# YOUR FIRST COLLEGE YEAR

## **NEW FRESHMEN VS. TRANSFER STUDENTS**

New Freshmen Responses to the left N=1120

Transfer Students Responses to the right N=427

### STUDENTS AGREE AND STRONGLY AGREE

# THAT THEIR COLLEGE HAS CONTRIBUTED TO THEIR:



95% 195%

Knowledge of a particular discipline



73% | 76%

Ability to conduct research



76%|74%

Ability to work as a part of the team

#### TO THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS:

56%	51%	I feel valued at this institution
70%	58%	I feel a sense of belonging to this campus
84%	79%	I would recommend this college to others
75%	66%	I feel I am a member of this college
76%	78%	Faculty empower me to learn here
58%	55%	At least one staff member has taken an interest in my development

# CLASSROOM EXPERIENCES HAVE LASTING EFFECTS...



38% | 41%

Frequently felt that their courses inspired them to think in new ways



59% | 54%

Occasionally felt that their contributions were valued in class



14% | 13%

Performed community service as part of a class

#### WHEN STUDENTS ARE PAYING ATTENTION



41% | 39%

Were frequently bored in class



39% | 27%

Occasionally fell asleep in class



87% | 77%

Texted or used social media during class

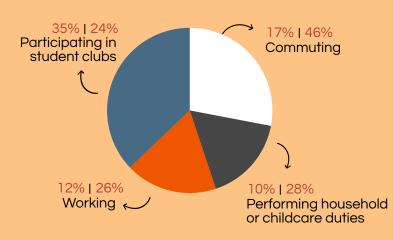


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Frequently been late to class

# **OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM**

#### FOR AT LEAST THREE HOURS A WEEK:



## **BALANCE IS KEY!**

#### MAINTAINED A HEALTHY DIET

Frequently 22% 25%

Occasionally 61% 55%

Not at all 17% 20%

#### HAD ADEQUATE SLEEP

Frequently 21% 20%

Occasionally 58% 57%

Not at all 21% 22%