

2010 CIRP Freshman Survey

First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
First-time Full-time Freshmen	591	295	296	
How old will you be on December 31 of this year?				
16 or younger	0.5%	0.3%	0.7%	
17	3.0%	3.7%	2.4%	
18	80.4%	77.3%	83.4%	
19	15.6%	18.0%	13.2%	
20	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	
21 to 24	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	
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)	591	295	296	
Is English your native language?				
Yes	64.7%	65.2%	64.3%	
No	35.3%	34.8%	35.7%	
Total (n)	587	293	294	
In what year did you graduate from high school?				
2010	99.5%	100.0%	99.0%	
2009	0.5%	0.0%	1.0%	
2008	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
2007 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)	591	295	296	
Are you enrolled (or enrolling) as a:				
Full-time student	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	
Part-time student	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	589	293	296	
How many miles is this college from your permanent home?				
5 or less	2.1%	1.4%	2.7%	
6 to 10	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%	
11 to 50	9.8%	9.9%	9.6%	
51 to 100	16.6%	18.8%	14.4%	
101 to 500	47.8%	46.6%	49.0%	
Over 500	21.1%	20.5%	21.6%	
Total (n)	584	292	292	

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What was your average grade in high school?				
A or A+	33.5%	32.2%	34.8%	
A-	44.1%	43.8%	44.4%	
B+	17.1%	16.4%	17.7%	
B	5.0%	6.8%	3.1%	
B-	0.3%	0.7%	0.0%	
C+	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
C	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
D	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	585	292	293	
SAT Verbal				
Mean	623	620	627	
Median	630	620	630	
Total (n)	398	214	184	
SAT Math				
Mean	684	704	662	
Median	700	710	680	
Total (n)	408	219	189	
SAT Writing				
Mean	644	642	646	
Median	650	650	655	
Total (n)	403	213	190	
ACT Composite				
Mean	28	28	28	
Median	29	29	29	
Total (n)	228	113	115	
From what kind of high school did you graduate?				
Public school (not charter or magnet)	85.4%	84.4%	86.3%	
Public charter school	1.5%	1.4%	1.7%	
Public magnet school	4.9%	4.4%	5.5%	
Private religious/parochial school	4.9%	5.8%	4.1%	
Private independent college-prep school	3.2%	4.1%	2.4%	
Home school	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	588	295	293	
Prior to this term, have you ever taken courses for credit at this institution?				
Yes	5.3%	5.5%	5.1%	
No	94.7%	94.5%	94.9%	
Total (n)	589	293	296	

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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)?				
Yes	17.9%	16.2%	19.5%	
No	82.1%	83.8%	80.5%	
Total (n)	582	290	292	
Where do you plan to live during the fall term?				
With my family or other relatives	5.1%	4.8%	5.5%	
Other private home, apartment, or room	3.4%	4.1%	2.7%	
College residence hall	72.6%	72.5%	72.7%	
Fraternity or sorority house	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other campus student housing	18.7%	18.2%	19.1%	
Other	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	
Total (n)	584	291	293	
To how many colleges other than this one did you apply for admission this year?				
None	0.8%	0.7%	1.0%	
1	0.8%	0.3%	1.4%	
2	0.8%	0.7%	1.0%	
3	6.3%	7.1%	5.4%	
4	10.7%	14.3%	7.1%	
5	11.7%	12.2%	11.2%	
6	13.2%	12.2%	14.2%	
7-10	41.3%	40.5%	42.0%	
11 or more	14.3%	11.9%	16.6%	
Total (n)	589	294	295	
Were you accepted by your first choice college?				
Yes	34.6%	31.4%	37.8%	
No	65.4%	68.6%	62.2%	
Total (n)	584	290	294	
Is this college your:				
First choice	27.0%	27.0%	27.1%	
Second choice	36.8%	33.4%	40.1%	
Third choice	25.1%	28.7%	21.6%	
Less than third choice	11.1%	10.9%	11.3%	
Total (n)	585	293	292	
Citizenship status:				
U.S. citizen	87.6%	87.1%	88.2%	
Permanent resident (green card)	8.0%	8.8%	7.1%	
Neither	4.4%	4.1%	4.7%	
Total (n)	590	294	296	

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Do you currently have veteran status with the US Armed Forces, Military Reserves or National Guard?				
Yes	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%	
No	99.5%	99.3%	99.7%	
Total (n)	587	292	295	
Are your parents:				
Both alive and living with each other	70.5%	70.4%	70.6%	
Both alive, divorced or living apart	23.2%	22.4%	23.9%	
One or both deceased	6.3%	7.1%	5.5%	
Total (n)	587	294	293	
During high school (grades 9-12) how many years did you study each of the following subjects?				
English				
None	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	
1/2	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
1	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
2	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	
3	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	
4	97.0%	96.9%	97.0%	
5 or more	2.0%	1.7%	2.4%	
Total (n)	591	295	296	
Mathematics				
None	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
1/2	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
1	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	
2	0.8%	0.3%	1.4%	
3	8.5%	4.4%	12.5%	
4	83.4%	86.1%	80.7%	
5 or more	7.1%	8.8%	5.4%	
Total (n)	590	294	296	
Foreign Language				
None	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%	
1/2	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	
1	2.4%	2.7%	2.0%	
2	18.9%	19.5%	18.4%	
3	47.7%	48.1%	47.3%	
4	27.9%	25.9%	29.9%	
5 or more	2.0%	2.7%	1.4%	
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During high school (grades 9-12) how many years did you study each of the following subjects?				
Physical Science				
None	5.0%	4.1%	5.8%	
1/2	1.9%	1.4%	2.4%	
1	27.6%	24.9%	30.2%	
2	41.6%	45.7%	37.5%	
3	15.4%	14.0%	16.8%	
4	7.9%	9.2%	6.5%	
5 or more	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	
Total (n)	584	293	291	
Biological Science				
None	1.0%	0.7%	1.4%	
1/2	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	
1	34.6%	37.5%	31.6%	
2	42.8%	42.0%	43.5%	
3	13.3%	12.3%	14.3%	
4	6.5%	5.8%	7.1%	
5 or more	0.5%	0.3%	0.7%	
Total (n)	587	293	294	
History/Am. Gov't				
None	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	
1/2	0.9%	1.4%	0.3%	
1	3.6%	4.5%	2.7%	
2	11.3%	10.0%	12.5%	
3	48.3%	47.1%	49.5%	
4	34.6%	35.1%	34.2%	
5 or more	1.2%	1.7%	0.7%	
Total (n)	586	291	295	
Computer Science				
None	65.3%	63.3%	67.4%	
1/2	9.0%	7.6%	10.4%	
1	19.1%	22.1%	16.0%	
2	5.4%	5.5%	5.2%	
3	0.7%	0.3%	1.0%	
4	0.3%	0.7%	0.0%	
5 or more	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	
Total (n)	577	289	288	

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During high school (grades 9-12) how many years did you study each of the following subjects?				
Arts and/or Music				
None	3.6%	3.4%	3.8%	
1/2	4.3%	4.8%	3.8%	
1	34.9%	38.2%	31.5%	
2	19.8%	20.5%	19.2%	
3	13.8%	10.6%	17.1%	
4	20.3%	19.5%	21.2%	
5 or more	3.2%	3.1%	3.4%	
Total (n)	585	293	292	
Do you have any of the following disabilities or medical conditions?				
Learning disability (dyslexia, etc.)				
No	1.0%	1.8%	0.3%	
	99.0%	98.2%	99.7%	
Total (n)	572	285	287	
Attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD)				
Yes	1.9%	2.4%	1.4%	
No	98.1%	97.6%	98.6%	
Total (n)	572	286	286	
Physical disability (speech, sight, mobility, hearing, etc.)				
Yes	3.8%	5.2%	2.4%	
No	96.2%	94.8%	97.6%	
Total (n)	575	287	288	
Chronic illness (cancer, diabetes, autoimmune disorders, etc.)				
Yes	1.0%	1.4%	0.7%	
No	99.0%	98.6%	99.3%	
Total (n)	573	286	287	
Psychological disorder (depression, etc.)				
Yes	2.3%	1.1%	3.5%	
No	97.7%	98.9%	96.5%	
Total (n)	572	285	287	
Other				
Yes	3.8%	4.3%	3.2%	
No	96.2%	95.7%	96.8%	
Total (n)	558	279	279	

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Highest academic degree planned				
None	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Vocational certificate	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Associate (A.A. or equivalent)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)	9.3%	10.4%	8.2%	
Master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)	38.8%	39.9%	37.5%	
Ph.D. or Ed.D.	27.6%	26.6%	28.6%	
M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.	18.6%	19.4%	17.8%	
J.D. (Law)	3.3%	2.2%	4.5%	
B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Other	1.6%	0.7%	2.6%	
Total (n)	547	278	269	
Highest academic degree planned at this college				
None	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Vocational certificate	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Associate (A.A. or equivalent)	0.6%	0.8%	0.4%	
Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)	72.1%	71.0%	73.1%	
Master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)	15.5%	14.7%	16.2%	
Ph.D. or Ed.D.	6.7%	8.0%	5.5%	
M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.	3.1%	3.4%	2.8%	
J.D. (Law)	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other	1.4%	1.7%	1.2%	
Total (n)	491	238	253	
How would you describe the racial composition of the high school you last attended?				
Completely non-White	1.0%	1.0%	1.0%	
Mostly non-White	18.3%	20.5%	16.1%	
Roughly half non-White	30.6%	32.4%	28.8%	
Mostly White	40.5%	39.9%	41.1%	
Completely White	9.6%	6.1%	13.0%	
Total (n)	585	293	292	
How would you describe the racial composition of the neighborhood where you grew up?				
Completely non-White	3.1%	3.5%	2.7%	
Mostly non-White	25.4%	26.8%	24.1%	
Roughly half non-White	26.8%	25.7%	27.8%	
Mostly White	32.3%	32.7%	32.0%	
Completely White	12.3%	11.3%	13.4%	
Total (n)	575	284	291	

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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?				
Family resources (parents, relatives, spouse, etc.)				
None	17.4%	17.3%	17.6%	
Less than \$1,000	12.7%	13.6%	11.8%	
\$1,000 - \$2,999	10.7%	10.8%	10.5%	
\$3,000 - \$5,999	9.8%	9.5%	10.1%	
\$6,000 - \$9,999	9.8%	8.5%	11.1%	
\$10,000 +	39.6%	40.3%	38.9%	
Total (n)	591	295	296	
My own resources (savings from work, work-study, other income)				
None	31.5%	29.5%	33.4%	
Less than \$1,000	29.4%	29.8%	29.1%	
\$1,000 - \$2,999	29.1%	29.5%	28.7%	
\$3,000 - \$5,999	7.1%	7.5%	6.8%	
\$6,000 - \$9,999	1.5%	2.0%	1.0%	
\$10,000 +	1.4%	1.7%	1.0%	
Total (n)	591	295	296	
Aid which need not be repaid (grants, scholarships, military funding, etc.)				
None	32.0%	33.9%	30.1%	
Less than \$1,000	6.9%	5.8%	8.1%	
\$1,000 - \$2,999	6.3%	4.4%	8.1%	
\$3,000 - \$5,999	7.3%	6.8%	7.8%	
\$6,000 - \$9,999	6.4%	5.4%	7.4%	
\$10,000 +	41.1%	43.7%	38.5%	
Total (n)	591	295	296	
Aid which must be repaid (loans, etc.)				
None	46.2%	46.8%	45.6%	
Less than \$1,000	2.9%	3.1%	2.7%	
\$1,000 - \$2,999	8.8%	9.2%	8.4%	
\$3,000 - \$5,999	26.6%	26.1%	27.0%	
\$6,000 - \$9,999	9.5%	8.1%	10.8%	
\$10,000 +	6.1%	6.8%	5.4%	
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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?				
Other than above				
None	92.9%	91.9%	93.9%	
Less than \$1,000	2.4%	3.1%	1.7%	
\$1,000 - \$2,999	1.4%	2.4%	0.3%	
\$3,000 - \$5,999	1.5%	1.0%	2.0%	
\$6,000 - \$9,999	1.2%	1.4%	1.0%	
\$10,000 +	0.7%	0.3%	1.0%	
Total (n)	591	295	296	
What is your best estimate of your parents' income?				
Less than \$10,000	8.0%	7.4%	8.7%	
\$10,000 to \$14,999	4.8%	4.8%	4.9%	
\$15,000 to \$19,999	4.5%	4.0%	4.9%	
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4.8%	4.8%	4.9%	
\$25,000 to \$29,999	4.5%	5.1%	3.8%	
\$30,000 to \$39,999	9.1%	9.6%	8.7%	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6.3%	6.6%	6.0%	
\$50,000 to \$59,999	7.3%	8.1%	6.4%	
\$60,000 to \$74,999	9.5%	8.5%	10.6%	
\$75,000 to \$99,999	11.0%	8.5%	13.6%	
\$100,000 to \$149,999	12.3%	14.0%	10.6%	
\$150,000 to \$199,999	9.1%	9.2%	9.1%	
\$200,000 to \$249,999	3.4%	3.7%	3.0%	
\$250,000 or more	5.4%	5.9%	4.9%	
Total (n)	537	272	265	
Do you have any concern about your ability to finance your college education?				
None (I am confident that I will have sufficient funds)	23.1%	28.3%	18.0%	
Some (but I probably will have enough funds)	65.3%	60.0%	70.5%	
Major (not sure I will have enough funds to complete college)	11.6%	11.7%	11.5%	
Total (n)	585	290	295	
Mean	1.89	1.83	1.94	
Standard deviation	0.58	0.61	0.54	
SE Mean	0.02	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.33	0.37	0.29	

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Your current religious preference				
Baptist	4.0%	4.2%	3.8%	
Buddhist	9.5%	8.5%	10.5%	
Church of Christ	4.6%	3.5%	5.6%	
Eastern Orthodox	0.5%	0.0%	1.0%	
Episcopalian	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Hindu	2.8%	2.8%	2.8%	
Jewish	2.5%	3.5%	1.4%	
LDS (Mormon)	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Lutheran	0.9%	1.1%	0.7%	
Methodist	1.1%	0.7%	1.4%	
Muslim	1.2%	1.1%	1.4%	
Presbyterian	5.4%	5.3%	5.6%	
Quaker	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Roman Catholic	12.8%	12.7%	12.9%	
Seventh Day Adventist	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
United Church of Christ/Congregational	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Other Christian	10.4%	11.6%	9.1%	
Other Religion	2.8%	2.5%	3.1%	
None	40.7%	41.5%	39.9%	
Total (n)	570	284	286	
Father's current religious preference				
Baptist	3.4%	4.3%	2.5%	
Buddhist	15.3%	13.0%	17.6%	
Church of Christ	4.9%	4.3%	5.4%	
Eastern Orthodox	0.5%	0.0%	1.1%	
Episcopalian	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Hindu	3.4%	4.0%	2.9%	
Jewish	3.6%	4.7%	2.5%	
LDS (Mormon)	0.5%	0.7%	0.4%	
Lutheran	0.7%	0.4%	1.1%	
Methodist	1.1%	0.4%	1.8%	
Muslim	1.6%	1.1%	2.2%	
Presbyterian	5.6%	4.7%	6.5%	
Quaker	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Roman Catholic	15.0%	15.2%	14.7%	
Seventh Day Adventist	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
United Church of Christ/Congregational	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other Christian	11.4%	11.6%	11.1%	
Other Religion	2.0%	2.2%	1.8%	
None	30.3%	33.3%	27.2%	
Total (n)	555	276	279	

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Mother's current religious preference				
Baptist	3.5%	5.0%	2.1%	
Buddhist	18.0%	16.3%	19.7%	
Church of Christ	4.6%	3.5%	5.5%	
Eastern Orthodox	0.5%	0.0%	1.0%	
Episcopalian	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
Hindu	3.7%	4.3%	3.1%	
Jewish	2.8%	3.2%	2.4%	
LDS (Mormon)	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%	
Lutheran	0.9%	0.4%	1.4%	
Methodist	1.8%	1.1%	2.4%	
Muslim	1.4%	1.1%	1.7%	
Presbyterian	6.3%	6.0%	6.6%	
Quaker	0.4%	0.4%	0.3%	
Roman Catholic	18.4%	18.8%	18.0%	
Seventh Day Adventist	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
United Church of Christ/Congregational	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Other Christian	12.4%	12.8%	12.1%	
Other Religion	1.8%	2.1%	1.4%	
None	22.2%	24.1%	20.4%	
Total (n)	571	282	289	
Do you consider yourself Born-Again Christian				
Yes	12.8%	15.2%	10.3%	
No	87.2%	84.8%	89.7%	
Total (n)	563	282	281	
Do you consider yourself Evangelical				
Yes	6.5%	9.0%	4.0%	
No	93.5%	91.0%	96.0%	
Total (n)	551	277	274	

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For the activities below, indicate which ones you did during the past year.				
Attended a religious service				
Frequently	27.6%	28.6%	26.6%	
Occasionally	33.3%	30.0%	36.5%	
Not at all	39.1%	41.4%	36.9%	
Total (n)	583	290	293	
Mean	1.89	1.87	1.90	
Standard deviation	0.81	0.83	0.79	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.66	0.69	0.63	
Was bored in class				
Frequently	45.8%	43.3%	48.3%	
Occasionally	50.9%	52.9%	49.0%	
Not at all	3.2%	3.8%	2.7%	
Total (n)	585	291	294	
Mean	2.43	2.40	2.46	
Standard deviation	0.56	0.56	0.55	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.31	0.32	0.30	
Demonstrated for/against a cause				
Frequently	10.4%	8.0%	12.7%	
Occasionally	40.8%	38.5%	43.0%	
Not at all	48.9%	53.5%	44.3%	
Total (n)	579	288	291	
Mean	1.61	1.55	1.68	
Standard deviation	0.67	0.64	0.69	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.44	0.41	0.47	
Tutored another student				
Frequently	22.4%	22.3%	22.5%	
Occasionally	53.8%	53.8%	53.9%	
Not at all	23.8%	24.0%	23.5%	
Total (n)	585	292	293	
Mean	1.99	1.98	1.99	
Standard deviation	0.68	0.68	0.68	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.46	0.46	0.46	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
For the activities below, indicate which ones you did during the past year.				
Studied with other students				
Frequently	43.8%	41.9%	45.6%	
Occasionally	48.2%	50.5%	45.9%	
Not at all	8.0%	7.6%	8.5%	
Total (n)	585	291	294	
Mean	2.36	2.34	2.37	
Standard deviation	0.63	0.61	0.64	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.39	0.38	0.40	
Was a guest in a teacher's home				
Frequently	1.7%	2.1%	1.4%	
Occasionally	15.5%	16.8%	14.3%	
Not at all	82.8%	81.2%	84.4%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	1.19	1.21	1.17	
Standard deviation	0.43	0.46	0.41	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.02	
Variance	0.19	0.21	0.17	
Smoked cigarettes				
Frequently	1.9%	2.4%	1.4%	
Occasionally	7.2%	8.9%	5.4%	
Not at all	91.0%	88.7%	93.2%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	1.11	1.14	1.08	
Standard deviation	0.37	0.41	0.32	
SE Mean	0.02	0.02	0.02	
Variance	0.14	0.17	0.10	
Drank beer				
Frequently	5.1%	7.2%	3.1%	
Occasionally	26.5%	29.3%	23.8%	
Not at all	68.3%	63.4%	73.1%	
Total (n)	584	290	294	
Mean	1.37	1.44	1.30	
Standard deviation	0.58	0.63	0.52	
SE Mean	0.02	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.34	0.39	0.27	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
For the activities below, indicate which ones you did during the past year.				
Drank wine or liquor				
Frequently	4.8%	5.2%	4.5%	
Occasionally	30.1%	33.4%	26.7%	
Not at all	65.1%	61.3%	68.8%	
Total (n)	579	287	292	
Mean	1.40	1.44	1.36	
Standard deviation	0.58	0.59	0.57	
SE Mean	0.02	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.34	0.35	0.32	
Felt overwhelmed by all I had to do				
Frequently	30.9%	20.5%	41.3%	
Occasionally	55.4%	58.2%	52.6%	
Not at all	13.7%	21.2%	6.1%	
Total (n)	585	292	293	
Mean	2.17	1.99	2.35	
Standard deviation	0.65	0.65	0.59	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.42	0.42	0.35	
Felt depressed				
Frequently	7.4%	5.9%	8.9%	
Occasionally	48.4%	45.9%	50.9%	
Not at all	44.3%	48.3%	40.3%	
Total (n)	583	290	293	
Mean	1.63	1.58	1.69	
Standard deviation	0.62	0.60	0.63	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.38	0.36	0.39	
Performed volunteer work				
Frequently	46.4%	40.2%	52.5%	
Occasionally	45.7%	49.1%	42.4%	
Not at all	7.8%	10.7%	5.1%	
Total (n)	586	291	295	
Mean	2.39	2.30	2.47	
Standard deviation	0.63	0.65	0.59	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.39	0.42	0.35	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
For the activities below, indicate which ones you did during the past year.				
Asked a teacher for advice after class				
Frequently	32.8%	31.3%	34.4%	
Occasionally	55.4%	55.7%	55.1%	
Not at all	11.8%	13.1%	10.5%	
Total (n)	585	291	294	
Mean	2.21	2.18	2.24	
Standard deviation	0.63	0.64	0.63	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.40	0.41	0.39	
Voted in a student election				
Frequently	27.8%	24.1%	31.5%	
Occasionally	47.9%	50.2%	45.5%	
Not at all	24.4%	25.8%	22.9%	
Total (n)	583	291	292	
Mean	2.03	1.98	2.09	
Standard deviation	0.72	0.71	0.73	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.52	0.50	0.54	
Socialized with someone of another racial/ethnic group				
Frequently	77.6%	77.3%	78.0%	
Occasionally	20.3%	20.3%	20.3%	
Not at all	2.0%	2.4%	1.7%	
Total (n)	586	291	295	
Mean	2.76	2.75	2.76	
Standard deviation	0.48	0.49	0.46	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.23	0.24	0.22	
Came late to class				
Frequently	11.6%	11.6%	11.5%	
Occasionally	48.9%	49.7%	48.1%	
Not at all	39.5%	38.7%	40.3%	
Total (n)	587	292	295	
Mean	1.72	1.73	1.71	
Standard deviation	0.66	0.66	0.66	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.43	0.43	0.44	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
For the activities below, indicate which ones you did during the past year.				
Used the Internet for research or homework				
Frequently	90.3%	89.4%	91.2%	
Occasionally	9.5%	10.3%	8.8%	
Not at all	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	
Total (n)	587	292	295	
Mean	2.90	2.89	2.91	
Standard deviation	0.30	0.32	0.28	
SE Mean	0.01	0.02	0.02	
Variance	0.09	0.10	0.08	
Performed community service as part of a class				
Frequently	19.3%	17.9%	20.7%	
Occasionally	40.9%	43.0%	38.8%	
Not at all	39.8%	39.2%	40.5%	
Total (n)	585	291	294	
Mean	1.79	1.79	1.80	
Standard deviation	0.74	0.73	0.76	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.55	0.53	0.58	
Discussed religion				
Frequently	26.5%	27.1%	25.9%	
Occasionally	52.6%	52.1%	53.1%	
Not at all	21.0%	20.9%	21.1%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	2.05	2.06	2.05	
Standard deviation	0.69	0.69	0.68	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.47	0.48	0.47	
Discussed politics				
Frequently	28.8%	32.3%	25.4%	
Occasionally	53.9%	51.5%	56.3%	
Not at all	17.2%	16.2%	18.3%	
Total (n)	586	291	295	
Mean	2.12	2.16	2.07	
Standard deviation	0.67	0.68	0.66	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.45	0.46	0.43	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
For the activities below, indicate which ones you did during the past year.				
Worked on a local, state, or national political campaign				
Frequently	1.4%	2.1%	0.7%	
Occasionally	8.7%	8.2%	9.2%	
Not at all	89.9%	89.7%	90.1%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	1.11	1.12	1.11	
Standard deviation	0.36	0.39	0.33	
SE Mean	0.01	0.02	0.02	
Variance	0.13	0.15	0.11	
Skipped school/class				
Frequently	2.9%	3.4%	2.4%	
Occasionally	35.6%	38.5%	32.7%	
Not at all	61.5%	58.1%	65.0%	
Total (n)	585	291	294	
Mean	1.41	1.45	1.37	
Standard deviation	0.55	0.56	0.53	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.30	0.32	0.28	
Publicly communicated my opinion about a cause (e.g. blog, email, petition)				
Frequently	15.3%	12.3%	18.3%	
Occasionally	34.9%	35.6%	34.2%	
Not at all	49.7%	52.1%	47.5%	
Total (n)	587	292	295	
Mean	1.66	1.60	1.71	
Standard deviation	0.73	0.70	0.76	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.53	0.49	0.57	
Helped raise money for a cause or campaign				
Frequently	13.6%	10.6%	16.6%	
Occasionally	40.4%	34.6%	46.1%	
Not at all	46.0%	54.8%	37.3%	
Total (n)	587	292	295	
Mean	1.68	1.56	1.79	
Standard deviation	0.70	0.68	0.71	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.49	0.46	0.50	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
For the activities below, indicate which ones you did during the past year.				
Fell asleep in class				
Frequently	15.2%	18.2%	12.2%	
Occasionally	43.9%	44.2%	43.5%	
Not at all	41.0%	37.7%	44.2%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	1.74	1.80	1.68	
Standard deviation	0.70	0.72	0.68	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.50	0.52	0.46	
Failed to complete homework on time				
Frequently	3.4%	5.1%	1.7%	
Occasionally	42.4%	46.6%	38.3%	
Not at all	54.2%	48.3%	60.0%	
Total (n)	587	292	295	
Mean	1.49	1.57	1.42	
Standard deviation	0.56	0.59	0.53	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.32	0.35	0.28	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.				
Academic ability				
Highest 10%	23.5%	26.6%	20.4%	Academic Self-concept
Above average	57.9%	59.7%	56.1%	
Average	17.9%	13.0%	22.8%	
Below average	0.5%	0.3%	0.7%	
Lowest 10%	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	
Total (n)	587	293	294	
Mean	4.04	4.12	3.96	
Standard deviation	0.67	0.65	0.68	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.45	0.43	0.46	
Artistic ability				
Highest 10%	8.4%	11.0%	5.8%	
Above average	29.0%	24.0%	34.0%	
Average	32.9%	32.9%	33.0%	
Below average	21.7%	22.6%	20.7%	
Lowest 10%	8.0%	9.6%	6.5%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	3.08	3.04	3.12	
Standard deviation	1.08	1.14	1.01	
SE Mean	0.04	0.07	0.06	
Variance	1.16	1.29	1.03	
Competitiveness				
Highest 10%	18.3%	22.9%	13.7%	
Above average	40.7%	40.4%	41.0%	
Average	32.1%	26.7%	37.5%	
Below average	7.7%	8.6%	6.8%	
Lowest 10%	1.2%	1.4%	1.0%	
Total (n)	585	292	293	
Mean	3.67	3.75	3.59	
Standard deviation	0.90	0.95	0.85	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.81	0.90	0.71	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.				
Computer skills				
Highest 10%	7.2%	11.9%	2.4%	
Above average	31.5%	37.9%	25.2%	
Average	45.0%	38.9%	51.0%	
Below average	14.8%	10.2%	19.4%	
Lowest 10%	1.5%	1.0%	2.0%	
Total (n)	587	293	294	
Mean	3.28	3.49	3.06	
Standard deviation	0.86	0.87	0.79	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.73	0.76	0.62	
Cooperativeness				
Highest 10%	22.5%	23.3%	21.8%	
Above average	46.1%	45.9%	46.3%	
Average	29.0%	27.7%	30.3%	
Below average	2.2%	2.7%	1.7%	
Lowest 10%	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	3.89	3.89	3.88	
Standard deviation	0.78	0.80	0.76	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.61	0.64	0.58	
Creativity				
Highest 10%	13.8%	15.7%	11.9%	
Above average	39.8%	38.9%	40.6%	
Average	34.1%	32.4%	35.8%	
Below average	10.4%	10.6%	10.2%	
Lowest 10%	1.9%	2.4%	1.4%	
Total (n)	586	293	293	
Mean	3.53	3.55	3.52	
Standard deviation	0.92	0.96	0.88	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.85	0.92	0.78	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.				
Drive to achieve				
Highest 10%	35.9%	35.1%	36.7%	Academic Self-concept
Above average	41.4%	40.2%	42.5%	
Average	20.5%	21.6%	19.4%	
Below average	1.9%	2.4%	1.4%	
Lowest 10%	0.3%	0.7%	0.0%	
Total (n)	585	291	294	
Mean	4.11	4.07	4.15	
Standard deviation	0.81	0.85	0.77	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.66	0.72	0.60	
Emotional health				
Highest 10%	18.0%	22.3%	13.7%	
Above average	31.3%	32.0%	30.7%	
Average	42.1%	39.2%	45.1%	
Below average	7.7%	5.8%	9.6%	
Lowest 10%	0.9%	0.7%	1.0%	
Total (n)	584	291	293	
Mean	3.58	3.69	3.46	
Standard deviation	0.90	0.91	0.88	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.81	0.82	0.78	
Leadership ability				
Highest 10%	16.2%	16.4%	16.0%	Social Self-concept
Above average	35.2%	36.3%	34.0%	
Average	35.2%	34.2%	36.1%	
Below average	11.8%	11.0%	12.6%	
Lowest 10%	1.7%	2.1%	1.4%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	3.52	3.54	3.51	
Standard deviation	0.96	0.96	0.95	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	0.91	0.92	0.91	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.				
Mathematical ability				
Highest 10%	20.1%	28.4%	11.9%	Academic Self-concept
Above average	39.1%	41.4%	36.7%	
Average	31.9%	27.1%	36.7%	
Below average	8.0%	2.4%	13.6%	
Lowest 10%	0.9%	0.7%	1.0%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	3.70	3.95	3.45	
Standard deviation	0.91	0.84	0.91	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.83	0.71	0.82	
Physical health				
Highest 10%	21.8%	29.1%	14.6%	
Above average	30.2%	32.9%	27.6%	
Average	36.7%	29.5%	43.9%	
Below average	10.1%	7.9%	12.2%	
Lowest 10%	1.2%	0.7%	1.7%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	3.61	3.82	3.41	
Standard deviation	0.97	0.97	0.94	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.95	0.93	0.88	
Popularity				
Highest 10%	6.2%	8.2%	4.1%	Social Self-concept
Above average	22.9%	24.4%	21.5%	
Average	57.7%	52.9%	62.5%	
Below average	10.8%	11.7%	9.9%	
Lowest 10%	2.4%	2.7%	2.0%	
Total (n)	584	291	293	
Mean	3.20	3.24	3.16	
Standard deviation	0.80	0.86	0.73	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.64	0.75	0.54	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.				
Public speaking ability				Social Self-concept
Highest 10%	10.4%	12.1%	8.8%	
Above average	25.5%	25.5%	25.5%	
Average	40.4%	42.1%	38.8%	
Below average	20.0%	17.6%	22.4%	
Lowest 10%	3.6%	2.8%	4.4%	
Total (n)	584	290	294	
Mean	3.19	3.27	3.12	
Standard deviation	0.99	0.98	1.00	
Variance	0.98	0.96	1.00	
Self-confidence (intellectual)				Academic Self-concept
Highest 10%	16.9%	23.6%	10.2%	
Above average	42.7%	45.9%	39.6%	
Average	33.7%	27.7%	39.6%	
Below average	5.8%	2.1%	9.6%	
Lowest 10%	0.9%	0.7%	1.0%	
Total (n)	585	292	293	
Mean	3.69	3.90	3.48	
Standard deviation	0.85	0.81	0.84	
Variance	0.72	0.65	0.71	
Self-confidence (social)				Social Self-concept
Highest 10%	12.3%	15.5%	9.2%	
Above average	31.3%	32.6%	30.0%	
Average	43.0%	38.5%	47.4%	
Below average	11.6%	12.4%	10.9%	
Lowest 10%	1.7%	1.0%	2.4%	
Total (n)	584	291	293	
Mean	3.41	3.49	3.33	
Standard deviation	0.91	0.93	0.88	
Variance	0.83	0.87	0.77	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.				
Self-understanding				
Highest 10%	20.5%	24.4%	16.7%	
Above average	34.6%	36.8%	32.4%	
Average	38.2%	33.0%	43.3%	
Below average	5.7%	4.5%	6.8%	
Lowest 10%	1.0%	1.4%	0.7%	
Total (n)	584	291	293	
Mean	3.68	3.78	3.58	
Standard deviation	0.90	0.91	0.87	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.80	0.83	0.76	
Spirituality				
Highest 10%	10.2%	10.8%	9.6%	
Above average	19.1%	21.2%	17.1%	
Average	41.7%	41.3%	42.1%	
Below average	18.6%	15.3%	21.9%	
Lowest 10%	10.3%	11.5%	9.2%	
Total (n)	580	288	292	
Mean	3.00	3.05	2.96	
Standard deviation	1.10	1.12	1.07	
SE Mean	0.05	0.07	0.06	
Variance	1.20	1.26	1.15	
Understanding of others				
Highest 10%	23.7%	23.8%	23.5%	
Above average	45.6%	45.5%	45.7%	
Average	28.6%	28.6%	28.7%	
Below average	1.2%	0.3%	2.0%	
Lowest 10%	0.9%	1.7%	0.0%	
Total (n)	583	290	293	
Mean	3.90	3.89	3.91	
Standard deviation	0.80	0.83	0.77	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.64	0.68	0.60	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.				
Writing ability				
Highest 10%	9.6%	8.6%	10.5%	
Above average	31.3%	31.0%	31.6%	
Average	42.0%	43.1%	40.8%	
Below average	13.5%	13.4%	13.6%	
Lowest 10%	3.6%	3.8%	3.4%	
Total (n)	584	290	294	
Mean	3.30	3.27	3.32	
Standard deviation	0.94	0.93	0.95	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.89	0.87	0.91	
Ability to see the world from someone else's perspective				
Highest 10%	21.7%	24.7%	18.7%	
Above average	49.7%	47.6%	51.7%	
Average	25.9%	24.0%	27.9%	
Below average	2.2%	2.7%	1.7%	
Lowest 10%	0.5%	1.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	3.90	3.92	3.87	
Standard deviation	0.78	0.83	0.72	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.60	0.68	0.52	Pluralistic Orientation
Tolerance of others with different beliefs				
Highest 10%	33.1%	38.7%	27.6%	
Above average	47.1%	42.1%	52.0%	
Average	19.1%	18.5%	19.7%	
Below average	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%	
Lowest 10%	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	4.12	4.19	4.06	
Standard deviation	0.74	0.75	0.72	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.54	0.57	0.52	Pluralistic Orientation

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age.				
Openness to having my own views challenged				Pluralistic Orientation
Highest 10%	21.5%	24.3%	18.7%	
Above average	41.0%	40.8%	41.2%	
Average	30.5%	29.1%	32.0%	
Below average	6.1%	4.8%	7.5%	
Lowest 10%	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	3.76	3.83	3.70	
Standard deviation	0.89	0.89	0.88	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.79	0.79	0.78	
Ability to discuss and negotiate controversial issues				Pluralistic Orientation
Highest 10%	23.0%	27.4%	18.7%	
Above average	40.8%	41.1%	40.5%	
Average	31.4%	27.7%	35.0%	
Below average	4.1%	2.7%	5.4%	
Lowest 10%	0.7%	1.0%	0.3%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	3.81	3.91	3.72	
Standard deviation	0.86	0.86	0.84	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.74	0.75	0.71	
Ability to work cooperatively with diverse people				Pluralistic Orientation
Highest 10%	33.5%	36.0%	31.1%	
Above average	46.3%	42.8%	49.8%	
Average	19.3%	20.2%	18.4%	
Below average	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%	
Lowest 10%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Total (n)	585	292	293	
Mean	4.12	4.14	4.11	
Standard deviation	0.74	0.77	0.72	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.55	0.59	0.51	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
What is the highest level of formal education obtained by your father?				
Grammar school or less	4.0%	3.1%	5.0%	
Some high school	8.5%	8.0%	8.9%	
High school graduate	16.0%	17.1%	14.9%	
Postsecondary school other than college	1.9%	2.1%	1.8%	
Some college	10.0%	11.8%	8.2%	
College degree	24.8%	24.4%	25.3%	
Some graduate school	2.3%	1.4%	3.2%	
Graduate degree	32.4%	32.1%	32.7%	
Total (n)	568	287	281	
What is the highest level of formal education obtained by your mother?				
Grammar school or less	6.9%	5.2%	8.6%	
Some high school	5.2%	5.5%	4.8%	
High school graduate	19.3%	20.0%	18.6%	
Postsecondary school other than college	2.2%	2.4%	2.1%	
Some college	12.2%	9.3%	15.1%	
College degree	30.8%	35.5%	26.1%	
Some graduate school	3.6%	2.8%	4.5%	
Graduate degree	19.8%	19.3%	20.3%	
Total (n)	581	290	291	
First generation in college				
Yes	23.6%	22.1%	25.1%	
No	76.4%	77.9%	74.9%	
Total (n)	581	290	291	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
How often in the past year did you?				
Ask questions in class				Habits of Mind
Frequently	45.7%	42.7%	48.6%	
Occasionally	49.1%	51.9%	46.3%	
Not at all	5.3%	5.5%	5.1%	
Total (n)	587	293	294	
Mean	2.40	2.37	2.44	
Standard deviation	0.59	0.59	0.59	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.35	0.34	0.35	
Support your opinions with a logical argument				Habits of Mind
Frequently	55.4%	60.8%	50.0%	
Occasionally	40.5%	34.8%	46.3%	
Not at all	4.1%	4.4%	3.7%	
Total (n)	587	293	294	
Mean	2.51	2.56	2.46	
Standard deviation	0.58	0.58	0.57	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.33	0.34	0.32	
Seek solutions to problems and explain them to others				Habits of Mind
Frequently	55.4%	58.7%	52.0%	
Occasionally	42.2%	37.5%	46.9%	
Not at all	2.4%	3.8%	1.0%	
Total (n)	587	293	294	
Mean	2.53	2.55	2.51	
Standard deviation	0.55	0.57	0.52	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.30	0.32	0.27	
Revise your papers to improve your writing				Habits of Mind
Frequently	49.5%	42.8%	56.2%	
Occasionally	43.3%	47.9%	38.7%	
Not at all	7.2%	9.2%	5.1%	
Total (n)	584	292	292	
Mean	2.42	2.34	2.51	
Standard deviation	0.62	0.64	0.59	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.39	0.41	0.35	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
How often in the past year did you?				
Evaluate the quality or reliability of information you received				Habits of Mind
Frequently	43.2%	44.9%	41.5%	
Occasionally	51.9%	50.0%	53.7%	
Not at all	4.9%	5.1%	4.8%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	2.38	2.40	2.37	
Standard deviation	0.58	0.59	0.57	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.34	0.34	0.33	
Take a risk because you feel you have more to gain				Habits of Mind
Frequently	34.9%	37.9%	32.0%	
Occasionally	55.0%	53.8%	56.1%	
Not at all	10.1%	8.3%	11.9%	
Total (n)	584	290	294	
Mean	2.25	2.30	2.20	
Standard deviation	0.62	0.61	0.63	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.39	0.38	0.40	
Seek alternative solutions to a problem				Habits of Mind
Frequently	48.4%	51.7%	45.1%	
Occasionally	47.9%	44.2%	51.5%	
Not at all	3.8%	4.1%	3.4%	
Total (n)	585	292	293	
Mean	2.45	2.48	2.42	
Standard deviation	0.57	0.58	0.56	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.32	0.33	0.31	
Look up scientific research articles and resources				Habits of Mind
Frequently	26.2%	31.3%	21.2%	
Occasionally	55.3%	56.7%	53.9%	
Not at all	18.5%	12.0%	24.9%	
Total (n)	584	291	293	
Mean	2.08	2.19	1.96	
Standard deviation	0.66	0.63	0.68	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.44	0.40	0.46	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
How often in the past year did you?				
Explore topics on your own, even though it is not required for a class				Habits of Mind
Frequently	39.4%	45.4%	33.4%	
Occasionally	47.8%	43.3%	52.2%	
Not at all	12.8%	11.3%	14.3%	
Total (n)	586	293	293	
Mean	2.27	2.34	2.19	
Standard deviation	0.67	0.67	0.67	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.45	0.45	0.44	
Accept mistakes as part of the learning process				Habits of Mind
Frequently	54.9%	55.8%	54.1%	
Occasionally	42.0%	41.1%	42.9%	
Not at all	3.1%	3.1%	3.1%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	2.52	2.53	2.51	
Standard deviation	0.56	0.56	0.56	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.31	0.31	0.31	
Seek feedback on your academic work				Habits of Mind
Frequently	45.5%	38.6%	52.4%	
Occasionally	49.7%	57.3%	42.2%	
Not at all	4.8%	4.1%	5.4%	
Total (n)	587	293	294	
Mean	2.41	2.34	2.47	
Standard deviation	0.58	0.56	0.60	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.34	0.31	0.36	
Take notes during class				
Frequently	70.6%	57.0%	84.3%	
Occasionally	25.8%	36.5%	15.0%	
Not at all	3.6%	6.5%	0.7%	
Total (n)	586	293	293	
Mean	2.67	2.51	2.84	
Standard deviation	0.54	0.62	0.39	
SE Mean	0.02	0.04	0.02	
Variance	0.29	0.38	0.15	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
How often in the past year did you?				
Work with other students on group projects				
Frequently	60.3%	57.0%	63.6%	
Occasionally	38.3%	41.6%	35.0%	
Not at all	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	
Total (n)	587	293	294	
Mean	2.59	2.56	2.62	
Standard deviation	0.52	0.52	0.51	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.27	0.28	0.26	
Integrate skills and knowledge from different sources and experiences				
Frequently	59.0%	56.8%	61.2%	
Occasionally	40.1%	42.1%	38.1%	
Not at all	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%	
Total (n)	586	292	294	
Mean	2.58	2.56	2.61	
Standard deviation	0.51	0.52	0.50	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.26	0.27	0.25	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Your probable career occupation (aggregated)				
Artist	6.0%	4.4%	7.6%	
Business	9.1%	11.0%	7.2%	
Business (clerical)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Clergy	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
College teacher	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Doctor (MD or DDS)	14.7%	16.1%	13.3%	
Education (secondary)	2.2%	1.5%	2.9%	
Education (elementary)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Engineer	14.3%	22.3%	6.5%	
Farmer or forester	0.9%	0.7%	1.1%	
Health professional	9.6%	6.2%	12.9%	
Homemaker (full-time)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Lawyer	3.1%	2.6%	3.6%	
Military (career)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Nurse	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	
Research scientist	5.3%	4.0%	6.5%	
Social/welfare/recreation worker	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
Skilled worker	0.7%	1.1%	0.4%	
Semi-skilled worker	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Unskilled worker	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Unemployed	3.1%	2.9%	3.2%	
Other	16.0%	15.4%	16.5%	
Undecided	13.2%	10.3%	16.2%	
Total (n)	551	273	278	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Your father's occupation (aggregated)				
Artist	0.9%	0.4%	1.4%	
Business	23.9%	24.1%	23.8%	
Business (clerical)	2.0%	1.4%	2.5%	
Clergy	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
College teacher	0.7%	0.0%	1.4%	
Doctor (MD or DDS)	2.3%	2.5%	2.1%	
Education (secondary)	1.3%	1.8%	0.7%	
Education (elementary)	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Engineer	14.6%	14.7%	14.5%	
Farmer or forester	0.5%	0.7%	0.4%	
Health professional	1.8%	2.2%	1.4%	
Homemaker (full-time)	0.7%	1.1%	0.4%	
Lawyer	1.4%	1.8%	1.1%	
Military (career)	1.4%	0.7%	2.1%	
Nurse	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Research scientist	2.5%	2.2%	2.8%	
Social/welfare/recreation worker	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Skilled worker	4.6%	6.1%	3.2%	
Semi-skilled worker	3.9%	4.0%	3.9%	
Unskilled worker	2.5%	2.9%	2.1%	
Unemployed	6.6%	6.1%	7.1%	
Other	27.0%	25.9%	28.0%	
Total (n)	560	278	282	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Your mother's occupation (aggregated)				
Artist	2.3%	2.5%	2.1%	
Business	18.8%	20.6%	17.0%	
Business (clerical)	3.3%	3.2%	3.5%	
Clergy	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	
College teacher	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%	
Doctor (MD or DDS)	0.9%	1.1%	0.7%	
Education (secondary)	2.6%	2.5%	2.8%	
Education (elementary)	4.2%	3.2%	5.2%	
Engineer	3.3%	4.3%	2.4%	
Farmer or forester	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Health professional	4.0%	5.3%	2.8%	
Homemaker (full-time)	13.4%	11.0%	15.6%	
Lawyer	0.9%	0.0%	1.7%	
Military (career)	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
Nurse	3.5%	3.9%	3.1%	
Research scientist	1.6%	1.4%	1.7%	
Social/welfare/recreation worker	2.3%	2.5%	2.1%	
Skilled worker	2.3%	3.6%	1.0%	
Semi-skilled worker	3.2%	1.8%	4.5%	
Unskilled worker	1.1%	1.4%	0.7%	
Unemployed	12.7%	13.5%	11.8%	
Other	18.6%	17.4%	19.8%	
Total (n)	569	281	288	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Race/Ethnicity - mark all that apply (total may add to more than 100%)				
American Indian/Alaska Native	0.9%	0.7%	1.0%	
Asian American/Asian	65.8%	68.0%	63.5%	
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	2.9%	3.1%	2.7%	
African American/Black	2.2%	1.4%	3.1%	
Mexican American/Chicano	8.2%	8.6%	7.8%	
Puerto Rican	0.7%	0.0%	1.4%	
Other Latino	2.2%	1.0%	3.4%	
White/Caucasian	27.1%	25.4%	28.7%	
Other	5.1%	3.4%	6.8%	
Total (n)	584	291	293	
Race/Ethnicity Group (with multiple race category)				
American Indian	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Asian	60.8%	64.3%	57.3%	
Black	1.2%	0.7%	1.7%	
Hispanic	7.2%	7.6%	6.8%	
White	17.6%	17.2%	18.1%	
Other	2.2%	1.0%	3.4%	
Two or more races/ethnicities	11.0%	9.3%	12.6%	
Total (n)	584	291	293	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Mark one in each row:				
Wealthy people should pay a larger share of taxes than they do now				
Agree strongly	24.1%	24.7%	23.6%	
Agree somewhat	51.2%	45.8%	56.6%	
Disagree somewhat	17.2%	19.1%	15.3%	
Disagree strongly	7.5%	10.4%	4.5%	
Total (n)	576	288	288	
Mean	2.92	2.85	2.99	
Standard deviation	0.84	0.91	0.76	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.71	0.83	0.57	
Affirmative action in college admissions should be abolished				
Agree strongly	21.2%	22.0%	20.5%	
Agree somewhat	38.9%	39.0%	38.8%	
Disagree somewhat	34.0%	32.8%	35.3%	
Disagree strongly	5.8%	6.3%	5.4%	
Total (n)	565	287	278	
Mean	2.76	2.77	2.74	
Standard deviation	0.85	0.86	0.84	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.73	0.75	0.71	
The federal government should do more to control the sale of handguns				
Agree strongly	32.3%	29.3%	35.3%	
Agree somewhat	44.0%	39.0%	49.0%	
Disagree somewhat	17.5%	22.0%	12.9%	
Disagree strongly	6.3%	9.8%	2.8%	
Total (n)	573	287	286	
Mean	3.02	2.88	3.17	
Standard deviation	0.87	0.94	0.75	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.04	
Variance	0.75	0.89	0.57	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Mark one in each row:				
The federal government is not doing enough to control environmental pollution				
Agree strongly	48.8%	43.4%	54.2%	
Agree somewhat	41.5%	44.4%	38.5%	
Disagree somewhat	7.8%	9.7%	5.9%	
Disagree strongly	1.9%	2.4%	1.4%	
Total (n)	576	288	288	
Mean	3.37	3.29	3.45	
Standard deviation	0.71	0.74	0.67	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.51	0.55	0.45	
A national health care plan is needed to cover everybody's medical costs				
Agree strongly	30.8%	28.5%	33.2%	
Agree somewhat	41.5%	37.8%	45.1%	
Disagree somewhat	19.7%	21.9%	17.5%	
Disagree strongly	8.0%	11.8%	4.2%	
Total (n)	574	288	286	
Mean	2.95	2.83	3.07	
Standard deviation	0.91	0.97	0.82	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.82	0.95	0.67	
The federal government should raise taxes to reduce the deficit				
Agree strongly	7.0%	8.0%	6.0%	
Agree somewhat	34.6%	33.2%	36.0%	
Disagree somewhat	47.7%	46.0%	49.5%	
Disagree strongly	10.7%	12.8%	8.5%	
Total (n)	572	289	283	
Mean	2.38	2.36	2.40	
Standard deviation	0.77	0.81	0.73	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.59	0.65	0.53	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Mark one in each row:				
Addressing global warming should be a federal priority				
Agree strongly	31.5%	26.8%	36.2%	
Agree somewhat	43.2%	39.7%	46.7%	
Disagree somewhat	20.2%	26.5%	13.9%	
Disagree strongly	5.1%	7.0%	3.1%	
Total (n)	574	287	287	
Mean	3.01	2.86	3.16	
Standard deviation	0.85	0.89	0.78	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.72	0.80	0.60	
The chief benefit of a college education is that it increases one's earning power				
Agree strongly	26.3%	27.6%	25.0%	
Agree somewhat	47.0%	47.2%	46.8%	
Disagree somewhat	19.6%	19.6%	19.7%	
Disagree strongly	7.0%	5.6%	8.5%	
Total (n)	570	286	284	
Mean	2.93	2.97	2.88	
Standard deviation	0.86	0.84	0.88	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.74	0.70	0.77	
Gays and lesbians should have the legal right to adopt a child				
Agree strongly	53.7%	44.8%	62.7%	
Agree somewhat	30.4%	35.3%	25.4%	
Disagree somewhat	8.6%	10.1%	7.0%	
Disagree strongly	7.4%	9.8%	4.9%	
Total (n)	570	286	284	
Mean	3.30	3.15	3.46	
Standard deviation	0.91	0.96	0.83	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.83	0.92	0.69	
How would you characterize your political views?				
Far left	2.3%	1.7%	2.9%	
Liberal	40.5%	34.0%	47.3%	
Middle-of-the-road	42.8%	43.8%	41.9%	
Conservative	13.6%	19.1%	7.9%	
Far right	0.7%	1.4%	0.0%	
Total (n)	565	288	277	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
In deciding to go to college, how important to you was each of the following reasons?				
To be able to get a better job				
Very important	85.4%	86.2%	84.6%	
Somewhat important	13.0%	12.4%	13.7%	
Not important	1.6%	1.4%	1.8%	
Total (n)	575	290	285	
Mean	2.84	2.85	2.83	
Standard deviation	0.41	0.40	0.42	
SE Mean	0.02	0.02	0.02	
Variance	0.17	0.16	0.18	
To gain a general education and appreciation of ideas				
Very important	71.1%	66.0%	76.4%	
Somewhat important	26.6%	30.6%	22.5%	
Not important	2.3%	3.4%	1.1%	
Total (n)	575	291	284	
Mean	2.69	2.63	2.75	
Standard deviation	0.51	0.55	0.46	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.26	0.30	0.21	
To make me a more cultured person				
Very important	51.6%	46.0%	57.2%	
Somewhat important	39.1%	41.9%	36.1%	
Not important	9.4%	12.0%	6.7%	
Total (n)	576	291	285	
Mean	2.42	2.34	2.51	
Standard deviation	0.66	0.68	0.62	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.43	0.47	0.38	
To be able to make more money				
Very important	71.8%	75.9%	67.6%	
Somewhat important	25.8%	22.0%	29.6%	
Not important	2.5%	2.1%	2.8%	
Total (n)	570	286	284	
Mean	2.69	2.74	2.65	
Standard deviation	0.51	0.49	0.53	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.26	0.24	0.29	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
In deciding to go to college, how important to you was each of the following reasons?				
To learn more about things that interest me				
Very important	82.4%	80.8%	84.2%	
Somewhat important	16.2%	17.9%	14.4%	
Not important	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	
Total (n)	575	291	284	
Mean	2.81	2.79	2.83	
Standard deviation	0.43	0.44	0.41	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.02	
Variance	0.18	0.19	0.17	
To get training for a specific career				
Very important	69.9%	69.3%	70.4%	
Somewhat important	27.2%	27.2%	27.1%	
Not important	3.0%	3.4%	2.5%	
Total (n)	574	290	284	
Mean	2.67	2.66	2.68	
Standard deviation	0.53	0.54	0.52	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.28	0.29	0.27	
To prepare myself for graduate or professional school				
Very important	67.5%	62.4%	72.6%	
Somewhat important	27.3%	32.1%	22.5%	
Not important	5.2%	5.5%	4.9%	
Total (n)	575	290	285	
Mean	2.62	2.57	2.68	
Standard deviation	0.58	0.60	0.56	
SE Mean	0.02	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.34	0.36	0.32	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			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?				
Studying/homework				
None	1.2%	2.4%	0.0%	
Less than one hour	3.5%	6.3%	0.7%	
1 to 2 hours	11.3%	14.6%	8.0%	
3 to 5 hours	23.3%	21.5%	25.0%	
6 to 10 hours	26.0%	27.8%	24.3%	
11 to 15 hours	16.1%	12.5%	19.8%	
16 to 20 hours	8.3%	7.6%	9.0%	
Over 20 hours	10.2%	7.3%	13.2%	
Total (n)	576	288	288	
Mean	5.02	4.70	5.34	
Standard deviation	1.62	1.66	1.51	
SE Mean	0.07	0.10	0.09	
Variance	2.61	2.76	2.27	
Socializing with friends				
None	0.3%	0.7%	0.0%	
Less than one hour	1.4%	1.0%	1.7%	
1 to 2 hours	9.6%	10.1%	9.1%	
3 to 5 hours	21.3%	19.9%	22.6%	
6 to 10 hours	29.8%	27.9%	31.7%	
11 to 15 hours	17.1%	17.1%	17.1%	
16 to 20 hours	9.4%	11.1%	7.7%	
Over 20 hours	11.1%	12.2%	10.1%	
Total (n)	574	287	287	
Mean	5.23	5.30	5.17	
Standard deviation	1.51	1.56	1.45	
SE Mean	0.06	0.09	0.09	
Variance	2.28	2.44	2.11	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			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?				
Talking with teachers outside of class				
None	8.0%	10.8%	5.2%	
Less than one hour	41.4%	37.8%	44.9%	
1 to 2 hours	34.6%	36.5%	32.8%	
3 to 5 hours	11.0%	10.1%	11.8%	
6 to 10 hours	2.8%	2.4%	3.1%	
11 to 15 hours	1.2%	1.4%	1.0%	
16 to 20 hours	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%	
Over 20 hours	0.5%	0.3%	0.7%	
Total (n)	575	288	287	
Mean	2.67	2.64	2.71	
Standard deviation	1.08	1.10	1.07	
SE Mean	0.05	0.06	0.06	
Variance	1.17	1.21	1.14	
Exercise or sports				
None	6.4%	3.5%	9.4%	
Less than one hour	8.5%	6.3%	10.8%	
1 to 2 hours	17.0%	17.7%	16.4%	
3 to 5 hours	22.8%	22.9%	22.6%	
6 to 10 hours	19.1%	20.5%	17.8%	
11 to 15 hours	12.5%	12.2%	12.9%	
16 to 20 hours	7.3%	9.4%	5.2%	
Over 20 hours	6.3%	7.6%	4.9%	
Total (n)	575	288	287	
Mean	4.38	4.63	4.13	
Standard deviation	1.82	1.76	1.84	
SE Mean	0.08	0.10	0.11	
Variance	3.31	3.11	3.38	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			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?				
Partying				
None	40.6%	34.1%	47.0%	
Less than one hour	18.8%	22.0%	15.7%	
1 to 2 hours	17.8%	15.3%	20.2%	
3 to 5 hours	14.1%	16.7%	11.5%	
6 to 10 hours	5.6%	8.0%	3.1%	
11 to 15 hours	1.7%	1.7%	1.7%	
16 to 20 hours	0.5%	1.0%	0.0%	
Over 20 hours	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%	
Total (n)	574	287	287	
Mean	2.37	2.57	2.17	
Standard deviation	1.50	1.58	1.39	
SE Mean	0.06	0.09	0.08	
Variance	2.24	2.48	1.92	
Working (for pay)				
None	67.1%	68.1%	66.2%	
Less than one hour	4.0%	4.5%	3.5%	
1 to 2 hours	5.6%	5.9%	5.2%	
3 to 5 hours	6.3%	4.9%	7.7%	
6 to 10 hours	7.5%	6.3%	8.7%	
11 to 15 hours	4.0%	3.8%	4.2%	
16 to 20 hours	3.7%	3.8%	3.5%	
Over 20 hours	1.9%	2.8%	1.0%	
Total (n)	575	288	287	
Mean	2.19	2.17	2.21	
Standard deviation	1.97	2.01	1.92	
SE Mean	0.08	0.12	0.11	
Variance	3.86	4.05	3.69	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			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?				
Volunteer work				
None	19.3%	25.3%	13.2%	
Less than one hour	19.7%	19.1%	20.2%	
1 to 2 hours	23.8%	22.2%	25.4%	
3 to 5 hours	23.8%	20.1%	27.5%	
6 to 10 hours	7.1%	7.3%	7.0%	
11 to 15 hours	2.6%	1.7%	3.5%	
16 to 20 hours	1.6%	2.1%	1.0%	
Over 20 hours	2.1%	2.1%	2.1%	
Total (n)	575	288	287	
Mean	3.04	2.89	3.20	
Standard deviation	1.58	1.64	1.50	
SE Mean	0.07	0.10	0.09	
Variance	2.50	2.71	2.26	
Student clubs/groups				
None	18.7%	21.3%	16.1%	
Less than one hour	14.3%	18.1%	10.5%	
1 to 2 hours	27.4%	29.3%	25.5%	
3 to 5 hours	20.4%	18.1%	22.7%	
6 to 10 hours	11.0%	6.6%	15.4%	
11 to 15 hours	3.1%	1.7%	4.5%	
16 to 20 hours	1.6%	1.7%	1.4%	
Over 20 hours	3.5%	3.1%	3.8%	
Total (n)	573	287	286	
Mean	3.24	2.99	3.49	
Standard deviation	1.70	1.65	1.72	
SE Mean	0.07	0.10	0.10	
Variance	2.89	2.71	2.95	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			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?				
Watching TV				
None	14.5%	17.8%	11.1%	
Less than one hour	18.1%	17.8%	18.5%	
1 to 2 hours	23.2%	21.6%	24.7%	
3 to 5 hours	23.9%	21.3%	26.5%	
6 to 10 hours	12.7%	12.2%	13.2%	
11 to 15 hours	3.0%	2.4%	3.5%	
16 to 20 hours	2.3%	3.8%	0.7%	
Over 20 hours	2.4%	3.1%	1.7%	
Total (n)	574	287	287	
Mean	3.32	3.31	3.34	
Standard deviation	1.63	1.77	1.48	
SE Mean	0.07	0.10	0.09	
Variance	2.65	3.12	2.18	
Household/childcare duties				
None	25.8%	30.9%	20.7%	
Less than one hour	19.9%	17.4%	22.5%	
1 to 2 hours	30.0%	28.1%	31.9%	
3 to 5 hours	17.6%	17.4%	17.9%	
6 to 10 hours	3.8%	3.1%	4.6%	
11 to 15 hours	1.0%	1.4%	0.7%	
16 to 20 hours	1.0%	1.0%	1.1%	
Over 20 hours	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	
Total (n)	573	288	285	
Mean	2.65	2.56	2.73	
Standard deviation	1.37	1.41	1.32	
SE Mean	0.06	0.08	0.08	
Variance	1.88	1.99	1.75	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			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?				
Reading for pleasure				
None	25.5%	30.3%	20.6%	
Less than one hour	27.9%	27.2%	28.7%	
1 to 2 hours	23.6%	25.4%	21.7%	
3 to 5 hours	13.6%	11.1%	16.1%	
6 to 10 hours	6.5%	3.8%	9.1%	
11 to 15 hours	1.2%	1.0%	1.4%	
16 to 20 hours	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	
Over 20 hours	1.0%	0.3%	1.7%	
Total (n)	573	287	286	
Mean	2.59	2.39	2.80	
Standard deviation	1.42	1.29	1.51	
SE Mean	0.06	0.08	0.09	
Variance	2.01	1.67	2.28	
Playing video/computer games				
None	37.8%	15.3%	60.5%	
Less than one hour	18.1%	18.4%	17.8%	
1 to 2 hours	14.5%	15.3%	13.6%	
3 to 5 hours	11.8%	19.1%	4.5%	
6 to 10 hours	10.8%	19.8%	1.7%	
11 to 15 hours	2.4%	4.9%	0.0%	
16 to 20 hours	1.4%	2.1%	0.7%	
Over 20 hours	3.1%	5.2%	1.0%	
Total (n)	574	288	286	
Mean	2.68	3.59	1.77	
Standard deviation	1.84	1.88	1.26	
SE Mean	0.08	0.11	0.07	
Variance	3.38	3.52	1.59	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			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?				
Online social networks (MySpace, Facebook, etc.)				
None	3.7%	4.2%	3.1%	
Less than one hour	12.4%	14.2%	10.5%	
1 to 2 hours	23.9%	23.6%	24.1%	
3 to 5 hours	29.6%	30.6%	28.7%	
6 to 10 hours	16.6%	14.2%	18.9%	
11 to 15 hours	5.4%	4.5%	6.3%	
16 to 20 hours	3.0%	2.4%	3.5%	
Over 20 hours	5.6%	6.3%	4.9%	
Total (n)	574	288	286	
Mean	3.99	3.91	4.07	
Standard deviation	1.61	1.65	1.58	
SE Mean	0.07	0.10	0.09	
Variance	2.61	2.72	2.49	
How important was each reason in your decision to come here?				
My parents wanted me to come here				
Very important	16.0%	14.2%	17.7%	
Somewhat important	39.8%	40.3%	39.2%	
Not important	44.3%	45.5%	43.1%	
Total (n)	576	288	288	
Mean	1.72	1.69	1.75	
Standard deviation	0.72	0.71	0.74	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.52	0.50	0.55	
My relatives wanted me to come here				
Very important	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	
Somewhat important	18.7%	19.1%	18.3%	
Not important	76.8%	76.4%	77.2%	
Total (n)	577	288	289	
Mean	1.28	1.28	1.27	
Standard deviation	0.54	0.54	0.54	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.29	0.29	0.29	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
How important was each reason in your decision to come here?				
My teacher advised me				
Very important	5.2%	5.9%	4.5%	
Somewhat important	28.0%	26.9%	29.0%	
Not important	66.8%	67.1%	66.4%	
Total (n)	572	286	286	
Mean	1.38	1.39	1.38	
Standard deviation	0.58	0.60	0.57	
SE Mean	0.02	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.34	0.36	0.33	
This college has a very good academic reputation				
Very important	73.3%	71.7%	74.8%	College Reputation Orientation
Somewhat important	24.7%	25.9%	23.4%	
Not important	2.1%	2.4%	1.7%	
Total (n)	580	290	290	
Mean	2.71	2.69	2.73	
Standard deviation	0.50	0.51	0.48	
Variance	0.25	0.26	0.23	
This college has a good reputation for its social activities				
Very important	14.1%	14.3%	14.0%	
Somewhat important	44.9%	42.5%	47.2%	
Not important	41.0%	43.2%	38.8%	
Total (n)	573	287	286	
Mean	1.73	1.71	1.75	
Standard deviation	0.69	0.70	0.68	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.48	0.49	0.47	
I was offered financial assistance				
Very important	39.4%	37.6%	41.3%	
Somewhat important	19.3%	20.3%	18.2%	
Not important	41.3%	42.1%	40.6%	
Total (n)	576	290	286	
Mean	1.98	1.96	2.01	
Standard deviation	0.90	0.89	0.91	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.81	0.80	0.82	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
How important was each reason in your decision to come here?				
The cost of attending this college				
Very important	32.5%	28.5%	36.6%	
Somewhat important	40.0%	43.1%	36.9%	
Not important	27.5%	28.5%	26.5%	
Total (n)	575	288	287	
Mean	2.05	2.00	2.10	
Standard deviation	0.77	0.76	0.79	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.05	
Variance	0.60	0.57	0.62	
High school counselor advised me				
Very important	6.3%	5.6%	7.0%	
Somewhat important	22.1%	23.2%	21.0%	
Not important	71.6%	71.2%	72.0%	
Total (n)	571	285	286	
Mean	1.35	1.34	1.35	
Standard deviation	0.59	0.58	0.61	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.04	
Variance	0.35	0.34	0.37	
Private college counselor advised me				
Very important	2.6%	2.5%	2.8%	
Somewhat important	10.0%	12.0%	8.1%	
Not important	87.3%	85.6%	89.1%	
Total (n)	568	284	284	
Mean	1.15	1.17	1.14	
Standard deviation	0.43	0.44	0.42	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.02	
Variance	0.18	0.19	0.18	
I wanted to live near home				
Very important	11.4%	9.2%	13.6%	
Somewhat important	22.2%	23.6%	20.9%	
Not important	66.4%	67.3%	65.5%	
Total (n)	571	284	287	
Mean	1.45	1.42	1.48	
Standard deviation	0.69	0.65	0.72	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.48	0.43	0.52	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
How important was each reason in your decision to come here?				
Not offered aid by first choice				
Very important	11.0%	9.3%	12.6%	
Somewhat important	10.3%	9.6%	10.9%	
Not important	78.8%	81.1%	76.5%	
Total (n)	565	280	285	
Mean	1.32	1.28	1.36	
Standard deviation	0.66	0.62	0.70	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.44	0.39	0.49	
Could not afford first choice				
Very important	9.7%	7.8%	11.6%	
Somewhat important	11.3%	11.0%	11.6%	
Not important	79.0%	81.3%	76.8%	
Total (n)	568	283	285	
Mean	1.31	1.27	1.35	
Standard deviation	0.64	0.59	0.68	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.41	0.35	0.46	
This college's graduates gain admission to top graduate/professional schools				
Very important	36.5%	31.5%	41.5%	College Reputation Orientation
Somewhat important	44.2%	45.1%	43.3%	
Not important	19.3%	23.4%	15.1%	
Total (n)	570	286	284	
Mean	2.17	2.08	2.26	
Standard deviation	0.73	0.74	0.71	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.53	0.54	0.50	
This college's graduates get good jobs				
Very important	50.0%	50.5%	49.5%	College Reputation Orientation
Somewhat important	39.2%	37.2%	41.3%	
Not important	10.8%	12.3%	9.3%	
Total (n)	566	285	281	
Mean	2.39	2.38	2.40	
Standard deviation	0.67	0.70	0.65	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.45	0.48	0.43	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
How important was each reason in your decision to come here?				
I was attracted by the religious affiliation/orientation of the college				
Very important	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%	
Somewhat important	10.2%	12.5%	8.1%	
Not important	87.3%	85.1%	89.5%	
Total (n)	566	281	285	
Mean	1.15	1.17	1.13	
Standard deviation	0.42	0.44	0.40	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.02	
Variance	0.18	0.19	0.16	
I wanted to go to a school about the size of this college				
Very important	15.8%	15.4%	16.2%	
Somewhat important	39.6%	40.9%	38.4%	
Not important	44.6%	43.7%	45.4%	
Total (n)	570	286	284	
Mean	1.71	1.72	1.71	
Standard deviation	0.72	0.72	0.73	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.52	0.51	0.53	
Rankings in national magazines				
Very important	37.0%	39.7%	34.3%	
Somewhat important	42.2%	41.5%	43.0%	
Not important	20.8%	18.8%	22.7%	
Total (n)	573	287	286	
Mean	2.16	2.21	2.12	
Standard deviation	0.74	0.74	0.75	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.55	0.54	0.56	
Information from a website				
Very important	21.2%	21.1%	21.4%	
Somewhat important	42.6%	41.4%	43.9%	
Not important	36.1%	37.5%	34.7%	
Total (n)	570	285	285	
Mean	1.85	1.84	1.87	
Standard deviation	0.74	0.75	0.74	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.55	0.56	0.55	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
How important was each reason in your decision to come here?				
I was admitted through an Early Action or Early Decision program				
Very important	2.1%	1.8%	2.5%	
Somewhat important	4.9%	5.6%	4.2%	
Not important	93.0%	92.6%	93.3%	
Total (n)	569	284	285	
Mean	1.09	1.09	1.09	
Standard deviation	0.35	0.34	0.36	
SE Mean	0.01	0.02	0.02	
Variance	0.13	0.12	0.13	
The athletic department recruited me				
Very important	4.2%	5.7%	2.8%	
Somewhat important	3.9%	5.3%	2.4%	
Not important	91.9%	89.0%	94.8%	
Total (n)	568	282	286	
Mean	1.12	1.17	1.08	
Standard deviation	0.44	0.50	0.36	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.02	
Variance	0.19	0.25	0.13	
A visit to the campus				
Very important	24.8%	21.3%	28.3%	
Somewhat important	41.5%	45.6%	37.4%	
Not important	33.7%	33.1%	34.3%	
Total (n)	573	287	286	
Mean	1.91	1.88	1.94	
Standard deviation	0.76	0.73	0.79	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.05	
Variance	0.58	0.53	0.62	
Ability to take online courses				
Very important	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Somewhat important	7.6%	8.8%	6.3%	
Not important	92.2%	90.8%	93.7%	
Total (n)	567	283	284	
Mean	1.08	1.10	1.06	
Standard deviation	0.28	0.31	0.24	
SE Mean	0.01	0.02	0.01	
Variance	0.08	0.09	0.06	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
The current economic situation significantly affected my college choice:				
Agree strongly	19.6%	18.1%	21.2%	
Agree somewhat	46.7%	45.8%	47.6%	
Disagree somewhat	22.6%	22.6%	22.6%	
Disagree strongly	11.1%	13.5%	8.7%	
Total (n)	576	288	288	
Mean	2.75	2.68	2.81	
Standard deviation	0.90	0.92	0.87	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.80	0.85	0.75	
Your probable field of study/major (aggregated)				
Agriculture	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	
Biological Science	21.4%	16.7%	26.0%	
Business	6.4%	6.6%	6.3%	
Education	0.5%	0.3%	0.7%	
Engineering	20.3%	29.3%	11.5%	
English	1.4%	0.7%	2.1%	
Health Professional	8.5%	8.0%	9.0%	
History or Political Science	4.3%	3.1%	5.6%	
Humanities	1.4%	0.7%	2.1%	
Fine Arts	3.7%	2.8%	4.5%	
Mathematics or Statistics	2.1%	2.8%	1.4%	
Physical Science	5.9%	7.0%	4.9%	
Social Science	11.8%	9.4%	14.2%	
Other Technical	3.7%	5.9%	1.4%	
Other Non-technical	4.2%	2.4%	5.9%	
Undecided	4.0%	3.8%	4.2%	
Total (n)	575	287	288	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:				
Becoming accomplished in one of the performing arts (acting, dancing, etc.)				
Essential	7.2%	8.7%	5.8%	
Very important	11.2%	11.1%	11.3%	
Somewhat important	35.3%	35.6%	35.1%	
Not important	46.2%	44.6%	47.8%	
Total (n)	580	289	291	
Mean	1.79	1.84	1.75	
Standard deviation	0.91	0.94	0.88	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.82	0.88	0.77	
Becoming an authority in my field				
Essential	18.1%	20.8%	15.5%	
Very important	37.8%	36.0%	39.5%	
Somewhat important	34.5%	34.3%	34.7%	
Not important	9.7%	9.0%	10.3%	
Total (n)	580	289	291	
Mean	2.64	2.69	2.60	
Standard deviation	0.89	0.90	0.87	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.79	0.81	0.76	
Obtaining recognition from my colleagues for contributions to my special field				
Essential	16.4%	18.3%	14.5%	
Very important	36.0%	32.4%	39.7%	
Somewhat important	38.8%	41.4%	36.2%	
Not important	8.8%	7.9%	9.7%	
Total (n)	580	290	290	
Mean	2.60	2.61	2.59	
Standard deviation	0.86	0.87	0.85	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.74	0.76	0.73	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:				
Influencing the political structure				
Essential	4.0%	4.8%	3.1%	
Very important	12.2%	11.7%	12.8%	
Somewhat important	41.7%	42.4%	41.0%	
Not important	42.1%	41.0%	43.1%	
Total (n)	580	290	290	
Mean	1.78	1.80	1.76	
Standard deviation	0.81	0.83	0.79	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.65	0.68	0.63	
Influencing social values				
Essential	11.9%	13.4%	10.3%	Social Agency
Very important	26.7%	23.4%	30.0%	
Somewhat important	41.6%	37.9%	45.2%	
Not important	19.8%	25.2%	14.5%	
Total (n)	580	290	290	
Mean	2.31	2.25	2.36	
Standard deviation	0.92	0.98	0.85	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.85	0.96	0.73	
Raising a family				
Essential	41.5%	46.2%	36.7%	
Very important	29.0%	25.9%	32.2%	
Somewhat important	18.8%	20.0%	17.6%	
Not important	10.7%	7.9%	13.5%	
Total (n)	579	290	289	
Mean	3.01	3.10	2.92	
Standard deviation	1.02	0.99	1.04	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	1.03	0.97	1.08	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:				
Being very well off financially				
Essential	46.3%	51.2%	41.4%	
Very important	35.4%	31.8%	39.0%	
Somewhat important	15.2%	14.2%	16.2%	
Not important	3.1%	2.8%	3.4%	
Total (n)	579	289	290	
Mean	3.25	3.31	3.18	
Standard deviation	0.82	0.82	0.83	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.68	0.67	0.68	
Helping others who are in difficulty				
Essential	29.5%	32.2%	26.8%	
Very important	39.7%	36.0%	43.3%	
Somewhat important	27.6%	27.0%	28.2%	
Not important	3.3%	4.8%	1.7%	
Total (n)	580	289	291	Social Agency
Mean	2.95	2.96	2.95	
Standard deviation	0.84	0.89	0.79	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.70	0.79	0.62	
Making a theoretical contribution to science				
Essential	9.3%	11.7%	6.9%	
Very important	21.7%	23.8%	19.7%	
Somewhat important	38.3%	39.7%	36.9%	
Not important	30.7%	24.8%	36.6%	
Total (n)	580	290	290	
Mean	2.10	2.22	1.97	
Standard deviation	0.94	0.95	0.92	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.89	0.91	0.84	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:				
Writing original works (poems, novels, etc.)				
Essential	5.7%	5.9%	5.5%	
Very important	8.8%	9.7%	7.9%	
Somewhat important	24.3%	22.1%	26.6%	
Not important	61.2%	62.4%	60.0%	
Total (n)	580	290	290	
Mean	1.59	1.59	1.59	
Standard deviation	0.87	0.89	0.86	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.76	0.79	0.73	
Creating artistic works (painting, sculpture, etc.)				
Essential	6.4%	7.2%	5.5%	
Very important	10.0%	10.7%	9.3%	
Somewhat important	25.0%	21.7%	28.4%	
Not important	58.5%	60.3%	56.7%	
Total (n)	579	290	289	
Mean	1.64	1.65	1.64	
Standard deviation	0.90	0.94	0.87	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.81	0.88	0.75	
Becoming successful in a business of my own				
Essential	18.7%	20.8%	16.5%	
Very important	23.3%	24.3%	22.3%	
Somewhat important	32.3%	31.9%	32.6%	
Not important	25.7%	22.9%	28.5%	
Total (n)	579	288	291	
Mean	2.35	2.43	2.27	
Standard deviation	1.06	1.06	1.05	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	1.12	1.12	1.10	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:				
Becoming involved in programs to clean up the environment				
Essential	10.9%	9.1%	12.8%	
Very important	18.0%	13.9%	22.1%	
Somewhat important	45.9%	47.4%	44.5%	
Not important	25.1%	29.6%	20.7%	
Total (n)	577	287	290	
Mean	2.15	2.02	2.27	
Standard deviation	0.92	0.89	0.93	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.85	0.80	0.87	
Developing a meaningful philosophy of life				
Essential	24.6%	24.0%	25.2%	
Very important	25.4%	26.0%	24.8%	
Somewhat important	32.2%	31.6%	32.8%	
Not important	17.8%	18.4%	17.2%	
Total (n)	578	288	290	
Mean	2.57	2.56	2.58	
Standard deviation	1.05	1.05	1.05	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	1.10	1.10	1.10	
Participating in a community action program				
Essential	8.3%	6.6%	10.0%	Social Agency
Very important	19.2%	17.8%	20.7%	
Somewhat important	43.3%	38.0%	48.6%	
Not important	29.1%	37.6%	20.7%	
Total (n)	577	287	290	
Mean	2.07	1.93	2.20	
Standard deviation	0.90	0.90	0.88	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.81	0.82	0.78	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:				
Helping to promote racial understanding				
Essential	11.9%	10.1%	13.8%	Social Agency
Very important	25.4%	23.3%	27.6%	
Somewhat important	39.3%	36.5%	42.1%	
Not important	23.4%	30.2%	16.6%	
Total (n)	578	288	290	
Mean	2.26	2.13	2.39	
Standard deviation	0.95	0.96	0.92	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.90	0.92	0.85	
Keeping up to date with political affairs				
Essential	7.3%	7.3%	7.2%	Social Agency
Very important	20.6%	20.9%	20.3%	
Somewhat important	42.2%	41.8%	42.6%	
Not important	29.9%	30.0%	29.9%	
Total (n)	578	287	291	
Mean	2.05	2.06	2.05	
Standard deviation	0.89	0.90	0.89	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.79	0.80	0.79	
Becoming a community leader				
Essential	9.7%	9.0%	10.3%	Social Agency
Very important	19.9%	19.1%	20.7%	
Somewhat important	40.5%	40.3%	40.7%	
Not important	29.9%	31.6%	28.3%	
Total (n)	578	288	290	
Mean	2.09	2.06	2.13	
Standard deviation	0.94	0.93	0.94	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.88	0.87	0.89	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following:				
Improving my understanding of other countries and cultures				
Essential	18.7%	16.0%	21.4%	
Very important	34.6%	30.2%	39.0%	
Somewhat important	34.1%	37.8%	30.3%	
Not important	12.6%	16.0%	9.3%	
Total (n)	578	288	290	
Mean	2.59	2.46	2.72	
Standard deviation	0.93	0.94	0.90	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.87	0.89	0.82	
Adopting "green" practices to protect the environment				
Essential	19.2%	12.8%	25.5%	
Very important	32.0%	30.1%	33.8%	
Somewhat important	35.2%	39.4%	31.0%	
Not important	13.6%	17.6%	9.7%	
Total (n)	579	289	290	
Mean	2.57	2.38	2.75	
Standard deviation	0.95	0.92	0.95	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.90	0.85	0.89	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will:				
Change major field				
Very good chance	24.8%	21.2%	28.4%	
Some chance	38.3%	38.9%	37.7%	
Very little chance	29.7%	32.3%	27.1%	
No chance	7.2%	7.6%	6.8%	
Total (n)	580	288	292	
Mean	2.81	2.74	2.88	
Standard deviation	0.89	0.88	0.90	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.80	0.77	0.82	
Change career choice				
Very good chance	19.8%	14.1%	25.4%	
Some chance	46.2%	46.7%	45.7%	
Very little chance	26.3%	30.6%	22.0%	
No chance	7.7%	8.6%	6.9%	
Total (n)	582	291	291	
Mean	2.78	2.66	2.90	
Standard deviation	0.85	0.82	0.86	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.72	0.68	0.74	
Participate in student government				
Very good chance	6.2%	3.8%	8.7%	
Some chance	28.9%	25.5%	32.3%	
Very little chance	39.4%	41.7%	37.2%	
No chance	25.4%	29.0%	21.9%	
Total (n)	578	290	288	
Mean	2.16	2.04	2.28	
Standard deviation	0.88	0.84	0.90	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.77	0.70	0.81	
Get a job to help pay for college expenses				
Very good chance	47.2%	40.3%	54.0%	
Some chance	35.1%	39.3%	30.8%	
Very little chance	14.2%	15.5%	12.8%	
No chance	3.6%	4.8%	2.4%	
Total (n)	579	290	289	
Mean	3.26	3.15	3.36	
Standard deviation	0.83	0.86	0.80	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.69	0.73	0.63	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will:				
Work full-time while attending college				
Very good chance	2.9%	2.1%	3.8%	
Some chance	19.5%	18.7%	20.3%	
Very little chance	43.4%	50.2%	36.6%	
No chance	34.2%	29.1%	39.3%	
Total (n)	579	289	290	
Mean	1.91	1.94	1.89	
Standard deviation	0.80	0.75	0.86	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.05	
Variance	0.65	0.56	0.74	
Join a social fraternity or sorority				
Very good chance	6.8%	5.9%	7.6%	
Some chance	20.7%	22.9%	18.4%	
Very little chance	38.4%	40.6%	36.1%	
No chance	34.2%	30.6%	37.8%	
Total (n)	576	288	288	
Mean	2.00	2.04	1.96	
Standard deviation	0.91	0.88	0.93	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.82	0.77	0.87	
Play club, intramural, or recreational sports				
Very good chance	25.7%	29.0%	22.5%	
Some chance	34.9%	39.3%	30.4%	
Very little chance	22.8%	18.6%	27.0%	
No chance	16.6%	13.1%	20.1%	
Total (n)	579	290	289	
Mean	2.70	2.84	2.55	
Standard deviation	1.03	0.99	1.05	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.06	
Variance	1.06	0.98	1.10	
Play intercollegiate athletics (eg., NCAA or NAIA-sponsored)				
Very good chance	6.7%	7.9%	5.5%	
Some chance	9.7%	14.1%	5.2%	
Very little chance	27.6%	33.1%	22.1%	
No chance	56.0%	44.8%	67.2%	
Total (n)	580	290	290	
Mean	1.67	1.85	1.49	
Standard deviation	0.90	0.94	0.83	
SE Mean	0.04	0.06	0.05	
Variance	0.82	0.89	0.69	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will:				
Make at least a "B" average				
Very good chance	65.7%	66.0%	65.4%	
Some chance	32.4%	31.3%	33.6%	
Very little chance	1.2%	1.7%	0.7%	
No chance	0.7%	1.0%	0.3%	
Total (n)	580	291	289	
Mean	3.63	3.62	3.64	
Standard deviation	0.55	0.58	0.52	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.30	0.33	0.27	
Need extra time to complete your degree requirements				
Very good chance	10.2%	7.6%	12.8%	
Some chance	43.4%	46.4%	40.5%	
Very little chance	37.9%	37.5%	38.4%	
No chance	8.4%	8.6%	8.3%	
Total (n)	580	291	289	
Mean	2.55	2.53	2.58	
Standard deviation	0.79	0.76	0.82	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.05	
Variance	0.62	0.57	0.67	
Participate in student protests or demonstrations				
Very good chance	8.3%	5.5%	11.1%	
Some chance	25.8%	22.5%	29.1%	
Very little chance	42.6%	48.4%	36.7%	
No chance	23.4%	23.5%	23.2%	
Total (n)	578	289	289	
Mean	2.19	2.10	2.28	
Standard deviation	0.89	0.82	0.94	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.06	
Variance	0.79	0.67	0.89	
Transfer to another college before graduating				
Very good chance	4.1%	3.4%	4.8%	
Some chance	16.2%	17.2%	15.2%	
Very little chance	44.8%	46.0%	43.6%	
No chance	34.8%	33.3%	36.3%	
Total (n)	580	291	289	
Mean	1.90	1.91	1.89	
Standard deviation	0.82	0.80	0.84	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.67	0.64	0.70	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will:				
Be satisfied with your college				
Very good chance	47.9%	43.3%	52.6%	
Some chance	47.4%	50.9%	43.9%	
Very little chance	3.4%	4.1%	2.8%	
No chance	1.2%	1.7%	0.7%	
Total (n)	580	291	289	
Mean	3.42	3.36	3.48	
Standard deviation	0.62	0.65	0.59	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.39	0.42	0.35	
Participate in volunteer or community service work				
Very good chance	33.6%	20.6%	46.7%	Likelihood of College Involvement
Some chance	43.1%	48.8%	37.4%	
Very little chance	19.1%	23.4%	14.9%	
No chance	4.1%	7.2%	1.0%	
Total (n)	580	291	289	
Mean	3.06	2.83	3.30	
Standard deviation	0.83	0.84	0.76	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.69	0.70	0.57	
Seek personal counseling				
Very good chance	11.8%	11.0%	12.5%	
Some chance	34.8%	35.5%	34.1%	
Very little chance	40.9%	40.3%	41.5%	
No chance	12.5%	13.1%	11.8%	
Total (n)	577	290	287	
Mean	2.46	2.44	2.47	
Standard deviation	0.86	0.86	0.86	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.73	0.73	0.74	
Communicate regularly with your professors				
Very good chance	33.4%	31.1%	35.6%	
Some chance	54.8%	57.4%	52.2%	
Very little chance	10.4%	9.3%	11.4%	
No chance	1.4%	2.1%	0.7%	
Total (n)	578	289	289	
Mean	3.20	3.18	3.23	
Standard deviation	0.67	0.68	0.67	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.45	0.46	0.45	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will:				
Socialize with someone of another racial/ethnic group				Likelihood of College Involvement
Very good chance	73.6%	70.3%	76.8%	
Some chance	23.0%	26.2%	19.7%	
Very little chance	2.6%	2.4%	2.8%	
No chance	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%	
Total (n)	579	290	289	
Mean	3.69	3.66	3.73	
Standard deviation	0.56	0.58	0.54	
SE Mean	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Variance	0.32	0.34	0.30	
Participate in student clubs/groups				Likelihood of College Involvement
Very good chance	54.4%	47.8%	61.0%	
Some chance	37.1%	40.8%	33.4%	
Very little chance	7.1%	9.0%	5.2%	
No chance	1.4%	2.4%	0.3%	
Total (n)	579	289	290	
Mean	3.45	3.34	3.55	
Standard deviation	0.69	0.74	0.61	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.04	
Variance	0.47	0.55	0.37	
Participate in a study abroad program				Likelihood of College Involvement
Very good chance	33.2%	22.4%	43.9%	
Some chance	34.5%	39.0%	30.1%	
Very little chance	24.7%	27.9%	21.5%	
No chance	7.6%	10.7%	4.5%	
Total (n)	579	290	289	
Mean	2.93	2.73	3.13	
Standard deviation	0.94	0.93	0.90	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.88	0.86	0.82	
Have a roommate of different race/ethnicity				
Very good chance	61.8%	60.3%	63.3%	
Some chance	25.0%	24.5%	25.6%	
Very little chance	7.8%	8.3%	7.3%	
No chance	5.4%	6.9%	3.8%	
Total (n)	579	290	289	
Mean	3.43	3.38	3.48	
Standard deviation	0.85	0.90	0.79	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.72	0.82	0.63	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will:				
Discuss course content with students outside of class				
Very good chance	60.4%	51.9%	69.1%	
Some chance	35.8%	43.3%	28.1%	
Very little chance	2.6%	3.1%	2.1%	
No chance	1.2%	1.7%	0.7%	
Total (n)	579	291	288	
Mean	3.55	3.45	3.66	
Standard deviation	0.61	0.64	0.56	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.03	
Variance	0.37	0.41	0.31	
Work on a professor's research project				
Very good chance	28.8%	28.9%	28.7%	
Some chance	50.5%	52.2%	48.8%	
Very little chance	17.8%	16.2%	19.4%	
No chance	2.9%	2.7%	3.1%	
Total (n)	580	291	289	
Mean	3.05	3.07	3.03	
Standard deviation	0.76	0.75	0.78	
SE Mean	0.03	0.04	0.05	
Variance	0.58	0.56	0.61	
Get tutoring help in specific courses				
Very good chance	32.9%	26.8%	39.1%	
Some chance	49.7%	51.9%	47.4%	
Very little chance	14.5%	17.2%	11.8%	
No chance	2.9%	4.1%	1.7%	
Total (n)	580	291	289	
Mean	3.13	3.01	3.24	
Standard deviation	0.76	0.78	0.72	
SE Mean	0.03	0.05	0.04	
Variance	0.58	0.61	0.52	
Take courses from more than one college simultaneously				
Very good chance	9.2%	8.9%	9.4%	
Some chance	15.7%	16.8%	14.6%	
Very little chance	45.6%	46.7%	44.4%	
No chance	29.5%	27.5%	31.6%	
Total (n)	579	291	288	
Mean	2.04	2.07	2.02	
Standard deviation	0.90	0.89	0.92	
SE Mean	0.04	0.05	0.05	
Variance	0.82	0.80	0.84	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Your probable career occupation (disaggregated)				
Accountant or actuary	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	
Actor or entertainer	0.5%	0.7%	0.4%	
Architect or urban planner	0.9%	0.4%	1.4%	
Artist	2.2%	1.5%	2.9%	
Business (clerical)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Business executive (management, administrator)	5.8%	6.2%	5.4%	
Business owner or proprietor	2.5%	4.0%	1.1%	
Business salesperson or buyer	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Clergy (minister, priest)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Clergy (other religious)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Clinical psychologist	1.5%	0.4%	2.5%	
College administrator/staff	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
College teacher	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Computer programmer or analyst	4.7%	8.8%	0.7%	
Conservationist or forester	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
Dentist (including orthodontist)	2.0%	2.6%	1.4%	
Dietitian or nutritionist	0.5%	0.4%	0.7%	
Engineer	14.3%	22.3%	6.5%	
Farmer or rancher	0.5%	0.7%	0.4%	
Foreign service worker (including diplomat)	1.3%	0.4%	2.2%	
Homemaker (full-time)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Interior decorator (including designer)	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Lab technician or hygienist	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Law enforcement officer	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Lawyer (attorney) or judge	3.1%	2.6%	3.6%	
Military service (career)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Musician (performer, composer)	0.9%	1.5%	0.4%	
Nurse	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	
Optometrist	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
Pharmacist	6.4%	4.4%	8.3%	
Physician	12.7%	13.6%	11.9%	
Policymaker/Government	0.9%	1.1%	0.7%	
School counselor	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
School principal or superintendent	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Scientific researcher	5.3%	4.0%	6.5%	
Social, welfare, or recreation worker	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
Therapist (physical, occupational, speech)	1.5%	1.1%	1.8%	
Teacher or administrator (elementary)	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Teacher or administrator (secondary)	2.0%	1.5%	2.5%	
Veterinarian	0.9%	0.4%	1.4%	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Your probable career occupation (disaggregated)				
Writer or journalist	2.2%	0.7%	3.6%	
Skilled trades	0.7%	1.1%	0.4%	
Laborer (unskilled)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Semi-skilled worker	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Unemployed	3.1%	2.9%	3.2%	
Other	6.5%	4.4%	8.6%	
Undecided	13.2%	10.3%	16.2%	
Total (n)	551	273	278	
Your father's occupation (disaggregated)				
Accountant or actuary	2.5%	2.2%	2.8%	
Actor or entertainer	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Architect or urban planner	1.3%	1.4%	1.1%	
Artist	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Business (clerical)	2.0%	1.4%	2.5%	
Business executive (management, administrator)	8.8%	9.4%	8.2%	
Business owner or proprietor	9.5%	9.4%	9.6%	
Business salesperson or buyer	3.2%	3.2%	3.2%	
Clergy (minister, priest)	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Clergy (other religious)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Clinical psychologist	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
College administrator/staff	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
College teacher	0.7%	0.0%	1.4%	
Computer programmer or analyst	6.8%	6.8%	6.7%	
Conservationist or forester	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Dentist (including orthodontist)	0.5%	0.4%	0.7%	
Dietitian or nutritionist	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Engineer	14.6%	14.7%	14.5%	
Farmer or rancher	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Foreign service worker (including diplomat)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Homemaker (full-time)	0.7%	1.1%	0.4%	
Interior decorator (including designer)	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Lab technician or hygienist	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Law enforcement officer	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
Lawyer (attorney) or judge	1.4%	1.8%	1.1%	
Military service (career)	1.4%	0.7%	2.1%	
Musician (performer, composer)	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Nurse	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Optometrist	0.7%	1.1%	0.4%	
Pharmacist	0.5%	0.4%	0.7%	
Physician	1.8%	2.2%	1.4%	
Policymaker/Government	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Your father's occupation (disaggregated)				
School counselor	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
School principal or superintendent	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Scientific researcher	2.5%	2.2%	2.8%	
Social, welfare, or recreation worker	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	
Therapist (physical, occupational, speech)	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Teacher or administrator (elementary)	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
Teacher or administrator (secondary)	1.1%	1.8%	0.4%	
Veterinarian	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Writer or journalist	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
Skilled trades	4.6%	6.1%	3.2%	
Laborer (unskilled)	2.5%	2.9%	2.1%	
Semi-skilled worker	3.9%	4.0%	3.9%	
Unemployed	6.6%	6.1%	7.1%	
Other	18.0%	17.3%	18.8%	
Total (n)	560	278	282	
Your mother's occupation (disaggregated)				
Accountant or actuary	6.5%	7.5%	5.6%	
Actor or entertainer	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Architect or urban planner	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
Artist	1.1%	1.1%	1.0%	
Business (clerical)	3.3%	3.2%	3.5%	
Business executive (management, administrator)	5.4%	4.6%	6.3%	
Business owner or proprietor	4.9%	6.0%	3.8%	
Business salesperson or buyer	1.9%	2.5%	1.4%	
Clergy (minister, priest)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Clergy (other religious)	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	
Clinical psychologist	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
College administrator/staff	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
College teacher	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%	
Computer programmer or analyst	1.2%	0.7%	1.7%	
Conservationist or forester	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Dentist (including orthodontist)	0.4%	0.4%	0.3%	
Dietitian or nutritionist	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Engineer	3.3%	4.3%	2.4%	
Farmer or rancher	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Foreign service worker (including diplomat)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Homemaker (full-time)	13.4%	11.0%	15.6%	
Interior decorator (including designer)	0.5%	0.0%	1.0%	
Lab technician or hygienist	1.1%	1.1%	1.0%	
Law enforcement officer	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Your mother's occupation (disaggregated)				
Lawyer (attorney) or judge	0.9%	0.0%	1.7%	
Military service (career)	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
Musician (performer, composer)	0.5%	1.1%	0.0%	
Nurse	3.5%	3.9%	3.1%	
Optometrist	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Pharmacist	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%	
Physician	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%	
Policymaker/Government	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	
School counselor	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
School principal or superintendent	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	
Scientific researcher	1.6%	1.4%	1.7%	
Social, welfare, or recreation worker	2.3%	2.5%	2.1%	
Therapist (physical, occupational, speech)	2.1%	2.8%	1.4%	
Teacher or administrator (elementary)	4.2%	3.2%	5.2%	
Teacher or administrator (secondary)	2.5%	2.5%	2.4%	
Veterinarian	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Writer or journalist	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	
Skilled trades	2.3%	3.6%	1.0%	
Laborer (unskilled)	1.1%	1.4%	0.7%	
Semi-skilled worker	3.2%	1.8%	4.5%	
Unemployed	12.7%	13.5%	11.8%	
Other	16.3%	14.9%	17.7%	
Total (n)	569	281	288	
Your probable field of study (disaggregated)				
Art, fine and applied	2.4%	1.0%	3.8%	
English (language and literature)	1.4%	0.7%	2.1%	
History	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	
Journalism	0.5%	0.0%	1.0%	
Language and Literature (except English)	0.3%	0.0%	0.7%	
Music	1.2%	1.7%	0.7%	
Philosophy	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Speech	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Theater or Drama	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	
Theology or Religion	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other Arts and Humanities	0.9%	0.7%	1.0%	
Biology (general)	8.0%	6.3%	9.7%	
Biochemistry or Biophysics	5.4%	5.2%	5.6%	
Botany	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Environmental Science	1.9%	0.7%	3.1%	
Marine (Life) Science	0.7%	0.3%	1.0%	
Microbiology or Bacteriology	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Your probable field of stud (disaggregated)				
Zoology	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	
Other Biological Science	4.3%	3.1%	5.6%	
Accounting	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%	
Business Admin. (general)	1.4%	1.0%	1.7%	
Finance	1.0%	1.7%	0.3%	
International Business	0.7%	0.3%	1.0%	
Marketing	1.2%	0.7%	1.7%	
Management	1.4%	1.7%	1.0%	
Secretarial Studies	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other Business	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	
Business Education	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	
Elementary Education	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Music or Art Education	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Physical Education or Recreation	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Secondary Education	0.3%	0.0%	0.7%	
Special Education	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other Education	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Aeronautical or Astronautical Engineering	2.1%	3.5%	0.7%	
Civil Engineering	1.2%	1.0%	1.4%	
Chemical Engineering	1.9%	2.8%	1.0%	
Computer Engineering	3.7%	5.9%	1.4%	
Electrical or Electronic Engineering	3.0%	5.6%	0.3%	
Industrial Engineering	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Mechanical Engineering	3.3%	4.9%	1.7%	
Other Engineering	5.2%	5.6%	4.9%	
Astronomy	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Atmospheric Science (incl. Meteorology)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Chemistry	3.5%	3.5%	3.5%	
Earth Science	0.5%	0.3%	0.7%	
Marine Science (incl. Oceanography)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Mathematics	2.1%	2.8%	1.4%	
Physics	1.6%	2.8%	0.3%	
Other Physical Science	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	
Architecture or Urban Planning	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Family & Consumer Sciences	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Health Technology (medical, dental, laboratory)	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	
Library or Archival Science	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine	4.7%	5.6%	3.8%	
Nursing	0.5%	0.3%	0.7%	
Pharmacy	2.6%	1.4%	3.8%	
Therapy (occupational, physical, speech)	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	

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First-time, Full-time Freshmen

University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
Your probable field of study (disaggregated)				
Other Professional	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%	
Anthropology	0.7%	0.0%	1.4%	
Economics	3.0%	4.2%	1.7%	
Ethnic Studies	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	
Geography	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Political Science (government, international relations)	4.0%	2.8%	5.2%	
Psychology	6.8%	4.9%	8.7%	
Public Policy	0.5%	0.3%	0.7%	
Social Work	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Sociology	0.7%	0.0%	1.4%	
Women's Studies	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other Social Sciences	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Building Trades	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Data Processing or Computer Programming	0.7%	1.4%	0.0%	
Drafting or Design	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Electronics	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Mechanics	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other Technical	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Agriculture	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	
Communications	2.3%	0.7%	3.8%	
Computer Science	2.6%	4.2%	1.0%	
Forestry	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	
Kinesiology	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Law Enforcement	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Military Science	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
Other Field	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%	
Undecided	4.0%	3.8%	4.2%	
Total (n)	575	287	288	

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	Total	Men	Women	
44. 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.	51.7%	49.8%	53.7%	
B. Making new friends.	12.2%	11.8%	12.5%	
C. Trying to "find" myself in the sense of personal meaning and self-identity.	13.6%	12.5%	14.6%	
D. Making it financially.	13.6%	14.3%	12.9%	
E. Do not anticipate any problems.	8.9%	11.5%	6.3%	
Total (n)	574	287	287	
45. With which one of the following do you think you may need the most help?				
A. Academic plans.	28.2%	28.1%	28.2%	
B. Career plans.	32.0%	30.6%	33.4%	
C. Personal/family concerns.	6.3%	6.6%	5.9%	
D. Study skills.	15.7%	16.3%	15.0%	
E. Financial assistance.	17.9%	18.4%	17.4%	
Total (n)	575	288	287	
46. 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.	32.1%	30.6%	33.6%	
B. Very important.	40.2%	38.2%	42.3%	
C. Some what important.	23.9%	26.7%	21.0%	
D. Not important.	3.3%	3.8%	2.8%	
E	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%	
Total (n)	574	288	286	
47. Of the following factors, which one was the most important to you in choosing UCSD?				
A. The guarantee of on-campus housing.	2.4%	3.1%	1.8%	
B. The choice of six different colleges.	4.2%	2.8%	5.6%	
C. The reputation of the campus for academic rigor.	79.9%	79.4%	80.4%	
D. The acceptance rate of students from UCSD into graduate schools.	8.0%	7.3%	8.8%	
E. The social environment at UCSD.	5.4%	7.3%	3.5%	
Total (n)	572	287	285	

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University of California-San Diego	6 Sixth			Construct
	Total	Men	Women	
48. Regarding your decision to enroll at UCSD, where did you receive the best information about the campus?				
A. High school counselor or teachers.	10.7%	9.4%	12.0%	
B. UCSD Admissions Officers.	7.7%	7.6%	7.7%	
C. UCSD Website.	40.9%	39.9%	41.9%	
D. Students and friends in high school.	29.9%	33.3%	26.4%	
E. Family members.	10.8%	9.7%	12.0%	
Total (n)	572	288	284	
49. Which of the following activities gave you the most useful information about UCSD?				
A. Campus Tour.	21.8%	21.6%	22.0%	
B. Attending Admit Day.	31.3%	34.5%	28.0%	
C. Attending another UCSD event.	9.5%	8.0%	11.0%	
D. Reading a UCSD publication.	3.2%	2.8%	3.5%	
E. UCSD Web Site.	34.3%	33.1%	35.5%	
Total (n)	569	287	282	
50. Which UCSD publication was most helpful to you for campus and admissions information?				
A. General Catalog.	11.8%	12.9%	10.6%	
B. Discover UCSD (brochure/viewbook).	7.6%	5.9%	9.2%	
C. Student Perspectives (brochure with student interviews and e-mails).	4.7%	3.8%	5.7%	
D. UCSD Admissions Web site.	55.9%	57.3%	54.4%	
E. Other.	20.0%	19.9%	20.1%	
Total (n)	569	286	283	
51. If you have declared a major, what factors most influenced your choice of a major?				
A. Potential income of future job related to major.	48.7%	51.3%	46.2%	
B. Relationship with a mentor and/or professional in your field of interest.	16.1%	17.5%	14.7%	
C. Saw field/job on TV or web.	7.8%	8.0%	7.7%	
D. Community Service/Personal Involvement.	20.4%	15.6%	25.3%	
E. Parents.	6.9%	7.6%	6.2%	
Total (n)	548	275	273	
52. What do you anticipate as your greatest academic challenge during your first year at UCSD?				
A. Mastering new and difficult concepts.	28.8%	29.4%	28.2%	
B. Keeping up with and understanding all the reading.	30.5%	29.7%	31.3%	
C. Remembering a lot of new information.	12.8%	11.9%	13.7%	
D. Writing effectively at a college level.	24.2%	24.5%	23.9%	
E. Having to reconsider what I already think, know and believe.	3.7%	4.5%	2.8%	
Total (n)	570	286	284	

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53. If you wanted additional help with your writing outside of class, where are you most likely to go for help?				
A. Professor or TA.	50.9%	47.2%	54.7%	
B. Tutor or friend.	32.4%	33.0%	31.9%	
C. A Writing Center.	7.2%	7.1%	7.2%	
D. An additional class.	3.0%	4.6%	1.4%	
E. I do not anticipate needing additional help.	6.5%	8.2%	4.7%	
Total (n)	558	282	276	
54. What was the most important factor that led you to choose Sixth College initially as your home college?				
A. College philosophy or reputation.	20.0%	19.6%	20.3%	
B. General education requirements (Programs of Concentration/Areas Studies).	16.9%	15.0%	18.8%	
C. Recommendation from former UCSD graduate.	6.5%	6.1%	6.9%	
D. Internet research and published information about the college.	12.8%	11.8%	13.8%	
E. Sixth College was not my first choice.	43.9%	47.5%	40.2%	
Total (n)	556	280	276	
55. When providing you with important Sixth College information and deadlines, what is the best method to reach you?				
A. Post card in mail.	1.3%	1.1%	1.4%	
B. Letter in mail.	5.0%	7.1%	2.9%	
C. Website notice.	3.2%	3.9%	2.5%	
D. E-mail.	89.1%	86.9%	91.3%	
E. Flyers.	1.4%	1.1%	1.8%	
Total (n)	559	282	277	
56. What is your preferred way to have campus events communicated to you?				
A. Sixth College TV station.	2.2%	2.1%	2.2%	
B. Sixth College website.	4.5%	6.0%	2.9%	
C. E-mail.	76.5%	75.9%	77.2%	
D. Fliers/ posters.	10.9%	10.6%	11.2%	
E. Word of mouth.	5.9%	5.3%	6.5%	
Total (n)	558	282	276	
57. Which of the following activities do you most enjoy attending?				
A. Movies/ Films.	33.3%	35.7%	30.8%	
B. Museums/ Art Gallery openings.	5.1%	4.0%	6.2%	
C. Sports Events.	22.1%	31.4%	12.7%	
D. Plays/ Dances/ Concerts.	37.4%	27.8%	47.1%	
E. Public lectures.	2.2%	1.1%	3.3%	
Total (n)	553	277	276	

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58. Where do you usually get your knowledge of news and current events?				
A. TV.	17.9%	16.7%	19.1%	
B. Radio.	2.7%	3.2%	2.2%	
C. Web.	62.4%	67.6%	57.0%	
D. Magazines/ Newspapers.	5.2%	3.2%	7.2%	
E. Family and Friends.	11.8%	9.3%	14.4%	
Total (n)	558	281	277	
59. In which of the following Sixth College activities and programs do you plan to be the most involved?				
A. Student Government.	5.4%	5.4%	5.4%	
B. Recreation/Sports.	22.8%	32.9%	12.7%	
C. Clubs and Organizations.	44.4%	38.9%	50.0%	
D. Social Events.	20.3%	19.3%	21.4%	
E. Community Service.	7.0%	3.6%	10.5%	
Total (n)	556	280	276	
60. 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.).	89.3%	89.2%	89.4%	
B. Dial-up connection from home.	3.3%	3.6%	2.9%	
C. Broadband connection from school/work/library/etc. (DSL, cable modem, T-1, etc.).	6.1%	6.5%	5.8%	
D. Dial-up connection from school/work/library/etc.	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	
E. I did not frequently access the Internet.	0.9%	0.7%	1.1%	
Total (n)	553	279	274	