

Burriss Central Leadership Program Evaluation Feedback Executive Summary

Family Feedback (13 responses)

- 92% were very satisfied (12 responses), 8% (1 response) was satisfied
- Student Impact
 - Respondents indicated the program increased their student's communication skills, enhanced their confidence, and increased their involvement.
- Suggested Improvement
 - Meeting in person (although all noted that it was understandably virtual this year)
 - Providing tips / tactics on how to interact with community organizations.
 - Proving more structure to the group project
- What Would They Share About This Experience?
 - Respondents discussed the value of community service, navigating group work, personal growth, and networking with other schools
- Did the Program Impact Student Leadership Ability?
 - All responses were affirmative.
- Other Comments
 - Comments included praise for the program is structure, compliments on pivoting to virtual, and positive impressions of student group responses.

Student Feedback (10 responses)

- 60% were very satisfied (6 responses), 40% (4 responses) were satisfied.
- 100 % of respondents agreed, or strongly agreed with the following statements:
 - The group projects were a good use of time and help me utilize the tools learned from throughout the program.
 - This program increased my leadership ability.
 - This program should be repeated in the future.
- 100 % of respondents rated the following elements as exceptional, or good:
 - Curriculum (The Things I Learned)
 - Instruction (How Well Mitch Taught)
 - Networking (The Chance to Get to Know Other Students)
 - Overall Experience
- What Did They Enjoy Most About the Program?
 - Meeting new people, helping the community, and developing a project were common themes

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- Suggestions to Improve the Program
 - Many did not have any suggested changes
 - The most common suggestion was holding the program in person next year
 - Other suggestions include more advice on group projects and how to connect with the community
- Suggestions for Program Recruitment
 - There was no clear theme here. Responses truly varied.
- How Do You Explain this Program to Other People?
 - Responses varied but common themes include learning more about themselves, the value of gaining others input, the need to work as a team the importance of role modeling, and how to work in a group
- What Did This Program Teach You About Leadership?
 - Responses varied but common themes include value of communication, the need for creating buy-in among a group, how to interact with those who are different, and faith in their own ability to lead.
- Other Comments
 - Many expressed gratitude for the program and their appreciation for the “teachers.”