

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>First-time Full-time Freshmen</b>	540	280	260	
<b>How old will you be on December 31 of this year?</b>				
16 or younger	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
17	2.8%	2.5%	3.1%	
18	77.6%	72.5%	83.0%	
19	18.4%	23.9%	12.4%	
20	0.7%	0.4%	1.2%	
21 to 24	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
25 to 29	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
30 to 39	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
40 to 54	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
55 or older	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	539	280	259	
<b>Is English your native language?</b>				
Yes	65.5%	62.6%	68.7%	
No	34.5%	37.4%	31.3%	
Total (n)	537	278	259	
<b>In what year did you graduate from high school?</b>				
2009	99.6%	99.6%	99.6%	
2008	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
2007	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
2006 or earlier	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Did not graduate but passed G.E.D. test	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Never completed high school	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	539	279	260	
<b>Are you enrolled (or enrolling) as a:</b>				
Full-time student	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	
Part-time student	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	537	278	259	
<b>How many miles is this college from your permanent home?</b>				
5 or less	1.5%	2.2%	0.8%	
6 to 10	1.9%	1.4%	2.3%	
11 to 50	10.9%	12.7%	8.9%	
51 to 100	15.2%	14.5%	15.9%	
101 to 500	50.7%	50.0%	51.6%	
Over 500	19.9%	19.2%	20.5%	
Total (n)	534	276	258	

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<b>What was your average grade in high school?</b>				
A or A+	30.4%	26.6%	34.5%	
A-	45.8%	47.5%	43.9%	
B+	15.9%	16.5%	15.3%	
B	6.6%	7.9%	5.1%	
B-	1.1%	1.4%	0.8%	
C+	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
C	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
D	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	533	278	255	
<b>SAT Verbal</b>				
Mean	620	623	618	
Median	630	635	620	
Total (n)	396	208	188	
<b>SAT Math</b>				
Mean	672	695	647	
Median	680	700	650	
Total (n)	408	214	194	
<b>SAT Writing</b>				
Mean	625	623	628	
Median	630	630	630	
Total (n)	409	215	194	
<b>ACT Composite</b>				
Mean	27	28	27	
Median	28	29	27	
Total (n)	185	93	92	
<b>From what kind of high school did you graduate?</b>				
Public school (not charter or magnet)	79.4%	80.6%	78.1%	
Public charter school	1.9%	2.2%	1.5%	
Public magnet school	6.5%	4.3%	8.8%	
Private religious/parochial school	7.4%	6.8%	8.1%	
Private independent college-prep school	4.5%	6.1%	2.7%	
Home school	0.4%	0.0%	0.8%	
Total (n)	539	279	260	
<b>Prior to this term, have you ever taken courses for credit at this institution?</b>				
Yes	3.7%	3.6%	3.8%	
No	96.3%	96.4%	96.2%	
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<b>Since leaving high school, have you ever taken courses, whether for credit or not for credit, at any other institution (university, 4- or 2-year college, technical, vocational, or business school)?</b>				
Yes	17.6%	15.9%	19.4%	
No	82.4%	84.1%	80.6%	
Total (n)	535	277	258	
<b>Where do you plan to live during the fall term?</b>				
With my family or other relatives	5.4%	6.5%	4.3%	
Other private home, apartment, or room	1.9%	2.2%	1.6%	
College residence hall	79.4%	77.5%	81.4%	
Fraternity or sorority house	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Other campus student housing	12.9%	13.0%	12.8%	
Other	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Total (n)	534	276	258	
<b>To how many colleges other than this one did you apply for admission this year?</b>				
None	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
One	0.7%	0.7%	0.8%	
Two	2.2%	3.2%	1.2%	
Three	9.5%	9.0%	10.1%	
Four	14.4%	14.0%	14.7%	
Five	14.9%	15.5%	14.3%	
Six	15.1%	13.3%	17.1%	
Seven to ten	33.6%	34.9%	32.2%	
Eleven or more	9.0%	8.6%	9.3%	
Total (n)	536	278	258	
<b>Were you accepted by your first choice college?</b>				
Yes	38.0%	35.8%	40.3%	
No	62.0%	64.2%	59.7%	
Total (n)	529	271	258	
<b>Is this college your:</b>				
First choice	30.9%	29.2%	32.7%	
Second choice	32.4%	32.5%	32.3%	
Third choice	28.1%	27.8%	28.4%	
Less than third choice	8.6%	10.5%	6.6%	
Total (n)	534	277	257	
<b>Citizenship status:</b>				
U.S. citizen	88.3%	85.7%	91.1%	
Permanent resident (green card)	8.4%	9.3%	7.4%	
Neither	3.4%	5.0%	1.6%	
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<b>Are you a veteran?</b>				
No	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	
Yes	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	536	278	258	
<b>Are your parents:</b>				
Both alive and living with each other	71.5%	73.2%	69.6%	
Both alive, divorced or living apart	23.5%	20.0%	27.3%	
One or both deceased	5.0%	6.8%	3.1%	
Total (n)	540	280	260	
<b>Have you had any special tutoring or remedial work in:</b>				
English	10.9%	11.4%	10.4%	
Reading	7.0%	7.1%	6.9%	
Mathematics	12.6%	12.5%	12.7%	
Social Studies	4.1%	3.6%	4.6%	
Science	6.9%	6.1%	7.7%	
Foreign Language	5.6%	5.7%	5.4%	
Writing	9.4%	9.6%	9.2%	
Total (n)	540	280	260	
<b>Do you feel you will need any special tutoring or remedial work in:</b>				
English	13.1%	13.2%	13.1%	
Reading	9.3%	9.6%	8.8%	
Mathematics	19.3%	13.9%	25.0%	
Social Studies	3.5%	2.9%	4.2%	
Science	15.4%	11.4%	19.6%	
Foreign Language	7.2%	7.1%	7.3%	
Writing	19.8%	21.8%	17.7%	
Total (n)	540	280	260	
<b>Number of AP Courses taken during high school</b>				
Not offered at my high school	2.4%	2.9%	2.0%	
None	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
1 to 4	40.2%	41.7%	38.4%	
5 to 9	51.4%	49.3%	53.7%	
10 to 14	5.4%	5.8%	5.1%	
15+	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	533	278	255	

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<b>Number of AP Exams taken during high school</b>				
Not offered at my high school	2.5%	3.0%	2.0%	
None	1.4%	0.8%	2.0%	
1 to 4	43.2%	42.8%	43.7%	
5 to 9	49.1%	50.0%	48.2%	
10 to 14	3.7%	3.4%	4.0%	
15+	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	511	264	247	
<b>Highest academic degree planned</b>				
None	0.6%	0.8%	0.4%	
Vocational certificate	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Associate (A.A. or equivalent)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)	10.9%	11.7%	10.0%	
Master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)	40.4%	37.1%	43.8%	
Ph.D. or Ed.D.	26.1%	26.9%	25.3%	
M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.	16.2%	18.2%	14.1%	
J.D. (Law)	3.7%	3.8%	3.6%	
B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other	2.1%	1.5%	2.8%	
Total (n)	513	264	249	
<b>Highest academic degree planned at this college</b>				
None	1.4%	1.8%	0.9%	
Vocational certificate	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Associate (A.A. or equivalent)	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	
Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)	66.1%	61.8%	70.3%	
Master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)	21.1%	20.7%	21.5%	
Ph.D. or Ed.D.	6.0%	7.8%	4.1%	
M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.	4.1%	6.5%	1.8%	
J.D. (Law)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other	0.9%	0.9%	0.9%	
Total (n)	436	217	219	
<b>High school I last attended: racial composition</b>				
Completely non-White	7.9%	6.5%	9.4%	
Mostly non-White	36.4%	36.8%	35.9%	
Roughly half non-White	28.9%	28.9%	28.9%	
Mostly White	24.6%	26.0%	23.0%	
Completely White	2.3%	1.8%	2.7%	
Total (n)	533	277	256	

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<b>Neighborhood where I grew up: racial composition</b>				
Completely non-White	12.6%	12.0%	13.3%	
Mostly non-White	29.8%	31.9%	27.4%	
Roughly half non-White	21.2%	17.8%	25.0%	
Mostly White	31.7%	33.7%	29.4%	
Completely White	4.8%	4.7%	4.8%	
Total (n)	524	276	248	
<b>How much of your first year's educational expenses (room, board, tuition, and fees) do you expect to cover from each of the sources listed below?</b>				
<b>Family resources (parents, relatives, spouse, etc.)</b>				
None	18.7%	17.9%	19.6%	
Less than \$1,000	11.7%	10.4%	13.1%	
\$1,000 - \$2,999	8.9%	8.2%	9.6%	
\$3,000 - \$5,999	10.2%	7.9%	12.7%	
\$6,000 - \$9,999	7.8%	8.2%	7.3%	
\$10,000 +	42.8%	47.5%	37.7%	
Total (n)	540	280	260	
<b>My own resources (savings from work, work-study, other income)</b>				
None	34.6%	40.4%	28.5%	
Less than \$1,000	23.1%	20.4%	26.2%	
\$1,000 - \$2,999	32.6%	31.4%	33.8%	
\$3,000 - \$5,999	7.6%	5.7%	9.6%	
\$6,000 - \$9,999	1.3%	1.1%	1.5%	
\$10,000 +	0.7%	1.1%	0.4%	
Total (n)	540	280	260	
<b>Aid which need not be repaid (grants, scholarships, military funding, etc.)</b>				
None	38.0%	42.5%	33.1%	
Less than \$1,000	6.3%	7.1%	5.4%	
\$1,000 - \$2,999	8.1%	6.1%	10.4%	
\$3,000 - \$5,999	8.7%	6.8%	10.8%	
\$6,000 - \$9,999	11.3%	10.4%	12.3%	
\$10,000 +	27.6%	27.1%	28.1%	
Total (n)	540	280	260	

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How much of your first year's educational expenses (room, board, tuition, and fees) do you expect to cover from each of the sources listed below?				
<b>Aid which must be repaid (loans, etc.)</b>				
None	45.6%	49.3%	41.5%	
Less than \$1,000	2.8%	2.9%	2.7%	
\$1,000 - \$2,999	8.7%	8.9%	8.5%	
\$3,000 - \$5,999	28.5%	24.6%	32.7%	
\$6,000 - \$9,999	7.4%	8.2%	6.5%	
\$10,000 +	7.0%	6.1%	8.1%	
Total (n)	540	280	260	
<b>Other than above</b>				
None	94.1%	94.6%	93.5%	
Less than \$1,000	3.5%	3.2%	3.8%	
\$1,000 - \$2,999	0.7%	0.7%	0.8%	
\$3,000 - \$5,999	1.3%	1.1%	1.5%	
\$6,000 - \$9,999	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
\$10,000 +	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Total (n)	540	280	260	

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<b>What is your best estimate of your parents' income?</b>				
Less than \$10,000	6.3%	6.6%	5.9%	
\$10,000 to \$14,999	4.2%	2.9%	5.5%	
\$15,000 to \$19,999	5.5%	4.8%	6.3%	
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6.5%	6.6%	6.3%	
\$25,000 to \$29,999	4.8%	5.5%	4.0%	
\$30,000 to \$39,999	8.0%	7.4%	8.7%	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5.5%	5.1%	5.9%	
\$50,000 to \$59,999	5.1%	7.4%	2.8%	
\$60,000 to \$74,999	9.1%	6.3%	12.3%	
\$75,000 to \$99,999	10.3%	10.3%	10.3%	
\$100,000 to \$149,999	15.2%	15.4%	15.0%	
\$150,000 to \$199,999	10.3%	12.5%	7.9%	
\$200,000 to \$249,999	4.8%	3.3%	6.3%	
\$250,000 or more	4.4%	5.9%	2.8%	
Total (n)	525	272	253	
<b>Do you have any concern about your ability to finance your college education?</b>				
None (I am confident that I will have sufficient funds)	21.9%	28.2%	15.0%	
Some (but I probably will have enough funds)	66.1%	62.9%	69.7%	
Major (not sure I will have enough funds to complete college)	12.0%	8.9%	15.4%	
Total (n)	534	280	254	
Mean	1.90	1.81	2.00	
Standard deviation	0.57	0.58	0.55	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.33	0.34	0.30	



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<b>Your current religious preference</b>				
Baptist	3.9%	4.0%	3.9%	
Buddhist	6.8%	6.5%	7.0%	
Church of Christ	3.2%	3.6%	2.7%	
Eastern Orthodox	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Episcopalian	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Hindu	1.9%	1.4%	2.3%	
Jewish	3.0%	1.8%	4.3%	
LDS (Mormon)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Lutheran	0.9%	1.1%	0.8%	
Methodist	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
Muslim	1.5%	1.4%	1.6%	
Presbyterian	7.7%	7.6%	7.8%	
Quaker	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Roman Catholic	14.3%	13.0%	15.6%	
Seventh Day Adventist	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
United Church of Christ/Congregational	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other Christian	9.2%	8.7%	9.7%	
Other Religion	3.2%	4.3%	1.9%	
None	42.8%	44.9%	40.5%	
Total (n)	533	276	257	
<b>Father's current religious preference</b>				
Baptist	2.5%	2.2%	2.8%	
Buddhist	12.4%	12.2%	12.5%	
Church of Christ	3.5%	3.7%	3.2%	
Eastern Orthodox	0.8%	0.4%	1.2%	
Episcopalian	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Hindu	2.7%	1.9%	3.6%	
Jewish	4.1%	3.0%	5.2%	
LDS (Mormon)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Lutheran	1.7%	1.9%	1.6%	
Methodist	1.0%	1.1%	0.8%	
Muslim	2.1%	1.9%	2.4%	
Presbyterian	7.5%	6.7%	8.5%	
Quaker	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Roman Catholic	16.4%	16.3%	16.5%	
Seventh Day Adventist	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
United Church of Christ/Congregational	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Other Christian	8.9%	8.5%	9.3%	
Other Religion	3.9%	2.2%	5.6%	
None	31.5%	37.0%	25.4%	
Total (n)	518	270	248	

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<b>Mother's current religious preference</b>				
Baptist	2.8%	2.6%	3.1%	
Buddhist	13.1%	12.2%	14.0%	
Church of Christ	4.5%	4.1%	5.1%	
Eastern Orthodox	0.9%	0.7%	1.2%	
Episcopalian	0.4%	0.0%	0.8%	
Hindu	2.7%	2.2%	3.1%	
Jewish	3.0%	1.8%	4.3%	
LDS (Mormon)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Lutheran	1.5%	1.1%	1.9%	
Methodist	1.1%	1.1%	1.2%	
Muslim	1.5%	1.5%	1.6%	
Presbyterian	8.9%	8.5%	9.3%	
Quaker	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Roman Catholic	19.1%	17.0%	21.4%	
Seventh Day Adventist	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
United Church of Christ/Congregational	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Other Christian	11.0%	11.1%	10.9%	
Other Religion	3.6%	3.3%	3.9%	
None	24.4%	31.0%	17.5%	
Total (n)	528	271	257	
<b>For the activities below, indicate which ones you did during the past year.</b>				
<b>Attended a religious service</b>				
Frequently	31.2%	29.3%	33.2%	
Occasionally	30.0%	28.2%	32.0%	
Not at all	38.8%	42.5%	34.8%	
Total (n)	536	280	256	
Mean	1.92	1.87	1.98	
Standard deviation	0.83	0.84	0.83	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.70	0.70	0.68	
<b>Was bored in class</b>				
Frequently	40.3%	39.4%	41.2%	
Occasionally	55.4%	55.9%	54.9%	
Not at all	4.3%	4.7%	3.9%	
Total (n)	536	279	257	
Mean	2.36	2.35	2.37	
Standard deviation	0.56	0.57	0.56	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.32	0.32	0.31	

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<b>Participated in political demonstrations</b>				
Frequently	3.0%	2.5%	3.5%	
Occasionally	19.7%	18.7%	20.7%	
Not at all	77.3%	78.8%	75.8%	
Total (n)	534	278	256	
Mean	1.26	1.24	1.28	
Standard deviation	0.50	0.48	0.52	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.25	0.23	0.27	
<b>Tutored another student</b>				
Frequently	20.8%	18.8%	23.0%	
Occasionally	55.6%	55.6%	55.6%	
Not at all	23.6%	25.6%	21.4%	
Total (n)	534	277	257	
Mean	1.97	1.93	2.02	
Standard deviation	0.67	0.66	0.67	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.44	0.44	0.45	
<b>Studied with other students</b>				
Frequently	38.4%	32.5%	44.7%	
Occasionally	54.5%	59.6%	49.0%	
Not at all	7.1%	7.9%	6.2%	
Total (n)	534	277	257	
Mean	2.31	2.25	2.39	
Standard deviation	0.60	0.59	0.60	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.36	0.35	0.36	
<b>Was a guest in a teacher's home</b>				
Frequently	1.9%	1.4%	2.3%	
Occasionally	18.2%	17.6%	18.8%	
Not at all	80.0%	80.9%	78.9%	
Total (n)	534	278	256	
Mean	1.22	1.21	1.23	
Standard deviation	0.46	0.44	0.48	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.21	0.19	0.23	

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**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
For the activities below, indicate which ones you did during the past year.				
<b>Smoked cigarettes</b>				
Frequently	1.1%	0.7%	1.6%	
Occasionally	6.3%	6.4%	6.2%	
Not at all	92.6%	92.9%	92.2%	
Total (n)	537	280	257	
Mean	1.09	1.08	1.09	
Standard deviation	0.32	0.29	0.34	
SE Mean	0.01	0.02	0.02	
Variance	0.10	0.09	0.12	
<b>Drank beer</b>				
Frequently	4.5%	4.6%	4.3%	
Occasionally	25.4%	25.4%	25.5%	
Not at all	70.1%	70.0%	70.2%	
Total (n)	535	280	255	
Mean	1.34	1.35	1.34	
Standard deviation	0.56	0.57	0.56	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.32	0.32	0.31	
<b>Drank wine or liquor</b>				
Frequently	4.1%	3.6%	4.7%	
Occasionally	30.6%	28.4%	32.9%	
Not at all	65.3%	68.0%	62.4%	
Total (n)	533	278	255	
Mean	1.39	1.36	1.42	
Standard deviation	0.57	0.55	0.58	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.04	
Variance	0.32	0.30	0.34	
<b>Felt overwhelmed by all I had to do</b>				
Frequently	25.9%	15.1%	37.7%	
Occasionally	58.8%	59.1%	58.4%	
Not at all	15.3%	25.8%	3.9%	
Total (n)	536	279	257	
Mean	2.11	1.89	2.34	
Standard deviation	0.63	0.63	0.55	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.40	0.40	0.30	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
For the activities below, indicate which ones you did during the past year.				
<b>Felt depressed</b>				
Frequently	6.3%	3.6%	9.4%	
Occasionally	47.9%	45.7%	50.4%	
Not at all	45.7%	50.7%	40.2%	
Total (n)	536	280	256	
Mean	1.61	1.53	1.69	
Standard deviation	0.61	0.57	0.63	
SE Mean	0.03	0.03	0.04	
Variance	0.37	0.32	0.40	
<b>Performed volunteer work</b>				
Frequently	40.4%	33.9%	47.5%	
Occasionally	49.1%	52.3%	45.5%	
Not at all	10.5%	13.7%	7.0%	
Total (n)	534	277	257	
Mean	2.30	2.20	2.40	
Standard deviation	0.65	0.66	0.62	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.42	0.44	0.38	
<b>Played a musical instrument</b>				
Frequently	32.1%	38.0%	25.7%	
Occasionally	26.3%	25.1%	27.6%	
Not at all	41.6%	36.9%	46.7%	
Total (n)	536	279	257	
Mean	1.90	2.01	1.79	
Standard deviation	0.85	0.87	0.83	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.73	0.75	0.68	
<b>Asked a teacher for advice after class</b>				
Frequently	31.4%	27.1%	36.1%	
Occasionally	56.6%	58.9%	54.1%	
Not at all	12.0%	13.9%	9.8%	
Total (n)	535	280	255	
Mean	2.19	2.13	2.26	
Standard deviation	0.63	0.63	0.63	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.40	0.39	0.39	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>For the activities below, indicate which ones you did during the past year.</b>				
<b>Voted in a student election</b>				
Frequently	23.2%	21.5%	25.1%	
Occasionally	52.1%	51.3%	52.9%	
Not at all	24.7%	27.2%	22.0%	
Total (n)	534	279	255	
Mean	1.99	1.94	2.03	
Standard deviation	0.69	0.70	0.69	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.48	0.49	0.47	
<b>Socialized with someone of another racial/ethnic group</b>				
Frequently	77.1%	73.2%	81.3%	
Occasionally	20.3%	23.2%	17.1%	
Not at all	2.6%	3.6%	1.6%	
Total (n)	537	280	257	
Mean	2.74	2.70	2.80	
Standard deviation	0.49	0.53	0.44	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.24	0.28	0.19	
<b>Came late to class</b>				
Frequently	8.6%	9.3%	7.8%	
Occasionally	45.4%	47.1%	43.5%	
Not at all	46.0%	43.6%	48.6%	
Total (n)	535	280	255	
Mean	1.63	1.66	1.59	
Standard deviation	0.64	0.64	0.63	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.41	0.41	0.40	
<b>Used the Internet: For research or homework</b>				
Frequently	82.5%	77.9%	87.5%	
Occasionally	17.1%	21.4%	12.5%	
Not at all	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Total (n)	537	280	257	
Mean	2.82	2.77	2.88	
Standard deviation	0.39	0.44	0.33	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.02	
Variance	0.15	0.19	0.11	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
For the activities below, indicate which ones you did during the past year.				
<b>Used the Internet: To read news sites</b>				
Frequently	46.8%	49.5%	44.0%	
Occasionally	45.5%	43.0%	48.2%	
Not at all	7.6%	7.5%	7.8%	
Total (n)	536	279	257	
Mean	2.39	2.42	2.36	
Standard deviation	0.63	0.63	0.62	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.39	0.40	0.39	
<b>Used the Internet: To read blogs</b>				
Frequently	36.0%	35.5%	36.6%	
Occasionally	37.7%	38.0%	37.4%	
Not at all	26.3%	26.5%	26.1%	
Total (n)	536	279	257	
Mean	2.10	2.09	2.11	
Standard deviation	0.78	0.78	0.79	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.61	0.61	0.62	
<b>Used the Internet: To blog</b>				
Frequently	17.3%	15.5%	19.2%	
Occasionally	25.3%	25.2%	25.5%	
Not at all	57.4%	59.4%	55.3%	
Total (n)	533	278	255	
Mean	1.60	1.56	1.64	
Standard deviation	0.77	0.75	0.79	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.05	
Variance	0.59	0.56	0.62	
<b>Performed community service as part of a class</b>				
Frequently	14.2%	11.2%	17.5%	
Occasionally	42.1%	43.2%	40.9%	
Not at all	43.7%	45.7%	41.6%	
Total (n)	535	278	257	
Mean	1.70	1.65	1.76	
Standard deviation	0.70	0.67	0.73	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.05	
Variance	0.49	0.45	0.54	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
For the activities below, indicate which ones you did during the past year.				
<b>Discussed religion</b>				
Frequently	31.5%	28.5%	34.6%	
Occasionally	48.7%	49.5%	47.9%	
Not at all	19.9%	22.0%	17.5%	
Total (n)	534	277	257	
Mean	2.12	2.06	2.17	
Standard deviation	0.71	0.71	0.70	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.50	0.50	0.49	
<b>Discussed politics</b>				
Frequently	34.1%	34.3%	33.9%	
Occasionally	52.0%	52.3%	51.6%	
Not at all	13.9%	13.4%	14.6%	
Total (n)	531	277	254	
Mean	2.20	2.21	2.19	
Standard deviation	0.66	0.66	0.67	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.44	0.43	0.45	
<b>Skipped school/class</b>				
Frequently	2.6%	4.0%	1.2%	
Occasionally	29.2%	25.5%	33.1%	
Not at all	68.2%	70.5%	65.8%	
Total (n)	535	278	257	
Mean	1.34	1.33	1.35	
Standard deviation	0.53	0.55	0.50	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.28	0.30	0.25	



**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.				
<b>Academic ability</b>				Academic Self-concept
Highest 10%	24.9%	31.9%	17.2%	
Above average	58.1%	54.1%	62.5%	
Average	16.3%	13.6%	19.1%	
Below average	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Lowest 10%	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Total (n)	535	279	256	
Mean	4.07	4.18	3.95	
Standard deviation	0.67	0.66	0.66	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.45	0.44	0.43	
<b>Artistic ability</b>				
Highest 10%	10.5%	10.0%	11.0%	
Above average	28.2%	24.3%	32.5%	
Average	31.8%	31.1%	32.5%	
Below average	20.2%	21.4%	18.8%	
Lowest 10%	9.3%	13.2%	5.1%	
Total (n)	535	280	255	
Mean	3.10	2.96	3.25	
Standard deviation	1.13	1.18	1.05	
SE Mean	0.05	0.07	0.07	
Variance	1.27	1.39	1.10	
<b>Computer skills</b>				
Highest 10%	8.0%	14.0%	1.6%	
Above average	35.8%	44.8%	26.1%	
Average	44.2%	34.1%	55.3%	
Below average	10.6%	6.5%	15.2%	
Lowest 10%	1.3%	0.7%	1.9%	
Total (n)	536	279	257	
Mean	3.39	3.65	3.10	
Standard deviation	0.83	0.83	0.74	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.69	0.68	0.54	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.				
<b>Cooperativeness</b>				
Highest 10%	24.3%	24.7%	23.8%	
Above average	46.0%	42.7%	49.6%	
Average	27.7%	29.7%	25.4%	
Below average	1.9%	2.5%	1.2%	
Lowest 10%	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Total (n)	535	279	256	
Mean	3.92	3.89	3.96	
Standard deviation	0.78	0.82	0.73	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.61	0.67	0.54	
<b>Creativity</b>				
Highest 10%	16.0%	18.2%	13.6%	
Above average	39.9%	36.8%	43.2%	
Average	32.2%	31.1%	33.5%	
Below average	10.2%	11.1%	9.3%	
Lowest 10%	1.7%	2.9%	0.4%	
Total (n)	537	280	257	
Mean	3.58	3.56	3.60	
Standard deviation	0.93	1.00	0.85	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.87	1.01	0.72	
<b>Drive to achieve</b>				
Highest 10%	34.6%	35.7%	33.3%	Academic Self-concept
Above average	41.5%	37.1%	46.3%	
Average	21.3%	23.9%	18.4%	
Below average	2.4%	3.2%	1.6%	
Lowest 10%	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Total (n)	535	280	255	
Mean	4.08	4.05	4.11	
Standard deviation	0.82	0.85	0.78	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.67	0.72	0.61	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.</b>				
<b>Emotional health</b>				
Highest 10%	22.0%	29.0%	14.4%	
Above average	38.8%	41.2%	36.2%	
Average	31.5%	22.9%	40.9%	
Below average	6.3%	6.1%	6.6%	
Lowest 10%	1.3%	0.7%	1.9%	
Total (n)	536	279	257	
Mean	3.74	3.92	3.54	
Standard deviation	0.92	0.91	0.89	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.84	0.82	0.79	
<b>Leadership ability</b>				
Highest 10%	14.6%	15.4%	13.6%	Social Self-concept
Above average	37.7%	38.7%	36.6%	
Average	36.6%	35.8%	37.4%	
Below average	9.5%	8.6%	10.5%	
Lowest 10%	1.7%	1.4%	1.9%	
Total (n)	536	279	257	
Mean	3.54	3.58	3.49	
Standard deviation	0.91	0.90	0.92	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.83	0.81	0.85	
<b>Mathematical ability</b>				
Highest 10%	21.3%	30.8%	10.9%	Academic Self- concept
Above average	42.6%	42.3%	43.0%	
Average	25.4%	21.5%	29.7%	
Below average	10.1%	5.0%	15.6%	
Lowest 10%	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Total (n)	535	279	256	
Mean	3.74	3.98	3.48	
Standard deviation	0.92	0.87	0.91	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.86	0.76	0.83	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.</b>				
<b>Physical health</b>				
Highest 10%	16.0%	21.8%	9.7%	
Above average	37.6%	39.3%	35.8%	
Average	36.1%	28.9%	44.0%	
Below average	9.9%	9.6%	10.1%	
Lowest 10%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Total (n)	537	280	257	
Mean	3.59	3.73	3.44	
Standard deviation	0.89	0.92	0.82	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.78	0.85	0.67	
<b>Popularity</b>				
Highest 10%	4.7%	5.4%	3.9%	Social Self-concept
Above average	24.8%	27.9%	21.4%	
Average	54.7%	51.8%	58.0%	
Below average	12.5%	12.1%	12.8%	
Lowest 10%	3.4%	2.9%	3.9%	
Total (n)	537	280	257	
Mean	3.15	3.21	3.09	
Standard deviation	0.82	0.83	0.81	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.67	0.69	0.65	
<b>Public speaking ability</b>				
Highest 10%	12.0%	12.2%	11.7%	Social Self-concept
Above average	23.9%	25.8%	21.9%	
Average	39.3%	40.5%	37.9%	
Below average	20.0%	18.3%	21.9%	
Lowest 10%	4.9%	3.2%	6.6%	
Total (n)	535	279	256	
Mean	3.18	3.25	3.10	
Standard deviation	1.04	1.00	1.08	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.07	
Variance	1.08	1.00	1.17	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.				
<b>Self-confidence (intellectual)</b>				
Highest 10%	20.0%	26.8%	12.5%	Academic Self-concept
Above average	41.5%	44.3%	38.4%	
Average	32.1%	25.7%	39.2%	
Below average	5.8%	2.9%	9.0%	
Lowest 10%	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Total (n)	535	280	255	
Mean	3.75	3.94	3.53	
Standard deviation	0.86	0.82	0.85	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.74	0.67	0.73	
<b>Self-confidence (social)</b>				
Highest 10%	13.6%	16.4%	10.5%	Social Self-concept
Above average	30.0%	31.8%	28.0%	
Average	41.2%	40.4%	42.0%	
Below average	14.3%	10.7%	18.3%	
Lowest 10%	0.9%	0.7%	1.2%	
Total (n)	537	280	257	
Mean	3.41	3.53	3.28	
Standard deviation	0.93	0.92	0.92	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.86	0.84	0.85	
<b>Self-understanding</b>				
Highest 10%	22.9%	27.0%	18.4%	
Above average	38.6%	39.2%	38.0%	
Average	31.9%	27.0%	37.3%	
Below average	5.8%	5.8%	5.9%	
Lowest 10%	0.8%	1.1%	0.4%	
Total (n)	533	278	255	
Mean	3.77	3.85	3.68	
Standard deviation	0.89	0.92	0.85	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.80	0.85	0.73	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.</b>				
<b>Spirituality</b>				
Highest 10%	11.4%	11.8%	10.9%	
Above average	23.5%	24.4%	22.6%	
Average	37.9%	35.8%	40.1%	
Below average	17.4%	17.2%	17.5%	
Lowest 10%	9.9%	10.8%	8.9%	
Total (n)	536	279	257	
Mean	3.09	3.09	3.09	
Standard deviation	1.12	1.15	1.09	
SE Mean	0.05	0.07	0.07	
Variance	1.25	1.32	1.19	
<b>Understanding of others</b>				
Highest 10%	20.9%	19.8%	22.2%	
Above average	50.3%	47.8%	52.9%	
Average	26.9%	29.9%	23.7%	
Below average	1.5%	1.8%	1.2%	
Lowest 10%	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Total (n)	535	278	257	
Mean	3.90	3.84	3.96	
Standard deviation	0.75	0.78	0.71	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.56	0.61	0.51	
<b>Writing ability</b>				
Highest 10%	10.8%	10.8%	10.9%	
Above average	31.0%	27.3%	35.0%	
Average	42.4%	43.5%	41.2%	
Below average	13.5%	15.8%	10.9%	
Lowest 10%	2.2%	2.5%	1.9%	
Total (n)	535	278	257	
Mean	3.35	3.28	3.42	
Standard deviation	0.92	0.94	0.89	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	0.85	0.89	0.80	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.</b>				
<b>Ability to see the world from someone else's perspective</b>				Pluralistic Orientation
Highest 10%	25.2%	27.2%	23.0%	
Above average	49.3%	45.9%	53.1%	
Average	23.6%	24.4%	22.7%	
Below average	1.7%	2.2%	1.2%	
Lowest 10%	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Total (n)	535	279	256	
Mean	3.98	3.97	3.98	
Standard deviation	0.76	0.80	0.71	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.57	0.64	0.51	
<b>Tolerance of others with different beliefs</b>				Pluralistic Orientation
Highest 10%	38.1%	39.1%	37.1%	
Above average	46.2%	44.8%	47.7%	
Average	13.5%	12.5%	14.5%	
Below average	1.7%	2.9%	0.4%	
Lowest 10%	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
Total (n)	535	279	256	
Mean	4.20	4.19	4.21	
Standard deviation	0.77	0.81	0.72	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.60	0.66	0.53	
<b>Openness to having my own views challenged</b>				Pluralistic Orientation
Highest 10%	23.2%	25.4%	20.8%	
Above average	43.1%	42.3%	43.9%	
Average	28.1%	25.4%	31.0%	
Below average	4.7%	5.4%	3.9%	
Lowest 10%	0.9%	1.4%	0.4%	
Total (n)	534	279	255	
Mean	3.83	3.85	3.81	
Standard deviation	0.87	0.91	0.82	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.76	0.83	0.68	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.</b>				
<b>Ability to discuss and negotiate controversial issues</b>				Pluralistic Orientation
Highest 10%	25.7%	28.7%	22.4%	
Above average	41.9%	42.3%	41.6%	
Average	27.0%	24.0%	30.2%	
Below average	4.9%	3.9%	5.9%	
Lowest 10%	0.6%	1.1%	0.0%	
Total (n)	534	279	255	
Mean	3.87	3.94	3.80	
Standard deviation	0.87	0.88	0.85	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.76	0.78	0.73	
<b>Ability to work cooperatively with diverse people</b>				Pluralistic Orientation
Highest 10%	34.3%	36.2%	32.2%	
Above average	46.3%	44.1%	48.6%	
Average	18.9%	19.4%	18.4%	
Below average	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Lowest 10%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	534	279	255	
Mean	4.14	4.16	4.12	
Standard deviation	0.73	0.74	0.72	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.05	
Variance	0.54	0.55	0.52	
<b>What is the highest level of formal education obtained by your father?</b>				
Grammar school or less	6.8%	6.9%	6.7%	
Some high school	6.1%	6.5%	5.6%	
High school graduate	16.1%	17.0%	15.1%	
Postsecondary school other than college	1.5%	1.1%	2.0%	
Some college	11.4%	7.6%	15.5%	
College degree	25.8%	25.7%	25.8%	
Some graduate school	3.2%	4.0%	2.4%	
Graduate degree	29.2%	31.2%	27.0%	
Total (n)	528	276	252	



**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>What is the highest level of formal education obtained by your mother?</b>				
Grammar school or less	6.9%	6.8%	7.0%	
Some high school	6.4%	5.4%	7.4%	
High school graduate	13.9%	14.0%	13.7%	
Postsecondary school other than college	1.9%	1.8%	2.0%	
Some college	16.1%	12.9%	19.5%	
College degree	31.6%	34.2%	28.9%	
Some graduate school	3.0%	3.2%	2.7%	
Graduate degree	20.2%	21.6%	18.8%	
Total (n)	534	278	256	
<b>First generation in college</b>				
No	76.4%	75.2%	77.7%	
Yes	23.6%	24.8%	22.3%	
Total (n)	534	278	256	
<b>How often in the past year did you?</b>				
<b>Ask questions in class</b>				
Frequently	47.2%	40.9%	54.1%	Habits of Mind
Occasionally	48.3%	54.1%	42.0%	
Not at all	4.5%	5.0%	3.9%	
Total (n)	534	279	255	
Mean	2.43	2.36	2.50	
Standard deviation	0.58	0.58	0.57	
SE Mean	0.03	0.03	0.04	
Variance	0.34	0.33	0.33	
<b>Support your opinions with a logical argument</b>				
Frequently	61.2%	61.6%	60.8%	Habits of Mind
Occasionally	36.3%	35.5%	37.3%	
Not at all	2.4%	2.9%	2.0%	
Total (n)	534	279	255	
Mean	2.59	2.59	2.59	
Standard deviation	0.54	0.55	0.53	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.29	0.30	0.28	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>How often in the past year did you?</b>				
<b>Seek solutions to problems and explain them to others</b>				
Frequently	60.0%	57.7%	62.5%	Habits of Mind
Occasionally	38.5%	41.2%	35.5%	
Not at all	1.5%	1.1%	2.0%	
Total (n)	535	279	256	
Mean	2.59	2.57	2.61	
Standard deviation	0.52	0.52	0.53	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.27	0.27	0.28	
<b>Revise your papers to improve your writing</b>				
Frequently	47.2%	36.6%	58.8%	Habits of Mind
Occasionally	46.6%	53.4%	39.2%	
Not at all	6.2%	10.0%	2.0%	
Total (n)	534	279	255	
Mean	2.41	2.27	2.57	
Standard deviation	0.61	0.63	0.53	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.37	0.40	0.29	
<b>Evaluate the quality or reliability of information you received</b>				
Frequently	41.8%	41.6%	42.1%	Habits of Mind
Occasionally	55.0%	55.2%	54.7%	
Not at all	3.2%	3.2%	3.1%	
Total (n)	533	279	254	
Mean	2.39	2.38	2.39	
Standard deviation	0.55	0.55	0.55	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.30	0.30	0.30	
<b>Take a risk because you feel you have more to gain</b>				
Frequently	35.0%	34.5%	35.4%	Habits of Mind
Occasionally	58.8%	60.4%	57.1%	
Not at all	6.2%	5.1%	7.5%	
Total (n)	529	275	254	
Mean	2.29	2.29	2.28	
Standard deviation	0.57	0.56	0.59	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.04	
Variance	0.33	0.31	0.35	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>How often in the past year did you?</b>				
<b>Seek alternative solutions to a problem</b>				
Frequently	52.1%	52.0%	52.2%	Habits of Mind
Occasionally	46.1%	47.0%	45.1%	
Not at all	1.9%	1.1%	2.8%	
Total (n)	532	279	253	
Mean	2.50	2.51	2.49	
Standard deviation	0.54	0.52	0.55	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.29	0.27	0.31	
<b>Look up scientific research articles and resources</b>				
Frequently	25.4%	27.1%	23.5%	Habits of Mind
Occasionally	54.5%	54.9%	54.1%	
Not at all	20.1%	18.1%	22.4%	
Total (n)	532	277	255	
Mean	2.05	2.09	2.01	
Standard deviation	0.67	0.67	0.68	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.45	0.44	0.46	
<b>Explore topics on your own, even though it was not required for a class</b>				
Frequently	35.7%	37.2%	34.1%	Habits of Mind
Occasionally	51.3%	50.5%	52.2%	
Not at all	13.0%	12.3%	13.7%	
Total (n)	532	277	255	
Mean	2.23	2.25	2.20	
Standard deviation	0.66	0.66	0.66	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.44	0.43	0.44	
<b>Accept mistakes as part of the learning process</b>				
Frequently	60.3%	54.9%	66.3%	Habits of Mind
Occasionally	38.0%	42.2%	33.3%	
Not at all	1.7%	2.9%	0.4%	
Total (n)	532	277	255	
Mean	2.59	2.52	2.66	
Standard deviation	0.53	0.56	0.48	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.28	0.31	0.23	

2009 CIRP Freshman Survey  
First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>How often in the past year did you?</b>				
<b>Seek feedback on your academic work</b>				
Frequently	46.5%	36.9%	57.0%	Habits of Mind
Occasionally	48.8%	56.6%	40.2%	
Not at all	4.7%	6.5%	2.7%	
Total (n)	535	279	256	
Mean	2.42	2.30	2.54	
Standard deviation	0.58	0.58	0.55	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.34	0.34	0.30	
<b>Take notes during class</b>				
Frequently	71.2%	56.8%	86.7%	
Occasionally	25.5%	36.7%	13.3%	
Not at all	3.4%	6.5%	0.0%	
Total (n)	534	278	256	
Mean	2.68	2.50	2.87	
Standard deviation	0.54	0.62	0.34	
SE Mean	0.02	0.04	0.02	
Variance	0.29	0.38	0.12	
<b>Work with other students on class assignments</b>				
Frequently	58.5%	50.2%	67.6%	
Occasionally	40.0%	47.0%	32.4%	
Not at all	1.5%	2.9%	0.0%	
Total (n)	535	279	256	
Mean	2.57	2.47	2.68	
Standard deviation	0.52	0.55	0.47	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.28	0.31	0.22	

2009 CIRP Freshman Survey  
First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Student's probable career occupation (aggregated)				
Artist	6.1%	3.3%	9.1%	
Business	5.1%	5.9%	4.3%	
Business (clerical)	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Clergy	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
College teacher	1.0%	1.1%	0.8%	
Doctor (MD or DDS)	13.7%	14.8%	12.6%	
Education (secondary)	1.3%	1.8%	0.8%	
Education (elementary)	1.1%	0.0%	2.4%	
Engineer	19.8%	31.4%	7.5%	
Farmer or forester	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Health professional	7.6%	4.8%	10.6%	
Homemaker (full-time)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Lawyer	2.9%	1.8%	3.9%	
Military (career)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Nurse	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Research scientist	6.1%	5.9%	6.3%	
Social/welfare/recreation worker	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Skilled worker	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Semi-skilled worker	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Unskilled worker	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Unemployed	1.9%	2.2%	1.6%	
Other	11.0%	11.1%	11.0%	
Undecided	20.2%	14.8%	26.0%	
Total (n)	525	271	254	

2009 CIRP Freshman Survey  
First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Your father's occupation (aggregated)				
Artist	1.5%	2.2%	0.8%	
Business	22.4%	20.7%	24.2%	
Business (clerical)	1.7%	1.8%	1.6%	
Clergy	0.8%	0.4%	1.2%	
College teacher	1.3%	1.8%	0.8%	
Doctor (MD or DDS)	2.7%	3.3%	2.0%	
Education (secondary)	1.2%	1.1%	1.2%	
Education (elementary)	0.8%	0.7%	0.8%	
Engineer	13.7%	14.8%	12.5%	
Farmer or forester	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Health professional	1.3%	1.1%	1.6%	
Homemaker (full-time)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Lawyer	1.2%	1.5%	0.8%	
Military (career)	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Nurse	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Research scientist	2.3%	3.0%	1.6%	
Social/welfare/recreation worker	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Skilled worker	3.5%	1.8%	5.2%	
Semi-skilled worker	5.4%	4.8%	6.0%	
Unskilled worker	5.0%	3.7%	6.5%	
Unemployed	6.7%	5.5%	8.1%	
Other	27.6%	29.9%	25.0%	
Total (n)	519	271	248	

2009 CIRP Freshman Survey  
First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Your mother's occupation (aggregated)				
Artist	2.1%	2.9%	1.2%	
Business	15.0%	13.6%	16.5%	
Business (clerical)	3.4%	2.2%	4.7%	
Clergy	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
College teacher	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
Doctor (MD or DDS)	1.3%	2.2%	0.4%	
Education (secondary)	2.3%	1.8%	2.7%	
Education (elementary)	4.5%	3.7%	5.5%	
Engineer	3.4%	4.8%	2.0%	
Farmer or forester	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Health professional	5.3%	5.5%	5.1%	
Homemaker (full-time)	12.7%	11.7%	13.7%	
Lawyer	1.5%	0.7%	2.4%	
Military (career)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Nurse	3.6%	4.4%	2.7%	
Research scientist	0.9%	0.7%	1.2%	
Social/welfare/recreation worker	0.6%	1.1%	0.0%	
Skilled worker	1.9%	1.8%	2.0%	
Semi-skilled worker	4.5%	5.5%	3.5%	
Unskilled worker	3.2%	2.2%	4.3%	
Unemployed	11.0%	9.2%	12.9%	
Other	21.2%	24.2%	18.0%	
Total (n)	528	273	255	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Race/Ethnicity - mark all that apply (total may add to more than 100%)</b>				
American Indian/Alaska Native	0.7%	0.4%	1.2%	
Asian American/Asian	59.0%	61.5%	56.2%	
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	3.0%	2.9%	3.1%	
African American/Black	1.5%	0.4%	2.7%	
Mexican American/Chicano	8.2%	8.6%	7.8%	
Puerto Rican	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Other Latino	2.6%	2.5%	2.7%	
White/Caucasian	32.6%	31.3%	34.1%	
Other	6.7%	5.0%	8.5%	
Total (n)	536	278	258	
<b>Race/Ethnicity Group (with multiple race category)</b>				
American Indian	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Asian	54.5%	56.8%	51.9%	
Black	0.7%	0.4%	1.2%	
Hispanic	6.9%	7.6%	6.2%	
White	23.3%	23.4%	23.3%	
Other	4.3%	2.9%	5.8%	
Two or more races/ethnicities	10.3%	9.0%	11.6%	
Total (n)	536	278	258	
<b>Mark one in each row:</b>				
<b>There is too much concern in the courts for the rights of criminals</b>				
Agree strongly	6.6%	9.1%	3.9%	
Agree somewhat	45.7%	47.1%	44.1%	
Disagree somewhat	40.0%	36.2%	44.1%	
Disagree strongly	7.7%	7.6%	7.8%	
Total (n)	532	276	256	
Mean	2.51	2.58	2.44	
Standard deviation	0.73	0.76	0.69	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.54	0.58	0.48	



**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Mark one in each row:</b>				
<b>Abortion should be legal</b>				
Agree strongly	35.0%	33.5%	36.6%	
Agree somewhat	35.1%	36.3%	33.9%	
Disagree somewhat	15.5%	15.8%	15.2%	
Disagree strongly	14.4%	14.4%	14.4%	
Total (n)	535	278	257	
Mean	2.91	2.89	2.93	
Standard deviation	1.04	1.03	1.05	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.07	
Variance	1.07	1.06	1.09	
<b>Marijuana should be legalized</b>				
Agree strongly	13.6%	15.5%	11.6%	
Agree somewhat	32.3%	32.5%	32.2%	
Disagree somewhat	29.2%	26.7%	31.8%	
Disagree strongly	24.9%	25.3%	24.4%	
Total (n)	535	277	258	
Mean	2.35	2.38	2.31	
Standard deviation	1.00	1.03	0.97	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	1.00	1.06	0.94	
<b>Racial discrimination is no longer a major problem in America</b>				
Agree strongly	0.7%	1.4%	0.0%	
Agree somewhat	15.1%	18.4%	11.6%	
Disagree somewhat	44.9%	42.6%	47.3%	
Disagree strongly	39.3%	37.5%	41.1%	
Total (n)	535	277	258	
Mean	1.77	1.84	1.71	
Standard deviation	0.72	0.77	0.66	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.52	0.59	0.44	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Mark one in each row:</b>				
<b>Realistically, an individual can do little to bring about changes in our society</b>				
Agree strongly	6.1%	7.3%	4.7%	
Agree somewhat	24.4%	28.8%	19.7%	
Disagree somewhat	38.4%	36.5%	40.6%	
Disagree strongly	31.1%	27.4%	35.0%	
Total (n)	528	274	254	
Mean	2.05	2.16	1.94	
Standard deviation	0.89	0.91	0.86	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.80	0.83	0.74	
<b>Same-sex couples should have the right to legal marital status</b>				
Agree strongly	50.1%	39.9%	61.1%	
Agree somewhat	23.6%	27.9%	19.1%	
Disagree somewhat	12.0%	13.8%	10.1%	
Disagree strongly	14.3%	18.5%	9.7%	
Total (n)	533	276	257	
Mean	3.10	2.89	3.32	
Standard deviation	1.09	1.13	1.00	
SE Mean	0.05	0.07	0.06	
Variance	1.18	1.27	1.01	
<b>Only volunteers should serve in the armed forces</b>				
Agree strongly	34.9%	33.9%	35.9%	
Agree somewhat	36.6%	37.5%	35.5%	
Disagree somewhat	21.8%	21.3%	22.3%	
Disagree strongly	6.8%	7.2%	6.3%	
Total (n)	533	277	256	
Mean	3.00	2.98	3.01	
Standard deviation	0.92	0.92	0.91	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	0.84	0.84	0.84	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Mark one in each row:</b>				
<b>Dissent is a critical component of the political process</b>				
Agree strongly	20.8%	21.7%	19.9%	
Agree somewhat	55.1%	55.6%	54.5%	
Disagree somewhat	20.5%	17.7%	23.6%	
Disagree strongly	3.6%	5.1%	2.0%	
Total (n)	523	277	246	
Mean	2.93	2.94	2.92	
Standard deviation	0.74	0.77	0.72	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.55	0.59	0.51	
<b>Colleges have the right to ban extreme speakers from campus</b>				
Agree strongly	4.6%	5.5%	3.6%	
Agree somewhat	31.3%	38.6%	23.4%	
Disagree somewhat	39.9%	34.6%	45.6%	
Disagree strongly	24.2%	21.3%	27.4%	
Total (n)	524	272	252	
Mean	2.16	2.28	2.03	
Standard deviation	0.84	0.86	0.81	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.71	0.74	0.65	
<b>Students from disadvantaged social backgrounds should be given preferential treatment in college admissions</b>				
Agree strongly	6.2%	7.2%	5.1%	
Agree somewhat	36.2%	35.6%	36.8%	
Disagree somewhat	39.2%	38.5%	39.9%	
Disagree strongly	18.5%	18.7%	18.2%	
Total (n)	531	278	253	
Mean	2.30	2.31	2.29	
Standard deviation	0.84	0.86	0.82	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.71	0.74	0.67	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Mark one in each row:</b>				
<b>Colleges should prohibit racist/sexist speech on campus</b>				
Agree strongly	34.7%	33.9%	35.5%	
Agree somewhat	38.6%	35.0%	42.6%	
Disagree somewhat	18.9%	21.3%	16.4%	
Disagree strongly	7.7%	9.7%	5.5%	
Total (n)	533	277	256	
Mean	3.00	2.93	3.08	
Standard deviation	0.92	0.97	0.86	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.85	0.94	0.73	
<b>How would you characterize your political views?</b>				
Far left	2.9%	4.0%	1.6%	
Liberal	40.9%	34.2%	48.2%	
Middle-of-the-road	42.2%	45.5%	38.6%	
Conservative	13.9%	16.0%	11.6%	
Far right	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Total (n)	526	275	251	
<b>In deciding to go to college, how important to you was each of the following reasons?</b>				
<b>My parents wanted me to go</b>				
Very important	37.7%	36.0%	39.5%	
Somewhat important	41.5%	39.7%	43.5%	
Not important	20.8%	24.3%	16.9%	
Total (n)	520	272	248	
Mean	2.17	2.12	2.23	
Standard deviation	0.75	0.77	0.72	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.56	0.59	0.52	
<b>To be able to get a better job</b>				
Very important	81.7%	83.2%	80.2%	
Somewhat important	14.8%	12.1%	17.8%	
Not important	3.5%	4.8%	2.0%	
Total (n)	520	273	247	
Mean	2.78	2.78	2.78	
Standard deviation	0.49	0.52	0.46	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.24	0.27	0.21	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>In deciding to go to college, how important to you was each of the following reasons?</b>				
<b>To gain a general education and appreciation of ideas</b>				
Very important	73.6%	67.0%	80.7%	
Somewhat important	23.0%	27.5%	18.1%	
Not important	3.4%	5.5%	1.2%	
Total (n)	522	273	249	
Mean	2.70	2.62	2.80	
Standard deviation	0.53	0.59	0.43	
SE Mean	0.02	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.28	0.35	0.19	
<b>To make me a more cultured person</b>				
Very important	55.6%	47.8%	64.0%	
Somewhat important	35.1%	39.0%	30.8%	
Not important	9.4%	13.2%	5.2%	
Total (n)	522	272	250	
Mean	2.46	2.35	2.59	
Standard deviation	0.66	0.70	0.59	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.44	0.49	0.35	
<b>To be able to make more money</b>				
Very important	69.3%	74.6%	63.6%	
Somewhat important	25.7%	20.2%	31.6%	
Not important	5.0%	5.1%	4.8%	
Total (n)	522	272	250	
Mean	2.64	2.69	2.59	
Standard deviation	0.57	0.56	0.58	
SE Mean	0.03	0.03	0.04	
Variance	0.33	0.32	0.34	
<b>To learn more about things that interest me</b>				
Very important	82.4%	77.7%	87.6%	
Somewhat important	16.1%	19.4%	12.4%	
Not important	1.5%	2.9%	0.0%	
Total (n)	523	273	250	
Mean	2.81	2.75	2.88	
Standard deviation	0.43	0.50	0.33	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.02	
Variance	0.19	0.25	0.11	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?</b>				
<b>Studying/homework</b>				
None	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Less than one hour	6.3%	9.1%	3.2%	
1 to 2 hours	14.6%	16.3%	12.8%	
3 to 5 hours	24.7%	28.6%	20.4%	
6 to 10 hours	24.9%	23.6%	26.4%	
11 to 15 hours	14.4%	11.2%	18.0%	
16 to 20 hours	7.2%	4.3%	10.4%	
Over 20 hours	7.4%	6.2%	8.8%	
Total (n)	526	276	250	
Mean	4.77	4.47	5.10	
Standard deviation	1.58	1.56	1.55	
SE Mean	0.07	0.09	0.10	
Variance	2.51	2.44	2.39	
<b>Socializing with friends</b>				
None	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
Less than one hour	1.7%	1.1%	2.4%	
1 to 2 hours	8.9%	9.1%	8.8%	
3 to 5 hours	27.2%	26.5%	27.9%	
6 to 10 hours	27.0%	25.1%	29.1%	
11 to 15 hours	15.0%	14.9%	15.1%	
16 to 20 hours	7.2%	8.0%	6.4%	
Over 20 hours	12.4%	14.5%	10.0%	
Total (n)	526	275	251	
Mean	5.14	5.24	5.04	
Standard deviation	1.55	1.60	1.49	
SE Mean	0.07	0.10	0.09	
Variance	2.41	2.58	2.22	

2009 CIRP Freshman Survey  
First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?</b>				
<b>Talking with teachers outside of class</b>				
None	10.2%	14.1%	6.0%	
Less than one hour	44.1%	48.0%	39.8%	
1 to 2 hours	29.5%	24.5%	35.1%	
3 to 5 hours	12.9%	10.1%	15.9%	
6 to 10 hours	2.1%	2.5%	1.6%	
11 to 15 hours	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
16 to 20 hours	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Over 20 hours	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Total (n)	528	277	251	
Mean	2.57	2.42	2.74	
Standard deviation	1.02	1.00	1.03	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	1.05	1.00	1.06	
<b>Exercise or sports</b>				
None	5.9%	3.6%	8.4%	
Less than one hour	13.3%	9.4%	17.5%	
1 to 2 hours	20.5%	17.3%	23.9%	
3 to 5 hours	19.5%	20.2%	18.7%	
6 to 10 hours	18.0%	21.3%	14.3%	
11 to 15 hours	10.6%	13.7%	7.2%	
16 to 20 hours	5.1%	5.8%	4.4%	
Over 20 hours	7.2%	8.7%	5.6%	
Total (n)	528	277	251	
Mean	4.19	4.54	3.80	
Standard deviation	1.86	1.81	1.84	
SE Mean	0.08	0.11	0.12	
Variance	3.45	3.26	3.38	

2009 CIRP Freshman Survey  
First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?				
<b>Partying</b>				
None	42.4%	43.0%	41.8%	
Less than one hour	21.2%	22.4%	19.9%	
1 to 2 hours	16.5%	14.1%	19.1%	
3 to 5 hours	13.3%	13.0%	13.5%	
6 to 10 hours	4.2%	5.1%	3.2%	
11 to 15 hours	0.9%	0.7%	1.2%	
16 to 20 hours	0.9%	1.1%	0.8%	
Over 20 hours	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
Total (n)	528	277	251	
Mean	2.25	2.25	2.25	
Standard deviation	1.42	1.46	1.38	
SE Mean	0.06	0.09	0.09	
Variance	2.03	2.14	1.92	
<b>Working (for pay)</b>				
None	66.8%	74.6%	58.2%	
Less than one hour	1.9%	2.2%	1.6%	
1 to 2 hours	5.1%	5.1%	5.2%	
3 to 5 hours	6.6%	4.3%	9.2%	
6 to 10 hours	8.7%	6.2%	11.6%	
11 to 15 hours	3.4%	1.1%	6.0%	
16 to 20 hours	3.8%	2.5%	5.2%	
Over 20 hours	3.6%	4.0%	3.2%	
Total (n)	527	276	251	
Mean	2.32	1.99	2.69	
Standard deviation	2.11	1.94	2.23	
SE Mean	0.09	0.12	0.14	
Variance	4.47	3.78	4.98	



**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?</b>				
<b>Volunteer work</b>				
None	26.0%	30.8%	20.8%	
Less than one hour	17.9%	18.1%	17.6%	
1 to 2 hours	23.8%	22.5%	25.2%	
3 to 5 hours	18.6%	18.1%	19.2%	
6 to 10 hours	9.1%	6.2%	12.4%	
11 to 15 hours	1.9%	0.7%	3.2%	
16 to 20 hours	1.3%	1.4%	1.2%	
Over 20 hours	1.3%	2.2%	0.4%	
Total (n)	526	276	250	
Mean	2.85	2.70	3.01	
Standard deviation	1.57	1.61	1.51	
SE Mean	0.07	0.10	0.10	
Variance	2.47	2.60	2.28	
<b>Student clubs/groups</b>				
None	20.0%	29.7%	9.3%	
Less than one hour	12.8%	13.0%	12.5%	
1 to 2 hours	29.8%	27.2%	32.7%	
3 to 5 hours	21.8%	18.1%	25.8%	
6 to 10 hours	9.0%	5.8%	12.5%	
11 to 15 hours	3.2%	3.3%	3.2%	
16 to 20 hours	1.0%	1.1%	0.8%	
Over 20 hours	2.5%	1.8%	3.2%	
Total (n)	524	276	248	
Mean	3.13	2.80	3.49	
Standard deviation	1.60	1.62	1.50	
SE Mean	0.07	0.10	0.10	
Variance	2.56	2.62	2.25	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?</b>				
<b>Watching TV</b>				
None	14.8%	19.9%	9.2%	
Less than one hour	18.4%	15.9%	21.1%	
1 to 2 hours	21.6%	18.4%	25.1%	
3 to 5 hours	25.0%	24.9%	25.1%	
6 to 10 hours	13.1%	14.1%	12.0%	
11 to 15 hours	4.4%	4.0%	4.8%	
16 to 20 hours	0.8%	0.7%	0.8%	
Over 20 hours	2.1%	2.2%	2.0%	
Total (n)	528	277	251	
Mean	3.30	3.23	3.37	
Standard deviation	1.58	1.65	1.49	
SE Mean	0.07	0.10	0.09	
Variance	2.50	2.74	2.23	
<b>Household/childcare duties</b>				
None	22.3%	26.7%	17.5%	
Less than one hour	24.8%	23.1%	26.7%	
1 to 2 hours	28.6%	27.4%	29.9%	
3 to 5 hours	17.0%	15.5%	18.7%	
6 to 10 hours	4.5%	4.0%	5.2%	
11 to 15 hours	1.5%	2.2%	0.8%	
16 to 20 hours	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
Over 20 hours	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Total (n)	528	277	251	
Mean	2.66	2.58	2.75	
Standard deviation	1.32	1.36	1.28	
SE Mean	0.06	0.08	0.08	
Variance	1.75	1.85	1.64	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?</b>				
<b>Reading for pleasure</b>				
None	23.5%	31.4%	14.7%	
Less than one hour	24.4%	25.3%	23.5%	
1 to 2 hours	28.0%	23.5%	33.1%	
3 to 5 hours	14.2%	11.9%	16.7%	
6 to 10 hours	6.4%	6.1%	6.8%	
11 to 15 hours	2.1%	0.7%	3.6%	
16 to 20 hours	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Over 20 hours	1.1%	1.1%	1.2%	
Total (n)	528	277	251	
Mean	2.68	2.44	2.96	
Standard deviation	1.41	1.38	1.40	
SE Mean	0.06	0.08	0.09	
Variance	1.99	1.90	1.95	
<b>Playing video/computer games</b>				
None	33.9%	15.9%	53.8%	
Less than one hour	16.1%	11.6%	21.1%	
1 to 2 hours	17.0%	21.7%	12.0%	
3 to 5 hours	16.1%	23.5%	8.0%	
6 to 10 hours	8.5%	13.7%	2.8%	
11 to 15 hours	4.0%	6.5%	1.2%	
16 to 20 hours	1.1%	1.8%	0.4%	
Over 20 hours	3.2%	5.4%	0.8%	
Total (n)	528	277	251	
Mean	2.82	3.61	1.94	
Standard deviation	1.83	1.84	1.34	
SE Mean	0.08	0.11	0.08	
Variance	3.34	3.40	1.81	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?</b>				
<b>Online social networks (MySpace, Facebook, etc.)</b>				
None	8.9%	10.8%	6.8%	
Less than one hour	15.0%	16.2%	13.5%	
1 to 2 hours	20.6%	18.4%	23.1%	
3 to 5 hours	26.3%	26.4%	26.3%	
6 to 10 hours	15.9%	14.4%	17.5%	
11 to 15 hours	4.9%	3.6%	6.4%	
16 to 20 hours	3.4%	2.5%	4.4%	
Over 20 hours	4.9%	7.6%	2.0%	
Total (n)	528	277	251	
Mean	3.78	3.76	3.81	
Standard deviation	1.74	1.87	1.58	
SE Mean	0.08	0.11	0.10	
Variance	3.02	3.49	2.50	
<b>How important was each reason in your decision to come here?</b>				
<b>My parents wanted me to come here</b>				
Very important	21.1%	20.1%	22.2%	
Somewhat important	43.4%	39.6%	47.5%	
Not important	35.5%	40.3%	30.4%	
Total (n)	535	278	257	
Mean	1.86	1.80	1.92	
Standard deviation	0.74	0.75	0.72	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.55	0.57	0.52	
<b>My relatives wanted me to come here</b>				
Very important	5.0%	4.3%	5.8%	
Somewhat important	25.1%	22.3%	28.2%	
Not important	69.8%	73.4%	66.0%	
Total (n)	537	278	259	
Mean	1.35	1.31	1.40	
Standard deviation	0.57	0.55	0.60	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.04	
Variance	0.33	0.30	0.36	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>How important was each reason in your decision to come here?</b>				
<b>My teacher advised me</b>				
Very important	7.7%	6.9%	8.6%	
Somewhat important	30.9%	29.6%	32.4%	
Not important	61.3%	63.5%	59.0%	
Total (n)	530	274	256	
Mean	1.46	1.43	1.50	
Standard deviation	0.64	0.62	0.65	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.40	0.39	0.42	
<b>This college has a very good academic reputation</b>				College Reputation Orientation
Very important	76.4%	74.5%	78.6%	
Somewhat important	22.6%	24.5%	20.6%	
Not important	0.9%	1.1%	0.8%	
Total (n)	535	278	257	
Mean	2.76	2.73	2.78	
Standard deviation	0.45	0.47	0.43	
Variance	0.20	0.22	0.19	
<b>This college has a good reputation for its social activities</b>				
Very important	21.6%	18.7%	24.7%	
Somewhat important	47.3%	47.5%	47.1%	
Not important	31.1%	33.8%	28.2%	
Total (n)	537	278	259	
Mean	1.91	1.85	1.97	
Standard deviation	0.72	0.71	0.73	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.05	
Variance	0.52	0.50	0.53	
<b>I was offered financial assistance</b>				
Very important	36.2%	31.6%	41.1%	
Somewhat important	20.1%	18.5%	21.7%	
Not important	43.7%	49.8%	37.2%	
Total (n)	533	275	258	
Mean	1.92	1.82	2.04	
Standard deviation	0.89	0.89	0.89	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.80	0.78	0.78	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>How important was each reason in your decision to come here?</b>				
<b>The cost of attending this college</b>				
Very important	36.5%	34.7%	38.4%	
Somewhat important	38.0%	37.5%	38.4%	
Not important	25.6%	27.8%	23.1%	
Total (n)	532	277	255	
Mean	2.11	2.07	2.15	
Standard deviation	0.78	0.79	0.77	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.61	0.62	0.59	
<b>High school counselor advised me</b>				
Very important	8.5%	8.3%	8.7%	
Somewhat important	26.0%	27.1%	24.8%	
Not important	65.5%	64.6%	66.5%	
Total (n)	531	277	254	
Mean	1.43	1.44	1.42	
Standard deviation	0.64	0.64	0.65	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.42	0.41	0.42	
<b>Private college counselor advised me</b>				
Very important	3.2%	3.3%	3.1%	
Somewhat important	11.7%	12.3%	11.0%	
Not important	85.1%	84.4%	85.8%	
Total (n)	530	276	254	
Mean	1.18	1.19	1.17	
Standard deviation	0.46	0.47	0.46	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.21	0.22	0.21	
<b>I wanted to live near home</b>				
Very important	10.7%	8.7%	13.0%	
Somewhat important	23.7%	21.7%	26.0%	
Not important	65.5%	69.7%	61.0%	
Total (n)	531	277	254	
Mean	1.45	1.39	1.52	
Standard deviation	0.68	0.64	0.72	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.46	0.41	0.51	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>How important was each reason in your decision to come here?</b>				
<b>Not offered aid by first choice</b>				
Very important	9.8%	8.7%	10.9%	
Somewhat important	12.6%	16.7%	8.2%	
Not important	77.6%	74.5%	80.9%	
Total (n)	532	275	257	
Mean	1.32	1.34	1.30	
Standard deviation	0.64	0.63	0.66	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.41	0.40	0.43	
<b>Could not afford first choice</b>				
Very important	8.0%	5.8%	10.4%	
Somewhat important	11.6%	13.8%	9.2%	
Not important	80.4%	80.4%	80.5%	
Total (n)	526	275	251	
Mean	1.28	1.25	1.30	
Standard deviation	0.60	0.55	0.65	
SE Mean	0.03	0.03	0.04	
Variance	0.36	0.31	0.42	
<b>This college's graduates gain admission to top graduate/professional schools</b>				College Reputation Orientation
Very important	43.4%	38.5%	48.6%	
Somewhat important	39.4%	40.4%	38.4%	
Not important	17.2%	21.1%	12.9%	
Total (n)	530	275	255	
Mean	2.26	2.17	2.36	
Standard deviation	0.73	0.75	0.70	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.54	0.57	0.49	
<b>This college's graduates get good jobs</b>				College Reputation Orientation
Very important	56.6%	50.7%	62.9%	
Somewhat important	33.1%	35.3%	30.7%	
Not important	10.3%	14.0%	6.4%	
Total (n)	523	272	251	
Mean	2.46	2.37	2.57	
Standard deviation	0.68	0.72	0.61	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.46	0.51	0.37	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>How important was each reason in your decision to come here?</b>				
<b>I was attracted by the religious affiliation/orientation of the college</b>				
Very important	1.9%	1.8%	2.0%	
Somewhat important	11.2%	12.4%	9.9%	
Not important	86.9%	85.8%	88.1%	
Total (n)	527	274	253	
Mean	1.15	1.16	1.14	
Standard deviation	0.41	0.41	0.40	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.17	0.17	0.16	
<b>I wanted to go to a school about the size of this college</b>				
Very important	15.0%	13.7%	16.4%	
Somewhat important	45.8%	46.2%	45.3%	
Not important	39.2%	40.1%	38.3%	
Total (n)	533	277	256	
Mean	1.76	1.74	1.78	
Standard deviation	0.70	0.69	0.71	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.48	0.47	0.50	
<b>Rankings in national magazines</b>				
Very important	38.5%	38.0%	39.1%	
Somewhat important	41.7%	39.4%	44.2%	
Not important	19.7%	22.6%	16.7%	
Total (n)	532	274	258	
Mean	2.19	2.15	2.22	
Standard deviation	0.74	0.76	0.71	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.55	0.58	0.51	
<b>Information from a website</b>				
Very important	25.2%	22.5%	28.1%	
Somewhat important	44.6%	41.1%	48.4%	
Not important	30.1%	36.4%	23.4%	
Total (n)	531	275	256	
Mean	1.95	1.86	2.05	
Standard deviation	0.74	0.76	0.72	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.55	0.57	0.52	



**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>How important was each reason in your decision to come here?</b>				
<b>I was admitted through an Early Action or Early Decision program</b>				
Very important	2.7%	3.3%	2.0%	
Somewhat important	7.0%	8.7%	5.2%	
Not important	90.3%	88.0%	92.8%	
Total (n)	527	276	251	
Mean	1.12	1.15	1.09	
Standard deviation	0.40	0.44	0.35	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.02	
Variance	0.16	0.19	0.12	
<b>The athletic department recruited me</b>				
Very important	3.4%	4.7%	2.0%	
Somewhat important	5.3%	7.2%	3.2%	
Not important	91.3%	88.0%	94.9%	
Total (n)	529	276	253	
Mean	1.12	1.17	1.07	
Standard deviation	0.42	0.48	0.33	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.02	
Variance	0.17	0.23	0.11	
<b>A visit to campus</b>				
Very important	27.3%	22.4%	32.7%	
Somewhat important	40.3%	39.7%	40.9%	
Not important	32.4%	37.9%	26.4%	
Total (n)	531	277	254	
Mean	1.95	1.84	2.06	
Standard deviation	0.77	0.76	0.77	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.60	0.58	0.59	
<b>Ability to take online courses</b>				
Very important	0.8%	0.7%	0.8%	
Somewhat important	8.8%	10.1%	7.5%	
Not important	90.4%	89.2%	91.8%	
Total (n)	532	277	255	
Mean	1.10	1.12	1.09	
Standard deviation	0.33	0.34	0.31	
SE Mean	0.01	0.02	0.02	
Variance	0.11	0.12	0.10	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Student's probable field of study/major (aggregated)</b>				
Agriculture	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Biological Science	18.8%	16.8%	21.0%	
Business	3.8%	4.4%	3.1%	
Education	1.1%	1.1%	1.2%	
Engineering	25.6%	40.1%	10.1%	
English	1.5%	0.4%	2.7%	
Health Professional	5.6%	4.0%	7.4%	
History or Political Science	5.5%	3.3%	7.8%	
Humanities	2.4%	2.2%	2.7%	
Fine Arts	4.3%	4.0%	4.7%	
Mathematics or Statistics	1.3%	0.7%	1.9%	
Physical Science	5.6%	5.5%	5.8%	
Social Science	10.4%	6.9%	14.0%	
Other Technical	4.0%	5.8%	1.9%	
Other Non-technical	3.6%	1.5%	5.8%	
Undecided	6.4%	3.3%	9.7%	
Total (n)	531	274	257	
<b>Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:</b>				
<b>Becoming accomplished in one of the performing arts (acting, dancing, etc.)</b>				
Essential	8.0%	7.2%	8.8%	
Very important	9.5%	8.7%	10.4%	
Somewhat important	30.0%	28.5%	31.5%	
Not important	52.5%	55.6%	49.2%	
Total (n)	537	277	260	
Mean	1.73	1.68	1.79	
Standard deviation	0.93	0.91	0.95	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.87	0.83	0.91	
<b>Becoming an authority in my field</b>				
Essential	21.7%	24.3%	18.9%	
Very important	32.5%	30.1%	35.1%	
Somewhat important	35.9%	34.8%	37.1%	
Not important	9.9%	10.9%	8.9%	
Total (n)	535	276	259	
Mean	2.66	2.68	2.64	
Standard deviation	0.93	0.96	0.89	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	0.86	0.92	0.79	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:				
<b>Obtaining recognition from my colleagues for contributions to my special field</b>				
Essential	17.0%	19.9%	13.9%	
Very important	40.3%	38.3%	42.5%	
Somewhat important	33.4%	32.1%	34.7%	
Not important	9.3%	9.7%	8.9%	
Total (n)	536	277	259	
Mean	2.65	2.68	2.61	
Standard deviation	0.87	0.90	0.83	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.76	0.81	0.70	
<b>Influencing the political structure</b>				
Essential	6.9%	7.6%	6.2%	
Very important	14.7%	14.4%	15.1%	
Somewhat important	37.3%	35.4%	39.4%	
Not important	41.0%	42.6%	39.4%	
Total (n)	536	277	259	
Mean	1.88	1.87	1.88	
Standard deviation	0.91	0.93	0.88	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.82	0.86	0.78	
<b>Influencing social values</b>				
Essential	11.0%	11.9%	10.1%	Social Agency
Very important	28.8%	23.8%	34.1%	
Somewhat important	41.3%	43.0%	39.5%	
Not important	18.9%	21.3%	16.3%	
Total (n)	535	277	258	
Mean	2.32	2.26	2.38	
Standard deviation	0.90	0.93	0.88	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.82	0.86	0.77	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:				
<b>Raising a family</b>				
Essential	40.2%	40.2%	40.2%	
Very important	31.4%	34.8%	27.8%	
Somewhat important	19.6%	19.2%	20.1%	
Not important	8.8%	5.8%	12.0%	
Total (n)	535	276	259	
Mean	3.03	3.09	2.96	
Standard deviation	0.97	0.91	1.04	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.95	0.82	1.08	
<b>Being very well off financially</b>				
Essential	44.3%	48.7%	39.6%	
Very important	35.2%	33.6%	36.9%	
Somewhat important	18.4%	15.5%	21.5%	
Not important	2.0%	2.2%	1.9%	
Total (n)	537	277	260	
Mean	3.22	3.29	3.14	
Standard deviation	0.81	0.81	0.82	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.66	0.65	0.67	
<b>Helping others who are in difficulty</b>				
Essential	26.5%	24.9%	28.2%	
Very important	43.1%	40.1%	46.3%	
Somewhat important	27.4%	30.7%	23.9%	
Not important	3.0%	4.3%	1.5%	
Total (n)	536	277	259	Social Agency
Mean	2.93	2.86	3.01	
Standard deviation	0.81	0.84	0.76	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.66	0.71	0.59	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:				
<b>Making a theoretical contribution to science</b>				
Essential	13.2%	17.3%	8.8%	
Very important	23.5%	25.6%	21.2%	
Somewhat important	30.9%	28.5%	33.5%	
Not important	32.4%	28.5%	36.5%	
Total (n)	537	277	260	
Mean	2.18	2.32	2.02	
Standard deviation	1.03	1.07	0.97	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	1.06	1.14	0.93	
<b>Writing original works (poems, novels, short stories, etc.)</b>				
Essential	6.5%	6.1%	6.9%	
Very important	8.6%	7.2%	10.0%	
Somewhat important	27.4%	27.8%	27.0%	
Not important	57.5%	58.8%	56.0%	
Total (n)	536	277	259	
Mean	1.64	1.61	1.68	
Standard deviation	0.89	0.87	0.92	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.79	0.75	0.84	
<b>Creating artistic works (painting, sculpture, decorating, etc.)</b>				
Essential	6.4%	5.8%	7.0%	
Very important	12.5%	10.8%	14.3%	
Somewhat important	26.4%	20.2%	32.9%	
Not important	54.8%	63.2%	45.7%	
Total (n)	535	277	258	
Mean	1.70	1.59	1.83	
Standard deviation	0.92	0.90	0.92	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.84	0.81	0.85	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:				
<b>Becoming successful in a business of my own</b>				
Essential	15.9%	17.4%	14.3%	
Very important	24.1%	26.4%	21.6%	
Somewhat important	32.9%	32.2%	33.6%	
Not important	27.1%	23.9%	30.5%	
Total (n)	535	276	259	
Mean	2.29	2.37	2.20	
Standard deviation	1.03	1.03	1.03	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	1.07	1.06	1.06	
<b>Becoming involved in programs to clean up the environment</b>				
Essential	8.4%	5.8%	11.2%	
Very important	23.3%	20.2%	26.6%	
Somewhat important	46.3%	45.5%	47.1%	
Not important	22.0%	28.5%	15.1%	
Total (n)	536	277	259	
Mean	2.18	2.03	2.34	
Standard deviation	0.87	0.85	0.87	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.76	0.72	0.75	
<b>Developing a meaningful philosophy of life</b>				
Essential	25.0%	22.4%	27.7%	
Very important	30.5%	28.5%	32.7%	
Somewhat important	30.9%	32.9%	28.8%	
Not important	13.6%	16.2%	10.8%	
Total (n)	537	277	260	
Mean	2.67	2.57	2.77	
Standard deviation	1.00	1.01	0.97	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	0.99	1.02	0.95	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:				
<b>Participating in a community action program</b>				
Essential	6.9%	6.5%	7.3%	Social Agency
Very important	19.0%	13.0%	25.5%	
Somewhat important	48.9%	50.2%	47.5%	
Not important	25.2%	30.3%	19.7%	
Total (n)	536	277	259	
Mean	2.08	1.96	2.20	
Standard deviation	0.84	0.83	0.84	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.71	0.69	0.71	
<b>Helping to promote racial understanding</b>				
Essential	11.4%	10.5%	12.4%	Social Agency
Very important	25.6%	21.3%	30.1%	
Somewhat important	42.2%	43.3%	40.9%	
Not important	20.9%	24.9%	16.6%	
Total (n)	536	277	259	
Mean	2.27	2.17	2.38	
Standard deviation	0.92	0.92	0.90	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	0.85	0.85	0.82	
<b>Keeping up to date with political affairs</b>				
Essential	11.9%	11.6%	12.4%	Social Agency
Very important	25.6%	26.0%	25.1%	
Somewhat important	38.2%	36.8%	39.8%	
Not important	24.3%	25.6%	22.8%	
Total (n)	536	277	259	
Mean	2.25	2.23	2.27	
Standard deviation	0.96	0.96	0.95	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	0.91	0.93	0.90	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:				
<b>Becoming a community leader</b>				
Essential	9.2%	9.7%	8.5%	Social Agency
Very important	21.7%	22.4%	20.9%	
Somewhat important	40.6%	37.9%	43.4%	
Not important	28.6%	30.0%	27.1%	
Total (n)	535	277	258	
Mean	2.11	2.12	2.11	
Standard deviation	0.93	0.95	0.90	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	0.86	0.90	0.81	
<b>Improving my understanding of other countries and cultures</b>				
Essential	22.4%	18.5%	26.6%	
Very important	35.7%	32.2%	39.4%	
Somewhat important	31.8%	34.8%	28.6%	
Not important	10.1%	14.5%	5.4%	
Total (n)	535	276	259	
Mean	2.70	2.55	2.87	
Standard deviation	0.93	0.95	0.87	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.86	0.91	0.76	
<b>Adopting "green" practices to protect the environment</b>				
Essential	18.9%	15.2%	22.9%	
Very important	32.5%	29.2%	36.0%	
Somewhat important	35.7%	37.5%	33.7%	
Not important	12.9%	18.1%	7.4%	
Total (n)	535	277	258	
Mean	2.57	2.42	2.74	
Standard deviation	0.94	0.95	0.89	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	0.88	0.91	0.80	



**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>What is your best guess as to the chances that you will:</b>				
<b>Change major field</b>				
Very good chance	23.6%	23.3%	24.0%	
Some chance	39.9%	39.1%	40.7%	
Very little chance	27.0%	26.9%	27.1%	
No chance	9.5%	10.8%	8.1%	
Total (n)	537	279	258	
Mean	2.78	2.75	2.81	
Standard deviation	0.92	0.93	0.90	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	0.84	0.87	0.80	
<b>Change career choice</b>				
Very good chance	20.4%	15.5%	25.6%	
Some chance	46.2%	47.7%	44.6%	
Very little chance	24.5%	26.0%	22.9%	
No chance	9.0%	10.8%	7.0%	
Total (n)	535	277	258	
Mean	2.78	2.68	2.89	
Standard deviation	0.87	0.86	0.87	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.76	0.75	0.75	
<b>Participate in student government</b>				Likelihood of College Involvement
Very good chance	6.3%	4.7%	8.1%	
Some chance	30.0%	24.9%	35.5%	
Very little chance	40.3%	43.0%	37.5%	
No chance	23.3%	27.4%	18.9%	
Total (n)	536	277	259	
Mean	2.19	2.07	2.33	
Standard deviation	0.87	0.84	0.87	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.75	0.71	0.76	
<b>Get a job to help pay for college expenses</b>				
Very good chance	51.4%	45.7%	57.5%	
Some chance	31.1%	31.3%	30.9%	
Very little chance	13.0%	15.5%	10.4%	
No chance	4.5%	7.6%	1.2%	
Total (n)	537	278	259	
Mean	3.29	3.15	3.45	
Standard deviation	0.86	0.95	0.73	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.74	0.89	0.53	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>What is your best guess as to the chances that you will:</b>				
<b>Work full-time while attending college</b>				
Very good chance	3.9%	3.2%	4.7%	
Some chance	17.0%	18.3%	15.6%	
Very little chance	47.6%	46.2%	49.0%	
No chance	31.5%	32.3%	30.7%	
Total (n)	536	279	257	
Mean	1.93	1.92	1.94	
Standard deviation	0.80	0.79	0.81	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.64	0.63	0.65	
<b>Join a social fraternity or sorority</b>				
Very good chance	4.7%	3.6%	5.8%	
Some chance	23.1%	23.8%	22.3%	
Very little chance	35.2%	37.5%	32.7%	
No chance	37.1%	35.0%	39.2%	
Total (n)	537	277	260	
Mean	1.95	1.96	1.95	
Standard deviation	0.89	0.86	0.92	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.79	0.73	0.85	
<b>Play club, intramural, or recreational sports</b>				
Very good chance	27.2%	30.9%	23.3%	
Some chance	37.3%	37.8%	36.8%	
Very little chance	22.2%	21.2%	23.3%	
No chance	13.2%	10.1%	16.7%	
Total (n)	536	278	258	
Mean	2.79	2.90	2.67	
Standard deviation	0.99	0.96	1.01	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	0.98	0.92	1.02	
<b>Play intercollegiate athletics (eg., NCAA or NAIA-sponsored)</b>				
Very good chance	6.9%	9.4%	4.2%	
Some chance	9.1%	11.9%	6.2%	
Very little chance	27.9%	32.0%	23.6%	
No chance	56.1%	46.8%	66.0%	
Total (n)	537	278	259	
Mean	1.67	1.84	1.49	
Standard deviation	0.91	0.97	0.79	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.82	0.94	0.63	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>What is your best guess as to the chances that you will:</b>				
<b>Make at least a "B" average</b>				
Very good chance	63.2%	66.4%	59.8%	
Some chance	34.7%	30.3%	39.4%	
Very little chance	1.9%	2.9%	0.8%	
No chance	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Total (n)	536	277	259	
Mean	3.61	3.63	3.59	
Standard deviation	0.54	0.56	0.51	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.29	0.31	0.26	
<b>Need extra time to complete your degree requirements</b>				
Very good chance	6.7%	7.2%	6.2%	
Some chance	37.5%	38.7%	36.3%	
Very little chance	43.5%	39.8%	47.5%	
No chance	12.3%	14.3%	10.0%	
Total (n)	538	279	259	
Mean	2.39	2.39	2.39	
Standard deviation	0.79	0.82	0.75	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.62	0.67	0.56	
<b>Participate in student protests or demonstrations</b>				
Very good chance	7.4%	5.4%	9.7%	
Some chance	25.9%	21.9%	30.1%	
Very little chance	44.1%	47.1%	40.9%	
No chance	22.5%	25.5%	19.3%	
Total (n)	537	278	259	
Mean	2.18	2.07	2.30	
Standard deviation	0.87	0.83	0.89	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.75	0.69	0.79	
<b>Transfer to another college before graduating</b>				
Very good chance	5.8%	6.5%	5.0%	
Some chance	18.2%	17.6%	18.9%	
Very little chance	44.1%	44.6%	43.6%	
No chance	31.8%	31.3%	32.4%	
Total (n)	537	278	259	
Mean	1.98	1.99	1.97	
Standard deviation	0.86	0.87	0.85	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.73	0.75	0.72	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>What is your best guess as to the chances that you will:</b>				
<b>Be satisfied with your college</b>				
Very good chance	46.9%	43.9%	50.2%	
Some chance	49.3%	50.7%	47.9%	
Very little chance	3.7%	5.4%	1.9%	
No chance	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	535	278	257	
Mean	3.43	3.38	3.48	
Standard deviation	0.57	0.59	0.54	
SE Mean	0.02	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.32	0.35	0.29	
<b>Participate in volunteer or community service work</b>				
Very good chance	30.0%	18.0%	43.0%	Likelihood of College Involvement
Some chance	45.0%	47.1%	42.6%	
Very little chance	20.7%	27.7%	13.2%	
No chance	4.3%	7.2%	1.2%	
Total (n)	536	278	258	
Mean	3.01	2.76	3.28	
Standard deviation	0.82	0.83	0.73	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.68	0.69	0.53	
<b>Seek personal counseling</b>				
Very good chance	13.3%	9.4%	17.4%	
Some chance	35.1%	35.7%	34.5%	
Very little chance	39.8%	41.9%	37.6%	
No chance	11.8%	13.0%	10.5%	
Total (n)	535	277	258	
Mean	2.50	2.42	2.59	
Standard deviation	0.87	0.83	0.90	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.75	0.69	0.80	
<b>Communicate regularly with your professors</b>				
Very good chance	35.3%	31.8%	39.0%	
Some chance	50.4%	52.7%	47.9%	
Very little chance	12.7%	13.4%	12.0%	
No chance	1.7%	2.2%	1.2%	
Total (n)	536	277	259	
Mean	3.19	3.14	3.25	
Standard deviation	0.71	0.72	0.70	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.51	0.52	0.50	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>What is your best guess as to the chances that you will:</b>				
<b>Socialize with someone of another racial/ethnic group</b>				Likelihood of College Involvement
Very good chance	79.9%	74.5%	85.7%	
Some chance	17.9%	22.3%	13.1%	
Very little chance	2.2%	3.2%	1.2%	
No chance	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	537	278	259	
Mean	3.78	3.71	3.85	
Standard deviation	0.47	0.52	0.39	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.02	
Variance	0.22	0.27	0.15	
<b>Participate in student clubs/groups</b>				Likelihood of College Involvement
Very good chance	51.6%	41.7%	62.2%	
Some chance	38.7%	43.2%	34.0%	
Very little chance	7.8%	11.9%	3.5%	
No chance	1.9%	3.2%	0.4%	
Total (n)	537	278	259	
Mean	3.40	3.23	3.58	
Standard deviation	0.71	0.78	0.58	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.51	0.61	0.34	
<b>Participate in a study abroad program</b>				Likelihood of College Involvement
Very good chance	34.0%	22.6%	46.2%	
Some chance	37.1%	39.1%	35.0%	
Very little chance	21.3%	28.0%	14.2%	
No chance	7.6%	10.4%	4.6%	
Total (n)	539	279	260	
Mean	2.97	2.74	3.23	
Standard deviation	0.93	0.93	0.86	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.86	0.86	0.74	
<b>Have a roommate of different race/ethnicity</b>				
Very good chance	68.5%	62.7%	74.7%	
Some chance	21.1%	22.6%	19.5%	
Very little chance	7.8%	11.5%	3.9%	
No chance	2.6%	3.2%	1.9%	
Total (n)	536	279	257	
Mean	3.55	3.45	3.67	
Standard deviation	0.75	0.82	0.65	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.56	0.67	0.42	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>What is your best guess as to the chances that you will:</b>				
<b>Discuss course content with students outside of class</b>				
Very good chance	64.9%	59.1%	71.0%	
Some chance	31.2%	34.8%	27.4%	
Very little chance	3.7%	5.7%	1.5%	
No chance	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Total (n)	538	279	259	
Mean	3.61	3.53	3.69	
Standard deviation	0.57	0.62	0.49	
SE Mean	0.02	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.32	0.39	0.24	
<b>Work on a professor's research project</b>				
Very good chance	31.9%	33.3%	30.4%	
Some chance	49.4%	47.3%	51.5%	
Very little chance	15.8%	16.1%	15.4%	
No chance	3.0%	3.2%	2.7%	
Total (n)	539	279	260	
Mean	3.10	3.11	3.10	
Standard deviation	0.77	0.78	0.75	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.59	0.61	0.56	
<b>Do you give the Higher Education Research Institute (HERI) permission to include your ID number should your college request the data for additional research analyses?</b>				
Yes	54.0%	52.0%	56.1%	
No	46.0%	48.0%	43.9%	
Total (n)	491	252	239	

2009 CIRP Freshman Survey  
First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Student's probable career occupation (disaggregated)</b>				
Accountant or actuary	0.8%	1.1%	0.4%	
Actor or entertainer	1.7%	1.5%	2.0%	
Architect or urban planner	1.0%	1.1%	0.8%	
Artist	1.9%	0.4%	3.5%	
Business (clerical)	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Business executive (management, administrator)	3.2%	3.7%	2.8%	
Business owner or proprietor	1.1%	1.1%	1.2%	
Business salesperson or buyer	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Clergy (minister, priest)	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Clergy (other religious)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Clinical psychologist	0.8%	0.0%	1.6%	
College administrator/staff	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
College teacher	1.0%	1.1%	0.8%	
Computer programmer or analyst	3.6%	5.5%	1.6%	
Conservationist or forester	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Dentist (including orthodontist)	1.0%	1.8%	0.0%	
Dietitian or nutritionist	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Engineer	19.8%	31.4%	7.5%	
Farmer or rancher	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Foreign service worker (including diplomat)	0.8%	0.4%	1.2%	
Homemaker (full-time)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Interior decorator (including designer)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Lab technician or hygienist	1.0%	0.4%	1.6%	
Law enforcement officer	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Lawyer (attorney) or judge	2.9%	1.8%	3.9%	
Military service (career)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Musician (performer, composer)	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Nurse	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Optometrist	1.1%	0.7%	1.6%	
Pharmacist	4.4%	3.3%	5.5%	
Physician	12.8%	12.9%	12.6%	
Policymaker/Government	0.8%	0.7%	0.8%	
School counselor	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
School principal or superintendent	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Scientific researcher	6.1%	5.9%	6.3%	
Social, welfare, or recreation worker	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Therapist (physical, occupational, speech)	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Teacher or administrator (elementary)	1.1%	0.0%	2.4%	
Teacher or administrator (secondary)	1.3%	1.8%	0.8%	
Veterinarian	0.4%	0.0%	0.8%	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Student's probable career occupation (disaggregated)</b>				
Writer or journalist	2.1%	0.7%	3.5%	
Skilled trades	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Laborer (unskilled)	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Semi-skilled worker	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Unemployed	1.9%	2.2%	1.6%	
Other	4.0%	3.3%	4.7%	
Undecided	20.2%	14.8%	26.0%	
Total (n)	525	271	254	
<b>Your father's occupation (disaggregated)</b>				
Accountant or actuary	1.0%	0.7%	1.2%	
Actor or entertainer	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Architect or urban planner	1.2%	0.4%	2.0%	
Artist	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Business (clerical)	1.7%	1.8%	1.6%	
Business executive (management, administrator)	8.9%	9.2%	8.5%	
Business owner or proprietor	9.1%	7.4%	10.9%	
Business salesperson or buyer	3.5%	3.3%	3.6%	
Clergy (minister, priest)	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Clergy (other religious)	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Clinical psychologist	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
College administrator/staff	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
College teacher	1.3%	1.8%	0.8%	
Computer programmer or analyst	6.0%	6.3%	5.6%	
Conservationist or forester	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Dentist (including orthodontist)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Dietitian or nutritionist	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Engineer	13.7%	14.8%	12.5%	
Farmer or rancher	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Foreign service worker (including diplomat)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Homemaker (full-time)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Interior decorator (including designer)	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Lab technician or hygienist	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Law enforcement officer	0.8%	0.7%	0.8%	
Lawyer (attorney) or judge	1.2%	1.5%	0.8%	
Military service (career)	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Musician (performer, composer)	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Nurse	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Optometrist	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Pharmacist	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Physician	2.3%	3.0%	1.6%	
Policymaker/Government	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	



**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Your father's occupation (disaggregated)</b>				
School counselor	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
School principal or superintendent	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Scientific researcher	2.3%	3.0%	1.6%	
Social, welfare, or recreation worker	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Therapist (physical, occupational, speech)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Teacher or administrator (elementary)	0.8%	0.7%	0.8%	
Teacher or administrator (secondary)	1.2%	1.1%	1.2%	
Veterinarian	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Writer or journalist	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Skilled trades	3.5%	1.8%	5.2%	
Laborer (unskilled)	5.0%	3.7%	6.5%	
Semi-skilled worker	5.4%	4.8%	6.0%	
Unemployed	6.7%	5.5%	8.1%	
Other	19.1%	21.4%	16.5%	
<b>Total (n)</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>248</b>	
<b>Your mother's occupation (disaggregated)</b>				
Accountant or actuary	4.5%	4.0%	5.1%	
Actor or entertainer	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Architect or urban planner	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Artist	0.9%	1.5%	0.4%	
Business (clerical)	3.4%	2.2%	4.7%	
Business executive (management, administrator)	5.9%	4.8%	7.1%	
Business owner or proprietor	3.4%	3.7%	3.1%	
Business salesperson or buyer	1.1%	1.1%	1.2%	
Clergy (minister, priest)	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
Clergy (other religious)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Clinical psychologist	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
College administrator/staff	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
College teacher	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
Computer programmer or analyst	2.8%	3.3%	2.4%	
Conservationist or forester	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Dentist (including orthodontist)	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Dietitian or nutritionist	0.8%	1.1%	0.4%	
Engineer	3.4%	4.8%	2.0%	
Farmer or rancher	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Foreign service worker (including diplomat)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Homemaker (full-time)	12.7%	11.7%	13.7%	
Interior decorator (including designer)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Lab technician or hygienist	0.9%	1.1%	0.8%	
Law enforcement officer	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	

**2009 CIRP Freshman Survey**  
**First-time, Full-time Freshmen**

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Your mother's occupation (disaggregated)</b>				
Lawyer (attorney) or judge	1.5%	0.7%	2.4%	
Military service (career)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Musician (performer, composer)	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Nurse	3.6%	4.4%	2.7%	
Optometrist	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Pharmacist	1.1%	1.1%	1.2%	
Physician	0.9%	1.5%	0.4%	
Policymaker/Government	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
School counselor	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
School principal or superintendent	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Scientific researcher	0.9%	0.7%	1.2%	
Social, welfare, or recreation worker	0.6%	1.1%	0.0%	
Therapist (physical, occupational, speech)	2.1%	1.8%	2.4%	
Teacher or administrator (elementary)	4.5%	3.7%	5.5%	
Teacher or administrator (secondary)	1.9%	1.5%	2.4%	
Veterinarian	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Writer or journalist	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Skilled trades	1.9%	1.8%	2.0%	
Laborer (unskilled)	3.2%	2.2%	4.3%	
Semi-skilled worker	4.5%	5.5%	3.5%	
Unemployed	11.0%	9.2%	12.9%	
Other	17.8%	19.8%	15.7%	
Total (n)	528	273	255	
<b>Student's probable field of study/major (disaggregated)</b>				
Art, fine and applied	2.8%	2.2%	3.5%	
English (language and literature)	1.5%	0.4%	2.7%	
History	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Journalism	0.9%	0.0%	1.9%	
Language and Literature (except English)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Music	0.9%	1.1%	0.8%	
Philosophy	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Speech	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Theater or Drama	1.1%	0.7%	1.6%	
Theology or Religion	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Other Arts and Humanities	0.8%	0.7%	0.8%	
Biology (general)	6.0%	6.6%	5.4%	
Biochemistry or Biophysics	6.2%	5.8%	6.6%	
Botany	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Environmental Science	1.5%	1.1%	1.9%	
Marine (Life) Science	0.9%	0.0%	1.9%	
Microbiology or Bacteriology	0.9%	0.7%	1.2%	

2009 CIRP Freshman Survey  
First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Student's probable field of study/major (disaggregated)				
Zoology	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Other Biological Science	3.0%	2.6%	3.5%	
Accounting	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Business Admin. (general)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Finance	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
International Business	1.1%	1.1%	1.2%	
Marketing	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Management	1.3%	1.8%	0.8%	
Secretarial Studies	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other Business	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Business Education	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Elementary Education	0.4%	0.0%	0.8%	
Music or Art Education	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Physical Education or Recreation	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Secondary Education	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
Special Education	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other Education	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Aeronautical or Astronautical Engineering	3.2%	5.5%	0.8%	
Civil Engineering	1.7%	2.2%	1.2%	
Chemical Engineering	1.9%	3.6%	0.0%	
Computer Engineering	4.1%	6.2%	1.9%	
Electrical or Electronic Engineering	3.4%	6.2%	0.4%	
Industrial Engineering	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Mechanical Engineering	4.5%	7.7%	1.2%	
Other Engineering	6.4%	8.0%	4.7%	
Astronomy	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Atmospheric Science (incl. Meteorology)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Chemistry	2.4%	1.8%	3.1%	
Earth Science	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Marine Science (incl. Oceanography)	0.8%	0.0%	1.6%	
Mathematics	1.3%	0.7%	1.9%	
Physics	1.5%	2.9%	0.0%	
Other Physical Science	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%	
Architecture or Urban Planning	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	
Family & Consumer Sciences	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Health Technology (medical, dental, laboratory)	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Library or Archival Science	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine	3.4%	2.6%	4.3%	
Nursing	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Pharmacy	2.3%	1.5%	3.1%	
Therapy (occupational, physical, speech)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	

2009 CIRP Freshman Survey  
First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
<b>Student's probable field of study/major (disaggregated)</b>				
Other Professional	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Anthropology	0.9%	0.0%	1.9%	
Economics	1.5%	2.2%	0.8%	
Ethnic Studies	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Geography	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Political Science (government, international relations)	5.1%	2.9%	7.4%	
Psychology	5.6%	2.9%	8.6%	
Public Policy	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Social Work	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Sociology	0.4%	0.0%	0.8%	
Women's Studies	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other Social Sciences	1.3%	1.1%	1.6%	
Building Trades	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Data Processing or Computer Programming	0.9%	1.8%	0.0%	
Drafting or Design	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Electronics	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Mechanics	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other Technical	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Agriculture	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Communications	2.3%	1.1%	3.5%	
Computer Science	2.6%	3.3%	1.9%	
Forestry	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Kinesiology	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Law Enforcement	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Military Science	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other Field	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Undecided	6.4%	3.3%	9.7%	
<b>Total (n)</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>257</b>	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
43. From the list below, what do you think will be your biggest problem or source of worry at UCSD during the coming year? (Mark only one)				
A. Doing well academically.	46.6%	46.2%	47.1%	
B. Making new friends.	12.0%	10.2%	14.0%	
C. Trying to "find" myself in the sense of personal meaning and self-identity.	16.0%	14.5%	17.5%	
D. Making it financially.	13.7%	14.2%	13.2%	
E. Do not anticipate any problems.	11.7%	14.9%	8.2%	
Total (n)	532	275	257	
44. With which one of the following do you think you may need the most help?				
A. Academic plans.	27.9%	26.9%	28.9%	
B. Career plans.	33.8%	33.6%	34.0%	
C. Personal/family concerns.	4.2%	3.3%	5.1%	
D. Study skills.	17.1%	18.1%	16.0%	
E. Financial assistance.	17.1%	18.1%	16.0%	
Total (n)	527	271	256	
45. How important is it to you personally to develop a close relationship with a faculty member here at UCSD to discuss academic, career, or other personal issues or problems?				
A. Essential.	33.7%	32.1%	35.4%	
B. Very important.	37.7%	35.0%	40.5%	
C. Some what important.	24.5%	26.6%	22.2%	
D. Not important.	4.0%	5.8%	1.9%	
E	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Total (n)	531	274	257	
46. Of the following factors, which one was the most important to you in choosing UCSD?				
A. The guarantee of on-campus housing.	4.5%	5.8%	3.1%	
B. The choice of six different colleges.	4.5%	1.5%	7.8%	
C. The reputation of the campus for academic rigor.	74.2%	75.2%	73.0%	
D. The acceptance rate of students from UCSD into graduate schools.	8.3%	8.4%	8.2%	
E. The social environment at UCSD.	8.5%	9.1%	7.8%	
Total (n)	530	274	256	

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University of California - San Diego	Sixth College			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
47. Regarding your decision to enroll at UCSD, where did you receive the best information about the campus?				
A. High school counselor or teachers.	10.8%	12.8%	8.6%	
B. UCSD Admissions Officers.	10.0%	9.5%	10.5%	
C. UCSD Website.	44.7%	38.0%	52.0%	
D. Students and friends in high school.	25.1%	29.2%	20.7%	
E. Family members.	9.4%	10.6%	8.2%	
Total (n)	530	274	256	
48. Which of the following activities gave you the most useful information about UCSD?				
A. Campus Tour.	25.0%	25.5%	24.6%	
B. Attending Admit Day.	27.1%	21.8%	32.8%	
C. Attending another UCSD event.	6.6%	9.5%	3.5%	
D. Reading a UCSD publication.	4.1%	4.7%	3.5%	
E. UCSD Web Site.	37.1%	38.5%	35.5%	
Total (n)	531	275	256	
49. Which UCSD publication was most helpful to you for campus and admissions information?				
A. General Catalog.	13.6%	14.9%	12.2%	
B. Discover UCSD (brochure/viewbook).	10.4%	9.5%	11.4%	
C. Student Perspectives (brochure with student interviews and e-mails).	4.7%	5.1%	4.3%	
D. UCSD Admissions Web site.	55.3%	50.5%	60.4%	
E. Other.	16.0%	20.0%	11.8%	
Total (n)	530	275	255	
50. If you have declared a major, what factors most influenced your choice of a major?				
A. Potential income of future job related to major.	48.9%	53.9%	43.3%	
B. Relationship with a mentor and/or professional in your field of interest.	14.5%	15.6%	13.3%	
C. Saw field/job on TV or web.	5.3%	3.3%	7.5%	
D. Community Service/Personal Involvement.	22.8%	18.2%	27.9%	
E. Parents.	8.4%	8.9%	7.9%	
Total (n)	509	269	240	
51. What do you anticipate as your greatest academic challenge during your first year at UCSD?				
A. Mastering new and difficult concepts.	26.1%	27.4%	24.7%	
B. Keeping up with and understanding all the reading.	30.2%	30.3%	30.2%	
C. Remembering a lot of new information.	14.7%	12.0%	17.6%	
D. Writing effectively at a college level.	24.0%	24.8%	23.1%	
E. Having to reconsider what I already think, know and believe.	4.9%	5.5%	4.3%	
Total (n)	529	274	255	

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	Total	Men	Women	
52. If you wanted additional help with your writing outside of class, where are you most likely to go for help?				
A. Professor or TA.	47.1%	46.0%	48.4%	
B. Tutor or friend.	31.4%	30.3%	32.5%	
C. A Writing Center.	8.6%	6.9%	10.3%	
D. An additional class.	3.0%	4.0%	2.0%	
E. I do not anticipate needing additional help.	9.9%	12.8%	6.7%	
Total (n)	526	274	252	
53. What was the most important factor that led you to choose Sixth College initially as your home college?				
A. College philosophy or reputation.	19.4%	20.4%	18.3%	
B. General education requirements (Programs of Concentration/Areas Studies).	20.2%	20.4%	19.8%	
C. Recommendation from former UCSD graduate.	5.9%	7.3%	4.4%	
D. Internet research and published information about the college.	15.6%	15.3%	15.9%	
E. Sixth College was not my first choice.	39.0%	36.5%	41.7%	
Total (n)	526	274	252	
54. When providing you with important Sixth College information and deadlines, what is the best method to reach you?				
A. Post card in mail.	2.3%	2.6%	2.0%	
B. Letter in mail.	4.6%	4.4%	4.8%	
C. Website notice.	2.3%	2.6%	2.0%	
D. E-mail.	89.2%	88.3%	90.1%	
E. Flyers.	1.7%	2.2%	1.2%	
Total (n)	526	274	252	
55. What is your preferred way to have campus events communicated to you?				
A. Sixth College TV station.	2.1%	3.0%	1.2%	
B. Sixth College website.	4.6%	5.6%	3.6%	
C. E-mail.	73.6%	75.2%	71.9%	
D. Fliers/ posters.	11.5%	7.0%	16.2%	
E. Word of mouth.	8.2%	9.3%	7.1%	
Total (n)	523	270	253	
56. Which of the following activities do you most enjoy attending?				
A. Movies/ Films.	35.2%	36.3%	34.1%	
B. Museums/ Art Gallery openings.	6.7%	3.7%	9.9%	
C. Sports Events.	25.0%	34.4%	14.7%	
D. Plays/ Dances/ Concerts.	30.5%	21.6%	40.1%	
E. Public lectures.	2.7%	4.0%	1.2%	
Total (n)	525	273	252	

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57. Where do you usually get your knowledge of news and current events?				
A. TV.	20.0%	18.6%	21.5%	
B. Radio.	2.3%	2.9%	1.6%	
C. Web.	60.8%	63.1%	58.2%	
D. Magazines/ Newspapers.	4.2%	4.4%	4.0%	
E. Family and Friends.	12.8%	10.9%	14.7%	
Total (n)	525	274	251	
58. In which of the following Sixth College activities and programs do you plan to be the most involved?				
A. Student Government.	4.2%	4.0%	4.4%	
B. Recreation/Sports.	24.0%	30.4%	17.1%	
C. Clubs and Organizations.	46.5%	42.5%	50.8%	
D. Social Events.	19.2%	18.7%	19.8%	
E. Community Service.	6.1%	4.4%	7.9%	
Total (n)	525	273	252	
59. Prior to attending UCSD, what was the most frequent method you used to access the Internet?				
A. Broadband connection from home (DSL, cable modem, etc.).	91.6%	92.6%	90.5%	
B. Dial-up connection from home.	2.5%	0.7%	4.3%	
C. Broadband connection from school/work/library/etc. (DSL, cable modem, T-1, etc.).	5.0%	5.2%	4.7%	
D. Dial-up connection from school/work/library/etc.	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
E. I did not frequently access the Internet.	0.6%	1.1%	0.0%	
Total (n)	523	270	253	



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<b>CIRP Construct: Habits of Mind</b>			
High Construct Score Group	34.6%	30.8%	38.7%
Average Construct Score Group	36.3%	37.3%	35.2%
Low Construct Score Group	29.2%	31.9%	26.2%
Mean Score	51.33	50.68	52.04
<b>CIRP Construct: Academic Self-Concept</b>			
High Construct Score Group	31.8%	38.9%	24.1%
Average Construct Score Group	45.3%	42.9%	47.9%
Low Construct Score Group	22.9%	18.2%	28.0%
Mean Score	51.23	52.98	49.32
<b>CIRP Construct: Social Self-Concept</b>			
High Construct Score Group	23.1%	27.1%	18.7%
Average Construct Score Group	35.4%	34.3%	36.6%
Low Construct Score Group	41.5%	38.6%	44.7%
Mean Score	47.32	48.19	46.38
<b>CIRP Construct: Pluralistic Orientation</b>			
High Construct Score Group	33.8%	35.5%	32.0%
Average Construct Score Group	37.4%	37.6%	37.1%
Low Construct Score Group	28.8%	26.9%	30.9%
Mean Score	51.58	51.87	51.27
<b>CIRP Construct: Social Agency</b>			
High Construct Score Group	25.7%	22.0%	29.7%
Average Construct Score Group	42.0%	39.4%	44.8%
Low Construct Score Group	32.3%	38.6%	25.5%
Mean Score	48.06	47.15	49.03
<b>CIRP Construct: College Reputation Orientation</b>			
High Construct Score Group	40.1%	36.0%	44.6%
Average Construct Score Group	19.1%	16.5%	21.9%
Low Construct Score Group	40.7%	47.5%	33.5%
Mean Score	49.88	48.84	50.98
<b>CIRP Construct: Likelihood of College Involvement</b>			
High Construct Score Group	32.5%	17.9%	48.1%
Average Construct Score Group	45.5%	48.7%	41.9%
Low Construct Score Group	22.1%	33.3%	10.0%
Mean Score	47.58	45.43	49.88

Note: CIRP Constructs are scored on a normal curve, a "Low" score represents students who are one-half standard deviation or more below the mean, a "High" score represents students who are one-half standard deviation or more above the mean, and an "Average" score represents students whose scores are within one-half standard deviation of the mean.