CCSSE 2021 Additional Item Set: 
Students in Need

Please mark your responses on page 7 of the survey under Additional Items and not on this sheet. 
Mark only one response for each item.

1. In the last 30 days, the food that I bought just didn’t last, and I didn’t have money to get more.
   a. Often true
   b. Sometimes true
   c. Never true

2. In the last 30 days, I couldn’t afford to eat balanced meals.
   a. Often true
   b. Sometimes true
   c. Never true

3. In the last 30 days, did you ever cut the size of your meals or skip meals because there wasn’t enough money for food?
   a. Yes
   b. No

4. If, in the last 30 days, you did cut the size of your meals or skip meals because there wasn’t enough money for food, how often did this happen?
   a. Every day
   b. More than once a week, but not every day
   c. About once a week
   d. Only 1 or 2 days
   e. I didn’t cut the size of my meals or skip meals

5. In the last 30 days, did you ever eat less than you felt you should because there wasn’t enough money for food?
   a. Yes
   b. No

6. In the last 30 days, were you ever hungry but didn’t eat because there wasn’t enough money for food?
   a. Yes
   b. No
7. In the last 30 days, did your college ever help you get food when you could not afford to purchase it?
   a. Yes
   b. No, and I needed this kind of help
   c. No, but I didn’t need this kind of help

8. In the last 12 months, were you ever unable to pay your rent or mortgage payment in full?
   a. Yes
   b. No
   c. I don’t have a rent or mortgage payment

9. In the last 12 months, were you ever unable to pay your utility bill(s) in full?
   a. Yes
   b. No
   c. I don’t have utility bill(s)

10. In the last 12 months, were you ever homeless?
    a. Yes
    b. No

11. In the last 12 months, did you ever stay in temporary housing (such as a shelter, hotel, or motel) because you had no other place to stay?
    a. Yes
    b. No

12. In the last 12 months, did you ever sleep in an outdoor location or a space not meant for human habitation (such as a car or vehicle) because you had no other place to sleep?
    a. Yes
    b. No

13. In the last 12 months, did you ever temporarily stay with a relative or friend or couch surf because you had no other place to stay?
    a. Yes
    b. No

14. In the last 12 months, did your college ever help you obtain or maintain secure and affordable housing?
    a. Yes
    b. No, and I needed this kind of help
    c. No, but I didn’t need this kind of help

15. In the last 12 months, did your college ever help you pay your utility bill(s)?
    1. Yes
    2. No, and I needed this kind of help
    3. No, but I didn’t need this kind of help