Institutional Learning Outcomes for Spring 2018 Imperial Valley College

Introduction:

The following Instructional Learning Outcomes (ILOs) survey was conducted by the Student Learning Outcomes Committee at the end of the Spring 2018 semester. This survey was sent to IVC students who were graduating that semester. The purpose of the ILO collection was to evaluate how these graduating students perceived that IVC performed with its ability to meet the following ILOs:

- **ILO1-**communication skills
- ILO2 = critical thinking skills
- **ILO3** = personal responsibility
- ILO4 = information literacy
- ILO5 = global awareness
- Refer to Appendix 1 for comprehensive list of these ILOs.

Methodology:

Nearly 1,100 graduating students in the Spring 2018 semester were solicited to complete this anonymous online survey. Of that number, there were 232 who completed the survey, which was both quantitative and qualitative.

Discussion:

As you read through the data results, take notes on any part of the survey that you feel could be improved. For example, should some questions be rewritten, or should new questions be added? Also, do you have any general comments to add? The point here is to "Close the Loop", meaning how can we, as a college, make improvements on this data to have a more positive effect on student learning? Since these were ILOs, all members of the college community are asked to submit their constructive feedback. Please e-mail me (Kevin.Howell@imperial.edu) with your feedback.

Results:

The first part of the survey is quantitative (20 questions), and the second part is qualitative (1 question).

Part I- Quantitative Questions:

1. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can apply theories or concepts to solving practical problems.

Responses	#	%
agree	118	50.9%
disagree	1	0.4%
strongly agree	113	48.7%
Total	232	100.0%

2. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can analyze the basic elements of an argument, idea or theory.

Responses	#	%
agree	87	37.5%
disagree	2	0.9%
strongly agree	143	61.6%
Total	232	100.0%

3. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can select, evaluate and use information to support a conclusion.

Responses	#	%
agree	97	41.8%
disagree	4	1.7%
strongly agree	131	56.5%
Total	232	100.0%

4. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can draw from a variety of sources and inspirations to create unique, imaginative or innovative ideas or works.

Responses	#	%
agree	103	44.4%
disagree	9	3.9%
strongly agree	118	50.9%
strongly disagree	2	0.9%
Total	232	100.0%

5. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can identify and evaluate multiple approaches to solving problems.

Responses	#	%
agree	109	47.0%
disagree	5	2.2%
strongly agree	117	50.4%
strongly disagree	1	0.4%
Total	232	100.0%

6. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can apply the knowledge or skills that I acquired in one discipline to work that I do in another discipline.

Responses	#	%
agree	103	44.4%
disagree	5	2.2%
strongly agree	124	53.4%
Total	232	100.0%

7. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can speak clearly and effectively to convey an idea or set of facts.

Responses	#	%
agree	92	39.7%
disagree	5	2.2%
strongly agree	135	58.2%
Total	232	100.0%

8. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can write clearly and effectively to convey an idea or set of facts.

Responses	#	%
agree	97	42.0%
disagree	3	1.3%
strongly agree	131	56.7%
Total	231	100.0%

9. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can find and evaluate sources of information and cite sources appropriately, according to institutional and discipline standards.

Responses	#	%
agree	93	40.1%
disagree	5	2.2%
strongly agree	133	57.3%
strongly disagree	1	0.4%
Total	232	100.0%

10. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can integrate ideas or information from a variety of sources into a document or report.

Responses	#	%
agree	99	42.7%
disagree	6	2.6%
strongly agree	127	54.7%
Total	232	100.0%

11. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can understand the perspectives of people who hold religious beliefs, political opinions or personal values that substantially differ from my own.

Responses	#	%
agree	78	33.8%
disagree	9	3.9%
strongly agree	144	62.3%
Total	231	100.0%

12. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can work effectively with diverse groups of people to accomplish a task or solve a problem.

Responses	#	%
agree	84	36.2%
disagree	5	2.2%
strongly agree	142	61.2%
strongly disagree	1	0.4%
Total	232	100.0%

13. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can identify the contributions of people from a different economic, social, racial or ethnic background other than my own.

Responses	#	%
agree	84	36.7%
disagree	5	2.2%
strongly agree	138	60.3%
strongly disagree	2	0.9%
Total	229	100.0%

14. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can use equations to analyze and solve problems.

Responses	#	%
agree	109	47.2%
disagree	9	3.9%
strongly agree	112	48.5%
strongly disagree	1	0.4%
Total	231	100.0%

15. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can critically analyze whether data presented in graphs, tables or diagrams support appropriate conclusions.

Responses	#	%
agree	110	47.4%
disagree	12	5.2%
strongly agree	110	47.4%
Total	232	100.0%

16. Including this year, how many years have you attended Imperial Valley College?

Years	#	%
five years	14	6.0%
four years	48	20.7%
one year	8	3.4%
Over six years	12	5.2%
six years	10	4.3%
three years	74	31.9%
two years	66	28.4%
Total	232	100.0%

17. My ethnicity is

Ethnicities	#	%
Asian	1	0.4%
Black	1	0.4%
Hispanic	210	90.5%
Multi Race	7	3.0%
Other	2	0.9%
White	11	4.7%
Total	232	100.0%

18. My gender is

Genders	#	%
Female	171	74.0%
Male	60	26.0%
Total	231	100.0%

19. My age is

Ages	#	%	
18-19	24	10.3%	
20-22	132	56.9%	
23-25	27	11.6%	
26-30	18	7.8%	
31-35	7	3.0%	
36-40	10	4.3%	
41-50	8	3.4%	
51-60	5	2.2%	
60+	1	0.4%	
Total	232	100.0%	

20. Type of Degree, Transfer, or Certificate (Mark all that apply.)

Type of Degree, Transfer, or Certificate	#	%
AA	31	13.4%
AA,AA-T	19	8.2%
AA,AA-T,AS	1	0.4%
AA,AA-T,AS,AS-T, Certificate	1	0.4%
AA,AA-T, AS, Certificate	1	0.4%
AA,AA-T,AS-T	2	0.9%
AA,AA-T,AS-T, Certificate	2	0.9%
AA,AA-T, Certificate	12	5.2%
AA,AS	2	0.9%
AA,AS,AS-T	2	0.9%
AA,AS,AS-T, Certificate	2	0.9%
AA, AS, Certificate	3	1.3%
AA,AS-T	5	2.2%
AA,AS-T, Certificate	3	1.3%
AA, Certificate	6	2.6%
AA, Transfer without a Degree	2	0.9%
AA-T	47	20.3%
AA-T, AS, Certificate	1	0.4%
AA-T,AS-T	3	1.3%
AA-T, Certificate	6	2.6%
AS	30	12.9%
AS,AS-T	2	0.9%
AS,AS-T, Certificate	5	2.2%
AS, Certificate	10	4.3%
AS-T	19	8.2%
AS-T, Certificate	5	2.2%
Certificate	6	2.6%
Transfer without a Degree	3	1.3%
Transfer without a Degree, Certificate	1	0.4%
Total	232	100.0%

Part II- Qualitative Question:

- 1. Yes, it was difficult, not only for me but also for my classmates, because we sacrificed Sundays and holidays. But the experience was worth the effort.
- 2. Of course, yes, I have acquired a lot of useful knowledge through my experiences at Imperial Valley College.
- 3. I received a great support in personal knowledge, but above all from the instructors who really dominate in their classes. Thank you very much.
- 4. The best experience I had at IVC is meeting new people.
- Access to larger class sizes and more classes would be more ideal for students. As people tend to enter the workforce earlier in life, there should also be more online options.
- 6. Admissions staff members are lazy and not helpful. They exhibit a negative attitude and it seems that they feel that they are above you.
- 7. After being out of school for over twenty years, it was difficult to navigate my way around at first. But, with time, it became easier to find places, help and other services.
- 8. After I graduated from high school, some friends and family did not agree with the idea of my attending IVC. But my learning experience was great, as I learned something new and useful in every class I took. This campus has a lot to offer us as students, and it is definitely up to us to use the tools we are given and to do the work. I did not fall behind or waste any of my time by going to IVC. I am graduating after my two years of attending, and I am extremely grateful to my professors and counselors for helping me.
- 9. All experiences were good.
- 10. All of the learning outcomes applied to all of my classes.
- 11. All of the teachers and staff are very helpful and dedicated. They really care for their students' futures. Thanks for everything, IVC.
- 12. This was an experience which I think everyone needs
- 13. Attending Imperial Valley College has definitely shaped a part of how I think.
- 14. Attending IVC was a great experience. I returned to college twenty years later to graduate and I am able to compare the past and the present studying practices. Technology is making it easier for students to research and to learn.

- 15. Being able to attend a college close to home has been very convenient for me and my family. My counselor, Veronica Soto, has been more than helpful during my journey at this school.
- 16. Community college benefited me in more ways than I can imagine.
- 17. Counselors need to clearly tell students exactly what courses are necessary to take. I talked to my SDSU counselor; he told me I need to take another class while my IVC counselor told me I am fine.
- 18. During my senior year, I remember making fun of IVC and its students, calling it a joke. It was ironic that I enrolled after high school. Without question, IVC wasn't the joke of a school I thought it was. From teachers who were supportive of me to classes that opened my eyes on new subject matter, I thought IVC has greatly prepared me to transfer and gave me time to mature. My only complaint would be that some of the classes were too easy, such as Math 119, or especially Bio 182. Other than that, if students make it their goal to graduate in two years and do the necessary work, including summer and winter sessions, it is possible.
- 19. I enjoyed most of my instructors, but there were a few I couldn't understand (who didn't explain course material very well). Overall, my time here was great.
- 20. I enjoyed my experience, but I would have liked the counselors to have been more helpful. When I switched over to a veteran counselor, I was able to have a better experience with counselors. The parking situation at the school was very bad. Arriving to class late because of the need to look for parking was not good, especially for people who have lots to do and don't have time to arrive early to secure parking.
- 21. From my experience at IVC, I can say that the teachers and staff work for students, which strongly motivates us to continue our education.
- 22. This was a good experience.
- 23. This was a good experience; I had great professors who were really passionate about their subjects and actually took the time to help students to understand the subjects.
- 24. This was a good experience.
- 25. This was a good learning environment. Most professors do their job well!
- 26. This was a great and affordable opportunity.
- 27. The campus is great!
- 28. This is a great college.

- 29. This is a great community college to attend before transferring to a university.
- 30. This was a great experience.
- 31. The great experience at IVC really helped me to move on.
- 32. This is a great school.
- 33. The staff is great!!
- 34. The campus exhibits people who obviously enjoy their jobs.
- 35. none
- 36. I am pleased with my academic learning time here at IVC.
- 37. I appreciate being able to go to school and receive my degree.
- 38. I believe there should be a class (or set of classes) to help students to determine what to study and to help them to find if what they like can lead to a good job and career. It took me ten years to determine this. It would have been nice to know what I know now about the cost of living, careers, jobs, and real life when you leave the nest.
- 39. I came to this college because of the opinions of other people who have attended the college before me. They didn't have many good things to say. I am graduating with a very different opinion. What I learned here and the experiences I had make it hard to hate any part of the college. I love IVC and I hope that people understand that college, learning and life are only as good as you make them to be. I did all that I could do here and I tried harder than I had them ever tried before. This college was great to me.
- 40. I certainly learned a lot of those ILOs than I thought I would by joining a club. More advisors of clubs should push students to run their clubs. It teaches so much more that way.
- 41. I could never find the health center.
- 42. I feel that Imperial Valley College is seen as underdog of community colleges when it has so many beautiful things to offer. I had the opportunity to become involved with Associated Student Government and my experience at IVC was a positive one. I felt the classes were not very difficult, the professors are very attentive, and there are many resources on campus from tutoring, academic, and mental health counseling that made my learning experience so much better.
- 43. I feel that, while there were a lot of events on campus, there wasn't really a big school presence or connection between the actual school and its students.

- 44. I feel very grateful to have studied at IVC prior to attending a university. I feel that it provided a good basis of knowledge and experience for someone like me who was not yet prepared to take on the responsibilities of attending a university away from home.
- 45. I greatly enjoyed the experiences I have encountered over the years I have spent at IVC. I feel that this school can be an even greater success as the years go by.
- 46. I had a good experience at Imperial Valley College. Most of my professors were really good at teaching their material and were extremely helpful whenever I couldn't understand something. The staff here is also nice.
- 47. I had a great academic ride, enjoyed learning American Sign Language from such a passionate professor from levels 1-5. I do think that some of the requirements needed to graduate or transfer to a four year dealt with material covered in high school, which seemed like a waste of resources from financial aid. I would have been able to accomplish more without those requisites. The arrangement in which the college has us register for the class does need to be adjusted for those who just have that ONE class left yet it gets full by the time it's your turn to register then later find out after the registration deadline that students dropped the course after claiming their share in financial aid. Also compared to the amount of students attending there is a lack of faculty members teaching certain subjects, example in the science departments. Besides that my experience was pretty good.
- 48. I had a great experience going to school at Imperial Valley College.
- 49. I had a great experience here I wouldn't have chosen any other college for my education it allowed me to be close to home for cheaper
- 50. I had a great time, and great instructors the lasts semesters!
- 51. I had a positive experience and enjoyed my classes at IVC.
- 52. I had an amazing experience at Imperial Valley College. I would like to thank all my professors that made my two years at IVC fun and educational.
- 53. I had great instructors and even through tough times I enjoyed my education at Imperial Valley College. Thank you for the opportunity and honor of allowing me to be the first generation of being a college graduate in my family.

- 54. I have had ups and downs while attending this school that held me to attend IVC a little longer than I expected. Overall, being a student at IVC has taught me to grow, and expand my knowledge, wisdom and really value my education. I will miss attending, but I look forward to expanding my knowledge and taking the grace that IVC left me with to continue my education at SDSU.
- 55. I have learned lots of valuable information at Imperial Valley College that will help me in the future, and it was a great learning experience.
- 56. I learn so much, the teachers were amazing and help me a lot during those years.
- 57. I learned a lot going to IVC from political views to math to English. I enjoyed going to IVC I had a great experience and I'm glad I am finally going to start a new chapter in my life after graduating.
- 58. I learned so much more than I've ever even learned in high school. Such a great school. There are definitely professors that I will miss. Also, Said Caez was the best councilor.
- 59. I liked it here a lot, I have learned new skills that will help me in school and life in general.
- 60. I love IVC
- 61. I loved coming to this college and learning all I could. I enjoyed the teachers the different type of classmates I encountered. I really learned a lot.
- 62. I loved going to school at Imperial Valley college. I learned a lot while there. It was a pleasant experience because the professors there made it great.
- 63. I really enjoyed going to IVC and got along well with staff and were very helpful and provided good assistance throughout my time there. There were also good professors that I enjoyed taking a class with.
- 64. I really enjoyed my experience at IVC.
- 65. I really enjoyed the professors and their teachings. The internet could get fixed; it is really laggy and randomly disconnected from all of the available servers
- 66. I think adding a few more Transfer degrees would benefit the college.
- 67. I think my learning experience at Imperial Valley College has been great because of the amazing faculty in the Communication and Psychology departments. I just wish there were more professors who teach advanced psychology classes because the seats are very limited.

- 68. I think my overall learning experience here at IVC greatly prepared me for transferring to a 4 year university.
- 69. I think that IVC was an amazing journey for me. I built lots of skills and character traits that I will imply in my future career. I think that IVC is for everyone since it provides numerous amounts of programs and degrees that benefit everyone. All in all, IVC was the best choice I could have made.
- 70. I think the student center should have some more amenities like a piano for students to entertain or comfortable couches or a lounge. Also the library should be 24 hours so that students can study long hours for their finals or regular exams. Other that, my experience at IVC was very comforting.
- 71. I think very professor has their own way of teaching but some teacher need to prepare PowerPoint or something so you can follow the class
- 72. I truly enjoyed my time studying here at IVC. I have the upmost respect for nearly every department here on campus. I used every single means of assistance that was/is available for all students. This experience here has sincerely altered my life and placed me in the direction of future success in all my endeavors.
- 73. Imperial Valley College has a bad reputation for students that are in High School. They believe that if you end up going there, you're not the brightest of people. I was one of those people, that was corrupted by that sort of mentality. When I decided to attend I.V.C. I quickly learned that some of the most intelligent professors and students I have ever met attend this school. This school really makes me feel prepared for the road ahead, transferring to a four-year college. I learned valuable tools, even more so compared to my friends who ended up in four year colleges from the start. I truly believe that the learning experience, and the material that I learned here, will significantly be beneficial for my future.
- 74. Imperial valley college has good counselor.
- 75. Imperial Valley College has helped me be ready for my next years of study that come.
- 76. Imperial Valley College has helped me gain much knowledge and experience that I have been able to graduate from San Diego State University with a Bachelors of Arts degree in Psychology as well. The staff and faculty at IVC have been awesome and have helped me accomplish my goals.

- 77. Imperial Valley College is a great learning institution that has awesome teachers and staff. As student, I just want to say thank you to my teachers and counselor because without their help I could not make it.
- 78. Imperial Valley College isn't a bad school to attend as everyone in the valley says. However, this school needs major improvements. I feel like I wasn't learning I was just passing classes.
- 79. Imperial Valley College needs more Engineering Professors and Engineering Courses for future Engineering Transfer Students.
- 80. Imperial Valley College opened opportunities that were life changing and now I'm off to UC Berkeley being the first graduate in history to transfer in 1 year.
- 81. Imperial Valley College show how to socialize with people, take good decisions, become more mature, learn how solve problems, increase my academic knowledge, and grow socially.
- 82. Imperial Valley College, helped me to graduate, and I am thankful for
- 83. Imperial Valley College could be a bit more helpful with the financial aid by letting know the students of future important dates.
- 84. Imperial Valley is a great institution for career preparation.
- 85. Improve counselor and student communication and encourage students to come in for help.
- 86. In my experience class instructors are either discouraged, unwilling or afraid to discuss current events and create an atmosphere of open dialog. Majority of students are Hispanic, therefore differing views from persons with different backgrounds are hard to come by.
- 87. It good a school to start building for your career
- 88. It was a good experience
- 89. It was a great experience, other than that I wish I had finished faster with the counselor's help.
- 90. It was a great experience to get to learn so much in the last two years. The professors here instantly became some of the best people that I have ever met and I will always be grateful that this institution gave me the opportunity to meet all of them.
- 91. It was a great experience with many helpful teachers and counselors to guide you in your educational path.
- 92. it was a great experience, a great way to start my college life. A lot of support from the adults that are always to help the students out.

- 93. It was a great experience, I would recommend having more study rooms, and fixing the printers at the library since you cannot print from every computer.
- 94. It was a great experience.
- 95. It was a great experience. I learned a lot and reinforced what I already knew.
- 96. It was a privilege to be part of IVC, I will take everything I learned and apply it in the real world.
- 97. It was a really fun experience at IVC. I met new people that impacted me and the way I see society.
- 98. It was a really good experience and great for my life
- 99. It was a really nice campus with good professors who enjoy teaching making it fun to learn.
- 100. It was a very intriguing and exciting experience. The best years of my life spent learn in a very friendly and refreshing community.
- 101. It was a wonderful experience that I never thought. Thanks for everything IVC I WOULD NEVER FORGET YOU.
- 102. It was an awesome start to my educational career!
- 103. It was an enjoyable experience! Didn't always receive an A or B, but I never gave up.
- 104. It was fun while it lasted
- 105. It was fun, brief, and informative. It is a great place to start before heading to a big university.
- 106. it was good, I look forward to keep with my education at IVC throughout the nursing program.
- 107. It worth applying to IVC because I develop new skills. For example, my reading and writing abilities are so much better than in high school.
- 108. It's been great, I've learned a lot, and IVC has been like my second home
- 109. IVC changed my life. The environment and community being small gave me the confidence I needed to proceed with school by the access to faculty and resources it provides. It made my experience these 2 years a great one
- 110. IVC has challenged me in many ways. I have learned a lot from the people I have met and from my instructors.

- 111. IVC has some really great professors who help and encourage you to step out of your box in many aspects. Stepping out of your box is a big contributor into helping you grow. My learning experience at IVC was great because I grew up as not only a student but as a person as well. I've gotten better in many areas but that doesn't mean that the learning experience was perfect. It was great but things can always get better. More resources for us students would be one of those things that need to get better.
- 112. IVC has taught me a lot not only in the classroom but outside of the class with my peers. If I could redo my college experience I would choose IVC every time.
- 113. IVC has very good instructors.
- 114. IVC have built be up to be a mature person than I was in high school.
- 115. IVC is cool no matter the stigma!
- 116. IVC is so underestimated!
- 117. IVC was a great experience for me. The teachers are trained to teach their subject very well; some of them motivated me to continue studying. The classes are very good and the counselors help too.
- 118. Just some teachers are really great and others not so much like the school
- 119. loved the school and professors
- 120. Maybe, I have one comments about the cleaning because some of the time the rooms and specially restrooms need cleaning.
- 121. more resources for the students
- 122. Mostly all professors at IVC are always open to help students to improve their learning skills.
- 123. My college experience at IVC was great, I went there to do what I had to do and am now transferring to an university.
- 124. My experience at Imperial Valley College was awesome. I started from ESL classes and now I'm graduating with Honors. This could not be possible without the help and support of all my professors.
- 125. My experience here at IVC has been very unique. I moved to the Imperial Valley three years ago not knowing a single person on this campus. I attended school each semester not speaking to a single person in each class and it was the worse feeling ever, considering the fact that everyone else knew their peers.

Other than this, my learning experience has grown immensely. The teachers here on campus are one of a kind and dedicated to their work.

- 126. My learning experience here at IVC was a very humbling one for me. To know that the professors here were very challenging not only academically, but intellectually as well. I took advantage of all of the opportunities here at IVC whether that was serving as a Senior Senator for the ASG, working as a Reader/Scribe for the DSP&S, attending tutoring after class, or always sitting in the front of my classes. I took every chance that I could to challenge myself and even make mistakes throughout the process. I learned a lot on time management, leadership, communicating with others, the ability to think critically on the spot, being aware of the world around me, and personal responsibility for myself. Thank you IVC, for giving me the opportunity to grow academically, personally, professionally, and intellectually, as young graduate because this is only the beginning of what is to come.
- 127. My learning experience was good however it could have improved not only for me but for all the other students if the means in the science building have better lab equipment.
- 128. My learning experience was great! Loved the professors and my counselors!
- 129. My only comment is for a shorter time to finish a degree. I have been at IVC for 4 years and I have taken numerous classes that I do not need. My input is that this delay is coming from the counselors recommending classes to students who do not need certain courses in the first place.
- 130. No, teachers and staff have been great.
- 131. Only comment would be that some teachers could use a slight brushing up on skills or maybe even training.
- 132. Overall good experience, learned from my mistakes and made goals.
- 133. Overall I thought this college was a great place to learn.
- 134. overall satisfied with my experience at school.
- 135. Overall, I believe I had a good experience at IVC with good professors and tutors!
- 136. Overall, I enjoyed the classes here at IVC
- 137. Professors and peers were friendly and IVC is very organized.
- 138. Really enjoyed having professors who are passionate to their jobs.
- 139. Really enjoyed my time here. Sad to have to leave.
- 140. So far so good. I plan to continue gong to IVC.
- 141. Some classrooms need new desks. It's important for a student to be comfortable in any learning environment.

- 142. Some professors made me want to quit school but some professors made me not want to leave school. With that being said I am thankful I have those professors who made me feel like there was hope.
- 143. Some teachers can work on making it possible so that the students can actually learn and not set them up for failure by only giving two tests out of the whole semester
- 144. Something I really liked about IVC was that everyone is so accepting and wants you to succeed. All the teachers welcome students and are open to any questions or comments from the students. Apart from the teachers and staff, students are so encouraging and great teamwork members. You are able to get help if your struggling anywhere! The environment here at IVC is great. I do not regret coming here before transferring at all and recommend it to high school graduates.
- 145. Sometimes teachers don't want to help students out when they don't understand.
- 146. The learning experience was okay but just wish we had more of a college life and more diversity on campus.
- 147. Teachers should educate their students more in the topic they are teaching.
- 148. Thank you to my counselors that kept me on the roll to complete my courses and thank you to my teachers that were there always willing to help!
- 149. Thankful for what Imperial Valley College has to offer.
- 150. The classes were amazing, teachers were helpful, and staff was amazing
- 151. The graduation ceremony should be held in a larger facility.
- 152. The learning experience I had at Imperial Valley College was resourceful, collaborative, and enthusiastic.
- 153. The nature between students and teachers is that of a tight knit community.
- 154. The professors were great.
- 155. The professors at IVC are really smart and most of them give their everything so their students can finish their classes and be able to understand many subjects. There obviously needs to be more learning resources but overall it is good.
- 156. The professors here are very skilled at teaching. I have learned much from attending here.

- 157. The teachers were very helpful and flexible with their office hours in order for their students to succeed. I liked that they took time to help students with any questions that they had.
- 158. There should be more evening and online classes offered. I work full-time and this past school year, the amount of classes offered in the evening and online was reduced, thus making it harder for me to find classes. There should also be a better registration system in place.

I was placed on "priority registration" but to enroll in Summer 2018 classes, I had to wait until the Thursday when registration started on Monday. If students are registering online anyway, why is there a waiting period to register. I have tried for two years to get into the Art 100 class, and still have not been able to get in because there are either only morning classes or only 1 online class available

The school should allow more flexibility for working students.

- 159. There's a need for counselors who actually care about the students.
- 160. They did everything perfectly. Even with the classes with many things to do. I see the teacher have master plans to get the class through the semester with so much learning in so little time.
- 161. Through my college experience, I can say that all people who work there as teachers, counselors, staff members, etc. help me to achieve my goals. I really appreciate all the support that Imperial Valley College gives to students.
- 162. Through my educational experience at Imperial Valley College, I can say, this is just the beginning.
- 163. To date, it has been the best experience in my life. I wish I had done it sooner. My goal of attaining a higher education is just around the corner, and I plan to continue until I attain a Master's in Administration of Justice.
- 164. Truly a great experience here, I enjoyed every class session I had here. All professors were great. Overall, glad to call this school my alma mater.
- 165. Very accessible, love my teachers.
- 166. Was a great experience
- 167. water treatment major is great.
- 168. When I first started here I had a tough time because I had a negative view of the college but after meeting more professors and tutors I changed my mind of this school and began to improve. Now I am graduating with an Associate's degree in Psychology thanks to IVC.

- 169. When I first started IVC I was indecisive of what I wanted to do with my life, but throughout the years and frequent failing classes I finally knew what I wanted to do and everything changed and I am proud to say although it took me forever to finish I finally did it!
- 170. When I started, I hated having to crash courses. I'm glad there's a wait list set in place now, so there's a fair opportunity to register for a class versus how it was when I started at IVC.
- 171. Yes, The years of learning at IVC is a lot more than books. Having such great teachers, and other classmates is amazing.

 Growing from just high school into adult life and other responsibilities, sharing that with others is possible by attending IVC. Thank You IVC staff.