Example Graduate Advising Survey

How often do you have contact with your advisor in person?

⃝ Once per semester or less

⃝ 2-3 times per semester

⃝ Once per month

⃝ 2-3 times per month

⃝ Once per week

⃝ More than once per week

How often do you have contact with your advisor by email or phone?

⃝ Once per semester or less

⃝ 2-3 times per semester

⃝ Once per month

⃝ 2-3 times per month

⃝ Once per week

⃝ More than once per week

How quickly does your advisor typically respond to emails / phone calls?

⃝ Within 24 hours

⃝ Within 2-3 days

⃝ Within a week

⃝ 2-3 weeks

⃝ Within a month

⃝ Over a month

⃝ Never

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|  | Strongly disagree | Disagree | Slightly disagree | Slightly agree | Agree | Strongly agree |
| My advisor is easy to make an appointment with. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor shows up for scheduled meetings / appointments. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor is knowledgeable about academic and graduation requirements. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor assists me in finding solutions to problems I have encountered in the program. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor is knowledgeable about careers in my field. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor encourages me to contact them for help. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor assists me in setting short-term and long-term goals. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor provides enough time in meetings to answer questions and discuss my needs. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor considers my personal abilities, talents, and interests when advising me about courses or programs of study. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor takes a personal interest in me. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor listens and respects me as an individual. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| I would feel comfortable talking with my advisor about personal issues / concerns that may or may not pertain to academics. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
|  | Strongly disagree | Disagree | Slightly disagree | Slightly agree | Agree | Strongly agree |
| My advisor provides assistance in relating my academic program to my career goals. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor provides timely feedback on my written work. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor provides constructive suggestions and criticism about my research. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor encourages and motivates me. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| My advisor connects me to other professionals or scholars in the field. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| If my advisor does not know the answer to one of my questions, (s)he makes the effort to connect me to someone who does. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| I would recommend my advisor to other students. | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |