

National Assessment of Service and Community Engagement (NASCE)



What is the NASCE?

The NASCE instrument asks students about their participation in community service across 9 areas of human need.

- Civic Participation/Promoting public awareness (e.g. voter awareness, human rights, refugees & immigration, public safety)
- Economic Opportunity, Access, and Development (e.g., tax assistance, job training, fair trade)
- Environmental (e.g. local clean-up, environmental advocacy)
- Working to promote Health or Fitness (e.g. donating blood, visiting the sick, raising money to combat a disease)
- Youth (e.g. tutoring, coaching, working on a toy drive)
- Addressing Homelessness or Housing (e.g. Habitat for Humanity, Affordable Housing)
- Elder Care (e.g. adopt a grandparent, nursing home)
- Addressing Hunger or Nutrition issues (e.g. soup kitchen, food drive)
- Religious or Spiritual service (e.g. teaching a Sunday School class, mission work)

When is the NASCE?

The survey launches at OU on **October 8th** and is open until **October 19th**.

Why should students take the NASCE?

Any activity, including internships and work study, in which you participate with the goal of providing, generating and/or sustaining help for individuals and groups who have unmet human needs in areas like shelter, health, nutrition, education, and opportunity are measured in the NASCE.

Also, students will have many opportunities to win prizes once they complete the survey. Prizes include:

- OU –themed prizes (hoodies, baseball caps, PopSockets, mobile wallets)
- Reserved study room in the library during finals week

How can students take the NASCE?

- Emails sent directly to their OU email from 'NASCE at OU'
- Cell phones via QR-code located across campus
- At the OC – October 10th and 18th

How can I learn more about the NASCE?

Visit <https://scri.siena.edu/nasce/>