

Seniors

				Frequency Distributions ^a				Statistical Comparisons ^b		
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1. During the current school year, about how many times have you and an academic advisor discussed your academic interests, course selections, or academic performance?										
	ADV01	0 0		58	15	1,906	13	2.1	2.2	-.04
		1 1		93	22	4,167	26			
		2 2		138	32	4,401	27			
		3 3		59	14	2,400	15			
		4 4		35	8	1,286	8			
		5 5		11	3	506	3			
		6 6 or more		27	6	1,217	7			
		Total		421	100	15,883	100			
2. During the current school year, to what extent have your academic advisors done the following?										
a. Been available when needed	ADV02a	1 Very little		64	15	1,666	11	2.7	2.9 ***	-.22
		2 Some		99	23	3,169	20			
		3 Quite a bit		123	28	4,850	30			
		4 Very much		104	25	5,323	33			
		— Not applicable		32	9	893	6			
		Total		422	100	15,901	100			
b. Listened closely to your concerns and questions	ADV02b	1 Very little		41	9	1,552	10	2.9	3.0	-.03
		2 Some		82	19	2,951	18			
		3 Quite a bit		125	29	4,573	28			
		4 Very much		133	32	5,573	35			
		— Not applicable		40	11	1,209	8			
		Total		421	100	15,858	100			
c. Informed you of important deadlines	ADV02c	1 Very little		59	14	2,373	15	2.8	2.8	-.02
		2 Some		92	21	3,172	20			
		3 Quite a bit		112	26	4,246	27			
		4 Very much		121	29	4,974	31			
		— Not applicable		37	10	1,096	7			
		Total		421	100	15,861	100			
d. Helped you understand academic rules and policies	ADV02d	1 Very little		67	15	2,562	16	2.7	2.7	.01
		2 Some		92	22	3,404	21			
		3 Quite a bit		102	24	3,767	24			
		4 Very much		111	27	4,248	27			
		— Not applicable		47	12	1,828	12			
		Total		419	100	15,809	100			
e. Informed you of academic support options (tutoring, study groups, help with writing, etc.)	ADV02e	1 Very little		117	27	3,806	24	2.3	2.4 *	-.12
		2 Some		87	20	3,376	21			
		3 Quite a bit		67	17	2,921	18			
		4 Very much		66	16	3,212	20			
		— Not applicable		82	20	2,545	17			
		Total		419	100	15,860	100			
f. Provided useful information about courses	ADV02f	1 Very little		82	20	2,712	18	2.6	2.7	-.10
		2 Some		97	22	3,334	21			
		3 Quite a bit		92	22	4,026	25			
		4 Very much		103	25	4,522	28			

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		—	Not applicable	45	12	1,250	8			
			Total	419	100	15,844	100			
g. Helped you when you had academic difficulties	ADV02g	1	Very little	92	22	3,052	20	2.4	2.5 *	-.16
		2	Some	71	17	2,627	17			
		3	Quite a bit	65	15	2,768	17			
		4	Very much	63	15	3,433	21			
		—	Not applicable	127	31	3,958	25			
			Total	418	100	15,838	100			
h. Helped you get information on special opportunities (study abroad, internship, research projects, etc.)	ADV02h	1	Very little	121	27	3,687	23	2.3	2.5 ***	-.16
		2	Some	57	14	2,768	17			
		3	Quite a bit	59	14	2,824	18			
		4	Very much	66	16	3,389	21			
		—	Not applicable	117	28	3,142	21			
			Total	420	100	15,810	100			
i. Discussed your career interests and post-graduation plans	ADV02i	1	Very little	146	34	4,041	27	2.1	2.4 ***	-.24
		2	Some	78	19	3,216	20			
		3	Quite a bit	59	14	2,899	18			
		4	Very much	65	16	3,751	23			
		—	Not applicable	68	18	1,889	13			
			Total	416	100	15,796	100			
3. During the current school year, how often have your academic advisors reached out to you about your academic progress or performance?										
	ADV04_15	1	Never	246	58	7,379	47	1.7	1.8 **	-.14
		2	Sometimes	106	25	5,369	33			
		3	Often	43	11	2,207	14			
		4	Very often	26	6	920	6			
			Total	421	100	15,875	100			
4. During the current school year, which of the following has been your primary source of advice regarding your academic plans? (Select one.)										
	ADV03	—	Academic advisor(s) assigned to you	132	30	5,197	32			
		—	Academic advisor(s) available to any student	73	18	1,703	10			
		—	Faculty or staff not formally assigned as an advisor	43	10	2,294	14			
		—	Online advising system (degree progress report, etc.)	24	6	1,463	10			
		—	Website, catalog, or other published sources	39	9	903	6			
		—	Friends or other students	51	12	1,822	11			
		—	Family members	23	5	1,356	8			
		—	Other, please specify:	10	2	319	2			
		—	I did not seek academic advice this year	27	7	825	5			
			Total	422	100	15,882	100			

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to the endnotes page for the key to triangle symbols.