



National Survey of Student Engagement at NDSU

North Dakota State University has participated in the National Survey of Student Engagement in 2000, 2002, 2005, 2007, 2009 and 2011. The total number of students providing information in 2011 was 1,116. The 2011 response rate was above the national rate. Since 2000, North Dakota State University has invested considerable resources in comparing itself to peers in order to track changing trends in student responses.

In 2007, 2009 and 2011, NDSU utilized an Excel macro program to create Powerpoint charts with college- and department-specific data. The software program allows colleges and departments to compare themselves directly to the campus, other colleges, other departments and three groups of peer institutions. This program has been made available to administrators across campus and has sparked interest from several academic units.