

Zoomerang Survey Results

Your Experiences with C.O.D. Research Projects

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1. Are you currently a C.O.D. student?		
Yes	19	95%
No	1	5%
Total	20	100%

2. How many semester credit hours do you have at C.O.D.?		
0-15	7	35%
15-32	6	30%
32	7	35%
Total	20	100%

3. What are your future academic plans?		
20 Responses		

4. Have you completed a research project (either a paper or speech) using the resources of the C.O.D. Library? If you answer no, you may stop taking this survey.		
Yes	20	100%
No	0	0%
Total	20	100%

5. For what courses have you completed papers or speeches? Please list all of them.		
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20 Responses

6. Where did you start (your first step) doing your research for your papers or speeches?

Google	7	35%
Library's Web site	12	60%
My local library	1	5%
Another university/college library	0	0%
Other, please specify	0	0%
Total	20	100%

7. How do you go about deciding if a book, article, or Web site is useful for your research project?

20 Responses

8. What problems or concerns have you had throughout the process of completing your project(s)?

20 Responses

9. Did you ask for help from a librarian for your project?

Yes	16	80%
No	4	20%
Total	20	100%

10. If you received help from a librarian with your project, how satisfied were you?

Not at all satisfied	1	5%
Well satisfied	5	25%
Very satisfied	10	50%
Additional Comment	4	20%
Total	20	100%

11. In what areas could the Library have been of more help to you?

20 Responses

12. Did you attend a library research session (or orientation) scheduled by your instructor?

Yes	15	75%
No	5	25%
Total	20	100%

13. If you attended a library research session, how helpful was it to the success of your project?

Not helpful at all	0	0%
Somewhat helpful	5	31%
Very helpful	10	62%
Other, please specify	1	6%
Total	16	100%

14. What is the hardest part(s) of completing a research project for you? Check all that apply.

Understanding the instructor's assignment	6	30%
Managing my time	8	40%
Finding the right sources	14	70%
Using the Library's Web site	3	15%
Reading and understanding the sources	7	35%
Deciding what to include in the paper or speech	14	70%
Writing the paper	9	45%
Citing sources	6	30%
Avoiding plagiarism	2	10%

15. What tips or pointers about doing research would you pass along to another student? Please list all your tips.

20 Responses

16. Please enter me in a drawing for a \$50 gift certificate to the C.O.D. bookstore as a reward for taking part in this survey. Here is my name and email address. Please note that all of the above questions must be answered in order to qualify for the gift certificate.

20 Responses