

**Community College Survey of Student Engagement - 2026 Cohort
2026 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	130,165	72.4
		Started elsewhere	49,710	27.6
		Total	179,875	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	6,254	3.5
		Sometimes	53,972	30.0
		Often	60,109	33.5
		Very often	59,313	33.0
		Total	179,647	100.0
4b. Made a class presentation [ACTCOLL]	CLPRESEN	Never	53,529	29.8
		Sometimes	71,409	39.8
		Often	36,628	20.4
		Very often	18,038	10.0
		Total	179,603	100.0
4c. Prepared two or more drafts of a paper or assignment before turning it in [STUEFF]	REWROPAP	Never	34,937	19.5
		Sometimes	54,521	30.4
		Often	52,372	29.2
		Very often	37,466	20.9
		Total	179,296	100.0
4d. Worked on a paper or project that required integrating ideas or information from various sources [STUEFF]	INTEGRAT	Never	15,284	8.5
		Sometimes	39,183	21.8
		Often	64,346	35.9
		Very often	60,646	33.8
		Total	179,460	100.0
4e. Come to class without completing readings or assignments [STUEFF]	CLUNPREP	Never	78,069	43.5
		Sometimes	78,407	43.7
		Often	14,939	8.3
		Very often	7,947	4.4
		Total	179,362	100.0
4f. Worked with other students on projects during class [ACTCOLL]	CLASSGRP	Never	33,694	18.8
		Sometimes	59,855	33.4
		Often	50,586	28.2
		Very often	34,999	19.5
		Total	179,134	100.0
4g. Worked with classmates outside of class to prepare class assignments [ACTCOLL]	OCCGRP	Never	78,999	44.1
		Sometimes	59,126	33.0
		Often	25,495	14.2
		Very often	15,513	8.7
		Total	179,132	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	137,207	76.6
		Sometimes	28,401	15.8
		Often	8,209	4.6
		Very often	5,391	3.0
		Total	179,207	100.0
4i. Participated in a community-based project (service-learning activity) as part of a regular course [ACTCOLL]	PARTICCBP	Never	132,670	74.1
		Sometimes	30,506	17.0
		Often	10,148	5.7
		Very often	5,602	3.1
		Total	178,925	100.0
4j. Used e-mail to communicate with an instructor [STUFAC]	EMAIL	Never	6,668	3.7
		Sometimes	45,641	25.5
		Often	55,085	30.7
		Very often	71,927	40.1
		Total	179,321	100.0
4k. Discussed grades or assignments with an instructor [STUFAC]	FACGRADE	Never	19,882	11.1
		Sometimes	70,388	39.2
		Often	48,704	27.2
		Very often	40,381	22.5
		Total	179,355	100.0
4l. Talked about career plans with an instructor or advisor [STUFAC]	FACPLANS	Never	39,751	22.2
		Sometimes	74,023	41.3
		Often	38,918	21.7
		Very often	26,536	14.8
		Total	179,228	100.0
4m. Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with instructors outside of class [STUFAC]	FACIDEAS	Never	79,790	44.6
		Sometimes	61,967	34.7
		Often	23,244	13.0
		Very often	13,756	7.7
		Total	178,757	100.0
4n. Received prompt feedback (written or oral) from instructors on your performance [STUFAC]	FACFEED	Never	9,467	5.3
		Sometimes	44,532	24.9
		Often	67,629	37.8
		Very often	57,484	32.1
		Total	179,112	100.0
4o. Worked harder than you thought you could to meet an instructor's standards or expectations [ACCHALL]	WORKHARD	Never	17,383	9.7
		Sometimes	62,623	35.0
		Often	60,678	33.9
		Very often	38,339	21.4
		Total	179,023	100.0

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4p. Worked with instructors on activities other than coursework [STUFAC]	FACOTH	Never	113,756	63.7
		Sometimes	40,437	22.6
		Often	15,432	8.6
		Very often	8,921	5.0
		Total	178,547	100.0
4q. Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with others outside of class (students, family members, co-workers, etc.) [ACTCOLL]	OOCIDEAS	Never	25,260	14.1
		Sometimes	63,682	35.5
		Often	50,659	28.3
		Very often	39,642	22.1
		Total	179,243	100.0
4r. Had serious conversations with students who differ from you	CONVSTUDIFF	Never	75,390	42.1
		Sometimes	61,793	34.5
		Often	27,584	15.4
		Very often	14,421	8.0
		Total	179,188	100.0
4s. Skipped class	SKIPCLAS	Never	122,883	68.6
		Sometimes	49,156	27.4
		Often	5,295	3.0
		Very often	1,920	1.1
		Total	179,253	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	13,224	7.6
		Some	49,736	28.4
		Quite a bit	65,819	37.6
		Very much	46,311	26.4
		Total	175,090	100.0
5b. Analyzing the basic elements of an idea, experience, or theory [ACCHALL]	ANALYZE	Very little	6,188	3.5
		Some	38,149	21.8
		Quite a bit	73,953	42.3
		Very much	56,453	32.3
		Total	174,742	100.0
5c. Forming a new idea or understanding from various pieces of information [ACCHALL]	NEWIDEAS	Very little	7,410	4.2
		Some	39,851	22.8
		Quite a bit	70,756	40.5
		Very much	56,497	32.4
		Total	174,514	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	20,158	11.5
		Some	52,233	29.9
		Quite a bit	60,218	34.5
		Very much	41,930	24.0
		Total	174,538	100.0
5e. Applying theories or concepts to practical problems or in new situations [ACCHALL]	APPLYING	Very little	13,347	7.6
		Some	46,847	26.8
		Quite a bit	62,438	35.7
		Very much	52,044	29.8
		Total	174,676	100.0
5f. Using information you have read or heard to perform a new skill [ACCHALL]	PERFORM	Very little	10,745	6.1
		Some	39,319	22.5
		Quite a bit	60,517	34.6
		Very much	64,341	36.8
		Total	174,923	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	6,473	3.7
		1–4	81,668	47.0
		5–10	42,138	24.3
		11–20	21,242	12.2
		More than 20	22,111	12.7
		Total	173,632	100.0
6b. Number of books read on your own (not assigned) for personal enjoyment or academic enrichment [STUEFF]	BKREADOWN	None	52,275	30.1
		1–4	82,018	47.2
		5–10	23,218	13.4
		11–20	7,574	4.4
		More than 20	8,573	4.9
		Total	173,658	100.0
6c. Number of written papers or reports of any length [ACCHALL]	NUMPAPRRPTS	None	22,511	12.9
		1–4	63,412	36.5
		5–10	50,444	29.0
		11–20	23,137	13.3
		More than 20	14,443	8.3
		Total	173,947	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	1,173	0.7
		(2)	2,807	1.6
		(3)	7,384	4.3
		(4)	30,728	17.9
		(5)	53,636	31.2
		(6)	59,595	34.7
		Extremely challenging	16,480	9.6
		Total	171,804	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	138,982	80.3
		Yes	34,096	19.7
		Total	173,079	100.0
8b. An English course taught specifically for students whose first language is not English (ESL, ESOL)	DONEESL	No	159,507	92.2
		Yes	13,482	7.8
		Total	172,989	100.0
8c. Developmental/remedial reading course (also referred to as Basic Skills, College Prep, etc.)	DONEDEVRD	No	136,477	79.1
		Yes	36,067	20.9
		Total	172,544	100.0
8d. Developmental/remedial writing course (also referred to as Basic Skills, College Prep, etc.)	DONEDEVWR	No	132,852	76.9
		Yes	39,806	23.1
		Total	172,658	100.0
8e. Developmental/remedial math course (also referred to as Basic Skills, College Prep, etc.)	DONEDEVMT	No	128,076	74.2
		Yes	44,590	25.8
		Total	172,666	100.0
8f. Honors course	DONEHNRS	No	159,134	92.4
		Yes	13,125	7.6
		Total	172,259	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	5,899	3.4
		Some	36,731	21.3
		Quite a bit	71,742	41.7
		Very much	57,679	33.5
		Total	172,050	100.0
9b. Providing the support you need to help you succeed at this college [SUPPORT]	ENVSUPRT	Very little	5,472	3.2
		Some	27,548	16.0
		Quite a bit	63,404	36.9
		Very much	75,467	43.9
		Total	171,890	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	19,338	11.3
		Some	42,747	24.9
		Quite a bit	55,225	32.2
		Very much	54,276	31.6
		Total	171,585	100.0
9d. Helping you cope with your non-academic responsibilities (work, family, etc.) [SUPPORT]	ENVNACAD	Very little	44,431	25.9
		Some	56,567	33.0
		Quite a bit	40,903	23.8
		Very much	29,727	17.3
		Total	171,628	100.0
9e. Providing the support you need to thrive socially [SUPPORT]	ENVSOCAL	Very little	30,441	17.7
		Some	57,247	33.4
		Quite a bit	47,951	28.0
		Very much	35,899	20.9
		Total	171,537	100.0
9f. Providing the financial support you need to afford your education [SUPPORT]	FINSUPP	Very little	27,664	16.1
		Some	40,934	23.9
		Quite a bit	46,315	27.0
		Very much	56,534	33.0
		Total	171,447	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, etc.) [STUEFF]	ACADPR01	None	2,464	1.4
		1–5	58,027	33.9
		6–10	54,877	32.0
		11–20	34,907	20.4
		21–30	13,128	7.7
		More than 30	7,838	4.6
		Total	171,241	100.0
10b. Working for pay	PAYWORK	None	42,697	25.0
		1–5	11,881	7.0
		6–10	13,805	8.1
		11–20	23,450	13.7
		21–30	26,526	15.5
		More than 30	52,307	30.6
		Total	170,665	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	131,469	76.9
		1–5	28,342	16.6
		6–10	5,931	3.5
		11–20	2,819	1.6
		21–30	1,061	0.6
		More than 30	1,332	0.8
		Total	170,954	100.0
10d. Providing care for dependents living with you (parents, children, spouse, etc.)	CAREDE01	None	80,519	47.2
		1–5	30,659	18.0
		6–10	14,512	8.5
		11–20	9,407	5.5
		21–30	5,824	3.4
		More than 30	29,824	17.5
		Total	170,745	100.0
10e. Commuting to and from classes	COMMUTE	None	40,564	23.7
		1–5	94,944	55.5
		6–10	20,562	12.0
		11–20	6,892	4.0
		21–30	2,844	1.7
		More than 30	5,157	3.0
		Total	170,963	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	27,393	16.2
		Some	45,766	27.1
		Quite a bit	49,506	29.3
		Very much	46,487	27.5
		Total	169,152	100.0
11b. Writing clearly and effectively	GNWRITE	Very little	15,090	8.9
		Some	41,199	24.3
		Quite a bit	62,924	37.2
		Very much	50,143	29.6
		Total	169,355	100.0
11c. Speaking clearly and effectively	GNSPEAK	Very little	18,951	11.2
		Some	43,097	25.5
		Quite a bit	58,406	34.5
		Very much	48,843	28.9
		Total	169,297	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	6,947	4.1
		Some	29,550	17.4
		Quite a bit	65,201	38.5
		Very much	67,696	40.0
		Total	169,394	100.0
11e. Solving numerical problems	GNSOLVE	Very little	26,825	15.9
		Some	45,788	27.1
		Quite a bit	52,159	30.8
		Very much	44,469	26.3
		Total	169,242	100.0
11f. Working effectively with others	GNOTHERS	Very little	15,926	9.4
		Some	40,952	24.2
		Quite a bit	56,481	33.4
		Very much	55,895	33.0
		Total	169,253	100.0
11g. Learning effectively on your own	GNINQ	Very little	7,266	4.3
		Some	27,825	16.4
		Quite a bit	60,624	35.8
		Very much	73,784	43.5
		Total	169,500	100.0
11h. Developing clearer career goals	GNCARGOAL	Very little	17,924	10.6
		Some	38,251	22.6
		Quite a bit	52,445	30.9
		Very much	60,854	35.9
		Total	169,474	100.0
11i. Gaining information about career opportunities	GNGAINCAR	Very little	22,893	13.5
		Some	40,976	24.2
		Quite a bit	48,660	28.7
		Very much	56,854	33.6
		Total	169,384	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	27,162	16.2
		1 time	35,991	21.5
		2–4 times	77,744	46.5
		5 or more times	26,350	15.8
		Total	167,246	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	104,552	62.7
		1 time	28,394	17.0
		2–4 times	26,582	15.9
		5 or more times	7,337	4.4
		Total	166,864	100.0
12.1c. Job placement assistance	FREQJOBPL	Never	146,377	87.9
		1 time	10,584	6.4
		2–4 times	7,248	4.4
		5 or more times	2,392	1.4
		Total	166,601	100.0
12.1d. Peer or other tutoring [STUEFF]	FREQTUTOR	Never	112,480	67.5
		1 time	18,284	11.0
		2–4 times	21,487	12.9
		5 or more times	14,271	8.6
		Total	166,522	100.0
12.1e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.) [STUEFF]	FREQLAB	Never	110,109	66.2
		1 time	16,105	9.7
		2–4 times	22,048	13.3
		5 or more times	18,028	10.8
		Total	166,290	100.0
12.1f. Child care	FREQCHLD	Never	159,288	95.8
		1 time	2,158	1.3
		2–4 times	2,550	1.5
		5 or more times	2,352	1.4
		Total	166,348	100.0
12.1g. Financial aid advising	FREQFAADV	Never	70,705	42.4
		1 time	35,148	21.1
		2–4 times	44,603	26.8
		5 or more times	16,153	9.7
		Total	166,609	100.0
12.1h. Computer lab [STUEFF]	FREQCOMLB	Never	106,958	64.2
		1 time	16,742	10.1
		2–4 times	22,437	13.5
		5 or more times	20,358	12.2
		Total	166,495	100.0
12.1i. Student organizations	FREQSTORG	Never	128,989	77.6
		1 time	14,119	8.5
		2–4 times	14,352	8.6
		5 or more times	8,767	5.3
		Total	166,226	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 counseling	FREQTRADV	Never	131,174	79.0
		1 time	19,010	11.4
		2–4 times	12,358	7.4
		5 or more times	3,497	2.1
		Total	166,040	100.0
12.1k. Library resources and services	FREQLIB	Never	63,750	38.3
		1 time	25,833	15.5
		2–4 times	41,724	25.1
		5 or more times	35,108	21.1
		Total	166,416	100.0
12.1l. Services for students with disabilities	FREQDISABSVCS	Never	146,409	87.9
		1 time	6,606	4.0
		2–4 times	7,442	4.5
		5 or more times	6,087	3.7
		Total	166,544	100.0
12.1m. Services for active military and veterans	FREQMILSVCS	Never	155,069	93.2
		1 time	3,502	2.1
		2–4 times	4,257	2.6
		5 or more times	3,553	2.1
		Total	166,381	100.0
Item 12.2: How satisfied are you with the services?				
12.2a. Academic advising/planning	SATACAD	Not at all	6,480	4.7
		Somewhat	47,422	34.3
		Very	83,842	60.6
		N.A.	678	0.5
		Total	138,422	100.0
12.2b. Career counseling	SATCACOU	Not at all	3,533	5.8
		Somewhat	23,772	38.8
		Very	33,469	54.6
		N.A.	510	0.8
		Total	61,284	100.0
12.2c. Job placement assistance	SATJOBPL	Not at all	2,148	10.8
		Somewhat	8,332	41.9
		Very	9,029	45.4
		N.A.	359	1.8
		Total	19,869	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	2,993	5.6
		Somewhat	17,951	33.7
		Very	31,786	59.7
		N.A.	470	0.9
		Total	53,200	100.0
12.2e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.)	SATLAB	Not at all	2,312	4.2
		Somewhat	20,107	36.4
		Very	32,175	58.2
		N.A.	679	1.2
		Total	55,272	100.0
12.2f. Child care	SATCHLD	Not at all	1,106	15.6
		Somewhat	2,658	37.4
		Very	3,018	42.5
		N.A.	319	4.5
		Total	7,101	100.0
12.2g. Financial aid advising	SATFAADV	Not at all	5,649	6.0
		Somewhat	30,100	31.9
		Very	58,061	61.4
		N.A.	690	0.7
		Total	94,500	100.0
12.2h. Computer lab	SATCOMLB	Not at all	1,963	3.4
		Somewhat	17,836	30.5
		Very	38,135	65.2
		N.A.	591	1.0
		Total	58,524	100.0
12.2i. Student organizations	SATSTORG	Not at all	1,858	5.1
		Somewhat	13,732	37.5
		Very	20,583	56.2
		N.A.	481	1.3
		Total	36,654	100.0
12.2j. Transfer counseling	SATTRADV	Not at all	2,147	6.2
		Somewhat	13,286	38.6
		Very	18,570	53.9
		N.A.	440	1.3
		Total	34,444	100.0
12.2k. Library resources and services	SATLIB	Not at all	2,014	2.0
		Somewhat	25,871	25.6
		Very	72,576	71.8
		N.A.	663	0.7
		Total	101,123	100.0

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Item 12.2: How satisfied are you with the services?				
12.2l. Services for students with disabilities	SATDISABSV	Not at all	1,394	7.0
		Somewhat	6,025	30.2
		Very	12,209	61.2
		N.A.	319	1.6
		Total	19,947	100.0
12.2m. Services for active military and veterans	SATMILSVCS	Not at all	979	8.7
		Somewhat	3,609	31.9
		Very	6,433	56.9
		N.A.	288	2.6
		Total	11,310	100.0
Item 12.3: How important are the services to you at this college?				
12.3a. Academic advising/planning	IMPACAD	Not at all	8,832	5.4
		Somewhat	34,179	20.8
		Very	121,589	73.9
		Total	164,599	100.0
12.3b. Career counseling	IMPCACOU	Not at all	23,633	14.5
		Somewhat	49,100	30.1
		Very	90,630	55.5
		Total	163,363	100.0
12.3c. Job placement assistance	IMPJOBPL	Not at all	38,057	23.4
		Somewhat	51,135	31.4
		Very	73,488	45.2
		Total	162,681	100.0
12.3d. Peer or other tutoring	IMPTUTOR	Not at all	35,813	22.0
		Somewhat	54,089	33.2
		Very	72,874	44.8
		Total	162,776	100.0
12.3e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.)	IMPLAB	Not at all	37,008	22.8
		Somewhat	54,364	33.5
		Very	71,096	43.8
		Total	162,468	100.0
12.3f. Child care	IMPCHLD	Not at all	86,302	53.2
		Somewhat	28,933	17.8
		Very	46,876	28.9
		Total	162,110	100.0
12.3g. Financial aid advising	IMPFAADV	Not at all	23,311	14.3
		Somewhat	35,504	21.8
		Very	104,312	63.9
		Total	163,127	100.0

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Item 12.3: How important are the services to you at this college?				
12.3h. Computer lab	IMPCOMLB	Not at all	45,675	28.1
		Somewhat	51,619	31.8
		Very	65,239	40.1
		Total	162,533	100.0
12.3i. Student organizations	IMPSTORG	Not at all	53,227	32.8
		Somewhat	55,635	34.3
		Very	53,257	32.9
		Total	162,119	100.0
12.3j. Transfer counseling	IMPTRADV	Not at all	42,390	26.2
		Somewhat	45,377	28.0
		Very	74,205	45.8
		Total	161,973	100.0
12.3k. Library resources and services	IMPLIB	Not at all	23,551	14.5
		Somewhat	45,756	28.1
		Very	93,654	57.5
		Total	162,962	100.0
12.3l. Services for students with disabilities	IMPDISABVC	Not at all	61,882	38.1
		Somewhat	31,031	19.1
		Very	69,682	42.9
		Total	162,595	100.0
12.3m. Services for active military and veterans	IMPMILSVCS	Not at all	74,294	45.8
		Somewhat	29,214	18.0
		Very	58,594	36.1
		Total	162,102	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)	2,335	1.4
		Partly; I was registered for some of my courses before the first class session(s)	4,327	2.6
		Mostly; I was registered for most of my courses before the first class session(s)	11,722	7.0
		Yes; I was registered for all of my courses before the first class session(s)	149,137	89.0
		Total	167,521	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 unable to participate in orientation due to scheduling or other issues	24,542	14.8
		I was not aware of a college orientation	32,141	19.3
		I enrolled in an orientation course as part of my course schedule during my first academic term	12,178	7.3
		I attended an on-campus orientation prior to the beginning of classes	52,691	31.7
		I took part in an online orientation prior to the beginning of classes	44,790	26.9
		Total	166,342	100.0
Item 15				
15. During my first academic year at this college, I participated in a first-year experience program.	PARTICFYE	No	128,009	76.8
		Yes	38,607	23.2
		Total	166,615	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 students take two or more classes together).	PARTICLRNC	No	144,421	87.0
		Yes	21,537	13.0
		Total	165,958	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	111,820	67.3
		Yes	54,376	32.7
		Total	166,196	100.0
Item 18				
18. I was told that 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	38,475	23.1
		Did enroll in one of these courses	28,906	17.4
		Did enroll in more than one of these courses	17,653	10.6
		N.A.	81,262	48.9
		Total	166,296	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	6,381	3.8
		Some of my instructors explained a class attendance policy	11,957	7.2
		Most of my instructors explained a class attendance policy	21,575	13.0
		All of my instructors explained a class attendance policy	126,613	76.0
		Total	166,527	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	46,738	28.1
		Yes	92,167	55.5
		I'm still in my first academic term; I have not yet developed an academic plan.	27,285	16.4
		Total	166,189	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	56,808	34.2
		Yes	53,942	32.4
		N.A.	55,486	33.4
		Total	166,237	100.0
Item 22				
22. During the current academic year at this college, I have participated in supplemental instruction/supplemental learning (extra class sessions with the instructor or an experienced student).	PARTICSI	Never	125,125	75.4
		Less than 1 time a week	23,042	13.9
		1–2 times a week	13,847	8.3
		3–4 times a week	2,519	1.5
		More than 4 times a week	1,463	0.9
		Total	165,995	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	59,731	36.1
		Somewhat likely	36,698	22.2
		Likely	29,891	18.1
		Very likely	38,940	23.6
		Total	165,260	100.0
23b. Caring for dependents	CAREDEP	Not likely	80,019	48.5
		Somewhat likely	35,030	21.3
		Likely	25,449	15.4
		Very likely	24,320	14.8
		Total	164,818	100.0
23c. Academically unprepared	ACADUNP	Not likely	84,573	51.4
		Somewhat likely	42,706	26.0
		Likely	22,364	13.6
		Very likely	14,863	9.0
		Total	164,506	100.0
23d. Lack of finances	LACKFIN	Not likely	49,099	29.8
		Somewhat likely	36,336	22.0
		Likely	29,862	18.1
		Very likely	49,608	30.1
		Total	164,904	100.0
23e. Transfer to a 4-year college or university	TRANSFER	Not likely	76,102	46.2
		Somewhat likely	32,359	19.7
		Likely	24,642	15.0
		Very likely	31,504	19.1
		Total	164,607	100.0

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Item 24				
24. How supportive are your friends of your attending this college?	FRNDSUPP	Not very	6,426	3.9
		Somewhat	20,971	12.7
		Quite a bit	44,057	26.7
		Extremely	93,787	56.8
		Total	165,241	100.0
Item 25				
25. How supportive is your immediate family of your attending this college?	FAMSUPP	Not very	4,378	2.7
		Somewhat	13,967	8.5
		Quite a bit	32,167	19.6
		Extremely	113,831	69.3
		Total	164,344	100.0
Item 26: Indicate which of the following are your reasons/goals for attending this college.				
26a. Complete a certificate program	GOALCERT	No	79,285	48.6
		Yes	83,857	51.4
		Total	163,142	100.0
26b. Obtain an associate degree	GOALAA	No	30,431	18.6
		Yes	133,598	81.4
		Total	164,028	100.0
26c. Transfer to a 4-year college or university	GOALTR4YR	No	67,702	41.5
		Yes	95,315	58.5
		Total	163,017	100.0
26d. Obtain or update job-related skills	GOALJOBSKILL	No	44,390	27.2
		Yes	118,692	72.8
		Total	163,082	100.0
26e. Change careers	GOALCHGCAR	No	97,987	60.3
		Yes	64,444	39.7
		Total	162,431	100.0
26f. Self-improvement/personal enjoyment	GOALSELFIMP	No	39,912	24.4
		Yes	123,470	75.6
		Total	163,381	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	56,975	34.9
		Minor source	48,695	29.8
		Major source	57,500	35.2
		Total	163,170	100.0
27b. Income/savings from family	PAYFAM	Not a source	95,805	58.9
		Minor source	29,109	17.9
		Major source	37,733	23.2
		Total	162,647	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	134,729	83.1
		Minor source	14,256	8.8
		Major source	13,094	8.1
		Total	162,079	100.0
27d. Active military or veterans benefits	PAYMILBEN	Not a source	150,708	93.0
		Minor source	3,710	2.3
		Major source	7,560	4.7
		Total	161,978	100.0
27e. Grants	PAYGRANT	Not a source	79,356	48.7
		Minor source	19,629	12.1
		Major source	63,822	39.2
		Total	162,807	100.0
27f. Scholarships	PAYSCHOL	Not a source	96,104	59.2
		Minor source	24,623	15.2
		Major source	41,686	25.7
		Total	162,413	100.0
27g. Student loans (bank, etc.)	PAYSTULOANS	Not a source	122,424	75.4
		Minor source	12,735	7.8
		Major source	27,202	16.8
		Total	162,361	100.0
27h. Public assistance	PAYPUBASSIST	Not a source	135,408	83.6
		Minor source	10,532	6.5
		Major source	16,037	9.9
		Total	161,978	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	31,246	19.0
		I have no current plan to return	8,103	4.9
		Within the next 12 months	96,620	58.9
		Uncertain	28,069	17.1
		Total	164,039	100.0
Item 29				
29. At this college, in what range is your overall college grade point average (GPA)?	COLGPA	D or lower	4,265	2.6
		C	22,292	13.6
		B	63,341	38.8
		A	66,058	40.4
		I do not have a GPA at this college	7,438	4.6
		Total	163,393	100.0

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Item	Variable	Responses	Count	Percent
Item 30				
30. In what range was your overall high school grade point average (GPA)?	HSGPA	D or lower	6,260	3.8
		C	27,146	16.6
		B	58,085	35.5
		A	54,155	33.1
		I do not remember	18,043	11.0
		Total	163,689	100.0
Item 31				
31. When do you most frequently take classes at this college?	TIMCLASS	Day classes (morning or afternoon)	127,743	78.2
		Evening classes	33,001	20.2
		Weekend classes	2,601	1.6
		Total	163,345	100.0
Item 32: During the current academic term, how many classes are you taking...				
32a. Face-to-face (a class in which all instruction is face-to-face in a classroom)	NUMCLF2F	None	37,923	23.3
		1	37,052	22.8
		2	37,939	23.3
		3	24,507	15.1
		4	14,882	9.1
		5 or more	10,487	6.4
		Total	162,789	100.0
32b. Online (a class in which all instruction is online)	NUMCLOL	None	63,619	39.5
		1	42,755	26.5
		2	28,678	17.8
		3	13,852	8.6
		4	6,305	3.9
		5 or more	5,968	3.7
		Total	161,178	100.0
32c. Hybrid (a class that is a mixture of face-to-face and online instruction)	NUMCLHYB	None	114,437	72.2
		1	26,311	16.6
		2	9,619	6.1
		3	3,987	2.5
		4	1,860	1.2
		5 or more	2,191	1.4
		Total	158,406	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	15,636	9.7
		1–14 credits	52,823	32.7
		15–29 credits	35,976	22.3
		30–44 credits	21,898	13.6
		45–60 credits	20,280	12.6
		Over 60 credits	14,847	9.2
		Total	161,459	100.0
Item 34				
34. How many total academic terms have you been enrolled at this college?	TOTTERMS	This is my first academic term	35,347	21.7
		This is my second academic term	47,972	29.4
		This is my third or fourth academic term	45,880	28.1
		This is my fifth or sixth academic term	19,296	11.8
		I have been enrolled more than six academic terms	14,615	9.0
		Total	163,110	100.0
Item 35				
35. Would you recommend this college to a friend or family member?	RECOMMEN	No	7,721	4.7
		Yes	156,135	95.3
		Total	163,855	100.0
Item 36				
36. How would you evaluate your overall educational experience at this college?	OVRALLEXP	Poor	2,057	1.3
		Fair	16,669	10.2
		Good	70,869	43.2
		Excellent	74,482	45.4
		Total	164,077	100.0
Item 37				
37. Do you have children who live with you and depend on you for their care?	CHILDREN	No	126,277	77.1
		Yes	37,571	22.9
		Total	163,847	100.0
Item 40				
40. Are you married?	MARRIED	No	134,404	82.0
		Yes	29,521	18.0
		Total	163,926	100.0
Item 41				
41. Is English your native (first) language?	ENGFIRST	No	31,665	19.3
		Yes	132,166	80.7
		Total	163,831	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	156,925	95.8
		Yes	6,886	4.2
		Total	163,810	100.0
Item 44				
44. Are you a student-athlete on a team sponsored by this college's athletics department?	STUATHLETE	No	158,728	97.0
		Yes	4,862	3.0
		Total	163,590	100.0
Item 46				
46. What is the highest academic credential you have earned?	HIGHESTED	None	3,860	2.4
		GED	8,081	4.9
		High school diploma	109,737	67.2
		Vocational/technical certificate	13,802	8.5
		Associate degree	14,677	9.0
		Bachelor's degree	10,016	6.1
		Master's/doctoral/professional degree	3,165	1.9
		Total	163,338	100.0
Item 47: Who in your family has attended at least some college? (Mark all that apply)				
47a. Mother	SOMECOLMO	Not marked	92,705	51.4
		Marked	87,497	48.6
		Total	180,202	100.0
47b. Father	SOMECOLFA	Not marked	112,706	62.5
		Marked	67,496	37.5
		Total	180,202	100.0
47c. Brother/Sister	SOMECOLSIB	Not marked	98,595	54.7
		Marked	81,607	45.3
		Total	180,202	100.0
47d. Child	SOMECOLCHLD	Not marked	170,540	94.6
		Marked	9,662	5.4
		Total	180,202	100.0
47e. Spouse/Partner	SOMECOLSP	Not marked	154,662	85.8
		Marked	25,540	14.2
		Total	180,202	100.0
47f. Legal Guardian	SOMECOLGUAR	Not marked	177,318	98.4
		Marked	2,884	1.6
		Total	180,202	100.0
47g. No one	SOMECOLNONE	Not marked	149,879	83.2
		Marked	30,323	16.8
		Total	180,202	100.0