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Complete 18 Missions in 40 Minutes

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**Student Reaction**

**Do you plan to use the library as a student?**

**BEFORE:** 23% weren’t sure  **AFTER:** Only 13% weren’t sure

**What do you want to know about the library?**

- Books: 32%
- "Nothing": 24%
- Other: 44%

**What surprised you about the library?**

**How can the library help you succeed as a student?**

- Ask instructor to prep students for activity
- Limit the mission time to create pressure
- Spend more time sharing pics & reflecting
- Give clear instructions for downloading app
- Explain ground rules before missions begin
- Boost critical thinking by adding more complex questions; assign different points

**OUR TAKEAWAYS**

- 100% of faculty agreed goals were met & would do this activity again