PLNU LoveWorks Program Assessment Report for 2019

Team Leader Assessment: Assessed by holistic rubric.

89 student participants assessed.

Student's ability to be a good team member (a, d): 75% satisfactory or above

Target: 99.4% of the students score a satisfactory or higher. Target met in 2019.

Student's ability to write and give a testimony about how God has been at work in their life (a, b): 75% satisfactory or above

Target: 100% of the students score a satisfactory or higher. Target met in 2019.

Student's ability to be culturally sensitive and appropriate (a, b, d): 75% satisfactory or above

Target: 98.9% of the students score a satisfactory or higher. Target met in 2019.

Student's ability to respect the wisdom and leadership of hosts (a, b, c): 75% satisfactory or above

Target: 100% of the students score a satisfactory or higher. Target met in 2019.

Host Assessment: Assessed by holistic rubric.

Team's ability to work together (a, d): 75% satisfactory or above

Target: 89% of the teams whose host responded to our survey (9) score well or very well. Target met in 2019.

Team's ability to share their testimonies about how God has been at work in their life (a, b): 75% satisfactory or above

Target: 86% of the teams whose host responded to our survey (7) score well or very well. Target met in 2019.

Team's cultural sensitivity and appropriateness in their behavior or attitudes (a, b, d): 75% satisfactory or above

Target: 100% of the teams whose host responded to our survey (9) score well or very well. Target met in 2019.

Team's respect for host's wisdom and leadership (a, b, c): 75% satisfactory or above

Target: 89% of the teams whose host responded to our survey (9) score well or very well. Target met in 2019.

Student Self-Assessment: Assessed by post-trip survey.

Students will demonstrate an ability to function as effective team members (a, d).

Criteria for success: 75% of the team will have rated the team as performing well or very well.

Assessment result: 84% of student respondents (74 respondents out of 92 participants) rated their team as performing well or very well. Target met in 2019.

Students will create a testimony that articulates how they have witnessed God at work in the world (a, b).

Survey question: Did you share your faith story/testimony during the trip?

Response: "No." 35.6%

"Yes, I shared it with the team." 21.9%

"Yes , I shared it with the team and others." 42.5%

Above data is from 73 respondents out of 92 participants.

Students will demonstrate cultural sensitivity in their behavior (a, b, c).

Criteria for success: 75% of the team will have rated the team as performing well or very well.

Assessment result: 93% of student respondents (74 respondents out of 92 participants) rated their team as performing well or very well. Target met in 2019.

Students will demonstrate respect for the wisdom and leadership ability of their hosts (a, b, d).

Criteria for success: 75% of the team will have rated the team as performing well or very well.

Assessment result: 97% of student respondents (74 respondents out of 92 participants) rated their team as performing well or very well. Target met in 2019.

Program Director Assessment: Assessed by post-trip survey free response scoring by director.

Students will demonstrate an ability to function as effective team members (a, d).

This program outcome is not measured by free response scoring.

Students will create a testimony that articulates how they have witnessed God at work in the world (a, b).

Free Response: What is the thing that you wanted your audience to remember after hearing your testimony?

Criteria for success: 75% of the participants will be able to state the main point of their testimony.

Result: 77% of the 47 students who shared their testimony (out of 73 student respondents from 92 participants) are able to state the main point of their testimony. Target met in 2019.

Free Response: How has God moved in your life or taught you something new through this LoveWorks experience?

Criteria for success: 75% of the participants will be able to articulate how they have seen the work of God in this experience.

Result: 78% of student respondents (73 respondents out of 92 participants) are able to articulate how they have seen the work of God in this experience. Target Met in 2019.

Students will demonstrate cultural sensitivity in their behavior (a, b, c).

This program outcome is not measured by free response scoring.

Students will demonstrate respect for the wisdom and leadership ability of their hosts (a, b, d).

Free Response: What did you learn from your hosts?

Criteria for success: 75% of the students will be able to articulate at least one thing that they learned from their hosts.

Result: 95% of student respondents (74 respondents out of 92 participants) are able to articulate at least one thing that they learned from their hosts. Target met in 2019.