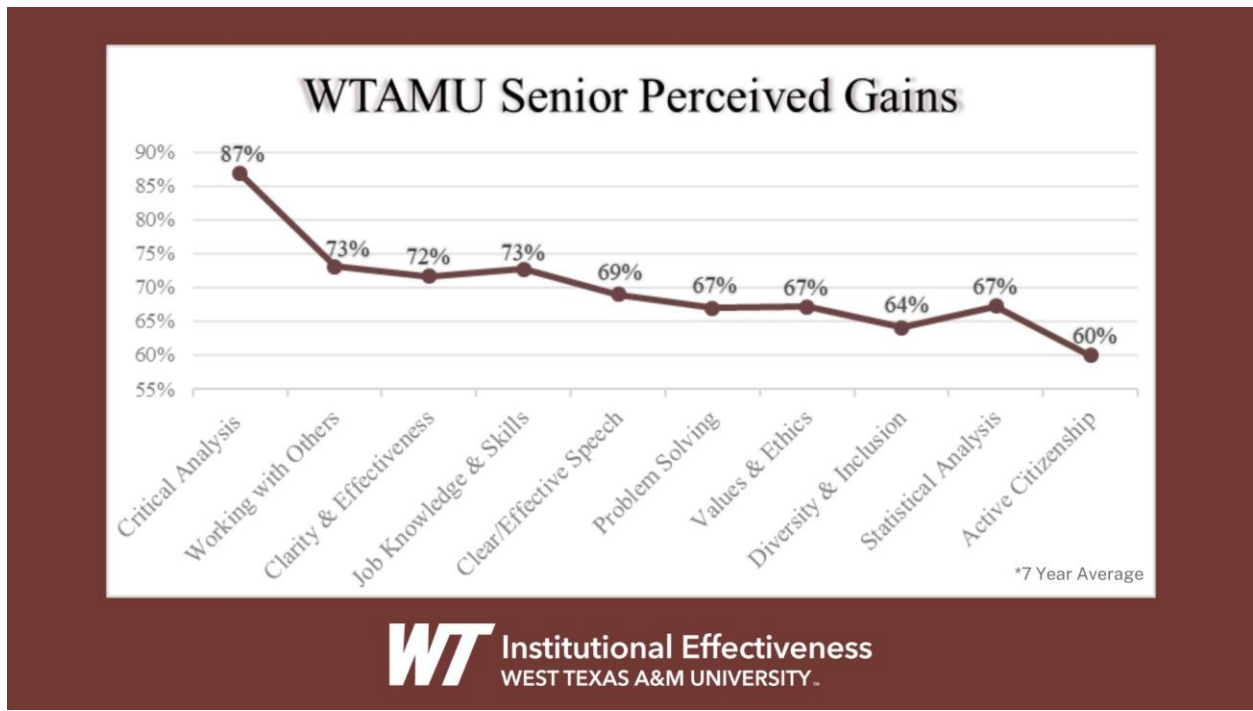


How Students Assess Their WT Experience

Students at WT perceive their cognitive and affective development traits, along with their satisfaction with our institution and provide some useful evidence (data) regarding their educational experiences through questions pulled from the National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE). This survey is offered each fall to Freshmen and Seniors alike in order for the Institutional Effectiveness office to provide pre/post analysis of overall student understanding. Listed below are the average results taken from seniors surveyed over a seven-year span and analyzed longitudinally.

This report can be a strong tool for faculty and staff alike to utilize as we seek to understand the ups and downs of our students' experiences.

NSSE Senior Perceived Gains



The value of this data is evident. The NSSE survey is perhaps the most important survey offered each year at the university. Work is being done and incentives are offered to increase student participation. Any help that WT faculty and staff can give in encouraging participation can only improve the effectiveness of this vital information.