

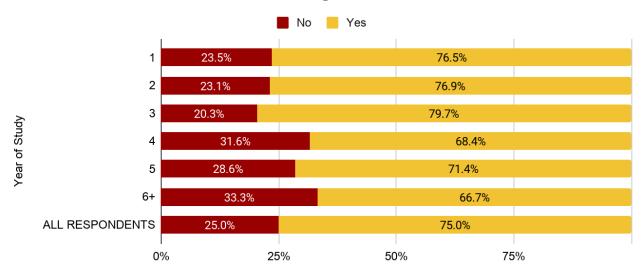
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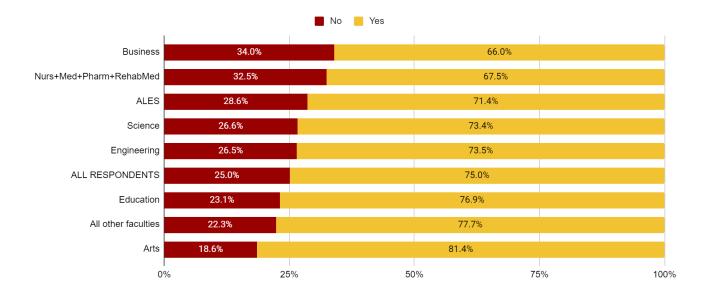
This survey was designed by UASU Marketing and Communications staff and deployed on the Perks platform from April 19th to 25th. It reached 751 respondents.

While most students would feel comfortable returning to campus if they received a COVID-19 vaccination over the summer, some groups were less comfortable than others: upper year students (significant with 90% confidence), Business students (significant with 90% confidence), and Nursing students (significant with 95% confidence).

Even in the context of vaccination, many students were strongly in favour of mandatory masking and deeply concerned about dense crowds (e.g. in or near large lecture halls).

"Would you feel comfortable returning to campus in the Fall if you received a COVID-19 vaccination during the summer?"





"What factors would make you feel comfortable returning to the campus in the Fall?"

By far the most common responses involved social distancing, class sizes, mandatory masking, and vaccination rates. Other popular choices involved hand sanitizer and provincial COVID rates. Some students expressed that they are already comfortable. Others said that mandatory vaccination would make them comfortable.

A word cloud of the most common bigrams (word pairs) after removing 'stop words' (e.g. is, and, the):



"What factors would make you feel uncomfortable returning to the campus in the Fall?"

The most common concerns revolved around high-density areas, such as large lecture halls and the cramped hallways outside them.

Note that virtually all respondents who mentioned 'wearing masks', 'mask enforcement,' or similar phrases were saying that they would feel uncomfortable if people weren't wearing masks.

