

Statistical Comparisons^b

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1. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?																		
a. Asked questions or contributed to course discussions in other ways	askquest	1	Never	39	6	1,756	3	1,518	3	5,880	2	2.9	3.0 **	-.13	3.0 **	-.11	3.2 ***	-.31
		2	Sometimes	209	32	16,233	29	14,542	30	61,073	23							
		3	Often	194	30	18,071	32	16,010	32	84,792	31							
		4	Very often	218	33	20,545	36	17,750	35	120,617	43							
		Total	660	100	56,605	100	49,820	100	272,362	100								
b. Prepared two or more drafts of a paper or assignment before turning it in	drafts	1	Never	143	23	12,824	23	12,241	25	54,869	20	2.4	2.3	.06	2.3 **	.11	2.5	-.04
		2	Sometimes	218	33	20,178	36	18,013	36	94,010	34							
		3	Often	155	25	13,751	24	11,686	24	68,193	25							
		4	Very often	126	19	9,390	17	7,477	15	52,989	20							
		Total	642	100	56,143	100	49,417	100	270,061	100								
c. Come to class without completing readings or assignments	unpreparedr <i>(Reverse-coded version of unprepared created by NSSE.)</i>	1	Very often	53	8	4,498	8	4,103	9	17,104	7	2.9	2.9	.04	2.8	.07	3.0 **	-.11
		2	Often	100	15	9,671	17	9,022	18	36,971	14							
		3	Sometimes	363	56	30,752	55	27,019	54	146,000	54							
		4	Never	127	21	10,946	20	9,039	19	68,729	26							
		Total	643	100	55,867	100	49,183	100	268,804	100								
d. Attended an art exhibit, play, or other arts performance (dance, music, etc.)	attendart	1	Never	305	49	24,423	45	19,908	42	112,416	44	1.8	1.8	-.05	1.8 *	-.10	1.8 *	-.09
		2	Sometimes	215	33	20,859	37	19,227	39	98,029	36							
		3	Often	76	12	6,338	11	6,135	12	34,218	12							
		4	Very often	38	6	3,902	7	3,632	7	22,921	8							
		Total	634	100	55,522	100	48,902	100	267,584	100								
e. Asked another student to help you understand course material	CLaskhelp	1	Never	84	13	6,352	13	5,383	12	35,809	15	2.5	2.5	.00	2.5	-.02	2.4	.07
		2	Sometimes	270	42	23,599	43	20,657	43	116,300	44							
		3	Often	178	28	16,549	29	14,762	29	75,219	27							
		4	Very often	102	16	8,890	16	7,992	16	39,768	14							
		Total	634	100	55,390	100	48,794	100	267,096	100								
f. Explained course material to one or more students	CLexplain	1	Never	36	6	2,331	5	1,999	5	14,678	6	2.8	2.8	.00	2.8	-.01	2.7	.04
		2	Sometimes	213	34	18,937	35	16,594	34	93,288	36							
		3	Often	244	38	21,648	39	19,130	39	99,760	37							
		4	Very often	140	23	12,304	22	10,910	22	58,506	22							
		Total	633	100	55,220	100	48,633	100	266,232	100								

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				Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e
g. Prepared for exams by discussing or working through course material with other students	CLstudy	1	Never	111	17	8,726	17	7,346	16	47,660	19	2.5		2.5	.00	2.5	-.03	2.5	.04
		2	Sometimes	230	37	19,560	36	16,984	35	91,462	35								
		3	Often	158	25	15,464	27	13,959	28	73,123	27								
		4	Very often	130	21	11,365	20	10,265	21	53,644	20								
		Total		629	100	55,115	100	48,554	100	265,889	100								
h. Worked with other students on course projects or assignments	CLproject	1	Never	45	7	3,034	6	2,645	6	17,849	7	2.9		2.9	-.04	2.9	-.05	2.9	-.01
		2	Sometimes	185	30	15,382	29	13,670	28	75,668	29								
		3	Often	208	33	19,246	35	16,885	35	92,633	34								
		4	Very often	189	30	17,278	31	15,221	31	78,987	30								
		Total		627	100	54,940	100	48,421	100	265,137	100								
i. Given a course presentation	present	1	Never	134	22	5,937	12	5,112	12	28,429	12	2.4		2.7 ***	-.23	2.6 ***	-.22	2.7 ***	-.29
		2	Sometimes	213	35	18,274	34	16,629	35	79,958	31								
		3	Often	144	23	17,250	31	15,205	31	85,525	32								
		4	Very often	130	21	13,199	23	11,220	22	70,186	26								
		Total		621	100	54,660	100	48,166	100	264,098	100								

2. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?

a. Combined ideas from different courses when completing assignments	RIIntegrate	1	Never	23	4	1,470	3	1,268	3	8,041	3	2.8		3.0 ***	-.18	3.0 ***	-.17	3.0 ***	-.17
		2	Sometimes	196	33	13,382	26	12,050	26	65,990	26								
		3	Often	212	37	21,497	40	19,101	40	103,255	39								
		4	Very often	153	26	17,170	31	14,753	31	82,095	31								
		Total		584	100	53,519	100	47,172	100	259,381	100								
b. Connected your learning to societal problems or issues	RIsocietal	1	Never	65	12	3,548	7	3,126	7	14,642	6	2.6		2.8 ***	-.16	2.8 ***	-.15	2.9 ***	-.24
		2	Sometimes	189	32	16,522	32	14,830	33	75,302	30								
		3	Often	214	37	18,822	35	16,715	35	94,204	36								
		4	Very often	116	19	14,232	26	12,174	25	73,328	28								
		Total		584	100	53,124	100	46,845	100	257,476	100								
c. Included diverse perspectives (political, religious, racial/ethnic, gender, etc.) in course discussions or assignments	RIdiverse	1	Never	124	23	6,958	14	6,129	14	26,166	11	2.4		2.6 ***	-.21	2.6 ***	-.20	2.7 ***	-.32
		2	Sometimes	197	34	18,355	35	16,484	36	85,954	34								
		3	Often	155	27	15,887	29	14,054	29	82,463	31								
		4	Very often	97	16	11,825	21	10,065	21	62,530	24								
		Total		573	100	53,025	100	46,732	100	257,113	100								

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d. Examined the strengths and weaknesses of your own views on a topic or issue	RIownview	1	Never	41	8	2,724	6	2,451	6	11,077	5	2.7	2.8 **	-.14	2.8 **	-.13	2.9 ***	-.21	
		2	Sometimes	190	34	16,330	31	14,549	31	73,667	29								
		3	Often	225	40	21,185	40	18,672	40	106,050	41								
		4	Very often	108	19	12,577	23	10,878	23	65,597	26								
		Total	564	100	52,816	100	46,550	100	256,391	100									
e. Tried to better understand someone else's views by imagining how an issue looks from his or her perspective	RIperspect	1	Never	26	5	1,913	4	1,686	4	7,857	3	2.8	2.9 ***	-.15	2.9 **	-.13	3.0 ***	-.20	
		2	Sometimes	169	31	14,016	27	12,782	28	64,569	26								
		3	Often	231	42	21,673	41	19,108	41	107,582	42								
		4	Very often	131	22	15,043	28	12,820	27	75,590	29								
		Total	557	100	52,645	100	46,396	100	255,598	100									
f. Learned something that changed the way you understand an issue or concept	RInewview	1	Never	25	5	1,190	3	1,047	2	5,303	2	2.8	2.9 **	-.14	2.9 **	-.13	3.0 ***	-.18	
		2	Sometimes	177	32	14,756	29	13,061	29	68,676	28								
		3	Often	219	39	22,011	42	19,608	42	107,661	42								
		4	Very often	133	24	14,557	27	12,543	26	73,301	28								
		Total	554	100	52,514	100	46,259	100	254,941	100									
g. Connected ideas from your courses to your prior experiences and knowledge	RIconnect	1	Never	13	3	545	1	492	1	2,494	1	3.1	3.2 ***	-.18	3.2 ***	-.16	3.2 ***	-.22	
		2	Sometimes	107	20	8,510	17	7,634	17	38,385	16								
		3	Often	260	47	22,412	43	19,962	43	108,425	42								
		4	Very often	175	31	20,822	39	17,963	38	104,641	41								
		Total	555	100	52,289	100	46,051	100	253,945	100									

3. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?

a. Talked about career plans with a faculty member	SFcareer	1	Never	146	28	9,696	20	8,109	19	43,408	19	2.2	2.3 ***	-.16	2.4 ***	-.18	2.4 ***	-.22
		2	Sometimes	219	39	21,578	42	19,102	42	98,458	40							
		3	Often	115	21	12,507	23	11,305	23	64,209	24							
		4	Very often	71	13	8,545	15	7,584	15	48,099	18							
		Total		551	100	52,326	100	46,100	100	254,174	100							
b. Worked with a faculty member on activities other than coursework (committees, student groups, etc.)	SFotherwork	1	Never	292	53	23,215	46	19,407	44	107,493	45	1.8	1.9 *	-.11	1.9 ***	-.15	1.9 **	-.14
		2	Sometimes	126	23	15,147	29	13,804	29	74,132	28							
		3	Often	88	16	7,989	15	7,476	16	40,970	15							
		4	Very often	45	8	5,797	11	5,258	11	30,743	11							
		Total		551	100	52,148	100	45,945	100	253,338	100							

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c. Discussed course topics, ideas, or concepts with a faculty member outside of class	SFdiscuss	1	Never	201	37	14,238	28	11,828	27	65,331	28	2.0	2.1 ***	-.16	2.1 ***	-.18	2.2 ***	-.21	
		2	Sometimes	200	36	21,797	42	19,678	43	99,972	39								
		3	Often	98	18	10,398	20	9,406	20	55,274	21								
		4	Very often	45	8	5,652	10	4,988	10	32,495	12								
		Total	544	100	52,085	100	45,900	100	253,072	100									
d. Discussed your academic performance with a faculty member	SFperform	1	Never	166	31	13,189	27	11,534	26	56,133	24	2.0	2.1	-.08	2.1	-.07	2.2 ***	-.17	
		2	Sometimes	226	40	23,396	45	20,830	45	110,199	44								
		3	Often	115	22	10,279	19	9,036	19	55,547	21								
		4	Very often	39	7	5,113	9	4,404	9	30,711	12								
		Total	546	100	51,977	100	45,804	100	252,590	100									
4. During the current school year, how much has your coursework emphasized the following?																			
a. Memorizing course material	memorize	1	Very little	54	10	3,909	8	3,434	8	22,915	9	2.7	2.8 *	-.10	2.8 *	-.10	2.7	-.04	
		2	Some	164	30	15,289	30	13,463	30	78,209	31								
		3	Quite a bit	210	38	19,952	38	17,656	38	94,783	37								
		4	Very much	120	21	12,945	25	11,381	24	57,384	23								
		Total	548	100	52,095	100	45,934	100	253,291	100									
b. Applying facts, theories, or methods to practical problems or new situations	HOapply	1	Very little	22	4	1,566	3	1,396	3	6,702	3	3.1	3.1	-.02	3.1	-.01	3.1	-.06	
		2	Some	105	19	9,670	19	8,668	19	45,100	18								
		3	Quite a bit	226	41	22,303	43	19,820	43	108,349	43								
		4	Very much	194	36	18,391	35	15,890	34	92,206	36								
		Total	547	100	51,930	100	45,774	100	252,357	100									
c. Analyzing an idea, experience, or line of reasoning in depth by examining its parts	HOanalyze	1	Very little	30	6	1,943	4	1,783	4	8,353	4	3.0	3.0	.00	3.0	.01	3.1	-.05	
		2	Some	110	20	10,918	21	9,699	22	49,270	20								
		3	Quite a bit	206	38	21,066	41	18,531	40	102,746	41								
		4	Very much	198	36	17,823	34	15,576	34	91,150	36								
		Total	544	100	51,750	100	45,589	100	251,519	100									
d. Evaluating a point of view, decision, or information source	HOevaluate	1	Very little	40	8	3,345	7	3,143	7	12,364	5	2.9	2.9	-.01	2.9	.02	3.0 **	-.12	
		2	Some	133	25	13,222	26	12,026	27	57,060	23								
		3	Quite a bit	218	40	20,618	40	17,894	39	103,029	41								
		4	Very much	152	27	14,535	27	12,498	27	78,971	31								
		Total	543	100	51,720	100	45,561	100	251,424	100									

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e. Forming a new idea or understanding from various pieces of information	HOform	1	Very little	33	7	2,742	6	2,584	6	10,666	5	2.9	2.9	.03	2.9	.05	3.0	-.06	
		2	Some	127	23	12,982	26	11,617	26	57,400	23								
		3	Quite a bit	220	40	21,125	41	18,545	41	104,922	42								
		4	Very much	164	30	14,748	28	12,731	27	77,925	31								
		Total	544	100	51,597	100	45,477	100	250,913	100									
5. During the current school year, to what extent have your instructors done the following?																			
a. Clearly explained course goals and requirements	ETgoals	1	Very little	21	4	1,067	2	917	2	5,362	2	3.1	3.1	.00	3.1	.01	3.2	-.04	
		2	Some	86	17	8,855	17	7,864	17	40,970	17								
		3	Quite a bit	230	42	23,051	44	20,840	45	108,753	43								
		4	Very much	206	38	18,976	36	16,139	35	97,475	38								
		Total	543	100	51,949	100	45,760	100	252,560	100									
b. Taught course sessions in an organized way	ETorganize	1	Very little	23	4	1,364	3	1,104	3	7,104	3	3.1	3.1	.01	3.1	.02	3.1	-.03	
		2	Some	95	18	9,673	19	8,531	19	43,650	18								
		3	Quite a bit	228	42	23,525	45	21,426	47	111,207	44								
		4	Very much	196	36	17,268	33	14,610	32	90,015	36								
		Total	542	100	51,830	100	45,671	100	251,976	100									
c. Used examples or illustrations to explain difficult points	ETexample	1	Very little	25	4	1,543	3	1,291	3	8,314	4	3.1	3.1	-.03	3.1	-.02	3.1	-.05	
		2	Some	107	20	9,516	19	8,443	19	44,689	18								
		3	Quite a bit	208	37	21,448	42	19,379	42	100,401	40								
		4	Very much	203	38	19,211	37	16,431	36	98,142	38								
		Total	543	100	51,718	100	45,544	100	251,546	100									
d. Provided feedback on a draft or work in progress	ETdraftfb	1	Very little	85	15	6,149	13	5,625	13	25,277	11	2.7	2.7	-.01	2.6	.02	2.8 **	-.13	
		2	Some	159	30	15,846	31	14,429	32	68,626	28								
		3	Quite a bit	150	27	16,930	32	15,004	33	84,337	33								
		4	Very much	145	27	12,783	24	10,499	22	73,179	28								
		Total	539	100	51,708	100	45,557	100	251,419	100									
e. Provided prompt and detailed feedback on tests or completed assignments	ETfeedback	1	Very little	58	11	4,374	9	3,748	9	17,214	7	2.8	2.8	.01	2.7	.03	2.9 *	-.11	
		2	Some	154	29	15,321	30	13,866	31	65,741	27								
		3	Quite a bit	179	33	19,433	37	17,461	38	96,107	38								
		4	Very much	146	28	12,420	24	10,303	22	71,502	28								
		Total	537	100	51,548	100	45,378	100	250,564	100									

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6. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?																			
a. Reached conclusions based on your own analysis of numerical information (numbers, graphs, statistics, etc.)	QRconclude	1	Never	72	13	6,067	11	5,129	11	31,017	12	2.6	2.7	-.06	2.7	-.07	2.7	-.03	
		2	Sometimes	181	33	16,624	32	14,605	32	82,925	32								
		3	Often	176	33	17,627	34	15,406	34	84,519	34								
		4	Very often	111	21	11,525	23	10,535	24	53,630	22								
		Total	540	100	51,843	100	45,675	100	252,091	100									
b. Used numerical information to examine a real-world problem or issue (unemployment, climate change, public health, etc.)	QRproblem	1	Never	115	21	9,640	19	8,380	18	46,352	18	2.4	2.4	-.08	2.5 *	-.09	2.4 *	-.09	
		2	Sometimes	202	37	18,717	36	16,338	36	92,707	36								
		3	Often	144	27	14,437	28	12,838	28	70,187	28								
		4	Very often	79	15	8,983	18	8,069	18	42,436	17								
		Total	540	100	51,777	100	45,625	100	251,682	100									
c. Evaluated what others have concluded from numerical information	QRevaluate	1	Never	108	20	8,192	16	6,862	15	42,814	17	2.4	2.5 *	-.09	2.5 **	-.11	2.4	-.05	
		2	Sometimes	193	35	19,414	38	16,842	37	96,023	38								
		3	Often	164	31	15,711	31	14,066	31	73,172	29								
		4	Very often	74	14	8,331	16	7,753	17	39,186	16								
		Total	539	100	51,648	100	45,523	100	251,195	100									
7. During the current school year, about how many papers, reports, or other writing tasks of the following length have you been assigned? (Include those not yet completed.)																			
a. Up to 5 pages	wrshortnum (Recoded version of wrshort created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of papers, reports, etc.)	0	None	49	11	2,952	7	2,501	6	11,624	6	5.8	7.2 ***	-.20	7.3 ***	-.22	7.9 ***	-.30	
		1.5	1-2	118	26	9,595	21	8,308	20	40,871	18								
		4	3-5	129	28	13,504	28	11,913	28	64,294	28								
		8	6-10	96	20	10,303	21	9,227	22	51,641	22								
		13	11-15	30	6	4,812	10	4,487	10	25,975	11								
		18	16-20	22	4	2,605	5	2,429	5	14,672	6								
		23	More than 20	24	5	3,737	8	3,314	8	22,764	10								
		Total	468	100	47,508	100	42,179	100	231,841	100									
		b. Between 6 and 10 pages	wrmednum (Recoded version of wrmed created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of papers, reports, etc.)	0	None	131	29	11,084	25	9,502	24								45,418
1.5	1-2			178	39	16,998	36	15,050	36	79,377	34								
4	3-5			77	17	11,394	24	10,401	24	60,511	26								
8	6-10			46	10	4,845	10	4,418	10	27,945	12								
13	11-15			12	3	1,455	3	1,340	3	9,005	4								
18	16-20			5	1	555	1	530	1	3,738	2								

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		23	More than 20	6	1	539	1	459	1	3,406	2								
		Total		455	100	46,870	100	41,700	100	229,400	100								
c. 11 pages or more	wrlongnum	0	None	246	54	21,611	48	18,768	47	96,203	44	2.0	1.8	.04	1.8	.04	2.0	-.01	
	(Recoded version of wrlong created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of papers, reports, etc.)	1.5	1-2	140	31	16,483	35	14,880	35	85,117	36								
		4	3-5	30	7	4,896	10	4,561	11	27,228	12								
		8	6-10	13	3	1,645	4	1,518	4	8,911	4								
		13	11-15	10	2	759	2	688	2	3,931	2								
		18	16-20	9	2	313	1	280	1	1,868	1								
		23	More than 20	6	2	478	1	392	1	2,596	1								
		Total		454	100	46,185	100	41,087	100	225,854	100								
Estimated number of assigned pages of student writing.	wrpages											65.9	72.2	-.08	73.2	-.09	81.0 ***	-.17	
(Continuous variable, recoded and summed by NSSE from wrshort, wrmed, and wrlong. Values are estimated pages of assigned writing.)																			

8. During the current school year, about how often have you had discussions with people from the following groups?

a. People of a race or ethnicity other than your own	DDrace	1	Never	18	4	2,093	5	1,658	4	11,425	5	3.4	3.1 ***	.24	3.2 ***	.22	3.1 ***	.27
		2	Sometimes	71	15	10,549	21	9,097	21	55,199	22							
		3	Often	104	22	14,108	29	12,611	29	68,858	29							
		4	Very often	286	59	21,820	45	19,660	45	102,228	44							
			Total	479	100	48,570	100	43,026	100	237,710	100							
b. People from an economic background other than your own	DDeconomic	1	Never	25	6	1,849	4	1,472	4	9,677	4	3.2	3.1	.07	3.1	.05	3.1	.08
		2	Sometimes	97	20	10,393	22	9,090	21	51,910	22							
		3	Often	120	25	16,178	33	14,370	33	79,913	33							
		4	Very often	235	49	20,017	41	17,999	42	95,515	41							
			Total	477	100	48,437	100	42,931	100	237,015	100							
c. People with religious beliefs other than your own	DDreligion	1	Never	27	6	2,474	6	1,910	5	14,525	6	3.2	3.1 **	.14	3.1 *	.11	3.0 ***	.19
		2	Sometimes	88	18	11,053	23	9,405	22	60,383	25							
		3	Often	118	25	14,942	31	13,287	31	71,012	30							
		4	Very often	245	51	19,931	41	18,272	42	90,816	39							
			Total	478	100	48,400	100	42,874	100	236,736	100							
d. People with political	DDpolitical	1	Never	32	7	2,487	5	1,948	5	13,050	6							

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				Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e
		2	Sometimes	111	23	11,069	23	9,852	23	58,464	24	3.1	3.1	.03	3.1	.01	3.0	.06
		3	Often	118	25	15,508	32	13,771	32	75,425	32							
		4	Very often	216	45	19,153	39	17,152	40	88,916	38							
		Total		477	100	48,217	100	42,723	100	235,855	100							

9. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?

a. Identified key information from reading assignments	LSreading	1	Never	7	2	1,208	3	1,066	3	4,758	2	3.1	3.2	-.01	3.1	.00	3.2	-.08
		2	Sometimes	93	20	8,590	18	7,698	18	37,964	16							
		3	Often	196	41	19,281	40	17,198	40	93,638	40							
		4	Very often	178	38	19,209	39	16,839	39	100,034	42							
		Total		474	100	48,288	100	42,801	100	236,394	100							
b. Reviewed your notes after class	LSnotes	1	Never	36	8	3,568	8	3,627	9	17,175	7	2.8	2.8	.02	2.8	.07	2.9	-.04
		2	Sometimes	145	31	15,319	32	14,208	33	70,123	29							
		3	Often	151	32	14,993	31	12,943	30	73,640	31							
		4	Very often	142	30	14,292	29	11,896	28	74,800	32							
		Total		474	100	48,172	100	42,674	100	235,738	100							
c. Summarized what you learned in class or from course materials	LSsummary	1	Never	37	8	3,633	8	3,414	8	15,608	7	2.8	2.8	-.01	2.8	.02	2.9	-.09
		2	Sometimes	142	30	14,391	30	13,063	31	65,450	28							
		3	Often	164	35	16,553	35	14,547	34	82,110	35							
		4	Very often	128	27	13,187	27	11,269	27	70,623	30							
		Total		471	100	47,764	100	42,293	100	233,791	100							

10. During the current school year, to what extent have your courses challenged you to do your best work?

challenge	1	Not at all	5	1	332	1	287	1	1,457	1	5.7	5.6	.09	5.5 **	.13	5.7	.00
	2		6	1	645	2	587	2	2,836	1							
	3		11	2	1,555	3	1,468	4	6,688	3							
	4		42	9	4,538	10	4,287	10	19,761	9							
	5		137	28	14,375	30	13,460	31	65,395	27							
	6		132	29	14,818	30	13,018	30	72,371	30							
	7	Very much	140	30	11,834	25	9,516	23	67,073	29							
	Total		473	100	48,097	100	42,623	100	235,581	100							

11. Which of the following have you done or do you plan to do before you graduate?^f

a. Participate in an intern	Have not decided	52	11	3,458	8	2,778	7	18,502	8	
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internship, co-op, field experience, student teaching, or clinical placement	(Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Do not plan to do	81	17	7,515	17	6,340	16	40,929	18	40%	51% ***	-.23	55% ***	-.30	50% ***	-.21	
			Plan to do	146	32	11,703	25	9,191	22	51,364	23								
			Done or in progress	191	40	25,436	51	24,359	55	124,737	50								
			Total	470	100	48,112	100	42,668	100	235,532	100								
b. Hold a formal leadership role in a student organization or group	(Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Have not decided	68	15	4,602	10	3,525	9	23,750	11	28%	36% ***	-.16	41% ***	-.26	35% **	-.15	
			Do not plan to do	213	47	21,852	46	17,645	43	104,128	46								
			Plan to do	47	10	3,738	8	3,198	8	17,638	8								
			Done or in progress	142	28	17,809	36	18,193	41	89,406	35								
			Total	470	100	48,001	100	42,561	100	234,922	100								
c. Participate in a learning community or some other formal program where groups of students take two or more classes together	(Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Have not decided	67	14	5,413	12	4,252	10	29,139	13	19%	24% *	-.12	25% **	-.14	24% *	-.12	
			Do not plan to do	247	54	26,121	55	23,848	56	124,052	53								
			Plan to do	59	13	4,231	9	3,394	8	21,051	9								
			Done or in progress	95	19	12,137	24	11,005	25	60,131	24								
			Total	468	100	47,902	100	42,499	100	234,373	100								
d. Participate in a study abroad program	(Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Have not decided	73	15	5,229	11	3,971	10	25,968	12	6%	15% ***	-.27	18% ***	-.36	14% ***	-.25	
			Do not plan to do	321	70	31,226	66	26,771	65	155,190	67								
			Plan to do	36	8	3,835	8	3,155	8	16,288	7								
			Done or in progress	33	6	7,559	15	8,535	18	36,858	14								
			Total	463	100	47,849	100	42,432	100	234,304	100								
e. Work with a faculty member on a research project	(Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Have not decided	86	19	6,721	14	5,237	13	33,093	15	16%	24% ***	-.18	27% ***	-.26	24% ***	-.18	
			Do not plan to do	223	48	22,947	48	19,862	47	113,621	49								
			Plan to do	82	17	6,459	14	5,351	13	27,666	13								
			Done or in progress	76	16	11,577	24	11,883	27	59,011	24								
			Total	467	100	47,704	100	42,333	100	233,391	100								
f. Complete a culminating senior experience (capstone course, senior project or thesis, comprehensive exam, portfolio, etc.)	(Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Have not decided	70	15	3,967	9	3,097	8	19,832	9	29%	44% ***	-.32	45% ***	-.34	46% ***	-.35	
			Do not plan to do	136	28	10,634	23	10,215	24	46,823	21								
			Plan to do	127	28	11,388	24	9,322	23	53,231	24								
			Done or in progress	133	29	21,861	44	19,817	45	114,213	46								
			Total	466	100	47,850	100	42,451	100	234,099	100								

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12. About how many of your courses at this institution have included a community-based project (service-learning)?																			
	servcourse	1	None	243	53	20,222	44	19,417	48	85,568	39	1.6	1.7	-.09	1.6	-.02	1.7 ***	-.21	
		2	Some	175	36	22,956	47	19,549	45	119,982	49								
		3	Most	36	8	3,906	8	2,891	7	23,928	10								
		4	All	12	3	663	1	505	1	4,456	2								
		Total		466	100	47,747	100	42,362	100	233,934	100								
13. Indicate the quality of your interactions with the following people at your institution.																			
a. Students	QIstudent	1	Poor	6	1	548	1	486	1	2,606	1	5.7	5.6	.06	5.6	.06	5.7	.03	
		2		8	2	722	2	629	2	3,536	2								
		3		19	4	1,959	4	1,731	4	8,793	4								
		4		34	7	4,427	9	3,856	9	20,703	9								
		5		112	23	11,105	23	10,119	23	53,156	23								
		6		119	25	14,426	30	12,922	30	68,790	29								
		7	Excellent	169	36	14,436	30	12,547	29	74,977	32								
		—	Not applicable	1	0	359	1	275	1	2,506	1								
		Total		468	100	47,982	100	42,565	100	235,067	100								
b. Academic advisors	QIadvisor	1	Poor	28	6	2,515	5	2,239	5	10,988	5	5.0	5.1	-.04	5.0	-.03	5.2 **	-.14	
		2		28	6	2,796	6	2,567	6	11,574	5								
		3		43	9	4,011	8	3,704	9	16,535	7								
		4		69	15	6,202	13	5,623	13	26,699	12								
		5		87	18	8,906	18	8,102	19	41,001	17								
		6		72	15	9,840	20	8,566	20	48,909	20								
		7	Excellent	138	29	13,069	27	11,286	27	75,743	32								
		—	Not applicable	3	1	599	1	434	1	3,213	2								
		Total		468	100	47,938	100	42,521	100	234,662	100								
c. Faculty	QIfaculty	1	Poor	13	3	755	2	627	2	3,437	2	5.3	5.4	-.07	5.4	-.05	5.5 **	-.17	
		2		20	5	1,163	3	979	2	4,804	2								
		3		25	6	2,493	5	2,237	5	9,959	5								
		4		53	11	5,583	12	5,151	12	23,412	10								
		5		103	23	11,665	24	10,893	25	51,183	22								
		6		129	26	14,339	30	12,705	30	70,901	30								
		7	Excellent	120	26	11,428	24	9,480	23	68,079	29								

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				Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e
				3	1	308	1	239	1	1,741	1							
				466	100	47,734	100	42,311	100	233,516	100							
d. Student services staff (career services, student activities, housing, etc.)	QIstaff	1	Poor	25	5	2,182	5	1,924	5	11,410	5	4.8	4.8	-.02	4.8	-.01	4.9	-.05
		2		27	6	2,270	5	2,075	5	10,800	5							
		3		38	9	3,394	7	3,277	7	16,221	7							
		4		54	11	6,399	13	6,170	14	29,482	12							
		5		82	18	9,142	19	8,691	20	42,591	18							
		6		87	18	8,848	18	7,855	18	42,321	18							
		7	Excellent	75	17	7,303	15	6,276	15	40,573	17							
		—	Not applicable	77	17	8,235	18	6,119	15	40,567	19							
		Total		465	100	47,773	100	42,387	100	233,965	100							
e. Other administrative staff and offices (registrar, financial aid, etc.)	QIadmin	1	Poor	39	8	2,571	6	2,339	6	12,422	6	4.6	4.7	-.10	4.7	-.06	4.9 ***	-.17
		2		32	7	2,837	6	2,592	6	12,882	6							
		3		46	10	4,229	9	4,059	9	19,326	8							
		4		76	16	7,710	16	7,305	17	34,649	15							
		5		89	19	10,444	21	9,404	22	49,212	21							
		6		64	14	9,358	19	7,796	18	48,156	20							
		7	Excellent	81	18	7,478	16	6,065	15	46,010	20							
		—	Not applicable	42	9	3,242	7	2,895	7	11,758	6							
		Total		469	100	47,869	100	42,455	100	234,415	100							
14. How much does your institution emphasize the following?																		
a. Spending significant amounts of time studying and on academic work	empstudy	1	Very little	8	2	865	2	805	2	4,378	2	3.1	3.2	-.04	3.1	-.03	3.2	-.05
		2	Some	82	18	7,875	17	7,007	17	36,161	16							
		3	Quite a bit	195	45	20,499	45	18,322	45	99,013	44							
		4	Very much	154	35	16,602	36	14,715	36	85,428	37							
		Total		439	100	45,841	100	40,849	100	224,980	100							
b. Providing support to help students succeed academically	SEacademic	1	Very little	20	5	2,229	5	2,064	5	10,628	5	2.9	2.9	-.03	2.9	-.02	3.0 *	-.10
		2	Some	114	27	11,208	26	10,448	26	50,446	23							
		3	Quite a bit	198	45	19,573	43	17,458	43	93,352	42							
		4	Very much	105	23	12,493	27	10,582	26	68,789	30							
		Total		437	100	45,503	100	40,552	100	223,215	100							
c. Using learning support services (tutoring services, writing	SElearnsup	1	Very little	32	7	3,759	9	3,435	9	17,959	9							
		2	Some	124	30	11,717	27	10,960	27	53,308	24							

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				Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%		Mean	Effect size ^e		Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e
d. Encouraging contact among students from different backgrounds (social, racial/ethnic, religious, etc.)	SEdiverse	3	Quite a bit	170	38	17,307	38	15,454	38	83,604	37	2.8	2.8	-.02	2.8	.00	2.9	-.08	
		4	Very much	111	25	12,712	27	10,677	26	68,420	30								
		Total	437	100	45,495	100	40,526	100	223,291	100									
		1	Very little	52	12	7,182	16	6,461	16	34,779	16								
		2	Some	116	26	14,653	32	13,272	32	69,371	31								
e. Providing opportunities to be involved socially	SEsocial	3	Quite a bit	141	33	13,837	30	12,217	30	68,735	31	2.8	2.6 ***	.21	2.6 ***	.21	2.6 ***	.17	
		4	Very much	128	29	9,842	21	8,590	21	50,455	23								
		Total	437	100	45,514	100	40,540	100	223,340	100									
		1	Very little	27	6	3,335	8	2,751	7	18,388	9								
		2	Some	107	26	11,489	26	10,123	25	56,162	26								
f. Providing support for your overall well-being (recreation, health care, counseling, etc.)	SEwellness	3	Quite a bit	174	39	17,394	38	15,833	39	84,157	37	2.9	2.9	.04	2.9	.01	2.8	.07	
		4	Very much	128	29	13,254	29	11,784	29	64,408	28								
		Total	436	100	45,472	100	40,491	100	223,115	100									
		1	Very little	37	9	4,297	10	3,702	10	25,374	12								
		2	Some	120	28	11,585	26	10,290	26	58,695	27								
g. Helping you manage your non-academic responsibilities (work, family, etc.)	SEnonacad	3	Quite a bit	166	38	16,738	37	15,287	37	80,020	35	2.8	2.8	-.01	2.8	-.02	2.7	.06	
		4	Very much	112	26	12,748	27	11,124	27	58,537	26								
		Total	435	100	45,368	100	40,403	100	222,626	100									
		1	Very little	142	33	15,547	35	13,826	35	74,058	34								
		2	Some	162	37	15,871	35	14,438	35	75,973	34								
h. Attending campus activities and events (performing arts, athletic events, etc.)	SEactivities	3	Quite a bit	84	20	9,202	20	8,141	20	46,151	20	2.1	2.1	.02	2.1	.02	2.1	-.02	
		4	Very much	46	10	4,728	10	3,962	10	26,389	12								
		Total	434	100	45,348	100	40,367	100	222,571	100									
		1	Very little	37	8	5,142	12	3,917	10	32,384	16								
		2	Some	116	28	12,658	28	10,772	27	61,833	28								
i. Attending events that address important social, economic, or political issues	SEevents	3	Quite a bit	162	38	16,155	35	14,891	36	76,207	34	2.8	2.7 *	.09	2.8	.02	2.6 ***	.19	
		4	Very much	118	26	11,308	25	10,744	27	51,584	23								
		Total	433	100	45,263	100	40,324	100	222,008	100									
		1	Very little	66	15	8,255	19	6,914	18	43,125	21								
		2	Some	163	38	16,871	37	15,174	38	77,091	35								
		3	Quite a bit	132	30	13,257	29	12,136	30	65,032	29	2.5	2.4 *	.10	2.4	.08	2.4	.09	

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				4	Very much	73	16	6,742	15	5,973	15		36,276	16					
				Total	434	100	45,125	100	40,197	100	221,524		100						
15. About how many hours do you spend in a typical 7-day week doing the following?																			
a. Preparing for class (studying, reading, writing, doing homework or lab work, analyzing data, rehearsing, and other academic activities)	tmprephrs	0	0 hrs	1	0	173	0	154	0	827	0	15.1	14.8	.03	15.0	.01	14.9	.03	
	(Recoded version of tmprep created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	65	15	6,476	14	5,459	14	30,204	14								
		8	6-10 hrs	92	21	10,854	24	9,461	23	51,960	24								
		13	11-15 hrs	87	21	9,045	20	8,085	20	44,678	20								
		18	16-20 hrs	78	17	7,687	17	6,882	17	38,981	17								
		23	21-25 hrs	39	10	4,603	10	4,308	11	23,374	10								
		28	26-30 hrs	27	6	2,738	6	2,506	6	14,297	6								
		33	More than 30 hrs	44	10	3,775	9	3,580	9	18,364	8								
			Total	433	100	45,351	100	40,435	100	222,685	100								
b. Participating in co-curricular activities (organizations, campus publications, student government, fraternity or sorority, intercollegiate or intramural sports, etc.)	tmcocurrhrs	0	0 hrs	202	47	18,487	42	13,940	37	93,447	45	4.4	4.6	-.04	5.2 **	-.13	4.7	-.04	
	(Recoded version of tmcocurr created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	127	30	13,406	29	12,539	31	62,738	27								
		8	6-10 hrs	41	9	6,308	14	6,494	15	28,946	12								
		13	11-15 hrs	23	5	3,284	7	3,472	8	15,686	7								
		18	16-20 hrs	17	4	1,885	4	1,945	5	10,160	4								
		23	21-25 hrs	10	2	894	2	904	2	5,006	2								
		28	26-30 hrs	6	1	341	1	381	1	2,260	1								
		33	More than 30 hrs	5	1	525	1	550	1	3,317	1								
			Total	431	100	45,130	100	40,225	100	221,560	100								
c. Working for pay on campus	tmworkonhrs	0	0 hrs	357	84	32,241	72	26,666	68	152,960	72	2.8	4.0 ***	-.17	4.4 ***	-.22	3.7 **	-.13	
	(Recoded version of tmworkon created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	9	2	1,577	3	1,800	4	11,589	4								
		8	6-10 hrs	10	2	3,022	7	3,704	9	20,135	8								
		13	11-15 hrs	14	3	3,040	6	3,303	8	14,747	6								
		18	16-20 hrs	21	5	3,037	7	2,753	7	13,713	6								
		23	21-25 hrs	8	2	1,151	2	1,025	3	4,173	2								
		28	26-30 hrs	3	1	470	1	426	1	1,660	1								
		33	More than 30 hrs	8	2	649	2	604	2	2,881	1								
			Total	430	100	45,187	100	40,281	100	221,858	100								
d. Working for pay off campus	tmworkoffhrs	0	0 hrs	199	44	20,045	44	20,344	50	96,161	42								
	(Recoded version of tmworkoff	3	1-5 hrs	22	5	2,267	5	2,197	5	11,295	5								
		8	6-10 hrs	20	5	2,855	6	2,711	6	14,149	6								

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	created by NSSE.	13	11-15 hrs	25	6	3,112	7	2,831	7	14,263	6	12.4	11.6	.06	9.8 ***	.21	12.7	-.02	
	Values are	18	16-20 hrs	34	8	4,490	10	3,544	9	19,107	9								
	estimated number	23	21-25 hrs	30	7	3,432	7	2,527	6	14,776	7								
	of hours per	28	26-30 hrs	21	5	2,447	5	1,714	4	10,891	5								
	week.)	33	More than 30 hrs	80	20	6,343	16	4,221	12	40,341	20								
	Total	431	100	44,991	100	40,089	100	220,983	100										
Estimated number of hours working for pay	tmworkhrs (Continuous variable created by NSSE)											15.0	15.5	-.03	14.1	.07	16.3	-.09	
e. Doing community service or volunteer work	tmservicehrs	0	0 hrs	218	52	21,847	51	19,675	51	104,672	49	3.2	3.1	.02	2.9	.05	3.2	-.01	
	(Recoded version	3	1-5 hrs	147	33	15,593	33	14,180	34	79,638	35								
	of tmservice	8	6-10 hrs	28	6	3,807	8	3,319	8	18,425	8								
	created by NSSE.	13	11-15 hrs	15	3	1,649	3	1,288	3	7,801	4								
	Values are	18	16-20 hrs	9	2	994	2	759	2	4,878	2								
	estimated number	23	21-25 hrs	7	2	464	1	348	1	2,063	1								
	of hours per	28	26-30 hrs	2	0	196	0	162	0	970	0								
	week.)	33	More than 30 hrs	4	1	326	1	277	1	1,996	1								
Total	430	100	44,876	100	40,008	100	220,443	100											
f. Relaxing and socializing (time with friends, video games, TV or videos, keeping up with friends online, etc.)	tmrelaxhrs	0	0 hrs	18	4	1,112	3	833	2	6,599	3	10.0	11.1 **	-.14	11.7 ***	-.20	10.5	-.06	
	(Recoded version	3	1-5 hrs	138	32	11,581	26	9,106	23	63,479	29								
	of tmrelax created	8	6-10 hrs	125	30	12,804	28	11,421	28	62,787	28								
	by NSSE. Values	13	11-15 hrs	65	15	8,445	18	8,109	20	39,197	17								
	are estimated	18	16-20 hrs	33	8	5,593	12	5,284	13	24,468	11								
	number of hours	23	21-25 hrs	15	4	2,407	5	2,369	6	10,856	5								
	per week.)	28	26-30 hrs	13	3	1,129	3	1,078	3	5,104	2								
		33	More than 30 hrs	21	5	1,988	5	1,961	5	8,767	4								
	Total	428	100	45,059	100	40,161	100	221,257	100										
g. Providing care for dependents (children, parents, etc.)	tmcarehrs	0	0 hrs	246	57	30,732	67	29,463	72	139,864	61	7.4	5.1 ***	.22	4.1 ***	.35	6.7	.05	
	(Recoded version	3	1-5 hrs	56	13	4,702	10	3,763	10	23,884	11								
	of tmcare created	8	6-10 hrs	19	5	2,242	5	1,749	5	11,400	5								
	by NSSE. Values	13	11-15 hrs	22	5	1,469	3	1,112	3	7,457	4								
	are estimated	18	16-20 hrs	13	3	1,223	3	810	2	6,352	3								

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h. Commuting to campus (driving, walking, etc.)	tmcommutehrs (Recoded version of tmcommute created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	23	21-25 hrs	9	2	633	1	470	1	3,491	2								
		28	26-30 hrs	4	1	458	1	330	1	2,696	1								
		33	More than 30 hrs	59	14	3,568	8	2,416	7	25,901	13								
		Total	428	100	45,027	100	40,113	100	221,045	100									
		0	0 hrs	45	10	4,274	10	4,947	12	49,922	22	6.9	5.3 ***	.30	5.1 ***	.35	4.8 ***	.38	
		3	1-5 hrs	167	39	27,031	58	23,900	58	115,216	51								
		8	6-10 hrs	132	32	9,015	20	7,382	19	35,198	17								
		13	11-15 hrs	53	13	2,730	6	2,327	6	11,192	5								
		18	16-20 hrs	16	3	1,031	2	837	2	4,645	2								
		23	21-25 hrs	5	1	435	1	356	1	1,926	1								
28	26-30 hrs	4	1	200	0	164	0	1,019	1										
33	More than 30 hrs	5	1	503	1	393	1	2,821	1										
Total	427	100	45,219	100	40,306	100	221,939	100											
16. Of the time you spend preparing for class in a typical 7-day week, about how much is on assigned reading?																			
reading	1	Very little	67	16	7,104	16	6,654	17	27,893	13	2.8	2.8	-.01	2.7	.03	2.9 *	-.11		
			2	Some	121	28	12,613	28	11,663	29								58,026	26
			3	About half	114	26	11,547	26	9,788	24								61,722	28
			4	Most	98	22	9,617	21	8,403	20								51,343	23
			5	Almost all	33	7	4,250	9	3,710	9								22,717	10
			Total	433	100	45,131	100	40,218	100	221,701								100	
tmreadinghrs												7.1	6.9	.04	6.8	.05	7.4	-.04	
(Continuous variable created by NSSE. Calculated as a proportion of tmprphrs based on reading, where Very little=.10; Some=.25; About half=.50; Most=.75; Almost all=.90)																			
tmreadinghrscol	(Collapsed version of tmreadinghrs created by NSSE.)	1	0 hrs	1	0	166	0	146	0	784	0								
		2	More than zero, up to 5 hrs	214	50	22,179	50	19,825	50	100,407	46								
		3	More than 5, up to 10 hrs	117	26	12,992	29	11,678	29	65,559	29								
		4	More than 10, up to 15 hrs	35	8	4,477	10	3,848	9	24,532	11								

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				Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e
		5	More than 15, up to 20 hrs	36	8	2,567	6	2,265	6	14,239	6								
		6	More than 20, up to 25 hrs	20	5	1,769	4	1,586	4	10,439	5								
		7	More than 25 hrs	8	2	759	2	680	2	4,655	2								
		Total		431	100	44,909	100	40,028	100	220,615	100								
17. How much has your experience at this institution contributed to your knowledge, skills, and personal development in the following areas?																			
a. Writing clearly and effectively	pgwrite	1	Very little	28	7	2,975	7	2,820	7	12,510	6	2.9	3.0	-.07	2.9	-.04	3.0 **	-.15	
		2	Some	111	27	10,391	23	9,500	24	45,635	21								
		3	Quite a bit	162	36	16,670	37	14,947	37	81,746	36								
		4	Very much	131	30	15,173	33	13,031	32	82,091	37								
		Total		432	100	45,209	100	40,298	100	221,982	100								
b. Speaking clearly and effectively	pgspeak	1	Very little	41	10	3,792	9	3,494	9	16,854	8	2.8	2.9	-.04	2.9	-.03	2.9 *	-.11	
		2	Some	124	28	11,187	25	9,971	25	49,753	23								
		3	Quite a bit	133	31	16,119	35	14,472	35	80,391	36								
		4	Very much	132	31	13,954	30	12,225	30	74,263	33								
		Total		430	100	45,052	100	40,162	100	221,261	100								
c. Thinking critically and analytically	pgthink	1	Very little	14	3	1,146	3	1,018	3	5,407	3	3.2	3.3 *	-.11	3.3 *	-.12	3.3 **	-.14	
		2	Some	66	16	6,064	14	5,246	13	27,379	13								
		3	Quite a bit	177	39	16,447	36	14,699	36	79,321	36								
		4	Very much	175	41	21,386	47	19,196	47	109,126	49								
		Total		432	100	45,043	100	40,159	100	221,233	100								
d. Analyzing numerical and statistical information	pganalyze	1	Very little	45	10	4,456	10	3,971	9	24,552	11	2.9	2.9	.01	2.9	-.01	2.8	.06	
		2	Some	102	23	11,488	25	9,927	24	59,102	26								
		3	Quite a bit	145	34	14,561	32	12,970	32	69,677	32								
		4	Very much	135	33	14,524	33	13,294	34	67,808	31								
		Total		427	100	45,029	100	40,162	100	221,139	100								
e. Acquiring job- or work-related knowledge and skills	pgwork	1	Very little	56	13	4,205	10	3,903	10	18,933	9	2.8	2.9	-.07	2.9	-.06	2.9 *	-.12	
		2	Some	103	24	10,650	24	9,625	24	49,479	23								
		3	Quite a bit	135	32	14,747	33	13,170	33	73,447	33								
		4	Very much	137	32	15,462	34	13,486	33	79,569	35								
		Total		431	100	45,064	100	40,184	100	221,428	100								

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f. Working effectively with others	pgothers	1	Very little	26	6	2,483	6	2,181	6	11,207	6	2.9	3.0	-.09	3.0	-.09	3.0 **	-.13
		2	Some	117	27	9,802	22	8,784	22	45,084	21							
		3	Quite a bit	144	34	16,468	37	14,749	37	81,541	36							
		4	Very much	143	33	16,241	35	14,384	35	83,123	37							
		Total	430	100	44,994	100	40,098	100	220,955	100								
g. Developing or clarifying a personal code of values and ethics	pgvalues	1	Very little	60	14	6,188	15	5,534	15	24,378	12	2.7	2.7	.03	2.7	.03	2.8	-.09
		2	Some	113	26	11,841	27	10,688	27	52,933	25							
		3	Quite a bit	131	30	14,319	31	12,859	31	71,612	32							
		4	Very much	124	29	12,700	27	11,076	27	72,268	32							
		Total	428	100	45,048	100	40,157	100	221,191	100								
h. Understanding people of other backgrounds (economic, racial/ethnic, political, religious, nationality, etc.)	pgdiverse	1	Very little	43	11	4,997	12	4,376	12	23,080	11	2.9	2.8 *	.10	2.8 *	.10	2.8	.06
		2	Some	99	24	12,252	28	11,122	28	58,549	26							
		3	Quite a bit	145	33	14,473	32	12,993	32	71,514	32							
		4	Very much	143	33	13,329	29	11,665	29	68,054	31							
		Total	430	100	45,051	100	40,156	100	221,197	100								
i. Solving complex real- world problems	pgprobsolve	1	Very little	62	14	4,548	11	3,972	10	21,041	10	2.7	2.8 **	-.13	2.8 **	-.13	2.8 **	-.15
		2	Some	125	29	12,120	27	10,911	27	58,750	27							
		3	Quite a bit	139	33	15,513	34	13,882	34	76,664	34							
		4	Very much	105	24	12,820	28	11,358	28	64,552	29							
		Total	431	100	45,001	100	40,123	100	221,007	100								
j. Being an informed and active citizen	pgcitizen	1	Very little	73	16	6,579	16	5,838	15	29,422	14	2.6	2.6	-.05	2.6	-.05	2.7 *	-.11
		2	Some	138	33	13,662	31	12,227	30	64,202	29							
		3	Quite a bit	126	30	13,881	31	12,553	31	69,801	31							
		4	Very much	93	22	10,746	23	9,404	23	56,718	26							
		Total	430	100	44,868	100	40,022	100	220,143	100								

18. How would you evaluate your entire educational experience at this institution?

	evalexp	1	Poor	12	3	1,023	3	900	3	5,109	3	3.2	3.2	-.09	3.2 *	-.10	3.3 *	-.12
		2	Fair	66	16	5,018	12	4,606	12	24,226	12							
		3	Good	189	42	20,460	45	18,199	44	96,473	44							
		4	Excellent	167	39	18,743	41	16,627	41	96,264	42							
		Total		434	100	45,244	100	40,332	100	222,072	100							

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19. If you could start over again, would you go to the same institution you are now attending?																			
	sameinst	1	Definitely no	19	4	1,748	4	1,571	4	10,486	5	3.2	3.2	.00	3.2	.00	3.2	.04	
		2	Probably no	59	14	5,202	12	4,896	12	28,257	13								
		3	Probably yes	148	34	17,523	39	15,523	38	84,702	38								
		4	Definitely yes	208	47	20,822	45	18,383	46	98,874	44								
		Total		434	100	45,295	100	40,373	100	222,319	100								