

2007 CIRP FRESHMAN SURVEY PROFILE

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Montclair State University First-time Full-time	# Respondents	Your Institution			Public 4yr Colls-med			All Pub 4yr Colls		
		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
<b>Number of Respondents</b>		651	1,083	1,734	6,994	10,011	17,005	23,576	30,993	54,569
<b>How old will you be on December 31 of this year?</b>	1,730									
16 or younger		0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
17		1.4	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.7	1.5
18		71.2	75.9	74.1	62.4	71.4	67.5	63.4	72.6	68.5
19		26.0	20.8	22.8	33.5	25.7	29.1	32.5	24.4	28.0
20		1.1	1.8	1.5	1.6	0.7	1.1	1.7	0.6	1.1
21 to 24		0.3	0.2	0.2	1.0	0.4	0.7	0.9	0.4	0.6
25 to 29		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
30 to 39		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
40 to 54		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	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
<b>Are you: [1]</b>	1,664									
White/Caucasian		67.4	67.1	67.2	85.4	85.0	85.2	75.3	73.8	74.5
African American/Black		8.3	8.7	8.5	8.0	8.4	8.2	12.9	14.4	13.7
American Indian/Alaska Native		1.6	1.2	1.4	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.3
Asian American/Asian		8.6	5.8	6.9	3.2	2.5	2.8	4.3	3.4	3.8
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander		1.0	1.1	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.8	1.2	1.1	1.1
Mexican American/Chicano		0.3	1.2	0.9	1.6	2.1	1.9	5.1	5.7	5.4
Puerto Rican		5.0	4.6	4.7	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3
Other Latino		13.8	14.0	13.9	2.7	3.1	2.9	3.5	4.1	3.8
Other		5.2	7.0	6.3	2.7	2.9	2.8	3.0	3.5	3.3
<b>Is English your native language?</b>	1,726									
Yes		85.3	83.2	84.0	96.6	96.1	96.3	94.4	93.5	93.9
No		14.7	16.8	16.0	3.4	3.9	3.7	5.6	6.5	6.1
<b>Citizenship status</b>	1,728									
U.S. citizen		94.9	95.2	95.1	98.5	98.6	98.6	97.7	97.9	97.8
Permanent resident (green card)		4.5	3.7	4.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.5	1.4
Neither		0.6	1.1	0.9	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.9	0.7	0.8
<b>Your current religious preference</b>	1,641									
Baptist		4.7	4.6	4.6	14.9	14.4	14.6	15.0	15.2	15.1
Buddhist		0.8	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.7
Church of Christ		4.4	3.4	3.8	4.9	4.4	4.6	5.1	4.4	4.7
Eastern Orthodox		1.5	1.6	1.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5
Episcopalian		0.5	0.7	0.6	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.2	1.2
Hindu		1.8	1.7	1.7	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Islamic		3.4	3.4	3.4	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Jewish		2.6	3.4	3.1	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.4
LDS (Mormon)		0.2	0.1	0.1	4.5	5.6	5.1	1.9	2.4	2.2
Lutheran		2.3	1.7	2.0	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.6	3.6	3.6
Methodist		1.5	1.7	1.6	6.3	6.1	6.2	5.7	5.8	5.8
Presbyterian		2.3	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.8	2.6	3.1	3.1	3.1
Quaker		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
Roman Catholic		40.2	45.0	43.2	23.7	26.3	25.2	25.5	27.1	26.4
Seventh Day Adventist		0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3
United Church of Christ/Congregational		1.0	0.2	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7
Other Christian		9.8	10.1	10.0	11.4	13.3	12.5	12.3	14.3	13.4
Other Religion		3.4	2.7	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.8	2.8	3.0	2.9
None		19.1	16.9	17.7	20.3	16.0	17.8	19.0	15.5	17.1

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

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<b>DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF:</b>										
<b>Born-Again Christian</b>	1,521									
No		84.1	88.0	86.6	70.9	71.7	71.3	70.2	70.7	70.4
Yes		15.9	12.0	13.4	29.1	28.3	28.7	29.8	29.3	29.6
<b>Evangelical</b>	1,449									
No		95.0	94.7	94.8	92.0	92.2	92.1	91.1	92.2	91.7
Yes		5.0	5.3	5.2	8.0	7.8	7.9	8.9	7.8	8.3
<b>What is your best estimate of your parents' total income last year? Consider income from all sources before taxes</b>	1,375									
Less than \$10,000		3.4	3.8	3.6	2.9	4.0	3.5	3.3	5.0	4.3
\$10,000 to \$14,999		2.4	4.6	3.8	2.1	3.5	2.9	2.8	4.0	3.4
\$15,000 to \$19,999		2.4	3.0	2.8	2.1	2.8	2.5	2.5	3.4	3.0
\$20,000 to \$24,999		3.0	4.6	4.0	3.2	4.2	3.7	3.5	4.9	4.3
\$25,000 to \$29,999		3.0	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.9	3.5	3.4	4.2	3.9
\$30,000 to \$39,999		7.1	7.2	7.2	6.1	8.1	7.2	6.3	8.2	7.3
\$40,000 to \$49,999		5.3	8.7	7.3	7.6	8.9	8.3	7.6	8.9	8.3
\$50,000 to \$59,999		7.5	10.4	9.3	10.0	11.0	10.6	9.5	10.0	9.7
\$60,000 to \$74,999		12.6	10.1	11.1	12.9	13.0	12.9	12.5	12.8	12.7
\$75,000 to \$99,999		19.9	15.2	17.0	18.0	14.6	16.1	16.4	13.6	14.9
\$100,000 to \$149,999		18.4	15.8	16.8	17.6	14.1	15.7	17.8	13.9	15.7
\$150,000 to \$199,999		7.5	7.1	7.3	6.7	6.0	6.3	6.8	5.5	6.1
\$200,000 to \$249,999		3.9	3.0	3.3	2.9	2.3	2.6	2.8	2.2	2.5
\$250,000 or more		3.4	3.2	3.3	4.6	3.5	4.0	4.7	3.5	4.0
<b>Are your parents:</b>	1,717									
Both alive and living with each other?		70.6	68.6	69.4	68.5	66.5	67.4	68.4	64.2	66.1
Both alive, divorced or living apart?		25.2	26.8	26.2	27.7	29.5	28.7	27.7	31.4	29.8
One or both deceased?		4.2	4.6	4.4	3.8	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.3	4.1
<b>WHAT IS THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION OBTAINED BY YOUR PARENTS?</b>										
<b>Father</b>	1,654									
Grammar school or less		2.7	5.5	4.5	2.3	3.1	2.7	3.5	4.8	4.2
Some high school		6.8	7.9	7.5	5.3	5.6	5.5	5.6	6.8	6.2
High school graduate		28.5	26.3	27.1	27.1	29.3	28.3	25.7	28.1	27.1
Postsecondary school other than college		3.9	5.0	4.6	4.4	4.6	4.5	4.1	4.8	4.5
Some college		16.9	16.7	16.8	17.3	17.3	17.3	16.4	16.9	16.7
College degree		24.2	24.1	24.1	27.5	25.0	26.1	26.8	23.7	25.0
Some graduate school		1.9	1.7	1.8	1.3	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.5
Graduate degree		15.1	12.6	13.5	14.8	13.5	14.1	16.4	13.3	14.7
<b>Mother</b>	1,681									
Grammar school or less		3.0	3.9	3.6	1.9	2.6	2.3	3.3	4.3	3.8
Some high school		4.1	6.2	5.4	3.0	4.1	3.7	3.6	4.7	4.2
High school graduate		27.9	26.8	27.2	25.6	25.7	25.6	24.2	24.8	24.5
Postsecondary school other than college		5.6	7.7	6.9	4.6	5.6	5.1	4.6	5.5	5.1
Some college		17.0	19.0	18.3	18.6	20.5	19.7	17.9	20.1	19.1
College degree		28.8	23.5	25.5	30.8	27.5	28.9	29.8	26.6	28.0
Some graduate school		2.2	2.6	2.4	1.8	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1
Graduate degree		11.3	10.4	10.8	13.6	12.0	12.7	14.6	11.9	13.1

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<b>Your father's occupation [2]</b>	1,569									
Artist		1.4	1.2	1.3	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.1	0.9	1.0
Business		29.8	29.7	29.8	27.4	25.2	26.2	25.5	23.8	24.6
Business (clerical)		2.7	1.5	2.0	1.5	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.2	1.3
Clergy		0.3	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.5	0.6
College teacher		0.2	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4
Doctor (MD or DDS)		0.9	0.8	0.8	1.4	0.9	1.1	1.6	1.1	1.3
Education (secondary)		2.1	2.8	2.5	2.9	2.5	2.7	2.8	2.3	2.5
Education (elementary)		0.9	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.7
Engineer		5.0	6.6	6.0	6.5	7.2	6.9	7.4	7.1	7.2
Farmer or forester		0.3	0.2	0.3	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.6	1.5	1.6
Health professional		1.5	0.8	1.1	1.4	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.1	1.2
Homemaker (full-time)		0.7	0.1	0.3	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.3
Lawyer		1.5	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.0	1.2
Military (career)		0.3	0.3	0.3	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.6	2.3	2.4
Nurse		0.9	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7
Research scientist		0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4
Social, welfare, or recreation worker		1.0	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.6
Skilled worker		8.1	6.8	7.3	10.7	8.5	9.5	9.8	8.0	8.8
Semi-skilled worker		2.9	2.5	2.7	3.4	2.4	2.8	3.5	2.9	3.2
Unskilled worker		5.1	4.2	4.5	3.9	3.8	3.9	3.7	4.0	3.8
Unemployed		2.6	3.4	3.1	2.0	3.1	2.6	2.5	3.6	3.1
Other		31.4	35.6	34.0	28.3	34.8	32.0	29.4	36.0	33.1
<b>Your mother's occupation [2]</b>	1,604									
Artist		1.2	2.0	1.7	1.5	1.2	1.3	1.6	1.1	1.3
Business		15.1	16.2	15.8	17.1	16.5	16.8	16.3	16.0	16.1
Business (clerical)		4.6	6.4	5.7	4.8	5.6	5.2	4.9	5.4	5.2
Clergy		0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2
College teacher		0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.3
Doctor (MD or DDS)		1.2	0.3	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.9
Education (secondary)		4.6	4.4	4.5	5.1	4.7	4.9	5.0	4.2	4.5
Education (elementary)		9.5	8.5	8.9	9.1	8.3	8.6	8.5	7.7	8.0
Engineer		0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5
Farmer or forester		0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Health professional		3.1	2.5	2.7	3.1	2.6	2.8	3.0	2.7	2.8
Homemaker (full-time)		5.4	7.1	6.5	5.7	7.8	6.9	6.3	7.6	7.0
Lawyer		0.0	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.5
Military (career)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3
Nurse		8.3	6.9	7.4	10.1	8.7	9.3	10.1	9.1	9.5
Research scientist		0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
Social, welfare, or recreation worker		1.9	0.8	1.2	1.9	1.5	1.7	2.0	1.8	1.9
Skilled worker		1.5	1.5	1.5	1.9	1.3	1.6	2.0	1.4	1.7
Semi-skilled worker		1.4	2.0	1.7	2.3	1.6	1.9	2.2	1.8	2.0
Unskilled worker		3.6	2.0	2.6	2.0	1.5	1.7	2.0	1.8	1.9
Unemployed		6.4	6.6	6.5	5.8	5.8	5.8	6.1	6.0	6.0
Other		31.7	31.8	31.7	26.8	30.3	28.8	26.4	30.7	28.8

[2] Recategorization of this item from a longer list is shown in Appendix C of "The American Freshman: National Norms for Fall, 2007".

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<b>Father's current religious preference</b>	1,532									
Baptist		4.9	4.3	4.5	15.0	13.9	14.4	15.0	14.4	14.6
Buddhist		0.9	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.9	0.7	0.8
Church of Christ		5.2	3.0	3.9	5.4	4.0	4.6	5.2	4.1	4.6
Eastern Orthodox		1.6	1.8	1.7	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5
Episcopalian		1.7	1.0	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.2	1.5	1.2	1.3
Hindu		2.1	1.9	2.0	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Islamic		3.8	3.6	3.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8
Jewish		3.7	4.7	4.3	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.1	1.9	2.0
LDS (Mormon)		0.2	0.1	0.1	4.8	5.6	5.3	2.1	2.5	2.3
Lutheran		1.9	1.7	1.8	3.7	4.0	3.8	4.2	4.2	4.2
Methodist		1.2	1.5	1.4	6.9	6.4	6.6	6.3	5.9	6.1
Presbyterian		1.7	2.4	2.2	2.7	3.2	2.9	3.6	3.5	3.5
Quaker		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2
Roman Catholic		48.1	49.6	49.0	28.2	29.3	28.8	29.5	30.4	30.0
Seventh Day Adventist		0.3	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3
United Church of Christ/Congregational		0.7	0.1	0.3	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7
Other Christian		10.7	10.4	10.5	10.8	11.5	11.2	11.8	12.4	12.2
Other Religion		1.0	1.8	1.5	2.0	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.2
None		10.0	11.4	10.8	14.1	14.4	14.3	13.0	13.8	13.5
<b>Mother's current religious preference</b>	1,575									
Baptist		5.6	4.8	5.1	15.9	14.6	15.2	15.8	15.3	15.5
Buddhist		0.7	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.5	1.0	0.7	0.8
Church of Christ		6.1	3.5	4.5	5.7	4.3	4.9	5.6	4.4	4.9
Eastern Orthodox		1.9	1.5	1.7	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5
Episcopalian		1.4	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.5
Hindu		1.9	1.7	1.8	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Islamic		3.4	3.3	3.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Jewish		3.2	4.0	3.7	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.9
LDS (Mormon)		0.0	0.2	0.1	4.9	5.8	5.4	2.1	2.5	2.3
Lutheran		2.9	1.8	2.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.4	4.4	4.4
Methodist		2.2	2.8	2.6	7.7	7.1	7.4	6.9	6.7	6.8
Presbyterian		2.0	3.2	2.8	3.2	3.7	3.5	4.0	4.0	4.0
Quaker		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2
Roman Catholic		47.2	51.4	49.8	28.4	30.9	29.8	30.4	31.7	31.1
Seventh Day Adventist		0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.4
United Church of Christ/Congregational		1.0	0.1	0.4	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7
Other Christian		11.8	11.3	11.5	12.0	12.9	12.5	12.8	13.6	13.3
Other Religion		1.0	2.0	1.7	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.4	2.2
None		7.3	6.2	6.6	9.8	8.7	9.2	8.8	8.3	8.5
<b>From what kind of high school did you graduate?</b>	1,715									
Public school ( <u>not</u> charter or magnet)		85.5	85.3	85.4	86.1	88.1	87.2	83.2	85.4	84.4
Public charter school		0.8	0.6	0.6	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.4	1.4	1.4
Public magnet school		1.6	2.7	2.3	1.2	1.5	1.4	2.7	3.0	2.9
Private religious/parochial school		10.1	8.2	8.9	8.2	6.8	7.4	9.0	7.4	8.1
Private independent college-prep school		1.7	2.9	2.4	3.1	2.3	2.6	3.3	2.4	2.8
Home school		0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4

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<b>In what year did you graduate from high school?</b>	1,730									
2007		98.2	98.3	98.3	96.5	98.2	97.4	96.3	98.1	97.3
2006		1.1	0.9	1.0	1.7	0.8	1.2	2.2	1.1	1.6
2005		0.5	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.3
2004 or earlier		0.0	0.5	0.3	1.0	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.4	0.6
Did not graduate but passed G.E.D. test		0.3	0.0	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Never completed high school		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE THE RACIAL COMPOSITION OF THE:</b>										
<b>High school you last attended</b>	1,711									
Completely non-White		4.5	5.2	5.0	1.8	2.1	2.0	3.8	4.0	3.9
Mostly non-White		11.9	13.7	13.0	6.6	7.5	7.1	11.9	12.5	12.2
Roughly half non-White		32.0	28.6	29.9	21.6	24.0	23.0	21.8	23.8	22.9
Mostly White		47.1	46.6	46.8	59.0	56.3	57.5	53.6	51.0	52.2
Completely White		4.5	5.8	5.3	11.0	10.2	10.5	9.0	8.6	8.8
<b>Neighborhood where you grew up</b>	1,649									
Completely non-White		7.0	7.2	7.2	3.4	3.7	3.6	6.9	7.0	7.0
Mostly non-White		13.4	13.0	13.2	7.0	6.7	6.8	10.8	10.9	10.8
Roughly half non-White		22.9	18.1	19.9	12.0	11.8	11.9	12.4	12.8	12.6
Mostly White		46.4	50.6	49.1	50.8	52.7	51.9	47.1	47.6	47.4
Completely White		10.3	11.0	10.7	26.7	25.1	25.8	22.8	21.6	22.2
<b>Have you had any special tutoring or remedial work in:</b>	1,734									
English		7.7	8.1	8.0	7.7	6.5	7.0	8.2	6.5	7.3
Reading		6.5	7.8	7.3	7.1	6.6	6.8	7.3	6.4	6.8
Mathematics		17.4	23.7	21.3	12.7	17.1	15.2	13.1	16.9	15.2
Social Studies		3.8	4.3	4.2	5.1	4.3	4.6	5.4	4.2	4.7
Science		4.6	5.8	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.8	5.6	5.7
Foreign Language		4.5	5.6	5.2	6.1	5.5	5.7	6.6	5.6	6.0
Writing		6.5	6.2	6.3	5.8	5.0	5.3	6.4	4.9	5.6
<b>Do you feel you will need any special tutoring or remedial work in:</b>	1,734									
English		8.4	5.1	6.3	11.3	8.6	9.8	12.3	9.7	10.8
Reading		4.8	3.4	3.9	5.8	4.1	4.8	6.3	4.7	5.4
Mathematics		14.9	21.3	18.9	22.4	31.4	27.5	23.6	32.8	28.7
Social Studies		2.0	2.0	2.0	3.2	4.4	3.9	3.5	5.0	4.3
Science		4.3	6.6	5.7	8.5	14.3	11.8	9.6	14.5	12.3
Foreign Language		10.3	8.4	9.1	12.3	11.6	11.9	12.5	11.5	12.0
Writing		10.8	11.9	11.5	11.7	11.5	11.6	12.4	12.4	12.4
<b>What was your average grade in high school? [3]</b>	1,714									
A or A+		8.0	11.5	10.2	12.8	19.5	16.5	13.4	19.0	16.5
A-		9.8	19.8	16.0	14.1	19.2	16.9	13.5	18.1	16.0
B+		32.9	37.8	36.0	27.1	29.1	28.2	26.1	28.5	27.5
B		23.7	18.2	20.2	19.0	16.9	17.8	18.4	17.1	17.7
B-		20.1	10.9	14.4	17.2	11.2	13.8	17.6	11.8	14.4
C+		2.8	1.1	1.8	4.8	2.0	3.2	5.2	2.5	3.7
C		2.5	0.7	1.4	4.9	2.2	3.4	5.5	2.9	4.0
D		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1

[3] Comparisons with results from previous years should be made with caution due to changes in the layout of this item on the 2007 survey instrument.

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Montclair State University First-time Full-time	# Respondents	Your Institution			Public 4yr Colls-med			All Pub 4yr Colls		
		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
<b>HOW MANY ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES OR EXAMS DID YOU TAKE IN HIGH SCHOOL?</b>										
<b>AP Courses</b>	1,613									
Not offered at my high school		2.2	3.0	2.7	8.2	7.8	8.0	6.4	6.1	6.3
None		60.7	54.3	56.7	45.7	44.1	44.8	42.8	40.3	41.4
1 to 4		35.9	41.4	39.4	42.0	43.5	42.9	43.7	47.3	45.7
5 to 9		1.2	1.3	1.2	3.5	3.9	3.7	6.3	5.7	5.9
10 to 14		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.5
15 +		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
<b>AP Exams</b>	1,480									
Not offered at my high school		2.2	3.7	3.1	9.8	9.5	9.6	7.5	7.3	7.4
None		73.1	68.0	69.9	58.0	56.2	57.0	54.0	52.0	52.9
1 to 4		24.0	27.6	26.3	30.0	31.8	31.0	33.8	36.6	35.4
5 to 9		0.7	0.8	0.7	1.9	2.3	2.1	4.1	3.7	3.9
10 to 14		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.2
15 +		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
<b>Indicate which activities you did during the past year:</b>										
Attended a religious service	1,705	69.8	74.5	72.8	74.2	80.1	77.6	75.7	80.0	78.1
Was bored in class [4]	1,709	41.4	38.5	39.6	44.6	42.6	43.5	43.6	41.3	42.3
Participated in political demonstrations	1,699	21.4	15.1	17.4	21.8	20.2	20.9	22.2	21.0	21.5
Tutored another student	1,707	41.6	47.3	45.2	43.9	51.0	47.9	47.5	52.5	50.3
Studied with other students	1,705	77.5	87.4	83.8	79.7	88.4	84.6	81.5	88.8	85.6
Was a guest in a teacher's home	1,701	15.7	16.4	16.2	24.3	23.7	24.0	23.0	21.8	22.3
Smoked cigarettes [4]	1,702	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.5	6.8	7.1	6.7	5.9	6.3
Drank beer	1,697	59.0	43.4	49.2	51.6	41.7	46.0	46.8	35.7	40.6
Drank wine or liquor	1,689	58.8	54.0	55.8	50.9	50.2	50.5	47.6	46.4	46.9
Felt overwhelmed by all I had to do [4]	1,706	23.9	42.0	35.3	17.6	38.9	29.7	17.0	36.6	28.0
Felt depressed [4]	1,699	7.4	9.7	8.9	5.4	8.7	7.3	5.4	8.8	7.3
Performed volunteer work	1,702	64.9	78.2	73.3	72.1	82.0	77.7	73.8	82.2	78.5
Played a musical instrument	1,696	41.4	33.3	36.3	42.3	37.1	39.3	43.1	36.8	39.6
Asked a teacher for advice after class [4]	1,702	19.6	22.5	21.4	19.7	26.0	23.3	21.4	26.3	24.2
Voted in a student election [4]	1,689	16.9	18.1	17.6	18.2	21.7	20.2	18.3	21.5	20.1
Socialized with someone of another racial/ethnic group [4]	1,699	76.2	72.3	73.7	62.4	64.0	63.3	64.7	65.9	65.4
Came late to class	1,689	61.5	52.8	56.1	63.9	58.6	60.9	64.0	59.0	61.2
Used the Internet: [4]										
For research or homework	1,702	74.9	82.8	79.9	63.4	77.0	71.1	64.7	76.9	71.5
To read news sites	1,698	53.7	44.8	48.1	42.3	38.1	39.9	43.4	38.2	40.5
To read blogs	1,697	34.1	43.9	40.2	29.4	40.1	35.4	29.4	38.3	34.4
Performed community service as part of a class	1,699	36.6	53.0	47.0	48.1	58.4	53.9	49.2	57.9	54.1
Discussed religion [4]	1,698	24.0	22.1	22.8	26.6	28.7	27.7	26.2	28.2	27.3
Discussed politics [4]	1,693	24.9	15.2	18.8	26.8	21.9	24.0	28.7	22.5	25.2
Worked on a local, state or national political campaign	1,692	6.9	6.6	6.7	8.9	8.2	8.5	10.2	9.3	9.7

[4] Percentage responding "Frequently" only. Results for other items in this group represent the percentage marking "Frequently" or "Occasionally".

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Montclair State University First-time Full-time	# Res- pondents	Your Institution			Public 4yr Colls-med			All Pub 4yr Colls		
		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
<b>DURING YOUR LAST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL, HOW MUCH TIME DID YOU SPEND DURING A TYPICAL WEEK DOING THE FOLLOWING?</b>										
<b>Studying/homework</b>	1,662									
None		6.4	2.0	3.6	6.0	1.7	3.6	5.6	1.8	3.4
Less than one hour		25.6	13.1	17.7	23.4	13.7	17.9	22.0	13.5	17.2
1 to 2 hours		33.6	30.1	31.3	31.1	27.6	29.1	29.0	27.1	27.9
3 to 5 hours		22.5	31.4	28.1	24.9	32.3	29.1	25.6	31.3	28.8
6 to 10 hours		9.0	15.6	13.1	10.0	16.3	13.6	11.5	16.7	14.4
11 to 15 hours		2.1	5.3	4.2	2.8	5.3	4.3	3.7	5.7	4.8
16 to 20 hours		0.5	1.9	1.4	1.0	1.9	1.5	1.4	2.3	1.9
Over 20 hours		0.5	0.7	0.6	0.8	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.6	1.4
<b>Socializing with friends</b>	1,654									
None		1.1	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.4
Less than one hour		1.0	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.5
1 to 2 hours		5.9	5.8	5.8	5.1	5.8	5.5	5.8	6.8	6.3
3 to 5 hours		15.7	16.6	16.3	15.8	16.7	16.3	17.1	19.2	18.3
6 to 10 hours		21.4	26.7	24.7	23.1	26.1	24.8	23.4	25.3	24.5
11 to 15 hours		16.7	18.0	17.5	18.9	18.9	18.9	17.7	17.9	17.8
16 to 20 hours		11.3	12.9	12.3	12.2	12.2	12.2	11.5	11.2	11.3
Over 20 hours		26.8	18.3	21.5	23.2	18.6	20.6	22.4	17.8	19.8
<b>Talking with teachers outside of class</b>	1,656									
None		16.2	8.4	11.3	14.3	8.4	11.0	14.0	9.1	11.2
Less than one hour		44.6	44.5	44.5	44.4	42.9	43.5	44.2	42.9	43.5
1 to 2 hours		25.7	29.9	28.4	26.9	31.3	29.4	27.4	30.4	29.1
3 to 5 hours		9.3	12.0	11.1	9.8	12.2	11.2	9.8	12.2	11.1
6 to 10 hours		3.0	3.1	3.0	2.8	3.3	3.1	2.7	3.4	3.1
11 to 15 hours		0.7	1.0	0.8	0.8	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.1
16 to 20 hours		0.3	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4
Over 20 hours		0.2	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.5
<b>Exercise or sports</b>	1,656									
None		5.6	6.9	6.4	3.6	6.1	5.0	3.4	7.2	5.5
Less than one hour		4.6	13.3	10.1	6.3	11.8	9.4	6.0	12.3	9.5
1 to 2 hours		13.6	21.5	18.6	12.2	17.7	15.4	12.0	18.3	15.5
3 to 5 hours		20.5	17.6	18.7	17.2	20.1	18.9	17.2	19.2	18.3
6 to 10 hours		16.2	16.4	16.3	17.3	16.8	17.0	18.5	16.5	17.3
11 to 15 hours		12.6	9.6	10.7	14.2	12.4	13.2	14.9	12.0	13.3
16 to 20 hours		8.8	7.3	7.9	10.7	7.2	8.7	10.3	6.6	8.2
Over 20 hours		18.2	7.5	11.4	18.5	7.8	12.4	17.7	7.9	12.2
<b>Partying</b>	1,648									
None		17.6	19.2	18.6	21.0	28.5	25.3	21.0	28.6	25.3
Less than one hour		10.5	13.7	12.5	14.1	14.4	14.3	14.5	14.7	14.6
1 to 2 hours		17.3	19.8	18.9	15.5	16.6	16.1	17.4	17.5	17.4
3 to 5 hours		23.2	23.3	23.2	19.4	19.7	19.6	19.7	19.4	19.5
6 to 10 hours		16.8	13.9	15.0	14.8	11.6	13.0	13.6	11.1	12.2
11 to 15 hours		7.6	5.4	6.2	7.5	4.6	5.9	6.5	4.5	5.4
16 to 20 hours		3.0	3.2	3.1	3.5	2.6	3.0	3.1	2.3	2.6
Over 20 hours		4.1	1.5	2.5	4.2	2.0	2.9	4.4	2.0	3.0

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		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
<b>DURING YOUR LAST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL, HOW MUCH TIME DID YOU SPEND DURING A TYPICAL WEEK DOING THE FOLLOWING?</b>										
<b>Working (for pay)</b>	1,659									
None		19.8	17.5	18.3	22.7	19.8	21.0	27.0	24.4	25.5
Less than one hour		1.8	0.5	1.0	3.1	1.7	2.3	3.5	2.1	2.7
1 to 2 hours		3.3	3.1	3.1	3.7	2.9	3.2	3.9	3.0	3.4
3 to 5 hours		10.3	7.0	8.2	6.9	6.5	6.7	7.2	6.3	6.7
6 to 10 hours		10.9	15.9	14.0	11.8	14.2	13.2	11.3	13.3	12.4
11 to 15 hours		17.8	18.4	18.2	13.8	16.4	15.2	12.4	14.7	13.7
16 to 20 hours		12.7	18.9	16.6	14.9	18.4	16.9	13.7	17.4	15.8
Over 20 hours		23.4	18.8	20.5	23.2	20.1	21.4	20.9	18.8	19.7
<b>Volunteer work</b>	1,646									
None		51.4	34.5	40.7	41.3	28.5	34.0	40.1	28.4	33.5
Less than one hour		17.5	20.7	19.5	24.9	24.2	24.5	23.7	22.4	23.0
1 to 2 hours		14.8	21.0	18.7	17.7	23.7	21.1	18.9	23.8	21.7
3 to 5 hours		5.9	12.5	10.1	8.7	13.7	11.6	9.4	14.1	12.0
6 to 10 hours		4.6	5.7	5.3	3.5	5.1	4.4	3.7	5.7	4.8
11 to 15 hours		1.8	2.1	2.0	1.4	2.2	1.8	1.4	2.3	1.9
16 to 20 hours		0.8	1.4	1.2	0.7	1.0	0.9	0.8	1.1	1.0
Over 20 hours		3.1	2.1	2.5	1.8	1.7	1.7	2.0	2.2	2.1
<b>Student clubs/groups</b>	1,652									
None		45.1	25.7	32.8	41.8	26.1	32.8	41.5	26.3	32.9
Less than one hour		13.2	14.2	13.8	16.2	15.3	15.7	15.9	15.2	15.5
1 to 2 hours		19.9	28.3	25.2	19.2	25.3	22.7	19.4	25.2	22.6
3 to 5 hours		11.0	16.6	14.5	11.6	17.4	14.9	12.0	17.6	15.2
6 to 10 hours		5.4	8.2	7.2	5.4	8.1	7.0	5.3	8.0	6.8
11 to 15 hours		3.1	3.3	3.2	2.7	3.7	3.3	2.6	3.5	3.1
16 to 20 hours		0.8	1.6	1.3	1.1	1.7	1.4	1.2	1.8	1.5
Over 20 hours		1.5	2.2	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.5	2.4
<b>Watching TV</b>	1,652									
None		5.6	4.0	4.6	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.9	5.6
Less than one hour		13.3	16.5	15.3	13.9	17.7	16.1	13.4	17.5	15.7
1 to 2 hours		24.1	27.3	26.1	23.1	27.4	25.5	22.8	26.5	24.9
3 to 5 hours		23.1	28.8	26.7	26.6	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.8	26.8
6 to 10 hours		18.6	13.4	15.3	16.2	14.0	14.9	16.4	13.5	14.8
11 to 15 hours		6.8	5.0	5.6	7.3	4.4	5.6	7.2	4.7	5.8
16 to 20 hours		4.0	2.3	2.9	3.1	2.1	2.5	3.2	2.1	2.6
Over 20 hours		4.6	2.8	3.5	4.5	2.4	3.3	5.0	3.1	3.9
<b>Household/childcare duties</b>	1,648									
None		22.3	11.4	15.4	25.9	11.7	17.8	25.7	12.4	18.2
Less than one hour		21.6	17.4	18.9	21.3	19.4	20.2	21.2	19.4	20.2
1 to 2 hours		29.4	31.2	30.5	28.4	32.9	30.9	27.9	32.2	30.3
3 to 5 hours		16.3	23.9	21.1	15.7	21.9	19.2	16.2	21.5	19.2
6 to 10 hours		5.1	8.7	7.4	5.1	7.6	6.5	5.1	7.7	6.6
11 to 15 hours		3.1	2.9	3.0	2.0	2.7	2.4	2.0	2.9	2.5
16 to 20 hours		1.2	2.0	1.7	0.6	1.3	1.0	0.7	1.4	1.1
Over 20 hours		1.0	2.5	1.9	0.9	2.4	1.8	1.2	2.5	1.9



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		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
<b>DURING YOUR LAST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL, HOW MUCH TIME DID YOU SPEND DURING A TYPICAL WEEK DOING THE FOLLOWING?</b>										
<b>Reading for pleasure</b>	1,647									
None		37.1	22.2	27.7	38.6	23.0	29.7	37.3	22.8	29.2
Less than one hour		22.6	24.3	23.7	24.8	24.2	24.5	25.6	24.5	25.0
1 to 2 hours		22.4	27.3	25.5	18.3	23.9	21.5	18.8	24.1	21.8
3 to 5 hours		11.4	14.2	13.2	10.5	15.4	13.3	10.6	15.6	13.4
6 to 10 hours		3.5	6.7	5.5	4.4	7.2	6.0	4.3	7.0	5.9
11 to 15 hours		1.5	2.6	2.2	1.6	3.2	2.5	1.7	3.0	2.4
16 to 20 hours		0.7	1.3	1.1	0.8	1.4	1.1	0.7	1.4	1.1
Over 20 hours		0.8	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.7	1.4	0.9	1.6	1.3
<b>Playing video/computer games</b>	1,649									
None		15.0	58.9	42.8	15.7	57.3	39.4	16.8	57.4	39.6
Less than one hour		18.8	22.1	20.9	19.9	22.6	21.5	19.8	22.3	21.2
1 to 2 hours		23.3	10.4	15.2	21.8	11.2	15.7	21.8	11.3	15.9
3 to 5 hours		19.8	4.9	10.4	20.0	5.1	11.5	19.2	5.3	11.4
6 to 10 hours		9.4	2.1	4.8	10.7	2.2	5.8	10.8	2.0	5.9
11 to 15 hours		6.3	0.5	2.6	5.4	0.8	2.8	5.3	0.9	2.8
16 to 20 hours		3.5	0.6	1.6	2.8	0.3	1.4	2.5	0.4	1.3
Over 20 hours		3.8	0.5	1.7	3.9	0.5	1.9	3.9	0.5	2.0
<b>Online social networks (MySpace, Facebook, etc.)</b>	1,649									
None		14.0	7.6	9.9	18.8	12.0	14.9	18.3	12.0	14.7
Less than one hour		20.6	14.3	16.6	20.4	16.3	18.1	19.8	17.0	18.2
1 to 2 hours		25.6	27.0	26.5	24.7	26.0	25.4	24.0	25.7	25.0
3 to 5 hours		20.5	26.8	24.5	18.1	24.0	21.5	18.7	23.7	21.5
6 to 10 hours		6.4	11.6	9.7	9.0	11.5	10.4	9.4	11.1	10.3
11 to 15 hours		5.1	5.8	5.5	3.9	4.8	4.4	4.2	4.8	4.5
16 to 20 hours		3.5	2.9	3.1	1.9	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.3	2.2
Over 20 hours		4.3	4.0	4.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.4	3.5	3.5
<b>Student rated self "above average" or "highest 10%" as compared with the average person of his/her age in:</b>										
Academic ability	1,706	56.7	46.6	50.4	61.7	53.6	57.1	62.5	54.8	58.2
Artistic ability	1,702	32.9	31.3	31.9	26.1	25.4	25.7	27.0	26.4	26.7
Competitiveness	1,705	64.7	39.6	48.9	68.5	43.1	54.1	70.1	44.9	56.0
Computer skills	1,698	50.2	31.6	38.5	47.0	31.3	38.1	47.4	33.4	39.5
Cooperativeness	1,700	71.8	70.8	71.2	70.0	71.5	70.8	69.9	71.3	70.7
Creativity	1,705	60.6	56.0	57.7	54.1	51.8	52.8	54.8	53.4	54.0
Drive to achieve	1,700	69.1	69.4	69.3	65.9	70.2	68.3	68.5	71.4	70.1
Emotional health	1,703	53.0	39.9	44.7	58.0	43.5	49.8	58.9	44.6	50.9
Leadership ability	1,702	60.7	49.1	53.4	61.8	53.1	56.9	63.5	54.3	58.4
Mathematical ability	1,706	37.3	21.3	27.3	42.3	26.7	33.5	43.6	28.2	35.0
Physical health	1,700	61.3	39.9	47.8	64.6	42.2	51.9	66.6	42.7	53.2
Public speaking ability	1,698	36.0	25.7	29.5	35.5	28.5	31.5	37.7	29.7	33.2
Self-confidence (intellectual)	1,703	61.2	40.9	48.4	64.0	44.5	53.0	65.7	47.6	55.5
Self-confidence (social)	1,703	55.3	43.3	47.7	57.4	45.1	50.4	59.0	47.8	52.8
Self-understanding	1,697	55.7	46.1	49.7	57.7	46.1	51.2	59.8	48.7	53.6
Spirituality	1,693	32.3	30.4	31.1	34.9	36.6	35.9	37.3	37.6	37.5
Understanding of others	1,701	62.6	67.1	65.4	60.8	64.9	63.1	61.2	65.1	63.4
Writing ability	1,703	38.8	40.9	40.1	37.7	40.6	39.3	39.1	41.8	40.6

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		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
<b>Students reported they "frequently" did the following in the past year:</b>										
Ask questions in class	1,700	47.2	51.0	49.6	44.8	53.9	49.9	46.5	54.5	51.0
Support your opinions with a logical argument	1,693	53.7	49.4	51.0	52.8	49.6	51.0	54.3	50.1	51.9
Seek solutions to problems and explain them to others	1,687	43.1	44.0	43.7	40.6	43.5	42.2	42.3	44.7	43.6
Revise your papers to improve your writing	1,694	30.2	50.6	43.0	29.8	51.0	41.8	32.5	51.0	42.9
Evaluate the quality or reliability of information you received	1,684	29.0	31.8	30.8	28.3	29.8	29.1	30.1	30.5	30.3
Take a risk because you felt you had more to gain	1,690	47.6	37.5	41.2	41.4	33.4	36.9	41.7	34.0	37.4
Seek alternative solutions to a problem	1,682	43.7	39.8	41.3	38.6	37.6	38.1	39.8	38.0	38.8
Look up scientific research articles and resources	1,689	17.4	13.5	14.9	18.6	17.4	17.9	19.6	18.1	18.8
Explore topics on your own, even though it was not required for a class	1,690	31.9	21.7	25.5	28.7	22.8	25.3	28.9	24.0	26.1
Accept failure as part of the learning process	1,685	17.9	15.3	16.3	18.8	17.7	18.2	20.0	18.3	19.1
Seek feedback on your academic work	1,687	30.2	41.8	37.5	31.1	44.1	38.5	34.0	45.0	40.2
<b>Reasons noted as "very important" in influencing student's decision to attend this particular college</b>										
My parents wanted me to come here	1,634	14.5	18.1	16.8	10.6	13.4	12.2	11.9	14.2	13.2
My relatives wanted me to come here	1,626	5.7	5.4	5.5	4.7	4.4	4.5	5.8	5.1	5.4
My teacher advised me	1,617	7.6	8.9	8.4	5.8	6.3	6.1	6.5	6.8	6.7
This college has a very good academic reputation	1,643	51.6	63.6	59.2	42.3	59.1	51.9	45.8	58.8	53.1
This college has a good reputation for its social activities	1,630	33.3	35.5	34.7	30.9	37.4	34.7	30.9	35.6	33.5
I was offered financial assistance	1,623	23.1	30.7	27.9	30.1	39.1	35.3	29.6	37.7	34.2
The cost of attending this college	1,626	46.4	51.8	49.8	41.5	50.7	46.8	41.0	49.6	45.9
High school counselor advised me	1,613	12.7	14.7	13.9	8.1	9.8	9.1	9.1	10.5	9.9
Private college counselor advised me	1,591	3.1	2.7	2.8	2.2	2.2	2.2	3.0	2.6	2.8
I wanted to live near home	1,633	36.9	42.4	40.4	20.1	28.5	24.9	19.3	27.5	23.9
Not offered aid by first choice	1,588	7.7	10.4	9.4	5.7	7.8	6.9	6.0	8.2	7.3
Could not afford first choice	1,593	12.8	16.3	15.1	9.6	12.7	11.4	9.2	13.0	11.3
This college's graduates gain admission to top graduate/professional schools	1,579	19.1	29.5	25.7	17.5	27.6	23.3	21.2	29.3	25.8
This college's graduates get good jobs	1,599	36.6	50.9	45.7	35.5	48.1	42.7	40.3	48.9	45.1
I was attracted by the religious affiliation/orientation of the college	1,592	2.6	2.2	2.3	3.2	4.8	4.2	3.4	4.5	4.0
I wanted to go to a school about the size of this college	1,616	25.9	41.9	36.1	30.6	46.7	39.8	28.9	43.9	37.4
Rankings in national magazines	1,590	6.2	10.4	8.9	6.9	8.7	7.9	9.8	10.0	9.9
Information from a website	1,583	13.2	22.7	19.2	10.6	19.1	15.5	12.3	18.4	15.7
I was admitted through an Early Action or Early Decision program	1,579	5.3	4.7	4.9	4.6	6.2	5.5	6.4	7.9	7.3
The athletic department recruited me	1,584	10.3	4.7	6.8	10.9	5.7	8.0	10.4	5.9	7.9
A visit to campus	1,615	31.7	42.7	38.7	31.2	44.0	38.5	32.2	42.6	38.1

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		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
<b>Is this college your:</b>	1,720									
First choice?		51.1	55.6	53.9	65.9	64.7	65.2	65.7	63.0	64.2
Second choice?		36.0	30.0	32.3	25.4	26.6	26.1	24.5	26.7	25.8
Third choice?		9.6	10.1	9.9	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.8	7.2	7.1
Less than third choice?		3.3	4.3	3.9	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.9	3.0	3.0
<b>Were you accepted by your first choice college?</b>	1,721									
Yes		72.6	79.6	77.0	84.2	87.0	85.8	83.0	85.1	84.2
No		27.4	20.4	23.0	15.8	13.0	14.2	17.0	14.9	15.8
<b>Did either of your parents or legal guardians attend the institution that you are now attending?</b>	1,722									
Neither		90.2	92.6	91.7	87.9	89.2	88.6	89.0	90.1	89.6
Mother or female legal guardian only		6.2	3.8	4.7	5.5	5.1	5.3	4.8	4.9	4.9
Father or male legal guardian only		2.2	1.9	2.0	3.5	2.9	3.2	3.6	2.7	3.1
Both		1.4	1.7	1.6	3.1	2.8	2.9	2.6	2.3	2.4
<b>HOW INVOLVED WERE YOUR PARENTS (OR LEGAL GUARDIANS) IN YOUR:</b>										
<b>Decision to go to college</b>	1,696									
Too little		6.2	7.1	6.8	6.3	6.4	6.3	6.2	7.0	6.6
Right amount		80.4	78.2	79.0	83.6	82.9	83.2	82.3	80.4	81.2
Too much		13.4	14.7	14.2	10.1	10.7	10.5	11.5	12.6	12.1
<b>Application(s) to college</b>	1,692									
Too little		16.5	22.4	20.2	13.3	17.2	15.5	13.6	18.3	16.2
Right amount		69.5	66.6	67.7	75.8	73.8	74.7	74.5	71.3	72.7
Too much		14.1	11.0	12.1	10.9	9.1	9.9	12.0	10.4	11.1
<b>Decision to go to <u>this</u> college</b>	1,683									
Too little		13.1	10.7	11.6	10.8	10.0	10.4	11.7	11.5	11.6
Right amount		76.3	75.0	75.5	80.9	79.5	80.1	79.2	77.0	78.0
Too much		10.6	14.4	13.0	8.3	10.4	9.5	9.2	11.4	10.4
<b>Dealings with officials at your college</b>	1,684									
Too little		23.4	22.6	22.9	15.1	17.4	16.4	16.5	19.3	18.1
Right amount		70.9	71.2	71.1	79.5	77.3	78.3	77.2	74.4	75.6
Too much		5.6	6.2	6.0	5.4	5.3	5.4	6.3	6.3	6.3
<b>Choosing college courses</b>	1,693									
Too little		35.2	38.7	37.4	23.3	25.7	24.7	24.3	28.0	26.4
Right amount		61.5	58.9	59.8	73.4	71.3	72.2	72.2	68.3	70.0
Too much		3.3	2.4	2.8	3.3	3.0	3.1	3.5	3.6	3.6
<b>Choosing college activities</b>	1,692									
Too little		33.7	35.4	34.8	21.7	23.5	22.7	23.3	26.6	25.1
Right amount		61.7	60.6	61.0	74.5	72.1	73.1	72.9	69.0	70.7
Too much		4.6	4.0	4.3	3.8	4.4	4.2	3.8	4.4	4.1
<b>How many miles is this college from your permanent home?</b>	1,668									
5 or less		13.5	10.8	11.8	7.3	6.4	6.8	6.9	6.5	6.7
6 to 10		17.3	19.7	18.8	6.7	7.7	7.3	6.7	7.7	7.3
11 to 50		48.6	45.2	46.5	30.4	28.7	29.5	29.4	29.4	29.4
51 to 100		17.0	17.5	17.3	19.9	21.0	20.5	18.4	19.5	19.0
101 to 500		3.5	6.1	5.1	29.3	29.6	29.4	30.0	30.0	30.0
Over 500		0.2	0.8	0.5	6.4	6.6	6.5	8.5	6.7	7.5

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		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
<b>To how many colleges other than this one did you apply for admission this year?</b>	1,727									
None		9.6	8.5	8.9	23.2	20.7	21.8	22.2	19.5	20.7
One		11.0	7.8	9.0	14.0	13.5	13.7	13.6	13.3	13.4
Two		17.7	16.9	17.2	16.7	16.6	16.7	16.4	16.7	16.6
Three		23.0	19.2	20.6	18.5	17.3	17.8	18.2	17.5	17.8
Four		17.7	18.3	18.1	12.4	13.0	12.7	12.5	12.4	12.4
Five		9.9	13.4	12.1	7.1	8.4	7.8	7.5	8.5	8.1
Six		5.4	6.2	5.9	3.6	4.8	4.3	4.3	5.5	5.0
Seven to ten		5.4	9.3	7.8	3.8	5.0	4.5	4.5	5.7	5.1
Eleven or more		0.3	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.9	0.9	0.9
<b>Prior to this term, have you ever taken courses for credit at this institution?</b>	1,709									
No		95.3	94.2	94.6	95.2	94.7	94.9	95.6	95.3	95.4
Yes		4.7	5.8	5.4	4.8	5.3	5.1	4.4	4.7	4.6
<b>Since leaving high school, have you ever taken courses, whether for credit or not for credit, at any other institution (university, 4- or 2-year college, technical, vocational, or business school)?</b>	1,710									
No		90.8	88.8	89.5	89.9	87.1	88.4	90.6	88.2	89.3
Yes		9.2	11.2	10.5	10.1	12.9	11.6	9.4	11.8	10.7
<b>WHAT IS THE HIGHEST ADACEMIC DREGREE THAT YOU INTEND TO OBTAIN</b>										
<b>At any college</b>	1,434									
None		1.1	1.6	1.4	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.0
Vocational certificate		0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
Associate (A.A. or equivalent)		0.5	0.2	0.3	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.8
Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)		28.5	20.9	23.8	32.7	25.3	28.6	31.3	25.3	28.0
Master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)		45.3	51.3	49.0	41.5	48.0	45.1	42.5	46.0	44.4
Ph.D. or Ed.D.		14.9	15.6	15.3	14.1	14.9	14.5	14.3	15.9	15.2
M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.		2.3	4.6	3.7	4.5	5.8	5.2	4.6	6.6	5.7
J.D. (Law)		4.3	3.7	3.9	3.0	2.3	2.6	3.2	2.7	2.9
B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)		0.5	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Other		2.3	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.6
<b>At this college</b>	970									
None		3.5	1.7	2.4	2.8	1.6	2.1	2.3	1.6	1.9
Vocational certificate		0.0	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Associate (A.A. or equivalent)		1.1	2.0	1.6	3.1	3.2	3.2	2.7	3.0	2.9
Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)		63.6	60.3	61.5	68.0	67.3	67.6	70.0	67.7	68.7
Master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)		24.2	30.2	27.9	20.7	22.5	21.8	19.6	22.3	21.1
Ph.D. or Ed.D.		4.6	3.2	3.7	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.6
M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.		0.0	0.2	0.1	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
J.D. (Law)		0.8	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)		0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Other		1.9	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.5

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		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
<b>Your probable career</b>	1,562									
Accountant or actuary		4.1	3.0	3.4	3.3	2.9	3.1	3.0	2.4	2.6
Actor or entertainer		2.6	4.2	3.6	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.5
Architect or urban planner		0.5	0.2	0.3	0.8	0.2	0.5	0.8	0.3	0.5
Artist		3.8	2.7	3.1	1.5	1.8	1.7	1.4	2.0	1.8
Business (clerical)		1.0	1.1	1.1	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6
Business executive (management, administrator)		12.8	6.0	8.6	9.8	4.9	7.0	9.3	5.1	6.9
Business owner or proprietor		5.5	1.8	3.2	5.2	1.9	3.4	5.0	2.1	3.4
Business salesperson or buyer		1.4	1.4	1.4	1.6	0.9	1.2	1.2	0.8	1.0
Clergy (minister, priest)		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1
Clergy (other religious)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Clinical psychologist		0.3	3.3	2.2	0.6	2.0	1.4	0.6	2.1	1.5
College administrator/staff		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
College teacher		0.7	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4
Computer programmer or analyst		2.6	0.1	1.0	4.6	0.4	2.2	4.3	0.5	2.2
Conservationist or forester		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.2
Dentist (including orthodontist)		0.2	0.6	0.4	1.1	1.4	1.3	0.8	1.2	1.1
Dietitian or nutritionist		0.3	1.9	1.3	0.2	1.0	0.6	0.2	0.7	0.5
Engineer		2.0	0.0	0.8	7.0	0.5	3.3	7.6	0.9	3.8
Farmer or rancher		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.3
Foreign service worker (including diplomat)		0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.5
Homemaker (full-time)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.1
Interior decorator (including designer)		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.5	0.3
Lab technician or hygienist		0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.2
Law enforcement officer		6.3	0.6	2.8	3.8	0.7	2.1	4.0	0.9	2.3
Lawyer (attorney) or judge		3.2	3.1	3.1	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.9	2.8
Military service (career)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.1	0.3	4.3	0.6	2.2
Musician (performer, composer)		2.9	1.4	2.0	2.9	1.3	2.0	2.7	1.1	1.8
Nurse		0.3	1.2	0.9	1.0	7.7	4.8	1.3	8.7	5.4
Optometrist		0.0	0.8	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3
Pharmacist		1.5	0.5	0.9	2.2	2.0	2.1	1.5	1.6	1.6
Physician		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.9	2.7	2.8	3.1	3.6	3.4
Policymaker/Government		0.9	0.1	0.4	0.7	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.6
School counselor		0.0	1.3	0.8	0.1	0.8	0.5	0.1	0.8	0.5
School principal or superintendent		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Scientific researcher		0.5	0.5	0.5	1.9	1.3	1.6	1.6	1.2	1.4
Social, welfare, or recreation worker		0.3	1.3	1.0	0.2	1.8	1.1	0.3	2.1	1.3
Therapist (physical, occupational, speech)		0.9	2.9	2.1	2.9	4.3	3.7	3.1	5.0	4.1
Teacher or administrator (elementary)		3.2	17.6	12.2	2.0	15.0	9.4	1.8	12.3	7.7
Teacher or administrator (secondary)		10.8	8.6	9.4	8.7	8.0	8.3	7.6	6.8	7.1
Veterinarian		0.0	0.4	0.3	0.3	1.2	0.8	0.4	1.3	0.9
Writer or journalist		2.2	3.3	2.9	1.9	2.7	2.4	1.7	2.8	2.3
Skilled trades		0.5	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.3
Laborer (unskilled)		0.2	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.3
Semi-skilled worker		0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2
Unemployed		0.7	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.9
Other		7.2	9.3	8.5	8.0	9.7	9.0	8.6	10.4	9.6
Undecided		17.6	15.9	16.5	14.6	13.8	14.1	13.8	13.1	13.4

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<b>YOUR PROBABLE MAJOR</b>										
<b>Arts and Humanities</b>	1,595									
Art, fine and applied		5.4	6.4	6.0	2.1	2.8	2.5	1.9	2.9	2.5
English (language and literature)		2.0	3.0	2.6	1.4	2.0	1.8	1.1	1.8	1.5
History		3.0	1.2	1.9	2.4	1.3	1.7	2.2	1.0	1.5
Journalism		0.5	2.0	1.4	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.0	1.9	1.5
Language and Literature (except English)		0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.5
Music		2.9	1.4	1.9	2.8	1.4	2.0	2.5	1.3	1.8
Philosophy		0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2
Speech		0.2	0.7	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
Theater or Drama		2.9	3.5	3.3	1.2	1.6	1.5	1.0	1.4	1.2
Theology or Religion		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Arts and Humanities		2.4	3.1	2.8	0.4	1.1	0.8	0.7	1.2	1.0
<b>Biological Science</b>										
Biology (general)		1.7	3.5	2.8	2.6	3.0	2.8	2.6	3.8	3.3
Biochemistry or Biophysics		0.5	0.0	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6
Botany		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Environmental Science		0.2	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.5
Marine (Life) Science		0.0	0.1	0.1	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.6
Microbiology or Bacteriology		0.3	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Zoology		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3
Other Biological Science		0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4
<b>Business</b>										
Accounting		5.4	3.0	3.9	3.5	2.8	3.1	3.1	2.4	2.7
Business Admin. (general)		5.4	2.2	3.4	4.8	2.0	3.2	4.8	2.4	3.4
Finance		5.1	1.5	2.8	2.4	0.8	1.5	2.1	0.7	1.3
International Business		1.7	1.8	1.8	0.9	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.9
Marketing		3.7	2.6	3.0	4.1	2.7	3.3	3.4	2.5	2.9
Management		5.1	2.4	3.4	6.9	2.7	4.5	6.7	2.8	4.5
Secretarial Studies		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Business		0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.6	0.7	1.1	0.6	0.8
<b>Education</b>										
Business Education		0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Elementary Education		1.7	16.2	10.8	1.3	13.5	8.3	1.2	10.8	6.6
Music or Art Education		0.8	1.9	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.1	1.2	1.2
Physical Education or Recreation		7.3	2.1	4.0	4.1	1.5	2.6	3.4	1.2	2.2
Secondary Education		2.5	3.6	3.2	3.5	4.0	3.8	3.2	3.5	3.4
Special Education		0.2	1.4	0.9	0.2	1.7	1.0	0.2	1.5	0.9
Other Education		0.2	1.1	0.8	0.3	1.1	0.8	0.4	0.9	0.7
<b>Engineering</b>										
Aeronautical or Astronautical Engineering		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.8	0.1	0.4
Civil Engineering		0.5	0.0	0.2	1.7	0.1	0.8	2.1	0.2	1.1
Chemical Engineering		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.1
Electrical or Electronic Engineering		0.2	0.0	0.1	1.1	0.0	0.5	1.9	0.2	1.0
Industrial Engineering		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.2
Mechanical Engineering		0.8	0.0	0.3	2.4	0.1	1.1	2.6	0.2	1.3
Other Engineering		0.3	0.1	0.2	1.3	0.2	0.6	1.9	0.3	1.0

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<b>YOUR PROBABLE MAJOR</b>										
<b>Physical Science</b>										
Astronomy		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
Atmospheric Science (incl. Meteorology)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
Chemistry		0.5	0.2	0.3	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9
Earth Science		0.3	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
Marine Science (incl. Oceanography)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Mathematics		0.3	0.1	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.6
Physics		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.7	0.1	0.4
Other Physical Science		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3
<b>Professional</b>										
Architecture or Urban Planning		0.5	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.3
Family & Consumer Sciences		0.0	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.4	0.2
Health Technology (medical, dental, laboratory)		0.3	0.7	0.6	0.7	1.3	1.1	0.6	1.1	0.9
Library or Archival Science		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine		0.3	1.1	0.8	2.3	2.9	2.7	2.1	3.2	2.8
Nursing		0.2	0.9	0.6	1.0	7.2	4.6	1.3	8.5	5.4
Pharmacy		1.2	0.8	0.9	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.0	1.2	1.1
Therapy (occupational, physical, speech)		0.3	1.3	0.9	2.0	2.5	2.3	2.3	3.4	2.9
Other Professional		0.2	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9
<b>Social Science</b>										
Anthropology		0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3
Economics		0.5	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.3
Ethnic Studies		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Geography		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
Political Science (gov't., international relations)		2.2	1.3	1.6	2.1	1.7	1.8	2.7	2.0	2.3
Psychology		2.9	8.2	6.2	2.7	6.6	4.9	2.6	7.0	5.1
Public Policy		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
Social Work		0.0	1.1	0.7	0.1	1.2	0.7	0.1	1.7	1.0
Sociology		0.3	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.5	1.0	0.8
Women's Studies		0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Social Science		0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4
<b>Technical</b>										
Building Trades		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
Data Processing or Computer Programming		1.2	0.0	0.4	1.7	0.1	0.8	1.7	0.1	0.8
Drafting or Design		0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2
Electronics		0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1
Mechanics		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Technical		0.3	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
<b>Other Fields</b>										
Agriculture		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.2	0.5	0.8	0.3	0.5
Communications		1.0	2.2	1.8	1.5	2.4	2.0	1.6	2.3	2.0
Computer Science		2.5	0.2	1.1	3.1	0.3	1.5	2.8	0.4	1.4
Forestry		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.1
Kinesiology		0.2	0.1	0.1	1.2	0.9	1.0	1.2	0.8	0.9
Law Enforcement		7.3	1.1	3.4	3.6	1.1	2.2	4.1	1.3	2.5
Military Science		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.2
Other Field		1.0	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.3	2.1	1.7	1.9
Undecided		10.3	10.1	10.2	7.4	8.2	7.8	6.8	7.7	7.3

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<b>Where do you plan to live during the fall term?</b>	1,724									
With my family or other relatives		46.3	41.2	43.1	20.6	19.1	19.8	20.9	21.1	21.0
Other private home, apartment, or room		1.4	1.2	1.3	6.7	5.7	6.1	5.3	5.1	5.2
College residence hall		50.6	56.7	54.4	70.0	72.2	71.2	70.5	70.3	70.4
Fraternity or sorority house		0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Other campus student housing		1.2	0.6	0.9	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.6	3.2	2.9
Other		0.3	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.4
<b>Student estimates chances are "very good" that he/she will:</b>										
Change major field	1,602	18.6	15.5	16.6	14.0	14.4	14.2	12.6	13.6	13.2
Change career choice	1,600	14.2	11.8	12.7	11.6	13.3	12.6	10.8	12.6	11.8
Participate in student government	1,584	2.6	5.5	4.5	4.4	6.8	5.8	5.0	7.5	6.4
Get a job to help pay for college expenses	1,583	45.8	53.9	51.0	43.0	57.2	51.2	40.1	55.1	48.6
Work full-time while attending college	1,580	8.7	11.2	10.3	7.5	10.0	8.9	7.6	10.1	9.0
Join a social fraternity or sorority	1,577	8.9	11.5	10.5	7.2	10.9	9.4	8.1	13.5	11.2
Play varsity/intercollegiate athletics	1,570	19.2	9.3	12.9	20.4	10.9	14.9	22.2	12.6	16.8
Make at least a "B" average	1,590	60.1	63.8	62.5	54.1	58.5	56.6	53.7	59.0	56.7
Need extra time to complete your degree requirements	1,577	9.1	12.5	11.2	6.6	8.3	7.6	6.5	8.2	7.4
Participate in student protests or demonstrations	1,574	4.9	4.7	4.8	3.8	4.5	4.2	4.6	5.5	5.1
Transfer to another college before graduating	1,574	10.3	8.7	9.3	9.5	9.3	9.4	8.6	9.2	9.0
Be satisfied with your college	1,578	41.4	51.2	47.7	42.4	53.0	48.5	44.0	52.2	48.7
Participate in volunteer or community service work	1,576	11.9	21.7	18.1	10.6	23.9	18.3	13.2	26.0	20.4
Seek personal counseling	1,577	4.7	9.0	7.4	3.9	7.4	5.9	5.9	8.6	7.4
Communicate regularly with your professors	1,574	23.9	29.2	27.3	23.3	31.2	27.9	25.9	32.9	29.9
Socialize with someone of another racial/ethnic group	1,569	62.6	69.8	67.2	52.6	63.3	58.8	54.6	63.8	59.8
Participate in student clubs/groups	1,571	23.9	35.4	31.2	26.3	41.8	35.2	29.3	43.8	37.5
Participate in a study abroad program	1,575	14.2	29.1	23.7	11.8	24.6	19.2	12.8	25.1	19.8
Have a roommate of different race/ethnicity	1,565	33.0	38.7	36.6	19.9	24.9	22.8	22.1	26.4	24.5
<b>Objectives considered to be "essential" or "very important":</b>										
Becoming accomplished in one of the performing arts (acting, dancing, etc.)	1,602	19.9	24.8	23.0	15.2	17.5	16.5	15.9	18.0	17.1
Becoming an authority in my field	1,595	64.8	57.1	59.9	57.6	52.1	54.4	60.5	55.8	57.9
Obtaining recognition from my colleagues for contributions to my special field	1,589	62.8	57.9	59.7	53.8	52.6	53.1	55.5	54.6	55.0
Influencing the political structure	1,585	27.1	16.7	20.5	21.3	16.6	18.6	24.1	18.7	21.0
Influencing social values	1,592	49.7	46.5	47.6	39.3	45.0	42.6	41.3	45.9	43.9
Raising a family	1,605	81.4	84.9	83.6	76.5	80.9	79.1	76.6	78.2	77.5
Having administrative responsibility for the work of others	1,582	52.6	43.0	46.5	42.7	39.7	40.9	44.7	41.3	42.8
Being very well off financially	1,600	82.8	81.9	82.3	77.6	75.2	76.2	77.2	77.4	77.3



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<b>Objectives considered to be "essential" or "very important":</b>										
Helping others who are in difficulty	1,594	66.6	74.8	71.8	59.1	73.4	67.3	61.2	73.7	68.3
Making a theoretical contribution to science	1,584	16.0	12.2	13.6	19.4	14.6	16.7	20.7	16.5	18.4
Writing original works (poems, novels, short stories, etc.)	1,583	20.8	20.1	20.3	15.6	14.6	15.0	16.5	16.4	16.4
Creating artistic work (painting, sculpture, decorating, etc.)	1,584	19.5	23.4	22.0	14.6	16.0	15.4	15.5	17.2	16.4
Becoming successful in a business of my own	1,584	54.3	48.2	50.4	46.7	37.0	41.1	47.4	39.5	43.0
Becoming involved in programs to clean up the environment	1,584	24.1	27.6	26.3	21.4	24.7	23.3	23.6	25.7	24.8
Developing a meaningful philosophy of life	1,582	49.4	45.7	47.0	45.3	43.5	44.3	46.5	44.7	45.5
Participating in a community action program	1,572	24.1	27.7	26.4	20.9	26.3	24.0	23.7	29.0	26.7
Helping to promote racial understanding	1,584	36.2	37.8	37.2	30.7	35.0	33.2	33.4	37.0	35.4
Keeping up to date with political affairs	1,577	32.7	25.2	27.9	33.2	27.6	29.9	35.7	29.1	32.0
Becoming a community leader	1,583	34.4	30.3	31.8	31.2	29.2	30.1	35.1	32.2	33.4
Improving my understanding of other countries and cultures	1,585	47.8	52.6	50.9	39.7	46.5	43.6	43.1	48.2	45.9
<b>Student agrees "strongly" or "somewhat":</b>										
There is too much concern in the courts for the rights of criminals	1,607	60.2	58.9	59.4	64.9	58.8	61.5	63.5	56.4	59.5
Abortion should be legal	1,635	65.2	63.2	63.9	55.4	52.1	53.5	54.4	52.1	53.1
The death penalty should be abolished	1,626	32.1	36.5	34.9	24.6	29.9	27.6	27.0	33.0	30.4
Marijuana should be legalized	1,634	45.9	36.9	40.2	44.8	33.3	38.2	42.7	32.7	37.1
It is important to have laws prohibiting homosexual relationships	1,626	27.1	11.9	17.5	36.5	19.5	26.8	36.5	19.3	26.9
Racial discrimination is no longer a major problem in America	1,632	21.2	14.7	17.1	26.2	17.8	21.4	26.4	17.5	21.4
Realistically, an individual can do little to bring about changes in our society	1,616	34.0	29.2	31.0	33.4	26.4	29.5	33.0	26.9	29.6
Wealthy people should pay a larger share of taxes than they do now	1,620	64.9	65.8	65.5	60.7	60.0	60.3	59.5	60.0	59.8
Same-sex couples should have the right to legal marital status	1,624	60.3	81.9	73.9	51.1	68.8	61.2	50.5	68.9	60.8
Affirmative action in college admissions should be abolished	1,533	53.6	38.9	44.5	50.0	38.8	43.7	50.2	40.0	44.5
Federal military spending should be increased	1,588	32.2	28.4	29.8	38.2	34.0	35.9	40.1	33.0	36.2
The federal government should do more to control the sale of handguns	1,607	76.3	90.3	85.1	65.1	81.6	74.4	64.9	81.4	74.1
Only volunteers should serve in the armed forces	1,611	66.9	71.5	69.8	61.7	63.5	62.8	62.9	64.5	63.8
The federal government is not doing enough to control environmental pollution	1,602	83.2	84.0	83.7	74.2	80.0	77.5	74.3	80.4	77.7

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A national health care plan is needed to cover everybody's medical costs	1,603	82.9	87.9	86.0	72.5	78.5	75.9	71.7	79.2	75.9
Undocumented immigrants should be denied access to public education	1,603	49.3	42.8	45.2	59.8	49.3	53.9	56.6	46.4	50.9
Through hard work, everybody can succeed in American society	1,621	80.4	81.5	81.1	81.6	81.4	81.5	81.5	81.3	81.4
Dissent is a critical component of the political process	1,447	63.4	52.4	56.7	62.0	55.0	58.1	62.3	54.8	58.2
Colleges have the right to ban extreme speakers from campus	1,593	35.4	32.7	33.7	45.7	42.3	43.8	45.2	40.2	42.4
The chief benefit of a college education is that it increases one's earning power	1,570	76.6	73.3	74.5	75.7	70.4	72.7	73.5	69.0	71.0
The federal government should raise taxes to reduce the deficit	1,556	21.9	15.2	17.7	26.2	18.8	22.1	26.6	19.9	22.9
<b>How would you characterize your political views?</b>	1,479									
Far left		3.2	2.0	2.4	2.5	1.9	2.2	2.7	2.3	2.5
Liberal		25.2	35.9	31.8	20.5	26.1	23.6	21.2	28.4	25.2
Middle-of-the-road		50.6	44.6	46.9	49.8	48.8	49.3	47.6	46.2	46.9
Conservative		18.7	16.9	17.6	25.0	22.4	23.5	26.0	22.1	23.8
Far right		2.3	0.7	1.3	2.2	0.8	1.4	2.4	1.0	1.7
<b>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?</b>	1,466									
Yes		56.1	59.6	58.3	60.7	64.3	62.7	63.1	65.2	64.3
No		43.9	40.4	41.7	39.3	35.7	37.3	36.9	34.8	35.7

2007 CIRP FRESHMAN SURVEY PROFILE

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Montclair State University First-time Full-time	# Res- pondents	Your Institution			Public 4yr Colls-med			All Pub 4yr Colls		
		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
<b>HOW MUCH OF YOUR FIRST YEAR'S EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES DO YOU EXPECT TO COVER FROM:</b>										
<b>Family resources (parents, relatives, spouse, etc.)</b>	1,734									
None		26.0	25.0	25.4	26.9	24.3	25.4	28.7	24.9	26.6
Less than \$1,000		9.1	12.5	11.2	12.8	14.9	14.0	13.0	15.6	14.4
\$1,000 to 2,999		12.4	10.4	11.2	15.7	15.5	15.6	16.8	16.3	16.5
\$3,000 to 5,999		12.6	13.8	13.3	13.6	13.7	13.6	13.1	13.4	13.3
\$6,000 to 9,999		13.4	12.7	13.0	11.4	10.9	11.1	9.9	10.3	10.1
\$10,000 +		26.6	25.6	26.0	19.7	20.7	20.3	18.4	19.5	19.0
<b>My own resources (savings from work, work-study, other income)</b>	1,734									
None		43.3	44.7	44.2	39.8	37.1	38.3	42.5	38.2	40.1
Less than \$1,000		29.6	30.9	30.4	25.5	30.2	28.1	25.4	30.8	28.4
\$1,000 to 2,999		17.7	16.9	17.2	22.2	21.6	21.9	20.9	20.8	20.9
\$3,000 to 5,999		5.4	4.4	4.8	8.2	6.9	7.5	7.3	6.6	6.9
\$6,000 to 9,999		2.6	0.9	1.6	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.0
\$10,000 +		1.4	2.1	1.8	2.2	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.8
<b>Aid which need <u>not</u> be repaid (grants, scholarships, military funding, etc.)</b>	1,734									
None		58.8	53.9	55.8	43.3	37.2	39.9	42.8	36.0	39.0
Less than \$1,000		7.2	8.7	8.1	9.5	10.8	10.2	8.8	10.3	9.6
\$1,000 to 2,999		13.8	16.1	15.2	17.7	20.0	19.0	16.4	19.1	17.9
\$3,000 to 5,999		12.3	9.9	10.8	15.7	17.6	16.8	14.4	17.3	16.0
\$6,000 to 9,999		5.2	6.3	5.9	7.7	8.5	8.1	7.4	9.1	8.3
\$10,000 +		2.6	5.2	4.2	6.1	5.9	6.0	10.1	8.2	9.1
<b>Aid which <u>must</u> be repaid (loans, etc.)</b>	1,734									
None		51.3	45.8	47.9	51.5	48.0	49.5	54.7	49.6	51.8
Less than \$1,000		4.5	3.7	4.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	4.6	5.0	4.8
\$1,000 to 2,999		12.4	15.9	14.6	11.9	12.6	12.3	10.8	11.8	11.4
\$3,000 to 5,999		12.7	13.0	12.9	15.1	16.0	15.6	13.9	15.9	15.0
\$6,000 to 9,999		7.7	9.3	8.7	7.4	8.8	8.2	7.4	8.5	8.0
\$10,000 +		11.4	12.3	11.9	9.2	9.4	9.3	8.6	9.3	9.0
<b>Other than above</b>	1,734									
None		96.5	96.2	96.3	93.6	94.3	94.0	92.9	94.0	93.5
Less than \$1,000		1.4	2.1	1.8	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.7	2.6	2.6
\$1,000 to 2,999		1.2	0.7	0.9	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.6
\$3,000 to 5,999		0.6	0.4	0.5	1.1	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.8	0.9
\$6,000 to 9,999		0.2	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4
\$10,000 +		0.2	0.4	0.3	0.8	0.5	0.6	1.3	0.7	1.0
<b>Do you have any concern about your ability to finance your college education?</b>	1,686									
None (I am confident that I will have sufficient funds)		37.3	32.7	34.4	43.8	33.9	38.2	45.2	32.8	38.2
Some (but I probably will have enough funds)		54.3	56.0	55.3	49.1	55.9	52.9	47.0	55.4	51.7
Major (not sure I will have enough funds to complete college)		8.4	11.3	10.3	7.1	10.2	8.8	7.8	11.8	10.1