



Student Survey Mastering Physics and MyLab Math

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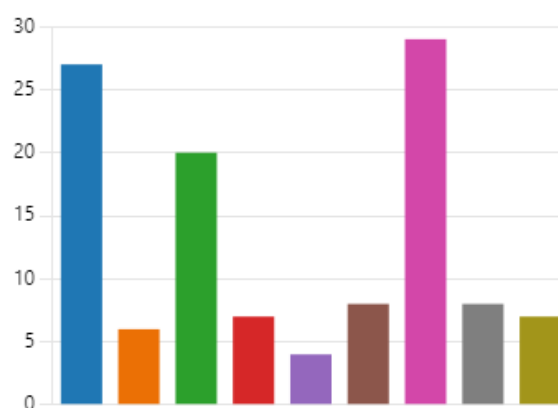
The survey was conducted at the **International University of Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina**. 37 students gave answers to questions about their experiences with the Pearson platforms **Mastering Physics and MyLab Math** used in their courses. Using the learning management systems was **optional** for students.

Resources

Most students told us they use free online materials and e-books to prepare for lectures and exams. The third most popular materials were course notes.

What resources do you usually use to support you in your studies?

	Ebooks	27
	Library book	6
	Course notes	20
	Only lectures	7
	New paper-based course textbo...	4
	Pearson platform	8
	Online PDF and free web material	29
	Second-hand paper book	8
	Other	7



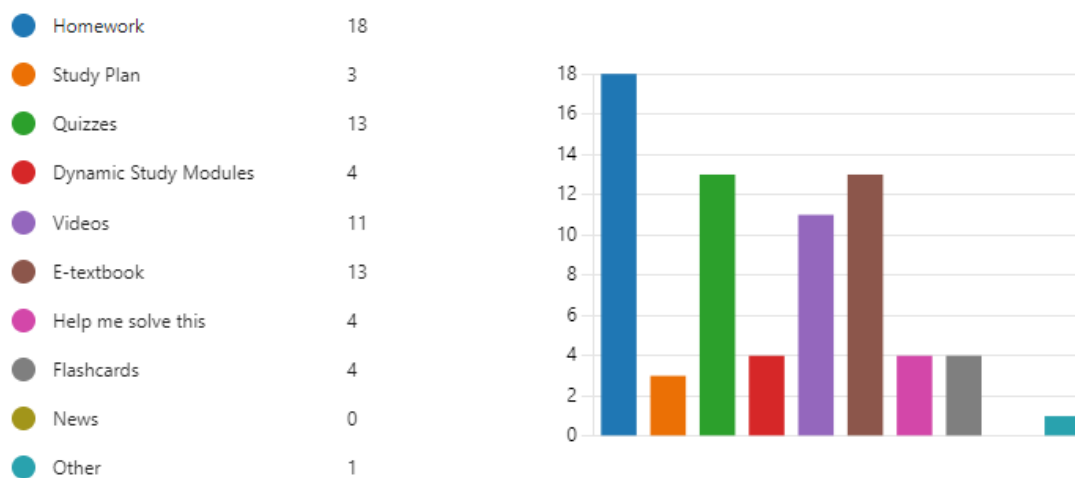
66.6% answered that they used the eTextbook to prepare for exams.
66.7% said they used the interactive tools in the eTextbook.

Interactive features

There are many interactive features in the MyLab and Mastering platforms that help independent learning. These include - Homework, Study Plan (customisable practice tool), Dynamic Study Modules (personalised self-testing tool), quizzes, videos, flashcards to help memorise the key terms, “Help me solve this” (for step-by-step explanation of a solution process).

Students said homework, quizzes, eTextbooks and video features were most useful to them in their learning.

Which platform feature(s) stood out as the most useful for you?



The most valued elements

The majority of students (60%) appreciated the feedback from the Pearson platform tools and the way it improved their understanding of the subject.

The answers show the same results on the question about how helpful the Pearson platform was to revise for the exams.



Pearson

Student feedback

If you used the Pearson platform in your studies what was your experience?

"It helped me in my studies."

"It helped me understand concepts better and helped me pass physics."

"It was fun and helpful to use."

"It helped me with Calculus, because exercises were well explained, step by step."

"Mostly positive, ... the short summaries, proofs of theories and in-depth explanations helped. The book helps more with understanding theory."

"I found it useful and inexpensive."

"The videos and explanations are good."

How did you feel digital resources like the Pearson platform compare to traditional books/ebooks and study material shared by your instructors to pass your course?

"It's easier to access."

"It is better organised."

"It is possible to be used anywhere."

"It is easier to find things."

"They have great solutions and videos unlike hard copy books."

"They were easier to navigate."

"It has videos, homework, quizzes and it gives me feedback, unlike traditional books."

"Pearson is more interactive, so it makes studying easier."

*"There are algorithms that immediately check whether our answer is correct
There are well prepared."*

"It's much better because of the visual aid it's really good for subjects that require that like physics."

"It's not a bad way to get extra preparation, but I personally find e-books much more helpful."

"It is good and easier to use."

"I find digital books more effective than standard traditional books."



Pearson



Student feedback

How did the Pearson platform contribute to your results in the final exam?

"It got me better results."

"Very well, as I mentioned it helped me pass the Physics course."

"It helped me get higher results and come more prepared."

"It helped me understand certain topics better."

"It helped a lot because it had similar questions that we got on the final exam."

"It definitely did contribute well, since I had difficulties in understanding some topics."

"It increased the resources I can reach easily."

"It for sure helped."

"For Physics greatly, for Calculus a little bit as well."

"It did help me understand any uncertainties regarding the basic material."

"It was helpful for Physics."

For more information please visit

Mastering Physics

<https://www.pearson.com/en-gb/higher-education/products-services/mastering/mastering-physics.html>

MyLab Math

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