

2006 CIRP INSTITUTIONAL SUMMARY

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U of South Carolina-Aiken First-time Full-time	# Res- pondents	First-time Full-time			Public 4yr Colls-med			All Pub 4yr Colls		
		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
Number of Respondents		233	420	653	7,287	11,010	18,297	19,625	25,319	44,944
In what year did you graduate from high school?	649									
2006		97.0	100.0	98.9	97.5	98.5	98.1	96.7	98.4	97.6
2005		1.7	0.0	0.6	1.3	0.8	1.0	2.0	1.1	1.5
2004		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.3
2003 or earlier		0.9	0.0	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.4
Did not graduate but passed G.E.D. test		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
Never completed high school		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
How old will you be on December 31 of this year?	649									
16 or younger		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
17		1.7	1.9	1.8	1.2	1.9	1.6	1.4	2.1	1.8
18		74.1	76.5	75.7	65.0	73.1	69.6	65.4	74.3	70.4
19		22.0	21.1	21.4	31.7	23.9	27.3	30.7	22.4	26.1
20		1.3	0.2	0.6	1.2	0.6	0.9	1.4	0.7	1.0
21 to 24		0.9	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.3	0.5
25 to 29		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
30 to 39		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
40 to 54		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
55 or older		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Are you: [1]	641									
White/Caucasian		81.9	58.7	66.9	84.3	83.0	83.6	80.0	76.8	78.2
African American/Black		14.1	38.4	29.8	9.1	10.4	9.8	12.9	15.0	14.1
American Indian/Alaska Native		1.8	2.2	2.0	2.6	2.1	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.3
Asian American/Asian		0.9	1.7	1.4	2.6	2.4	2.5	3.3	2.9	3.1
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander		1.3	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.9	0.8	0.8
Mexican American/Chicano		0.9	0.7	0.8	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.6	3.4	3.1
Puerto Rican		1.3	0.5	0.8	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.4
Other Latino		0.9	1.0	0.9	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.9	2.7
Other		2.6	3.4	3.1	3.1	3.4	3.3	3.1	3.5	3.3
What was your average grade in high school?	645									
A or A+		7.4	15.2	12.4	10.2	16.1	13.5	12.1	17.1	14.9
A-		13.4	22.2	19.1	15.7	22.2	19.4	16.8	21.6	19.5
B+		31.2	31.9	31.6	21.6	24.8	23.4	20.9	24.2	22.7
B		29.4	22.7	25.1	30.7	25.4	27.7	27.6	24.6	26.0
B-		11.7	4.6	7.1	12.9	7.7	10.0	12.6	7.9	10.0
C+		5.6	2.9	3.9	6.1	2.9	4.3	6.7	3.5	4.9
C		1.3	0.5	0.8	2.6	0.9	1.7	3.1	1.1	2.0
D		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
How many miles is this college from your permanent home?	646									
5 or less		4.3	5.0	4.8	7.0	5.9	6.4	6.3	5.7	6.0
6 to 10		14.3	9.4	11.1	9.5	9.1	9.2	8.8	8.7	8.8
11 to 50		50.0	50.0	50.0	36.7	35.9	36.2	31.0	32.8	32.0
51 to 100		14.3	22.1	19.3	20.6	22.5	21.7	17.6	19.2	18.5
101 to 500		13.0	11.3	11.9	23.1	23.2	23.1	26.8	26.7	26.8
Over 500		3.9	2.2	2.8	3.1	3.6	3.4	9.4	6.8	7.9
Is English your native language?	645									
Yes		97.8	97.4	97.5	96.1	95.3	95.7	96.1	95.0	95.5
No		2.2	2.6	2.5	3.9	4.7	4.3	3.9	5.0	4.5

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

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Citizenship status	651									
U.S. citizen		98.7	98.1	98.3	98.2	98.2	98.2	98.3	98.0	98.1
Permanent resident (green card)		0.9	1.2	1.1	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.5	1.4
Neither		0.4	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5
What is your best estimate of your parents' total income last year? Consider income from all sources before taxes	525									
Less than \$10,000		2.5	5.8	4.6	2.7	4.2	3.5	2.9	4.8	3.9
\$10,000 to \$14,999		1.5	5.8	4.2	2.5	3.7	3.2	2.1	3.6	2.9
\$15,000 to \$19,999		1.5	5.5	4.0	2.5	3.2	2.9	2.3	3.3	2.8
\$20,000 to \$24,999		5.0	7.1	6.3	3.5	4.6	4.1	3.2	4.4	3.9
\$25,000 to \$29,999		4.0	4.3	4.2	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.3	3.9	3.6
\$30,000 to \$39,999		4.5	6.7	5.9	6.2	7.8	7.1	6.0	7.6	6.9
\$40,000 to \$49,999		9.5	10.4	10.1	8.0	9.4	8.8	7.4	9.3	8.4
\$50,000 to \$59,999		9.5	9.5	9.5	9.8	11.0	10.5	9.6	10.4	10.0
\$60,000 to \$74,999		13.1	12.6	12.8	13.5	14.5	14.0	13.5	13.4	13.4
\$75,000 to \$99,999		17.6	13.8	15.2	17.4	14.9	16.0	16.9	14.5	15.6
\$100,000 to \$149,999		20.1	12.3	15.2	18.0	13.1	15.3	18.2	13.8	15.8
\$150,000 to \$199,999		5.0	2.8	3.6	6.1	5.0	5.5	7.1	5.3	6.1
\$200,000 to \$249,999		0.5	0.6	0.6	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.8	2.4	2.6
\$250,000 or more		5.5	2.8	3.8	3.6	2.6	3.0	4.5	3.5	3.9
How many individuals in your household are dependent on your parents for financial support? (include yourself and your parents)	633									
One		14.0	10.1	11.5	13.1	8.1	10.3	12.6	8.3	10.2
Two		22.7	18.1	19.7	20.5	17.3	18.7	20.0	17.0	18.4
Three		21.0	27.5	25.1	23.2	23.0	23.1	22.5	22.7	22.6
Four		29.7	27.7	28.4	25.1	29.2	27.4	25.7	29.6	27.9
Five		9.6	11.4	10.7	12.7	15.1	14.1	13.2	14.8	14.1
Six or more		3.1	5.2	4.4	5.4	7.2	6.4	5.9	7.5	6.8
WHAT IS THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL EDUCATION OBTAINED BY YOUR PARENTS?										
Father	636									
Grammar school or less		2.2	3.0	2.7	3.5	4.4	4.0	2.9	4.4	3.8
Some high school		4.8	6.4	5.8	5.2	6.4	5.9	4.6	6.1	5.4
High school graduate		34.3	39.4	37.6	28.5	30.8	29.8	24.8	28.6	26.9
Postsecondary school other than college		3.0	5.2	4.4	4.6	5.1	4.9	4.6	4.7	4.7
Some college		14.3	16.7	15.9	16.3	16.8	16.6	16.5	16.8	16.7
College degree		26.1	18.0	20.9	25.9	23.1	24.3	27.3	23.9	25.4
Some graduate school		0.4	1.5	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.8	1.7	1.7
Graduate degree		14.8	9.9	11.6	14.8	12.2	13.3	17.6	13.8	15.5
Mother	650									
Grammar school or less		1.3	2.9	2.3	2.9	3.7	3.3	2.5	3.7	3.2
Some high school		3.4	4.3	4.0	3.9	4.2	4.1	3.3	4.2	3.8
High school graduate		30.6	32.5	31.8	27.8	28.8	28.4	24.4	26.4	25.6
Postsecondary school other than college		3.9	4.8	4.5	4.7	5.8	5.3	4.6	5.2	5.0
Some college		18.5	21.5	20.5	16.8	19.1	18.1	17.4	19.4	18.5
College degree		26.3	24.6	25.2	28.7	25.7	27.0	30.7	26.9	28.6
Some graduate school		1.7	1.2	1.4	1.8	1.6	1.7	2.2	2.0	2.0
Graduate degree		14.2	8.1	10.3	13.5	11.0	12.1	14.9	12.2	13.4

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Are your parents?	650									
Both alive and living with each other		72.0	57.7	62.8	69.8	65.5	67.4	69.4	64.9	66.9
Both alive, divorced or living apart		23.3	35.9	31.4	26.0	30.4	28.5	26.6	31.0	29.1
One or both deceased		4.7	6.5	5.8	4.2	4.1	4.2	4.0	4.1	4.0
Father's occupation [2]	610									
Artist		0.9	0.3	0.5	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.9
Business		21.3	17.5	18.9	25.2	23.6	24.3	26.4	24.7	25.5
Business (clerical)		0.5	0.8	0.7	1.6	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.1	1.3
Clergy		0.0	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.7
College teacher		2.3	0.0	0.8	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.4
Doctor (MD or DDS)		2.3	0.8	1.3	1.3	0.9	1.0	1.8	1.1	1.4
Education (secondary)		1.8	1.8	1.8	2.5	2.0	2.2	2.8	2.0	2.4
Education (elementary)		0.5	0.0	0.2	1.0	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.7
Engineer		17.6	11.6	13.8	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.0	8.2
Farmer or forester		0.5	1.8	1.3	2.4	2.3	2.3	1.6	1.8	1.7
Health professional		0.0	0.5	0.3	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3
Homemaker (full-time)		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2
Lawyer		0.0	0.5	0.3	1.2	0.9	1.0	1.6	1.2	1.4
Military (career)		1.8	2.1	2.0	1.2	1.3	1.3	2.3	2.0	2.1
Nurse		0.5	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5
Research scientist		0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4
Social, welfare, or recreation worker		0.5	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.6
Skilled worker		10.9	7.7	8.9	11.8	9.3	10.4	10.2	8.6	9.3
Semi-skilled worker		2.7	4.1	3.6	3.8	3.1	3.4	3.5	3.0	3.3
Unskilled worker		3.2	2.1	2.5	4.1	4.1	4.1	3.5	3.9	3.7
Unemployed		0.9	3.1	2.3	2.2	3.3	2.8	2.1	3.5	2.9
Other		31.7	43.4	39.2	28.0	34.7	31.8	27.8	34.0	31.3
Mother's occupation [2]	622									
Artist		0.9	0.2	0.5	1.5	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.3
Business		14.0	14.7	14.5	15.8	16.1	16.0	16.0	16.3	16.2
Business (clerical)		4.1	4.5	4.3	5.4	6.1	5.8	5.4	5.7	5.6
Clergy		0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
College teacher		0.5	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3
Doctor (MD or DDS)		0.9	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.1	0.8	0.9
Education (secondary)		5.0	5.2	5.1	5.3	3.9	4.5	5.4	4.0	4.6
Education (elementary)		12.7	4.5	7.4	8.7	7.7	8.1	8.8	7.4	8.0
Engineer		2.3	2.0	2.1	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6
Farmer or forester		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Health professional		3.2	2.5	2.7	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.9
Homemaker (full-time)		7.7	4.2	5.5	5.4	6.9	6.3	6.2	7.2	6.8
Lawyer		0.0	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.4	0.5
Military (career)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3
Nurse		9.5	10.2	10.0	10.0	9.6	9.8	9.9	9.3	9.5
Research scientist		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
Social, welfare, or recreation worker		0.5	2.0	1.4	1.9	1.8	1.8	2.1	1.9	2.0
Skilled worker		3.2	2.0	2.4	2.1	1.6	1.8	2.0	1.5	1.7
Semi-skilled worker		2.3	3.0	2.7	2.5	1.9	2.2	2.4	1.9	2.1
Unskilled worker		1.4	2.0	1.8	2.1	2.2	2.2	1.8	2.2	2.0
Unemployed		5.9	5.7	5.8	5.9	5.8	5.9	5.4	6.0	5.7
Other		26.2	35.7	32.3	26.9	29.7	28.5	26.4	29.6	28.2

[2] Reorganization of this item from a longer list is shown in Appendix C of "The American Freshman: National Norms for Fall 2006."

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PARENTS' CURRENT RELIGIOUS PREFERENCE										
Father	572									
Baptist		52.7	53.1	53.0	14.0	13.7	13.8	14.1	14.2	14.2
Buddhist		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Church of Christ		2.9	2.7	2.8	5.4	4.2	4.8	4.8	3.6	4.2
Eastern Orthodox		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6
Episcopalian		2.0	1.4	1.6	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.7	1.5	1.6
Hindu		0.0	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Islamic		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8
Jewish		0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3	2.0	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.9
LDS (Mormon)		0.5	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Lutheran		2.4	3.3	3.0	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.1	4.9	5.0
Methodist		11.7	10.1	10.7	6.1	6.0	6.1	6.1	5.9	5.9
Presbyterian		4.4	1.4	2.4	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.6	3.3	3.4
Quaker		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Roman Catholic		11.2	7.4	8.7	32.6	32.5	32.5	30.8	30.7	30.8
Seventh Day Adventist		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
United Church of Christ/Congregational		0.0	0.5	0.3	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.0
Other Christian		4.4	8.7	7.2	11.7	11.5	11.6	12.9	12.9	12.9
Other Religion		1.0	2.7	2.1	1.7	2.3	2.0	1.8	2.2	2.0
None		6.8	7.1	7.0	12.4	14.0	13.3	13.0	14.8	14.0
Mother	582									
Baptist		55.1	55.2	55.2	14.5	14.7	14.6	14.6	15.4	15.1
Buddhist		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.6
Church of Christ		2.4	2.9	2.7	6.1	4.7	5.3	5.4	4.2	4.7
Eastern Orthodox		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6
Episcopalian		2.0	0.5	1.0	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.8	1.8	1.8
Hindu		0.0	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3
Islamic		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6
Jewish		1.5	0.3	0.7	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.7
LDS (Mormon)		0.5	0.8	0.7	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3
Lutheran		2.4	2.7	2.6	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.3	5.2	5.2
Methodist		10.7	11.4	11.2	6.6	7.1	6.9	6.4	6.8	6.6
Presbyterian		3.9	2.1	2.7	3.2	3.6	3.4	3.8	3.8	3.8
Quaker		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
Roman Catholic		10.2	6.9	8.1	33.4	33.3	33.4	32.0	32.1	32.0
Seventh Day Adventist		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3
United Church of Christ/Congregational		0.0	0.8	0.5	1.0	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2
Other Christian		7.3	10.9	9.6	12.7	12.6	12.7	13.9	14.0	14.0
Other Religion		1.5	2.1	1.9	1.6	2.3	2.0	1.7	2.4	2.1
None		2.4	2.4	2.4	8.9	8.5	8.7	9.1	8.9	9.0
HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE THE RACIAL COMPOSITION OF THE:										
High school you last attended	645									
Completely non-White		1.3	1.9	1.7	2.1	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.7	2.6
Mostly non-White		8.2	22.9	17.7	8.1	9.4	8.8	9.6	11.2	10.5
Roughly half non-White		55.0	48.3	50.7	21.5	22.9	22.3	21.4	23.1	22.3
Mostly White		32.9	23.9	27.1	55.8	54.1	54.9	55.3	53.1	54.1
Completely White		2.6	2.9	2.8	12.3	11.3	11.8	11.2	9.9	10.5
Neighborhood where you grew up	614									
Completely non-White		4.1	11.6	9.0	4.0	4.3	4.1	5.2	5.4	5.3
Mostly non-White		6.8	16.7	13.2	8.4	7.8	8.0	9.0	9.5	9.3
Roughly half non-White		16.9	15.9	16.3	11.2	11.5	11.4	10.8	12.0	11.5
Mostly White		51.6	39.5	43.8	48.7	48.9	48.8	49.0	48.5	48.7
Completely White		20.5	16.2	17.8	27.8	27.5	27.6	26.0	24.6	25.2

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		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
Your current religious preference	638									
Baptist		54.6	56.4	55.8	14.0	15.0	14.6	13.7	15.3	14.6
Buddhist		0.0	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.6
Church of Christ		2.6	2.7	2.7	5.3	4.4	4.8	4.7	3.9	4.3
Eastern Orthodox		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5
Episcopalian		1.8	0.5	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.3	1.3	1.3
Hindu		0.4	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
Islamic		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6
Jewish		0.4	0.0	0.2	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.4
LDS (Mormon)		0.0	0.7	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Lutheran		1.8	2.7	2.4	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.4	4.4	4.4
Methodist		9.7	10.0	9.9	5.2	6.1	5.7	5.2	5.8	5.5
Presbyterian		3.1	1.7	2.2	2.5	2.7	2.6	3.0	2.9	3.0
Quaker		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
Roman Catholic		10.1	5.6	7.2	28.6	29.2	28.9	27.0	27.8	27.4
Seventh Day Adventist		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3
United Church of Christ/Congregational		0.0	0.5	0.3	0.8	1.1	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.0
Other Christian		7.9	12.4	10.8	11.7	12.5	12.2	13.1	14.4	13.8
Other Religion		1.8	3.2	2.7	2.5	3.2	2.9	2.7	3.2	3.0
None		5.7	2.9	3.9	19.3	16.0	17.5	19.7	16.2	17.8
Student rated self "above average" or "highest 10%" as compared with the average person of his/her age in:										
Academic ability	651	59.1	50.8	53.8	59.6	52.3	55.5	64.3	56.7	60.1
Artistic ability	651	25.8	18.9	21.4	26.3	26.7	26.5	26.6	27.0	26.8
Computer skills	652	44.6	29.4	34.8	46.0	30.0	36.9	46.9	30.5	37.8
Cooperativeness	649	63.4	67.6	66.1	68.8	72.1	70.7	69.5	72.3	71.1
Creativity	651	55.8	45.0	48.8	55.4	53.2	54.1	56.1	53.4	54.6
Drive to achieve	652	57.9	69.5	65.3	62.1	67.5	65.1	64.7	69.8	67.6
Emotional health	651	58.9	38.8	45.9	58.5	43.0	49.7	60.1	45.2	51.8
Leadership ability	649	58.8	45.4	50.2	61.0	53.1	56.5	62.3	54.2	57.8
Mathematical ability	650	46.4	33.1	37.8	42.0	27.6	33.9	46.7	29.9	37.3
Physical health	649	62.8	37.3	46.4	64.4	42.3	51.9	66.2	43.3	53.4
Public speaking ability	652	35.2	26.0	29.3	35.0	28.8	31.4	37.1	29.9	33.1
Religiousness	651	35.8	40.1	38.6	24.3	26.5	25.5	26.6	27.5	27.1
Self-confidence (intellectual)	649	62.7	46.9	52.5	63.1	44.4	52.5	65.2	48.1	55.7
Self-confidence (social)	652	59.7	46.1	50.9	57.0	45.4	50.5	57.6	48.1	52.3
Self-understanding	651	58.4	48.8	52.2	58.4	46.9	51.9	59.9	50.0	54.4
Spirituality	650	39.9	42.9	41.8	32.0	32.5	32.3	34.1	34.4	34.3
Understanding of others	649	64.5	62.7	63.3	61.2	65.8	63.8	61.6	66.2	64.2
Writing ability	651	37.1	32.0	33.8	39.1	44.7	42.3	41.1	45.2	43.4
During high school (grades 9-12) how many years did you study each of the following subjects? [3]										
English (4 years)	648	91.4	92.5	92.1	96.4	97.6	97.1	97.0	97.7	97.4
Mathematics (3 years)	646	97.8	97.6	97.7	97.8	98.1	98.0	98.0	98.2	98.1
Foreign Language (2 years)	646	95.7	95.7	95.7	87.6	92.1	90.1	88.7	92.6	90.9
Physical Science (2 years)	623	23.9	15.1	18.1	55.6	50.0	52.5	58.4	52.1	54.9
Biological Science (2 years)	621	45.3	47.7	46.9	41.9	42.3	42.2	41.7	44.1	43.0
History/Am. Govt. (1 year)	635	97.8	92.4	94.3	98.7	98.7	98.7	98.7	98.6	98.7
Computer Science (1/2 year)	624	85.5	80.6	82.4	71.3	60.3	65.1	71.0	60.2	65.0
Arts and/or Music (1 year)	631	57.8	63.3	61.3	72.1	81.0	77.1	73.5	82.2	78.4

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

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Indicate which activities you did during the <u>past year</u>										
Attended a religious service	647	88.3	96.4	93.5	72.7	78.1	75.8	74.1	78.3	76.4
Was bored in class [4]	648	51.5	34.1	40.3	45.9	42.7	44.1	44.6	41.1	42.6
Participated in organized demonstrations	646	52.2	65.6	60.8	52.8	58.4	56.0	50.2	56.5	53.7
Tutored another student	650	45.7	51.2	49.2	40.3	46.1	43.6	43.9	48.1	46.3
Studied with other students	648	74.3	88.8	83.6	75.1	84.7	80.5	77.7	86.4	82.6
Was a guest in a teacher's home	649	26.8	25.4	25.9	22.0	21.1	21.5	21.9	20.9	21.3
Smoked cigarettes [4]	648	7.0	5.3	5.9	8.2	7.1	7.6	7.2	6.2	6.7
Drank beer	649	45.3	20.6	29.4	51.7	40.7	45.4	48.5	37.2	42.2
Drank wine or liquor	647	45.7	34.8	38.6	52.4	50.8	51.5	49.6	48.0	48.7
Felt overwhelmed by all I had to do [4]	649	19.2	32.9	28.0	19.0	39.8	30.8	17.7	37.4	28.7
Felt depressed [4]	651	5.6	8.1	7.2	6.3	10.3	8.6	5.6	9.8	7.9
Performed volunteer work	647	70.6	82.7	78.4	70.3	80.3	76.0	72.8	81.4	77.6
Played a musical instrument	648	45.7	38.0	40.7	41.1	34.1	37.1	42.5	34.7	38.1
Asked teacher for advice after class [4]	651	22.9	26.7	25.3	19.3	24.9	22.5	20.3	26.1	23.5
Voted in a student election [4]	643	22.9	29.9	27.4	16.8	20.5	18.9	17.5	21.2	19.5
Socialized with someone of another racial/ethnic group [4]	648	74.7	73.3	73.8	61.7	63.2	62.5	62.2	65.0	63.8
Came late to class	646	61.4	58.6	59.6	63.5	59.5	61.2	63.0	59.8	61.2
Used the Internet:										
For research or homework [4,5]	653	55.4	68.3	63.7	61.0	74.0	68.3	62.9	75.3	69.8
To read news sites [4]	650	38.1	32.9	34.8	41.7	36.1	38.5	42.6	36.7	39.3
To read blogs [4]	648	32.2	34.2	33.5	28.3	41.2	35.6	28.3	38.4	33.9
Performed community service as part of a class	646	45.9	60.7	55.4	44.8	53.5	49.7	47.3	54.4	51.3
Discussed religion [4]	649	30.7	32.3	31.7	25.0	26.3	25.8	26.8	27.9	27.4
Discussed politics [4]	650	25.4	17.5	20.3	30.9	24.5	27.2	33.8	26.5	29.7
Read a newspaper for:										
National and global news	650	71.7	65.2	67.5	73.7	66.9	69.8	75.2	69.1	71.8
Local news and information	650	86.1	86.2	86.2	85.5	85.8	85.7	85.5	86.3	85.9
Schoolwork	649	64.3	72.8	69.8	63.3	72.9	68.7	64.2	73.8	69.6
HOW MANY ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES OR EXAMS DID YOU TAKE IN HIGH SCHOOL?										
AP Courses	623									
None offered at my high school		4.9	9.3	7.7	8.2	7.9	8.0	6.8	6.7	6.7
None		54.3	51.5	52.5	49.5	45.8	47.4	45.0	41.8	43.2
1 to 4		39.5	37.5	38.2	37.9	42.0	40.2	41.2	45.1	43.4
5 to 9		0.9	1.8	1.4	3.8	3.7	3.8	6.3	5.8	6.0
10 to 14		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.5
15 +		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
AP Exams	606									
None offered at my high school		5.1	10.0	8.3	9.3	9.2	9.2	7.6	7.6	7.6
None		57.2	54.5	55.4	62.3	58.8	60.3	56.8	53.5	55.0
1 to 4		37.2	34.5	35.5	26.2	29.8	28.3	31.1	34.7	33.1
5 to 9		0.5	1.0	0.8	1.8	1.9	1.9	4.0	3.9	4.0
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	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1

[4] Percentage responding "frequently" only. Results for other items in this group represent the percentage responding "frequently" or "occasionally."

[5] Comparisons with results from previous years should be made with caution due to changes in the structure of this item.

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DURING YOUR LAST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL, HOW MUCH TIME DID YOU SPEND DURING A TYPICAL WEEK DOING THE FOLLOWING?										
Studying/homework	642									
None		8.3	2.7	4.7	7.5	2.1	4.5	6.0	1.7	3.6
Less than one hour		23.2	12.6	16.4	23.6	15.5	19.0	21.1	13.5	16.9
1 to 2 hours		25.9	30.0	28.5	28.6	28.1	28.3	28.3	26.4	27.3
3 to 5 hours		23.7	32.9	29.6	25.1	31.0	28.4	25.8	31.6	29.1
6 to 10 hours		9.6	13.8	12.3	10.2	15.2	13.0	12.1	16.9	14.8
11 to 15 hours		4.8	4.6	4.7	2.9	5.1	4.2	3.8	5.9	5.0
16 to 20 hours		2.2	2.7	2.5	0.9	1.9	1.5	1.6	2.3	2.0
Over 20 hours		2.2	1.0	1.4	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.4
Socializing with friends	638									
None		0.0	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4
Less than one hour		0.4	2.4	1.7	1.2	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.4
1 to 2 hours		5.7	8.0	7.2	5.1	5.7	5.4	5.7	6.4	6.1
3 to 5 hours		17.2	20.9	19.6	16.7	18.0	17.4	16.5	19.2	18.0
6 to 10 hours		21.6	21.4	21.5	21.8	25.4	23.9	23.4	25.7	24.7
11 to 15 hours		19.4	17.3	18.0	18.2	18.6	18.4	17.9	18.4	18.2
16 to 20 hours		13.2	10.5	11.4	12.1	11.9	12.0	12.2	11.4	11.8
Over 20 hours		22.5	19.0	20.2	24.4	18.5	21.1	22.5	17.1	19.5
Talking with teachers outside of class	641									
None		15.8	7.5	10.5	16.3	10.4	13.0	14.9	9.6	11.9
Less than one hour		45.2	42.4	43.4	43.6	43.3	43.4	44.3	43.3	43.7
1 to 2 hours		25.0	33.7	30.6	26.3	30.0	28.4	27.2	30.5	29.1
3 to 5 hours		9.2	11.9	10.9	9.1	11.4	10.4	9.3	11.9	10.8
6 to 10 hours		3.1	3.6	3.4	2.8	3.4	3.1	2.7	3.2	3.0
11 to 15 hours		0.4	1.0	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.8
16 to 20 hours		0.9	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3
Over 20 hours		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.4
Exercise or sports	640									
None		5.7	13.1	10.5	3.5	6.2	5.1	3.2	6.5	5.0
Less than one hour		9.3	13.8	12.2	7.2	12.4	10.1	6.6	12.5	9.9
1 to 2 hours		11.0	18.4	15.8	12.6	19.2	16.3	12.5	18.7	15.9
3 to 5 hours		15.4	17.9	17.0	17.4	20.4	19.1	17.9	20.6	19.4
6 to 10 hours		13.2	15.0	14.4	17.3	16.4	16.8	18.7	16.5	17.4
11 to 15 hours		15.4	9.7	11.7	15.7	11.6	13.4	15.9	12.0	13.7
16 to 20 hours		10.1	5.3	7.0	10.1	6.6	8.1	9.8	6.5	7.9
Over 20 hours		19.8	6.8	11.4	16.2	7.1	11.1	15.5	6.9	10.7
Partying	638									
None		26.5	29.6	28.5	19.5	25.6	23.0	20.2	26.1	23.5
Less than one hour		8.8	12.9	11.4	12.5	14.2	13.4	13.5	14.7	14.2
1 to 2 hours		17.7	21.1	19.9	17.5	17.6	17.5	17.4	17.7	17.6
3 to 5 hours		16.4	18.2	17.6	19.3	19.7	19.5	20.3	19.9	20.1
6 to 10 hours		11.9	10.9	11.3	15.1	13.1	14.0	14.0	12.4	13.1
11 to 15 hours		10.6	2.9	5.6	7.3	5.3	6.2	6.8	5.0	5.8
16 to 20 hours		3.5	1.9	2.5	3.8	2.5	3.0	3.3	2.3	2.7
Over 20 hours		4.4	2.4	3.1	5.0	2.1	3.4	4.4	1.9	3.0

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DURING YOUR LAST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL, HOW MUCH TIME DID YOU SPEND DURING A TYPICAL WEEK DOING THE FOLLOWING?										
Working (for pay)	640									
None		28.2	28.6	28.4	23.0	20.6	21.6	26.6	22.2	24.2
Less than one hour		2.2	1.7	1.9	2.9	1.8	2.2	3.0	1.9	2.4
1 to 2 hours		3.5	2.9	3.1	3.8	2.8	3.2	4.0	2.8	3.4
3 to 5 hours		8.4	6.8	7.3	6.8	6.3	6.6	6.9	6.4	6.6
6 to 10 hours		8.8	9.2	9.1	11.7	12.7	12.3	11.4	12.7	12.1
11 to 15 hours		13.2	14.0	13.8	12.9	16.9	15.2	12.5	16.7	14.8
16 to 20 hours		11.5	16.5	14.7	15.7	19.4	17.8	14.7	18.3	16.7
Over 20 hours		24.2	20.3	21.7	23.2	19.5	21.1	20.9	18.9	19.8
Volunteer work	635									
None		43.1	29.5	34.3	44.5	30.9	36.8	41.0	28.8	34.2
Less than one hour		20.9	22.4	21.9	22.9	22.7	22.8	23.9	22.3	23.0
1 to 2 hours		18.7	25.6	23.1	17.0	23.1	20.4	18.8	24.2	21.8
3 to 5 hours		10.2	16.1	14.0	8.4	13.3	11.2	8.9	14.2	11.9
6 to 10 hours		2.2	3.4	3.0	3.4	5.2	4.5	3.8	5.5	4.7
11 to 15 hours		2.7	1.5	1.9	1.5	2.0	1.8	1.5	2.2	1.9
16 to 20 hours		0.9	0.5	0.6	0.8	1.2	1.0	0.7	1.1	0.9
Over 20 hours		1.3	1.0	1.1	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.7	1.6
Student clubs/groups	635									
None		44.6	18.9	27.9	44.5	28.7	35.5	42.5	27.9	34.4
Less than one hour		13.5	14.3	14.0	14.8	14.8	14.8	15.8	15.1	15.4
1 to 2 hours		20.7	32.9	28.7	18.5	24.0	21.6	19.7	25.1	22.7
3 to 5 hours		9.0	22.0	17.5	10.9	18.3	15.1	11.7	18.1	15.3
6 to 10 hours		5.9	6.5	6.3	5.8	7.5	6.7	5.3	7.4	6.5
11 to 15 hours		2.3	2.2	2.2	2.0	3.2	2.7	2.0	3.1	2.6
16 to 20 hours		2.7	1.5	1.9	1.3	1.6	1.5	1.1	1.6	1.3
Over 20 hours		1.4	1.7	1.6	2.2	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.8
Watching TV	636									
None		3.6	2.2	2.7	5.5	5.0	5.2	5.6	5.4	5.4
Less than one hour		11.6	14.3	13.4	13.5	16.6	15.2	12.8	16.6	14.9
1 to 2 hours		17.9	23.1	21.2	21.7	26.9	24.6	22.4	27.0	25.0
3 to 5 hours		29.9	31.3	30.8	26.9	28.1	27.6	27.0	27.6	27.4
6 to 10 hours		18.3	15.8	16.7	17.7	14.5	15.9	17.4	14.0	15.5
11 to 15 hours		5.4	7.8	6.9	6.8	4.6	5.6	6.9	4.7	5.7
16 to 20 hours		5.8	3.2	4.1	3.0	1.9	2.4	3.1	1.9	2.4
Over 20 hours		7.6	2.4	4.2	4.9	2.4	3.5	4.8	2.7	3.7
Household/childcare duties	638									
None		29.9	9.9	16.9	30.1	12.7	20.2	28.9	13.1	20.1
Less than one hour		24.1	15.2	18.3	20.6	19.6	20.0	20.1	19.1	19.5
1 to 2 hours		25.4	34.1	31.0	25.4	31.3	28.7	27.3	32.1	30.0
3 to 5 hours		13.8	22.5	19.4	15.6	22.1	19.3	15.4	21.7	18.9
6 to 10 hours		3.1	9.2	7.1	5.3	8.4	7.0	5.2	7.9	6.7
11 to 15 hours		1.8	5.3	4.1	1.6	2.9	2.3	1.6	2.8	2.3
16 to 20 hours		1.3	1.0	1.1	0.5	1.3	1.0	0.5	1.3	0.9
Over 20 hours		0.4	2.9	2.0	0.9	1.7	1.4	1.0	2.0	1.6

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DURING YOUR LAST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL, HOW MUCH TIME DID YOU SPEND DURING A TYPICAL WEEK DOING THE FOLLOWING?										
Reading for pleasure	638									
None		50.7	25.2	34.2	40.8	23.1	30.8	36.6	21.2	28.0
Less than one hour		18.7	26.6	23.8	23.5	25.2	24.5	24.5	25.4	25.0
1 to 2 hours		16.0	22.8	20.4	17.8	24.1	21.4	19.5	25.3	22.8
3 to 5 hours		7.1	15.3	12.4	10.1	15.3	13.0	11.3	16.0	14.0
6 to 10 hours		3.6	6.8	5.6	4.4	7.3	6.0	4.8	7.0	6.0
11 to 15 hours		2.2	1.2	1.6	1.7	2.4	2.1	1.7	2.5	2.1
16 to 20 hours		0.9	1.5	1.3	0.7	1.4	1.1	0.7	1.3	1.0
Over 20 hours		0.9	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.1	0.9	1.3	1.1
Playing video/computer games	638									
None		19.1	51.1	39.8	16.5	54.7	38.1	16.7	56.8	39.1
Less than one hour		18.7	24.7	22.6	19.7	22.7	21.4	19.6	21.8	20.8
1 to 2 hours		15.6	14.8	15.0	21.3	11.6	15.8	21.8	11.2	15.9
3 to 5 hours		22.7	5.8	11.8	19.4	6.4	12.1	19.1	5.9	11.7
6 to 10 hours		11.6	2.2	5.5	11.0	2.7	6.3	10.9	2.4	6.2
11 to 15 hours		5.8	1.0	2.7	5.0	1.0	2.7	5.0	1.0	2.7
16 to 20 hours		2.7	0.5	1.3	2.4	0.4	1.3	2.4	0.4	1.3
Over 20 hours		4.0	0.0	1.4	4.6	0.5	2.3	4.4	0.6	2.3
WHAT IS THE HIGHEST ACADEMIC DEGREE THAT YOU INTEND TO OBTAIN:										
At any college	551									
None		2.0	1.1	1.5	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.1	0.9	1.0
Vocational certificate		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
Associate (A.A. or equivalent)		0.5	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7
Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)		37.8	26.6	30.7	33.3	27.6	30.1	32.7	26.6	29.3
Master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)		37.3	45.1	42.3	43.3	46.7	45.2	41.9	44.9	43.6
Ph.D. or Ed.D.		13.9	16.0	15.2	12.1	13.1	12.7	13.4	14.8	14.2
M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.		3.0	6.9	5.4	4.0	5.8	5.0	4.7	6.8	5.8
J.D. (Law)		3.0	2.0	2.4	2.7	2.3	2.4	3.1	2.8	3.0
B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.4
Other		2.5	1.7	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.2	1.8	1.9	1.9
At this college	405									
None		9.7	2.3	4.9	2.6	1.8	2.2	2.6	1.7	2.1
Vocational certificate		0.7	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Associate (A.A. or equivalent)		8.3	0.0	3.0	3.3	2.6	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.7
Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)		66.7	77.8	73.8	63.5	63.6	63.6	68.3	66.2	67.1
Master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)		9.0	14.6	12.6	24.2	24.5	24.4	20.2	22.8	21.6
Ph.D. or Ed.D.		0.7	3.1	2.2	2.9	3.2	3.1	2.7	2.9	2.8
M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.		0.0	0.8	0.5	0.8	1.2	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.9
J.D. (Law)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Other		4.9	1.5	2.7	1.7	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.7	1.6

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		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
Reasons noted as "very important" in deciding to go to college										
My parents wanted me to go	651	49.6	58.9	55.6	46.2	50.4	48.6	45.1	50.8	48.3
I could not find a job	646	7.8	8.9	8.5	6.3	7.7	7.1	6.0	7.3	6.7
Wanted to get away from home	646	18.2	22.7	21.1	20.8	21.5	21.2	20.9	21.5	21.2
To be able to get a better job	649	68.8	75.1	72.9	71.1	71.5	71.3	71.5	72.7	72.2
To gain a general education and appreciation of ideas	649	45.0	65.1	57.9	50.5	64.0	58.2	52.7	66.4	60.3
There was nothing better to do	648	6.5	2.9	4.2	5.1	2.6	3.7	5.5	2.9	4.0
To make me a more cultured person	646	27.7	37.3	33.9	27.2	38.3	33.5	30.2	41.4	36.5
To be able to make more money	644	80.0	78.0	78.7	75.1	70.6	72.5	74.1	70.9	72.3
To learn more about things that interest me	647	63.2	75.0	70.8	66.5	76.5	72.1	68.7	78.1	74.0
To prepare myself for graduate or professional school	646	47.4	66.1	59.4	43.6	57.3	51.4	44.7	60.0	53.3
A mentor/role model encouraged me to go	647	19.9	21.9	21.2	16.8	19.1	18.1	16.8	19.4	18.3
To get training for a specific career	647	73.9	85.1	81.1	69.0	78.8	74.6	68.2	76.9	73.1
Is this college your:										
First choice	648	53.2	57.3	55.9	65.6	66.9	66.3	67.5	65.3	66.3
Second choice		36.4	33.6	34.6	26.3	25.2	25.7	23.6	25.1	24.4
Third choice		5.2	7.0	6.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.6	6.3	6.0
Less than third choice		5.2	2.2	3.2	2.8	2.5	2.7	3.3	3.3	3.3
To how many colleges other than this one did you apply for admission this year?										
None	646	26.0	23.6	24.5	21.9	20.3	21.0	21.1	19.4	20.2
One		14.7	14.0	14.2	12.1	12.7	12.4	12.4	12.8	12.6
Two		20.3	19.3	19.7	18.3	18.1	18.2	17.7	17.5	17.6
Three		22.5	20.2	21.1	19.3	19.2	19.2	19.1	18.7	18.9
Four		7.4	10.8	9.6	12.9	12.1	12.4	13.0	12.8	12.9
Five		5.6	6.7	6.3	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	8.0	7.9
Six		1.7	3.1	2.6	3.8	4.9	4.4	4.0	4.8	4.4
Seven to ten		1.3	2.2	1.9	3.5	4.3	4.0	4.2	5.0	4.6
Eleven or more		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.0
If this college was not your first choice, were you accepted by your first choice college?										
No	386	54.7	36.1	43.3	46.1	35.7	40.4	46.7	38.2	42.1
Yes		45.3	63.9	56.7	53.9	64.3	59.6	53.3	61.8	57.9
Did either of your parents or legal guardians attend the institution that you are now attending?										
Neither	650	82.8	89.0	86.8	87.3	89.7	88.6	88.6	90.3	89.6
Mother or female legal guardian only		7.7	9.1	8.6	5.4	4.9	5.1	4.7	4.7	4.7
Father or male legal guardian only		6.4	1.7	3.4	4.3	3.1	3.6	4.3	3.0	3.6
Both		3.0	0.2	1.2	3.0	2.4	2.7	2.4	2.0	2.2

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		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
Reasons noted as "very important" in influencing student's decision to attend this particular college										
My relatives wanted me to come here	634	13.4	22.7	19.4	11.1	13.4	12.4	11.7	12.9	12.4
My teacher advised me	632	8.1	11.7	10.4	6.8	7.3	7.1	6.6	6.4	6.5
This college has a very good academic reputation	636	43.4	70.7	61.0	37.2	53.5	46.5	43.0	53.8	49.0
This college has a good reputation for its social activities	633	31.4	44.4	39.8	26.0	31.5	29.1	26.5	31.1	29.1
I was offered financial assistance	630	28.1	46.1	39.7	25.3	31.4	28.8	25.4	30.6	28.3
The cost of attending this college	631	44.2	54.5	50.9	38.6	46.6	43.1	38.2	45.8	42.5
High school counselor advised me	629	8.6	12.7	11.3	8.7	10.1	9.5	8.8	9.8	9.4
Private college counselor advised me	630	2.7	3.4	3.2	2.3	1.8	2.1	2.5	2.1	2.2
I wanted to live near home	632	27.5	34.9	32.3	21.7	29.5	26.2	19.2	27.6	23.9
Not offered aid by first choice	631	5.9	7.1	6.7	5.8	6.9	6.4	5.4	7.1	6.4
Could not afford first choice	629	10.0	11.5	11.0	10.6	13.0	12.0	9.4	13.0	11.4
This college's graduates gain admission to top graduate/professional schools	627	15.7	33.2	27.0	15.0	23.1	19.6	19.6	25.8	23.0
This college's graduates get good jobs	625	26.8	45.9	39.2	34.2	44.5	40.0	41.2	46.3	44.1
I was attracted by the religious affiliation/orientation of the college	627	3.2	9.1	7.0	2.9	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.4	3.2
I wanted to go to a school about the size of this college	632	29.7	54.1	45.6	27.8	43.2	36.6	29.2	44.7	37.9
Rankings in national magazines	630	22.9	37.1	32.1	6.2	8.0	7.2	9.7	9.8	9.8
Information from a website	623	12.4	24.4	20.2	9.8	16.7	13.7	11.8	18.1	15.4
I was admitted through an Early Action or Early Decision program	624	7.7	10.1	9.3	5.5	6.3	6.0	6.9	8.3	7.7
The athletic department recruited me	627	9.5	7.1	8.0	11.8	4.9	7.9	11.0	5.3	7.8
A visit to campus	630	20.4	37.2	31.3	27.4	39.3	34.2	29.6	40.0	35.4
Prior to this term, have you ever taken courses for credit at <u>this</u> institution?										
No	648	91.8	87.1	88.7	96.4	96.5	96.5	95.8	96.0	95.9
Yes		8.2	12.9	11.3	3.6	3.5	3.5	4.2	4.0	4.1
Since leaving high school, have you ever taken courses, whether for credit or not for credit, at <u>any other</u> institution (university, 4- or 2-year college, technical, vocational, or business school)?										
No	646	91.8	85.8	87.9	90.5	88.3	89.2	92.0	89.7	90.7
Yes		8.2	14.2	12.1	9.5	11.7	10.8	8.0	10.3	9.3
Where do you plan to live during the fall term?										
With my family or other relatives	649	50.4	40.6	44.1	28.8	25.0	26.7	24.3	23.4	23.8
Other private home, apartment, or room		3.9	6.4	5.5	3.3	2.8	3.0	4.2	4.3	4.2
College residence hall		37.8	50.4	45.9	65.7	69.9	68.1	68.2	68.8	68.5
Fraternity or sorority house		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
Other campus student housing		6.5	2.6	4.0	1.7	2.1	1.9	2.8	3.2	3.0
Other		1.3	0.0	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.3

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Your probable career occupation	616									
Accountant or actuary		0.9	3.6	2.6	3.4	2.3	2.8	3.2	2.5	2.8
Actor or entertainer		0.9	0.8	0.8	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.2	1.3
Architect or urban planner		3.6	0.3	1.5	0.6	0.1	0.3	0.8	0.3	0.5
Artist		1.8	1.0	1.3	1.8	2.9	2.4	1.6	2.3	2.0
Business (clerical)		0.9	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7
Business executive (management, administrator)		9.8	4.6	6.5	9.4	5.0	6.9	9.3	5.4	7.2
Business owner or proprietor		7.1	1.3	3.4	5.2	1.9	3.3	5.3	2.2	3.6
Business salesperson or buyer		1.3	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.1
Clergy (minister, priest)		0.9	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
Clergy (other religious)		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Clinical psychologist		0.4	1.3	1.0	0.9	2.2	1.6	0.8	2.4	1.7
College administrator/staff		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
College teacher		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.4
Computer programmer or analyst		4.0	0.3	1.6	4.1	0.3	2.0	4.2	0.4	2.1
Conservationist or forester		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.3
Dentist (including orthodontist)		0.4	2.0	1.5	0.9	1.2	1.1	0.9	1.1	1.0
Dietitian or nutritionist		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.9	0.6	0.2	0.5	0.4
Engineer		15.2	0.8	6.0	7.5	0.6	3.6	9.3	1.2	4.8
Farmer or rancher		0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.2	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.3
Foreign service worker (including diplomat)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.4
Homemaker (full-time)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1
Interior decorator (including designer)		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.6	0.3	0.0	0.4	0.2
Lab technician or hygienist		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2
Law enforcement officer		2.7	0.3	1.1	3.9	0.8	2.1	3.2	0.8	1.8
Lawyer (attorney) or judge		2.2	3.6	3.1	2.6	2.3	2.4	2.8	2.7	2.7
Military service (career)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.1	0.4	4.8	0.8	2.6
Musician (performer, composer)		3.6	1.0	1.9	2.5	0.9	1.6	2.2	0.8	1.4
Nurse		5.8	27.3	19.5	1.3	8.7	5.5	1.2	9.3	5.7
Optometrist		0.0	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.3
Pharmacist		4.5	2.8	3.4	2.1	2.1	2.1	1.5	1.7	1.6
Physician		2.2	3.1	2.8	2.2	2.7	2.5	2.7	3.7	3.3
Policymaker/Government		1.3	0.0	0.5	0.8	0.4	0.5	0.9	0.5	0.7
School counselor		0.0	1.0	0.6	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.6	0.4
School principal or superintendent		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Scientific researcher		0.0	0.5	0.3	1.3	1.0	1.1	1.4	1.2	1.3
Social, welfare, or recreation worker		0.0	0.5	0.3	0.3	1.8	1.2	0.4	2.0	1.3
Therapist (physical, occupational, speech)		2.2	4.6	3.7	2.1	4.1	3.2	2.0	4.1	3.1
Teacher or administrator (elementary)		1.8	13.3	9.1	2.3	15.2	9.6	1.5	12.2	7.4
Teacher or administrator (secondary)		4.5	3.1	3.6	9.9	8.3	9.0	7.1	6.8	7.0
Veterinarian		0.9	1.0	1.0	0.6	1.2	0.9	0.5	1.3	0.9
Writer or journalist		0.4	1.3	1.0	1.9	2.8	2.4	1.7	2.8	2.3
Skilled trades		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.3
Laborer (unskilled)		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.2	0.4
Semi-skilled worker		0.9	0.0	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.3	0.6	0.2	0.4
Unemployed		1.8	2.0	1.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1
Other		6.3	8.2	7.5	8.6	10.1	9.4	8.2	10.0	9.2
Undecided		10.3	7.9	8.8	13.1	12.5	12.7	13.5	13.6	13.6

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YOUR PROBABLE MAJOR	615									
Arts and Humanities										
Art, fine and applied		3.2	0.8	1.6	2.3	3.7	3.1	1.9	2.9	2.5
English (language & literature)		0.5	0.5	0.5	0.9	1.9	1.5	1.3	1.8	1.6
History		1.4	0.0	0.5	2.3	0.9	1.5	2.5	0.9	1.6
Journalism		0.0	0.8	0.5	1.3	2.0	1.7	0.9	1.8	1.4
Language and Literature (except English)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.5
Music		2.3	0.8	1.3	2.1	0.8	1.3	1.8	0.8	1.2
Philosophy		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
Speech		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2
Theater or Drama		0.0	0.8	0.5	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.1
Theology or Religion		0.5	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
Other Arts and Humanities		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.8
Biological Science										
Biology (general)		2.3	3.8	3.3	2.1	2.5	2.3	2.6	3.8	3.3
Biochemistry or Biophysics		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.5
Botany		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
Environmental Science		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.5
Marine (Life) Science		0.5	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.5
Microbiology or Bacteriology		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
Zoology		0.0	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3
Other Biological Science		0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5
Business										
Accounting		2.8	3.5	3.3	3.6	2.2	2.8	3.4	2.5	2.9
Business Admin. (general)		4.1	1.3	2.3	5.4	2.2	3.6	6.2	2.8	4.3
Finance		1.4	0.8	1.0	1.8	0.6	1.1	1.6	0.6	1.1
International Business		0.9	0.5	0.7	1.1	0.8	0.9	1.2	1.1	1.1
Marketing		4.1	1.5	2.4	3.5	2.9	3.2	3.0	2.8	2.9
Management		9.2	3.3	5.4	5.9	2.7	4.1	5.9	2.6	4.1
Secretarial Studies		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Business		1.4	0.3	0.7	0.9	0.5	0.7	1.3	0.6	0.9
Education										
Business Education		0.0	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
Elementary Education		1.8	10.8	7.6	2.1	13.3	8.5	1.3	10.8	6.7
Music or Art Education		1.8	0.5	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.3	0.7	1.0	0.9
Physical Education or Recreation		1.8	0.0	0.7	3.6	1.2	2.2	2.7	0.9	1.7
Secondary Education		2.3	2.5	2.4	5.1	4.2	4.6	3.7	3.7	3.7
Special Education		0.0	1.0	0.7	0.4	1.8	1.2	0.3	1.5	1.0
Other Education		0.0	3.8	2.4	0.4	1.2	0.8	0.3	0.7	0.5
Engineering										
Aeronautical or Astronautical Engineering		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.9	0.2	0.5
Civil Engineering		3.7	0.3	1.5	1.6	0.1	0.7	2.0	0.2	1.0
Chemical Engineering		0.5	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.3
Computer Engineering		4.1	0.5	1.8	1.5	0.2	0.7	1.8	0.2	0.9
Electrical or Electronic Engineering		1.4	0.0	0.5	1.6	0.0	0.7	1.8	0.2	0.9
Industrial Engineering		0.5	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2
Mechanical Engineering		6.9	0.0	2.4	2.6	0.1	1.2	3.7	0.2	1.7
Other Engineering		1.4	0.0	0.5	0.7	0.1	0.4	1.7	0.4	0.9

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YOUR PROBABLE MAJOR										
Physical Science										
Astronomy		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
Atmospheric Science (incl. Meteorology)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Chemistry		2.3	1.0	1.5	1.1	0.8	0.9	1.1	0.8	0.9
Earth Science		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2
Marine Science (incl. Oceanography)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
Mathematics		0.5	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.6
Physics		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.4	0.9	0.1	0.4
Statistics		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Physical Science		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
Professional										
Architecture or Urban Planning		0.9	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.2
Family & Consumer Sciences		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.1
Health Technology (medical, dental, laboratory)		0.0	1.0	0.7	0.6	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.9	0.7
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		1.4	3.3	2.6	2.1	3.0	2.6	2.1	3.4	2.8
Nursing		5.5	28.4	20.3	1.1	9.1	5.7	1.1	9.6	5.9
Pharmacy		4.1	2.3	2.9	1.4	1.5	1.4	0.9	1.2	1.0
Therapy (occupational, physical, speech)		2.3	4.3	3.6	1.4	2.9	2.3	1.3	2.8	2.2
Other Professional		1.8	0.8	1.1	0.6	0.9	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.8
Social Science										
Anthropology		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3
Economics		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.1	0.2
Ethnic Studies		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Geography		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
Political Science (gov't., international relations)		2.3	1.0	1.5	2.3	1.2	1.7	3.2	2.0	2.5
Psychology		0.9	4.5	3.3	2.6	6.7	5.0	2.8	7.0	5.2
Social Work		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	1.5	1.0	0.3	1.7	1.1
Sociology		2.3	3.0	2.8	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.8	0.6
Women's Studies		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Social Science		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3
Technical										
Building Trades		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Data Processing or Computer Programming		0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.1	0.5	1.3	0.1	0.6
Drafting or Design		0.5	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
Electronics		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.1
Mechanics		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
Other Technical		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2
Other Fields										
Agriculture		0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	1.0	1.6	1.1	0.5	0.8
Communications		2.3	4.0	3.4	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.6	2.4
Computer Science		2.8	0.5	1.3	2.6	0.3	1.2	2.8	0.4	1.4
Forestry		0.5	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
Kinesiology		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Law Enforcement		0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	1.2	2.4	3.2	1.1	2.0
Military Science		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.5	0.0	0.2
Other Field		0.9	1.3	1.1	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.4
Undecided		7.4	4.8	5.7	7.6	8.0	7.8	7.4	8.3	8.0

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HOW MUCH OF YOUR FIRST YEAR'S EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES (ROOM, BOARD, TUITION AND FEES) DO YOU EXPECT TO COVER FROM:										
Parents, other relatives or friends	653									
None		21.9	26.4	24.8	23.1	20.3	21.5	24.3	20.2	22.0
Less than \$1,000		16.7	17.9	17.5	11.1	12.8	12.1	10.5	13.0	11.9
\$1,000 to \$2,999		20.2	24.8	23.1	14.3	14.9	14.6	14.8	14.9	14.9
\$3,000 to \$5,999		16.3	15.2	15.6	15.2	15.2	15.2	14.6	14.8	14.7
\$6,000 to \$9,999		10.3	7.1	8.3	12.8	12.7	12.7	11.5	12.2	11.9
Over \$10,000		14.6	8.6	10.7	23.5	24.1	23.8	24.2	24.9	24.6
Spouse	653									
None		97.9	99.0	98.6	98.1	98.9	98.5	98.2	98.9	98.6
Less than \$1,000		1.3	0.5	0.8	0.8	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7
\$1,000 to \$2,999		0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.4
\$3,000 to \$5,999		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Over \$10,000		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Savings from summer work	653									
None		65.7	70.5	68.8	49.2	48.8	48.9	52.9	49.7	51.1
Less than \$1,000		24.9	23.8	24.2	26.3	31.9	29.5	24.0	31.3	28.1
\$1,000 to \$2,999		6.9	5.5	6.0	19.0	15.9	17.2	17.6	15.5	16.5
\$3,000 to \$5,999		0.9	0.2	0.5	4.4	2.8	3.5	4.4	2.8	3.5
\$6,000 to \$9,999		1.3	0.0	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.4	0.6
Over \$10,000		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
Other savings	653									
None		70.8	71.0	70.9	61.5	57.3	59.1	63.7	58.8	61.0
Less than \$1,000		18.5	18.1	18.2	21.7	25.1	23.6	20.5	24.6	22.8
\$1,000 to \$2,999		6.0	8.8	7.8	10.7	11.5	11.2	10.0	10.8	10.4
\$3,000 to \$5,999		2.6	1.9	2.1	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.2	3.5	3.4
\$6,000 to \$9,999		1.3	0.0	0.5	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.1
Over \$10,000		0.9	0.2	0.5	1.6	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.1	1.3
Part-time job on campus	653									
None		87.1	80.7	83.0	75.0	69.4	71.9	78.1	72.0	74.7
Less than \$1,000		7.7	12.4	10.7	15.3	19.5	17.6	13.3	17.7	15.8
\$1,000 to \$2,999		3.9	6.7	5.7	7.9	9.4	8.7	7.2	8.8	8.1
\$3,000 to \$5,999		0.9	0.2	0.5	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.1	1.3	1.2
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
Over \$10,000		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Part-time job off campus	653									
None		75.1	74.8	74.9	68.8	65.8	67.1	72.0	67.1	69.3
Less than \$1,000		16.3	20.5	19.0	17.4	21.2	19.5	15.5	20.0	18.0
\$1,000 to \$2,999		6.0	4.8	5.2	10.0	10.4	10.2	9.1	10.1	9.7
\$3,000 to \$5,999		0.4	0.0	0.2	2.9	2.1	2.5	2.6	2.3	2.4
\$6,000 to \$9,999		1.7	0.0	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4
Over \$10,000		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
Full-time job while in college	653									
None		92.7	96.7	95.3	92.9	92.7	92.8	93.8	93.2	93.5
Less than \$1,000		3.4	2.1	2.6	2.5	2.8	2.7	2.0	2.5	2.3
\$1,000 to \$2,999		2.1	1.2	1.5	2.4	2.6	2.5	1.9	2.3	2.1
\$3,000 to \$5,999		0.9	0.0	0.3	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.1
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4
Over \$10,000		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.4	0.5

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HOW MUCH OF YOUR FIRST YEAR'S EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES DO YOU EXPECT TO COVER FROM:										
Pell Grant	653									
None		84.5	73.8	77.6	84.9	83.3	84.0	84.9	81.8	83.2
Less than \$1,000		4.7	4.5	4.6	3.5	4.5	4.1	3.5	4.4	4.0
\$1,000 to \$2,999		8.2	14.3	12.1	7.5	8.1	7.8	7.2	8.7	8.0
\$3,000 to \$5,999		2.1	7.4	5.5	3.1	3.5	3.4	3.6	4.4	4.0
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5
Over \$10,000		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant	653									
None		94.0	95.2	94.8	93.7	93.9	93.8	94.0	93.6	93.8
Less than \$1,000		3.4	2.4	2.8	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.5
\$1,000 to \$2,999		1.7	1.9	1.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.8	2.6
\$3,000 to \$5,999		0.9	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Over \$10,000		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2
State Scholarship or Grant: Merit-based	653									
None		54.9	41.0	45.9	80.7	77.7	79.0	80.5	76.8	78.4
Less than \$1,000		3.4	4.3	4.0	6.0	7.6	6.9	5.1	6.5	5.9
\$1,000 to \$2,999		14.2	16.9	15.9	8.6	9.5	9.1	9.1	10.6	9.9
\$3,000 to \$5,999		23.6	34.5	30.6	3.2	3.9	3.6	3.6	4.3	4.0
\$6,000 to \$9,999		3.0	2.1	2.5	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.9	1.0	1.0
Over \$10,000		0.9	1.2	1.1	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.9
State Scholarship or Grant: Need-based	653									
None		89.7	85.7	87.1	90.8	88.8	89.7	91.2	88.7	89.8
Less than \$1,000		3.4	4.0	3.8	3.4	4.2	3.9	3.2	4.1	3.7
\$1,000 to \$2,999		3.9	7.4	6.1	3.7	4.8	4.3	3.5	4.8	4.2
\$3,000 to \$5,999		2.6	2.9	2.8	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
Over \$10,000		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
College Work-Study Grant	653									
None		94.8	89.0	91.1	91.7	88.9	90.1	92.8	89.7	91.1
Less than \$1,000		2.1	4.5	3.7	3.8	5.4	4.7	3.1	4.6	4.0
\$1,000 to \$2,999		2.6	5.5	4.4	3.6	4.7	4.2	3.2	4.7	4.0
\$3,000 to \$5,999		0.4	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.6	0.8	0.7
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Over \$10,000		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
College Grant/Scholarship (other than above)	653									
None		80.7	72.1	75.2	80.5	76.5	78.2	80.8	76.2	78.3
Less than \$1,000		4.3	7.9	6.6	5.5	7.0	6.4	4.8	6.7	5.9
\$1,000 to \$2,999		6.0	8.8	7.8	7.6	8.9	8.3	6.8	8.5	7.7
\$3,000 to \$5,999		5.6	7.9	7.0	3.4	4.4	4.0	3.9	4.7	4.3
\$6,000 to \$9,999		1.7	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.7
Over \$10,000		1.7	2.1	2.0	1.6	1.8	1.7	2.1	2.2	2.2
Other private grant	653									
None		91.8	93.3	92.8	91.4	91.4	91.4	92.3	91.4	91.8
Less than \$1,000		3.4	2.4	2.8	4.1	4.3	4.2	3.6	4.2	3.9
\$1,000 to \$2,999		3.9	3.6	3.7	3.1	3.1	3.1	2.7	3.1	2.9
\$3,000 to \$5,999		0.0	0.5	0.3	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.9	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3
Over \$10,000		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3

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HOW MUCH OF YOUR FIRST YEAR'S EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES DO YOU EXPECT TO COVER FROM:										
GI military benefits	653									
None		97.4	98.8	98.3	97.9	98.8	98.4	97.6	98.6	98.2
Less than \$1,000		0.0	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5
\$1,000 to \$2,999		0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4
\$3,000 to \$5,999		0.9	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.3
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.9	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2
Over \$10,000		0.4	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.4
ROTC	653									
None		99.1	99.8	99.5	98.5	99.3	99.0	98.5	99.3	98.9
Less than \$1,000		0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
\$1,000 to \$2,999		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3
\$3,000 to \$5,999		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Over \$10,000		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.3
Other Government Aid	653									
None		96.6	95.5	95.9	94.0	93.2	93.5	91.3	92.5	92.0
Less than \$1,000		0.9	1.4	1.2	1.9	2.2	2.1	1.9	2.3	2.1
\$1,000 to \$2,999		0.9	1.4	1.2	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.5	2.4
\$3,000 to \$5,999		1.7	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.2	0.9	1.2	1.1
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.0	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5
Over \$10,000		0.0	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	3.2	1.0	1.9
Stafford Loan (GSL)	653									
None		70.0	60.0	63.6	77.9	75.4	76.5	79.9	76.9	78.2
Less than \$1,000		3.4	5.2	4.6	3.3	4.2	3.8	3.0	3.6	3.4
\$1,000 to \$2,999		15.9	22.6	20.2	11.2	12.9	12.2	10.0	12.1	11.2
\$3,000 to \$5,999		6.9	8.1	7.7	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.0	4.3	4.2
\$6,000 to \$9,999		2.6	2.6	2.6	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7
Over \$10,000		1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4
Perkins Loan	653									
None		97.0	97.9	97.5	92.3	92.2	92.3	93.2	93.1	93.2
Less than \$1,000		1.3	1.0	1.1	2.2	2.6	2.4	1.9	2.1	2.0
\$1,000 to \$2,999		1.3	0.7	0.9	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.3	3.4	3.3
\$3,000 to \$5,999		0.4	0.2	0.3	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.1	0.9	1.0
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3
Over \$10,000		0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
Other College Loan	653									
None		91.8	93.1	92.6	85.1	83.7	84.3	86.4	83.8	84.9
Less than \$1,000		1.3	1.9	1.7	2.9	3.1	3.0	2.4	2.7	2.6
\$1,000 to \$2,999		3.0	2.4	2.6	4.6	5.4	5.0	4.3	5.4	4.9
\$3,000 to \$5,999		1.3	1.7	1.5	2.9	3.8	3.4	2.6	3.5	3.1
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.9	0.2	0.5	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	2.0	1.9
Over \$10,000		1.7	0.7	1.1	2.7	2.2	2.4	2.7	2.7	2.7
Other Loan	653									
None		94.4	94.8	94.6	90.4	88.3	89.2	91.0	88.6	89.7
Less than \$1,000		0.9	1.7	1.4	2.1	2.6	2.4	1.8	2.2	2.0
\$1,000 to \$2,999		2.1	1.4	1.7	2.8	3.3	3.1	2.7	3.3	3.0
\$3,000 to \$5,999		1.3	1.0	1.1	2.0	2.2	2.1	1.9	2.3	2.1
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.9	0.5	0.6	1.1	1.7	1.4	1.0	1.5	1.3
Over \$10,000		0.4	0.7	0.6	1.5	1.9	1.7	1.6	2.0	1.8

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		Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
HOW MUCH OF YOUR FIRST YEAR'S EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES DO YOU EXPECT TO COVER FROM:										
Other Than Above	653									
None		95.7	93.8	94.5	94.5	93.6	94.0	93.0	93.2	93.1
Less than \$1,000		0.9	1.7	1.4	1.9	2.4	2.2	1.7	2.3	2.0
\$1,000 to \$2,999		3.0	2.6	2.8	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.5	1.8	1.7
\$3,000 to \$5,999		0.0	1.9	1.2	0.6	1.1	0.9	0.7	1.1	0.9
\$6,000 to \$9,999		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Over \$10,000		0.4	0.0	0.2	0.7	0.7	0.7	2.7	1.2	1.9
Do you have any concern about your ability to finance your college education?	643									
None (I am confident that I will have sufficient funds)		50.0	32.3	38.6	39.3	28.2	33.0	44.0	29.9	36.1
Some (but I probably will have enough funds)		42.1	53.0	49.1	51.5	57.3	54.8	47.2	56.0	52.1
Major (not sure I will have enough funds to complete college)		7.9	14.7	12.3	9.1	14.6	12.2	8.9	14.1	11.8
Student estimates chances are "very good" that he/she will:										
Change major field	624	16.6	12.7	14.1	12.8	14.1	13.6	12.6	14.3	13.5
Change career choice	627	12.6	10.1	11.0	10.4	12.6	11.7	10.5	13.2	12.0
Participate in student government	621	8.5	13.8	11.9	5.0	7.4	6.4	5.3	8.0	6.8
Get a job to help pay for college expenses	623	23.9	36.7	32.1	40.3	55.4	48.9	37.9	53.0	46.4
Work full-time while attending college	618	6.4	6.0	6.1	7.0	9.0	8.1	7.1	8.6	7.9
Join a social fraternity or sorority	623	10.8	24.7	19.7	8.6	12.1	10.6	7.7	12.8	10.6
Play varsity/intercollegiate athletics	618	18.5	11.1	13.8	22.0	11.5	16.1	22.3	13.2	17.2
Make at least a "B" average	622	47.3	56.5	53.2	50.6	56.3	53.8	52.8	58.6	56.1
Need extra time to complete your degree requirements	619	9.5	13.5	12.1	7.3	9.1	8.3	6.8	8.4	7.7
Participate in student protests or demonstrations	620	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.7	4.6	4.4	5.1	4.8
Transfer to another college before graduating	621	24.4	14.0	17.7	10.7	10.0	10.3	10.2	10.1	10.1
Be satisfied with your college	621	37.1	49.0	44.8	39.0	49.7	45.1	42.9	51.0	47.4
Participate in volunteer or community service work	613	7.3	20.3	15.7	10.0	21.7	16.7	12.6	26.2	20.2
Seek personal counseling	621	6.3	7.0	6.8	4.5	7.5	6.2	5.8	8.4	7.3
Communicate regularly with your professors	615	28.0	34.0	31.9	20.8	28.8	25.4	25.2	33.1	29.6
Socialize with someone of another racial/ethnic group	620	50.0	61.0	57.1	51.4	62.3	57.6	54.0	64.0	59.6
Participate in student clubs/groups	620	20.5	42.3	34.5	24.6	41.2	34.1	29.6	43.9	37.6
Participate in a study abroad program	621	9.9	18.5	15.5	10.8	21.7	17.0	13.4	26.4	20.7

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Objectives considered to be "essential" or "very important"										
Becoming accomplished in one of the performing arts (acting, dancing, etc.)	629	18.1	17.4	17.6	14.9	15.3	15.1	14.3	15.5	15.0
Becoming an authority in my field	625	57.0	52.5	54.1	56.2	52.6	54.1	59.0	54.9	56.7
Obtaining recognition from my colleagues for contributions to my special field	626	52.5	54.1	53.5	51.1	51.9	51.6	52.6	52.8	52.7
Influencing the political structure	624	25.3	19.6	21.6	23.0	16.8	19.5	25.3	18.9	21.7
Influencing social values	626	35.3	47.7	43.3	36.9	42.6	40.1	38.5	43.9	41.5
Raising a family	629	67.3	75.4	72.5	73.6	77.7	75.9	74.5	76.9	75.9
Having administrative responsibility for the work of others	624	42.3	42.3	42.3	40.9	39.6	40.2	43.3	40.6	41.8
Being very well off financially	628	74.0	80.0	77.9	76.2	76.7	76.4	75.9	76.3	76.2
Helping others who are in difficulty	623	52.5	71.4	64.7	55.1	70.3	63.7	56.4	71.6	65.0
Making a theoretical contribution to science	623	21.2	17.7	18.9	18.6	13.8	15.9	19.5	15.5	17.3
Writing original works (poems, novels, short stories, etc.)	623	16.7	13.7	14.8	16.3	14.6	15.3	15.7	15.1	15.4
Creating artistic work (painting, sculpture, decorating, etc.)	626	19.7	14.6	16.5	15.1	17.9	16.7	14.2	16.8	15.7
Becoming successful in a business of my own	621	48.6	40.1	43.2	45.0	36.1	39.9	45.6	37.5	41.1
Becoming involved in programs to clean up the environment	624	24.1	22.0	22.8	19.3	19.5	19.4	19.6	21.2	20.5
Developing a meaningful philosophy of life	624	33.9	41.2	38.6	39.9	40.9	40.4	43.1	42.6	42.8
Participating in a community action program	621	20.0	31.4	27.4	19.2	24.4	22.2	20.4	26.7	23.9
Helping to promote racial understanding	622	27.7	33.3	31.4	29.1	31.6	30.5	29.6	33.5	31.8
Keeping up to date with political affairs	618	34.7	25.6	28.8	34.0	26.3	29.6	37.6	29.5	33.1
Becoming a community leader	621	32.7	33.7	33.3	31.7	29.3	30.3	34.4	31.8	32.9
Improving my understanding of other countries and cultures	616	29.5	31.6	30.8	36.4	41.2	39.2	40.3	45.1	43.0
Participating in an organization like the Peace Corps or AmeriCorps/VISTA	567	9.3	9.1	9.2	7.2	9.7	8.7	7.9	11.1	9.7
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?	571									
Yes		53.1	55.3	54.5	60.4	64.4	62.7	65.8	69.2	67.7
No		46.9	44.7	45.5	39.6	35.6	37.3	34.2	30.8	32.3

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Student agrees "strongly" or "somewhat"										
There is too much concern in the courts for the rights of criminals	633	65.5	60.9	62.6	62.7	56.5	59.2	62.6	56.1	59.0
Abortion should be legal	642	40.2	35.1	36.9	55.7	52.4	53.8	54.8	53.5	54.1
The death penalty should be abolished	641	17.9	23.5	21.5	26.1	31.2	29.0	26.9	33.7	30.7
Marijuana should be legalized	642	37.1	29.3	32.1	41.9	31.6	36.1	41.0	32.3	36.2
It is important to have laws prohibiting homosexual relationships	642	56.3	37.3	44.1	36.1	19.1	26.5	37.4	19.7	27.5
Racial discrimination is no longer a major problem in America	641	33.2	27.2	29.3	25.5	17.0	20.7	25.3	16.5	20.4
Realistically, an individual can do little to bring about changes in our society	635	36.4	31.5	33.2	34.4	25.4	29.3	33.0	25.7	28.9
Wealthy people should pay a larger share of taxes than they do now	636	56.0	51.6	53.1	61.4	59.7	60.4	59.2	58.7	59.0
Same-sex couples should have the right to legal marital status	637	29.6	41.1	37.0	50.1	68.3	60.4	48.7	67.3	59.1
Affirmative action in college admissions should be abolished	613	45.9	31.9	36.9	49.2	38.1	43.0	51.4	39.6	44.9
Federal military spending should be increased	624	52.9	43.9	47.1	37.9	33.2	35.3	40.0	33.2	36.2
The federal government should do more to control the sale of handguns	633	56.8	78.1	70.5	62.3	79.4	72.0	62.4	79.9	72.2
Only volunteers should serve in the armed forces	632	58.2	53.6	55.2	61.0	61.5	61.3	61.6	62.3	62.0
The federal government is not doing enough to control environmental pollution	626	65.2	69.6	68.1	72.7	78.5	76.0	72.7	79.3	76.4
A national health care plan is needed to cover everybody's medical costs	627	66.2	76.8	73.0	71.4	78.7	75.5	69.6	77.7	74.1
Undocumented immigrants should be denied access to public education	629	63.2	46.3	52.3	56.7	44.1	49.6	56.9	44.1	49.8
Through hard work, everybody can succeed in American society	635	82.1	82.5	82.4	79.7	81.0	80.4	79.9	80.3	80.1
Dissent is a critical component of the political process	593	59.7	50.1	53.6	60.5	53.7	56.7	62.0	55.2	58.3
Colleges have the right to ban extreme speakers from campus	625	46.2	48.3	47.5	42.4	37.7	39.8	44.7	38.1	41.0
The chief benefit of a college education is that it increases one's earning power	622	74.7	69.8	71.5	74.3	68.5	71.0	73.5	68.2	70.5
The federal government should raise taxes to reduce the deficit	622	21.8	16.1	18.2	27.0	20.8	23.5	27.7	20.5	23.7
How would you characterize your political views?	588									
Far left		2.8	2.7	2.7	3.2	2.3	2.7	3.1	2.2	2.6
Liberal		13.1	12.0	12.4	21.4	27.4	24.8	20.6	28.2	24.8
Middle-of-the-road		42.5	42.0	42.2	49.0	48.1	48.5	46.3	47.0	46.7
Conservative		32.7	39.6	37.1	24.0	20.8	22.2	27.3	21.2	23.9
Far right		8.9	3.7	5.6	2.3	1.3	1.8	2.7	1.3	1.9