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Item 7			
1 = One, 2 = Two, 3 = Three, 4 = Four or more			
7. How many courses did you enroll in for your first semester/quarter at this college?	COURSENO	37,703	3.33
Item 9			
1 = None, 2 = One, 3 = Two, 4 = Three, 5 = Four or more			
9. Of the courses you enrolled in during your first semester/quarter at this college, how many did you drop after the first day of class?	DROPNO	5,373	1.72
Item 10			
1 = More than one week before classes began, 2 = During the week before classes began, 3 = During the first week of classes, 4 = After the first week of classes			
10. When did you register for your courses for your first semester/quarter at this college?	REGCLASS	37,783	1.17
Item 16			
1 = 3 or more months before classes began, 2 = 1 or 2 months before classes began, 3 = Less than 1 month before classes began, 4 = After classes began (the "I did not apply" category is not included in means calculations)			
16. When did you first apply for financial assistance?	TIMEAPPL	30,353	1.64
Item 18: Think about your experiences from the time of your decision to attend this college through the end of the first three weeks of your first semester/quarter.			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Neutral, 4 = Agree, 5 = Strongly agree			
18a. The very first time I came to this college I felt welcome [EARLYCON]	WELCOME	37,491	4.16
18b. The instructors at this college want me to succeed [HIEXPECT]	WNTSCCD	37,406	4.36
18c. All the courses I needed to take during my first semester/quarter were available at times convenient for me	CONVTIME	37,303	4.04
18d. I was able to meet with an academic advisor at times convenient for me [ACADPLAN]	AACONTIM	37,152	3.96
18e. An advisor helped me to select a course of study, program, or major [ACADPLAN]	AASELMAJ	37,115	3.94
18f. An advisor helped me to set academic goals and to create a plan for achieving them [ACADPLAN]	ACADGOAL	37,082	3.56

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Item 18: Think about your experiences from the time of your decision to attend this college through the end of the first three weeks of your first semester/quarter.			
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18g. An advisor helped me to identify the courses I needed to take during my first semester/quarter [ACADPLAN]	CRSADV	37,233	4.10
18h. A college staff member talked with me about my commitments outside of school (work, children, dependents, etc.) to help me figure out how many courses to take [ACADPLAN]	OSCOMM	37,175	3.05
18i. The college provided me with adequate information about financial assistance (scholarships, grants, loans, etc.) [EARLYCON]	FAINFO	37,252	3.66
18j. A college staff member helped me determine whether I qualified for financial assistance [EARLYCON]	QUALFA	37,143	3.21
18k. All instructors had activities to introduce students to one another	ACTINTRO	37,100	3.52
18l. All instructors clearly explained academic and student support services available at this college [ACSOCSUP]	RESOURCE	37,095	4.04
18m. All instructors clearly explained course grading policies [ACSOCSUP]	GRADEPOL	37,143	4.33
18n. All instructors clearly explained course syllabi (syllabuses) [ACSOCSUP]	SYLLABI	37,161	4.39
18o. I knew how to get in touch with my instructors outside of class [ACSOCSUP]	FACMEET	37,209	4.37
18p. At least one college staff member (other than an instructor) learned my name [EARLYCON]	CSTAFNAM	37,166	3.43
18q. At least one other student whom I didn't previously know learned my name [ACSOCSUP]	OSTUDNAM	37,234	4.00
18r. At least one instructor learned my name [ACSOCSUP]	FACNAM	37,103	4.27
18s. I learned the name of at least one other student in most of my classes [ACSOCSUP]	STUNAM	37,230	4.17
18t. I have the motivation to do what it takes to succeed in college [HIEXPECT]	ITTAKES	37,315	4.25
18u. I am prepared academically to succeed in college [HIEXPECT]	ACPRPRD	37,412	4.23

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Item 19: During the first three weeks of your first semester/quarter at this college, about how often did you do the following?			
1 = Never, 2 = Once, 3 = Two or three times, 4 = Four or more times			
19a. Ask questions in class or contribute to class discussions [ENGAGLRN]	ASKQUES	37,690	2.83
19b. Prepare at least two drafts of a paper or assignment before turning it in [ENGAGLRN]	PREPDRFT	37,530	2.10
19c. Turn in an assignment late [HIEXPECT]	LATETURN	37,571	1.77
19d. Not turn in an assignment [HIEXPECT]	NOTTURN	37,229	1.51
19e. Participate in supplemental instruction (extra class sessions with an instructor, tutor, or experienced student) [ENGAGLRN]	SUPINSTR	37,624	1.51
19f. Come to class without completing readings or assignments [HIEXPECT]	NOTCOMPL	37,572	1.61
19g. Work with other students on a project or assignment during class [ENGAGLRN]	PINCLASS	37,609	2.35
19h. Work with classmates outside of class on class projects or assignments [ENGAGLRN]	PREPOUTC	37,472	1.58
19i. Participate in a required study group outside of class [ENGAGLRN]	GRPSTUDY	37,561	1.28
19j. Participate in a student-initiated (not required) study group outside of class [ENGAGLRN]	NRGSTUDY	37,423	1.31
19k. Use an electronic tool (e-mail, text messaging, Facebook, MySpace, class Web site, etc.) to communicate with another student about coursework [ENGAGLRN]	USEINTMG	37,512	2.18
19l. Use an electronic tool (e-mail, text messaging, Facebook, MySpace, class Web site, etc.) to communicate with an instructor about coursework [ENGAGLRN]	MAILFAC	37,472	2.48
19m. Discuss an assignment or grade with an instructor [ENGAGLRN]	FACASSN	37,599	2.10
19n. Ask for help from an instructor regarding questions or problems related to a class [ENGAGLRN]	CLASSREL	37,536	2.38
19o. Receive prompt written or oral feedback from instructors on your performance [ENGAGLRN]	FEEDBACK	37,501	2.58

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Item 19: During the first three weeks of your first semester/quarter at this college, about how often did you do the following?			
1 = Never, 2 = Once, 3 = Two or three times, 4 = Four or more times			
19p. Receive grades or points on assignments, quizzes, tests, or papers, etc.	RCVGRDS	37,381	3.57
19q. Discuss ideas from your readings or classes with instructors outside of class [ENGAGLRN]	FACIDOC	37,478	1.61
19r. Discuss ideas from your readings or classes with others outside of class (students, family, co-workers, etc.)	OCIDEAS	37,456	2.20
19s. Skip class [HIEXPECT]	SKIPCL	37,622	1.28
Item 20.2: Think about your experiences from the time of your decision to attend this college through the end of the first three weeks of your first semester/quarter. How often did you use the following services?			
1 = Never, 2 = Once, 3 = Two or three times, 4 = Four or more times			
20.2a. Academic advising/planning	ACADPUSE	32,120	2.17
20.2b. Career counseling	CARCUSE	23,308	1.42
20.2c. Job placement assistance	JOBPLUSE	16,052	1.17
20.2d. Face-to-face tutoring [ENGAGLRN]	FFTUSE	30,911	1.30
20.2e. Online tutoring	OLTUSE	26,148	1.20
20.2f. Writing, math, or other skill lab [ENGAGLRN]	SKLABUSE	25,373	1.58
20.2g. Financial assistance advising	FAUSE	29,958	1.84
20.2h. Computer lab [ENGAGLRN]	COMLBUSE	27,452	1.68
20.2i. Student organizations	STORGUSE	25,310	1.33

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Item 20.2: Think about your experiences from the time of your decision to attend this college through the end of the first three weeks of your first semester/quarter. How often did you use the following services?			
1 = Never, 2 = Once, 3 = Two or three times, 4 = Four or more times			
20.2j. Transfer credit assistance	TRNFCRAS	19,815	1.31
20.2k. Services to students with disabilities	DISVSUSE	22,969	1.20
Item 20.3: Think about your experiences from the time of your decision to attend this college through the end of the first three weeks of your first semester/quarter. How satisfied were you with the following services?			
1 = Not at all, 2 = Somewhat, 3 = Very (the N/A category is not included in means calculations)			
20.3a. Academic advising/planning	ACADPSAT	23,501	2.57
20.3b. Career counseling	CARCSAT	6,672	2.61
20.3c. Job placement assistance	JOBPLSAT	1,901	2.49
20.3d. Face-to-face tutoring	FFTSAT	5,249	2.70
20.3e. Online tutoring	OLTSAT	3,095	2.58
20.3f. Writing, math, or other skill lab	SKLBSAT	7,314	2.60
20.3g. Financial assistance advising	FAADVSAT	15,638	2.59
20.3h. Computer lab	COMLBSAT	9,531	2.69
20.3i. Student organizations	STORGSAT	4,978	2.63
20.3j. Transfer credit assistance	TRCRASAT	4,358	2.56
20.3k. Services to students with disabilities	DISVSAT	2,312	2.62

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Item 21: Think about your experiences from the time of your decision to attend this college through the end of the first three weeks of your first semester/quarter. Within a class, or through another experience at this college:			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Neutral, 4 = Agree, 5 = Strongly agree			
21a. I learned to improve my study skills (listening, note taking, highlighting readings, working with others, etc.) [COLLREAD]	LNDSTUDY	36,828	4.02
21b. I learned to understand my academic strengths and weaknesses [COLLREAD]	LNDACAWK	36,863	4.01
21c. I learned skills and strategies to improve my test-taking ability [COLLREAD]	LNDSKLLS	36,855	3.70
Item 24: During the first three weeks of your first semester/quarter at this college, about how many hours did you spend in a typical 7-day week doing each of the following?			
1 = None, 2 = 1-5 hours, 3 = 6-10 hours, 4 = 11-20 hours, 5 = 21-30 hours, 6 = More than 30 hours			
24a. Preparing for class	PREPCLAS	36,451	2.71
24b. Working for pay	WORKPAY	35,861	3.10

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