

### Sustainability Survey 2018 (Students)

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#### T1 Welcome to Lehigh's 2018 Sustainability Survey



Your opinion matters.

You have been selected to participate in a Lehigh University survey regarding student attitudes toward various environmental sustainability issues on campus. The results will help shape Lehigh's future campus sustainability programs. Please be assured that all responses will be completely confidential. The questionnaire will take 7 - 10 minutes to complete.

The survey is sponsored by the Lehigh Sustainability Council and the Office of Sustainability. You will not receive any compensation for participating in this study. However, at the conclusion of the study, as a "thank you," we will randomly select three subjects to receive a \$25 gift certificate to Amazon or Barnes and Nobles bookstore. You will be asked to enter your name for this purpose. It does not affect your anonymity and you are not required to submit the information.

**Please complete the survey no later than May 18th.** Your responses will be compiled and reported through the University's Office of Sustainability website ([sustainability.lehigh.edu](http://sustainability.lehigh.edu)) before the start of the fall semester.

Thank you for your time and input.

Delicia Nahman  
Sustainability Officer

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#### Q1 What comes to mind when you hear the term "sustainability"? (Select all that apply)



- Environment/Natural Resources
- Conservation
- Recycling
- Social Justice
- Balance of environmental, societal, and economic issues
- System-thinking
- Equity
- Diversity and Inclusion

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#### T2 For the purposes of this survey, sustainability is based on the Brundtland Commissions definition:



*Sustainability meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs.*

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▾ Beliefs

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Q2 On a scale of 1 to 5 with 1="Very Unimportant" and 5="Very Important", how important to you is each of the following issues facing the country today?



	Very Unimportant 1	2	3	4	Very Important 5
Economy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Health Care	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Climate Change	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Environment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Immigration	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Foreign Policy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Education	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
National Debt	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q3 On a scale of 1 to 5 with 1="Very Unimportant" and 5="Very Important",



	Very Unimportant 1	2	3	4	Very Important 5
How important do you think it is for American citizens to conserve energy?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
How important is it to you that Lehigh be a leader in sustainability and the environment?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
How important is it to you to recycle the products that you use?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q4 On a scale of 1 to 5 with 1="Very Unimportant" and 5="Very Important", how important to you are the following environmental-related issues at Lehigh



	Very Unimportant 1	2	3	4	Very Important 5
Waste and recycling	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Energy consumption and conservation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Environmental effects on my health	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Air Pollution	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Water consumption and conservation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Alternative transportation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Building standards and practices	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Food sourcing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Campus green spaces	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q5 Climate change refers to a change in the Earth's air and water temperature by greenhouse gases released into the atmosphere.



	It will not be a problem	It will be a minor Problem	It will be a major problem
How do you think global climate change will affect you <u>in your lifetime?</u>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
How do you think global climate change will affect <u>future generations on our planet?</u>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q6 How much attention do you feel is given to the issue of global climate change?



- Not enough attention
- About the right amount of attention
- Too much attention
- Not sure/Don't know

Q7 What do you think is the **largest contributor** to Lehigh's greenhouse gas emissions?



- Electricity used in campus buildings
- Automobile and bus travel for the Lehigh community
- Air travel for the Lehigh community
- Natural gas used in campus buildings
- Other

**Q8** Respond to the following statements with a scale from 1-5, 1="Strongly Disagree" and 5="Strongly Agree".

	Strongly Disagree 1	2	3	4	Strongly Agree 5
When I conserve energy, I contribute fewer greenhouse gases to the atmosphere.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I have learned much about energy conservation practices since enrolling at Lehigh.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Since attending Lehigh, I now have a better understanding of how man-made behaviors contribute to climate change.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Since attending Lehigh, I now have a better understanding of how our planet's climate system works.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Since attending Lehigh, I now have a better understanding about the sources of greenhouse gases.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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Lehigh and Sustainability Block Options ▾

**Q9** Have you read or heard about Lehigh's "Sustainability Plan"?

Yes  
 No

**Q10** Do you believe that Lehigh courses adequately integrate sustainability into curriculum?

Yes  
 No  
 Don't know

**Q11** Should sustainability topics be integrated into course content?

Yes  
 No  
 Don't know

**Q12** How familiar are you with the following Lehigh programs? (Scale 1-5, 1="Not Aware", 5="Very Aware")

	Not Aware 1	2	3	4	Very Aware 5
Reusable mug discount program	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Eco-Rep program	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reusable to-go container program	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Green Fund	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Student club rental dishware program	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Greening your room certificate	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q15 What types of items do you regularly recycle on Lehigh's campus? (Select all that apply)

- Plastic Bottles
- Light Bulbs
- Aluminum Cans
- Mixed Paper
- Newspaper
- Styrofoam
- Glass
- Cardboard
- Batteries
- Other

Q16 Which of the following waste reduction programs would you like to see expanded at Lehigh? (Select all that apply)

- More recycling bins
- More waste and recycling signage
- Electronic recycling for CDs, diskettes, chargers, cell phones, etc.
- Composting of food waste and/or expanding food donation
- Battery recycling program (including A, AA, AAA, D)
- Desk side light bulbs
- Plastic film recycling
- None. The programs shouldn't be expanded
- Other

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Q17 What is your **primary** mode of transportation to campus?

- Single occupancy vehicle
- Walk, bicycle, or other non-motorized mean
- Carpool or vanpool
- Campus shuttle or public transportation
- Motorcycle, scooter, or moped

Q18 What would motivate you to leave your vehicle at home most of the week for school commuting? (Select all that apply)

- Improved Campus Shuttle System frequencies and speeds to other areas and parking lots located away from campus core(s)
- Better LANTA routes
- More bike lanes on public streets
- More bike lanes on campus
- Gasoline prices rise or stay above \$5 per gallon
- Lehigh parking fees raised significantly for campus commuter parking
- Safer streets, crosswalks, walkways for pedestrians
- Nothing, I need to drive to school for class or work
- I don't have a vehicle/don't use my vehicle at school

Q19 Please indicate the extent to which you have done or used the following in the last 30 days. (Scale 1-5, 1="Never", 5="Always")

	Never 1	2	3	4	Always 5
Turned off the water while brushing teeth/shaving	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Recycled on campus or at home	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Washed clothes on the cold water setting	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Unplugged appliances, gaming devices, or laptop when not in use	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Unplugged my cellphone charger when not attached to my charging phone	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Walked or ridden a bike to class instead of using a vehicle	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Turned off lights in a room at home or on campus	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Used the lehigh bus shuttle system instead of using a car	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reported a leak or other utility waste concern	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ridden a bike to class instead of using a vehicle	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Used a reusable bag	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Used a "Power-save" scheme for my computer	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Drank tap or filtered water instead of purchasing bottled water	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Took a short shower (5 minutes or less)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q20 What motivated you to try the behaviors selected in the previous question? (Select all that apply)

- It's the right thing to do to make the world a better place
- Saving money
- It's easier/more convenient
- Other people do it
- Protecting human health
- Friend/peer influence
- Information learned in class
- Information learned from a book/TV/event/etc.

Q21 Are you a member of a campus environmental group?

- Yes
- No

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Q22 What is your student classification at Lehigh?

- First-year
- Sophomore
- Junior
- Senior
- Graduate Student

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Q23 What sex were you assigned at birth, meaning on your original birth certificate?

- Male
- Female

Q23.5 What is your current gender identity? (Select all that apply)

- Man
- Woman
- Transgender
- Genderqueer or Gender Non-Conforming
- Other

Q24 What ethnicity do you most identify with?

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
- Hispanic/Latino
- White
- Black or African American
- Two or More Races
- Other

Q25 Are you an international student?

- Yes
- No

Q26 Do you live on- or off-campus?

- On-campus
- Off-campus


Q27 What is your academic college affiliation at Lehigh?

- College of Engineering
- College of Business and Economics
- College of Arts and Sciences
- College of Education
- Other

Q28 Of the following, which three items do you think are the most effective for communicating Lehigh activities and events?

- E-mail list
- Campus flyers/posters
- Word of mouth
- Daily Announcements
- Facebook
- Twitter
- Lehigh Calendar
- Departmental meetings
- City of Bethlehem website
- Discover Lehigh Valley

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