

University of Northern Iowa
 Online Voting and Surveys Results by Question
 Dive In Days (Survey ID: 1815)
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1. I found the Thursday morning session on BUDGETING to be

	Percentage	Responses
Not valuable	2.9%	2
Slightly Valuable	21.7%	15
Somewhat Valuable	49.3%	34
Very valuable	23.2%	16
Extremely valuable	2.9%	2
Total Responses:		69

2. I found the Thursday morning session on FEARS to be

	Percentage	Responses
Not valuable	4.3%	3
Slightly valuable	18.8%	13
Somewhat valuable	53.6%	37
Very valuable	18.8%	13
Extremely valuable	4.3%	3
Total Responses:		69

3. I found the Thursday morning session on GETTING INVOLVED to be

	Percentage	Responses
Not valuable	1.4%	1
Slightly valuable	11.6%	8
Somewhat valuable	39.1%	27
Very valuable	40.6%	28
Extremely valuable	7.2%	5
Total Responses:		69

4. I found the Thursday morning session on ACADEMIC SUCCESS to be

	Percentage	Responses
Not valuable	2.9%	2
Slightly valuable	15.9%	11
Somewhat valuable	43.5%	30
Very valuable	27.5%	19
Extremely valuable	10.1%	7
Total Responses:		69

5. The best part about Dive In Days was

- Meeting the new people on my floor and figuring out stuff together and just hanging out and making friends.
- Being able to move in early and getting to know the people in my house better before classes started.
- Getting to know other students.
- Moving in early- before a lot of other people.
- Getting to know the people on the floor, and the night activities.
- Having the chance to move in early to meet new people.
- getting to know all the other freshmen
- The meal from Hyvee in the McLeod Center with all the games.
- getting to know the girls that live around me
- getting to know all of the girls in my "house"
- Getting to know other students and the campus before school started.
- The best part about dive in days was getting to move in early. The other nice part was knowing that everyone you met the first couple of days were freshmen.
- Getting to know other people in our house at dinner and lunch.
- The sessions were informative.

Moving in early and meeting my new house mates

The pizza party it was nice to get to know the girls on my floor

the move-in crew was very helpful

meeting more people and get to know them better.

the early move in to avoid the rush of people on thursday and friday

I most enjoyed getting to know the girls on my floor and being able to make friends so quickly.

Being able to meet my house and build a sense of community.

Free Food.

A chance to get to know some of the people in the house before the crazy move in weekend activities started.

I loved getting to meet all the great girls! It was great to move in early and avoid all the chaos of moving friday!

My RA, melanie, made everything so fun! She's great!

Having almost all of the freshman moving in at once and participating in activities. It helped to transition and meet new people. Also it helped to find out different programs and help that is available.

moving in early, getting to know other freshman.

getting to know some of the girls on my floor.

Getting to move in early and meeting the other people on my floor.

that I got to move in early and meet girls on my floor that were all freshman that were wanting to meet new people. I feel like that was a huge advantage to meet people going through the same things I was before everyone else got on campus.

getting to be on campus early to get used to it

Spending time with people on your floor and getting to meet new people.

I received plenty of help moving in. I greatly appreciate that.

being able to settle in before the rush

I liked how we could meet new people and it was fun to move in early and get to know some other students before the rush came in Friday.

Getting to know everyone in my hall and meeting new people!!!! Getting moved in early to beat the rush and getting to know my roomie before classes started.

getting to meet the girls in my house early.

I really that the financial aid session was very helpful needed.

Having time to yourself, moving in early to beat the rush, getting used to the room.

getting moved in before everyone else

Moving in before everyone else was great! I also liked that I got to meet a whole bunch of freshmen before the rest of the upperclassmen were on campus.

Meeting people

Early move in

Being able to move in earlier than most other students and being able to have the opportunity to have a couple extra days to be on campus and get used to your surroundings.

Meeting people and figuring out where things were before the majority of other freshman.

Moving in early.

Being here before most other people and getting to know the people that are on my floor very well.

The Activities

meeting new people and getting to know the campus better.

Getting to move in early and meeting new people before the upper classmen came

Getting to know the people in my house and the rest of the floor. The activities helped us meet new people easier. If I wasn't a part of Dive In Days, making friends would be a lot harder, and I wouldn't know as many people as I already do.

Meeting a good majority of the girls on my floor

getting here early

Moving in early and meeting the others in my hall before academics actually start.

Getting to move in early and form friendships before the hectic lifestyles of classes interrupted with the social aspect of college.

I thought the best part about Dive In Days was being able to move in early and get settled before school started.

Getting here early and meeting people early. it was good to come into the first weekend already knowing most of the people around me.

being able to meet the girls on my floor. Even though for some it was only one extra day, I found it to be very helpful! I've had many people say they wish they could have done it!

getting to move in early!

Getting to meet the girls on my floor- it helped me out a lot. All the seminars we went to were very informative as well and they will be very helpful to me in the future.

Total Responses: 59

6. The suggestion I have for how to improve Dive In Days is

Don't have any activities Wednesday night so that we aren't rushed to finish up getting our room set up.

Unless you go around and meet people there isn't really a set time to really get to know your floor. We did have the name game but other than just hanging out besides that there wasn't a true way to meet people unless you initiate it. More group activities may be helpful so people feel apart of a group and not lonely their first few days.

Although all the name games were good, they were almost too long.

Don't make us do stupid games that no one wants to play anyway.

I don't really have any suggestions.

to limit Wednesday activities to about an hour because we weren't done packing and just wanted to relax and shower and so the activities we're even enjoyable.

Have the house meetings earlier in the afternoon and not so late at night.

make the classes more fun

Have more structured stuff for us to do. The free time that we had was really boring because there was nothing for us to do.

Have the house meeting then. Also not force long games on people to meet each other. Maybe use them to break the ice, but after that let people meet and get to know others naturally and on their own.

Include more time for house bonding

change up the talks a little because a majority of what was talked about has been discussed at orientation

have more house dinners and house activities so that the people can become better acquainted earlier

Play different 'name games' in the Wednesday night session. We played one really long game and it became boring.

You don't need to bash our heads in with the same information over and over again.... We've heard all of this before, whether it be from classes you've had us take before or from our parents, but we've heard it all before.

Have more activities to get to know the people in the House instead of movies where you just sit there.

I would do the activities all on Thursday and give students all of wednesday to get settled in :))

Have a check list for freshman including all of the forms and paperwork they need to have filled out before moving in, so they know what needs to be completed.

more icebreaker activities and structure.

no suggestions

spread out the sessions a little more

Make a few of the sessions more interactive so the students are not just being lectured to.

more elevators ha

Not so many seminars

More free stuff

Make the sessions shorter and an event where all freshman attending could meet each other more easily.

It was great!

Do more activities with your floor.

The only suggestion I would have is to not plan so many activities on one day. It gets overwhelming at times when so much is going on.

maybe have more time for everyone to get to know one another and hangout

no fine

More fun activities and more choices and options rather than required activities.

none

Don't make it optional. If you are a springboard floor I think it should be something everybody should do unless of course they have a conflict or something.

nothing- it was great!

I thought it was fine.

Total Responses: 36

Demographics Summary

Gender	Percentage	Respondents
Male	34.8%	24
Female	65.2%	45

Residence Code	Percentage	Respondents
Iowa resident	94.2%	65
Non-Iowa resident	5.8%	4