

Community College Survey of Student Engagement - 2017 Cohort
2017 Frequency Distributions - Main Survey

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Item	Variable	Responses	Count	Percent
Item 1				
1. Did you begin college at this college or elsewhere?	ENTER	Started here	127,901	71.4
		Started elsewhere	51,238	28.6
		Total	179,140	100.0
Item 4: In your experiences at this college during the current academic year, about how often have you done each of the following?				
4a. Asked questions in class or contributed to class discussions [ACTCOLL]	CLQUEST	Never	4,734	2.6
		Sometimes	55,903	31.2
		Often	63,833	35.6
		Very often	54,854	30.6
		Total	179,323	100.0
4b. Made a class presentation [ACTCOLL]	CLPRESEN	Never	44,962	25.2
		Sometimes	72,191	40.4
		Often	42,489	23.8
		Very often	18,872	10.6
		Total	178,514	100.0
4c. Prepared two or more drafts of a paper or assignment before turning it in [STUEFF]	REWROPAP	Never	35,579	20.0
		Sometimes	52,487	29.5
		Often	52,910	29.8
		Very often	36,792	20.7
		Total	177,768	100.0
4d. Worked on a paper or project that required integrating ideas or information from various sources [STUEFF]	INTEGRAT	Never	15,951	9.0
		Sometimes	43,987	24.7
		Often	67,071	37.6
		Very often	51,198	28.7
		Total	178,206	100.0
4e. Come to class without completing readings or assignments [STUEFF]	CLUNPREP	Never	60,099	33.8
		Sometimes	91,978	51.7
		Often	18,023	10.1
		Very often	7,757	4.4
		Total	177,858	100.0
4f. Worked with other students on projects during class [ACTCOLL]	CLASSGRP	Never	19,511	11.0
		Sometimes	65,031	36.7
		Often	61,134	34.5
		Very often	31,346	17.7
		Total	177,023	100.0
4g. Worked with classmates outside of class to prepare class assignments [ACTCOLL]	OCCGRP	Never	64,332	36.3
		Sometimes	67,049	37.8
		Often	31,313	17.6
		Very often	14,747	8.3
		Total	177,440	100.0

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Item 4: In your experiences at this college during the current academic year, about how often have you done each of the following?				
4h. Tutored or taught other students (paid or voluntary) [ACTCOLL]	TUTOR	Never	129,798	73.1
		Sometimes	33,035	18.6
		Often	9,584	5.4
		Very often	5,187	2.9
		Total	177,604	100.0
4i. Participated in a community-based project (service-learning activity) as part of a regular course [ACTCOLL]	PARTICCBP	Never	131,808	74.0
		Sometimes	30,887	17.3
		Often	10,262	5.8
		Very often	5,159	2.9
		Total	178,115	100.0
4j. Used e-mail to communicate with an instructor [STUFAC]	EMAIL	Never	10,140	5.7
		Sometimes	49,720	28.0
		Often	56,285	31.7
		Very often	61,319	34.6
		Total	177,464	100.0
4k. Discussed grades or assignments with an instructor [STUFAC]	FACGRADE	Never	15,665	8.8
		Sometimes	69,482	39.0
		Often	55,984	31.4
		Very often	36,994	20.8
		Total	178,124	100.0
4l. Talked about career plans with an instructor or advisor [STUFAC]	FACPLANS	Never	42,970	24.2
		Sometimes	74,982	42.3
		Often	38,381	21.6
		Very often	21,000	11.8
		Total	177,333	100.0
4m. Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with instructors outside of class [STUFAC]	FACIDEAS	Never	78,020	44.1
		Sometimes	64,983	36.7
		Often	23,154	13.1
		Very often	10,870	6.1
		Total	177,027	100.0
4n. Received prompt feedback (written or oral) from instructors on your performance [STUFAC]	FACFEED	Never	11,663	6.6
		Sometimes	54,968	31.0
		Often	70,620	39.8
		Very often	40,206	22.7
		Total	177,457	100.0
4o. Worked harder than you thought you could to meet an instructor's standards or expectations [ACCHALL]	WORKHARD	Never	16,967	9.5
		Sometimes	65,237	36.7
		Often	62,811	35.3
		Very often	32,787	18.4
		Total	177,803	100.0

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4p. Worked with instructors on activities other than coursework [STUFAC]	FACOTH	Never	115,468	65.6
		Sometimes	39,697	22.5
		Often	14,674	8.3
		Very often	6,306	3.6
		Total	176,145	100.0
4q. Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with others outside of class (students, family members, co-workers, etc.) [ACTCOLL]	OOCIDEAS	Never	24,971	14.0
		Sometimes	66,815	37.6
		Often	51,497	29.0
		Very often	34,549	19.4
		Total	177,832	100.0
4r. Had serious conversations with students who differ from you [ACTCOLL]	CONVSTUDIFF	Never	56,364	31.7
		Sometimes	70,988	39.9
		Often	33,905	19.1
		Very often	16,637	9.4
		Total	177,895	100.0
4s. Skipped class	SKIPCLAS	Never	94,686	53.1
		Sometimes	72,910	40.9
		Often	7,541	4.2
		Very often	3,085	1.7
		Total	178,222	100.0
Item 5: During the current academic year, how much has your coursework at this college emphasized the following mental activities?				
5a. Memorizing facts, ideas, or methods from your courses and readings so you can repeat them in pretty much the same form	MEMORIZE	Very little	12,617	7.1
		Some	50,357	28.2
		Quite a bit	68,326	38.3
		Very much	47,289	26.5
		Total	178,590	100.0
5b. Analyzing the basic elements of an idea, experience, or theory [ACCHALL]	ANALYZE	Very little	7,682	4.3
		Some	47,020	26.4
		Quite a bit	76,872	43.2
		Very much	46,308	26.0
		Total	177,882	100.0
5c. Forming a new idea or understanding from various pieces of information [ACCHALL]	NEWIDEAS	Very little	9,257	5.2
		Some	48,534	27.4
		Quite a bit	73,691	41.6
		Very much	45,625	25.8
		Total	177,108	100.0

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Item 5: During the current academic year, how much has your coursework at this college emphasized the following mental activities?				
5d. Making judgements about the value or soundness of information, arguments, or methods [ACCHALL]	EVALUATE	Very little	19,023	10.7
		Some	59,348	33.4
		Quite a bit	62,985	35.5
		Very much	36,250	20.4
		Total	177,606	100.0
5e. Applying theories or concepts to practical problems or in new situations [ACCHALL]	APPLYING	Very little	15,534	8.7
		Some	55,102	31.0
		Quite a bit	64,671	36.4
		Very much	42,538	23.9
		Total	177,846	100.0
5f. Using information you have read or heard to perform a new skill [ACCHALL]	PERFORM	Very little	13,944	7.8
		Some	48,215	27.0
		Quite a bit	64,514	36.2
		Very much	51,734	29.0
		Total	178,407	100.0
Item 6: During the current academic year, how much reading and writing have you done at this college?				
6a. Number of assigned textbooks, manuals, books, or packets of course readings [ACCHALL]	ASSIGREAD	None	4,367	2.5
		1–4	64,844	36.8
		5–10	52,135	29.6
		11–20	29,259	16.6
		More than 20	25,738	14.6
		Total	176,344	100.0
6b. Number of books read on your own (not assigned) for personal enjoyment or academic enrichment [STUEFF]	BKREADOWN	None	62,885	35.6
		1–4	77,298	43.7
		5–10	21,121	11.9
		11–20	8,206	4.6
		More than 20	7,252	4.1
		Total	176,761	100.0
6c. Number of written papers or reports of any length [ACCHALL]	NUMPAPRRPTS	None	17,981	10.2
		1–4	56,201	31.8
		5–10	55,994	31.7
		11–20	30,394	17.2
		More than 20	16,094	9.1
		Total	176,665	100.0

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7. Mark the response that best represents the extent to which your examinations during the current academic year have challenged you to do your best work at this college [ACCHALL]	CHALNGXAM	Extremely easy	1,609	1.0
		(2)	3,509	2.1
		(3)	11,303	6.7
		(4)	43,600	25.9
		(5)	58,121	34.5
		(6)	34,277	20.4
		Extremely challenging	15,834	9.4
		Total	168,253	100.0
Item 8: Which of the following have you done, or are you currently doing at this college?				
8a. Internship, field experience, co-op experience, or clinical assignment	DONEINTRN	No	146,594	83.1
		Yes	29,733	16.9
		Total	176,327	100.0
8b. An English course taught specifically for students whose first language is not English (ESL, ESOL)	DONEESL	No	165,271	93.8
		Yes	10,850	6.2
		Total	176,120	100.0
8c. Developmental/remedial reading course (also referred to as Basic Skills, College Prep, etc.)	DONEDEVRD	No	144,744	82.3
		Yes	31,106	17.7
		Total	175,849	100.0
8d. Developmental/remedial writing course (also referred to as Basic Skills, College Prep, etc.)	DONEDEVWR	No	141,496	80.4
		Yes	34,497	19.6
		Total	175,993	100.0
8e. Developmental/remedial math course (also referred to as Basic Skills, College Prep, etc.)	DONEDEVMT	No	125,823	71.4
		Yes	50,341	28.6
		Total	176,164	100.0
8f. Honors course	DONEHNRS	No	164,791	94.0
		Yes	10,549	6.0
		Total	175,340	100.0
Item 9: How much does this college emphasize the following?				
9a. Encouraging you to spend significant amounts of time studying [ACCHALL]	ENVSCHOL	Very little	6,635	3.7
		Some	38,278	21.6
		Quite a bit	75,985	42.9
		Very much	56,198	31.7
		Total	177,095	100.0
9b. Providing the support you need to succeed at this college [SUPPORT]	ENVSUPRT	Very little	7,381	4.2
		Some	36,882	20.9
		Quite a bit	72,479	41.0
		Very much	59,975	33.9
		Total	176,717	100.0

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Item 9: How much does this college emphasize the following?				
9c. Encouraging contact among students from different economic, social, and racial or ethnic backgrounds [SUPPORT]	ENVDIVRS	Very little	25,643	14.5
		Some	53,602	30.4
		Quite a bit	55,750	31.6
		Very much	41,342	23.4
		Total	176,336	100.0
9d. Helping you cope with your non-academic responsibilities (work, family, etc.) [SUPPORT]	ENVNACAD	Very little	64,075	36.4
		Some	60,584	34.4
		Quite a bit	33,035	18.8
		Very much	18,369	10.4
		Total	176,063	100.0
9e. Providing the support you need to thrive socially [SUPPORT]	ENVSOCAL	Very little	44,664	25.4
		Some	67,136	38.1
		Quite a bit	42,325	24.0
		Very much	21,949	12.5
		Total	176,073	100.0
9f. Providing the financial support you need to afford your education [SUPPORT]	FINSUPP	Very little	38,064	21.6
		Some	47,238	26.8
		Quite a bit	46,849	26.6
		Very much	43,961	25.0
		Total	176,112	100.0
Item 10: About how many hours do you spend in a typical 7-day week doing each of the following?				
10a. Preparing for class (studying, reading, writing, rehearsing, doing homework, or other activities related to your program) [STUEFF]	ACADPR01	None	2,779	1.6
		1–5	69,854	39.5
		6–10	53,766	30.4
		11–20	32,563	18.4
		21–30	11,621	6.6
		More than 30	6,204	3.5
		Total	176,788	100.0
10b. Working for pay	PAYWORK	None	37,829	21.5
		1–5	11,276	6.4
		6–10	14,091	8.0
		11–20	25,204	14.3
		21–30	34,525	19.6
		More than 30	52,900	30.1
		Total	175,825	100.0

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Item 10: About how many hours do you spend in a typical 7-day week doing each of the following?				
10c. Participating in college-sponsored activities (organizations, campus publications, student government, intramural sports, etc.)	PARTICXCUR	None	139,497	79.1
		1–5	25,051	14.2
		6–10	5,699	3.2
		11–20	3,212	1.8
		21–30	1,264	0.7
		More than 30	1,522	0.9
		Total	176,246	100.0
10d. Providing care for dependents living with you (parents, children, spouse, etc.)	CAREDE01	None	84,702	48.3
		1–5	28,517	16.3
		6–10	14,347	8.2
		11–20	10,057	5.7
		21–30	6,466	3.7
		More than 30	31,393	17.9
		Total	175,481	100.0
10e. Commuting to and from classes	COMMUTE	None	12,985	7.4
		1–5	119,092	67.6
		6–10	27,960	15.9
		11–20	9,299	5.3
		21–30	2,880	1.6
		More than 30	3,937	2.2
		Total	176,153	100.0
Item 11: How much has your experience at this college contributed to your knowledge, skills, and personal development in the following areas?				
11a. Acquiring job- or work-related knowledge and skills	GNWORK	Very little	38,057	21.6
		Some	53,317	30.2
		Quite a bit	47,024	26.7
		Very much	37,863	21.5
		Total	176,261	100.0
11b. Writing clearly and effectively	GNWRITE	Very little	20,172	11.4
		Some	50,462	28.6
		Quite a bit	66,031	37.4
		Very much	39,721	22.5
		Total	176,387	100.0
11c. Speaking clearly and effectively	GNSPEAK	Very little	24,391	13.8
		Some	52,201	29.6
		Quite a bit	61,577	35.0
		Very much	37,988	21.6
		Total	176,158	100.0

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Item 11: How much has your experience at this college contributed to your knowledge, skills, and personal development in the following areas?				
11d. Thinking critically and analytically	GNANALY	Very little	11,215	6.4
		Some	40,819	23.2
		Quite a bit	71,848	40.8
		Very much	52,222	29.7
		Total	176,104	100.0
11e. Solving numerical problems	GNSOLVE	Very little	28,057	15.9
		Some	50,907	28.9
		Quite a bit	58,018	32.9
		Very much	39,206	22.3
		Total	176,188	100.0
11f. Working effectively with others	GNOTHERS	Very little	17,360	9.9
		Some	49,903	28.3
		Quite a bit	63,213	35.9
		Very much	45,684	25.9
		Total	176,161	100.0
11g. Learning effectively on your own	GNINQ	Very little	12,453	7.1
		Some	40,615	23.1
		Quite a bit	68,309	38.8
		Very much	54,779	31.1
		Total	176,157	100.0
11h. Developing career goals	GNCARGOAL	Very little	27,283	15.5
		Some	46,970	26.7
		Quite a bit	54,042	30.7
		Very much	47,785	27.1
		Total	176,080	100.0
11i. Gaining information about career opportunities	GNGAINCAR	Very little	35,446	20.1
		Some	51,204	29.0
		Quite a bit	48,574	27.5
		Very much	41,169	23.3
		Total	176,392	100.0
Item 12.1: How often have you used the following services during the current academic year?				
12.1a. Academic advising / planning [SUPPORT]	FREQACAD	Never	28,076	16.2
		1 time	42,674	24.6
		2-4 times	80,613	46.4
		5 or more times	22,202	12.8
		Total	173,565	100.0

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Item 12.1: How often have you used the following services during the current academic year?				
12.1b. Career counseling [SUPPORT]	FREQCACOU	Never	112,418	65.1
		1 time	29,248	16.9
		2-4 times	25,141	14.6
		5 or more times	5,906	3.4
		Total	172,713	100.0
12.1c. Job placement services	FREQJOBPL	Never	151,537	88.4
		1 time	10,872	6.3
		2-4 times	6,781	4.0
		5 or more times	2,216	1.3
		Total	171,407	100.0
12.1d. Peer or other tutoring [STUEFF]	FREQTUTOR	Never	109,631	64.0
		1 time	19,515	11.4
		2-4 times	24,070	14.0
		5 or more times	18,170	10.6
		Total	171,386	100.0
12.1e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.) [STUEFF]	FREQLAB	Never	98,394	57.6
		1 time	18,281	10.7
		2-4 times	27,462	16.1
		5 or more times	26,803	15.7
		Total	170,941	100.0
12.1f. Child care	FREQCHLD	Never	162,583	95.1
		1 time	2,645	1.5
		2-4 times	2,735	1.6
		5 or more times	3,054	1.8
		Total	171,016	100.0
12.1g. Financial aid advising	FREQFAADV	Never	72,008	42.0
		1 time	33,940	19.8
		2-4 times	45,864	26.8
		5 or more times	19,550	11.4
		Total	171,362	100.0
12.1h. Computer lab [STUEFF]	FREQCOMLB	Never	60,599	35.4
		1 time	19,515	11.4
		2-4 times	36,223	21.1
		5 or more times	54,969	32.1
		Total	171,305	100.0
12.1i. Student organizations	FREQSTORG	Never	131,193	77.0
		1 time	15,716	9.2
		2-4 times	14,155	8.3
		5 or more times	9,373	5.5
		Total	170,437	100.0

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Item 12.1: How often have you used the following services during the current academic year?				
12.1j. Transfer advising / planning	FREQTRADV	Never	107,820	63.7
		1 time	30,341	17.9
		2-4 times	23,422	13.8
		5 or more times	7,616	4.5
		Total	169,198	100.0
12.1k. Library resources and services	FREQLIB	Never	50,724	29.7
		1 time	26,015	15.2
		2-4 times	45,414	26.6
		5 or more times	48,708	28.5
		Total	170,861	100.0
12.1l. Services for students with disabilities	FREQDISABSVCS	Never	155,796	90.7
		1 time	5,647	3.3
		2-4 times	5,339	3.1
		5 or more times	5,083	3.0
		Total	171,865	100.0
12.1m. Services for active military and veterans	FREQMILSVCS	Never	159,544	92.9
		1 time	3,936	2.3
		2-4 times	4,219	2.5
		5 or more times	4,041	2.4
		Total	171,740	100.0
Item 12.2: How satisfied are you with the services?				
12.2a. Academic advising / planning	SATACAD	Not at all	11,847	7.0
		Somewhat	66,012	39.1
		Very	65,534	38.8
		N.A.	25,574	15.1
		Total	168,967	100.0
12.2b. Career counseling	SATCACOU	Not at all	12,062	7.2
		Somewhat	30,353	18.2
		Very	26,660	16.0
		N.A.	97,301	58.5
		Total	166,377	100.0
12.2c. Job placement services	SATJOBPL	Not at all	11,964	7.3
		Somewhat	14,261	8.7
		Very	9,953	6.1
		N.A.	128,079	78.0
		Total	164,257	100.0

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Item 12.2: How satisfied are you with the services?				
12.2d. Peer or other tutoring	SATTUTOR	Not at all	9,036	5.5
		Somewhat	27,848	16.9
		Very	33,452	20.3
		N.A.	94,082	57.2
		Total	164,418	100.0
12.2e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.)	SATLAB	Not at all	7,505	4.6
		Somewhat	32,687	19.9
		Very	36,934	22.5
		N.A.	86,857	53.0
		Total	163,982	100.0
12.2f. Child care	SATCHLD	Not at all	8,834	5.4
		Somewhat	7,342	4.5
		Very	6,724	4.1
		N.A.	140,059	85.9
		Total	162,960	100.0
12.2g. Financial aid advising	SATFAADV	Not at all	14,564	8.8
		Somewhat	38,064	23.1
		Very	49,497	30.1
		N.A.	62,459	37.9
		Total	164,584	100.0
12.2h. Computer lab	SATCOMLB	Not at all	6,073	3.7
		Somewhat	36,339	22.1
		Very	68,452	41.6
		N.A.	53,546	32.6
		Total	164,411	100.0
12.2i. Student organizations	SATSTORG	Not at all	9,249	5.7
		Somewhat	22,782	14.0
		Very	17,914	11.0
		N.A.	112,776	69.3
		Total	162,723	100.0
12.2j. Transfer advising / planning	SATTRADV	Not at all	11,581	7.2
		Somewhat	29,563	18.3
		Very	28,227	17.5
		N.A.	92,103	57.0
		Total	161,474	100.0
12.2k. Library resources and services	SATLIB	Not at all	5,821	3.5
		Somewhat	39,665	24.1
		Very	73,966	45.0
		N.A.	44,926	27.3
		Total	164,379	100.0

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Item 12.2: How satisfied are you with the services?				
12.2l. Services for students with disabilities	SATDISABSVC	Not at all	7,297	4.4
		Somewhat	9,314	5.7
		Very	12,481	7.6
		N.A.	135,210	82.3
		Total	164,302	100.0
12.2m. Services for active military and veterans	SATMILSVCS	Not at all	8,022	4.9
		Somewhat	7,876	4.8
		Very	10,359	6.3
		N.A.	137,852	84.0
		Total	164,109	100.0
Item 12.3: How important are the services are to you at this college?				
12.3a. Academic advising / planning	IMPACAD	Not at all	12,860	7.7
		Somewhat	40,682	24.3
		Very	114,168	68.1
		Total	167,710	100.0
12.3b. Career counseling	IMPCACOU	Not at all	39,035	23.8
		Somewhat	46,782	28.5
		Very	78,342	47.7
		Total	164,159	100.0
12.3c. Job placement services	IMPJOBPL	Not at all	56,780	35.1
		Somewhat	47,741	29.5
		Very	57,173	35.4
		Total	161,693	100.0
12.3d. Peer or other tutoring	IMPTUTOR	Not at all	45,189	27.9
		Somewhat	47,484	29.3
		Very	69,482	42.8
		Total	162,154	100.0
12.3e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.)	IMPLAB	Not at all	42,458	26.3
		Somewhat	49,782	30.8
		Very	69,301	42.9
		Total	161,542	100.0
12.3f. Child care	IMPCHLD	Not at all	84,427	52.7
		Somewhat	30,372	19.0
		Very	45,309	28.3
		Total	160,109	100.0
12.3g. Financial aid advising	IMPFAADV	Not at all	31,056	19.1
		Somewhat	29,392	18.1
		Very	102,219	62.8
		Total	162,667	100.0

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Item 12.3: How important are the services are to you at this college?				
12.3h. Computer lab	IMPCOMLB	Not at all	31,021	19.0
		Somewhat	43,188	26.5
		Very	88,640	54.4
		Total	162,849	100.0
12.3i. Student organizations	IMPSTORG	Not at all	63,856	39.9
		Somewhat	54,411	34.0
		Very	41,853	26.1
		Total	160,121	100.0
12.3j. Transfer advising / planning	IMPTRADV	Not at all	43,867	27.5
		Somewhat	37,670	23.6
		Very	77,952	48.9
		Total	159,489	100.0
12.3k. Library resources and services	IMPLIB	Not at all	24,653	15.1
		Somewhat	41,292	25.3
		Very	97,199	59.6
		Total	163,143	100.0
12.3l. Services for students with disabilities	IMPDISABVC	Not at all	64,826	40.0
		Somewhat	23,946	14.8
		Very	73,137	45.2
		Total	161,909	100.0
12.3m. Services for active military and veterans	IMPMILSVCS	Not at all	69,533	43.0
		Somewhat	24,748	15.3
		Very	67,537	41.7
		Total	161,817	100.0
Item 13				
13. During the current academic term at this college, I completed registration before the first class session(s).	COMPLREG	No; I was not registered for any of my courses before the first class session(s)	3,125	1.8
		Partly; I was registered for some of my courses before the first class session(s)	4,241	2.4
		Mostly; I was registered for most of my courses before the first class session(s)	12,419	7.1
		Yes; I was registered for all of my courses before the first class session(s)	156,039	88.7
		Total	175,823	100.0

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Item 14				
14. The one response that best describes my experience with orientation when I first came to this college is:	EXPORIENT	I was not able to participate in orientation due to scheduling or other issues	28,881	16.5
		I was not aware of a college orientation	28,784	16.5
		I enrolled in an orientation course as part of my course schedule during my first academic term at this college	12,995	7.4
		I attended an on-campus orientation prior to the beginning of classes	79,139	45.3
		I took part in an online orientation prior to the beginning of classes	25,052	14.3
		Total	174,851	100.0
Item 15				
15. During my first academic year at this college, I participated in a first-year experience program.	PARTICFYE	No	143,703	82.0
		Yes	31,612	18.0
		Total	175,315	100.0
Item 16				
16. During my first academic term at this college, I participated in an organized learning community (a formal program in which groups of student stake two or more classes together).	PARTICLRNC	No	159,079	90.9
		Yes	15,905	9.1
		Total	174,984	100.0
Item 17				
17. During my first academic term at this college, I participated in a student success course (a course that teaches the skills needed to succeed in college).	PARTICSSC	No	123,578	70.6
		Yes	51,472	29.4
		Total	175,050	100.0
Item 18				
18. I was told I should enroll in a developmental/remedial course (also referred to as Basic Skills, College Prep, etc.) in my first academic term at this college, and I...	TOLDENRDEV	Did not enroll in any of these courses	30,177	17.2
		Did enroll in one of these courses	35,997	20.6
		Did enroll in more than one of these courses	25,302	14.5
		N.A.	83,601	47.8
		Total	175,077	100.0
Item 19				
19. During the current academic term at this college, my instructors clearly explained a class attendance policy that specified how many classes I could miss without a penalty.	ATTNDPOLICY	None of my instructors explained a class attendance policy	3,873	2.2
		Some of my instructors explained a class attendance policy	11,223	6.4
		Most of my instructors explained a class attendance policy	23,911	13.7
		All of my instructors explained a class attendance policy	135,982	77.7
		Total	174,989	100.0
Item 20				
20. Before the end of my first academic term at this college, an advisor helped me develop an academic plan (a personalized plan with a defined sequence of courses for completing a college certificate or degree and/or for transferring to a 4-year college or university).	DEVACADPLN	No	62,289	35.7
		Yes	86,520	49.6
		I'm still in my first academic term; I have not yet developed an academic plan.	25,755	14.8
		Total	174,564	100.0

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Item 21				
21. Someone at this college contacts me if I am struggling with my studies to help me get the assistance I need.	STRGLASSIST	No	87,026	49.8
		Yes	36,085	20.7
		N.A.	51,472	29.5
		Total	174,584	100.0
Item 22				
22. During the current academic year at this college, I participated in supplemental instruction/supplemental learning (extra class sessions with the instructor or an experienced student).	PARTICSI	Never	137,744	78.9
		Less than 1 time a week	19,454	11.1
		1–2 times a week	13,581	7.8
		3–4 times a week	2,585	1.5
		More than 4 times a week	1,228	0.7
		Total	174,592	100.0
Item 23: How likely is it that the following issues would cause you to withdraw from class or from this college?				
23a. Working full-time	WRKFULL	Not likely	69,856	40.2
		Somewhat likely	36,692	21.1
		Likely	30,690	17.7
		Very likely	36,515	21.0
		Total	173,753	100.0
23b. Caring for dependents	CAREDEP	Not likely	89,896	52.0
		Somewhat likely	36,599	21.2
		Likely	25,702	14.9
		Very likely	20,728	12.0
		Total	172,925	100.0
23c. Academically unprepared	ACADUNP	Not likely	97,122	56.5
		Somewhat likely	40,918	23.8
		Likely	20,634	12.0
		Very likely	13,375	7.8
		Total	172,048	100.0
23d. Lack of finances	LACKFIN	Not likely	56,477	32.7
		Somewhat likely	38,315	22.2
		Likely	31,195	18.0
		Very likely	46,873	27.1
		Total	172,861	100.0
23e. Transfer to a 4-year college or university	TRANSFER	Not likely	70,175	40.6
		Somewhat likely	30,845	17.8
		Likely	28,103	16.2
		Very likely	43,841	25.3
		Total	172,964	100.0

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Item 24				
24. How supportive are your friends of your attending this college?	FRNDSUPP	Not very	7,235	4.1
		Somewhat	25,983	14.9
		Quite a bit	51,552	29.6
		Extremely	89,592	51.4
		Total	174,361	100.0
Item 25				
25. How supportive is your immediate family of your attending this college?	FAMSUPP	Not very	4,722	2.7
		Somewhat	15,426	8.8
		Quite a bit	36,819	21.1
		Extremely	117,407	67.3
		Total	174,374	100.0
Item 26: Indicate which of the following are your reasons/goals for attending this college.				
26a. Complete a certificate program	GOALCERT	No	99,155	58.1
		Yes	71,441	41.9
		Total	170,596	100.0
26b. Obtain an associate degree	GOALAA	No	39,351	22.9
		Yes	132,465	77.1
		Total	171,816	100.0
26c. Transfer to a 4-year college or university	GOALTR4YR	No	56,480	32.9
		Yes	115,086	67.1
		Total	171,566	100.0
26d. Obtain or update job-related skills	GOALJOBSKILL	No	67,878	39.9
		Yes	102,115	60.1
		Total	169,993	100.0
26e. Change Careers	GOALCHGCAR	No	113,593	66.8
		Yes	56,419	33.2
		Total	170,012	100.0
26f. Self-improvement/personal enjoyment	GOALSELFIMP	No	58,401	34.2
		Yes	112,328	65.8
		Total	170,729	100.0
Item 27: Indicate which of the following are sources you use to pay for your tuition at this college.				
27a. My own income/savings	PAYOWNINC	Not a source	55,829	32.4
		Minor source	55,051	32.0
		Major source	61,316	35.6
		Total	172,196	100.0
27b. Income/savings from family	PAYFAM	Not a source	94,080	54.9
		Minor source	32,864	19.2
		Major source	44,533	26.0
		Total	171,476	100.0

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Item 27: Indicate which of the following are sources you use to pay for your tuition at this college.				
27c. Employer contributions	PAYEMPLOYER	Not a source	150,482	88.2
		Minor source	11,214	6.6
		Major source	8,921	5.2
		Total	170,617	100.0
27d. Active military or veterans benefits	PAYMILBEN	Not a source	158,799	93.3
		Minor source	3,361	2.0
		Major source	8,121	4.8
		Total	170,281	100.0
27e. Grants	PAYGRANT	Not a source	95,862	55.9
		Minor source	18,634	10.9
		Major source	57,082	33.3
		Total	171,578	100.0
27f. Scholarships	PAYSCHOL	Not a source	118,941	69.6
		Minor source	22,265	13.0
		Major source	29,597	17.3
		Total	170,803	100.0
27g. Student loans (bank, etc.)	PAYSTULOANS	Not a source	119,049	69.5
		Minor source	14,714	8.6
		Major source	37,512	21.9
		Total	171,275	100.0
27h. Public assistance	PAYPUBASSIST	Not a source	151,067	88.5
		Minor source	8,010	4.7
		Major source	11,673	6.8
		Total	170,749	100.0
Item 28				
28. When do you plan to take classes at this college again?	WHENTKAGN	I will accomplish my goal(s) during this academic term and will not be returning	29,932	17.2
		I have no current plan to return	9,597	5.5
		Within the next 12 months	106,146	61.0
		Uncertain	28,243	16.2
		Total	173,918	100.0
Item 29				
29. At this college, in what range is your overall college grade point average (GPA)?	COLGPA	D or lower	4,294	2.5
		C	33,019	19.1
		B	78,567	45.4
		A	49,289	28.5
		I don't have a GPA at this college	7,942	4.6
		Total	173,113	100.0

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Item 30				
30. In what range was your overall high school grade point average (GPA)?	HSGPA	D or lower	6,307	3.6
		C	35,463	20.4
		B	72,650	41.8
		A	44,960	25.9
		I do not remember	14,345	8.3
		Total	173,724	100.0
Item 31				
31. When do you most frequently take classes at this college?	TIMCLASS	Day classes (morning or afternoon)	137,219	79.4
		Evening classes	34,916	20.2
		Weekend classes	726	0.4
		Total	172,860	100.0
Item 32				
32a. Face-to-face (a class in which all instruction is face-to-face in a classroom)	NUMCLF2F	None	4,238	2.5
		1	33,222	19.2
		2	48,247	27.9
		3	39,555	22.9
		4	27,865	16.1
		5 or more	19,826	11.5
		Total	172,953	100.0
32b. Online (a class in which all instruction is online)	NUMCLOL	None	116,415	70.8
		1	31,827	19.4
		2	10,459	6.4
		3	3,539	2.2
		4	1,101	0.7
		5 or more	1,030	0.6
		Total	164,372	100.0
32c. Hybrid (a class that is a mixture of face-to-face and online instruction)	NUMCLHYB	None	125,550	77.0
		1	23,482	14.4
		2	7,580	4.6
		3	3,402	2.1
		4	1,516	0.9
		5 or more	1,561	1.0
		Total	163,091	100.0

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Item 33				
33. How many total credit hours have you earned at this college, not counting the courses you are currently taking this academic term?	TOTCREARND	None	17,339	10.0
		1–14 credits	56,401	32.7
		15–29 credits	39,177	22.7
		30–44 credits	24,040	13.9
		45–60 credits	20,518	11.9
		Over 60 credits	15,250	8.8
		Total	172,725	100.0
Item 34				
34. How many total academic terms have you been enrolled at this college?	TOTTERMS	This is my first academic term	34,005	19.5
		This is my second academic term	50,965	29.2
		This is my third or fourth academic term	51,408	29.5
		This is my fifth or sixth academic term	22,926	13.1
		I have been enrolled more than six academic terms	15,209	8.7
		Total	174,512	100.0
Item 35				
35. Would you recommend this college to a friend or family member?	RECOMMEN	No	10,533	6.0
		Yes	164,210	94.0
		Total	174,743	100.0
Item 36				
36. How would you rate your overall educational experience at this college?	OVRALLEXP	Poor	2,525	1.4
		Fair	21,643	12.4
		Good	91,785	52.5
		Excellent	59,030	33.7
		Total	174,982	100.0
Item 37				
37. Do you have children who live with you and depend on you for their care?	CHILDREN	No	136,506	78.2
		Yes	38,116	21.8
		Total	174,622	100.0
Item 40				
40. Are you married?	MARRIED	No	146,491	83.9
		Yes	28,212	16.1
		Total	174,703	100.0
Item 41				
41. Is English your native (first) language?	ENGFIRST	No	29,348	16.8
		Yes	145,007	83.2
		Total	174,355	100.0

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Item 42				
42. Are you a current or former member of the U.S. Armed Forces, Reserves, or National Guard?	MILITARY	No	165,733	95.1
		Yes	8,631	4.9
		Total	174,364	100.0
Item 44				
44. Are you a student-athlete on a team sponsored by this college's athletics department?	STUATHLETE	No	168,870	97.1
		Yes	5,046	2.9
		Total	173,915	100.0
Item 46				
46. What is the highest academic credential you have earned?	HIGHESTED	None	4,895	2.8
		GED	7,939	4.6
		High school diploma	122,527	71.0
		Vocational/technical certificate	13,941	8.1
		Associate degree	13,365	7.7
		Bachelor's degree	8,059	4.7
		Master's/doctoral/professional degree	1,790	1.0
		Total	172,515	100.0
Item 47: Who in your family has attended at least some college? (Mark all that apply)				
47a. Mother	SOMECOLMO	Not marked	84,333	46.9
		Marked	95,338	53.1
		Total	179,671	100.0
47b. Father	SOMECOLFA	Not marked	103,428	57.6
		Marked	76,244	42.4
		Total	179,671	100.0
47c. Brother/Sister	SOMECOLSIB	Not marked	87,248	48.6
		Marked	92,423	51.4
		Total	179,671	100.0
47d. Child	SOMECOLCHLD	Not marked	172,233	95.9
		Marked	7,439	4.1
		Total	179,671	100.0
47e. Spouse/Partner	SOMECOLSP	Not marked	154,304	85.9
		Marked	25,368	14.1
		Total	179,671	100.0
47f. Legal Guardian	SOMECOLGUAR	Not marked	176,845	98.4
		Marked	2,826	1.6
		Total	179,671	100.0
47g. No one	SOMECOLNONE	Not marked	153,021	85.2
		Marked	26,650	14.8
		Total	179,671	100.0