7.28%		I do not know.
412	Respondents		

## Q2. Please indicate if each of the following is a renewable energy resource. - Oil

Count	Percent		
14	3.40%		Yes
398	96.60%		No
412	Respondents		

## Q3. Please indicate if each of the following is a renewable energy resource. - Geothermal

Count	Percent		
326	79.13%		Yes
86	20.87%		No
412	Respondents		

## Q4. Please indicate if each of the following is a renewable energy resource. - Trees

Count	Percent		
263	63.83%		Yes
149	36.17%		No
412	Respondents		

## Q5. Please indicate if each of the following is a renewable energy resource. - Coal

Count	Percent		
26	6.31%		Yes
386	93.69%		No
412	Respondents		

## Q6. Please indicate if each of the following is a renewable energy resource. - Wind

Count	Percent		
408	99.03%		Yes
4	0.97%		No
412	Respondents		

Q7. Please indicate if each of the following is a renewable energy resource. - Solar

Count	Percent		
406	98.54%		Yes
6	1.46%		No
412	Respondents		

Q8. Please indicate if each of the following is a renewable energy resource. - Nuclear

Count	Percent		
136	33.01%		Yes
276	66.99%		No
412	Respondents		

Q9. Please indicate if each of the following is a renewable energy resource. - Moving water

Count	Percent		
375	91.02%		Yes
37	8.98%		No
412	Respondents		

Q10. Ground level ozone (bad ozone) is most often caused by:

Count	Percent		
39	9.47%		Aerosol and spray cans
51	12.38%		Methane gases from landfills and cattle
275	66.75%		Emissions from industrial facilities and motor vehicle exhaust
6	1.46%		Air traffic
41	9.95%		I do not know
412	Respondents		

Q11. Please indicate which of the following you are able to recycle on the CSU campus? - Paper products (newspaper, printing paper)

Count	Percent		
408	99.03%		Yes
4	0.97%		No
412	Respondents		

Q12. Please indicate which of the following you are able to recycle on the CSU campus? - Plastic bags (shopping bags)

Count	Percent		
135	32.77%		Yes
277	67.23%		No
412	Respondents		


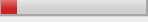
Q13. Please indicate which of the following you are able to recycle on the CSU campus? - Aluminum cans (soda cans, soup cans)

Count	Percent		
398	96.60%		Yes
14	3.40%		No
412	Respondents		


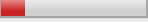
**Q14. Please indicate which of the following you are able to recycle on the CSU campus? - Plastic bottles (soda bottles, water bottles)**

Count	Percent		
409	99.27%		Yes
3	0.73%		No
412 Respondents			

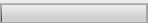

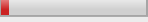
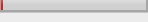
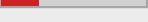
**Q15. Please indicate which of the following you are able to recycle on the CSU campus? - Cardboard (moving boxes, pizza boxes)**

Count	Percent		
368	89.32%		Yes
44	10.68%		No
412 Respondents			



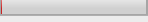
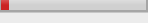
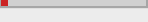
**Q16. Please indicate which of the following you are able to recycle on the CSU campus? - Glass bottles (beer bottles)**

Count	Percent		
344	83.50%		Yes
68	16.50%		No
412 Respondents			


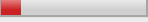
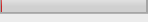
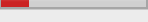
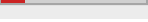
**Q17. The Life Cycle Assessment is a tool that evaluates the . . .**

Count	Percent		
3	0.73%		Age of a society
275	66.75%		Environmental impact of a product or service system from conception to end of use
21	5.10%		Damage a product might have on the environment
6	1.46%		Human life expectancy
107	25.97%		I do not know
412 Respondents			

**Q18. Carbon dioxide, methane, nitrous oxide, chlorofluorocarbons and ozone are all . . .**

Count	Percent		
1	0.24%		Gases found on Mars
366	88.83%		Greenhouse gases
2	0.49%		Okay for humans to breath
23	5.58%		Needed to control global warming
20	4.85%		I do not know
412 Respondents			

**Q19. The idea being that environmental quality and social equity are as important as economic stability and growth is . . .**

Count	Percent		
203	49.27%		Sustainable development
57	13.83%		Triple Bottom Line
2	0.49%		Business strategy
81	19.66%		Sustainable business practices
69	16.75%		I do not know
412 Respondents			

Q20. Please answer the following questions using a scale of 1 to 10, with 1 being not important and 10 being very important. - How important was sustainability to you prior to attending CSU?

Count	Percent		
37	9.34%		1 - Not very important
15	3.79%		2
28	7.07%		3
27	6.82%		4
47	11.87%		5
41	10.35%		6
68	17.17%		7
48	12.12%		8
24	6.06%		9
61	15.40%		10 - Very important
396 Respondents			

Q21. Please answer the following questions using a scale of 1 to 10, with 1 being not important and 10 being very important. - How important is sustainability to you now as a CSU student?

Count	Percent		
11	2.78%		1 - Not very important
6	1.52%		2
15	3.79%		3
11	2.78%		4
36	9.09%		5
27	6.82%		6
59	14.90%		7
86	21.72%		8
45	11.36%		9
100	25.25%		10 - Very important
396 Respondents			

Q22. Please answer the following questions using a scale of 1 to 10, with 1 being not important and 10 being very important. - As a student, how important is it to you to make an effort to reduce energy consumption?

Count	Percent		
8	2.02%		1 - Not very important
6	1.52%		2
11	2.78%		3
14	3.54%		4
43	10.86%		5
29	7.32%		6
51	12.88%		7
80	20.20%		8
56	14.14%		9
98	24.75%		10 - Very important
396 Respondents			

Q23. Please answer the following questions using a scale of 1 to 10, with 1 being not important and 10 being very important. - As a student on campus, how important is it to you to make an effort to reduce water usage?

Count	Percent		
14	3.54%		1 - Not very important
6	1.52%		2
7	1.77%		3
25	6.31%		4
41	10.35%		5
36	9.09%		6
51	12.88%		7
64	16.16%		8
62	15.66%		9
90	22.73%		10 - Very important
396 Respondents			

Q24. Please answer the following questions using a scale of 1 to 10, with 1 being not important and 10 being very important. - As a student, how important is it to you to make an effort to recycle?

Count	Percent		
8	2.02%		1 - Not very important
5	1.26%		2
12	3.03%		3
10	2.53%		4
23	5.81%		5
19	4.80%		6
35	8.84%		7
73	18.43%		8
63	15.91%		9
148	37.37%		10 - Very important
396 Respondents			

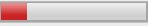
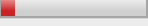
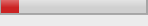
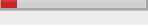
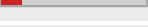

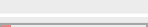
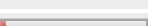

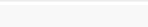
Q25. Please answer the following questions using a scale of 1 to 10, with 1 being not important and 10 being very important. - Environmental sustainability is important to CSU?

Count	Percent		
4	1.01%		1 - Not very important
6	1.52%		2
4	1.01%		3
5	1.26%		4
27	6.82%		5
31	7.83%		6
53	13.38%		7
73	18.43%		8
56	14.14%		9
137	34.60%		10 - Very important
396 Respondents			

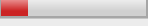
Q26. How often do you use a refillable water bottle on campus?

Count	Percent		
334	84.34%		Often
39	9.85%		Sometimes
15	3.79%		Rarely
8	2.02%		Never
396	Respondents		

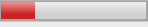
Q27. Using a scale of 1 to 10 (with 1 being no involvement and 10 being high involvement), how would you rate your level of involvement in CSU's environmental sustainable activities?

Count	Percent		
70	17.68%		1 - No involvement
38	9.60%		2
50	12.63%		3
44	11.11%		4
58	14.65%		5
37	9.34%		6
47	11.87%		7
27	6.82%		8
12	3.03%		9
13	3.28%		10 - High involvement
396	Respondents		

Q28. Please indicate if you would support the following campus initiatives . . . - Add more sustainability messages around campus

Count	Percent		
316	81.03%		Yes
74	18.97%		No
390	Respondents		

Q29. Please indicate if you would support the following campus initiatives . . . - Bike share

Count	Percent		
299	76.67%		Yes
91	23.33%		No
390	Respondents		

Q30. Please indicate if you would support the following campus initiatives . . . - Ban use of plastic bags for purchases made on campus

Count	Percent		
285	73.08%		Yes
105	26.92%		No
390	Respondents		

Q31. Please indicate if you would support the following campus initiatives . . . - Carpooling program

Count	Percent		
336	86.15%		Yes
54	13.85%		No
390	Respondents		

**Q32. Please indicate if you would support the following campus initiatives . . . - Extra fee for single-use coffee cups sold on campus**

Count	Percent		
227	58.21%		Yes
163	41.79%		No
390	Respondents		

**Q33. Please indicate if you would support the following campus initiatives . . . - Fewer bottled beverages sold on campus**

Count	Percent		
232	59.49%		Yes
158	40.51%		No
390	Respondents		

**Q34. Please indicate if you would support the following campus initiatives . . . - Free sustainability education seminars**

Count	Percent		
326	83.59%		Yes
64	16.41%		No
390	Respondents		

**Q35. Please indicate if you would support the following campus initiatives . . . - Hire a CSU Sustainability Coordinator**

Count	Percent		
272	69.74%		Yes
118	30.26%		No
390	Respondents		

**Q36. Please indicate if you would support the following campus initiatives . . . - Increase service-learning and volunteer opportunities related to sustainability**

Count	Percent		
348	89.23%		Yes
42	10.77%		No
390	Respondents		

**Q37. Please indicate if you would support the following campus initiatives . . . - More sustainability related courses offered**

Count	Percent		
324	83.08%		Yes
66	16.92%		No
390	Respondents		

**Q38. Please indicate if you would support the following campus initiatives . . . - More use of solar power energy production**

Count	Percent		
370	94.87%		Yes
20	5.13%		No
390	Respondents		

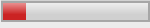
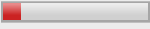
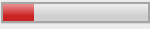
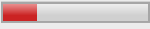
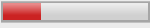
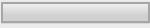
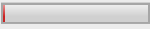
**Q39. Please indicate if you would support the following campus initiatives . . . - Readily available campus composting**

Count	Percent		
354	90.77%		Yes
36	9.23%		No
390	Respondents		

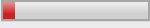

Q40. If you have other ideas for campus initiatives, please list them here:

Count	Percent	
89	100.00%	
89	Respondents	

Q41. Please indicate your current academic level

Count	Percent		
61	15.68%		Freshman
48	12.34%		Sophomore
82	21.08%		Junior
91	23.39%		Senior
103	26.48%		Graduate student
0	0.00%		Professional/Vet Med student
4	1.03%		Other (please specify)
389	Respondents		

Q42. Are you an international student?

Count	Percent		
31	7.97%		Yes
358	92.03%		No
389	Respondents		


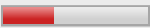
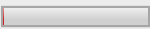
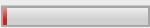
Q43. Please describe your racial or ethnic background.

Count	Percent	
361	100.00%	
361	Respondents	

Q44. Please provide your year of birth.

Count	Percent	
369	100.00%	
369	Respondents	

Q45. Please select how you identify.

Count	Percent		
242	62.21%		Female
136	34.96%		Male
1	0.26%		Transgender
10	2.57%		Prefer not to disclose
389	Respondents		


Q46. Do you live on campus?

Count	Percent		
92	23.65%		Yes
297	76.35%		No
389	Respondents		



Q47. Please indicate your major or area of study at CSU.


Count	Percent
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371	100.00%	
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371 Respondents

Q48. After completing this survey do you have any questions or comments?

Count	Percent
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103	100.00%	
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103 Respondents