

Keck First Year Seminar: MENTOR post-survey: Fall 2011

1. The 17 mentors were ***extremely satisfied*** and had their expectations met from their participation in the program (Average 4.5 out of 5).

2a. 10 out of 17 mentors (59%) reported that their participation as a research mentor reinforced their decision to attend ***graduate school***.

2b. 8 out of 17 mentors (47%) reported that their participation as a research mentor ***reinforced their decision to pursue a given career*** (Academia/Higher Ed-1; Communications-3; Education-2; Unknown-2.)

2c. 0 out of 17 mentors (0%) reported that their participation as a research mentor prompted their decision to ***reconsider plans after their undergraduate experience***.

3. Of the 17 mentors, the following numbers represent how many participated in the activity described:

Activity	# participated	% participated
3a. Met individually with research groups	15	88%
3b. Assisted groups with formulating a research question	16	94%
3c. Assisted with finding resources	14	82%
3d. Assisted groups with research designs	15	88%
3e. Helped groups with problem-solving as it related to the research process	15	88%
3f. Assisted groups with oral presentation skills	8	47%
3g. Assisted groups with written presentation skills	9	53%
3h. Reviewed research proposals along with the seminar professor	15	88%
3i. Taught the whole group	9	53%
3j. Graded papers	11	65%
3k. Other: Reviewed journals weekly (2); Developed grading rubrics (1); Review games for exams, tips of the week, review sheets (2), Helped with SPSS & Excel (1)		