

Hello!

Thanks for clicking on the link to view an invitation to participate in the National Survey of Student Engagement, or NSSE (“nessie”). You may already have seen the invitation that was sent to your UNI email address.

Faculty and staff at the University of Northern Iowa want you to get the most out of your time at UNI. When you respond to the National Survey of Student Engagement, we learn how students are spending their time in and out of the classroom. Knowing more about our students helps us provide the kinds of support and services that will help students reach their educational goals.

You can get to NSSE by clicking on the link in your e-mail invitation or by clicking on the link in your MyUNiverse page. When you click on the link for the survey from your MyUNiverse page, a new window will open for you to complete the survey. You can also click on the link on your MyUNiverse page to see a list of available prizes located on the Institutional Research & Effectiveness webpage.

In appreciation for participating, students who complete the survey will be automatically entered in a random drawing to win 1 of 14 Amazon gift cards between the amounts of \$20 and \$200 with prizes totaling over \$1,000!

To see a list of prizes, go to <http://uni.edu/ir/nsse-drawing>. Your chances of winning depend on how many students complete the survey; the last time we administered this survey, about 1,400 students responded.

If you need assistance with accessing the survey, you can send a message to [help@nsse-survey.org](mailto:help@nsse-survey.org). More information about NSSE is available at <http://www.nsse.iub.edu>.

If you have any questions about this project at the University of Northern Iowa or how we plan to use the results, please contact me at [megan.vogt@uni.edu](mailto:megan.vogt@uni.edu) or (319) 273-7430.

Your feedback is valuable. Let us hear from you!

Sincerely,

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