

2008 TFS INSTITUTIONAL SUMMARY

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U of California-San Diego First-time Full-time	# Res- pondents	Your Institution			Public Univ-hi			All Public Univs		
		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
Number of Respondents		1,620	2,156	3,776	16,621	20,102	36,723	31,321	36,444	67,765
How old will you be on December 31 of this year?	3,768									
16 or younger		0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
17		2.2	2.8	2.6	1.4	2.1	1.8	1.3	1.9	1.6
18		78.4	83.7	81.4	69.6	76.2	73.1	65.9	72.8	69.6
19		18.2	12.8	15.1	28.4	21.5	24.8	31.4	24.8	27.9
20		0.9	0.6	0.7	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.4	0.5
21 to 24		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.3
25 to 29		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
30 to 39		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
40 to 54		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
55 or older		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Is English your native language?	3,741									
Yes		65.2	63.7	64.3	88.9	87.7	88.3	88.9	87.7	88.3
No		34.8	36.3	35.7	11.1	12.3	11.7	11.1	12.3	11.7
In what year did you graduate from high school?	3,767									
2008		99.6	99.6	99.6	99.5	99.6	99.6	98.6	99.3	98.9
2007		0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.5	0.6
2006		0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1
2005 or earlier		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.1	0.2
Did not graduate but passed G.E.D. test		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1
Never completed high school		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
How many miles is this college from your permanent home?	3,684									
5 or less		1.3	0.9	1.1	2.0	1.7	1.8	2.8	2.6	2.7
6 to 10		2.2	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.6	2.8	2.7
11 to 50		11.0	11.0	11.0	15.2	14.9	15.1	19.1	17.7	18.3
51 to 100		19.8	18.8	19.2	14.3	15.3	14.9	19.5	20.3	19.9
101 to 500		47.5	47.9	47.7	54.1	52.3	53.2	45.7	45.5	45.6
Over 500		18.1	19.0	18.6	12.0	13.4	12.7	10.3	11.1	10.7
What was your average grade in high school?	3,743									
A or A+		31.6	33.5	32.7	36.1	40.7	38.5	24.7	30.1	27.5
A-		44.6	44.1	44.3	35.7	37.2	36.5	29.0	31.4	30.3
B+		17.5	16.7	17.0	17.5	15.0	16.2	21.7	20.1	20.9
B		5.8	4.9	5.3	9.0	6.2	7.5	17.8	14.3	16.0
B-		0.4	0.7	0.6	1.3	0.7	1.0	4.4	2.9	3.6
C+		0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	1.6	0.9	1.2
C		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.7	0.3	0.5
D		0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
From what kind of high school did you graduate?	3,755									
Public school (not charter or magnet)		81.5	82.2	81.9	76.7	78.5	77.6	81.4	82.8	82.1
Public charter school		2.4	2.1	2.2	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.6
Public magnet school		6.1	5.6	5.8	5.1	5.7	5.4	3.3	3.9	3.6
Private religious/parochial school		6.3	6.6	6.5	10.2	9.0	9.6	8.8	7.8	8.2
Private independent college-prep school		3.7	3.5	3.6	6.4	5.3	5.8	4.7	3.6	4.1
Home school		0.1	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Prior to this term, have you ever taken courses for credit at this institution?	3,752									
No		94.0	95.8	95.0	95.7	96.6	96.2	95.4	96.1	95.8
Yes		6.0	4.2	5.0	4.3	3.4	3.8	4.6	3.9	4.2

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Since leaving high school, have you ever taken courses, whether for credit or not for credit, at <u>any other</u> institution (university, 4- or 2-year college, technical, vocational, or business school)?	3,704									
No		80.9	80.1	80.4	89.2	87.8	88.5	88.7	86.5	87.5
Yes		19.1	19.9	19.6	10.8	12.2	11.5	11.3	13.5	12.5
Where do you plan to live during the fall term?	3,748									
With my family or other relatives		5.5	6.5	6.1	2.4	2.2	2.3	5.7	5.4	5.6
Other private home, apartment, or room		3.8	2.7	3.1	3.7	3.9	3.8	4.1	4.2	4.2
College residence hall		85.4	86.7	86.2	91.2	90.9	91.0	85.8	86.2	86.0
Fraternity or sorority house		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.4	0.9	1.1
Other campus student housing		4.6	3.7	4.1	2.3	2.7	2.5	2.7	3.1	2.9
Other		0.7	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
To how many colleges other than this one did you apply for admission this year?	3,750									
None		0.6	0.6	0.6	9.1	6.6	7.8	15.7	13.4	14.5
One		0.9	0.5	0.6	9.2	8.0	8.6	10.9	10.6	10.7
Two		1.7	2.5	2.1	11.9	11.6	11.7	13.1	12.6	12.9
Three		9.9	7.9	8.8	14.4	13.9	14.2	14.7	13.9	14.3
Four		14.7	12.3	13.3	12.9	13.1	13.0	12.0	12.3	12.2
Five		15.0	13.9	14.4	11.5	11.5	11.5	9.7	9.8	9.8
Six		15.1	15.2	15.1	9.6	10.0	9.8	7.6	8.2	7.9
Seven to ten		34.1	37.9	36.3	17.5	20.4	19.0	13.4	15.8	14.7
Eleven or more		8.2	9.2	8.7	3.9	4.8	4.4	2.7	3.4	3.0
Were you accepted by your first choice college?	3,737									
Yes		33.8	44.0	39.7	69.9	74.1	72.1	72.1	75.7	74.0
No		66.2	56.0	60.3	30.1	25.9	27.9	27.9	24.3	26.0
Is this college your:	3,727									
First choice?		27.4	33.1	30.6	61.6	61.1	61.4	61.2	60.4	60.8
Second choice?		36.9	39.0	38.1	24.6	25.7	25.2	24.0	25.1	24.6
Third choice?		24.1	20.1	21.8	9.2	8.7	8.9	9.0	8.7	8.9
Less than third choice?		11.5	7.8	9.4	4.6	4.5	4.5	5.7	5.7	5.7
Citizenship status	3,755									
U.S. citizen		87.7	89.6	88.8	95.1	95.9	95.5	95.5	96.3	95.9
Permanent resident (green card)		8.6	7.0	7.7	3.4	3.0	3.2	2.9	2.6	2.8
Neither		3.7	3.4	3.5	1.5	1.2	1.3	1.6	1.1	1.3
Are your parents:	3,739									
Both alive and living with each other?		77.1	72.3	74.3	79.4	74.6	76.9	76.9	72.3	74.5
Both alive, divorced or living apart?		18.6	23.2	21.2	17.8	22.1	20.1	20.1	24.4	22.3
One or both deceased?		4.3	4.6	4.5	2.8	3.2	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.2

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During high school (grades 9-12) how many years did you study each of the following subjects? [1]										
English (4 years)	3,750	98.9	99.2	99.1	99.0	99.2	99.1	98.3	98.6	98.5
Mathematics (3 years)	3,748	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.1	98.9	99.0
Foreign Language (2 years)	3,737	96.8	97.7	97.3	97.4	98.0	97.7	94.5	95.7	95.2
Physical Science (2 years)	3,699	75.0	67.6	70.8	75.5	67.2	71.1	71.2	62.5	66.7
Biological Science (2 years)	3,721	57.0	61.2	59.4	53.9	59.6	56.9	49.7	55.1	52.5
History/Am. Govt. (1 year)	3,713	99.1	98.9	98.9	99.4	99.2	99.3	99.2	99.0	99.1
Computer Science (1/2 year)	3,661	44.3	35.4	39.3	58.1	46.9	52.2	62.1	51.9	56.8
Arts and/or Music (1 year)	3,713	90.9	93.0	92.1	76.9	85.5	81.4	79.4	87.5	83.7
WHAT IS THE HIGHEST ACADEMIC DREGREE THAT YOU INTEND TO OBTAIN?										
Highest planned	3,483									
None		0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6
Vocational certificate		0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Associate (A.A. or equivalent)		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3
Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)		6.1	8.3	7.3	13.5	11.7	12.6	20.9	18.4	19.6
Master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)		38.5	33.8	35.9	42.3	40.7	41.5	42.4	40.9	41.6
Ph.D. or Ed.D.		28.4	28.4	28.4	21.6	21.8	21.7	19.6	20.0	19.8
M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.		19.6	22.7	21.4	14.3	18.5	16.5	10.4	14.0	12.3
J.D. (Law)		5.5	4.8	5.1	6.4	5.5	5.9	4.5	4.3	4.4
B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)		0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Other		1.1	1.3	1.2	0.9	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.2
Highest planned at this college	2,919									
None		0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.9	0.8	0.8
Vocational certificate		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Associate (A.A. or equivalent)		0.2	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.9	1.2	1.1
Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)		67.9	74.8	71.8	61.7	65.8	63.8	65.2	68.3	66.8
Master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)		19.8	13.3	16.1	24.7	20.5	22.5	23.4	19.9	21.6
Ph.D. or Ed.D.		5.7	5.4	5.5	5.7	5.2	5.5	4.9	4.4	4.7
M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.		4.7	4.4	4.5	5.0	5.7	5.4	2.9	3.7	3.3
J.D. (Law)		0.4	0.1	0.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	0.7	0.6	0.7
B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Other		0.5	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.9	0.8
HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE THE RACIAL COMPOSITION OF THE:										
High school I last attended	3,752									
Completely non-White		6.4	6.2	6.3	2.5	3.1	2.8	2.6	3.3	3.0
Mostly non-White		37.7	37.6	37.7	14.1	15.3	14.7	13.9	15.3	14.6
Roughly half non-White		29.8	30.2	30.1	25.3	27.3	26.4	23.8	26.2	25.1
Mostly White		24.1	24.0	24.0	51.7	48.2	49.8	52.1	48.6	50.2
Completely White		1.9	2.0	2.0	6.4	6.1	6.2	7.6	6.6	7.1
Neighborhood where I grew up	3,557									
Completely non-White		9.7	10.4	10.1	4.0	4.6	4.3	4.3	5.3	4.9
Mostly non-White		30.8	30.3	30.5	10.8	11.5	11.2	11.4	12.1	11.8
Roughly half non-White		23.6	24.9	24.3	13.9	13.7	13.8	13.8	14.1	14.0
Mostly White		32.2	31.3	31.7	53.9	52.8	53.3	51.1	50.3	50.7
Completely White		3.7	3.1	3.3	17.5	17.4	17.4	19.3	18.1	18.7

[1] Based on the recommendations of the National Commission on Excellence in Education.

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Do you have a disability?										
Hearing	3,776	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5
Speech	3,776	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2
Orthopedic	3,776	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4
Learning disability	3,776	1.0	0.4	0.7	1.8	1.4	1.6	2.1	1.7	1.9
Partially sighted or blind	3,776	3.3	3.2	3.3	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.3	1.4
Health-related	3,776	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.2
Other	3,776	1.7	0.7	1.2	1.1	0.8	0.9	1.2	0.9	1.0
HOW MUCH OF YOUR FIRST YEAR'S EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES (ROOM, BOARD TUITION, AND FEES) DO YOU EXPECT TO COVER FROM:										
Family resources (parents, relatives, spouse, etc.)	3,776									
None		12.2	13.9	13.2	14.0	14.6	14.3	16.0	16.9	16.5
Less than \$1,000		8.3	10.0	9.3	6.4	8.3	7.4	8.8	10.4	9.6
\$1,000 to 2,999		10.1	11.1	10.7	10.3	11.3	10.9	11.8	13.1	12.5
\$3,000 to 5,999		9.0	10.9	10.1	10.8	11.5	11.2	12.4	13.2	12.8
\$6,000 to 9,999		11.7	9.7	10.6	10.9	10.7	10.8	11.9	11.5	11.7
\$10,000 +		48.8	44.3	46.2	47.5	43.5	45.4	39.1	34.9	36.9
My own resources (savings from work, work-study, other income)	3,776									
None		31.8	27.7	29.4	37.0	36.0	36.4	33.1	31.9	32.4
Less than \$1,000		25.1	27.9	26.7	24.6	28.0	26.4	24.4	28.4	26.5
\$1,000 to 2,999		26.0	28.4	27.4	24.6	23.9	24.2	26.4	25.9	26.1
\$3,000 to 5,999		11.2	11.3	11.2	9.0	8.1	8.5	10.5	9.4	9.9
\$6,000 to 9,999		2.8	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.2	2.4	3.2	2.5	2.8
\$10,000 +		3.1	1.9	2.4	2.2	1.8	2.0	2.4	2.0	2.2
Aid which need <u>not</u> be repaid (grants, scholarships, military funding, etc.)	3,776									
None		42.6	34.3	37.9	36.2	31.2	33.6	37.0	31.7	34.2
Less than \$1,000		7.1	8.7	8.0	6.0	6.8	6.4	8.2	8.6	8.4
\$1,000 to 2,999		10.1	10.6	10.4	13.7	14.3	14.0	14.3	15.0	14.7
\$3,000 to 5,999		6.9	8.0	7.5	12.9	14.2	13.6	12.7	14.3	13.5
\$6,000 to 9,999		11.4	12.8	12.2	10.2	11.3	10.8	10.3	11.2	10.8
\$10,000 +		22.0	25.6	24.1	20.9	22.3	21.6	17.6	19.2	18.4
Aid which <u>must</u> be repaid (loans, etc.)	3,776									
None		54.8	53.3	53.9	61.0	59.5	60.2	55.8	53.2	54.4
Less than \$1,000		3.2	3.8	3.5	3.0	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.8	3.5
\$1,000 to 2,999		6.9	8.5	7.8	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.9	8.4	8.2
\$3,000 to 5,999		15.9	15.6	15.7	11.8	12.5	12.2	13.8	14.8	14.3
\$6,000 to 9,999		8.3	8.9	8.6	7.1	7.3	7.2	8.2	8.3	8.3
\$10,000 +		11.0	10.0	10.4	10.0	10.2	10.1	11.1	11.5	11.3
Other than above	3,776									
None		92.8	94.2	93.6	94.5	95.1	94.8	93.9	94.4	94.1
Less than \$1,000		3.3	2.3	2.7	2.2	1.7	2.0	2.6	2.2	2.4
\$1,000 to 2,999		1.5	1.8	1.6	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.5
\$3,000 to 5,999		1.2	0.7	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.8
\$6,000 to 9,999		0.7	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
\$10,000 +		0.5	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8

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What is your best estimate of your parents' total income last year? Consider income from all sources before taxes	3,451									
Less than \$10,000		4.2	5.5	4.9	1.7	2.4	2.1	2.2	3.2	2.7
\$10,000 to 14,999		3.3	4.7	4.1	1.5	2.3	1.9	1.7	2.7	2.2
\$15,000 to 19,999		4.2	4.1	4.2	1.5	2.0	1.8	1.9	2.4	2.1
\$20,000 to 24,999		4.8	6.6	5.8	2.1	3.0	2.6	2.6	3.4	3.0
\$25,000 to 29,999		3.6	5.2	4.5	2.0	2.8	2.4	2.4	3.2	2.8
\$30,000 to 39,999		7.6	7.9	7.7	3.9	5.3	4.6	4.8	6.3	5.6
\$40,000 to 49,999		6.7	7.6	7.2	4.3	5.6	5.0	5.5	7.0	6.3
\$50,000 to 59,999		6.3	7.3	6.8	5.6	6.1	5.9	7.0	8.0	7.5
\$60,000 to 74,999		7.8	7.9	7.9	8.1	9.2	8.6	9.5	10.8	10.2
\$75,000 to 99,999		10.1	10.1	10.1	14.1	13.6	13.9	15.5	14.4	14.9
\$100,000 to 149,999		18.0	15.2	16.4	24.2	20.0	22.1	22.9	18.1	20.4
\$150,000 to 199,999		9.2	7.5	8.2	12.1	10.6	11.3	10.0	8.6	9.3
\$200,000 to 249,999		6.1	4.6	5.3	7.1	6.0	6.6	5.5	4.5	5.0
\$250,000 or more		8.1	5.8	6.8	11.8	10.8	11.3	8.6	7.4	8.0
Do you have any concern about your ability to finance your college education?	3,728									
None (I am confident that I will have sufficient funds)		31.6	19.8	24.8	46.1	35.8	40.7	41.3	30.2	35.4
Some (but I probably will have enough funds)		55.9	63.2	60.1	47.2	54.2	50.9	50.6	57.1	54.0
Major (not sure I will have enough funds to complete college)		12.5	17.0	15.1	6.7	10.0	8.4	8.2	12.7	10.6
Your current religious preference	3,692									
Baptist		3.5	3.6	3.5	6.3	7.0	6.6	5.7	6.4	6.1
Buddhist		6.4	6.9	6.7	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.0	2.1
Church of Christ		4.0	3.3	3.6	2.9	2.3	2.6	4.1	3.2	3.6
Eastern Orthodox		0.7	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7
Episcopalian		0.7	0.4	0.5	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.1	1.3	1.2
Hindu		2.6	2.0	2.3	1.7	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.3	1.4
Jewish		2.9	2.1	2.4	6.0	5.3	5.7	3.6	3.4	3.5
LDS (Mormon)		0.6	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	2.5	3.6	3.1
Lutheran		1.8	1.6	1.7	2.6	2.9	2.8	4.4	4.7	4.5
Methodist		1.1	1.1	1.1	4.9	5.4	5.1	4.2	4.6	4.4
Muslim		2.0	1.8	1.8	1.2	0.9	1.0	1.2	0.9	1.0
Presbyterian		6.0	7.5	6.9	4.8	5.7	5.3	3.6	3.8	3.7
Quaker		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
Roman Catholic		15.7	20.4	18.4	24.0	25.7	24.9	23.7	25.2	24.5
Seventh Day Adventist		0.4	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3
United Church of Christ/Congregational		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6
Other Christian		11.3	12.6	12.1	9.9	10.9	10.4	10.8	12.4	11.7
Other Religion		2.9	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.9	2.9	2.9
None		37.3	32.2	34.4	27.6	23.7	25.5	26.8	22.6	24.6

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Father's current religious preference	3,552									
Baptist		3.2	3.7	3.5	6.8	7.3	7.1	6.0	6.6	6.3
Buddhist		11.8	13.6	12.8	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.0	3.1
Church of Christ		3.9	2.9	3.4	3.4	2.3	2.8	4.5	3.1	3.8
Eastern Orthodox		0.8	1.2	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8
Episcopalian		1.0	0.7	0.8	2.3	2.3	2.3	1.5	1.6	1.5
Hindu		3.6	2.4	2.9	2.2	1.6	1.8	2.0	1.4	1.7
Jewish		4.0	2.7	3.2	7.2	6.1	6.6	4.5	4.1	4.2
LDS (Mormon)		0.6	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	2.7	3.7	3.2
Lutheran		1.6	2.1	1.9	3.3	3.5	3.4	5.5	5.4	5.4
Methodist		1.0	1.1	1.1	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.1	4.8	4.9
Muslim		2.3	2.2	2.3	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.4
Presbyterian		5.9	7.2	6.6	5.7	6.0	5.9	4.1	4.2	4.1
Quaker		0.3	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Roman Catholic		18.5	21.0	19.9	27.0	28.3	27.7	27.0	28.0	27.5
Seventh Day Adventist		0.7	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4
United Church of Christ/Congregational		0.2	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
Other Christian		10.2	9.2	9.7	9.6	9.9	9.8	10.8	11.0	10.9
Other Religion		2.7	1.9	2.3	1.8	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.1
None		27.7	27.0	27.3	18.2	18.1	18.1	17.8	17.4	17.6
Mother's current religious preference	3,608									
Baptist		3.5	4.2	3.9	7.0	7.6	7.3	6.5	6.9	6.7
Buddhist		13.9	14.1	14.0	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.3
Church of Christ		5.0	3.7	4.3	3.7	2.7	3.1	4.9	3.6	4.2
Eastern Orthodox		0.6	1.4	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9
Episcopalian		1.2	0.6	0.9	2.7	2.6	2.7	1.7	1.9	1.8
Hindu		3.5	2.4	2.9	2.1	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.4	1.6
Jewish		3.5	2.6	3.0	6.8	6.0	6.4	4.3	3.9	4.1
LDS (Mormon)		0.7	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	2.8	3.7	3.3
Lutheran		1.9	1.9	1.9	3.6	3.5	3.6	5.6	5.5	5.5
Methodist		1.4	1.4	1.4	6.0	6.3	6.2	5.4	5.6	5.5
Muslim		2.1	2.1	2.1	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.2
Presbyterian		6.6	8.2	7.5	6.1	6.7	6.4	4.5	4.5	4.5
Quaker		0.3	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Roman Catholic		18.9	23.8	21.7	29.2	30.5	29.9	29.0	30.1	29.6
Seventh Day Adventist		0.4	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4
United Church of Christ/Congregational		0.1	0.4	0.3	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8
Other Christian		12.2	11.3	11.7	10.6	10.9	10.7	11.8	12.4	12.1
Other Religion		2.6	2.6	2.6	1.9	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.4	2.2
None		21.6	18.4	19.8	13.0	12.1	12.5	12.6	11.6	12.1

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During the past year, student "frequently" or "occasionally":										
Attended a religious service	3,732	61.0	67.6	64.8	72.0	75.6	73.9	71.7	76.0	73.9
Was bored in class [2]	3,736	45.5	43.0	44.1	44.8	40.6	42.6	42.6	38.9	40.6
Participated in political demonstrations	3,724	25.2	27.0	26.2	23.7	25.6	24.7	25.1	26.7	26.0
Tutored another student	3,731	77.2	79.7	78.6	68.4	71.2	69.9	61.0	64.3	62.7
Studied with other students	3,733	91.1	93.9	92.7	89.5	93.8	91.8	87.4	92.4	90.0
Was a guest in a teacher's home	3,729	19.0	17.7	18.3	20.0	20.7	20.4	20.3	20.4	20.3
Smoked cigarettes [2]	3,730	1.2	1.0	1.1	2.8	2.0	2.4	3.9	3.0	3.4
Drank beer	3,718	30.8	23.5	26.6	46.4	36.0	40.9	43.4	33.4	38.1
Drank wine or liquor	3,719	34.8	34.6	34.7	46.4	45.4	45.9	43.5	42.9	43.2
Felt overwhelmed by all I had to do [2]	3,728	18.3	40.6	31.0	15.6	37.4	27.1	16.0	36.6	26.9
Felt depressed [2]	3,723	5.3	8.6	7.2	3.6	5.3	4.5	4.6	6.7	5.7
Performed volunteer work	3,729	89.8	96.0	93.3	88.8	94.3	91.7	83.5	90.7	87.3
Played a musical instrument	3,725	58.5	54.7	56.3	51.4	43.8	47.3	51.0	44.2	47.4
Asked a teacher for advice after class [2]	3,725	27.2	35.4	31.9	24.6	30.9	27.9	25.0	31.3	28.3
Voted in a student election [2]	3,703	23.7	31.4	28.1	21.3	26.3	24.0	20.6	24.6	22.8
Socialized with someone of another racial/ethnic group [2]	3,731	79.7	81.8	80.9	74.4	75.0	74.7	70.1	72.1	71.2
Came late to class	3,716	66.7	64.8	65.6	64.1	60.4	62.1	62.4	59.9	61.1
Used the Internet: [2]										
For research or homework	3,730	78.3	87.0	83.3	77.3	86.7	82.3	74.2	84.0	79.4
To read news sites	3,726	54.4	46.4	49.8	52.2	43.5	47.6	48.8	41.4	44.9
To read blogs	3,725	33.3	35.5	34.6	24.8	27.2	26.1	23.7	27.5	25.7
To blog	3,715	16.3	20.4	18.7	11.2	15.6	13.6	11.7	16.8	14.4
Performed community service as part of a class	3,710	55.0	58.5	57.0	57.1	62.6	60.0	54.6	62.4	58.7
Discussed religion [2]	3,726	27.3	30.1	28.9	30.4	32.2	31.3	29.6	32.6	31.2
Discussed politics [2]	3,709	39.3	37.8	38.4	43.8	40.3	42.0	40.0	37.2	38.5
Worked on a local, state or national political campaign	3,721	13.0	14.4	13.8	13.1	13.6	13.4	12.4	12.6	12.5
Student rated self "above average" or "highest 10%" as compared with the average person of his/her age in:										
Academic ability	3,727	88.1	80.2	83.6	90.7	86.3	88.4	83.0	75.7	79.2
Artistic ability	3,728	30.6	36.1	33.7	28.0	32.3	30.3	28.3	32.2	30.4
Computer skills	3,731	52.9	27.5	38.4	54.0	30.3	41.5	52.6	29.9	40.6
Cooperativeness	3,720	73.2	76.0	74.8	75.7	79.0	77.5	74.6	76.9	75.8
Creativity	3,731	50.5	53.0	51.9	55.8	56.5	56.2	56.5	56.7	56.6
Drive to achieve	3,728	75.5	82.4	79.5	79.0	86.4	82.9	74.7	81.5	78.3
Emotional health	3,720	60.9	52.6	56.2	68.2	56.7	62.1	64.8	53.1	58.6
Leadership ability	3,725	57.3	56.6	56.9	68.4	65.2	66.7	65.5	62.6	64.0
Mathematical ability	3,724	75.3	50.8	61.3	72.8	51.0	61.3	65.4	42.8	53.5
Physical health	3,727	63.9	45.3	53.3	71.0	54.6	62.3	68.5	49.8	58.6
Popularity	3,717	38.4	31.1	34.2	49.0	37.6	43.0	46.1	34.3	39.8
Public speaking ability	3,727	40.7	36.0	38.0	45.1	39.8	42.3	42.1	37.0	39.4
Self-confidence (intellectual)	3,729	72.1	54.2	61.9	77.4	61.3	68.9	72.6	57.1	64.4
Self-confidence (social)	3,721	52.4	46.3	48.9	58.5	51.9	55.0	57.0	50.6	53.6
Self-understanding	3,707	65.4	57.0	60.6	66.8	59.8	63.1	64.9	57.4	60.9
Spirituality	3,697	39.9	40.0	40.0	36.5	38.5	37.5	37.7	40.4	39.1
Understanding of others	3,717	69.2	72.3	70.9	66.3	72.2	69.4	66.0	71.0	68.7
Writing ability	3,716	44.6	49.6	47.4	51.9	57.1	54.7	47.1	52.5	50.0

[2] Percentage responding "frequently" only.

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Student rated self "above average" or "highest 10%" as compared with the average person of his/her age in:										
Ability to see the world from someone else's perspective	3,707	74.8	73.6	74.1	71.5	71.8	71.7	69.1	69.2	69.1
Tolerance of others with different beliefs	3,709	81.0	83.3	82.3	78.6	81.0	79.9	76.6	78.6	77.7
Openness to having my own views challenged	3,709	66.6	61.7	63.8	63.8	59.6	61.6	62.7	58.7	60.6
Ability to discuss and negotiate controversial issues	3,705	72.8	63.3	67.4	75.1	64.7	69.6	72.0	61.9	66.7
Ability to work cooperatively with diverse people	3,709	82.8	83.5	83.2	83.0	83.8	83.4	81.0	82.0	81.5
WHAT IS THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION OBTAINED BY YOUR PARENTS?										
Father	3,633									
Grammar school or less		6.8	7.9	7.4	2.5	3.4	3.0	3.1	4.5	3.8
Some high school		5.6	7.0	6.4	2.8	3.5	3.2	3.4	4.4	3.9
High school graduate		11.9	15.3	13.8	10.8	13.1	12.0	13.9	16.2	15.1
Postsecondary school other than college		1.7	1.8	1.7	2.0	2.6	2.3	2.7	3.3	3.0
Some college		12.7	14.2	13.5	10.8	12.3	11.6	13.2	14.7	14.0
College degree		24.5	23.9	24.2	31.5	29.5	30.5	31.8	28.7	30.2
Some graduate school		3.3	2.5	2.8	3.0	2.8	2.9	2.6	2.4	2.5
Graduate degree		33.5	27.6	30.1	36.5	32.8	34.5	29.3	25.8	27.4
Mother	3,661									
Grammar school or less		6.9	8.0	7.5	2.4	3.4	3.0	2.9	4.2	3.6
Some high school		5.1	7.0	6.2	2.2	2.8	2.5	2.8	3.8	3.3
High school graduate		15.5	16.4	16.0	11.8	12.6	12.2	14.6	15.3	15.0
Postsecondary school other than college		2.2	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.8	2.7	2.9	3.3	3.1
Some college		12.6	15.7	14.4	12.8	14.6	13.7	15.3	17.8	16.6
College degree		34.1	29.8	31.6	39.4	36.9	38.1	37.3	33.6	35.3
Some graduate school		4.1	3.3	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.1	3.0	3.1
Graduate degree		19.5	17.3	18.2	25.2	23.4	24.2	21.1	18.9	19.9
During the past year, did you "frequently":										
Ask questions in class	3,708	44.9	47.3	46.3	53.6	61.0	57.5	50.2	57.8	54.3
Support your opinions with a logical argument	3,704	62.1	56.1	58.7	70.2	63.9	66.9	64.8	58.5	61.4
Seek solutions to problems and explain them to others	3,692	58.9	57.4	58.0	59.8	59.8	59.8	55.0	54.9	54.9
Revise your papers to improve your writing	3,690	37.0	51.9	45.5	39.8	57.6	49.3	37.7	55.7	47.2
Evaluate the quality or reliability of information you received	3,694	40.6	39.5	40.0	42.6	41.6	42.1	39.6	39.0	39.3
Take a risk because you feel you have more to gain	3,680	41.4	34.6	37.5	43.2	36.4	39.6	42.8	36.3	39.4
Seek alternative solutions to a problem	3,670	46.9	46.0	46.4	48.2	45.4	46.7	47.2	43.6	45.3
Look up scientific research articles and resources	3,668	29.6	21.9	25.2	28.2	23.3	25.6	26.6	21.5	23.9
Explore topics on your own, even though it was not required for a class	3,659	38.4	31.8	34.6	37.9	29.7	33.6	36.6	28.9	32.6
Accept mistakes as part of the learning process	3,669	54.3	54.5	54.4	51.7	53.5	52.6	51.6	53.5	52.6
Seek feedback on your academic work	3,670	40.2	52.7	47.4	44.0	57.1	50.9	41.6	54.4	48.3
Take notes during class	3,659	51.9	79.5	67.8	51.7	80.5	67.0	50.6	78.3	65.2

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Your probable career occupation	3,532									
Accountant or actuary		1.0	0.7	0.8	2.1	1.6	1.8	2.7	2.0	2.3
Actor or entertainer		0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.8
Architect or urban planner		0.5	0.2	0.4	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.1	1.3
Artist		0.7	0.9	0.8	0.6	1.4	1.0	1.1	1.9	1.5
Business (clerical)		0.3	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
Business executive (management, administrator)		7.2	5.6	6.3	10.4	6.9	8.6	9.7	6.4	8.0
Business owner or proprietor		2.1	0.8	1.4	3.5	1.7	2.6	3.9	2.0	2.9
Business salesperson or buyer		0.3	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9
Clergy (minister, priest)		0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
Clergy (other religious)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Clinical psychologist		0.7	1.4	1.1	0.5	1.8	1.2	0.6	1.8	1.2
College administrator/staff		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0
College teacher		0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4
Computer programmer or analyst		3.8	0.9	2.2	3.1	0.4	1.7	3.8	0.4	2.0
Conservationist or forester		0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.4
Dentist (including orthodontist)		2.2	2.2	2.2	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.3	1.5	1.4
Dietitian or nutritionist		0.1	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.9	0.5	0.2	1.2	0.7
Engineer		22.9	5.3	12.9	21.8	4.9	12.8	21.8	4.6	12.7
Farmer or rancher		0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.4
Foreign service worker (including diplomat)		0.1	1.6	1.0	0.5	1.5	1.0	0.5	1.1	0.8
Homemaker (full-time)		0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1
Interior decorator (including designer)		0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.8	0.4
Lab technician or hygienist		0.3	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
Law enforcement officer		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.8	0.3	0.5
Lawyer (attorney) or judge		4.6	4.4	4.5	4.6	5.0	4.8	3.4	3.9	3.7
Military service (career)		0.5	0.1	0.3	1.2	0.1	0.6	1.0	0.1	0.6
Musician (performer, composer)		0.9	0.2	0.5	1.2	0.7	0.9	1.6	1.0	1.3
Nurse		0.0	0.9	0.5	0.3	3.3	1.9	0.4	4.2	2.4
Optometrist		0.5	1.2	0.9	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4
Pharmacist		3.2	7.0	5.4	2.2	3.5	2.9	2.2	2.9	2.6
Physician		15.0	17.4	16.4	10.8	13.0	11.9	7.5	9.3	8.4
Policymaker/Government		0.9	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.8	1.0
School counselor		0.1	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.4	0.2
School principal or superintendent		0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Scientific researcher		5.1	3.9	4.4	3.2	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.3	2.6
Social, welfare, or recreation worker		0.4	0.9	0.7	0.2	0.9	0.6	0.2	1.3	0.8
Therapist (physical, occupational, speech)		0.5	1.4	1.0	0.8	3.0	1.9	1.2	3.5	2.4
Teacher or administrator (elementary)		0.2	1.3	0.8	0.2	2.0	1.2	0.4	3.9	2.2
Teacher or administrator (secondary)		1.1	1.5	1.4	1.5	2.2	1.9	2.2	3.2	2.7
Veterinarian		0.2	0.7	0.5	0.5	2.2	1.4	0.6	2.5	1.6
Writer or journalist		0.7	2.5	1.7	1.5	4.0	2.8	1.5	3.6	2.6
Skilled trades		0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2
Laborer (unskilled)		0.1	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.3
Semi-skilled worker		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2
Unemployed		2.5	2.3	2.4	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.2
Other		4.5	7.1	6.0	4.7	7.5	6.2	6.0	9.5	7.9
Undecided		15.3	21.3	18.7	13.8	18.0	16.1	13.3	16.3	14.9

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		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
Your father's occupation [3]	3,504									
Artist		0.7	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1
Business		26.2	26.1	26.2	31.6	29.6	30.5	29.5	27.6	28.5
Business (clerical)		1.4	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.3
Clergy		1.0	1.1	1.1	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6
College teacher		1.1	0.7	0.9	1.1	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.6	0.7
Doctor (MD or DDS)		3.9	3.9	3.9	5.6	5.0	5.3	3.8	3.1	3.4
Education (secondary)		1.5	0.7	1.1	1.9	1.7	1.8	2.2	1.9	2.0
Education (elementary)		0.5	0.2	0.3	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7
Engineer		15.8	13.4	14.4	11.9	11.1	11.5	11.7	10.6	11.1
Farmer or forester		0.5	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.6	1.7	1.8	1.7
Health professional		1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.6
Homemaker (full-time)		0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3
Lawyer		2.1	1.6	1.8	4.2	3.9	4.0	2.8	2.6	2.7
Military (career)		0.8	0.6	0.7	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.3
Nurse		0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5
Research scientist		2.5	1.8	2.1	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.1
Social/welfare/rec worker		0.5	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.5
Skilled worker		3.6	4.9	4.3	4.9	5.0	4.9	6.4	5.7	6.0
Semi-skilled worker		3.7	3.8	3.8	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.8	2.7	2.8
Unskilled worker		3.6	3.6	3.6	2.1	2.5	2.3	2.7	3.0	2.9
Unemployed		4.9	5.8	5.4	2.1	3.2	2.7	2.3	3.5	2.9
Other		23.3	25.9	24.8	22.0	25.4	23.8	24.0	28.3	26.2
Your mother's occupation [3]	3,572									
Artist		1.6	1.4	1.5	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.1	1.9	2.0
Business		18.2	17.2	17.6	16.7	17.2	16.9	16.7	16.8	16.8
Business (clerical)		3.2	3.9	3.6	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.2	4.1	4.1
Clergy		0.1	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
College teacher		0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.5
Doctor (MD or DDS)		2.0	1.8	1.8	2.2	1.8	2.0	1.7	1.3	1.5
Education (secondary)		2.4	1.9	2.1	4.7	4.3	4.5	4.7	4.3	4.5
Education (elementary)		4.5	3.8	4.1	8.5	7.6	8.0	8.6	7.7	8.1
Engineer		2.9	2.8	2.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.3
Farmer or forester		0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3
Health professional		3.2	3.1	3.2	4.0	4.2	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.9
Homemaker (full-time)		12.2	15.8	14.2	10.3	11.8	11.1	9.0	10.8	9.9
Lawyer		1.0	0.7	0.8	1.9	1.5	1.7	1.3	1.0	1.1
Military (career)		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
Nurse		3.9	3.9	3.9	7.4	7.0	7.2	7.7	7.4	7.6
Research scientist		1.6	1.2	1.3	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.6
Social/welfare/rec worker		1.2	1.1	1.1	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
Skilled worker		1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.5
Semi-skilled worker		3.2	2.4	2.8	1.8	1.5	1.6	2.1	1.7	1.9
Unskilled worker		3.5	3.4	3.4	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.8
Unemployed		8.6	8.9	8.8	6.9	6.3	6.6	7.0	6.5	6.7
Other		24.4	24.1	24.2	21.2	23.0	22.2	22.7	25.1	24.0
How would you characterize your political views?	3,585									
Far left		2.9	2.2	2.5	3.7	2.8	3.2	3.6	2.7	3.1
Liberal		38.6	45.7	42.7	32.3	41.4	37.1	29.8	38.0	34.1
Middle-of-the-road		40.7	39.5	40.0	39.5	36.9	38.1	42.6	39.9	41.2
Conservative		16.7	12.0	14.0	22.5	18.0	20.1	21.9	18.4	20.1
Far right		1.2	0.6	0.8	2.1	0.8	1.4	2.1	0.9	1.5

[3] Recategorization of this item from a longer list is shown in Appendix C of "The American Freshman".

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		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
Student agrees "strongly" or "somewhat:"										
There is too much concern in the courts for the rights of criminals	3,530	58.6	52.2	54.9	55.9	51.7	53.7	58.6	53.6	56.0
Abortion should be legal	3,578	71.1	70.2	70.6	66.7	67.3	67.0	62.9	61.9	62.4
The death penalty should be abolished	3,561	36.1	44.1	40.7	32.7	40.9	37.0	31.5	38.3	35.1
Marijuana should be legalized	3,559	46.0	37.0	40.9	50.2	40.0	44.8	47.5	37.0	41.9
It is important to have laws prohibiting homosexual relationships	3,559	22.4	15.3	18.3	23.0	13.8	18.1	26.2	15.9	20.7
Racial discrimination is no longer a major problem in America	3,565	19.0	11.1	14.5	23.1	14.7	18.7	23.8	15.2	19.3
Realistically, an individual can do little to bring about changes in our society	3,550	30.5	22.2	25.8	26.8	18.7	22.5	29.5	21.6	25.3
Wealthy people should pay a larger share of taxes than they do now	3,528	63.7	67.8	66.0	58.0	58.9	58.5	59.1	60.1	59.6
Same-sex couples should have the right to legal marital status	3,532	68.6	78.7	74.4	65.7	76.8	71.6	63.0	74.7	69.2
Affirmative action in college admissions should be abolished	3,431	63.4	55.3	58.8	61.4	53.2	57.1	57.4	47.3	52.1
Federal military spending should be increased	3,492	18.6	11.9	14.8	26.7	19.0	22.7	27.5	20.6	23.9
The federal government should do more to control the sale of handguns	3,494	71.6	83.4	78.4	66.0	80.9	73.8	64.1	79.5	72.2
Only volunteers should serve in the armed forces	3,498	70.8	70.3	70.5	68.4	69.9	69.2	66.8	68.9	67.9
The federal government is not doing enough to control environmental pollution	3,480	82.9	88.4	86.1	79.3	85.2	82.4	77.0	83.4	80.4
A national health care plan is needed to cover everybody's medical costs	3,476	66.6	75.4	71.6	61.1	70.3	65.9	63.0	71.9	67.7
Undocumented immigrants should be denied access to public education	3,475	41.9	32.8	36.7	49.2	40.7	44.7	51.2	41.5	46.1
Through hard work, everybody can succeed in American society	3,480	72.8	72.4	72.6	78.5	77.0	77.7	79.5	78.5	79.0
Dissent is a critical component of the political process	3,245	75.7	70.6	72.8	74.1	67.7	70.8	68.8	61.5	65.1
Colleges have the right to ban extreme speakers from campus	3,432	36.3	30.1	32.8	40.8	33.5	37.0	41.1	35.6	38.2
Students from disadvantaged social backgrounds should be given preferential treatment in college admissions	3,436	42.8	42.7	42.8	36.7	33.7	35.1	38.6	36.2	37.3
The federal government should raise taxes to reduce the deficit	3,409	42.2	34.2	37.7	39.2	30.6	34.7	36.4	27.4	31.7
Addressing global warming should be a federal priority	3,453	80.7	86.1	83.8	74.7	81.7	78.4	71.6	79.0	75.5

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		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
DURING YOUR LAST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL, HOW MUCH TIME DID YOU SPEND DURING A TYPICAL WEEK DOING THE FOLLOWING?										
Studying/homework	3,468									
None		1.0	0.3	0.6	2.1	0.3	1.1	2.5	0.6	1.5
Less than one hour		7.9	3.1	5.2	9.9	4.2	6.9	11.7	5.9	8.6
1 to 2 hours		15.4	9.8	12.2	19.1	12.4	15.6	22.1	16.2	19.0
3 to 5 hours		27.3	25.5	26.3	28.7	27.9	28.3	29.1	29.7	29.4
6 to 10 hours		23.9	25.6	24.9	21.6	26.2	24.0	19.6	24.5	22.2
11 to 15 hours		12.2	17.0	15.0	10.0	14.9	12.6	8.4	12.5	10.6
16 to 20 hours		6.2	10.4	8.6	4.8	8.4	6.7	3.7	6.3	5.1
Over 20 hours		6.0	8.3	7.3	3.8	5.8	4.8	2.9	4.4	3.7
Socializing with friends	3,452									
None		0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.3
Less than one hour		1.4	1.3	1.4	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.2
1 to 2 hours		7.0	8.0	7.6	5.3	6.1	5.8	5.9	6.8	6.4
3 to 5 hours		20.0	23.8	22.2	18.9	20.9	20.0	18.9	20.9	19.9
6 to 10 hours		27.5	31.2	29.7	29.0	30.7	29.9	27.6	28.6	28.1
11 to 15 hours		18.0	17.6	17.8	19.7	19.8	19.8	19.2	19.1	19.2
16 to 20 hours		10.7	8.9	9.7	11.2	10.8	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0
Over 20 hours		15.1	8.7	11.4	14.5	10.5	12.3	15.7	12.2	13.8
Talking with teachers outside of class	3,455									
None		11.2	6.8	8.7	10.8	6.5	8.5	11.3	7.0	9.0
Less than one hour		42.1	42.2	42.1	46.3	42.5	44.3	45.5	42.3	43.8
1 to 2 hours		33.1	33.3	33.2	30.5	34.7	32.8	30.3	33.5	32.0
3 to 5 hours		10.8	12.7	11.9	9.2	12.1	10.8	9.4	12.4	11.0
6 to 10 hours		2.2	3.3	2.8	2.1	2.8	2.5	2.3	3.1	2.7
11 to 15 hours		0.1	1.0	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.7	1.0	0.8
16 to 20 hours		0.1	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3
Over 20 hours		0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3
Exercise or sports	3,447									
None		2.9	6.4	4.9	2.2	4.0	3.2	2.8	4.8	3.9
Less than one hour		8.4	14.1	11.7	5.7	9.8	7.9	6.4	10.7	8.7
1 to 2 hours		13.8	20.5	17.7	12.2	15.9	14.2	13.3	17.3	15.4
3 to 5 hours		21.5	21.4	21.4	19.8	21.5	20.7	19.7	21.1	20.4
6 to 10 hours		21.8	16.4	18.7	22.9	21.2	22.0	21.7	19.5	20.5
11 to 15 hours		13.6	10.3	11.7	16.7	14.1	15.3	15.7	13.1	14.3
16 to 20 hours		8.4	5.8	6.9	9.6	7.5	8.4	9.1	7.1	8.0
Over 20 hours		9.7	5.0	7.0	10.9	6.1	8.3	11.4	6.4	8.7
Partying	3,432									
None		30.5	37.1	34.3	23.8	30.3	27.3	25.9	32.7	29.5
Less than one hour		20.0	19.2	19.5	16.8	16.5	16.6	16.3	15.8	16.1
1 to 2 hours		21.9	19.6	20.6	20.4	19.7	20.0	19.7	18.7	19.2
3 to 5 hours		15.1	14.8	14.9	20.3	19.5	19.9	19.4	18.5	18.9
6 to 10 hours		7.2	6.1	6.6	10.9	9.5	10.2	10.6	9.3	9.9
11 to 15 hours		2.6	1.9	2.2	4.3	2.9	3.6	4.3	3.0	3.6
16 to 20 hours		1.2	0.7	0.9	1.5	1.1	1.3	1.7	1.1	1.4
Over 20 hours		1.4	0.6	0.9	2.0	0.5	1.2	2.1	0.8	1.4

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DURING YOUR LAST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL, HOW MUCH TIME DID YOU SPEND DURING A TYPICAL WEEK DOING THE FOLLOWING?										
Working (for pay)	3,432									
None		57.5	51.3	53.9	43.0	38.4	40.6	38.4	34.1	36.1
Less than one hour		4.1	2.2	3.0	4.2	3.0	3.6	3.7	2.5	3.1
1 to 2 hours		6.2	4.9	5.4	5.9	4.9	5.4	4.8	4.1	4.4
3 to 5 hours		7.4	9.7	8.7	8.8	9.6	9.2	7.7	8.0	7.8
6 to 10 hours		9.0	11.1	10.2	11.4	14.0	12.8	11.1	13.7	12.5
11 to 15 hours		6.0	9.6	8.0	10.3	13.3	11.9	11.1	14.3	12.8
16 to 20 hours		5.6	7.0	6.4	8.8	10.4	9.6	11.1	12.8	12.0
Over 20 hours		4.3	4.4	4.3	7.6	6.4	7.0	12.1	10.4	11.2
Volunteer work	3,425									
None		25.3	14.5	19.1	24.3	14.3	19.0	30.5	19.3	24.6
Less than one hour		19.5	14.9	16.8	24.6	20.4	22.4	24.8	21.7	23.1
1 to 2 hours		23.5	28.1	26.1	28.1	31.9	30.1	24.7	29.1	27.0
3 to 5 hours		18.8	26.4	23.2	13.8	20.6	17.4	11.7	17.9	15.0
6 to 10 hours		7.6	9.5	8.7	5.4	7.6	6.6	4.8	6.8	5.9
11 to 15 hours		2.6	3.5	3.1	1.8	2.6	2.2	1.5	2.4	2.0
16 to 20 hours		0.8	1.5	1.2	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.7	1.2	1.0
Over 20 hours		1.9	1.7	1.8	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.5
Student clubs/groups	3,412									
None		23.7	12.6	17.3	22.7	11.7	16.9	30.9	18.1	24.1
Less than one hour		16.0	13.1	14.3	17.2	13.6	15.3	15.9	13.8	14.8
1 to 2 hours		30.0	29.3	29.6	30.0	32.2	31.1	25.5	28.9	27.3
3 to 5 hours		17.2	23.6	20.9	17.7	24.2	21.2	15.5	21.2	18.5
6 to 10 hours		7.1	10.7	9.1	7.1	10.4	8.9	6.5	9.8	8.3
11 to 15 hours		2.5	4.7	3.8	2.5	4.1	3.3	2.6	4.1	3.4
16 to 20 hours		1.0	2.7	2.0	1.2	1.8	1.5	1.2	2.0	1.6
Over 20 hours		2.5	3.3	2.9	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.9	2.2	2.1
Watching TV	3,415									
None		13.2	8.5	10.5	7.2	7.0	7.1	7.1	6.9	7.0
Less than one hour		15.4	14.0	14.6	12.7	15.8	14.3	13.3	16.4	15.0
1 to 2 hours		22.4	25.6	24.2	23.5	27.9	25.8	23.7	27.0	25.4
3 to 5 hours		23.2	28.8	26.5	28.4	29.5	29.0	27.5	28.4	28.0
6 to 10 hours		14.7	14.5	14.6	17.3	13.3	15.2	16.5	13.7	15.0
11 to 15 hours		5.3	4.6	4.9	5.9	3.9	4.8	6.4	4.3	5.2
16 to 20 hours		2.5	2.2	2.3	2.4	1.4	1.9	2.5	1.5	2.0
Over 20 hours		3.3	1.8	2.4	2.7	1.2	1.9	3.1	1.7	2.4
Household/childcare duties	3,402									
None		24.5	15.9	19.5	21.4	12.5	16.7	22.6	12.3	17.2
Less than one hour		23.6	23.7	23.6	22.8	23.2	23.0	21.7	20.7	21.2
1 to 2 hours		29.1	32.0	30.8	32.7	35.4	34.1	31.3	33.9	32.6
3 to 5 hours		16.2	19.0	17.8	16.3	20.1	18.3	16.8	21.4	19.2
6 to 10 hours		4.6	5.7	5.2	4.7	5.6	5.2	4.9	7.0	6.0
11 to 15 hours		1.1	1.6	1.4	1.2	1.7	1.4	1.3	2.2	1.8
16 to 20 hours		0.3	1.1	0.8	0.3	0.7	0.5	0.5	1.1	0.8
Over 20 hours		0.6	1.1	0.9	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.9	1.4	1.2

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DURING YOUR LAST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL, HOW MUCH TIME DID YOU SPEND DURING A TYPICAL WEEK DOING THE FOLLOWING?										
Reading for pleasure	3,405									
None		27.2	16.0	20.8	25.9	15.7	20.5	28.4	16.8	22.3
Less than one hour		26.5	26.0	26.2	27.9	25.1	26.4	26.4	24.1	25.2
1 to 2 hours		24.4	28.4	26.7	24.6	29.5	27.2	23.4	27.3	25.5
3 to 5 hours		13.6	17.4	15.8	13.8	18.5	16.3	13.4	18.7	16.2
6 to 10 hours		5.4	8.1	7.0	5.0	7.3	6.2	5.3	8.0	6.7
11 to 15 hours		1.8	2.4	2.2	1.6	2.4	2.0	1.8	2.9	2.4
16 to 20 hours		0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.6	1.0	0.8
Over 20 hours		0.6	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.8	1.1	0.9
Playing video/computer games	3,408									
None		16.2	58.2	40.4	16.9	63.6	41.6	15.7	60.3	39.4
Less than one hour		15.0	19.7	17.7	19.1	20.6	19.9	18.2	21.0	19.7
1 to 2 hours		20.8	12.1	15.8	22.4	9.4	15.5	21.7	10.4	15.7
3 to 5 hours		21.3	6.0	12.5	20.7	4.1	11.9	20.9	5.0	12.5
6 to 10 hours		13.4	2.0	6.8	11.6	1.5	6.2	12.0	1.9	6.6
11 to 15 hours		6.5	0.8	3.2	4.7	0.5	2.4	5.6	0.7	3.0
16 to 20 hours		1.9	0.5	1.1	1.9	0.3	1.0	2.4	0.3	1.3
Over 20 hours		4.8	0.8	2.5	2.8	0.2	1.5	3.5	0.4	1.9
Online social networks (MySpace, Facebook, etc.)	3,407									
None		9.4	8.0	8.6	12.2	7.5	9.7	14.0	8.8	11.2
Less than one hour		18.1	14.4	16.0	20.6	16.9	18.6	21.6	17.5	19.4
1 to 2 hours		26.1	24.9	25.4	29.7	30.1	29.9	28.1	28.5	28.3
3 to 5 hours		23.1	29.6	26.9	22.5	28.2	25.5	21.0	26.4	23.9
6 to 10 hours		12.0	14.0	13.1	8.7	11.0	9.9	8.7	11.1	9.9
11 to 15 hours		5.5	4.3	4.8	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.3	4.0	3.6
16 to 20 hours		1.7	2.3	2.1	1.2	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.7	1.5
Over 20 hours		3.9	2.5	3.1	1.9	1.5	1.7	2.1	2.1	2.1
Are you: [4]	3,440									
White/Caucasian		30.4	28.6	29.3	71.2	69.3	70.2	72.0	69.7	70.8
African American/Black		0.9	1.7	1.3	4.4	6.3	5.4	4.9	7.1	6.1
American Indian/Alaska Native		1.3	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.6	1.4	1.7	2.2	2.0
Asian American/Asian		59.9	57.9	58.8	18.5	17.3	17.9	15.9	13.9	14.9
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander		3.5	2.2	2.8	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.5
Mexican American/Chicano		7.8	11.3	9.9	4.1	5.5	4.8	5.8	8.1	7.0
Puerto Rican		0.2	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9
Other Latino		2.5	2.7	2.6	3.8	4.9	4.4	3.3	4.4	3.9
Other		5.5	5.6	5.6	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.7

[4] Percentages will add to more than 100.0 if any student marked more than one category.

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Reasons noted as "very important" in influencing student's decision to attend this particular college										
My parents wanted me to come here	3,378	13.6	15.1	14.5	10.7	14.1	12.5	11.2	14.7	13.0
My relatives wanted me to come here	3,369	3.5	4.0	3.8	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.6	5.1	4.9
My teacher advised me	3,355	5.9	6.4	6.2	4.9	5.4	5.2	5.3	6.0	5.7
This college has a very good academic reputation	3,389	72.0	77.6	75.2	75.1	80.5	78.0	63.5	70.1	67.0
This college has a good reputation for its social activities	3,361	19.4	22.0	20.9	47.8	47.9	47.9	40.4	43.3	41.9
I was offered financial assistance	3,347	23.5	33.4	29.2	26.8	33.9	30.6	28.8	38.1	33.7
The cost of attending this college	3,357	28.1	34.5	31.8	28.9	35.0	32.2	33.1	40.6	37.1
High school counselor advised me	3,341	7.5	8.2	7.9	7.1	7.9	7.5	7.4	8.6	8.0
Private college counselor advised me	3,319	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.3
I wanted to live near home	3,338	9.7	13.5	11.9	8.7	12.5	10.7	12.2	17.5	15.0
Not offered aid by first choice	3,308	8.8	11.3	10.2	6.5	8.4	7.5	7.0	8.9	8.0
Could not afford first choice	3,308	8.3	10.7	9.7	7.8	10.7	9.3	9.2	12.5	11.0
This college's graduates gain admission to top graduate/professional schools	3,314	39.9	50.6	46.0	41.6	51.0	46.6	32.6	41.3	37.2
This college's graduates get good jobs	3,306	49.3	56.4	53.4	56.7	63.2	60.2	51.2	57.3	54.5
I was attracted by the religious affiliation/orientation of the college	3,300	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.6	3.7	3.2
I wanted to go to a school about the size of this college	3,310	16.2	19.5	18.1	26.1	32.0	29.2	26.4	34.8	30.9
Rankings in national magazines	3,314	36.3	40.0	38.4	31.6	33.5	32.6	22.6	23.1	22.9
Information from a website	3,287	21.2	26.9	24.5	17.6	23.1	20.5	15.0	20.9	18.2
I was admitted through an Early Action or Early Decision program	3,281	2.8	2.2	2.5	11.7	13.1	12.5	9.0	11.1	10.1
The athletic department recruited me	3,280	4.7	2.6	3.5	3.3	2.3	2.8	3.7	2.7	3.2
A visit to campus	3,315	22.5	31.5	27.7	35.1	45.8	40.8	31.4	42.7	37.4

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YOUR PROBABLE MAJOR										
Arts and Humanities	3,288									
Art, fine and applied		0.8	1.8	1.4	0.7	2.0	1.4	1.2	2.8	2.0
English (language & literature)		0.9	2.2	1.6	1.3	2.8	2.1	1.1	2.5	1.8
History		0.7	0.8	0.8	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.0	1.2
Journalism		0.3	0.7	0.5	0.8	2.7	1.8	0.9	2.4	1.7
Language and Literature (except English)		0.1	0.8	0.5	0.4	1.1	0.8	0.4	0.9	0.7
Music		0.7	0.4	0.5	1.0	0.7	0.8	1.3	1.0	1.2
Philosophy		0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.3
Speech		0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1
Theater or Drama		0.1	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.9	0.7	0.5	1.0	0.8
Theology or Religion		0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Arts and Humanities		0.3	0.9	0.6	0.5	1.2	0.9	0.7	1.5	1.1
Biological Science										
Biology (general)		10.0	13.4	12.0	6.6	8.8	7.7	5.2	7.1	6.2
Biochemistry or Biophysics		6.4	5.8	6.1	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.2	2.3	2.3
Botany		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Environmental Science		0.3	1.4	0.9	1.0	1.5	1.2	0.9	1.2	1.0
Marine (Life) Science		0.4	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.4
Microbiology or Bacteriology		0.7	0.6	0.6	1.0	1.1	1.0	0.6	0.7	0.7
Zoology		0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.7	0.5
Other Biological Science		3.5	6.4	5.2	1.4	1.9	1.6	1.1	1.5	1.3
Business										
Accounting		0.7	0.3	0.5	2.1	1.5	1.8	2.7	1.9	2.3
Business Admin. (general)		2.5	1.0	1.6	4.4	2.5	3.4	4.4	2.7	3.5
Finance		1.3	0.4	0.8	3.8	1.2	2.5	3.2	1.0	2.0
International Business		0.9	2.0	1.6	2.1	2.4	2.3	1.4	1.7	1.6
Marketing		0.7	0.5	0.6	1.9	2.5	2.2	2.4	2.7	2.5
Management		1.4	1.5	1.5	2.5	1.6	2.0	3.9	2.6	3.2
Secretarial Studies		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Business		0.1	0.3	0.2	1.1	0.6	0.8	1.1	0.7	0.9
Education										
Business Education		0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Elementary Education		0.1	0.4	0.3	0.1	1.5	0.8	0.2	3.4	1.9
Music or Art Education		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.4
Physical Education or Recreation		0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.3
Secondary Education		0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.6	0.8	1.5	1.2
Special Education		0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.4	0.2
Other Education		0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2
Engineering										
Aeronautical or Astronautical Engineering		3.3	0.6	1.7	3.2	0.5	1.7	2.8	0.5	1.6
Civil Engineering		2.1	0.4	1.1	3.0	0.8	1.8	3.0	0.7	1.8
Chemical Engineering		2.5	0.3	1.2	3.1	1.0	2.0	2.5	0.9	1.7
Computer Engineering		4.3	0.7	2.2	3.8	0.4	2.0	3.5	0.4	1.8
Electrical or Electronic Engineering		4.2	0.8	2.2	2.9	0.4	1.6	3.0	0.3	1.6
Industrial Engineering		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4
Mechanical Engineering		6.1	0.8	3.0	7.0	0.7	3.7	7.3	0.8	3.8
Other Engineering		8.8	3.9	6.0	4.4	2.0	3.1	4.0	1.7	2.8

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Physical Science										
Astronomy		0.4	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2
Atmospheric Science (incl. Meteorology)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1
Chemistry		1.5	2.6	2.1	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.4
Earth Science		0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2
Marine Science (incl. Oceanography)		0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Mathematics		1.4	1.0	1.2	1.5	1.0	1.2	1.1	0.9	1.0
Physics		1.8	0.2	0.9	1.3	0.3	0.8	1.2	0.2	0.7
Other Physical Science		0.4	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Professional										
Architecture or Urban Planning		0.1	0.2	0.2	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.2	0.9	1.0
Family & Consumer Sciences		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.4
Health Technology (medical, dental, laboratory)		0.2	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.7	0.5
Library or Archival Science		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine		4.3	5.2	4.9	4.3	6.6	5.5	3.3	5.6	4.5
Nursing		0.0	0.4	0.2	0.2	3.3	1.8	0.4	4.1	2.3
Pharmacy		0.9	2.6	1.9	1.5	2.5	2.1	1.4	2.1	1.8
Therapy (occupational, physical, speech)		0.1	0.3	0.2	0.5	2.0	1.3	0.9	2.3	1.6
Other Professional		0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.8	0.6
Social Science										
Anthropology		0.1	0.7	0.5	0.4	1.0	0.7	0.4	0.8	0.6
Economics		5.3	3.5	4.3	2.0	0.9	1.4	1.2	0.5	0.9
Ethnic Studies		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Geography		0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
Political Science (gov't., international relations)		4.5	6.6	5.7	3.8	4.6	4.2	2.9	3.4	3.2
Psychology		2.2	6.2	4.5	2.2	6.7	4.6	2.4	7.0	4.9
Public Policy		0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Social Work		0.1	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.3
Sociology		0.7	1.5	1.1	0.4	1.0	0.7	0.5	1.1	0.8
Women's Studies		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Social Science		0.7	1.2	0.9	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.4
Technical										
Building Trades		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1
Data Processing or Computer Programming		0.7	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.1	0.3	1.0	0.1	0.5
Drafting or Design		0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
Electronics		0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1
Mechanics		0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1
Other Technical		0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1
Other Fields										
Agriculture		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.8	0.8
Communications		0.7	2.8	1.9	0.7	2.7	1.8	0.7	2.1	1.4
Computer Science		1.7	0.7	1.2	1.4	0.3	0.8	1.9	0.3	1.1
Forestry		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2
Kinesiology		0.0	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.7
Law Enforcement		0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.3	0.4
Military Science		0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
Other Field		0.2	0.5	0.4	0.6	1.0	0.8	0.9	1.4	1.2
Undecided		5.3	9.4	7.7	4.9	7.2	6.2	5.1	6.9	6.0

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Objectives considered to be "essential" or "very important":										
Becoming accomplished in one of the performing arts (acting, dancing, etc.)	3,261	17.8	15.8	16.6	12.4	13.6	13.0	13.3	15.2	14.3
Becoming an authority in my field	3,246	63.7	60.9	62.1	62.6	61.4	62.0	60.9	59.0	59.9
Obtaining recognition from my colleagues for contributions to my special field	3,239	62.2	59.9	60.9	59.0	58.7	58.9	58.4	58.2	58.3
Influencing the political structure	3,237	25.1	21.3	22.9	23.3	20.1	21.6	23.1	20.0	21.5
Influencing social values	3,227	42.2	47.4	45.2	36.6	44.4	40.8	37.8	45.9	42.1
Raising a family	3,245	76.9	72.5	74.4	75.3	73.9	74.6	75.7	74.9	75.3
Being very well off financially	3,236	83.3	79.8	81.3	78.9	75.6	77.2	79.2	76.2	77.6
Helping others who are in difficulty	3,233	67.2	78.3	73.6	61.8	76.3	69.5	60.8	76.2	69.0
Making a theoretical contribution to science	3,221	37.7	26.8	31.4	30.9	23.5	27.0	28.9	21.7	25.1
Writing original works (poems, novels, short stories, etc.)	3,223	14.2	14.7	14.5	13.2	14.4	13.8	13.8	15.3	14.6
Creating artistic works (painting, sculpture, decorating, etc.)	3,219	13.1	15.7	14.6	11.3	14.0	12.7	12.7	16.7	14.8
Becoming successful in a business of my own	3,213	49.9	44.6	46.8	46.4	39.9	42.9	46.3	40.5	43.3
Becoming involved in programs to clean up the environment	3,207	33.1	39.8	37.0	28.9	36.7	33.0	27.9	34.7	31.5
Developing a meaningful philosophy of life	3,209	61.4	61.7	61.6	53.8	54.5	54.2	51.9	53.0	52.5
Participating in a community action program	3,204	29.6	44.8	38.4	24.7	38.8	32.2	23.5	36.0	30.1
Helping to promote racial understanding	3,203	39.4	49.2	45.1	32.2	40.8	36.8	32.2	40.8	36.8
Keeping up to date with political affairs	3,205	44.5	45.5	45.1	47.1	46.7	46.9	42.7	41.6	42.1
Becoming a community leader	3,198	35.1	44.0	40.2	35.6	41.3	38.6	33.2	37.7	35.5
Improving my understanding of other countries and cultures	3,198	57.1	70.0	64.5	52.0	65.8	59.4	48.2	61.0	55.0
Adopting "green" practices to protect the environment	3,197	50.9	62.7	57.7	45.2	58.8	52.4	43.0	54.5	49.1

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Student estimates chances are "very good" that he/she will:										
Change major field	3,225	18.5	28.8	24.5	15.2	20.6	18.1	13.3	16.6	15.1
Change career choice	3,212	15.6	23.9	20.4	14.9	20.2	17.7	12.6	16.6	14.7
Participate in student government	3,201	6.8	13.3	10.6	6.0	10.6	8.4	5.1	8.3	6.8
Get a job to help pay for college expenses	3,195	40.8	58.2	50.9	37.8	50.2	44.4	43.0	56.2	50.0
Work full-time while attending college	3,184	4.4	6.7	5.7	3.0	4.4	3.8	4.4	6.7	5.6
Join a social fraternity or sorority	3,185	4.4	8.5	6.8	7.6	14.7	11.4	8.0	14.0	11.2
Play varsity/intercollegiate athletics	3,171	13.8	8.9	10.9	12.6	9.2	10.8	12.0	8.8	10.3
Make at least a "B" average	3,171	58.4	50.4	53.8	69.4	66.5	67.8	64.6	64.4	64.5
Need extra time to complete your degree requirements	3,164	7.7	6.8	7.2	4.6	4.6	4.6	5.7	6.2	6.0
Participate in student protests or demonstrations	3,162	5.2	7.5	6.5	5.9	8.0	7.0	5.3	7.0	6.2
Transfer to another college before graduating	3,151	4.8	4.6	4.7	2.8	2.5	2.6	4.9	5.4	5.2
Be satisfied with your college	3,156	47.9	54.8	51.9	63.4	68.9	66.3	54.9	62.1	58.7
Participate in volunteer or community service work	3,151	22.4	46.0	36.1	22.0	46.4	35.0	17.7	38.7	28.9
Seek personal counseling	3,148	12.2	17.2	15.1	7.9	11.9	10.0	7.7	11.5	9.7
Communicate regularly with your professors	3,145	30.3	35.4	33.3	33.1	42.1	37.9	30.5	38.7	34.8
Socialize with someone of another racial/ethnic group	3,140	69.8	78.6	74.9	68.9	77.8	73.6	63.5	73.0	68.5
Participate in student clubs/groups	3,147	46.1	65.9	57.6	47.7	66.7	57.8	40.6	57.8	49.7
Participate in a study abroad program	3,143	24.9	48.7	38.7	26.7	50.4	39.3	20.9	41.0	31.6
Have a roommate of different race/ethnicity	3,135	49.5	58.7	54.9	31.7	40.4	36.3	27.5	35.9	32.0
Discuss course content with students outside of class	3,136	52.6	64.7	59.6	51.8	63.6	58.1	46.1	58.1	52.5
Work on a professor's research project	3,139	30.3	30.3	30.3	26.2	28.5	27.4	25.2	28.8	27.1
Get tutoring help in specific courses	3,142	29.0	42.0	36.5	22.6	37.5	30.5	24.4	39.1	32.3
Do you give the Higher Education Research Institute (HERI) permission to include your ID number should your college request the data for additional research analyses?										
Yes	2,789	56.6	53.5	54.8	60.5	60.2	60.4	64.5	64.3	64.4
No		43.4	46.5	45.2	39.5	39.8	39.6	35.5	35.7	35.6

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41. What do you think will be your biggest problem or source of worry at UCSD during the coming year? (Mark only one)	2,919									
A. Doing well academically.		49.8	54.4	52.4						
B. Making new friends.		12.3	11.0	11.6						
C. Trying to "find" myself in the sense of personal meaning and self-identity.		13.5	15.3	14.5						
D. Making it financially.		12.1	13.9	13.1						
E. Do not anticipate any problems.		12.3	5.4	8.3						
42. With which <u>one</u> of the following do you think you may need the most help?	2,904									
A. Academic plans.		27.1	27.1	27.1						
B. Career plans.		28.0	32.9	30.9						
C. Personal/family concerns.		4.7	3.9	4.2						
D. Study skills.		21.4	16.1	18.4						
E. Financial assistance.		18.7	20.0	19.5						
43. How important is it to you personally to develop a close relationship with a faculty member here at UCSD to discuss academic, career, or other personal issues or problems?	2,895									
A. Essential.		30.8	37.3	34.6						
B. Very important.		37.8	40.1	39.1						
C. Some what important.		25.7	20.3	22.6						
D. Not important.		4.9	1.8	3.1						
		0.7	0.4	0.6						
44. Of the following factors, which one was the most important to you in choosing UCSD?	2,868									
A. The guarantee of on-campus housing.		2.6	2.4	2.5						
B. The choice of six different colleges.		4.9	9.1	7.3						
C. The reputation of the campus for academic rigor.		68.8	68.2	68.5						
D. The acceptance rate of students from UCSD into graduate schools.		12.2	9.6	10.7						
E. The social environment at UCSD.		11.4	10.7	11.0						
45. Regarding your decision to enroll at UCSD, where did you receive the best information about the campus?	2,853									
A. High school counselor or teachers.		12.3	11.7	11.9						
B. UCSD Admissions Officers.		10.3	9.3	9.7						
C. UCSD Website.		38.6	45.8	42.7						
D. Students and friends in high school.		29.6	25.0	26.9						
E. Family members.		9.2	8.4	8.7						
46. Which of the following activities gave you the most useful information about UCSD?	2,846									
A. Campus Tour.		25.8	24.6	25.1						
B. Attending Admit Day.		25.4	26.8	26.2						
C. Attending another UCSD event.		14.5	15.0	14.8						
D. Reading a UCSD publication.		5.0	2.4	3.5						
E. UCSD Web Site.		29.3	31.2	30.4						

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47. Which UCSD publication was most helpful to you for campus and admissions information?	2,821									
A. General Catalog.		14.0	12.3	13.0						
B. Discover UCSD (brochure/viewbook).		10.7	11.2	11.0						
C. Student Perspectives (brochure with student interviews and e-mails).		6.3	6.9	6.6						
D. UCSD Admissions Web site.		52.1	54.2	53.3						
E. Other.		16.9	15.5	16.1						