

**Community College Survey of Student Engagement - 2021 Cohort
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Item 4: In your experiences at this college during the current academic year, about how often have you done each of the following?					
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4a. Asked questions in class or contributed to class discussions [ACTCOLL]	CLQUEST	109,038	2.90	72,028	2.98
4b. Made a class presentation [ACTCOLL]	CLPRESEN	108,837	1.99	71,935	2.16
4c. Prepared two or more drafts of a paper or assignment before turning it in [STUEFF]	REWROPAP	108,628	2.50	71,806	2.46
4d. Worked on a paper or project that required integrating ideas or information from various sources [STUEFF]	INTEGRAT	108,748	2.83	71,880	2.91
4e. Come to class without completing readings or assignments [STUEFF]	CLUNPREP	108,627	1.71	71,798	1.74
4f. Worked with other students on projects during class [ACTCOLL]	CLASSGRP	108,372	2.24	71,694	2.37
4g. Worked with classmates outside of class to prepare class assignments [ACTCOLL]	OCCGRP	108,523	1.75	71,691	1.95
4h. Tutored or taught other students (paid or voluntary) [ACTCOLL]	TUTOR	108,569	1.28	71,710	1.40
4i. Participated in a community-based project (service-learning activity) as part of a regular course [ACTCOLL]	PARTICCBP	108,643	1.28	71,815	1.39
4j. Used e-mail to communicate with an instructor [STUFAC]	EMAIL	108,555	3.09	71,779	3.24
4k. Discussed grades or assignments with an instructor [STUFAC]	FACGRADE	108,681	2.58	71,880	2.70
4l. Talked about career plans with an instructor or advisor [STUFAC]	FACPLANS	108,515	2.15	71,728	2.26
4m. Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with instructors outside of class [STUFAC]	FACIDEAS	108,293	1.74	71,588	1.83
4n. Received prompt feedback (written or oral) from instructors on your performance [STUFAC]	FACFEED	108,514	2.86	71,767	2.92
4o. Worked harder than you thought you could to meet an instructor's standards or expectations [ACCHALL]	WORKHARD	108,685	2.66	71,807	2.73

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4p. Worked with instructors on activities other than coursework [STUFAC]	FACOTH	108,069	1.44	71,511	1.52
4q. Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with others outside of class (students, family members, co-workers, etc.) [ACTCOLL]	OOCIDEAS	108,656	2.46	71,844	2.55
4r. Had serious conversations with students who differ from you	CONVSTUDDIFF	108,729	1.80	71,853	1.94
4s. Skipped class	SKIPCLAS	108,778	1.37	71,884	1.37
Item 5: During the current academic year, how much has your coursework at this college emphasized the following mental activities?					
1 = Very little, 2 = Some, 3 = Quite a bit, 4 = Very much					
5a. Memorizing facts, ideas, or methods from your courses and readings so you can repeat them in pretty much the same form	MEMORIZE	108,994	2.79	71,979	2.85
5b. Analyzing the basic elements of an idea, experience, or theory [ACCHALL]	ANALYZE	108,786	2.94	71,857	3.05
5c. Forming a new idea or understanding from various pieces of information [ACCHALL]	NEWIDEAS	108,497	2.92	71,727	3.00
5d. Making judgements about the value or soundness of information, arguments, or methods [ACCHALL]	EVALUATE	108,684	2.68	71,809	2.78
5e. Applying theories or concepts to practical problems or in new situations [ACCHALL]	APPLYING	108,762	2.79	71,858	2.94
5f. Using information you have read or heard to perform a new skill [ACCHALL]	PERFORM	108,942	2.90	71,967	3.01
Item 6: During the current academic year, how much reading and writing have you done at this college?					
0 = None, 1 = 1-4, 2 = 5-10, 3 = 11-20, 4 = More than 20					
6a. Number of assigned textbooks, manuals, books, or packets of course readings [ACCHALL]	ASSIGREAD	108,452	1.85	71,741	1.99
6b. Number of books read on your own (not assigned) for personal enjoyment or academic enrichment [STUEFF]	BKREADOWN	108,604	0.96	71,800	1.01

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6c. Number of written papers or reports of any length [ACCHALL]	NUMPAPRRPTS	108,599	1.75	71,814	1.85
Item 7					
1 = Extremely easy, 2 = (2), 3 = (3), 4 = (4), 5 = (5), 6 = (6), 7 = Extremely challenging					
7. Mark the response that best represents the extent to which your examinations during the current academic year have challenged you to do your best work at this college [ACCHALL]	CHALNGXAM	106,408	5.18	70,526	5.35
Item 9: How much does this college emphasize the following?					
1 = Very little , 2 = Some , 3 = Quite a bit , 4 = Very much					
9a. Encouraging you to spend significant amounts of time studying [ACCHALL]	ENVSCHOL	108,726	3.03	71,892	3.14
9b. Providing the support you need to help you succeed at this college [SUPPORT]	ENVSUPRT	108,607	3.10	71,839	3.14
9c. Encouraging contact among students from different economic, social, and racial or ethnic backgrounds [SUPPORT]	ENVDIVRS	108,429	2.66	71,719	2.75
9d. Helping you cope with your non-academic responsibilities (work, family, etc.) [SUPPORT]	ENVNACAD	108,426	2.16	71,711	2.21
9e. Providing the support you need to thrive socially [SUPPORT]	ENVSOCAL	108,380	2.32	71,700	2.35
9f. Providing the financial support you need to afford your education [SUPPORT]	FINSUPP	108,431	2.64	71,705	2.70
Item 10: About how many hours do you spend in a typical 7-day week doing each of the following?					
0 = None , 1 = 1-5 , 2 = 6-10 , 3 = 11-20 , 4 = 21-30 , 5 = More than 30					
10a. Preparing for class (studying, reading, writing, rehearsing, doing homework, etc.) [STUEFF]	ACADPR01	108,730	2.12	71,867	2.33
10b. Working for pay	PAYWORK	108,411	2.77	71,709	2.88

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10c. Participating in college-sponsored activities (organizations, campus publications, student government, intramural sports, etc.)	PARTICXCUR	108,499	0.27	71,746	0.33
10d. Providing care for dependents living with you (parents, children, spouse, etc.)	CAREDE01	108,282	1.71	71,599	1.84
10e. Commuting to and from classes	COMMUTE	108,508	0.87	71,744	0.93
Item 11: How much has your experience at this college contributed to your knowledge, skills, and personal development in the following areas?					
1 = Very little , 2 = Some , 3 = Quite a bit , 4 = Very much					
11a. Acquiring job- or work-related knowledge and skills	GNWORK	108,430	2.47	71,717	2.75
11b. Writing clearly and effectively	GNWRITE	108,582	2.73	71,787	2.94
11c. Speaking clearly and effectively	GNSPEAK	108,492	2.63	71,751	2.87
11d. Thinking critically and analytically	GNANALY	108,485	2.98	71,761	3.17
11e. Solving numerical problems	GNSOLVE	108,470	2.55	71,758	2.83
11f. Working effectively with others	GNOTHERS	108,452	2.69	71,733	2.92
11g. Learning effectively on your own	GNINQ	108,465	3.06	71,763	3.18
11h. Developing clearer career goals	GNCARGOAL	108,458	2.75	71,712	2.90
11i. Gaining information about career opportunities	GNGAINCAR	108,520	2.60	71,775	2.75

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Item 12.1: How often have you used the following services during the current academic year?					
0 = Never , 1 = 1 time , 2 = 2-4 times , 3 = 5 or more times					
12.1a. Academic advising/planning [SUPPORT]	FREQACAD	107,872	1.51	71,367	1.66
12.1b. Career counseling [SUPPORT]	FREQCACOU	107,597	0.58	71,208	0.65
12.1c. Job placement assistance	FREQJOBPL	107,251	0.17	71,048	0.19
12.1d. Peer or other tutoring [STUEFF]	FREQTUTOR	107,209	0.61	71,012	0.77
12.1e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.) [STUEFF]	FREQLAB	107,168	0.70	70,945	0.81
12.1f. Child care	FREQCHLD	107,102	0.10	70,919	0.08
12.1g. Financial aid advising	FREQFAADV	107,297	1.03	71,052	1.09
12.1h. Computer lab [STUEFF]	FREQCOMLB	107,196	0.79	71,028	1.06
12.1i. Student organizations	FREQSTORG	107,009	0.32	70,861	0.47
12.1j. Transfer advising/planning	FREQTRADV	106,636	0.53	70,750	0.72
12.1k. Library resources and services	FREQLIB	107,104	1.19	70,988	1.44
12.1l. Services for students with disabilities	FREQDISABSVC	107,396	0.19	71,161	0.21
12.1m. Services for active military and veterans	FREQMILSVCS	107,370	0.12	71,130	0.12
Item 12.2: How satisfied are you with the services?					
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12.2a. Academic advising/planning	SATACAD	88,789	1.50	60,698	1.50

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12.2b. Career counseling	SATCACOU	41,753	1.38	28,870	1.39
12.2c. Job placement assistance	SATJOBPL	16,797	1.10	11,970	1.17
12.2d. Peer or other tutoring	SATTUTOR	38,318	1.42	28,972	1.49
12.2e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.)	SATLAB	40,045	1.44	28,774	1.50
12.2f. Child care	SATCHLD	9,600	1.00	5,469	1.06
12.2g. Financial aid advising	SATFAADV	64,141	1.47	42,690	1.48
12.2h. Computer lab	SATCOMLB	42,175	1.54	34,742	1.63
12.2i. Student organizations	SATSTORG	24,545	1.30	20,549	1.40
12.2j. Transfer advising/planning	SATTRADV	39,710	1.38	31,895	1.43
12.2k. Library resources and services	SATLIB	65,247	1.62	47,641	1.67
12.2l. Services for students with disabilities	SATDISABVCS	14,367	1.32	9,377	1.41
12.2m. Services for active military and veterans	SATMILSVCS	11,826	1.17	7,033	1.27
Item 12.3: How important are the services to you at this college?					
1 = Not at all , 2 = Somewhat , 3 = Very					
12.3a. Academic advising/planning	IMPACAD	106,108	2.66	70,579	2.71
12.3b. Career counseling	IMPCACOU	105,019	2.39	69,954	2.41
12.3c. Job placement assistance	IMPJOBPL	104,334	2.16	69,600	2.21

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12.3d. Peer or other tutoring	IMPTUTOR	104,438	2.21	69,728	2.28
12.3e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.)	IMPLAB	104,301	2.20	69,570	2.25
12.3f. Child care	IMPCHLD	103,745	1.74	69,285	1.77
12.3g. Financial aid advising	IMPFAADV	104,653	2.49	69,741	2.52
12.3h. Computer lab	IMPCOMLB	104,514	2.14	69,719	2.29
12.3i. Student organizations	IMPSTORG	103,810	1.91	69,341	1.97
12.3j. Transfer advising/planning	IMPTRADV	103,745	2.27	69,320	2.38
12.3k. Library resources and services	IMPLIB	104,714	2.41	69,866	2.50
12.3l. Services for students with disabilities	IMPDISABSVC	104,338	2.01	69,617	2.07
12.3m. Services for active military and veterans	IMPMLSVCS	104,331	1.89	69,573	1.95
Item 22					
0 = Never , 1 = Less than 1 time a week , 2 = 1–2 times a week , 3 = 3–4 times a week , 4 = More than 4 times a week					
22. During the current academic year at this college, I have participated in supplemental instruction/supplemental learning (extra class sessions with the instructor or an experienced student).	PARTICSI	108,919	0.35	71,924	0.41
Item 23: How likely is it that the following issues would cause you to withdraw from class or from this college?					
1 = Not likely , 2 = Somewhat likely , 3 = Likely , 4 = Very likely					
23a. Working full-time	WRKFULL	108,553	2.23	71,717	2.25

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23b. Caring for dependents	CAREDEP	108,272	1.91	71,577	1.98
23c. Academically unprepared	ACADUNP	107,917	1.77	71,383	1.77
23d. Lack of finances	LACKFIN	108,231	2.41	71,587	2.50
23e. Transfer to a 4-year college or university	TRANSFER	108,312	2.13	71,581	2.18
Item 24					
1 = Not very , 2 = Somewhat , 3 = Quite a bit , 4 = Extremely					
24. How supportive are your friends of your attending this college?	FRNDSUPP	108,814	3.33	71,872	3.38
Item 25					
1 = Not very , 2 = Somewhat , 3 = Quite a bit , 4 = Extremely					
25. How supportive is your immediate family of your attending this college?	FAMSUPP	106,420	3.54	70,116	3.58
Item 29					
1 = D or lower , 2 = C , 3 = B , 4 = A					
29. At this college, in what range is your overall college grade point average (GPA)?	COLGPA	101,856	3.13	71,517	3.23
Item 30					
1 = D or lower , 2 = C , 3 = B , 4 = A					
30. In what range was your overall high school grade point average (GPA)?	HSGPA	96,625	3.03	64,655	3.08

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Item 32: During the current academic term, how many classes are you taking...					
0 = None , 1 = 1 , 2 = 2 , 3 = 3 , 4 = 4 , 5 = 5 or more					
32a. Face-to-face (a class in which all instruction is face-to-face in a classroom)	NUMCLF2F	106,525	1.47	70,383	1.41
32b. Online (a class in which all instruction is online)	NUMCLOL	105,394	1.49	69,841	1.60
32c. Hybrid (a class that is a mixture of face-to-face and online instruction)	NUMCLHYB	102,878	0.45	68,093	0.49
Item 33					
0 = None , 1 = 1–14 credits , 2 = 15–29 credits , 3 = 30–44 credits , 4 = 45–60 credits , 5 = Over 60 credits					
33. How many total credit hours have you earned at this college, not counting the courses you are currently taking this academic term?	TOTCREARND	109,196	1.21	72,130	3.89
Item 34					
1 = This is my first academic term , 2 = This is my second academic term , 3 = This is my third or fourth academic term , 4 = This is my fifth or sixth academic term , 5 = I have been enrolled more than six academic terms					
34. How many total academic terms have you been enrolled at this college?	TOTTERMS	108,335	2.14	71,615	3.61
Item 36					
1 = Poor , 2 = Fair , 3 = Good , 4 = Excellent					
36. How would you evaluate your overall educational experience at this college?	OVRALLEXP	108,874	3.24	71,878	3.32

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