

Kilgore College Residential Life Survey, Fall 2002
Total: 118

Gender	Count	%
Male	10	8.5%
Female	108	91.5%

Academic Standing	Count	%
Freshman	76	67.3%
Sophomore	37	32.7%

Residence hall you reside in	Count	%
Quad	15	12.8%
Davis	96	82.1%
Stark	6	5.1%

Lived in the residence hall at least 1 full semester?	Count	%
Yes	104	89.7%
No	12	10.3%

Why have you chosen to live in the residence halls?	Count	%
Friends	13	12.1%
Community	3	2.8%
Convenience	83	77.6%
Cost	4	3.7%
Parents	4	3.7%

The noise level from the hallway effects my ability to study	Count	%
No problem	40	33.9%
Usually no problem	58	49.2%
Often a problem	19	16.1%
Impossible situation	1	.8%

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How comfortable are you in approaching your RA concerning college related problems?	Count	%
Very comfortable	78	66.7%
Comfortable	33	28.2%
Uncomfortable	6	5.1%

How effective has your RA been in developing a sense of community on your floor?	Count	%
Very effective	72	61.0%
Adequate	39	33.1%
Not adequate	5	4.2%
Unable to evaluate	2	1.7%

I find the coordinator accessible	Count	%
Strongly Disagree	19	16.2%
Disagree	10	8.5%
Agree	74	63.2%
Strongly Agree	14	12.0%

My hall coordinator has a clear understanding of what occurs in the residence hall	Count	%
Strongly Disagree	16	13.9%
Disagree	8	7.0%
Agree	71	61.7%
Strongly Agree	20	17.4%

My hall coordinator relates to and understands my concerns	Count	%
Strongly Disagree	22	19.1%
Disagree	10	8.7%
Agree	69	60.0%
Strongly Agree	14	12.2%

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My residence hall	Count	%
Needs more discipline	6	5.1%
Is too strict to be an enjoyable place	15	12.7%
Has balanced discipline	97	82.2%

Rules and regulations are enforced uniformly in my hall	Count	%
Strongly Disagree	9	7.6%
Disagree	10	8.5%
Agree	67	56.8%
Strongly Agree	32	27.1%

Your front desk staff	Count	%
Have effectively met your needs	58	50.4%
Have adequately met your needs	48	41.7%
Has not met needs	9	7.8%

Your Hall Coordinator	Count	%
Has been receptive to your concerns	71	60.7%
Has been hesitant to your concerns	25	21.4%
Know the Coord. but assistance was not required	18	15.4%
Do not know the Coord.	3	2.6%

How would you describe the overall physical condition of your hall?	Count	%
Very good	4	3.4%
Adequate	26	22.0%
Needs improvement	61	51.7%
Unacceptable at this time	27	22.9%

If given the opportunity, would you like to paint your room to make it more personalized?	Count	%
Yes	98	83.8%
No	19	16.2%

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How would you describe the cleanliness of the public areas of your residence hall?	Count	%
Very good	28	23.7%
Adequate	76	64.4%
Needs improvement	10	8.5%
Unacceptable at this time	4	3.4%

How would you evaluate the cleanliness of your hall on the weekend?	Count	%
Very good	36	30.5%
Adequate	64	54.2%
Needs improvement	17	14.4%
Unacceptable at this time	1	.8%

How would you rate the maintenance personnel who respond to maintenance concerns in your room?	Count	%
Effectively met your needs	41	34.7%
Adequately met your needs	51	43.2%
Failed to meet your needs	24	20.3%
Unable to evaluate	2	1.7%

Maintenance and repairs are completed in a timely manner	Count	%
Strongly Disagree	25	21.2%
Disagree	34	28.8%
Agree	51	43.2%
Strongly Agree	8	6.8%

Have you participated in any programming by the residential life staff?	Count	%
Yes	68	60.2%
No	45	39.8%

Do you have a cell phone?	Count	%
Yes	90	76.9%
No	27	23.1%

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Do you have phone service in your residence hall room?	Count	%
Yes	91	76.5%
No	28	23.5%

Do you currently subscribe to an internet service?	Count	%
Yes	64	54.2%
No	54	45.8%

If yes, how much do you pay per month for your internet service?	Count	%
\$10-20/month	20	29.0%
\$21-30/month	30	43.5%
\$30+/month	19	27.5%

If high speed internet service were available in the residence hall, I would be willing to pay	Count	%
\$50/semester	61	56.5%
\$70/semester	14	13.0%
\$100/semester	4	3.7%
Not Interested	29	26.9%

How would you rate the cable television service?	Count	%
Very good	60	51.7%
Adequate	44	37.9%
Needs improvement	11	9.5%
Unacceptable at this time	1	.9%

Do you feel safe in your residence hall?	Count	%
Yes, most of the time	100	84.7%
Some of the time	17	14.4%
Very rarely	1	.8%

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How did you learn of the policies governing your residence hall?	Count	%
Staff members	67	83.8%
Signs	8	10.0%
Other	5	6.3%

Do you know the proper fire emergency procedures as they pertain to you?	Count	%
Yes	98	84.5%
No	18	15.5%

How would you rank the total security system in your residence hall/building?	Count	%
Effective	65	55.6%
Adequate	48	41.0%
Inadequate	4	3.4%

Please indicate which of the following Residential Life sponsored programs you have participated in	Count	%
Any program done by your RA or Hall Coordinator	49	72.1%
Total makeovers	5	7.4%
Personal wellness	4	5.9%
Photography	2	2.9%
Other	8	11.8%

Did the activities	Count	%
Exceed your expectations	8	9.3%
Meet your expectations	68	79.1%
Did not meet expectations	10	11.6%

Please indicate which of the following you have participated in	Count	%
KC kickoff	9	37.5%
Homecoming activities	5	20.8%
Intramural Sports	1	4.2%
Member of at least one Student Organization	9	37.5%

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Did the activities	Count	%
Exceed your expectations	33	29.7%
Meet your expectations	69	62.2%
Did not meet your expectations	9	8.1%

Were you informed and aware of the planned activities?	Count	%
Yes	104	92.9%
No	8	7.1%

How did you learn of these activities?	Count	%
Flyers/Poster	34	43.0%
Word of mouth	28	35.4%
Hall Newsletter/Resident Assistant	11	13.9%
Unaware of activities	6	7.6%

Which activities would you like to see continued by the Office of Student Life in the future?	Count	%
Dances	11	33.3%
Raffles	3	9.1%
Tailgate Party	4	12.1%
Pep Rally	14	42.4%
Intramurals	1	3.0%

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What type of activities would you like to see started in the future?	Count	%
More sport activities	5	15.2%
Formal dances	7	21.2%
Movies	7	21.2%
Talent Show	1	3.0%
Cook outs	4	12.1%
Ice cream Socials	2	6.1%
Putt Putt	4	12.1%
Speakers on different hot topics	3	9.1%

Are you satisfied with your residence hall experience to date?	Count	%
Yes I am satisfied with the current situation	100	84.7%
No I am not satisfied	18	15.3%

I plan to return to the residence halls next year	Count	%
Yes	78	67.2%
No	26	22.4%
Undecided	12	10.3%