

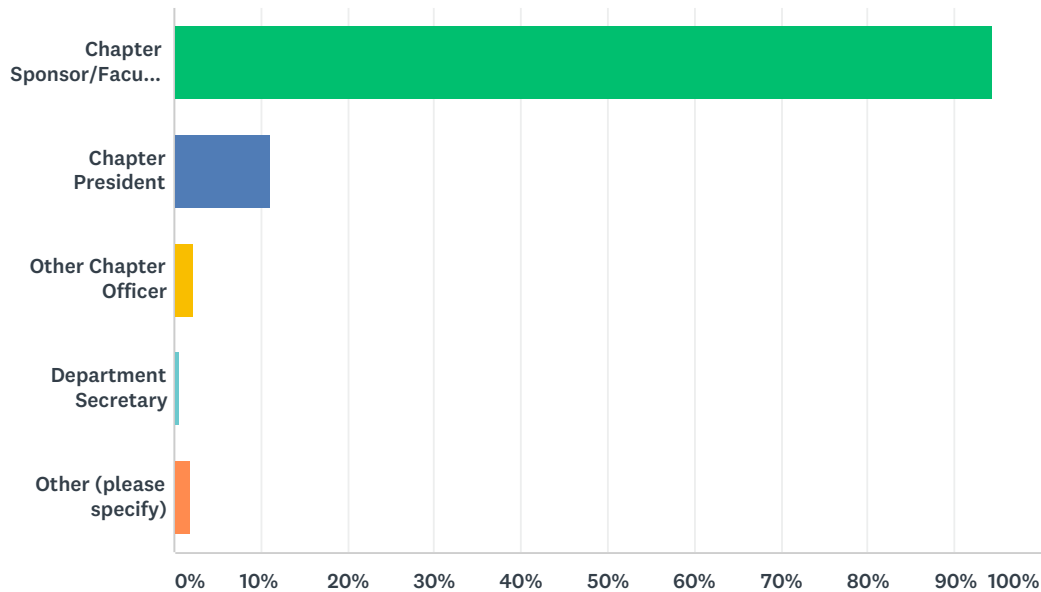
Q1 Contact Information (Do not abbreviate.)

Answered: 491 Skipped: 0

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
School:	100.00%	491
Company:	0.00%	0
Address:	0.00%	0
Address 2:	0.00%	0
City/Town:	100.00%	491
School State:	99.19%	487
ZIP:	0.00%	0
Country:	98.98%	486
Survey Contact:	100.00%	491
Email Address:	100.00%	491

Q2 Title of person(s) completing this survey--if possible, the Chapter Sponsor/Faculty Advisor and at least one Chapter Officer: (Check all that apply.)

Answered: 491 Skipped: 0



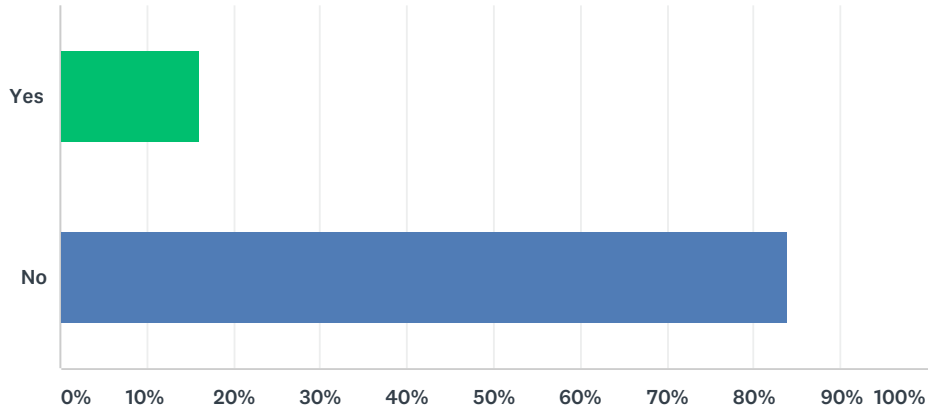
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Chapter Sponsor/Faculty Advisor	94.30%	463
Chapter President	11.00%	54

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Other Chapter Officer	2.24%	11
Department Secretary	0.61%	3
Other (please specify)	1.83%	9
Total Respondents: 491		

Q3 Was your chapter chartered or reactivated during the fall 2016 - spring 2017 academic year?

Answered: 491 Skipped: 0

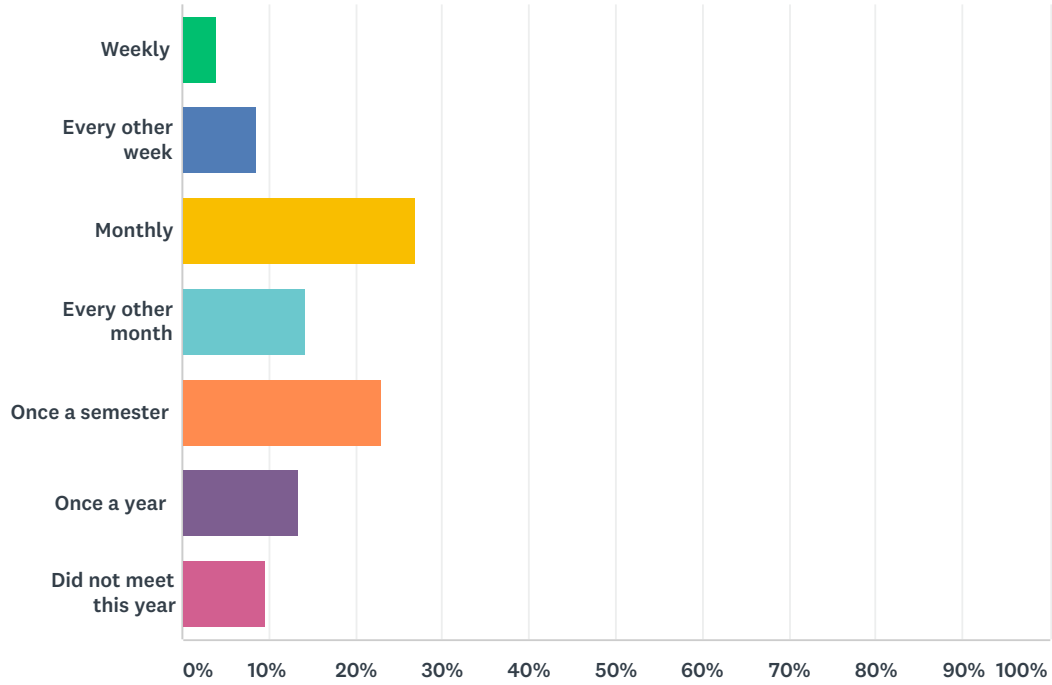


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	16.09%	79
No	83.91%	412
TOTAL		491

Q4 Chapter Meetings: Approximately how often does your chapter hold chapter meetings?

Answered: 491 Skipped: 0

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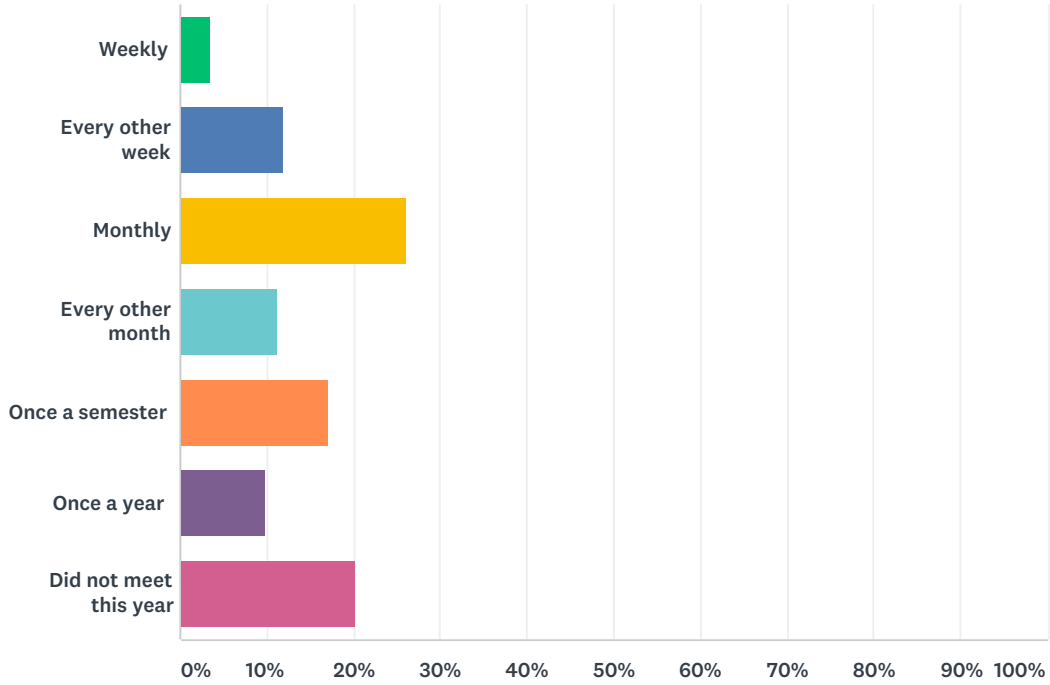


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Weekly	4.07%	20
Every other week	8.55%	42
Monthly	27.09%	133
Every other month	14.26%	70
Once a semester	23.01%	113
Once a year	13.44%	66
Did not meet this year	9.57%	47
TOTAL		491

Q5 Officer Meetings: Approximately how often does your chapter hold officer meetings?

Answered: 491 Skipped: 0

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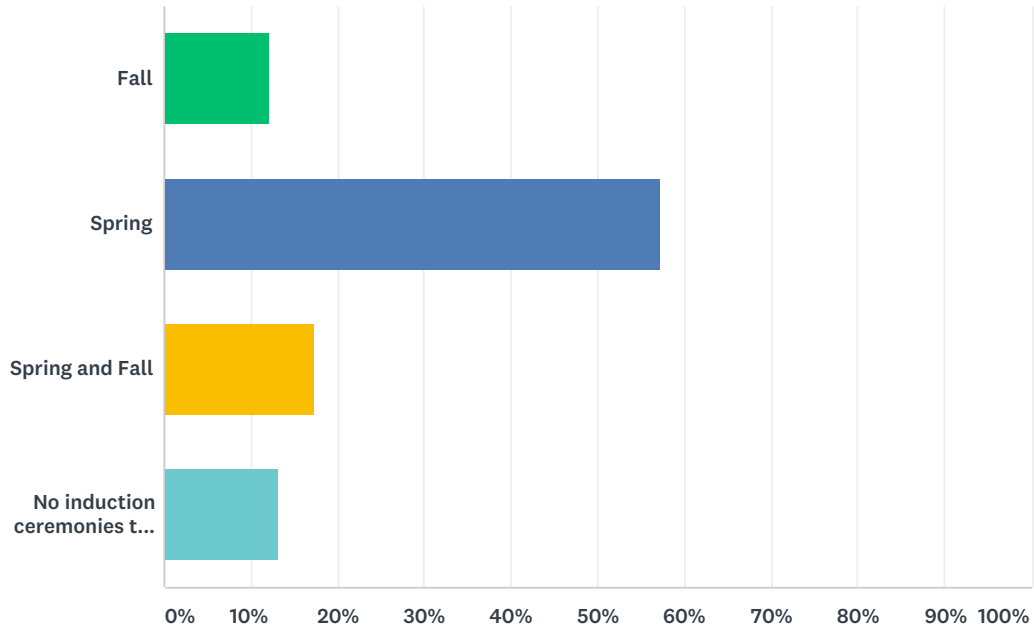


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Weekly	3.46%	17
Every other week	12.02%	59
Monthly	26.07%	128
Every other month	11.20%	55
Once a semester	17.11%	84
Once a year	9.78%	48
Did not meet this year	20.37%	100
TOTAL		491

Q6 Induction Ceremonies: When does your chapter hold induction ceremonies for new members?

Answered: 491 Skipped: 0

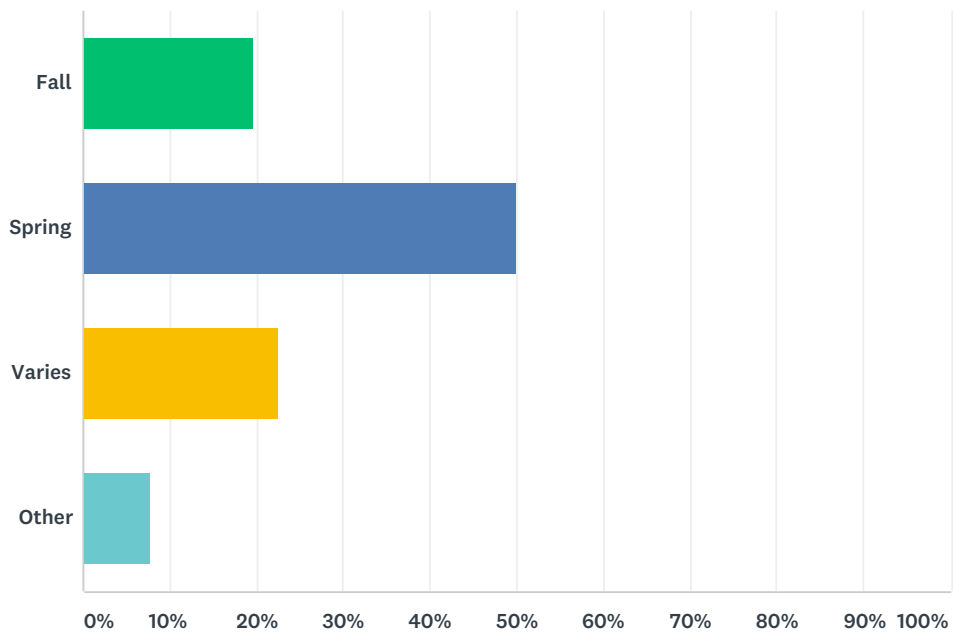
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Fall	12.22%	60
Spring	57.23%	281
Spring and Fall	17.31%	85
No induction ceremonies this year	13.24%	65
TOTAL		491

Q7 Chapter Officers: When does your chapter elect Chapter Officers?

Answered: 491 Skipped: 0

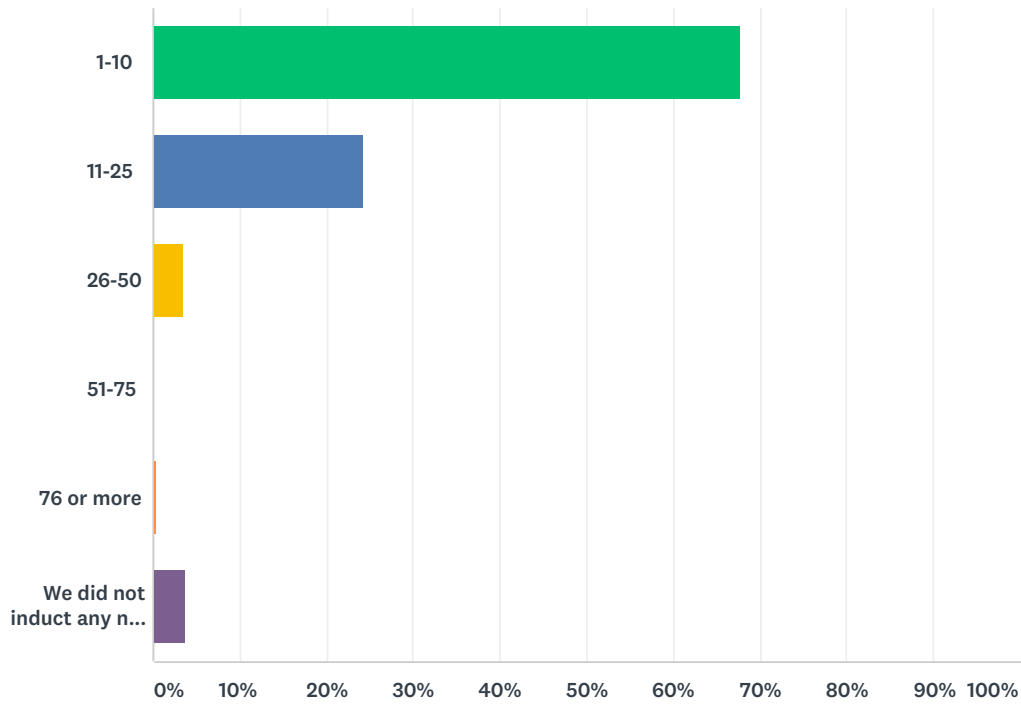


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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Fall	19.76%	97
Spring	49.90%	245
Varies	22.61%	111
Other	7.74%	38
TOTAL		491

Q8 New Members: How many new members did your chapter induct during the 2016-2017 academic year?(Include only those students who have been inducted into Sigma Tau Delta, and for whom the Central Office has received the one-time international induction fee of \$40.)

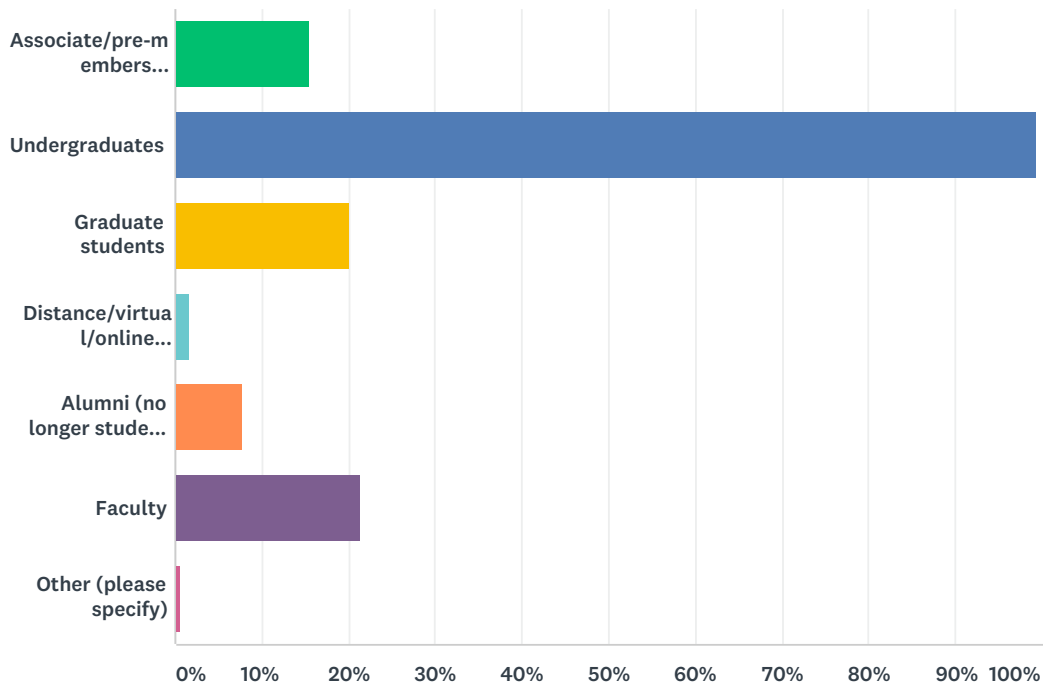
Answered: 491 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
1-10	67.82%	333
11-25	24.24%	119
26-50	3.46%	17
51-75	0.20%	1
76 or more	0.41%	2
We did not induct any new members this year.	3.87%	19
TOTAL		491

Q9 Chapter Membership: How would you categorize your chapter membership?(Check all that apply.)

Answered: 491 Skipped: 0

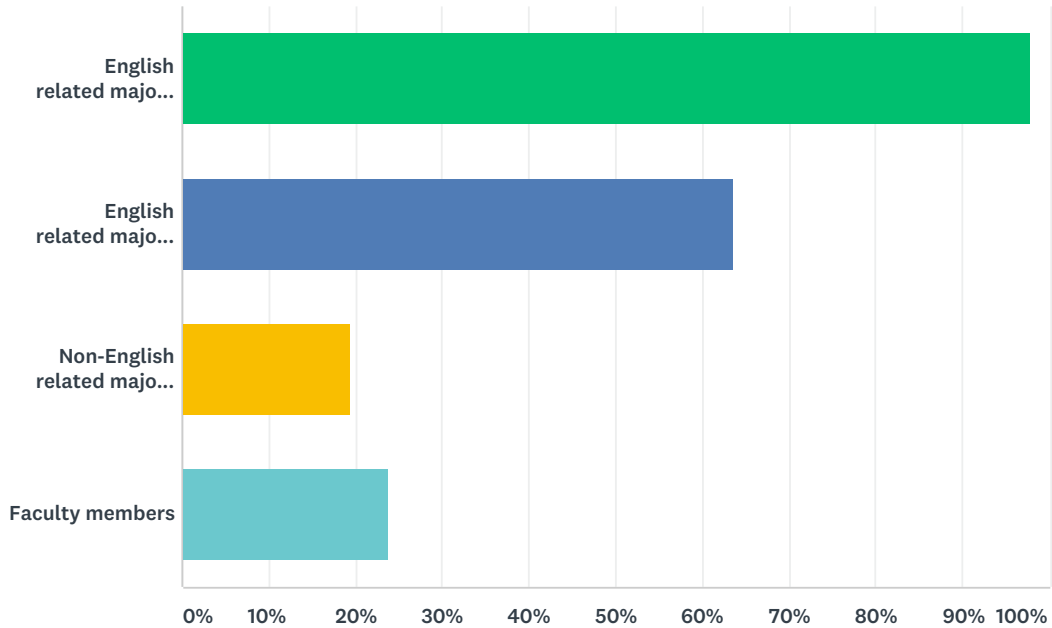


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Associate/pre-members (interested individuals not yet qualified for induction at the Society level)	15.48%	76
Undergraduates	99.39%	488
Graduate students	20.16%	99
Distance/virtual/online students	1.63%	8
Alumni (no longer students but continue to participate in chapter activities)	7.74%	38
Faculty	21.38%	105
Other (please specify)	0.61%	3
Total Respondents: 491		

Q10 Chapter Membership: Please describe area(s) of study of your chapter members.(Check all that apply.)

Answered: 489 Skipped: 2

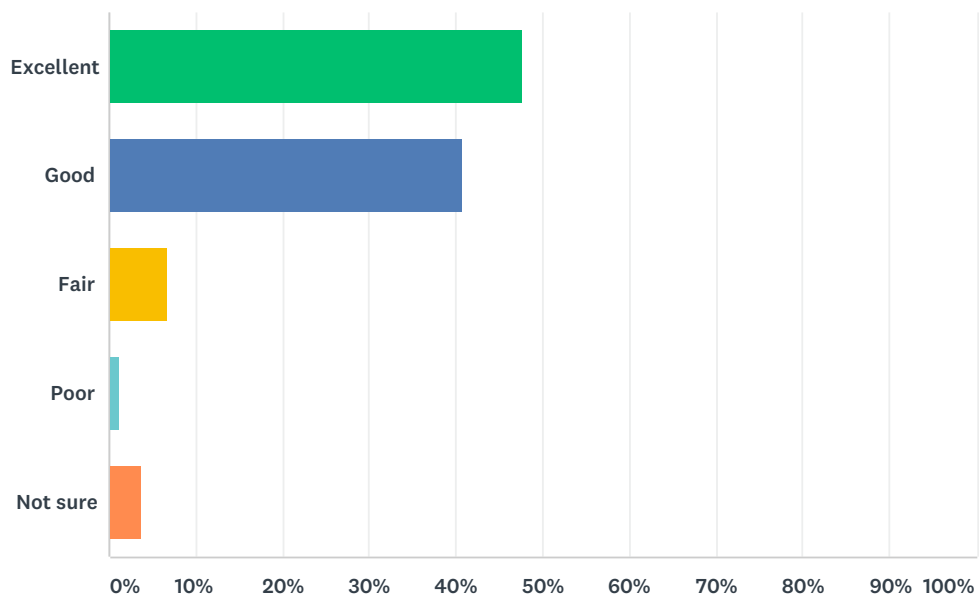
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
English related majors or minors	97.96%	479
English related majors or minors seeking secondary teacher certification	63.60%	311
Non-English related majors or minors	19.43%	95
Faculty members	23.93%	117
Total Respondents: 489		

Q11 Chapter Image: How would you describe the image of your chapter in your department?

Answered: 491 Skipped: 0

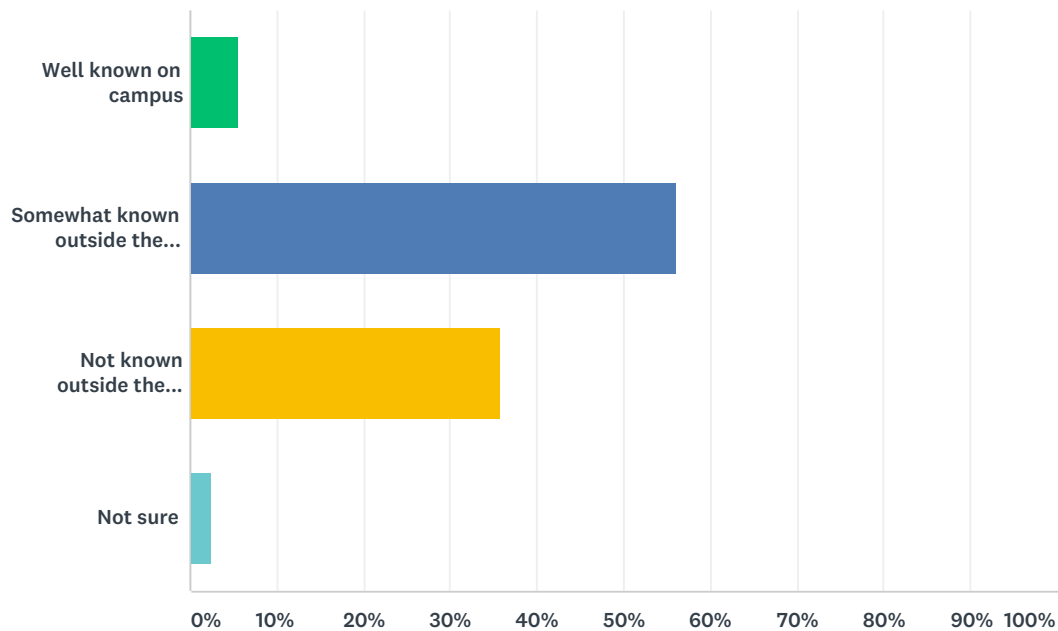


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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Excellent	47.66%	234
Good	40.73%	200
Fair	6.72%	33
Poor	1.22%	6
Not sure	3.67%	18
TOTAL		491

Q12 Chapter Image: How would you describe the image of your chapter on your campus?

Answered: 491 Skipped: 0

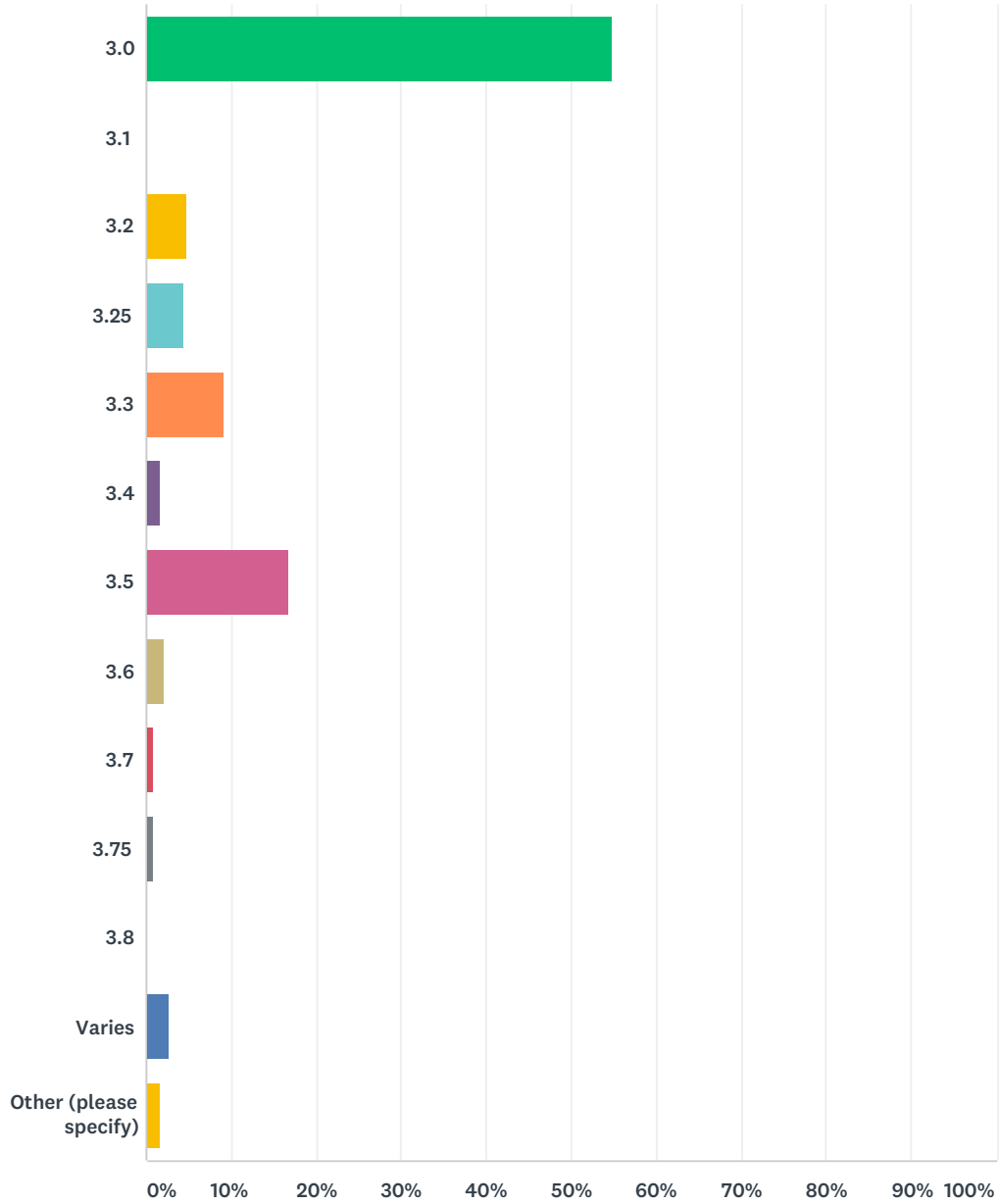


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Well known on campus	5.70%	28
Somewhat known outside the English Department	56.01%	275
Not known outside the English Department	35.85%	176
Not sure	2.44%	12
TOTAL		491

Q13 Minimum GPA-ENGLISH: What minimum GPA in ENGLISH does your chapter require for undergraduate membership?

Answered: 491 Skipped: 0

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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
3.0	54.79%	269
3.1	0.20%	1
3.2	4.89%	24
3.25	4.48%	22
3.3	9.16%	45
3.4	1.63%	8
3.5	16.70%	82
3.6	2.04%	10
3.7	0.81%	4
3.75	0.81%	4

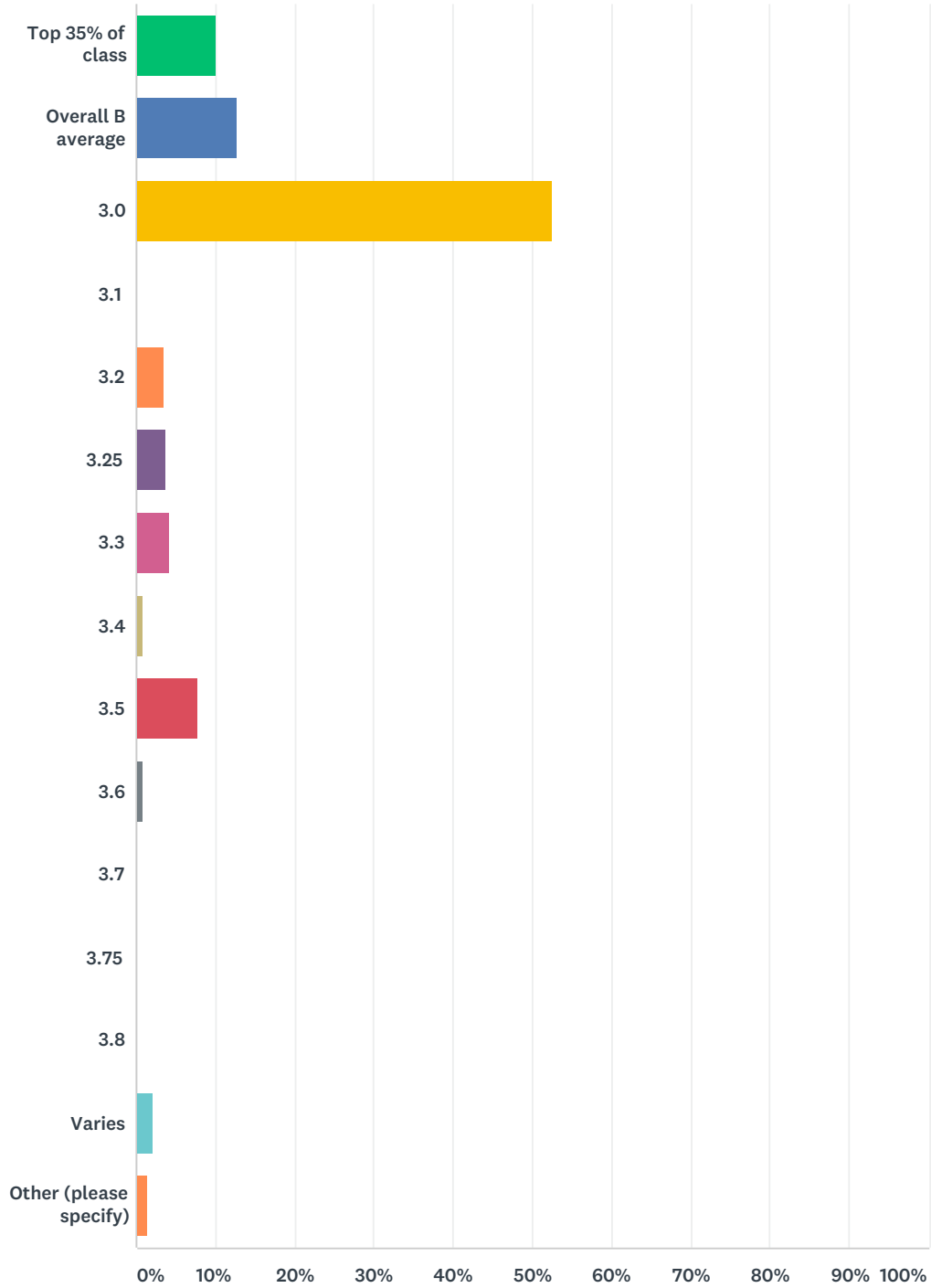
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3.8	0.20%	1
Varies	2.65%	13
Other (please specify)	1.63%	8
TOTAL		491

Q14 Minimum GPA-OVERALL: What minimum GPA OVERALL does your chapter require for undergraduate membership?

Answered: 491 Skipped: 0

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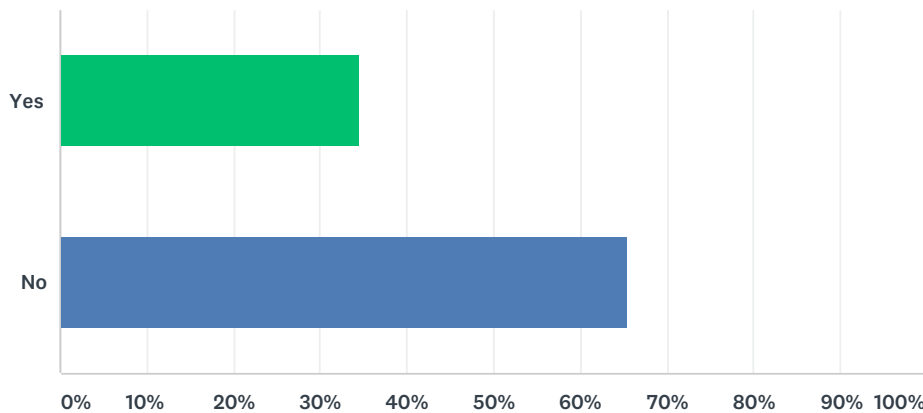
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Top 35% of class	9.98%	49
Overall B average	12.83%	63
3.0	52.55%	258
3.1	0.20%	1
3.2	3.46%	17
3.25	3.67%	18

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3.3	4.28%	21
3.4	0.81%	4
3.5	7.74%	38
3.6	0.81%	4
3.7	0.00%	0
3.75	0.20%	1
3.8	0.00%	0
Varies	2.04%	10
Other (please specify)	1.43%	7
TOTAL		491

Q15 Local Dues: Does your chapter collect local dues (in addition to the current one-time international induction fee of \$40)?

Answered: 491 Skipped: 0

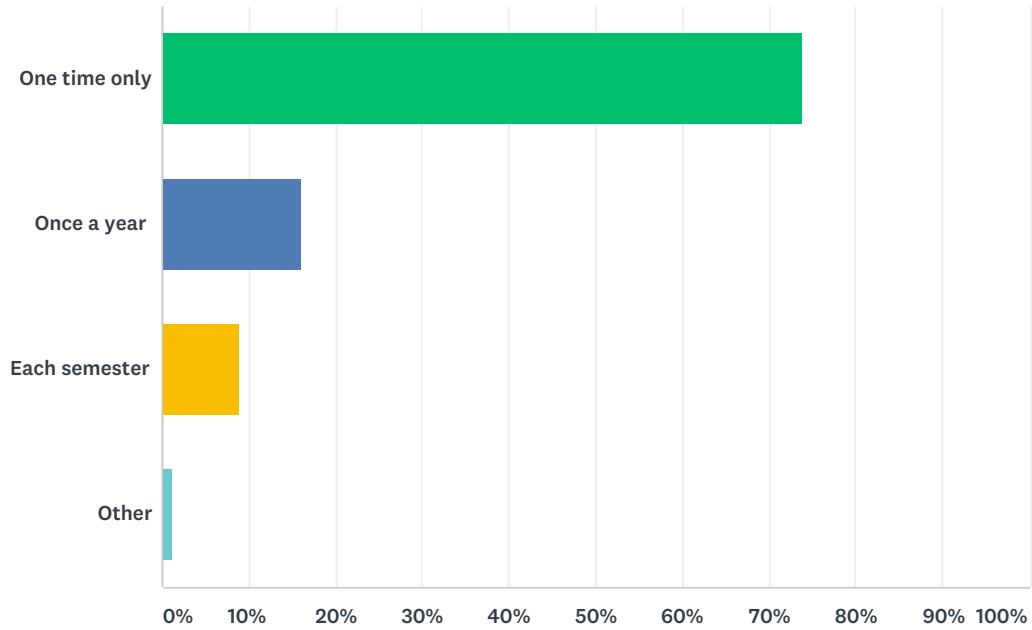


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	34.42%	169
No	65.58%	322
TOTAL		491

Q16 How often does your chapter collect local dues?

Answered: 168 Skipped: 323

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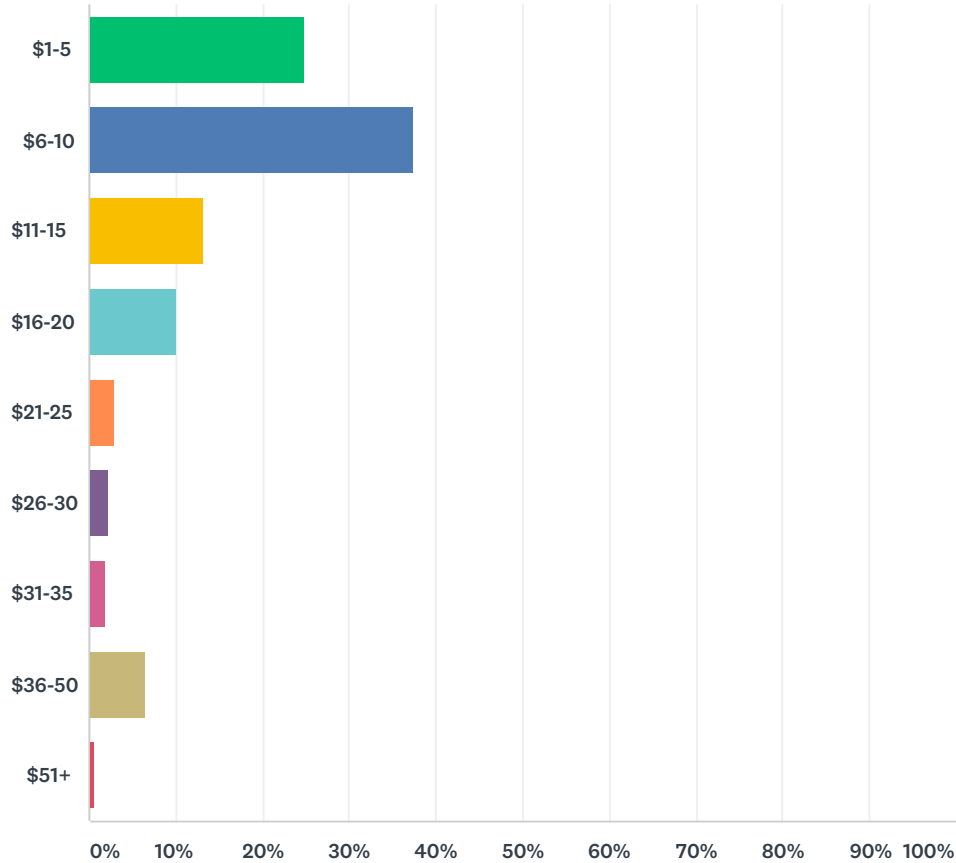


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
One time only	73.81%	124
Once a year	16.07%	27
Each semester	8.93%	15
Other	1.19%	2
TOTAL		168

Q17 How much are your chapter's local dues?

Answered: 168 Skipped: 323

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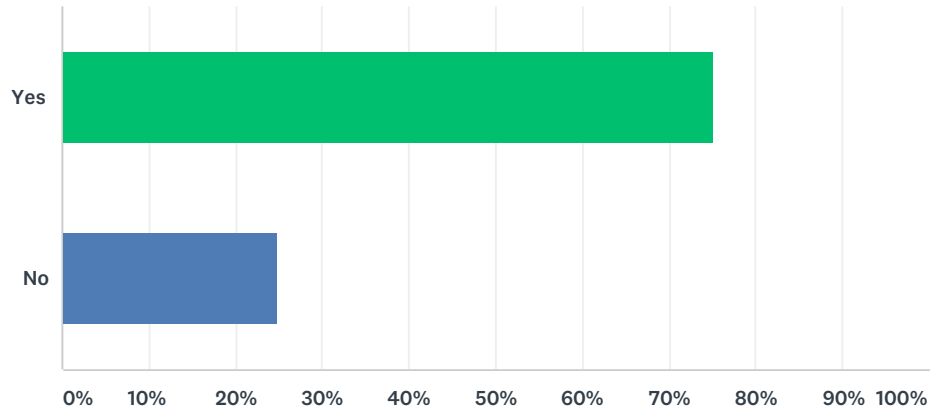


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
\$1-5	25.00%	42
\$6-10	37.50%	63
\$11-15	13.10%	22
\$16-20	10.12%	17
\$21-25	2.98%	5
\$26-30	2.38%	4
\$31-35	1.79%	3
\$36-50	6.55%	11
\$51+	0.60%	1
TOTAL		168

Q18 Did your chapter conduct any activities during the 2016-2017 academic year, either as a chapter or in partnership with others? Activities may include, but are not limited to, utilization of the Common Reader, field trips, fundraising, service, ceremonies, and publishing.

Answered: 489 Skipped: 2

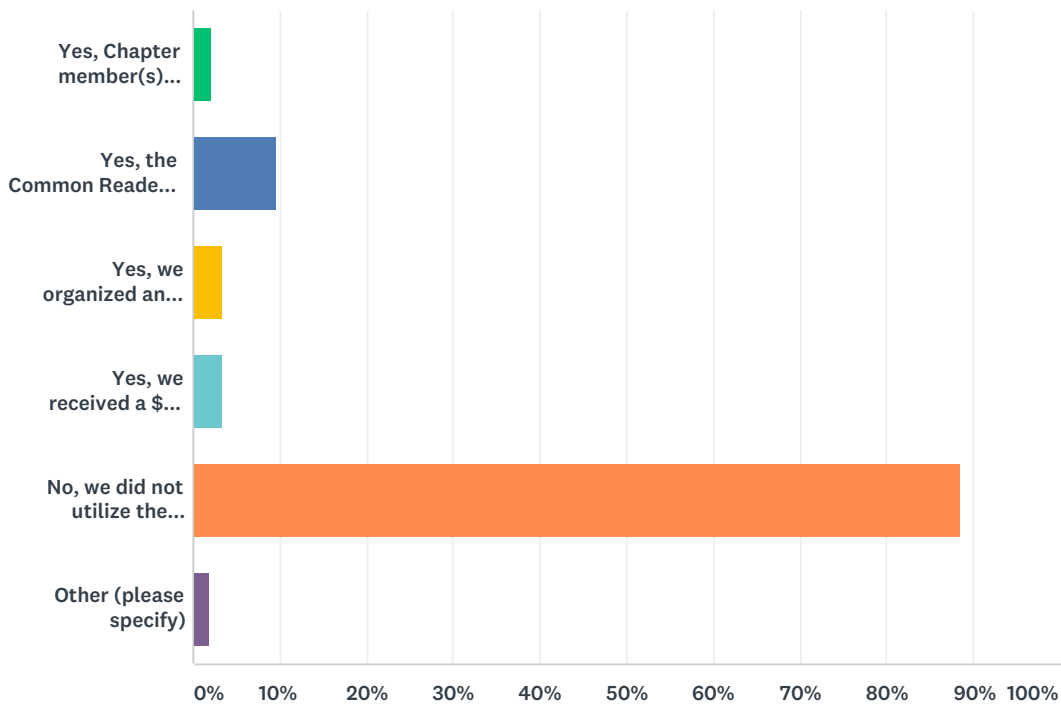
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	75.05%	367
No	24.95%	122
TOTAL		489

Q19 Common Reader: Did your chapter utilize Sigma Tau Delta's 2016-2017 Common Reader, *Almost Famous Women*, by Megan Mayhew Bergman? (Learn about the 2017-2018 Common Reader)

Answered: 367 Skipped: 124



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes, Chapter member(s) submitted work for the annual convention in the Common Reader category	2.18%	8
Yes, the Common Reader was promoted/discussed within the chapter	9.54%	35

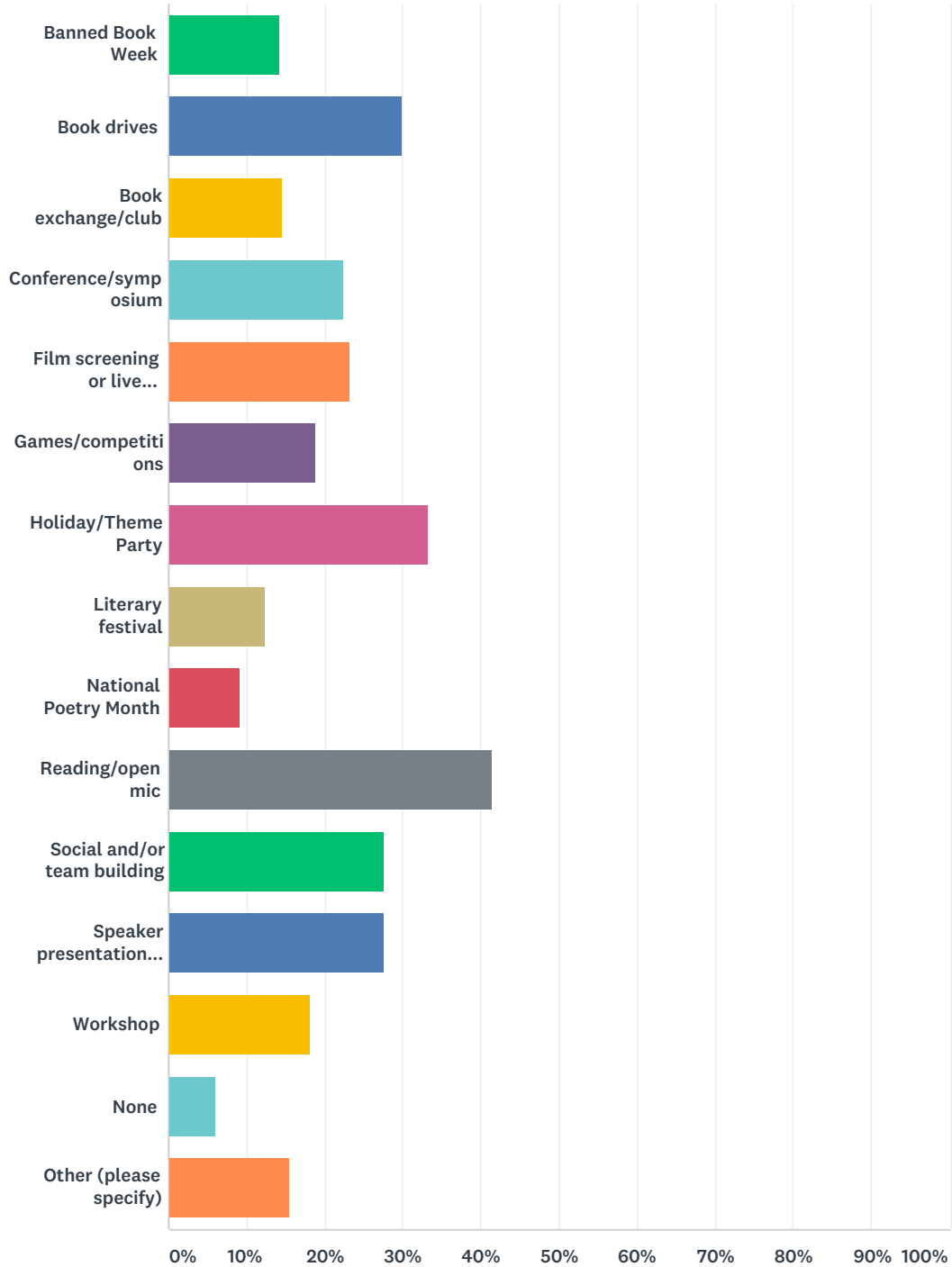
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Yes, we organized and hosted a local event or activity based on the Common Reader	3.27%	12
Yes, we received a \$100 Regents' Common Reader Award for a local event or activity based on the Common Reader	3.27%	12
No, we did not utilize the Common Reader	88.56%	325
Other (please specify)	1.91%	7
Total Respondents: 367		

Q20 Campus/Local Events (events your chapter hosted or participated in on your campus or in the local community)

Answered: 367 Skipped: 124

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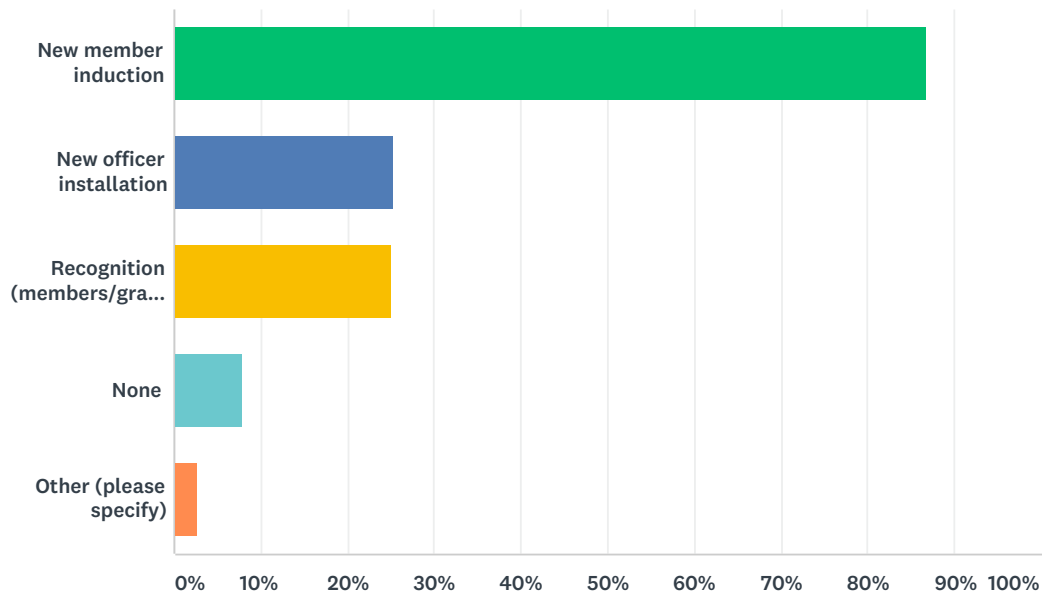
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Banned Book Week	14.17%	52
Book drives	29.97%	110
Book exchange/club	14.71%	54
Conference/symposium	22.34%	82
Film screening or live performance	23.16%	85
Games/competitions	18.80%	69

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Holiday/Theme Party	33.24%	122
Literary festival	12.26%	45
National Poetry Month	9.26%	34
Reading/open mic	41.42%	152
Social and/or team building	27.52%	101
Speaker presentation/lecture	27.52%	101
Workshop	18.26%	67
None	5.99%	22
Other (please specify)	15.53%	57
Total Respondents: 367		

Q21 Ceremonies

Answered: 366 Skipped: 125

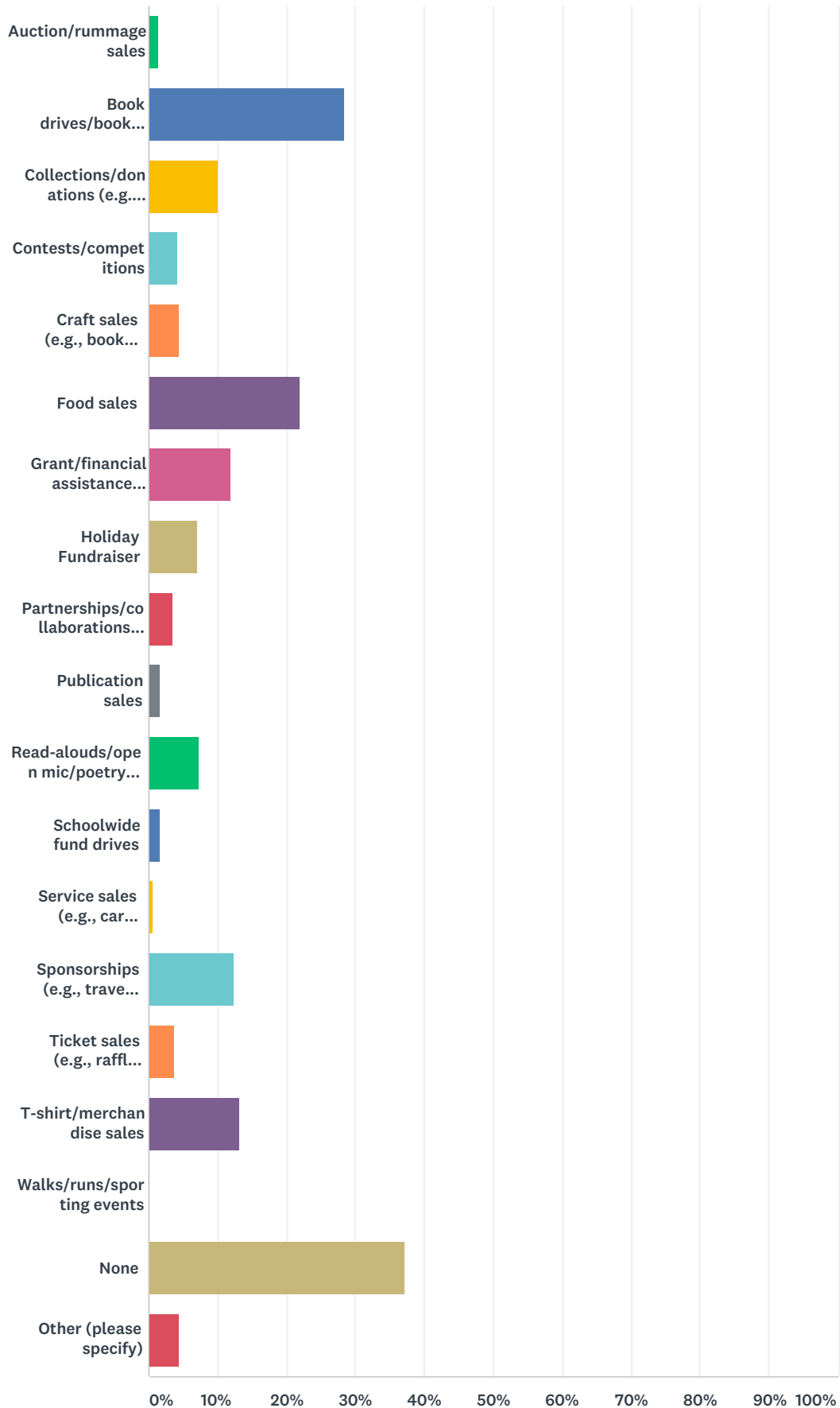


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
New member induction	86.89%	318
New officer installation	25.41%	93
Recognition (members/graduates/faculty)	25.14%	92
None	7.92%	29
Other (please specify)	2.73%	10
Total Respondents: 366		

Q22 Fundraising

Answered: 341 Skipped: 150

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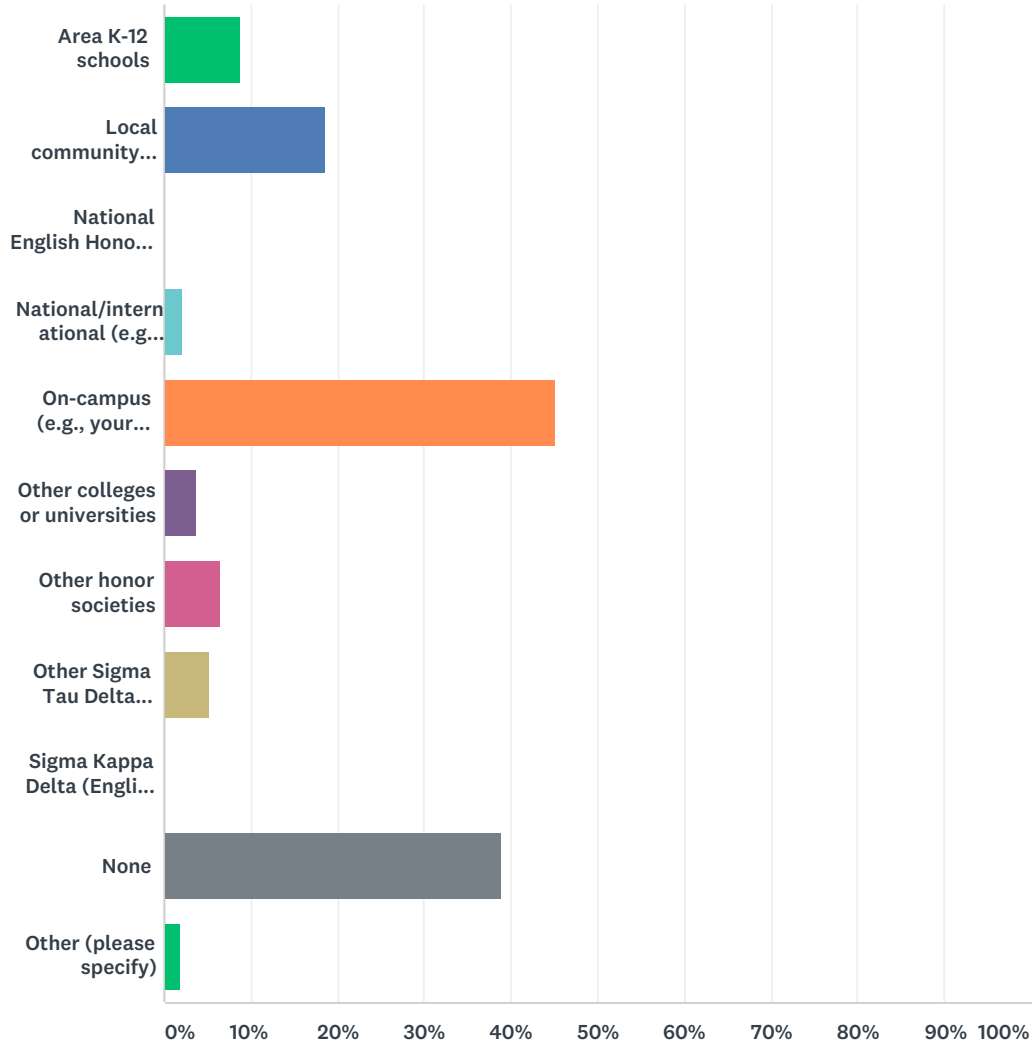
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Auction/rummage sales	1.47%	5
Book drives/book sales	28.45%	97
Collections/donations (e.g., donation jar in English Dept.)	9.97%	34
Contests/competitions	4.11%	14
Craft sales (e.g., book marks/covers/bags, cards, buttons)	4.40%	15
Food sales	21.99%	75
Grant/financial assistance applications (e.g., written request to dept., college, student government, dean)	12.02%	41
Holiday Fundraiser	7.04%	24
Partnerships/collaborations with area businesses (e.g., receipt collection, coupon resale, percentage of sales)	3.52%	12
Publication sales	1.76%	6
Read-alouds/open mic/poetry slams	7.33%	25
Schoolwide fund drives	1.76%	6
Service sales (e.g., car wash, office chores, proofreading, mentoring/tutoring, yard work)	0.59%	2
Sponsorships (e.g., travel funds from dept., school, family, friends)	12.32%	42
Ticket sales (e.g., raffles, events)	3.81%	13
T-shirt/merchandise sales	13.20%	45
Walks/runs/sporting events	0.29%	1
None	37.24%	127
Other (please specify)	4.40%	15
Total Respondents: 341		

Q23 Partnerships

Answered: 327 Skipped: 164

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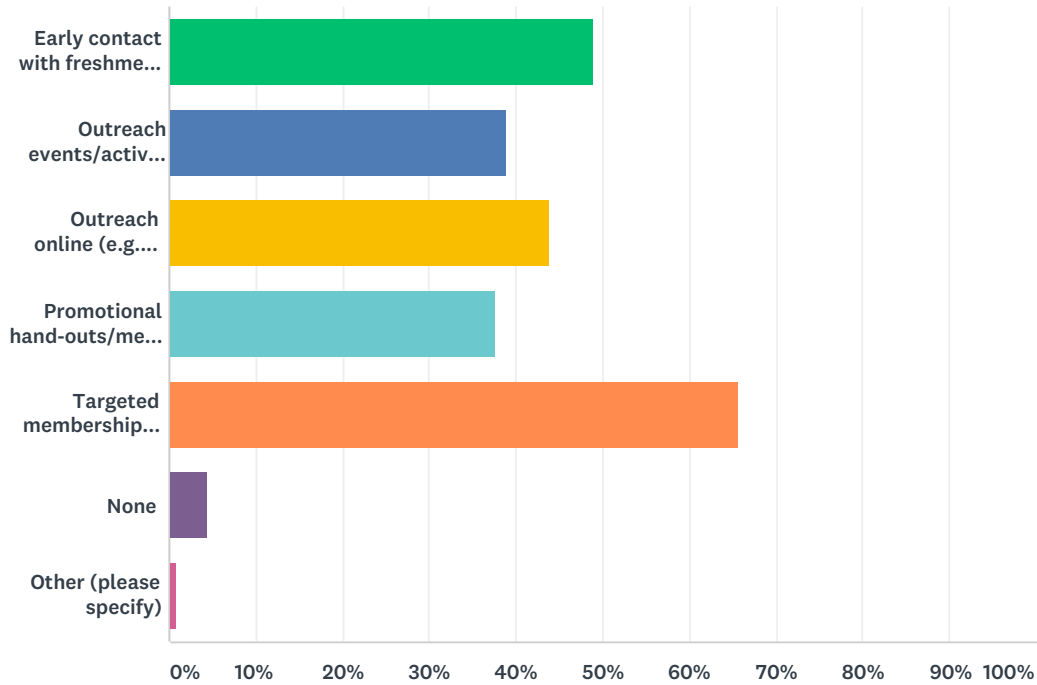


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Area K-12 schools	8.87%	29
Local community (e.g., campaigns/events, charitable organizations/programs, hospitals, libraries, nursing homes)	18.65%	61
National English Honor Society (NEHS) chapters at local high schools	0.00%	0
National/international (e.g., campaigns/events, charitable organizations/programs)	2.14%	7
On-campus (e.g., your school, other departments, other campus organizations/clubs)	45.26%	148
Other colleges or universities	3.67%	12
Other honor societies	6.42%	21
Other Sigma Tau Delta chapters	5.20%	17
Sigma Kappa Delta (English honor society for two-year colleges) chapters	0.31%	1
None	38.84%	127
Other (please specify)	1.83%	6
Total Respondents: 327		

Q24 Recruitment

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Answered: 362 Skipped: 129

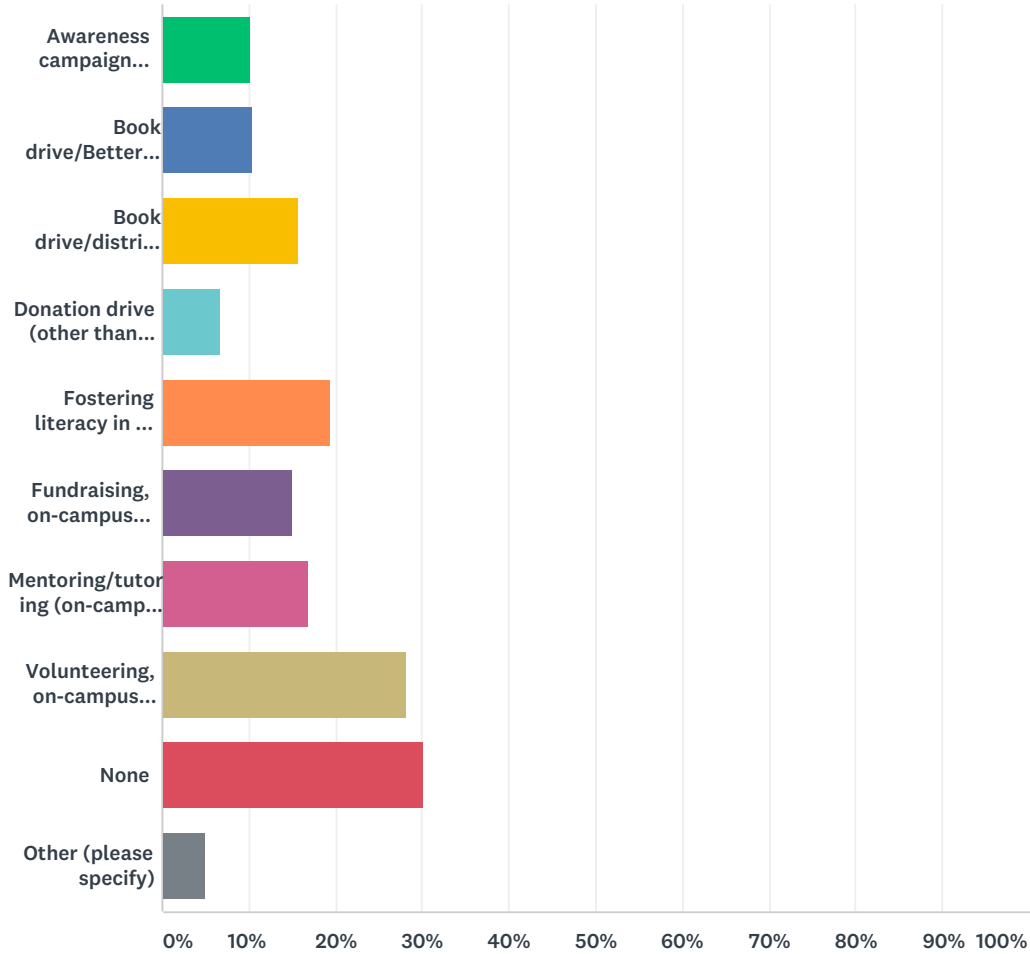


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Early contact with freshmen, sophomores, and others not yet qualified for induction at the Society level	48.90%	177
Outreach events/activities (e.g., classroom visits, exhibits at various locations/events)	38.95%	141
Outreach online (e.g., email, website, Facebook, and/or blog promotions)	43.92%	159
Promotional hand-outs/media (e.g., chapter flyer, brochure, bulletin board, display)	37.57%	136
Targeted membership drive (e.g., email, letter, or personal invitations to qualified students)	65.75%	238
None	4.42%	16
Other (please specify)	0.83%	3
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Q25 Service

Answered: 343 Skipped: 148

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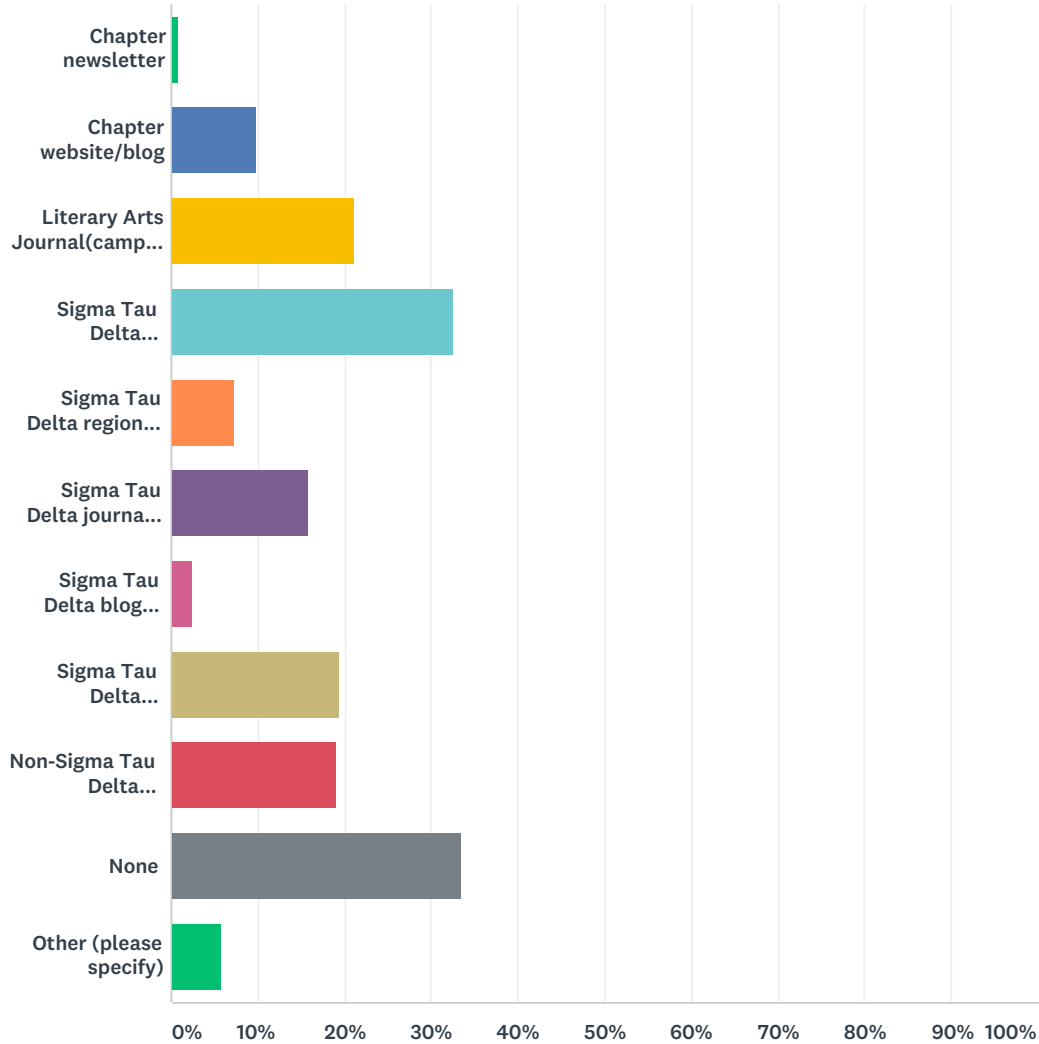


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Awareness campaign (posters, parades, campus activism, etc.)	10.20%	35
Book drive/Better World Books (BWB)	10.50%	36
Book drive/distribution (other than BWB)	15.74%	54
Donation drive (other than books)	6.71%	23
Fostering literacy in the community, schools, etc.	19.53%	67
Fundraising, on-campus and/or community (e.g., school/departments/campus organizations)	15.16%	52
Mentoring/tutoring (on-campus, off-campus, and/or community)	16.91%	58
Volunteering, on-campus and/or community (e.g., charitable causes/programs/organizations)	28.28%	97
None	30.03%	103
Other (please specify)	4.96%	17
Total Respondents: 343		

Q26 Writing and Publishing

Answered: 346 Skipped: 145

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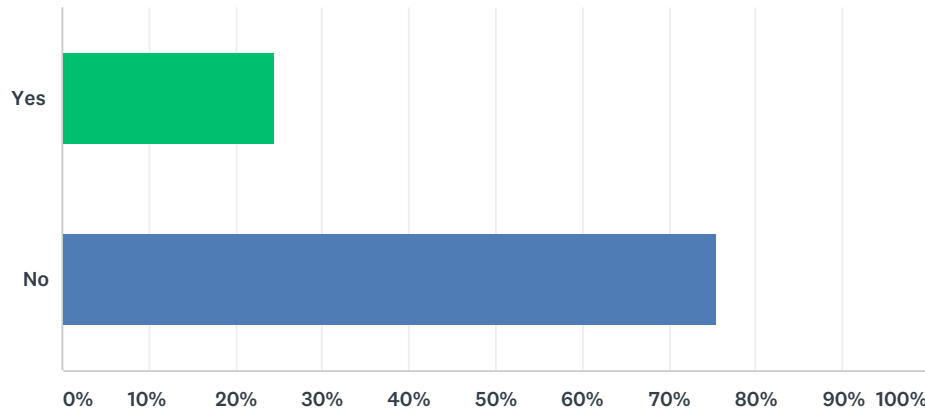


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Chapter newsletter	0.87%	3
Chapter website/blog	9.83%	34
Literary Arts Journal(campus literary publication) with Sigma Tau Delta members involved in its production	21.10%	73
Sigma Tau Delta international convention submissions	32.66%	113
Sigma Tau Delta regional conference submissions	7.23%	25
Sigma Tau Delta journal submissions (The Rectangle; The Review)	15.90%	55
Sigma Tau Delta blog submissions (e.g., chapter spotlights, event write-ups, advice articles, etc.)	2.60%	9
Sigma Tau Delta scholarship/award/grant applications	19.36%	67
Non-Sigma Tau Delta paper/article submissions	19.08%	66
None	33.53%	116
Other (please specify)	5.78%	20
Total Respondents: 346		

Q27 Do you know about the Sigma Tau Delta Noteworthy Activities

database?

Answered: 365 Skipped: 126



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	24.38%	89
No	75.62%	276
TOTAL		365

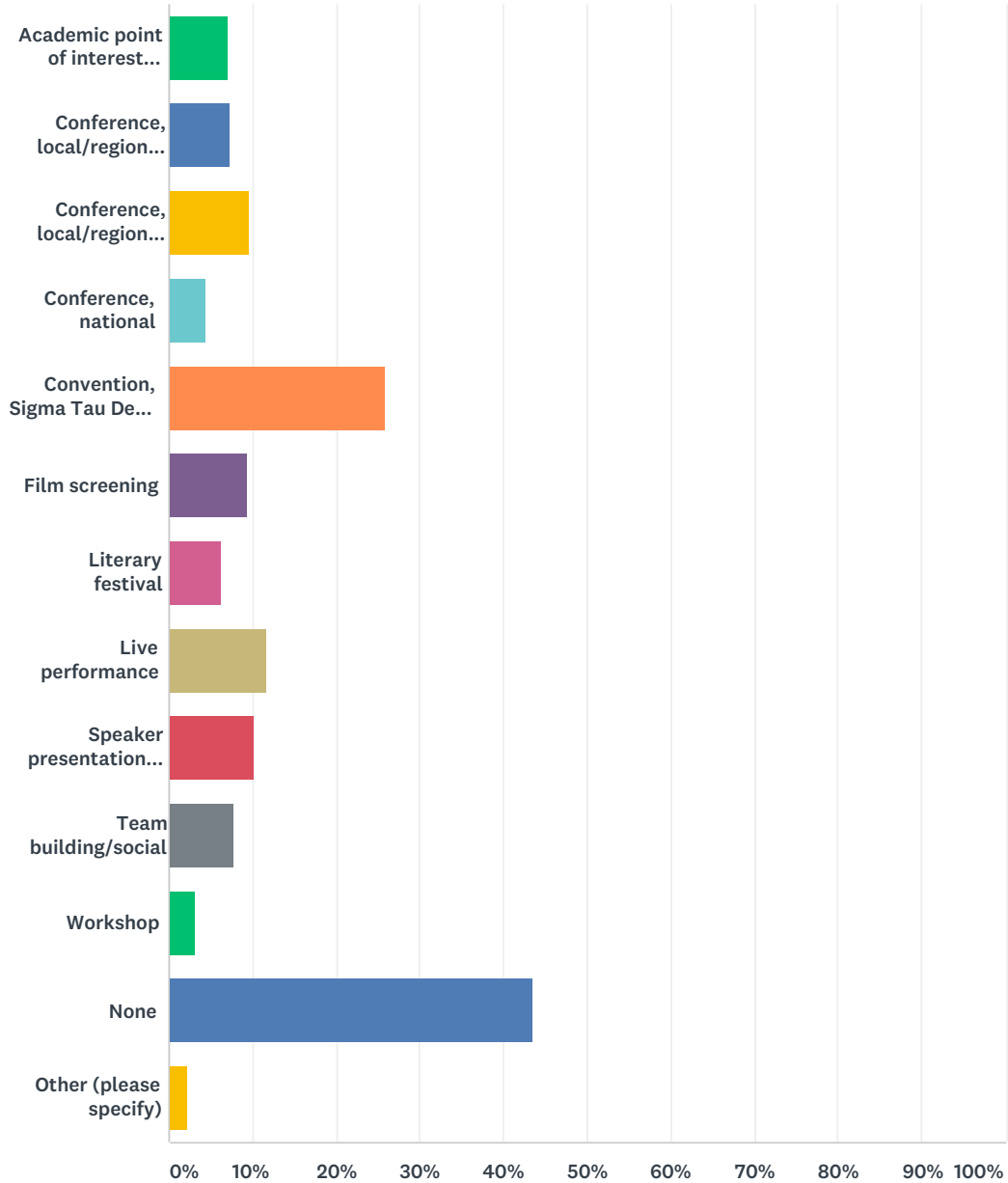
Q28 Most Noteworthy Activity: Please share your chapter's single most noteworthy 2016-2017 activity, including a brief description of how the activity was carried out and what impact it had on students and/or the community. Activities that are innovative, unique, and/or particularly noteworthy to the Society as a whole may be added to a searchable database in the Chapter Life section of Sigma Tau Delta's website.

Answered: 210 Skipped: 281

Q29 Field Trips

Answered: 340 Skipped: 151

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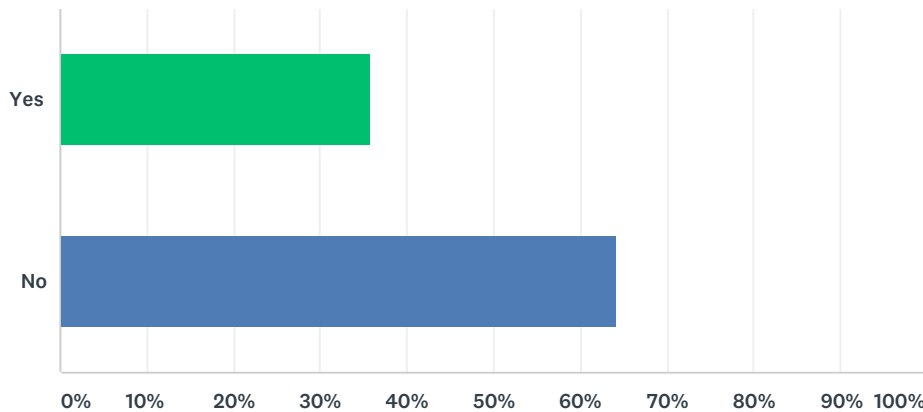
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Academic point of interest (library, museum, author birthplace, etc.)	7.06%	24
Conference, local/regional (Sigma Tau Delta)	7.35%	25
Conference, local/regional (other)	9.71%	33
Conference, national	4.41%	15
Convention, Sigma Tau Delta International	25.88%	88
Film screening	9.41%	32
Literary festival	6.18%	21
Live performance	11.76%	40
Speaker presentation/lecture	10.29%	35
Team building/social	7.65%	26

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Workshop	3.24%	11
None	43.53%	148
Other (please specify)	2.35%	8
Total Respondents: 340		

Q30 Field Trips: Sigma Tau Delta 2017 International Convention: Did anyone from your chapter attend this year's international convention March 29-April 1 in Louisville, KY?

Answered: 366 Skipped: 125

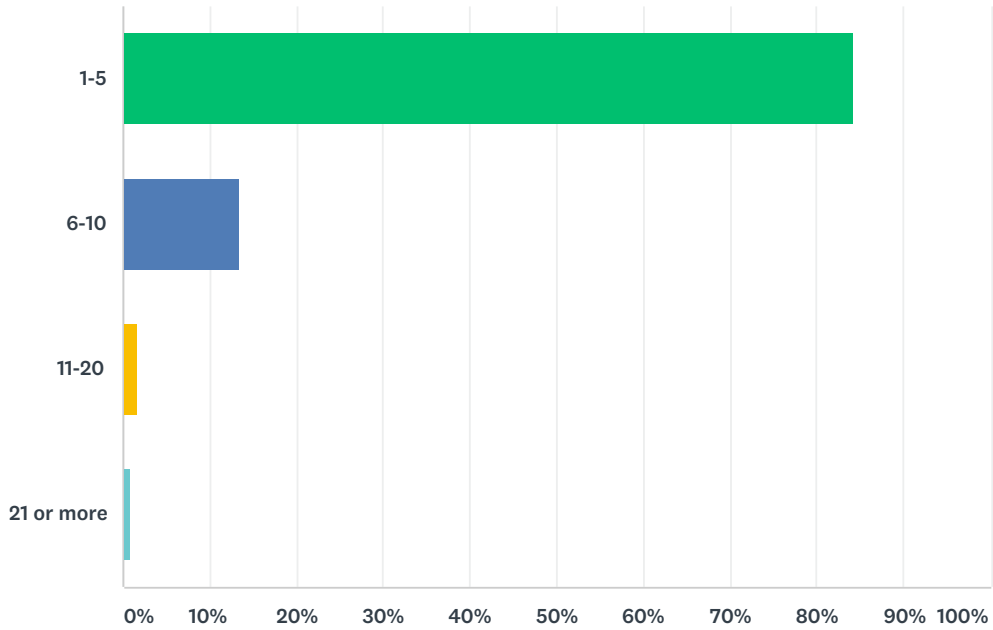


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Yes	35.79% 131
No	64.21% 235
TOTAL	366

Q31 How many student members from your chapter attended the 2017 Convention?

Answered: 127 Skipped: 364

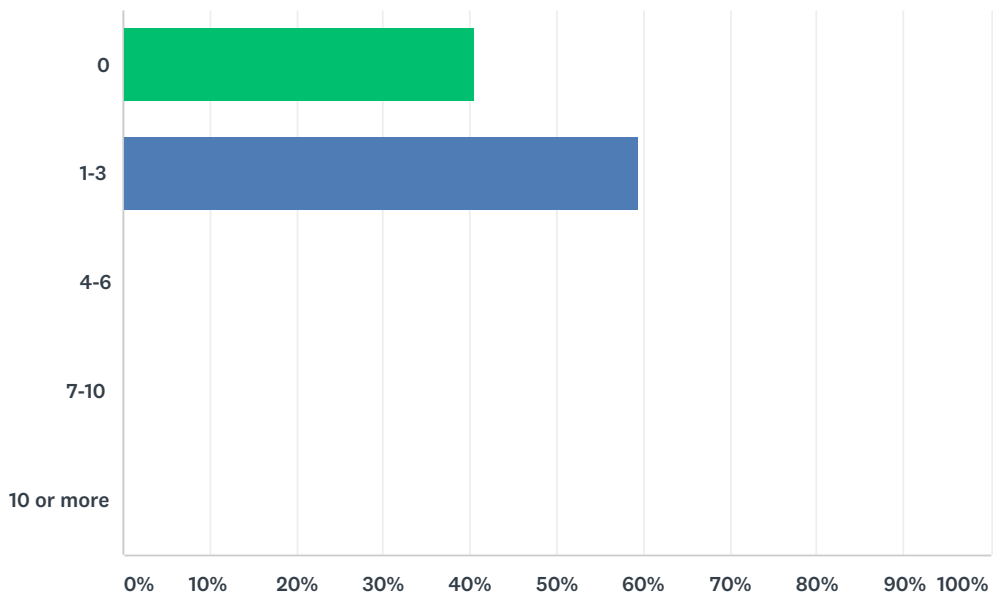
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
1-5	84.25% 107
6-10	13.39% 17
11-20	1.57% 2
21 or more	0.79% 1
Total Respondents: 127	

Q32 How many faculty members from your chapter/school attended the 2017 Convention?

Answered: 133 Skipped: 358

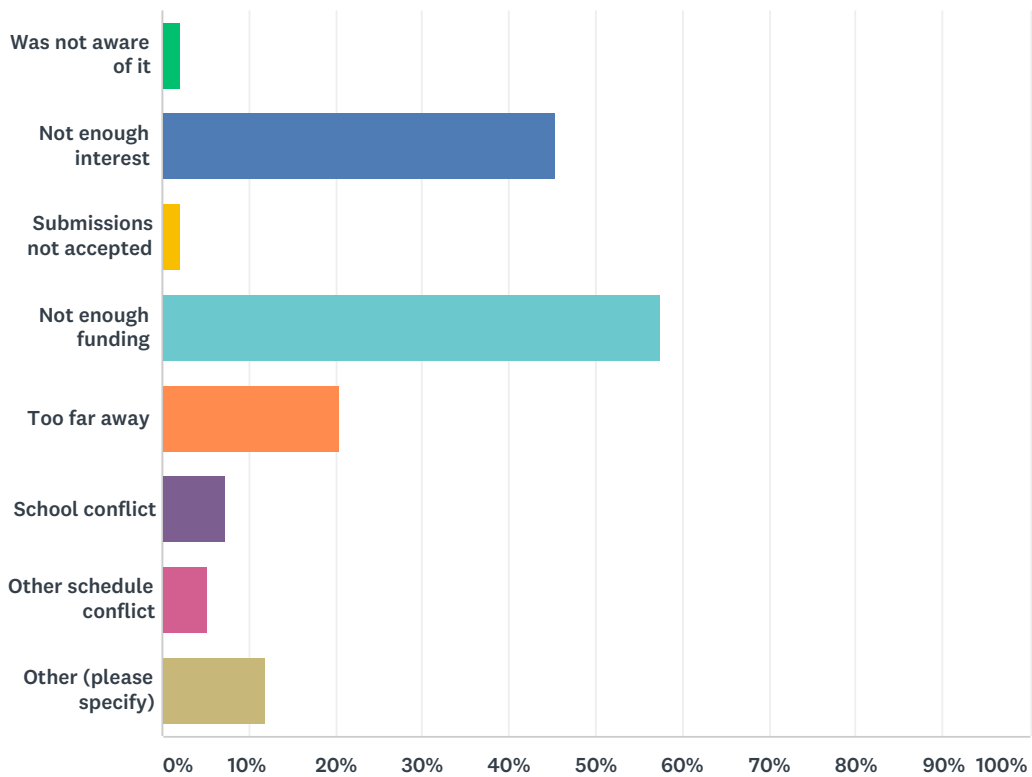


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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
0	40.60%	54
1-3	59.40%	79
4-6	0.00%	0
7-10	0.00%	0
10 or more	0.00%	0
Total Respondents: 133		

Q33 Field Trips: Why was your chapter unable to attend the convention?
(Check all that apply.)

Answered: 233 Skipped: 258



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Was not aware of it	2.15%	5
Not enough interest	45.49%	106
Submissions not accepted	2.15%	5
Not enough funding	57.51%	134
Too far away	20.60%	48
School conflict	7.30%	17
Other schedule conflict	5.15%	12

Other (please specify)

12.02%

28

Total Respondents: 233

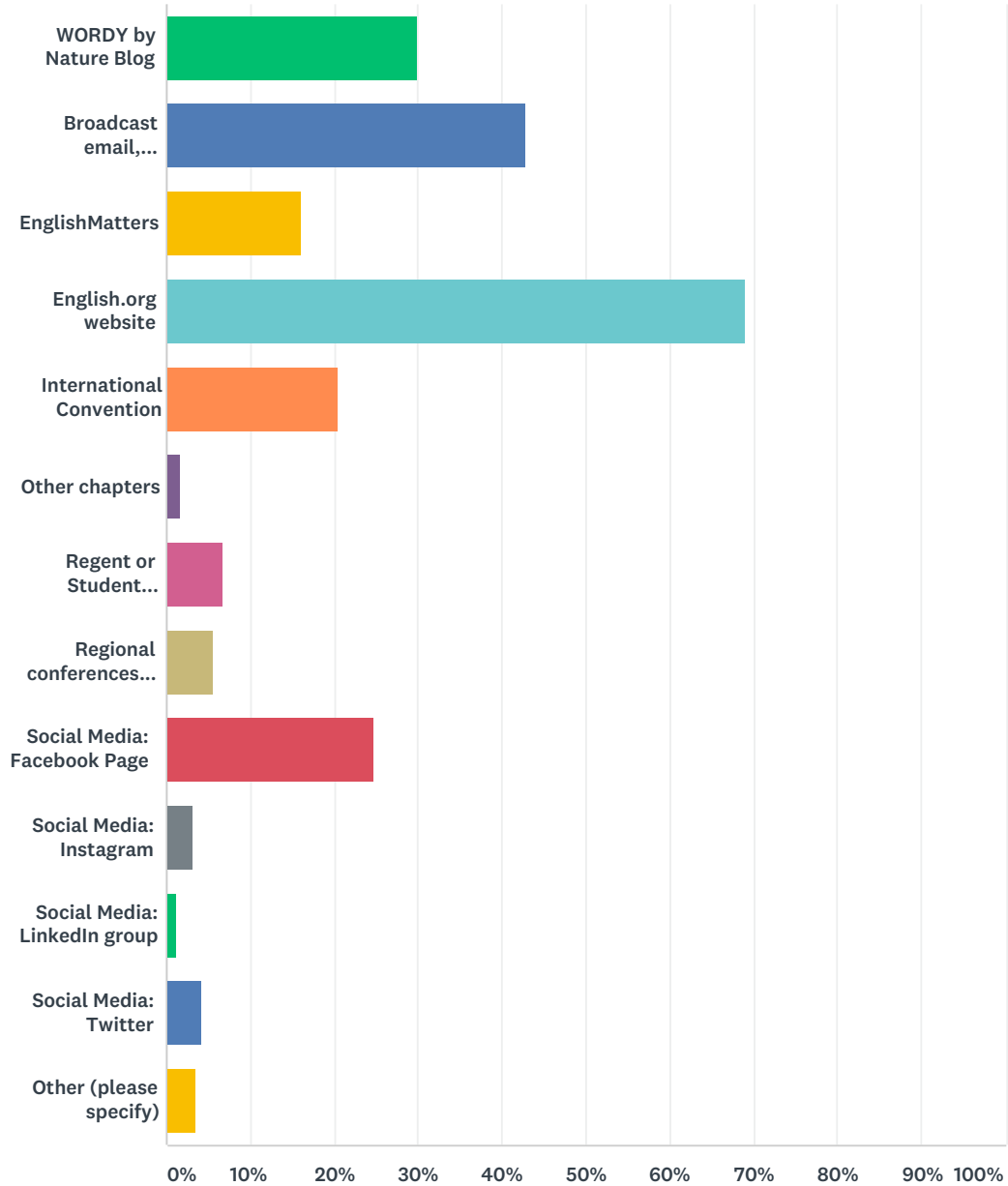
Q34 What could Sigma Tau Delta do to assist your chapter with travel to the 2018 Convention in Cincinnati, Ohio?

Answered: 116 Skipped: 375

Q35 Sigma Tau Delta Resources: From which of these Sigma Tau Delta sources does your chapter currently access Society news/information/resources?(Check all that apply.)

Answered: 487 Skipped: 4

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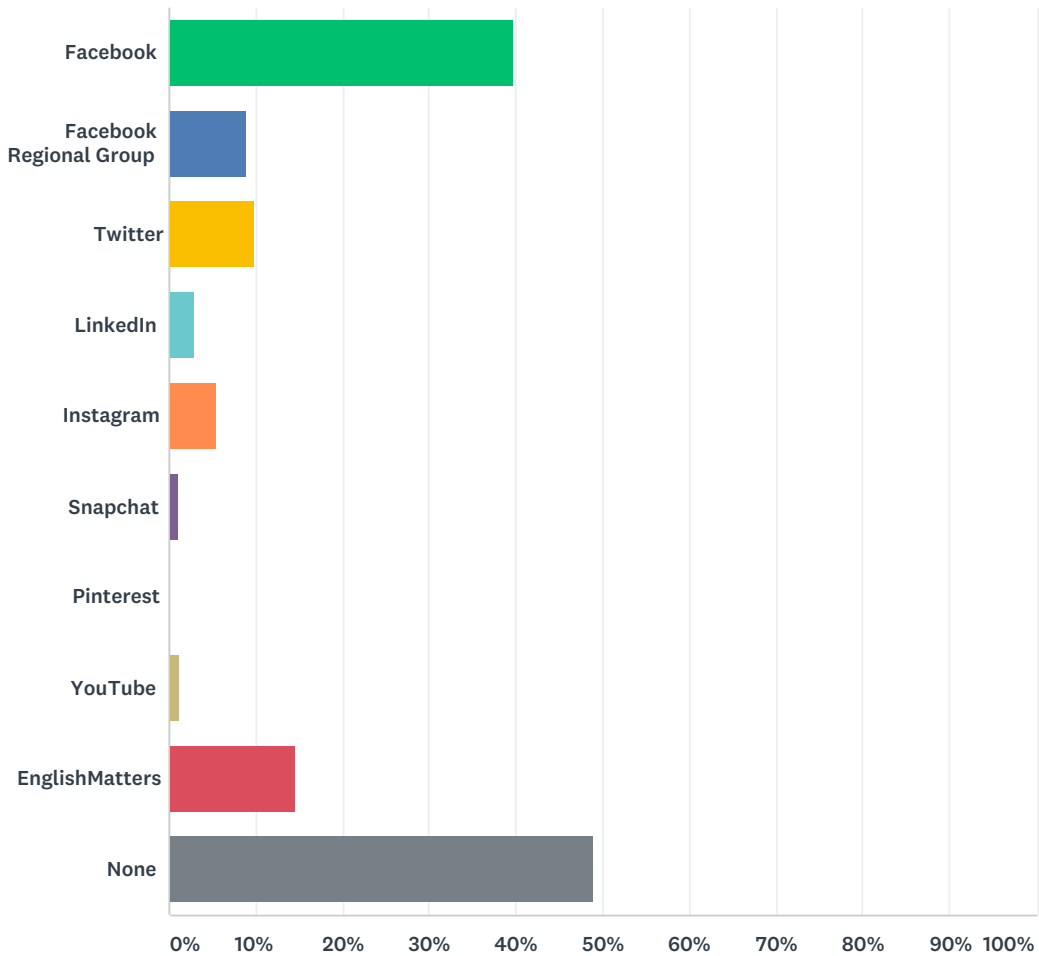
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
WORDY by Nature Blog	29.98%	146
Broadcast email, including eNews	42.92%	209
EnglishMatters	16.02%	78
English.org website	68.99%	336
International Convention	20.53%	100
Other chapters	1.64%	8
Regent or Student Representatives	6.78%	33
Regional conferences and/or events	5.75%	28
Social Media: Facebook Page	24.64%	120
Social Media: Instagram	3.08%	15

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Social Media: LinkedIn group	1.23%	6
Social Media: Twitter	4.11%	20
Other (please specify)	3.49%	17
Total Respondents: 487		

Q36 Which Sigma Tau Delta social media platforms do you follow?

Answered: 466 Skipped: 25



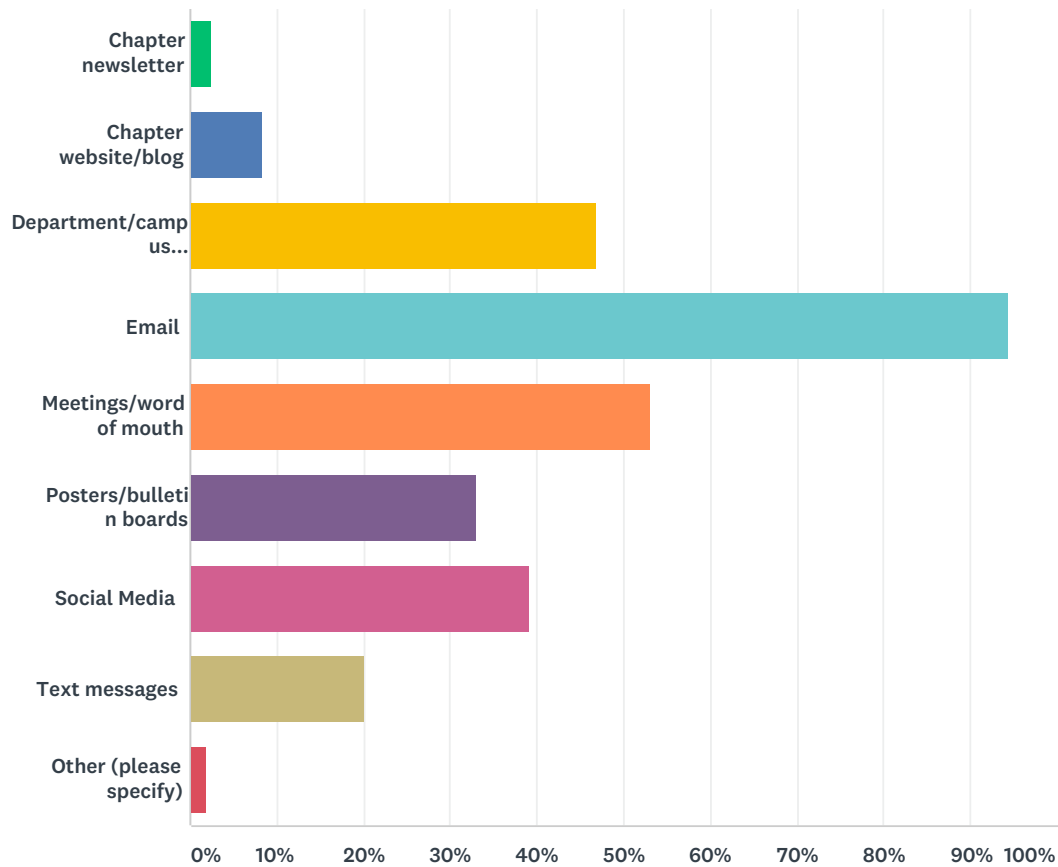
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Facebook	39.70% 185
Facebook Regional Group	9.01% 42
Twitter	9.87% 46
LinkedIn	3.00% 14
Instagram	5.36% 25
Snapchat	1.07% 5
Pinterest	0.21% 1

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YouTube	1.29%	6
EnglishMatters	14.59%	68
None	48.93%	228
Total Respondents: 466		

Q37 Chapter Communications: Which of the following ways do you and your chapter use to communicate with chapter members and/or to share information about your chapter with others? (Check all that apply.)

Answered: 487 Skipped: 4



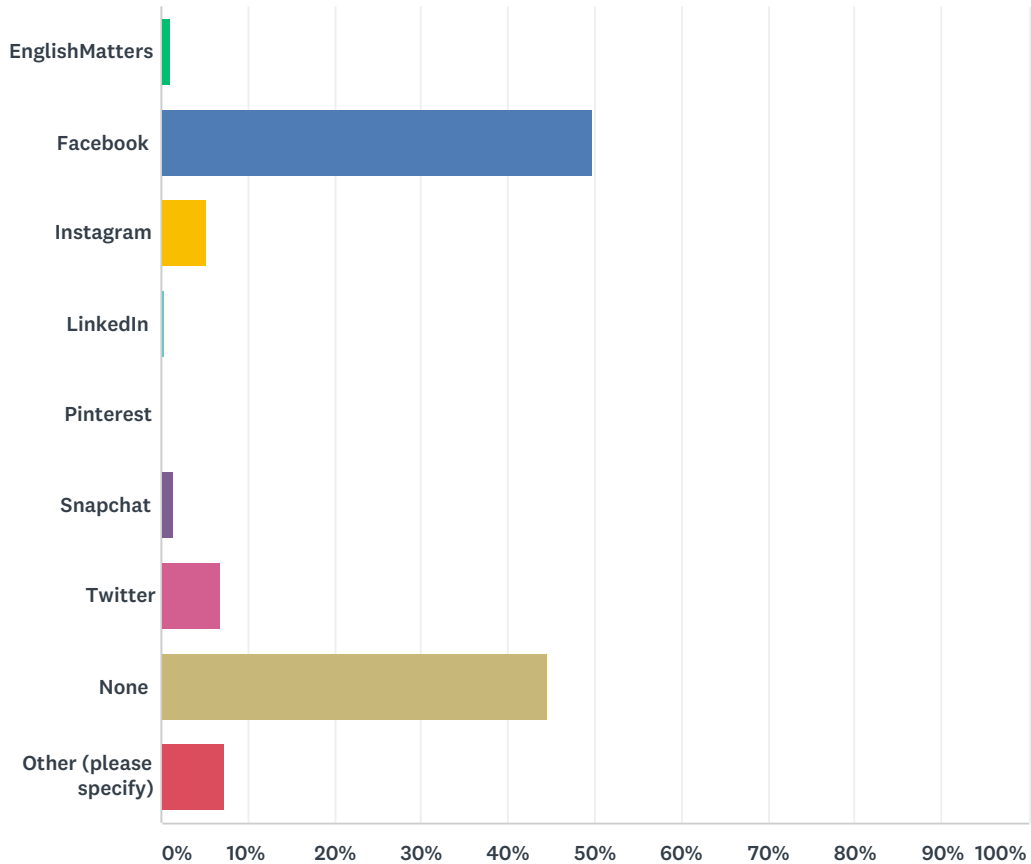
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Chapter newsletter	2.46% 12
Chapter website/blog	8.42% 41
Department/campus communications	46.82% 228
Email	94.46% 460
Meetings/word of mouth	53.18% 259
Posters/bulletin boards	33.06% 161
Social Media	39.22% 191
Text messages	20.12% 98

Other (please specify) 1.85% 9

Total Respondents: 487

Q38 What social media platforms does your chapter use to communicate with your chapter members? (Check all that apply.)

Answered: 469 Skipped: 22



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
EnglishMatters	1.07%	5
Facebook	49.89%	234
Instagram	5.33%	25
LinkedIn	0.43%	2
Pinterest	0.21%	1
Snapchat	1.49%	7
Twitter	6.82%	32
None	44.56%	209
Other (please specify)	7.25%	34
Total Respondents: 469		

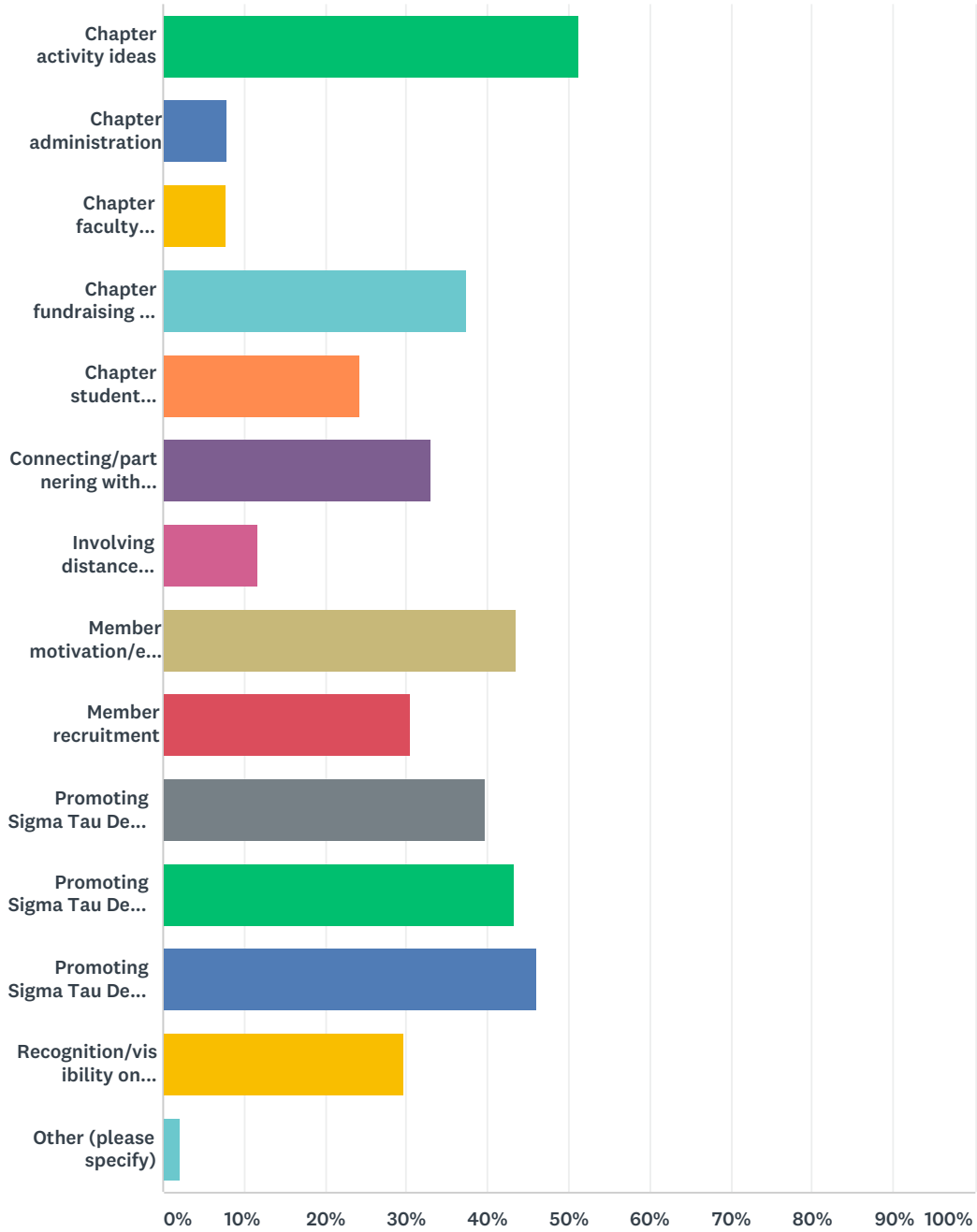
Q39 (Optional) Please provide the URLs for your chapter website, blog, online journal, and/or other sites you would like to share with your Sigma Tau Delta regional representatives as well any social media handles.

Answered: 41 Skipped: 450

Q40 Guidance: Please check areas where your Sigma Tau Delta Regent, Student Representatives, Board of Directors, and/or the Central Office could be of assistance to your chapter. (Check all that apply.)

Answered: 374 Skipped: 117

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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Chapter activity ideas	51.34%	192
Chapter administration	8.02%	30
Chapter faculty leadership	7.75%	29
Chapter fundraising or service project ideas	37.43%	140
Chapter student leadership	24.33%	91
Connecting/partnering with other chapters	33.16%	124
Involving distance (online) and/or commuter students	11.76%	44
Member motivation/engagement	43.58%	163

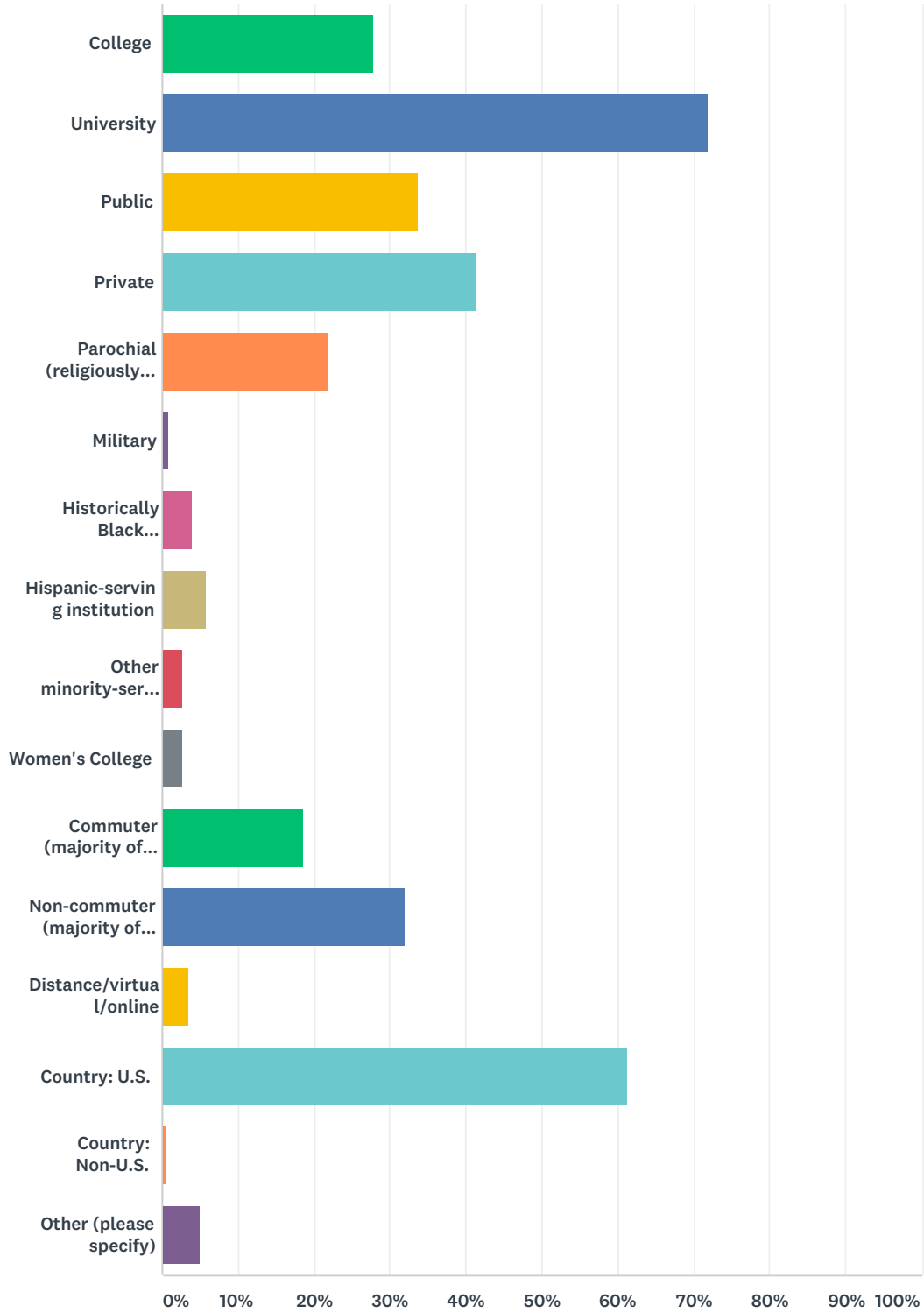
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Member recruitment	30.48%	114
Promoting Sigma Tau Delta convention/conference opportunities	39.84%	149
Promoting Sigma Tau Delta publishing opportunities	43.32%	162
Promoting Sigma Tau Delta scholarship and award opportunities	45.99%	172
Recognition/visibility on campus	29.68%	111
Other (please specify)	2.14%	8
Total Respondents: 374		

Q41 School Information: Please tell us how you would describe your school. (Check all that apply.)

Answered: 487 Skipped: 4

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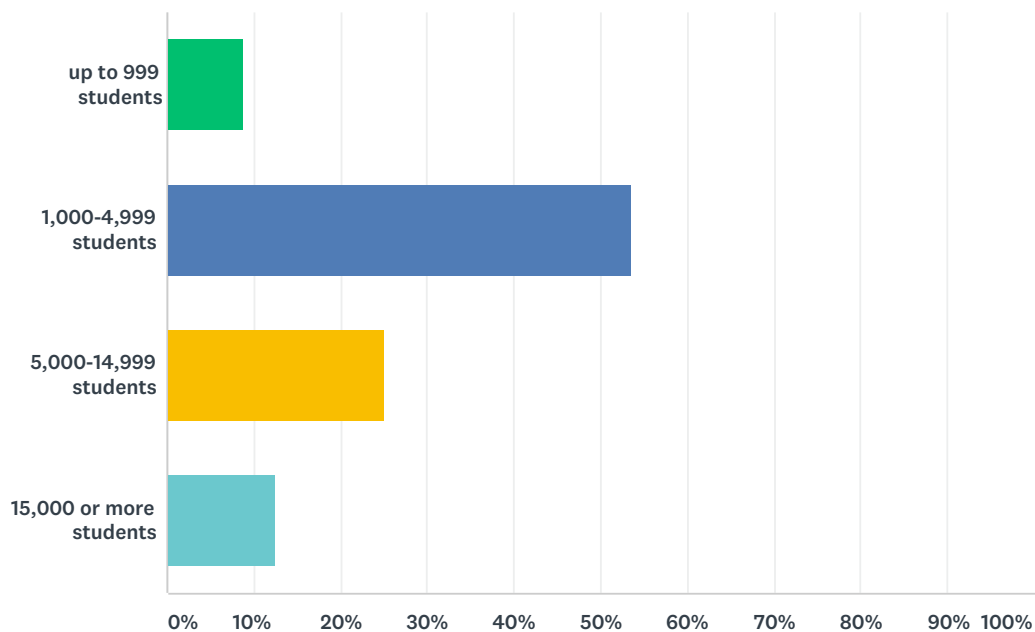
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
College	27.72%	135
University	71.87%	350
Public	33.68%	164
Private	41.48%	202
Parochial (religiously affiliated)	21.97%	107

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Military	0.82%	4
Historically Black College/University (HBCU)	3.90%	19
Hispanic-serving institution	5.95%	29
Other minority-serving institution	2.67%	13
Women's College	2.67%	13
Commuter (majority of students live off-campus and commute to school)	18.69%	91
Non-commuter (majority of students live on or near campus)	32.03%	156
Distance/virtual/online	3.49%	17
Country: U.S.	61.40%	299
Country: Non-U.S.	0.62%	3
Other (please specify)	4.93%	24
Total Respondents: 487		

Q42 School Information: Please describe the enrollment at your school.

Answered: 486 Skipped: 5



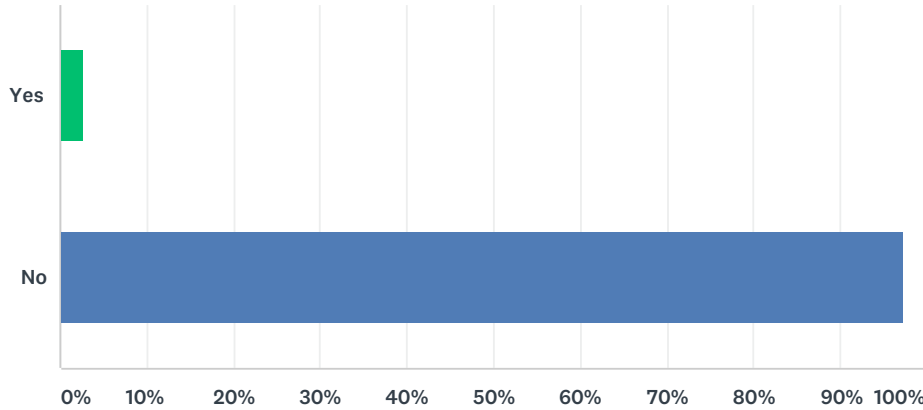
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
up to 999 students	8.85% 43
1,000-4,999 students	53.50% 260
5,000-14,999 students	25.10% 122
15,000 or more students	12.55% 61
TOTAL	486

Q43 (Optional) Any additional comments/questions:

Answered: 16 Skipped: 475

Q44 Does your chapter plan to apply for the Outstanding Chapter Award? (Application due date: June 15, 2017)

Answered: 487 Skipped: 4



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	2.67%	13
No	97.33%	474
TOTAL		487