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ltem	Variable	Responses	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Item 1								
Did you begin college at this college or	ENTER	Started here	242	75.8	5,295	75.9	140,170	70.8
elsewhere?		Started elsewhere	77	24.2	1,682	24.1	57,697	29.2
		Total	319	100.0	6,978	100.0	197,867	100.0
Item 4: In your experiences at this college	during the current ac	ademic year, about how often have you done	each of the	following?				
4a. Asked questions in class or	CLQUEST	Never	10	3.2	180	2.6	8,355	4.2
contributed to class discussions [ACTCOLL]		Sometimes	101	31.5	2,086	29.9	61,569	31.1
		Often	99	31.0	2,350	33.7	64,722	32.7
		Very often	109	34.2	2,352	33.8	63,197	31.9
		Total	319	100.0	6,968	100.0	197,843	100.0
4b. Made a class presentation [ACTCOLL]	CLPRESEN	Never	143	44.8	1,894	27.2	65,773	33.3
[AOTOOLL]		Sometimes	103	32.4	2,702	38.8	74,311	37.6
		Often	42	13.1	1,534	22.1	38,607	19.6
		Very often	31	9.6	825	11.9	18,779	9.5
		Total	319	100.0	6,955	100.0	197,470	100.0
4c. Prepared two or more drafts of a paper or assignment before turning it in	REWROPAP	Never	85	26.8	1,175	16.9	41,853	21.2
[STUEFF]		Sometimes	96	30.2	1,914	27.5	58,482	29.7
		Often	71	22.3	2,132	30.7	55,945	28.4
		Very often	66	20.7	1,728	24.9	40,761	20.7
		Total	318	100.0	6,948	100.0	197,041	100.0
4d. Worked on a paper or project that required integrating ideas or information	INTEGRAT	Never	35	11.1	505	7.3	19,849	10.1
from various sources [STUEFF]		Sometimes	70	22.0	1,575	22.7	48,212	24.4
		Often	101	31.5	2,469	35.5	69,421	35.2
		Very often	113	35.4	2,398	34.5	59,714	30.3
		Total	319	100.0	6,946	100.0	197,197	100.0
4e. Come to class without completing readings or assignments [STUEFF]	CLUNPREP	Never	193	60.8	3,354	48.5	87,944	44.7
		Sometimes	95	30.0	2,738	39.6	84,066	42.7
		Often	22	6.9	485	7.0	16,323	8.3
		Very often	7	2.3	340	4.9	8,626	4.4
Af Worked with other students are	CLASSCER	Total	318	100.0	6,917	100.0	196,959	100.0
4f. Worked with other students on projects during class [ACTCOLL]	CLASSGRP	Never Sometimes	148 98	46.6 30.7	1,511 2,646	21.8 38.2	50,237	25.6 35.0
		Often	98	13.8	1,770	25.6	68,773 49,502	25.2
		Very often	28	8.8	995	14.4	28,045	14.3
		Total	318	100.0	6,922	100.0	196,558	100.0
4g. Worked with classmates outside of	OCCGRP	Never	204	64.0	3,158	45.6	91,474	46.5
class to prepare class assignments [ACTCOLL]	JOOGIAF	Sometimes	81	25.3	2,332	33.7	62,911	32.0
g		Often	22	6.8	884	12.8	27,583	14.0
		Very often	13	4.0	556	8.0	14,784	7.5
		Total	319	100.0	6,928	100.0	196,752	100.0

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Item 4: In your experiences at this college	during the current ac	ademic year, about how often have you done	each of the	following?				
4h. Tutored or taught other students	TUTOR	Never	268	84.1	5,320	76.8	152,183	77.4
(paid or voluntary) [ACTCOLL]		Sometimes	34	10.7	1,017	14.7	30,111	15.3
		Often	11	3.5	330	4.8	8,855	4.5
		Very often	5	1.6	259	3.7	5,588	2.8
		Total	319	100.0	6,926	100.0	196,737	100.0
4i. Participated in a community-based project (service-learning activity) as part	PARTICCBP	Never	273	86.0	5,382	77.8	151,831	77.1
of a regular course [ACTCOLL]		Sometimes	30	9.5	989	14.3	30,247	15.4
		Often	8	2.6	333	4.8	9,515	4.8
		Very often	6	1.9	213	3.1	5,218	2.7
		Total	317	100.0	6,917	100.0	196,811	100.0
4j. Used e-mail to communicate with an	EMAIL	Never	9	2.8	146	2.1	6,324	3.2
instructor [STUFAC]		Sometimes	66	20.7	1,387	20.0	44,602	22.7
		Often	79	24.9	2,033	29.4	60,194	30.6
		Very often	164	51.6	3,359	48.5	85,670	43.5
		Total	318	100.0	6,924	100.0	196,790	100.0
4k. Discussed grades or assignments with	FACGRADE	Never	40	12.7	746	10.8	21,124	10.7
an instructor [STUFAC]		Sometimes	127	39.9	2,542	36.7	76,263	38.7
		Often	67	21.1	1,929	27.8	54,787	27.8
		Very often	84	26.3	1,716	24.7	44,808	22.7
		Total	319	100.0	6,932	100.0	196,982	100.0
4l. Talked about career plans with an instructor or advisor [STUFAC]	FACPLANS	Never	128	40.0	2,155	31.2	51,409	26.1
Instructor or advisor [STOFAC]		Sometimes	120	37.6	2,722	39.4	81,423	41.4
		Often	36	11.2	1,208	17.5	38,848	19.8
		Very often	36	11.2	823	11.9	24,963	12.7
		Total	319	100.0	6,909	100.0	196,643	100.0
4m. Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with instructors outside of class	FACIDEAS	Never	176	55.4	3,156	45.9	93,049	47.4
[STUFAC]		Sometimes	99	31.1	2,286	33.2	66,586	33.9
		Often	18	5.6	877	12.7	23,268	11.9
		Very often	25	7.9	563	8.2	13,326	6.8
		Total	318	100.0	6,883	100.0	196,229	100.0
4n. Received prompt feedback (written or	FACFEED	Never	32	9.9	438	6.3	11,917	6.1
oral) from instructors on your performance [STUFAC]		Sometimes	101	31.6	1,956	28.3	55,322	28.1
		Often	115	36.1	2,540	36.8	74,342	37.8
		Very often	71	22.4	1,977	28.6	55,060	28.0
		Total	318	100.0	6,910	100.0	196,640	100.0

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Item 4: In your experiences at this college	during the current aca	ademic year, about how often have you done	each of the	following?				
4o. Worked harder than you thought you	WORKHARD	Never	37	11.4	532	7.7	17,993	9.1
could to meet an instructor's standards or expectations [ACCHALL]		Sometimes	106	33.3	2,296	33.2	68,803	35.0
		Often	93	29.3	2,386	34.5	66,807	33.9
		Very often	83	26.0	1,700	24.6	43,188	21.9
		Total	319	100.0	6,913	100.0	196,791	100.0
4p. Worked with instructors on activities	FACOTH	Never	236	74.6	4,532	65.8	132,029	67.4
other than coursework [STUFAC]		Sometimes	58	18.2	1,447	21.0	41,497	21.2
		Often	8	2.4	560	8.1	14,562	7.4
		Very often	16	4.9	349	5.1	7,662	3.9
		Total	317	100.0	6,887	100.0	195,751	100.0
4q. Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with others outside of class	OOCIDEAS	Never	59	18.6	1,169	16.9	33,316	16.9
(students, family members, co-workers, etc.) [ACTCOLL]		Sometimes	107	33.7	2,715	39.2	73,304	37.2
etc.) [ACTOOLL]		Often	82	25.8	1,746	25.2	52,392	26.6
		Very often	69	21.8	1,292	18.7	37,781	19.2
		Total	318	100.0	6,922	100.0	196,793	100.0
4r. Had serious conversations with	CONVSTUDIFF	Never	160	50.1	3,045	44.1	86,280	43.8
students who differ from you		Sometimes	106	33.2	2,404	34.8	68,937	35.0
		Often	27	8.6	919	13.3	27,403	13.9
		Very often	26	8.1	534	7.7	14,246	7.2
		Total	318	100.0	6,902	100.0	196,866	100.0
4s. Skipped class	SKIPCLAS	Never	277	86.7	5,014	72.5	134,874	68.5
		Sometimes	37	11.4	1,674	24.2	53,935	27.4
		Often	4	1.4	147	2.1	5,739	2.9
		Very often	1	0.5	79	1.1	2,378	1.2
		Total	319	100.0	6,913	100.0	196,926	100.0
Item 5: During the current academic year,	how much has your o	coursework at this college emphasized the fo	ollowing mer	ntal activities	?			
5a. Memorizing facts, ideas, or methods	MEMORIZE	Very little	37	12.2	591	8.8	16,757	8.7
from your courses and readings so you can repeat them in pretty much the same		Some	76	24.8	1,886	27.9	54,958	28.4
form		Quite a bit	117	38.4	2,414	35.8	70,472	36.4
		Very much	75	24.6	1,859	27.5	51,512	26.6
		Total	304	100.0	6,750	100.0	193,700	100.0
5b. Analyzing the basic elements of an	ANALYZE	Very little	13	4.4	225	3.3	8,162	4.2
idea, experience, or theory [ACCHALL]		Some	74	24.2	1,427	21.2	45,833	23.7
		Quite a bit	118	38.7	2,742	40.7	81,436	42.1
		Very much	100	32.7	2,349	34.8	57,875	29.9
		Total	304	100.0	6,743	100.0	193,307	100.0

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Item 5: During the current academic year,	how much has your	coursework at this college emphasized the fo	llowing mer	ntal activities	?			
5c. Forming a new idea or understanding	NEWIDEAS	Very little	19	6.3	305	4.5	10,030	5.2
from various pieces of information [ACCHALL]		Some	67	22.0	1,529	22.8	47,691	24.7
		Quite a bit	113	37.1	2,504	37.3	77,228	40.0
		Very much	105	34.6	2,376	35.4	57,881	30.0
		Total	304	100.0	6,714	100.0	192,831	100.0
5d. Making judgements about the value	EVALUATE	Very little	30	9.8	683	10.2	21,093	10.9
or soundness of information, arguments, or methods [ACCHALL]		Some	95	31.3	1,927	28.6	58,417	30.3
		Quite a bit	93	30.7	2,323	34.5	67,648	35.0
		Very much	85	28.2	1,793	26.7	45,895	23.8
		Total	303	100.0	6,725	100.0	193,053	100.0
5e. Applying theories or concepts to	APPLYING	Very little	26	8.5	514	7.6	15,716	8.1
practical problems or in new situations [ACCHALL]		Some	88	29.1	1,728	25.7	53,386	27.6
		Quite a bit	91	29.9	2,371	35.2	69,170	35.8
		Very much	99	32.5	2,115	31.4	54,951	28.4
		Total	304	100.0	6,727	100.0	193,223	100.0
5f. Using information you have read or	PERFORM	Very little	31	10.2	479	7.1	14,197	7.3
heard to perform a new skill [ACCHALL]		Some	72	23.7	1,603	23.7	47,425	24.5
		Quite a bit	92	30.3	2,247	33.3	67,216	34.7
		Very much	109	35.8	2,425	35.9	64,743	33.4
		Total	304	100.0	6,753	100.0	193,581	100.0
Item 6: During the current academic year,	how much reading a	nd writing have you done at this college?						
6a. Number of assigned textbooks,	ASSIGREAD	None	9	3.1	189	2.8	5,561	2.9
manuals, books, or packets of course readings [ACCHALL]		1–4	142	46.9	2,972	44.4	84,959	44.2
		5–10	75	24.7	1,880	28.1	50,673	26.4
		11–20	29	9.6	919	13.7	26,247	13.7
		More than 20	47	15.7	726	10.9	24,642	12.8
		Total	302	100.0	6,686	100.0	192,081	100.0
6b. Number of books read on your own	BKREADOWN	None	103	34.0	1,957	29.2	65,798	34.2
(not assigned) for personal enjoyment or academic enrichment [STUEFF]		1–4	126	41.5	3,351	50.1	87,704	45.6
		5–10	37	12.2	846	12.6	23,040	12.0
		11–20	21	7.0	291	4.4	7,918	4.1
		More than 20	16	5.2	248	3.7	7,740	4.0
		Total	302	100.0	6,695	100.0	192,200	100.0

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Item 6: During the current academic year,	how much reading ar	nd writing have you done at this college?						
6c. Number of written papers or reports of	NUMPAPRRPTS	None	31	10.4	510	7.6	21,619	11.2
any length [ACCHALL]		1–4	123	40.7	2,084	31.1	64,630	33.6
		5–10	76	25.0	2,207	33.0	57,481	29.9
		11–20	50	16.4	1,226	18.3	30,211	15.7
		More than 20	23	7.5	664	9.9	18,263	9.5
		Total	302	100.0	6,691	100.0	192,204	100.0
Item 7								
7. Mark the response that best	CHALNGXAM	Extremely easy	1	0.5	43	0.7	1,387	0.7
represents the extent to which your examinations during the current academic year have challenged you to do your best		(2)	2	0.8	84	1.3	2,857	1.5
work at this college [ACCHALL]		(3)	8	2.7	223	3.4	7,574	4.0
		(4)	52	17.0	1,205	18.2	35,548	18.9
		(5)	86	28.4	2,103	31.8	60,242	32.0
		(6)	86	28.3	1,698	25.7	49,205	26.1
		Extremely challenging	68	22.4	1,259	19.0	31,586	16.8
		Total	304	100.0	6,616	100.0	188,399	100.0
Item 8: Which of the following have you do	one, or are you current	ly doing at this college?						
8a. Internship, field experience, co-op	DONEINTRN	No	249	84.4	5,620	85.3	158,002	82.9
experience, or clinical assignment		Yes	46	15.6	972	14.7	32,676	17.1
		Total	295	100.0	6,593	100.0	190,678	100.0
8b. An English course taught specifically for students whose first language is not	DONEESL	No	279	94.7	5,764	87.0	177,739	93.3
English (ESL, ESOL)		Yes	15	5.3	864	13.0	12,712	6.7
		Total	294	100.0	6,628	100.0	190,451	100.0
8c. Developmental/remedial reading course (also referred to as Basic Skills,	DONEDEVRD	No	252	85.5	5,058	76.7	157,579	82.8
College Prep, etc.)		Yes	43	14.5	1,539	23.3	32,746	17.2
		Total	295	100.0	6,597	100.0	190,325	100.0
8d. Developmental/remedial writing course (also referred to as Basic Skills,	DONEDEVWR	No	246	83.7	4,892	74.2	154,395	81.1
College Prep, etc.)		Yes	48	16.3	1,704	25.8	36,031	18.9
		Total	293	100.0	6,597	100.0	190,425	100.0
8e. Developmental/remedial math course (also referred to as Basic Skills, College	DONEDEVMT	No	222	75.0	4,705	71.3	143,586	75.4
Prep, etc.)		Yes	74	25.0	1,894	28.7	46,912	24.6
		Total	296	100.0	6,600	100.0	190,498	100.0
8f. Honors course	DONEHNRS	No	274	93.0	6,027	91.9	177,812	93.9
		Yes	21	7.0	530	8.1	11,594	6.1
		Total	294	100.0	6,557	100.0	189,406	100.0

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Item 9: How much does this college emph	nasize the following?							
9a. Encouraging you to spend significant	ENVSCHOL	Very little	24	8.3	234	3.5	7,030	3.7
amounts of time studying [ACCHALL]		Some	70	24.0	1,224	18.5	39,448	20.7
		Quite a bit	109	37.2	2,663	40.3	77,438	40.6
		Very much	89	30.4	2,485	37.6	66,701	35.0
		Total	292	100.0	6,606	100.0	190,617	100.0
9b. Providing the support you need to help you succeed at this college	ENVSUPRT	Very little	22	7.4	394	6.0	8,249	4.3
[SUPPORT]		Some	65	22.1	1,224	18.5	36,282	19.1
		Quite a bit	98	33.3	2,377	36.0	71,384	37.5
		Very much	109	37.3	2,609	39.5	74,515	39.1
		Total	293	100.0	6,604	100.0	190,431	100.0
9c. Encouraging contact among students from different economic, social, and racial	ENVDIVRS	Very little	63	21.6	949	14.4	28,167	14.8
or ethnic backgrounds [SUPPORT]		Some	74	25.3	1,633	24.8	52,902	27.8
		Quite a bit	85	28.9	2,045	31.0	57,437	30.2
		Very much	71	24.2	1,960	29.8	51,518	27.1
		Total	293	100.0	6,587	100.0	190,024	100.0
9d. Helping you cope with your non-academic responsibilities (work,	ENVNACAD	Very little	111	37.7	2,046	31.1	60,343	31.8
family, etc.) [SUPPORT]		Some	76	25.9	1,970	29.9	62,182	32.7
		Quite a bit	56	19.2	1,442	21.9	39,499	20.8
		Very much	50	17.2	1,125	17.1	27,922	14.7
		Total	293	100.0	6,584	100.0	189,946	100.0
9e. Providing the support you need to thrive socially [SUPPORT]	ENVSOCAL	Very little	100	34.2	1,533	23.3	45,561	24.0
unive socially [SUPPORT]		Some	88	30.0	2,194	33.3	66,735	35.1
		Quite a bit	46	15.6	1,612	24.5	45,745	24.1
		Very much	59	20.1	1,243	18.9	31,839	16.8
		Total	293	100.0	6,582	100.0	189,881	100.0
9f. Providing the financial support you need to afford your education	FINSUPP	Very little	69	23.6	1,279	19.4	34,663	18.3
[SUPPORT]		Some	82	27.9	1,521	23.1	49,362	26.0
		Quite a bit	64	22.0	1,610	24.4	50,437	26.6
		Very much	78	26.6	2,181	33.1	55,433	29.2
		Total	293	100.0	6,590	100.0	189,896	100.0

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Item 10: About how many hours do you s	pend in a typical 7-da	y week doing each of the following?						
10a. Preparing for class (studying,	ACADPR01	None	7	2.3	78	1.2	2,477	1.3
reading, writing, rehearsing, doing homework, etc.) [STUEFF]		1–5	76	26.1	2,439	37.1	63,234	33.3
		6–10	73	25.3	1,973	30.0	56,852	30.0
		11–20	69	23.8	1,295	19.7	39,800	21.0
		21–30	36	12.4	458	7.0	16,874	8.9
		More than 30	29	10.1	328	5.0	10,550	5.6
		Total	289	100.0	6,571	100.0	189,786	100.0
10b. Working for pay	PAYWORK	None	82	28.2	1,564	23.9	47,979	25.4
		1–5	16	5.4	544	8.3	13,202	7.0
		6–10	15	5.3	625	9.6	15,277	8.1
		11–20	40	13.8	866	13.2	24,487	12.9
		21–30	46	16.0	1,068	16.3	29,229	15.4
		More than 30	90	31.2	1,872	28.6	59,028	31.2
		Total	289	100.0	6,540	100.0	189,202	100.0
10c. Participating in college-sponsored activities (organizations, campus	PARTICXCUR	None	244	84.4	5,239	80.0	153,961	81.3
publications, student government, intramural sports, etc.)		1–5	38	13.0	916	14.0	24,211	12.8
initianitial sports, etc.)		6–10	2	0.5	215	3.3	5,548	2.9
		11–20	5	1.8	84	1.3	3,021	1.6
		21–30	0	N/A	40	0.6	1,209	0.6
		More than 30	1	0.3	52	0.8	1,381	0.7
		Total	289	100.0	6,545	100.0	189,331	100.0
10d. Providing care for dependents living with you (parents, children, spouse, etc.)	CAREDE01	None	106	36.7	2,384	36.5	80,814	42.8
with you (parents, children, spouse, etc.)		1–5	51	17.7	1,389	21.2	31,683	16.8
		6–10	24	8.4	740	11.3	16,905	8.9
		11–20	27	9.2	484	7.4	12,055	6.4
		21–30	12	4.1	288	4.4	7,301	3.9
		More than 30	69	23.9	1,255	19.2	40,188	21.3
		Total	289	100.0	6,541	100.0	188,946	100.0
10e. Commuting to and from classes	COMMUTE	None	208	72.3	2,769	42.3	73,720	38.9
		1–5	58	20.0	2,695	41.2	83,758	44.2
		6–10	10	3.6	637	9.7	19,387	10.2
		11–20	5	1.8	233	3.6	6,695	3.5
		21–30	2	0.8	73	1.1	2,249	1.2
		More than 30	4	1.6	138	2.1	3,481	1.8
		Total	288	100.0	6,544	100.0	189,290	100.0

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Item 11: How much has your experience	e at this college contribu	uted to your knowledge, skills, and personal d	evelopment	in the follow	ving areas?			
11a. Acquiring job- or work-related	GNWORK	Very little	69	24.3	1,418	22.0	37,407	19.9
knowledge and skills		Some	95	33.3	1,753	27.2	52,418	27.9
		Quite a bit	65	22.7	1,837	28.5	50,735	27.0
		Very much	56	19.7	1,445	22.4	47,242	25.2
		Total	285	100.0	6,454	100.0	187,802	100.0
11b. Writing clearly and effectively	GNWRITE	Very little	39	13.7	456	7.0	18,813	10.0
		Some	65	22.7	1,453	22.5	48,965	26.0
		Quite a bit	101	35.3	2,410	37.3	69,051	36.7
		Very much	81	28.3	2,151	33.2	51,234	27.2
		Total	285	100.0	6,470	100.0	188,062	100.0
11c. Speaking clearly and effectively	GNSPEAK	Very little	57	19.9	672	10.4	24,659	13.1
		Some	75	26.1	1,542	23.8	51,295	27.3
		Quite a bit	78	27.5	2,308	35.7	63,793	34.0
		Very much	76	26.5	1,945	30.1	48,117	25.6
		Total	285	100.0	6,466	100.0	187,864	100.0
11d. Thinking critically and analytically	GNANALY	Very little	17	6.0	293	4.5	9,873	5.3
		Some	62	21.6	1,206	18.7	38,034	20.2
		Quite a bit	107	37.4	2,480	38.4	73,354	39.0
		Very much	100	35.0	2,481	38.4	66,668	35.5
		Total	285	100.0	6,459	100.0	187,931	100.0
11e. Solving numerical problems	GNSOLVE	Very little	64	22.4	936	14.5	29,919	15.9
		Some	79	27.8	1,725	26.7	51,839	27.6
		Quite a bit	66	23.2	2,068	32.0	59,714	31.8
		Very much	76	26.7	1,725	26.7	46,397	24.7
		Total	285	100.0	6,454	100.0	187,869	100.0
11f. Working effectively with others	GNOTHERS	Very little	63	22.0	706	10.9	22,360	11.9
		Some	74	25.9	1,638	25.3	50,784	27.0
		Quite a bit	75	26.1	2,137	33.1	61,475	32.7
		Very much	74	26.0	1,983	30.7	53,198	28.3
		Total	285	100.0	6,464	100.0	187,816	100.0
11g. Learning effectively on your own	GNINQ	Very little	18	6.3	381	5.9	11,055	5.9
		Some	46	16.4	1,112	17.2	34,928	18.6
		Quite a bit	87	30.8	2,246	34.8	65,953	35.1
		Very much	132	46.5	2,723	42.1	75,980	40.4
		Total	283	100.0	6,463	100.0	187,917	100.0

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ltem	Variable	Responses	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Item 11: How much has your experience	e at this college contribute	ed to your knowledge, skills, and personal d	evelopment	in the follow	ring areas?			
11h. Developing clearer career goals	GNCARGOAL	Very little	58	20.4	844	13.1	24,876	13.2
		Some	68	23.8	1,435	22.2	46,398	24.7
		Quite a bit	77	27.0	1,934	30.0	56,240	29.9
		Very much	82	28.8	2,244	34.8	60,300	32.1
		Total	285	100.0	6,457	100.0	187,815	100.0
11i. Gaining information about career	GNGAINCAR	Very little	73	25.6	1,145	17.7	32,976	17.5
opportunities		Some	72	25.1	1,545	23.9	51,025	27.2
		Quite a bit	70	24.4	1,821	28.2	51,259	27.3
		Very much	71	24.9	1,950	30.2	52,675	28.0
		Total	285	100.0	6,461	100.0	187,935	100.0
Item 12.1: How often have you used the	following services during	g the current academic year?						
12.1a. Academic advising/planning	FREQACAD	Never	49	17.4	1,145	18.0	33,002	17.8
[SUPPORT]		1 time	56	20.0	1,409	22.2	41,871	22.6
		2–4 times	131	47.1	2,656	41.8	82,221	44.4
		5 or more times	43	15.5	1,137	17.9	27,996	15.1
		Total	279	100.0	6,348	100.0	185,090	100.0
12.1b. Career counseling [SUPPORT]	FREQCACOU	Never	213	76.4	3,917	61.9	116,782	63.3
		1 time	34	12.2	1,049	16.6	30,956	16.8
		2–4 times	26	9.3	1,067	16.9	29,017	15.7
		5 or more times	6	2.2	298	4.7	7,823	4.2
		Total	279	100.0	6,331	100.0	184,579	100.0
12.1c. Job placement assistance	FREQJOBPL	Never	259	92.8	5,554	87.9	162,946	88.6
		1 time	12	4.2	388	6.1	11,155	6.1
		2–4 times	7	2.6	287	4.5	7,603	4.1
		5 or more times	1	0.3	87	1.4	2,304	1.3
		Total	279	100.0	6,315	100.0	184,008	100.0
12.1d. Peer or other tutoring [STUEFF]	FREQTUTOR	Never	232	83.3	3,985	63.2	120,693	65.6
		1 time	24	8.5	732	11.6	20,316	11.0
		2–4 times	18	6.4	973	15.4	25,184	13.7
		5 or more times	5	1.9	613	9.7	17,698	9.6
		Total	279	100.0	6,303	100.0	183,891	100.0
12.1e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.)	FREQLAB	Never	235	84.5	3,846	61.1	117,203	63.8
[STUEFF]		1 time	18	6.4	669	10.6	17,984	9.8
		2–4 times	18	6.5	969	15.4	26,201	14.3
		5 or more times	7	2.7	811	12.9	22,352	12.2
		Total	278	100.0	6,295	100.0	183,741	100.0

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ltem	Variable	Responses	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Item 12.1: How often have you used the	e following services during the	e current academic year?						
12.1f. Child care	FREQCHLD	Never	271	97.3	5,967	94.9	174,979	95.3
		1 time	2	0.5	108	1.7	2,747	1.5
		2–4 times	4	1.6	134	2.1	3,085	1.7
		5 or more times	2	0.5	81	1.3	2,846	1.5
		Total	279	100.0	6,290	100.0	183,658	100.0
12.1g. Financial aid advising	FREQFAADV	Never	118	42.3	2,465	39.0	79,060	43.0
		1 time	55	19.6	1,209	19.1	36,589	19.9
		2–4 times	76	27.4	1,698	26.9	47,901	26.0
		5 or more times	30	10.7	947	15.0	20,425	11.1
		Total	279	100.0	6,318	100.0	183,976	100.0
12.1h. Computer lab [STUEFF]	FREQCOMLB	Never	246	88.3	3,561	56.4	108,559	59.0
		1 time	13	4.5	660	10.5	17,158	9.3
		2–4 times	10	3.7	1,017	16.1	27,126	14.8
		5 or more times	10	3.5	1,073	17.0	30,999	16.9
		Total	279	100.0	6,312	100.0	183,843	100.0
12.1i. Student organizations	FREQSTORG	Never	224	80.3	4,734	75.4	145,457	79.3
		1 time	20	7.2	573	9.1	14,986	8.2
		2–4 times	30	10.8	602	9.6	14,086	7.7
		5 or more times	5	1.6	371	5.9	8,916	4.9
		Total	279	100.0	6,280	100.0	183,445	100.0
12.1j. Transfer advising/planning	FREQTRADV	Never	184	65.9	3,989	63.6	116,562	63.7
		1 time	51	18.3	1,090	17.4	31,272	17.1
		2–4 times	33	12.0	889	14.2	26,728	14.6
		5 or more times	11	3.8	303	4.8	8,402	4.6
		Total	279	100.0	6,271	100.0	182,965	100.0
12.1k. Library resources and services	FREQLIB	Never	130	46.7	2,263	36.0	71,768	39.1
		1 time	44	15.6	916	14.5	27,110	14.8
		2–4 times	57	20.6	1,569	24.9	45,305	24.7
		5 or more times	48	17.1	1,547	24.6	39,467	21.5
		Total	279	100.0	6,295	100.0	183,650	100.0
12.11. Services for students with	FREQDISABSVC	Never	249	89.6	5,595	88.7	165,341	89.8
disabilities		1 time	9	3.2	209	3.3	6,176	3.4
		2–4 times	14	5.0	302	4.8	6,854	3.7
		5 or more times	6	2.1	204	3.2	5,791	3.1
		Total	277	100.0	6,310	100.0	184,163	100.0

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Item	Variable	Responses	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Item 12.1: How often have you used the	following services during the	e current academic year?						
12.1m. Services for active military and	FREQMILSVCS	Never	258	92.9	5,993	94.9	172,483	93.7
veterans		1 time	8	2.9	106	1.7	3,805	2.1
		2–4 times	7	2.6	126	2.0	4,448	2.4
		5 or more times	4	1.6	93	1.5	3,322	1.8
		Total	278	100.0	6,318	100.0	184,058	100.0
Item 12.2: How satisfied are you with th	e services?							
12.2a. Academic advising/planning	SATACAD	Not at all	8	3.6	352	6.5	9,055	5.6
		Somewhat	83	36.3	2,052	38.2	57,507	35.4
		Very	137	60.1	2,735	50.9	84,208	51.9
		N.A.	0	N/A	234	4.4	11,612	7.2
		Total	228	100.0	5,373	100.0	162,382	100.0
12.2b. Career counseling	SATCACOU	Not at all	5	7.9	283	7.8	7,586	6.6
		Somewhat	26	39.9	1,041	28.6	28,781	25.0
		Very	34	52.2	1,158	31.8	34,875	30.3
		N.A.	0	N/A	1,163	31.9	43,813	38.1
		Total	65	100.0	3,645	100.0	115,055	100.0
12.2c. Job placement assistance	SATJOBPL	Not at all	2	11.5	234	9.4	6,590	7.5
		Somewhat	9	46.3	408	16.3	11,695	13.3
		Very	8	42.3	327	13.1	10,212	11.6
		N.A.	0	N/A	1,528	61.2	59,384	67.6
		Total	19	100.0	2,497	100.0	87,882	100.0
12.2d. Peer or other tutoring	SATTUTOR	Not at all	6	13.1	222	6.2	5,893	5.4
		Somewhat	24	52.3	950	26.4	25,085	23.0
		Very	16	34.6	1,238	34.4	35,672	32.8
		N.A.	0	N/A	1,187	33.0	42,249	38.8
		Total	45	100.0	3,596	100.0	108,899	100.0
12.2e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.)	SATLAB	Not at all	3	6.8	191	5.5	4,867	4.5
		Somewhat	19	43.4	974	28.0	26,859	25.1
		Very	21	49.7	1,306	37.6	36,291	33.9
		N.A.	0	N/A	1,002	28.8	39,188	36.6
		Total	43	100.0	3,473	100.0	107,205	100.0
12.2f. Child care	SATCHLD	Not at all	2	29.5	192	8.9	5,034	6.3
		Somewhat	2	20.5	165	7.6	5,106	6.3
		Very	4	50.0	169	7.8	5,314	6.6
		N.A.	0	N/A	1,639	75.7	65,005	80.8
		Total	7	100.0	2,164	100.0	80,458	100.0

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ltem	Variable	Responses	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Item 12.2: How satisfied are you with the	e services?							
12.2g. Financial aid advising	SATFAADV	Not at all	19	11.9	382	8.3	10,060	7.4
		Somewhat	55	34.5	1,340	29.2	35,176	26.0
		Very	86	53.6	2,143	46.8	60,464	44.8
		N.A.	0	N/A	718	15.7	29,410	21.8
		Total	159	100.0	4,583	100.0	135,110	100.0
12.2h. Computer lab	SATCOMLB	Not at all	4	11.9	144	4.2	3,875	3.7
		Somewhat	5	17.2	876	25.4	24,213	23.1
		Very	22	70.8	1,710	49.6	47,510	45.4
		N.A.	0	N/A	719	20.9	29,050	27.8
		Total	30	100.0	3,449	100.0	104,648	100.0
12.2i. Student organizations	SATSTORG	Not at all	4	8.2	179	6.0	5,210	5.5
		Somewhat	17	32.4	724	24.4	17,588	18.6
		Very	32	59.3	772	26.0	19,769	20.9
		N.A.	0	N/A	1,290	43.5	51,850	54.9
		Total	53	100.0	2,966	100.0	94,417	100.0
12.2j. Transfer advising/planning	SATTRADV	Not at all	9	9.6	300	8.6	7,135	6.4
		Somewhat	33	35.3	918	26.2	27,455	24.6
		Very	51	55.1	1,183	33.8	35,174	31.5
		N.A.	0	N/A	1,098	31.4	41,994	37.6
		Total	93	100.0	3,500	100.0	111,759	100.0
12.2k. Library resources and services	SATLIB	Not at all	4	3.0	151	3.3	3,826	2.9
		Somewhat	46	31.3	1,148	25.3	32,744	24.6
		Very	97	65.7	2,693	59.3	74,652	56.1
		N.A.	0	N/A	547	12.1	21,813	16.4
		Total	148	100.0	4,539	100.0	133,036	100.0
12.2l. Services for students with disabilities	SATDISABSVC	Not at all	3	10.8	159	6.5	4,178	4.8
disabilities		Somewhat	6	21.7	296	12.0	7,665	8.8
		Very	18	67.5	428	17.4	12,956	14.8
		N.A.	0	N/A	1,574	64.1	62,599	71.6
		Total	27	100.0	2,457	100.0	87,398	100.0
12.2m. Services for active military and veterans	SATMILSVCS	Not at all	4	22.2	161	7.4	4,478	5.4
, 5.6. al 10		Somewhat	2	11.1	165	7.5	5,722	6.9
		Very	13	66.7	193	8.8	8,247	10.0
		N.A.	0	N/A	1,667	76.3	64,330	77.7
		Total	20	100.0	2,185	100.0	82,777	100.0

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Item	Variable	Responses	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Item 12.3: How important are the service	ces to you at this college?							
12.3a. Academic advising/planning	IMPACAD	Not at all	9	3.2	280	4.5	9,981	5.5
		Somewhat	37	13.5	1,283	20.6	38,078	21.0
		Very	229	83.4	4,669	74.9	133,473	73.5
		Total	275	100.0	6,232	100.0	181,532	100.0
12.3b. Career counseling	IMPCACOU	Not at all	34	12.3	740	12.0	28,354	15.8
		Somewhat	96	34.8	1,587	25.7	51,686	28.8
		Very	145	52.8	3,844	62.3	99,606	55.4
		Total	274	100.0	6,171	100.0	179,645	100.0
12.3c. Job placement assistance	IMPJOBPL	Not at all	48	17.5	1,241	20.2	45,446	25.5
		Somewhat	104	37.7	1,842	30.0	55,281	31.0
		Very	123	44.8	3,055	49.8	77,764	43.6
		Total	275	100.0	6,138	100.0	178,491	100.0
12.3d. Peer or other tutoring	IMPTUTOR	Not at all	66	24.1	1,102	18.0	38,572	21.6
		Somewhat	101	36.9	2,068	33.7	59,756	33.5
		Very	107	39.0	2,963	48.3	80,305	45.0
		Total	275	100.0	6,133	100.0	178,634	100.0
12.3e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.)	IMPLAB	Not at all	78	28.5	1,189	19.4	39,286	22.0
		Somewhat	110	39.8	2,085	34.0	60,012	33.6
		Very	87	31.7	2,861	46.6	79,057	44.3
		Total	275	100.0	6,135	100.0	178,355	100.0
12.3f. Child care	IMPCHLD	Not at all	171	62.5	3,045	49.8	93,676	52.8
		Somewhat	35	12.9	1,228	20.1	33,146	18.7
		Very	67	24.6	1,836	30.1	50,682	28.6
		Total	273	100.0	6,110	100.0	177,504	100.0
12.3g. Financial aid advising	IMPFAADV	Not at all	42	15.2	748	12.2	26,147	14.6
		Somewhat	61	22.2	1,145	18.6	36,447	20.4
		Very	173	62.6	4,259	69.2	116,253	65.0
		Total	276	100.0	6,152	100.0	178,847	100.0
12.3h. Computer lab	IMPCOMLB	Not at all	106	38.4	1,289	21.0	43,973	24.6
		Somewhat	93	33.7	1,878	30.6	55,126	30.9
		Very	77	27.9	2,971	48.4	79,568	44.5
		Total	275	100.0	6,137	100.0	178,666	100.0
12.3i. Student organizations	IMPSTORG	Not at all	94	34.0	1,710	28.0	63,436	35.7
		Somewhat	105	38.3	2,250	36.8	62,006	34.9
		Very	76	27.7	2,155	35.2	52,132	29.4
		Total	275	100.0	6,114	100.0	177,574	100.0

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Item 12.3: How important are the services	s to you at this college	?						
12.3j. Transfer advising/planning	IMPTRADV	Not at all	41	15.1	935	15.3	38,020	21.4
		Somewhat	80	29.0	1,513	24.7	46,406	26.2
		Very	153	55.9	3,670	60.0	92,966	52.4
		Total	274	100.0	6,117	100.0	177,392	100.0
12.3k. Library resources and services	IMPLIB	Not at all	36	13.1	675	10.9	24,488	13.7
		Somewhat	76	27.7	1,656	26.9	50,589	28.3
		Very	163	59.2	3,832	62.2	103,926	58.1
		Total	275	100.0	6,162	100.0	179,003	100.0
12.3l. Services for students with disabilities	IMPDISABSVC	Not at all	119	43.2	2,191	35.7	69,900	39.2
disabilities		Somewhat	44	15.9	1,126	18.4	31,941	17.9
		Very	112	40.9	2,816	45.9	76,521	42.9
		Total	275	100.0	6,133	100.0	178,362	100.0
12.3m. Services for active military and veterans	IMPMILSVCS	Not at all	146	53.3	2,672	43.5	81,031	45.5
Veterans		Somewhat	43	15.8	1,202	19.6	31,669	17.8
		Very	84	30.9	2,264	36.9	65,540	36.8
		Total	273	100.0	6,138	100.0	178,241	100.0
Item 13								
13. During the current academic term at this college, I completed registration	COMPLREG	No; I was not registered for any of my courses before the first class session(s)	5	1.8	124	1.9	2,990	1.6
before the first class session(s).		Partly; I was registered for some of my courses before the first class session(s)	7	2.3	160	2.5	4,112	2.2
		Mostly; I was registered for most of my courses before the first class session(s)	12	4.3	440	6.9	11,675	6.3
		Yes; I was registered for all of my courses before the first class session(s)	256	91.6	5,649	88.6	167,149	89.9
		Total	280	100.0	6,374	100.0	185,927	100.0
Item 14								
14. The one response that best describes my experience with orientation when I first	EXPORIENT	I was unable to participate in orientation due to scheduling or other issues	41	15.2	1,276	20.6	24,930	13.7
came to this college is:		I was not aware of a college orientation	81	29.6	1,571	25.3	29,850	16.4
		I enrolled in an orientation course as part of my course schedule during my first academic term	8	3.0	401	6.5	13,559	7.4
		I attended an on-campus orientation prior to the beginning of classes	63	23.2	1,978	31.9	61,425	33.7
		I took part in an online orientation prior to the beginning of classes	79	29.0	977	15.8	52,419	28.8
		Total	272	100.0	6,203	100.0	182,183	100.0

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Item 15								
15. During my first academic year at this college, I participated in a first-year	PARTICFYE	No	140	50.6	4,592	72.5	139,013	75.1
experience program.		Yes	136	49.4	1,741	27.5	46,150	24.9
		Total	276	100.0	6,334	100.0	185,163	100.0
Item 16								
16. During my first academic term at this college, I participated in an organized learning community (a formal program in	PARTICLRNC	No	247	90.6	5,414	86.6	162,199	88.4
which groups of students take two or more classes together).		Yes	26	9.4	836	13.4	21,209	11.6
		Total	273	100.0	6,250	100.0	183,408	100.0
Item 17								
17. During my first academic term at this college, I participated in a student	PARTICSSC	No	230	85.3	4,177	66.5	124,791	67.8
success course (a course that teaches the skills needed to succeed in college).		Yes	40	14.7	2,109	33.5	59,257	32.2
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		Total	269	100.0	6,285	100.0	184,048	100.0
Item 18								
18. I was told that I should enroll in a developmental/remedial course (also	TOLDENRDEV	Did not enroll in any of these courses	43	15.6	1,137	18.0	35,070	19.0
referred to as Basic Skills, College Prep, etc.) in my first academic term at this		Did enroll in one of these courses	44	16.1	1,280	20.2	34,278	18.5
collége, and l		Did enroll in more than one of these courses	34	12.2	1,147	18.1	23,298	12.6
		N.A.	155	56.1	2,758	43.6	92,369	49.9
		Total	277	100.0	6,323	100.0	185,015	100.0
Item 19	1							
19. During the current academic term at this college, my instructors clearly explained a class attendance policy that	ATTNDPOLICY	None of my instructors explained a class attendance policy	21	7.8	245	3.9	7,607	4.1
specified how many classes I could miss without a penalty.		Some of my instructors explained a class attendance policy	22	7.9	467	7.4	13,330	7.2
		Most of my instructors explained a class attendance policy	40	14.8	914	14.6	23,630	12.8
		All of my instructors explained a class attendance policy	190	69.5	4,651	74.1	139,410	75.8
		Total	273	100.0	6,278	100.0	183,977	100.0
Item 20								
20. Before the end of my first academic term at this college, an advisor helped me develop an academic plan (a	DEVACADPLN	No	98	36.2	2,471	39.4	56,541	30.7
personalized plan with a defined sequence of courses for completing a college certificate or degree and/or for		Yes	138	51.0	2,826	45.1	101,286	55.1
transferring to a 4-year college or university).		I'm still in my first academic term; I have not yet developed an academic plan.	35	12.8	967	15.4	26,112	14.2
		Total	271	100.0	6,264	100.0	183,939	100.0
Item 21								
21. Someone at this college contacts me if I am struggling with my studies to help	STRGLASSIST	No	104	38.1	2,826	45.0	76,375	41.5
me get the assistance I need.		Yes	70	25.6	1,685	26.8	50,328	27.3
		N.A.	99	36.3	1,776	28.3	57,504	31.2
		Total	272	100.0	6,287	100.0	184,207	100.0

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Item 22								
22. During the current academic year at	PARTICSI	Never	222	81.4	4,778	76.0	140,668	76.3
this college, I have participated in supplemental instruction/supplemental		Less than 1 time a week	25	9.0	793	12.6	23,526	12.8
learning (extra class sessions with the instructor or an experienced student).		1–2 times a week	25	9.0	540	8.6	15,642	8.5
		3–4 times a week	0	N/A	119	1.9	3,028	1.6
		More than 4 times a week	2	0.6	57	0.9	1,426	0.8
		Total	273	100.0	6,286	100.0	184,291	100.0
Item 23: How likely is it that the following is	ssues would cause yo	ou to withdraw from class or from this college	?					
23a. Working full-time	WRKFULL	Not likely	107	40.1	2,366	38.1	69,764	38.1
		Somewhat likely	82	30.7	1,331	21.4	40,542	22.2
		Likely	24	8.9	1,078	17.4	31,299	17.1
		Very likely	54	20.3	1,438	23.1	41,361	22.6
		Total	267	100.0	6,213	100.0	182,967	100.0
23b. Caring for dependents	CAREDEP	Not likely	134	50.6	2,901	46.9	89,358	49.0
		Somewhat likely	57	21.5	1,345	21.8	40,224	22.0
		Likely	34	12.9	959	15.5	27,110	14.9
		Very likely	40	15.0	975	15.8	25,792	14.1
		Total	266	100.0	6,180	100.0	182,483	100.0
23c. Academically unprepared	ACADUNP	Not likely	138	51.9	3,191	51.8	97,110	53.4
		Somewhat likely	63	23.5	1,549	25.2	45,777	25.2
		Likely	40	15.0	822	13.4	22,814	12.5
		Very likely	25	9.5	595	9.7	16,242	8.9
		Total	266	100.0	6,158	100.0	181,943	100.0
23d. Lack of finances	LACKFIN	Not likely	83	31.0	1,709	27.6	55,991	30.7
		Somewhat likely	57	21.3	1,330	21.5	41,760	22.9
		Likely	51	19.0	1,113	17.9	32,078	17.6
		Very likely	77	28.7	2,049	33.0	52,628	28.8
		Total	267	100.0	6,200	100.0	182,458	100.0
23e. Transfer to a 4-year college or university	TRANSFER	Not likely	122	45.6	2,349	38.0	79,906	43.8
,		Somewhat likely	53	20.0	1,288	20.8	35,324	19.4
		Likely	49	18.5	1,104	17.9	27,342	15.0
		Very likely	42	15.8	1,442	23.3	39,864	21.9
		Total	267	100.0	6,183	100.0	182,435	100.0
Item 24								
24. How supportive are your friends of your attending this college?	FRNDSUPP	Not very	17	6.4	300	4.8	7,756	4.2
you alloriding this contege:		Somewhat	31	11.7	889	14.2	24,394	13.3
		Quite a bit	64	23.9	1,604	25.6	48,515	26.4
		Extremely	155	58.0	3,462	55.4	102,793	56.0
		Total	267	100.0	6,254	100.0	183,458	100.0

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Item	Variable	Responses	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Item 25								
25. How supportive is your immediate	FAMSUPP	Not very	11	4.3	211	3.5	5,003	2.8
family of your attending this college?		Somewhat	22	8.7	499	8.3	15,308	8.6
		Quite a bit	38	14.8	1,133	18.8	34,224	19.1
		Extremely	188	72.3	4,180	69.4	124,262	69.5
		Total	260	100.0	6,024	100.0	178,797	100.0
Item 26: Indicate which of the following ar	re your reasons/goals	for attending this college.						
26a. Complete a certificate program	GOALCERT	No	157	60.6	3,217	53.1	96,544	53.8
		Yes	102	39.4	2,842	46.9	82,783	46.2
		Total	260	100.0	6,058	100.0	179,327	100.0
26b. Obtain an associate degree	GOALAA	No	34	12.6	819	13.3	35,341	19.5
		Yes	235	87.4	5,337	86.7	145,698	80.5
		Total	269	100.0	6,156	100.0	181,039	100.0
26c. Transfer to a 4-year college or university	GOALTR4YR	No	69	26.4	1,354	22.1	64,103	35.6
university		Yes	191	73.6	4,764	77.9	116,022	64.4
		Total	260	100.0	6,118	100.0	180,125	100.0
26d. Obtain or update job-related skills	GOALJOBSKILL	No	79	30.3	1,732	28.6	60,528	33.8
		Yes	181	69.7	4,326	71.4	118,618	66.2
		Total	259	100.0	6,058	100.0	179,146	100.0
26e. Change careers	GOALCHGCAR	No	151	59.0	3,709	61.7	111,342	62.4
		Yes	105	41.0	2,306	38.3	67,198	37.6
		Total	255	100.0	6,015	100.0	178,540	100.0
26f. Self-improvement/personal enjoyment	GOALSELFIMP	No	68	26.1	1,557	25.5	50,976	28.3
onjoymon.		Yes	193	73.9	4,540	74.5	129,112	71.7
		Total	261	100.0	6,097	100.0	180,088	100.0
Item 27: Indicate which of the following a	e sources you use to	pay for your tuition at this college.						
27a. My own income/savings	PAYOWNINC	Not a source	56	21.1	1,991	32.6	56,137	31.1
		Minor source	91	33.8	1,739	28.5	54,796	30.3
		Major source	121	45.1	2,373	38.9	69,778	38.6
		Total	268	100.0	6,103	100.0	180,711	100.0
27b. Income/savings from family	PAYFAM	Not a source	145	54.4	3,074	50.8	102,686	57.2
		Minor source	42	15.6	1,113	18.4	32,766	18.2
		Major source	80	30.0	1,868	30.9	44,212	24.6
		Total	267	100.0	6,055	100.0	179,664	100.0
27c. Employer contributions	PAYEMPLOYER	Not a source	221	83.8	5,176	85.8	154,580	86.3
		Minor source	29	10.9	482	8.0	13,685	7.6
		Major source	14	5.3	373	6.2	10,822	6.0
		Total	263	100.0	6,031	100.0	179,087	100.0

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Item 27: Indicate which of the following a	re sources you use to p	pay for your tuition at this college.						
27d. Active military or veterans benefits	PAYMILBEN	Not a source	240	91.1	5,751	95.6	168,125	94.0
		Minor source	8	3.1	132	2.2	3,623	2.0
		Major source	15	5.8	133	2.2	7,090	4.0
		Total	263	100.0	6,016	100.0	178,838	100.0
27e. Grants	PAYGRANT	Not a source	157	59.4	3,132	51.5	93,329	51.8
		Minor source	20	7.6	663	10.9	20,674	11.5
		Major source	87	33.0	2,290	37.6	66,156	36.7
		Total	264	100.0	6,084	100.0	180,158	100.0
27f. Scholarships	PAYSCHOL	Not a source	189	71.6	4,116	68.1	113,324	63.2
		Minor source	28	10.5	753	12.5	25,808	14.4
		Major source	47	17.9	1,171	19.4	40,252	22.4
		Total	263	100.0	6,040	100.0	179,384	100.0
27g. Student loans (bank, etc.)	PAYSTULOANS	Not a source	215	81.6	4,534	75.1	131,310	73.2
		Minor source	13	5.1	526	8.7	14,045	7.8
		Major source	35	13.3	980	16.2	34,114	19.0
		Total	263	100.0	6,040	100.0	179,468	100.0
27h. Public assistance	PAYPUBASSIST	Not a source	228	86.7	4,992	82.6	153,874	85.9
		Minor source	16	6.0	401	6.6	10,649	5.9
		Major source	19	7.3	650	10.8	14,667	8.2
		Total	263	100.0	6,043	100.0	179,190	100.0
Item 28								
28. When do you plan to take classes at this college again?	WHENTKAGN	I will accomplish my goal(s) during this academic term and will not be returning	55	20.5	1,561	25.3	36,201	19.9
		I have no current plan to return	10	3.6	267	4.3	9,020	4.9
		Within the next 12 months	170	63.2	3,245	52.7	106,698	58.5
		Uncertain	34	12.7	1,090	17.7	30,327	16.6
		Total	269	100.0	6,163	100.0	182,246	100.0
Item 29								
29. At this college, in what range is your	COLGPA	D or lower	6	2.2	131	2.1	4,646	2.6
overall college grade point average (GPA)?		С	18	6.9	936	15.2	27,677	15.2
		В	87	32.6	2,593	42.2	74,685	41.1
		A	148	55.3	2,165	35.2	66,319	36.5
		I do not have a GPA at this college	8	3.1	326	5.3	8,446	4.6
		Total	268	100.0	6,152	100.0	181,772	100.0

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Item	Variable	Responses	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Item 30								
30. In what range was your overall high school grade point average (GPA)?	HSGPA	D or lower	5	2.1	191	3.2	6,238	3.5
School grade point average (GFA):		С	46	17.6	1,018	17.0	31,924	17.9
		В	96	37.1	2,496	41.6	70,445	39.5
		Α	85	32.7	1,565	26.1	52,321	29.3
		I do not remember	27	10.6	726	12.1	17,356	9.7
		Total	259	100.0	5,995	100.0	178,284	100.0
Item 31								
31. When do you most frequently take	TIMCLASS	Day classes (morning or afternoon)	182	68.0	4,408	71.6	137,887	76.2
classes at this college?		Evening classes	83	31.1	1,660	27.0	40,612	22.5
		Weekend classes	2	0.8	90	1.5	2,353	1.3
		Total	268	100.0	6,158	100.0	180,852	100.0
Item 32: During the current academic term	n, how many classes	are you taking						
32a. Face-to-face (a class in which all instruction is face-to-face in a classroom)	NUMCLF2F	None	224	86.3	3,010	50.2	76,927	43.3
instruction is face-to-face in a classroom)		1	18	7.1	776	12.9	25,677	14.4
		2	7	2.6	733	12.2	28,630	16.1
		3	4	1.4	590	9.8	21,631	12.2
		4	4	1.7	565	9.4	14,377	8.1
		5 or more	2	0.9	324	5.4	10,588	6.0
		Total	260	100.0	5,998	100.0	177,830	100.0
32b. Online (a class in which all instruction is online)	NUMCLOL	None	11	4.2	1,763	29.5	61,145	34.7
instruction is online)		1	46	17.2	1,112	18.6	38,214	21.7
		2	56	21.0	1,104	18.5	33,035	18.7
		3	46	17.1	880	14.7	40,612 2,353 180,852 2,5677 2,5677 2,25,677 2,28,630 3,21,631 14,377 10,588 177,830 6,1,145 3,3,035 2,0,629 12,972 10,309 176,303 126,572	11.7
		4	52	19.5	629	10.5	12,972	7.4
		5 or more	56	21.0	490	8.2	10,309	5.8
		Total	266	100.0	5,979	100.0	176,303	100.0
32c. Hybrid (a class that is a mixture of face-to-face and online instruction)	NUMCLHYB	None	192	75.7	4,399	76.6	126,572	73.6
		1	34	13.4	784	13.7	26,100	15.2
		2	15	5.9	276	4.8	10,282	6.0
		3	3	1.2	148	2.6	4,736	2.8
		4	7	2.9	81	1.4	2,216	1.3
		5 or more	2	0.9	54	0.9	2,165	1.3
		Total	254	100.0	5,742	100.0	172,070	100.0

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ltem	Variable	Responses	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Item 33								
33. How many total credit hours have you	TOTCREARND	None	18	6.7	492	8.0	16,456	9.1
earned at this college, not counting the courses you are currently taking this		1–14 credits	58	21.7	1,778	29.0	56,025	31.0
academic term?		15–29 credits	67	25.0	1,351	22.0	39,882	22.1
		30–44 credits	40	15.0	995	16.2	25,748	14.3
		45–60 credits	50	18.8	968	15.8	24,154	13.4
		Over 60 credits	35	12.9	546	8.9	18,296	10.1
		Total	268	100.0	6,130	100.0	180,561	100.0
Item 34								
34. How many total academic terms have you been enrolled at this college?	TOTTERMS	This is my first academic term	39	14.8	1,012	16.5	33,716	18.6
you been enfolied at this college?		This is my second academic term	68	25.6	1,685	27.5	49,913	27.6
		This is my third or fourth academic term	78	29.4	1,933	31.6	53,574	29.6
		This is my fifth or sixth academic term	42	15.9	919	15.0	24,972	13.8
		I have been enrolled more than six academic terms	38	14.3	568	9.3	18,819	10.4
		Total	265	100.0	6,116	100.0	180,994	100.0
Item 35								
35. Would you recommend this college to a friend or family member?	RECOMMEN	No	21	7.8	347	5.6	10,254	5.6
a mend of family member:		Yes	245	92.2	5,811	94.4	171,618	94.4
		Total	266	100.0	6,158	100.0	181,872	100.0
Item 36								
36. How would you evaluate your overall	OVRALLEXPER	Poor	7	2.8	117	1.9	2,835	1.6
educational experience at this college?		Fair	36	13.4	786	12.7	20,449	11.2
		Good	112	41.9	2,865	46.4	83,787	46.0
		Excellent	112	42.0	2,407	39.0	75,094	41.2
		Total	268	100.0	6,175	100.0	182,165	100.0
Item 37								
37. Do you have children who live with you and depend on you for their care?	CHILDREN	No	191	71.7	4,630	75.1	134,112	73.8
you and depend on you for their care?		Yes	76	28.3	1,538	24.9	47,709	26.2
		Total	267	100.0	6,167	100.0	181,821	100.0
Item 40								
40. Are you married?	MARRIED	No	216	81.0	5,169	83.8	144,739	79.5
		Yes	51	19.0	1,001	16.2	37,213	20.5
		Total	266	100.0	6,170	100.0	181,952	100.0
Item 41								
41. Is English your native (first)	ENGFIRST	No	41	15.1	1,918	31.1	34,323	18.9
language?		Yes	228	84.9	4,249	68.9	147,514	81.1
		Total	268	100.0	6,166	100.0	181,837	100.0

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Item	Variable	Responses	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Item 42								
42. Are you a current or former member of the U.S. Armed Forces. Reserves. or	MILITARY	No	254	94.8	6,002	97.5	174,301	95.9
National Guard?		Yes	14	5.2	153	2.5	7,477	4.1
		Total	268	100.0	6,155	100.0	181,779	100.0
Item 44								
44. Are you a student-athlete on a team	STUATHLETE	No	265	98.6	6,041	98.2	176,714	97.3
sponsored by this college's athletics department?		Yes	4	1.4	113	1.8	4,847	2.7
		Total	269	100.0	6,154	100.0	181,561	100.0
Item 46								
46. What is the highest academic credential you have earned?	HIGHESTED	None	5	1.9	117	1.9	5,239	2.9
credential you have earned?		GED	9	3.3	304	5.0	9,034	5.0
		High school diploma	174	64.5	4,394	71.7	119,079	65.8
		Vocational/technical certificate	23	8.5	439	7.2	16,346	9.0
		Associate degree	45	16.6	376	6.1	17,338	9.6
		Bachelor's degree	13	4.7	407	6.6	10,910	6.0
		Master's/doctoral/professional degree	1	0.5	87	1.4	3,010	1.7
		Total	269	100.0	6,125	100.0	180,956	100.0
Item 47: Who in your family has attended	at least some college?	? (Mark all that apply)						
47a. Mother	SOMECOLMO	Not marked	177	55.5	4,142	59.3	101,476	51.2
		Marked	142	44.5	2,843	40.7	96,682	48.8
		Total	319	100.0	6,985	100.0	198,157	100.0
47b. Father	SOMECOLFA	Not marked	207	64.9	4,734	67.8	121,216	61.2
		Marked	112	35.1	2,251	32.2	76,943	38.8
		Total	319	100.0	6,985	100.0	198,160	100.0
47c. Brother/Sister	SOMECOLSIB	Not marked	156	49.0	3,680	52.7	101,941	51.4
		Marked	163	51.0	3,305	47.3	96,216	48.6
		Total	319	100.0	6,985	100.0	198,157	100.0
47d. Child	SOMECOLCHLD	Not marked	291	91.4	6,685	95.7	186,829	94.3
		Marked	28	8.6	300	4.3	11,328	5.7
		Total	319	100.0	6,985	100.0	198,157	100.0
47e. Spouse/Partner	SOMECOLSP	Not marked	271	85.1	6,199	88.7	165,820	83.7
		Marked	48	14.9	786	11.3	32,337	16.3
		Total	319	100.0	6,985	100.0	198,157	100.0
47f. Legal Guardian	SOMECOLGUAR	Not marked	313	98.1	6,903	98.8	195,383	98.6
		Marked	6	1.9	82	1.2	2,774	1.4
		Total	319	100.0	6,985	100.0	198,157	100.0
47g. No one	SOMECOLNONE	Not marked	286	89.6	5,754	82.4	168,711	85.1
		Marked	33	10.4	1,231	17.6	29,446	14.9
		Total	319	100.0	6,985	100.0	198,157	100.0

 $^{\ ^{*}}$ The comparison group and cohort columns on this page EXCLUDE your college.