

Administered in March-April to students who graduated from Westmount Charter School's grade 12 the previous June. The "overall" statistics are an average of the four years' results, with the exception of section II, which is a combined statistic of 2008-2010.

All statistics are shown as percentages

<b>I. COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY</b>					
<b>How would you rate the preparation you received at Westmount in the following areas?</b>					
	<b>Approval Overall</b>	Approval 2010	Approval 2009	Approval 2008	Approval 2007
Essay-writing	<b>76</b>	100	85	42	78
Test-taking	<b>85</b>	100	85	67	89
Research skills	<b>69</b>	78	70	62	67
Presentation skills	<b>93</b>	100	100	70	100
Creative thinking	<b>99</b>	100	95	100	100
Overall academic preparation	<b>91</b>	100	95	89	80
<b>Compared with your College/University classmates, how would you rate your readiness for College/University in the following areas?</b>					
	<b>Approval Overall</b>	Approval 2010	Approval 2009	Approval 2008	Approval 2007
Independence in learning	<b>81</b>	78	83	67	94
Self-direction in learning	<b>81</b>	78	90	84	72
Self-discipline in learning	<b>63</b>	76	63	61	50
Overall personal/emotional readiness	<b>60</b>	75	65	44	56
College program/career selection	<b>57</b>	78	70	50	31
<b>Have you been attending College/University this year?</b>					
	Yes	No	A course or two		
<b>Overall</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>7</b>		
2010	70	24	6		
2009	85	12	3		
2008	48	39	13		
2007	75	20	5		
<b>Which of the following would best describe your first year at College/University?</b>					
	Excellent + good	Could have been much better	Will be switching schools/programs	Not returning	
<b>Overall</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	
2010	94	6	0	0	
2009	80	5	15	0	
2008	44	33	22	0	
2007	88	0	11	0	

\* approval = % of "decided" respondents.

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<b>II. WORKPLACE (not attending College/University)</b> note: although asked in 2007, none of the respondents chose to answer. The following combined stats are from 2008 - 2010 together.				
<b>How would you rate the preparation you received at Westmount in the following areas?</b>				
	<b>Approval</b>			
Reading comprehension	<b>94</b>			
Clarity in writing	<b>97</b>			
Math computation skills	<b>94</b>			
Problem-solving	<b>97</b>			
Teamwork	<b>88</b>			
Self-direction	<b>88</b>			
Self-discipline	<b>81</b>			
Independence	<b>78</b>			
Computer skills	<b>88</b>			
Research skills	<b>90</b>			
Presentation skills	<b>94</b>			
Creative thinking	<b>94</b>			
Career selection	<b>78</b>			
<b>Overall readiness for workplace</b>	<b>84</b>			
<b>Which of the following would best describe your first year in the workplace?</b> 27% excellent, 14% good, 9% could have been a lot better; 18% thinking of changing jobs, 32% thinking of going to College/University.				
<b>III. overall survey stats (college + workplace)</b>				
<b>How many years did you attend Westmount?</b>				
	6+ years	3-5 years	1-2 years	
<b>Overall</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>11</b>	
2010	64	18	18	
2009	90	10	0	
2008	17	67	17	
2007	64	27	9	
<b>Your gender:</b>				
	Male	Female		
<b>Overall</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>53</b>		
2010	36	64		
2009	48	52		
2008	67	33		
2007	36	64		

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