

# Texas Tech University

Mean Comparisons August 2009



### **Interpreting the Mean Comparisons Report**

#### Sample

The Mean Comparisons report is based on information from all randomly selected students for both your institution and your comparison institutions. Targeted oversamples and other non-randomly selected students are not included in this report.

#### Variables

The items from the NSSE survey appear in the left column in the same order and wording as they appear on the instrument. The name of each variable appears in the second column for easy reference to your data file and the summary statistics at the end of this section. Response options are also provided to help you interpret the statistics.

#### Benchmark Items that make up the five "Benchmarks of Effective Educational Practice" are indicated by the following: **LAC**=Level of Academic Challenge **National Survey** of Student Engagement ACL=Active and Collaborative Learning **SFI**=Student-Faculty Interaction **EEE**=Enriching Educational 1. Academic and Intellectual Experiences Asked questions in class or contributed to class Experiences CLOUEST ACL discussions **SCE**=Supportive Campus CLPRESEN ACL Made a class presentation Environment Prepared two or more drafts of a paper or FY REWROPAP assignment before turning it in Mean Worked on a paper or project that required The mean is the weighted INTEGRAT FY d integrating ideas or information from arithmetic average of student various sources Included diverse perspectives (different races, responses on a particular item. cretigions, genders, political beliefs, etc.) in class DIVCLASS FY discussions or writing assignments Means are provided for your Come to class without completing readings or FΥ institution and all comparison CLUNPREP SR groups. For more information about weighting go to: www.nsse.iub.edu/2009\_Institutional\_Report/NSSE\_2009\_Weighting.cfm.

#### **Statistical Significance**

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done each of the following? I=Never, 2=Sometimes, 3=Often, 4=Very often

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Items with mean differences that are larger than would be expected by chance alone are noted with one, two, or three asterisks, referring to three significance levels (p<.05, p<.01, and p<.001). The smaller the significance level, the smaller the likelihood that the difference is due to chance. Statistical significance does not guarantee the result is substantive or important. Large sample sizes (like those produced by NSSE) tend to generate more statistically significant results even though the magnitude of mean differences may be inconsequential. It is recommended to consult effect sizes (see below) to judge the practical meaning of the results.

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#### Effect Size

Effect size indicates the "practical significance" of the mean difference. It is calculated by dividing the mean difference by the pooled standard deviation. In practice, an effect size of .2 is often considered small, .5 moderate, and .8 large. A positive sign indicates that your institution's mean was greater, thus showing an affirmative result for your institution. A negative sign indicates the institution lags behind the comparison group, suggesting that the student behavior or

institutional practice represented by the item may warrant attention. An exception to this interpretation is the "coming to class unprepared" item (item 1f.) where a negative sign is preferred (i.e., meaning fewer students reporting coming to class unprepared).

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#### Class

Results are reported separately for first-year students (FY) and seniors (SR). Institution-reported class ranks are used.

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					Texas Tech	South	west P	ublic	Carn	egie C	Class	NS	SE 200	09
		Variable	Bench- mark	Class	Mean <sup>a</sup>	Mean <sup>a</sup>	Sig b	Effect Size <sup>c</sup>	Mean a	Sig b	Effect Size <sup>c</sup>	Mean a	Sig b	Effect Size <sup>c</sup>
1. <u>A</u>	cademic and Intellectual Experiences				In your experience at yo the following? 1=Never					ear, aboı	ıt how ofte	n have you	done eac	ch of
a.	Asked questions in class or contributed to class discussions	CLQUEST	ACL	FY	2.44 2.99	2.64 2.98	***	23 .01	2.76 3.04	***	37	2.84 3.11	***	47
	-			SR FY	1.88	2.98	***	30	2.19	***	05 39	2.27	***	14 49
b.	Made a class presentation	CLPRESEN	ACL	SR	2.82	2.73	*	.11	2.72	*	.11	2.78		.05
c.	Prepared two or more drafts of a paper or assignment before turning it in	REWROPAP		FY SR	2.22 2.36	2.63 2.57	***	40 21	2.64 2.45	***	43 09	2.69 2.49	***	48 13
d.	Worked on a paper or project that required integrating ideas or information from various sources	INTEGRAT		FY SR	2.80 3.22	3.00	***	25 07	3.08	***	36 09	3.10	***	13 39 15
e.	Included diverse perspectives (different races, religions, genders, political beliefs, etc.) in class discussions or writing assignments	DIVCLASS		FY SR	2.50 2.63	2.70 2.77	***	22 15	2.80 2.76	***	34 14	2.81 2.84	***	35 23
f.	Come to class without completing readings or assignments	CLUNPREP		FY SR	2.21 2.25	2.13 2.18	*	.11	2.08 2.18	**	.17	2.03 2.13	***	.24
g.	Worked with other students on projects <b>during</b> class	CLASSGRP	ACL	FY SR	2.29 2.53	2.42 2.56	**	15 03	2.43 2.53	**	17 .00	2.45 2.55	***	18 02
h.	Worked with classmates <b>outside of class</b> to prepare class assignments	OCCGRP	ACL	FY SR	2.38 2.91	2.51 2.83	**	15 .09	2.45 2.83		09 .10	2.44 2.76	**	07 .16
i.	Put together ideas or concepts from different courses when completing assignments or during class discussions	INTIDEAS		FY	2.48	2.56		10	2.65	***	21	2.63	***	18
j.	Tutored or taught other students (paid or voluntary)	TUTOR	ACL	SR FY SR	2.94 1.79 1.97	1.77 1.92		.02	2.96 1.72 1.88		02 .07 .10	2.95 1.68 1.86	*	.12
k.	Participated in a community-based project (e.g. service learning) as part of a regular course	COMMPROJ	ACL	FY SR	1.50 1.69	1.53 1.67		04	1.54 1.65		04	1.56 1.71		07 01

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Weighted by gender, enrollment status, and institutional size.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> \* p<.05 \*\* p<.01 \*\*\* p<.001 (2-tailed).

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		Variable	Bench- mark	Class	Mean <sup>a</sup>	Mean <sup>a</sup>	Sig b	Effect Size c	Mean a	Sig b	Effect Size c	Mean <sup>a</sup>	Sig b	Effect Size c
	Used an electronic medium (listserv, chat group,	Turiusic .		Citabb								-		
1.	Internet, instant messaging, etc.) to discuss or	ITACADEM	EEE	FY	2.61	2.68		06	2.69		07	2.64		03
	complete an assignment			SR	2.60	2.92	***	32	2.88	***	27	2.87	***	26
m.	Used e-mail to communicate with an instructor	EMAIL		FY	3.13	3.04	*	.11	3.17		04	3.17		05
				SR	3.43	3.33	*	.13	3.41		.03	3.42		.02
n.	Discussed grades or assignments with an instructor	FACGRADE	SFI	FY	2.46	2.61	**	17	2.60	**	15	2.64	***	21
				SR	2.86	2.79		.08	2.78		.09	2.83		.04
0.	Talked about career plans with a faculty member	FACPLANS	SFI	FY	2.07	2.22	***	17	2.17	*	11	2.20	**	14
0.	or advisor	1710122110	511	SR	2.37	2.37		.01	2.37		.00	2.42		04
n	Discussed ideas from your readings or classes	FACIDEAS	SFI	FY	1.71	1.87	**	18	1.85	**	16	1.88	***	19
p.	with faculty members outside of class	PACIDEAS	511	SR	2.00	2.05		05	2.06		06	2.08		09
~	Received prompt written or oral feedback from	FACFEED	SFI	FY	2.41	2.55	**	16	2.62	***	25	2.68	***	31
q.	faculty on your academic performance	FACFEED	311	SR	2.59	2.73	**	17	2.74	***	18	2.81	***	27
	Worked harder than you thought you could to meet	WORKHARD	LAC	FY	2.54	2.66	*	14	2.65	*	12	2.68	**	16
r.	an instructor's standards or expectations	WURKHARD	LAC	SR	2.63	2.76	**	15	2.71		10	2.74	*	13
	Worked with faculty members on activities other													
s.	than coursework (committees, orientation, student	FACOTHER	SFI	FY	1.59	1.63		05	1.60		01	1.64		05
	life activities, etc.)			SR	1.87	1.75	*	.12	1.81		.06	1.82		.05
t.	Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with others outside of class (students, family members,	OOCIDEAS	ACL	FY	2.58	2.76	***	20	2.75	***	20	2.76	***	21
	co-workers, etc.)	O C I D LI I I I	NCL	SR	2.75	2.91	***	18	2.90	**	17	2.90	***	17
	Had serious conversations with students of a			FY	2.42	2.64	***	22	2.62	***	20	2.62	***	20
u.	different race or ethnicity than your own	DIVRSTUD	EEE	SR	2.71	2.77		06	2.71		.00	2.70		.00
	Had serious conversations with students who are			210	2.71	,,								
v.	very different from you in terms of their religious	DIFFSTU2	EEE	FY	2.49	2.69	***	20	2.73	***	25	2.72	***	24
	beliefs, political opinions, or personal values			SR	2.78	2.77		.01	2.76		.02	2.76		.02

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2.	Mental Activities				During the current school 1=Very little, 2=Some, 3	-			oursework e	emphasiz	ed the follo	wing mente	al activiti	es?
;	Memorizing facts, ideas, or methods from your courses and readings so you can repeat them in	MEMORIZE		FY	2.95	2.95		.00	2.96		02	2.93		.03
	pretty much the same form			SR	2.85	2.80		.06	2.79		.07	2.77		.08
1	Analyzing the basic elements of an idea, experience, or theory, such as examining a particular case or situation in depth and considering	ANALYZE	LAC	FY	3.06 3.16	3.12 3.26	*	08 13	3.15 3.29	*	12 17	3.14	*	11
	its components  Synthesizing and organizing ideas, information, or			SR	5.10	3.20	•	13	3.29	• • •	17	3.28		17
(	experiences into new, more complex interpretations and relationships	SYNTHESZ	LAC	FY	2.83 2.90	2.91 3.06	***	09 19	2.93 3.06	*	12 19	2.93 3.08	*	12 22
	Making judgments about the value of			SR	2.90	3.00		19	3.00		19	3.06		22
(	information, arguments, or methods, such as examining how others gathered and interpreted	EVALUATE	LAC	FY	2.78	2.89	*	13	2.91	**	16	2.93	**	18
	data and assessing the soundness of their			SR	2.95	3.01		06	3.01		07	3.03		09
(	Applying theories or concepts to practical problems or in new situations	APPLYING	LAC	FY SR	3.05 3.17	3.05 3.22		.01 06	3.08 3.23		03 08	3.08 3.24		03 08
3.	Reading and Writing				During the current school 1=None, 2=1-4, 3=5-10	ol year, abo		nuch readi		iting hav				
;	Number of assigned textbooks, books, or book-length packs of course readings	READASGN	LAC	FY	2.94	3.11	**	18	3.27	***	34	3.26	***	33
	-			SR	3.06	3.09	dedede	03	3.16	-11-	10	3.19		13
1	Number of books read on your own (not assigned) for personal enjoyment or academic enrichment	READOWN		FY SR	1.91 2.29	2.09 2.18	***	19 .10	2.07 2.20	**	17 .09	2.09 2.21	***	19 .08
	Number of written papers or reports of <b>20 pages or</b>	WRITEMOR	LAC	FY	1.19	1.30	***	16	1.28	**	14	1.30	***	16
•	more	WRITEMOR	LAC	SR	1.61	1.62		01	1.64		04	1.65		05
(	Number of written papers or reports between 5	WRITEMID	LAC	FY	1.86	2.11	***	30	2.32	***	55	2.28	***	51
	and 19 pages			SR	2.36	2.37		.00	2.50	**	15	2.55	***	20
(	Number of written papers or reports of <b>fewer than 5 pages</b>	WRITESML	LAC	FY SR	2.92 2.95	2.81 2.82	*	.10 .12	3.04 2.97	*	12 02	3.05 3.00	*	12 04
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4.	Problem Sets				In a typical week, how made 1=None, 2=1-2, 3=3-4, 4	•	_		о уои сотр	lete?				
	Number of problem sets that take you <b>more</b> than an a.	PROBSETA	1	FY	2.76	2.75		.01	2.70		.05	2.69		.06
	hour to complete		S	SR	2.58	2.69		09	2.63		04	2.61		02
	Number of problem sets that take you <b>less</b> than an b.	PROBSETB	J	FY	2.83	2.70		.10	2.77		.05	2.75		.07
	hour to complete			SR	2.36	2.33		.02	2.35		.01	2.34		.01
5.	Examinations				1=Very little to 7=Very n	nuch								
	Select the circle that best represents the extent to which your examinations during the current school	EXAMS	I	FY	5.46	5.48		02	5.45		.01	5.45		.01
	year challenged you to do your best work.		Š	SR	5.25	5.52	***	21	5.45	**	17	5.46	**	17
6.	Additional Collegiate Experiences				During the current school $1=Never,\ 2=Sometimes,\ 1=Never,\ 2=Sometimes$				you done ed	ach of th	e following	?		
	Attended an art exhibit, play, dance, music, theatre	ATDART07	I	FY	2.05	2.12		08	2.18	**	14	2.18	**	14
	or other performance	AID/IICIO/		SR	1.99	1.97		.02	2.06		08	2.05		06
	Exercised or participated in physical fitness	EXRCSE05	1	FY	2.94	2.79	**	.14	2.83	*	.11	2.82	*	.12
	activities		\$	SR	3.01	2.64	***	.35	2.73	***	.27	2.72	***	.27
	Participated in activities to enhance your c.	WORSHP05	1	FY	2.36	2.13	***	.20	2.05	***	.28	2.08	***	.25
	spirituality (worship, meditation, prayer, etc.)	WORDIN 03		SR	2.42	2.19	***	.20	2.14	***	.24	2.15	***	.24
	Examined the strengths and weaknesses of your	OWNVIEW	1	FY	2.47	2.61	**	15	2.61	**	16	2.62	**	17
	own views on a topic or issue		9	SR	2.71	2.70		.01	2.71		.01	2.73		02
	Tried to better understand someone else's views by e. imagining how an issue looks from his or her	OTHRVIEW	J	FY	2.60	2.79	***	21	2.78	***	21	2.80	***	23
	perspective		9	SR	2.84	2.84		.00	2.86		02	2.88		04
	Learned something that changed the way you	CHNGVIEW	I	FY	2.73	2.86	**	15	2.87	**	17	2.88	**	18
	understand an issue or concept	em (e / E / i	,	SR	2.84	2.89		06	2.91		08	2.92		10
7.	Enriching Educational Experiences				Which of the following had (Recoded: 0=Have not do responding "Done" amon	ecided, Do	not plan	to do, Pla	o do before n to do; 1=	you gra Done. T	duate from Thus, the me	your instite can is the p	ution? roportion	
	Practicum, internship, field experience, co-op	INTERN04	EEE I	FY	.06	.07	^	04	.07		02	.08		06
	experience, or clinical assignment			SR	.48	.47		.03	.53		08	.52		08

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b.	Community service or volunteer work	VOLNTR04	EEE	FY	.46	.43		.07	.39	*	.14	.39	*	.14
0.	Community service of volumeer work	VOLIVIRO	ELL	SR	.67	.57	***	.19	.59	**	.17	.59	**	.15
c.	Participate in a learning community or some other formal program where groups of students take two	LRNCOM04	EEE	FY	.20	.21		.00	.20		.02	.18		.07
	or more classes together			SR	.24	.26		03	.26		03	.26		05
d.	Work on a research project with a faculty member outside of course or program requirements	RESRCH04	SFI	FY	.05	.06		03	.05		.03	.05		.00
	outside of course of program requirements			SR	.19	.17		.06	.20		01	.19		.00
e.	Foreign language coursework	FORLNG04	EEE	FY	.10	.21	***	27	.22	***	29	.22	***	28
	- Storgin ranguage course work			SR	.46	.37	**	.18	.41		.09	.41		.10
f.	Study abroad	STDABR04	EEE	FY	.01	.04	***	13	.03	*	09	.03	**	11
				SR	.16	.10	**	.20	.16		.02	.15		.03
g.	Independent study or self-designed major	INDSTD04	EEE	FY	.01	.04	***	15	.03	**	10	.04	***	13
				SR	.17	.15		.07	.17		.00	.17		.00
h.	Culminating senior experience (capstone course, senior project or thesis, comprehensive exam, etc.)	SNRX04	EEE	FY	.01	.02		08	.02	*	08	.02	*	08
	semoi project of thesis, comprehensive exam, etc.)			SR	.27	.23		.08	.34	**	15	.34	**	14
Qı	ality of Relationships				Select the circle that best I=Unfriendly, Unsuppor		-			-				
0	Relationships with <b>other students</b>	ENVSTU	SCE	FY	5.50	5.46		.03	5.45		.04	5.47		.02
a.	Relationships with other students	ENVSTO	SCE	SR	5.59	5.62		02	5.55		.04	5.59		.00
					1=Unavailable, Unhelpf	ul, Unsymp	oathetic t	o 7=Availa	able, Helpf	ul, Sympe	athetic			
b.	Relationships with <b>faculty members</b>	ENVFAC	SCE	FY	4.87	5.09	**	16	5.09	**	17	5.21	***	26
				SR	5.15	5.32	*	12	5.30	*	11	5.42	***	20
					1=Unhelpful, Inconsider	ate, Rigid	to 7=Hei	lpful, Cons	iderate, Flo	exible				
c.	Relationships with administrative personnel and	ENVADM	SCE	FY	4.58	4.72		09	4.62		03	4.74		11
	offices			SR	4.35	4.67	***	19	4.48		08	4.60	**	15

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9. T	ime Usage				About how many hours a 1=0 hrs/wk, 2=1-5 hrs/w 8=More than 30 hrs/wk								7=26-30	hrs/wk,
a.	Preparing for class (studying, reading, writing, doing homework or lab work, analyzing data, rehearsing, and other academic activities)	ACADPR01	LAC	FY SR	4.03 3.92	4.17 4.22	**	08 17	4.23 4.26	*	12 19	4.17 4.24	***	09 18
b.		WORKON01		FY	1.55 2.09	1.52 1.82	**	.02	1.53 1.86	*	.02	1.53	**	.02
c.	Working for pay <b>off campus</b>	WORKOF01		SR FY SR	1.92 3.16	2.44	***	23 23	2.15 3.55	*	12 14	2.35 3.74	***	20 21
d.	Participating in co-curricular activities (organizations, campus publications, student government, fraternity or sorority, intercollegiate or intramural sports, etc.)	COCURR01	EEE	FY SR	2.57 2.39	2.31	**	.16	2.32	**	.16	2.29	**	.17
e.	Relaxing and socializing (watching TV, partying, etc.)	SOCIAL05		FY SR	3.97 3.69	3.67 3.40	***	.19 .19	3.89 3.56		.05	3.81 3.53	*	.10
f.	Providing care for dependents living with you (parents, children, spouse, etc.)	CAREDE01		FY SR	1.51 1.94	1.87 2.82	***	21 36	1.63 2.30	***	08 17	1.84	***	19 23
g.	Commuting to class (driving, walking, etc.)	COMMUTE		FY SR	2.34 2.45	2.49 2.56	**	13 09	2.34 2.44		.00	2.32		.02
10. <u>I</u>	nstitutional Environment				To what extent does your 1=Very little, 2=Some, 3	r institution		ize each o	-	ing?				
a.	Spending significant amounts of time studying and on academic work	ENVSCHOL	LAC	FY SR	2.99 3.04	3.14 3.15	***	20 15	3.14 3.13	***	20 12	3.14 3.13	***	20 12
b.	Providing the support you need to help you succeed academically	ENVSUPRT	SCE	FY SR	2.97 2.85	3.04 2.92		09 08	3.04 2.87		09 02	3.08 2.94	*	14 11
c.	Encouraging contact among students from different	ENVDIVRS	EEE	FY SR	2.56 2.39	2.70 2.55	*	14 17	2.69 2.51	*	02 14 12	2.73 2.55	**	17 16

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					Texas Tech	South	west P		Carn	egie C		NS	SE 200	
		Variable	Bench- mark	Class	Mean <sup>a</sup>	Mean <sup>a</sup>	Sig b	Effect Size <sup>c</sup>	Mean <sup>a</sup>	Sig b	Effect Size <sup>c</sup>	Mean <sup>a</sup>	Sig b	Effect Size <sup>c</sup>
d.	Helping you cope with your non-academic	ENVNACAD	SCE	FY	2.22	2.27		05	2.23		01	2.28		06
u.	responsibilities (work, family, etc.)	ENVINERD	SCL	SR	1.91	2.01		10	1.96		04	2.00		09
e.	Providing the support you need to thrive socially	ENVSOCAL	SCE	FY	2.52	2.51		.01	2.48		.05	2.50		.02
c.	Troviding the support you need to unive socially	ENVIOCILE	SCL	SR	2.31	2.23		.08	2.21		.11	2.23		.08
f.	Attending campus events and activities (special speakers, cultural performances, athletic	ENVEVENT		FY	2.90	2.86		.04	2.88		.03	2.85		.05
	events, etc.)			SR	2.80	2.62	***	.19	2.67	*	.14	2.63	***	.18
g.	Using computers in academic work	ENVCOMPT		FY	3.36	3.35		.01	3.35		.01	3.33		.03
8.	Computers in academic work	Div Comi i		SR	3.45	3.47		03	3.48		04	3.47		03
1. E	ducational and Personal Growth				To what extent has your development in the follo 1=Very little, 2=Some,	wing areas	?		contributed	to your k	knowledge,	skills, and	personal	
a.	Acquiring a broad general education	GNGENLED		FY	3.14	3.14		.01	3.15		01	3.16		03
٠	requiring a orona general education			SR	3.24	3.24		.00	3.23		.01	3.25		01
b.	Acquiring job or work-related knowledge	GNWORK		FY	2.90	2.78	*	.13	2.82		.09	2.82		.09
	and skills			CD.	2.07	2.05		0.1	200		00	2.00		00

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a.	Acquiring a broad general education	GNGENLED	FY	3.14	3.14		.01	3.15		01	3.16		03
			SR	3.24	3.24		.00	3.23		.01	3.25		01
b.	Acquiring job or work-related knowledge	GNWORK	FY	2.90	2.78	*	.13	2.82		.09	2.82		.09
	and skills		SR	3.07	3.05		.01	3.06		.00	3.06		.00
c.	Writing clearly and effectively	GNWRITE	FY	2.81	2.92	*	12	2.97	**	19	3.02	***	25
٠.		GITTI	SR	3.07	3.08		01	3.06		.01	3.11		05
d.	Speaking clearly and effectively	GNSPEAK	FY	2.74	2.78		04	2.78		05	2.84	*	11
۵.		GI (GI EI III	SR	3.05	2.98		.08	2.95	*	.11	2.99		.07
e.	Thinking critically and analytically	GNANALY	FY	3.14	3.22		10	3.22		10	3.23		11
			SR	3.30	3.35		07	3.35		06	3.37		09
f.	Analyzing quantitative problems	GNQUANT	FY	3.01	3.00		.02	2.97		.05	2.96		.06
			SR	3.10	3.14		04	3.09		.01	3.08		.03
g.	Using computing and information technology	GNCMPTS	FY	3.10	3.08		.02	3.05		.06	3.05		.06
8.			SR	3.23	3.24		01	3.21		.02	3.21		.03
h.	Working effectively with others	GNOTHERS	FY	2.88	2.99	*	12	2.97		11	3.01	*	14
	orining erroeur, ery ran others		SR	3.12	3.16		05	3.14		03	3.16		05

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		Bench- Variable mark Class Mean a Mean a Sig b												
					Texas Tech	South	west F	ublic	Carr	negie C	lass	NS	SE 200	09
		Variable	Bench- mark	Class	Mean <sup>a</sup>	Mean <sup>a</sup>	Sig b	Effect Size <sup>c</sup>	Mean <sup>a</sup>	Sig b	Effect Size <sup>c</sup>	Mean <sup>a</sup>	Sig b	Effect Size
i.	Voting in local, state, or national elections	GNCITIZN		FY	2.60	2.59		.01	2.59		.01	2.57		.03
1.	Total and total state, or national elections	GIVETIZAV		SR	2.25	2.37	*	11	2.30		04	2.33		07
į.	Learning effectively on your own	GNINQ		FY	2.96	3.02		07	2.98		03	2.99		04
J.				SR	2.99	3.06		08	3.03		04	3.05		07
k.	Understanding yourself	GNSELF		FY	2.81	2.83		02	2.79		.02	2.83		02
				SR	2.71	2.81		10	2.77		06	2.82		11
1.	Understanding people of other racial and ethnic	GNDIVERS		FY	2.59	2.73	*	15	2.69		10	2.71	*	13
	backgrounds			SR	2.53	2.69	**	16	2.63		10	2.67	**	14
m.	Solving complex real-world problems	GNPROBSV		FY	2.79	2.74		.05	2.70		.09	2.72		.08
				SR	2.77	2.81		04	2.80		03	2.80		03
n.	Developing a personal code of values and ethics	GNETHICS		FY	2.69	2.70		01	2.69		.00	2.72		03
				SR	2.65	2.72		06	2.70		04	2.72		06
0.	Contributing to the welfare of your community	GNCOMMUN		FY	2.49	2.49		01	2.48		.01	2.50		01
				SR	2.43	2.48		05	2.46		04	2.49		07
p.	Developing a deepened sense of spirituality	GNSPIRIT		FY	2.25	2.17		.08	2.11	*	.13	2.17		.07
•				SR	1.94	1.93		.00	1.91		.03	1.96		02
A	cademic Advising			l	=Poor, 2=Fair, 3=Go	od, 4=Exce	llent							
	Overall, how would you evaluate the quality of	ADMICE		FY	3.06	3.06		.00	2.98		.09	3.04		.02
	academic advising you have received at your institution?	ADVISE		SR	2.80	2.92	*	13	2.79		.00	2.89		10
Se	atisfaction				2=Poor, 2=Fair, 3=Goo		llent					2.07		
	How would you evaluate your entire educational			FY	3.29	3.21	*	.11	3.20	*	.13	3.21		.10
	experience at this institution?	ENTIREXP		SR	3.23	3.21		.02	3.19		.05	3.22		.02
				_	=Definitely no, 2=Pro		=Probab			res		3.22		
	If you could start over again, would you go to the	CAMECOLI		FY	3.40	3.27	**	.16	3.24	***	.20	3.23	***	.20
	same institution you are now attending?	SAMECOLL		SR	3.23	3.24		01	3.18		.06	3.20		.04
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,	N Mean																					
	N	Mean			Standa	rd Erro	or of the	Mean b	St	andard	Deviatio	n <sup>c</sup>	Degre	es of Free	edom <sup>d</sup>	Si	gnificanc	e e	Eff	ect Size	f	
			Public	92			Public	92			Public	ss.		Public	92			Texas Tech ompared with	ı.		xas Tech pared with:	
	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas Tech	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas Tech	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Southwest	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009
CLQUEST	372	2.44	2.64	2.76	2.84	.04	.01	.01	.00	.83	.86	.84	.85	436	10,014	48,912	.000	.000	.000	23	37	47
CLPRESEN	374	1.88	2.13	2.19	2.27	.04	.01	.01	.00	.81	.83	.79	.81	5,183	10,026	48,957	.000	.000	.000	30	39	49
REWROPAP	371	2.22	2.63	2.64	2.69	.05	.01	.01	.00	.93	1.02	.99	.98	441	402	376	.000	.000	.000	40	43	48
INTEGRAT	375	2.80	3.00	3.08	3.10	.04	.01	.01	.00	.84	.84	.79	.79	435	400	379	.000	.000	.000	25	36	39
DIVCLASS	376	2.50	2.70	2.80	2.81	.05	.01	.01	.00	.93	.92	.88	.88	5,171	401	380	.000	.000	.000	22	34	35
CLUNPREP	376	2.21	2.13	2.08	2.03	.04	.01	.01	.00	.83	.82	.78	.78	5,179	402	380	.045	.002	.000	.11	.17	.24
CLASSGRP	377	2.29	2.42	2.43	2.45	.04	.01	.01	.00	.86	.89	.85	.86	5,183	10,026	48,987	.005	.002	.000	15	17	18
OCCGRP	377	2.38	2.51	2.45	2.44	.05	.01	.01	.00	.93	.91	.88	.89	5,204	10,060	49,143	.006	.103	.174	15	09	07
INTIDEAS	354	2.48	2.56	2.65	2.63	.04	.01	.01	.00	.80	.83	.81	.82	4,883	9,487	46,301	.063	.000	.001	10	21	18
TUTOR	353	1.79	1.77	1.72	1.68	.04	.01	.01	.00	.83	.88	.86	.85	4,899	9,514	46,459	.730	.174	.026	.02	.07	.12
COMMPROJ	350	1.50	1.53	1.54	1.56	.04	.01	.01	.00	.82	.81	.82	.82	4,869	9,453	46,215	.521	.417	.181	04	04	07
ITACADEM	355	2.61	2.68	2.69	2.64	.05	.02	.01	.00	1.03	1.04	1.01	1.03	4,904	9,515	46,483	.280	.166	.581	06	07	03
EMAIL	354	3.13	3.04	3.17	3.17	.04	.01	.01	.00	.77	.84	.81	.81	4,899	384	359	.047	.409	.321	.11	04	05
FACGRADE	355	2.46	2.61	2.60	2.64	.05	.01	.01	.00	.87	.89	.89	.87	4,894	9,508	46,415	.003	.004	.000	17	15	21
FACPLANS	355	2.07	2.22	2.17	2.20	.04	.01	.01	.00	.80	.90	.90	.90	429	390	361	.001	.026	.002	17	11	14
FACIDEAS	356	1.71	1.87	1.85	1.88	.04	.01	.01	.00	.85	.90	.88	.90	4,902	9,518	46,483	.001	.003	.000	18	16	19
FACFEED	350	2.41	2.55	2.62	2.68	.05	.01	.01	.00	.89	.87	.84	.84	4,812	9,342	45,610	.004	.000	.000	16	25	31
WORKHARD	349	2.54	2.66	2.65	2.68	.05	.01	.01	.00	.86	.87	.85	.85	4,809	9,331	45,616	.011	.023	.002	14	12	16
FACOTHER	348	1.59	1.63	1.60	1.64	.05	.01	.01	.00	.86	.87	.84	.86	4,798	9,311	45,493	.412	.889	.355	05	01	05
OOCIDEAS	348	2.58	2.76	2.75	2.76	.05	.01	.01	.00	.88	.88	.87	.87	4,806	9,333	45,593	.000	.000	.000	20	20	21
DIVRSTUD	347	2.42	2.64	2.62	2.62	.06	.02	.01	.00	1.06	1.03	1.02	1.02	4,810	9,343	45,630	.000	.000	.000	22	20	20
DIFFSTU2	350	2.49	2.69	2.73	2.72	.05	.01	.01	.00	.98	1.00	.98	.98	4,820	9,356	45,679	.000	.000	.000	20	25	24
MEMORIZE	348	2.95	2.95	2.96	2.93	.05	.01	.01	.00	.86	.85	.85	.86	4,782	9,304	45,319	.958	.753	.619	.00	02	.03
ANALYZE	344	3.06	3.12	3.15	3.14	.04	.01	.01	.00	.83	.79	.77	.78	4,761	9,265	45,159	.164	.030	.044	08	12	11
SYNTHESZ	348	2.83	2.91	2.93	2.93	.05	.01	.01	.00	.85	.85	.84	.84	4,758	9,257	45,101	.109	.030	.030	09	12	12
EVALUATE	348	2.78	2.89	2.91	2.93	.05	.01	.01	.00	.87	.87	.84	.85	4,771	372	352	.018	.006	.001	13	16	18
APPLYING	348	3.05	3.05	3.08	3.08	.05	.01	.01	.00	.88	.87	.84	.84	4,776	9,291	45,270	.900	.541	.599	.01	03	03
READASGN	346	2.94	3.11	3.27	3.26	.05	.01	.01	.00	.91	.96	.98	.98	408	377	352	.001	.000	.000	18	34	33

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	N					Standa	rd Erro	r of the	Mean <sup>b</sup>	St	andard l	Deviation	n <sup>c</sup>	Degre	es of Free	edom <sup>d</sup>	Si	gnificanc	e e	Eff	ect Size	f
			Public	88			Public	s			Public	SS.		Public	92			Texas Tech ompared with	i:		exas Tech pared with:	
	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas Tech	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas Tech	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Southwest	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009
READOWN	344	1.91	2.09	2.07	2.09	.05	.01	.01	.00	.85	.95	.92	.93	4,776	9,267	45,185	.001	.002	.000	19	17	19
WRITEMOR	344	1.19	1.30	1.28	1.30	.03	.01	.01	.00	.58	.72	.67	.71	430	380	351	.001	.003	.001	16	14	16
WRITEMID	342	1.86	2.11	2.32	2.28	.04	.01	.01	.00	.78	.86	.82	.83	4,767	370	347	.000	.000	.000	30	55	51
WRITESML	344	2.92	2.81	3.04	3.05	.06	.02	.01	.00	1.03	1.02	1.04	1.04	4,776	9,269	45,171	.062	.028	.021	.10	12	12
PROBSETA	346	2.76	2.75	2.70	2.69	.06	.02	.01	.01	1.13	1.14	1.11	1.11	4,765	9,245	45,037	.855	.354	.248	.01	.05	.06
PROBSETB	344	2.83	2.70	2.77	2.75	.07	.02	.01	.01	1.22	1.24	1.21	1.22	4,760	9,247	45,048	.065	.368	.221	.10	.05	.07
EXAMS	345	5.46	5.48	5.45	5.45	.06	.02	.01	.01	1.11	1.19	1.15	1.16	4,780	9,277	45,186	.674	.927	.888	02	.01	.01
ATDART07	342	2.05	2.12	2.18	2.18	.05	.01	.01	.00	.85	.91	.92	.92	406	373	347	.151	.007	.005	08	14	14
EXRCSE05	343	2.94	2.79	2.83	2.82	.05	.02	.01	.00	.99	1.03	1.02	1.04	4,701	9,169	348	.010	.045	.021	.14	.11	.12
WORSHP05	339	2.36	2.13	2.05	2.08	.06	.02	.01	.01	1.13	1.12	1.12	1.12	4,693	9,154	44,537	.000	.000	.000	.20	.28	.25
OWNVIEW	342	2.47	2.61	2.61	2.62	.05	.01	.01	.00	.86	.91	.89	.89	4,696	9,157	44,517	.009	.004	.002	15	16	17
OTHRVIEW	341	2.60	2.79	2.78	2.80	.05	.01	.01	.00	.88	.88	.86	.86	4,694	366	346	.000	.000	.000	21	21	23
CHNGVIEW	342	2.73	2.86	2.87	2.88	.04	.01	.01	.00	.82	.84	.83	.84	4,698	9,184	44,639	.008	.002	.001	15	17	18
INTERN04	339	.06	.07	.07	.08	.01	.00	.00	.00	.24	.26	.25	.26	4,619	9,033	345	.436	.704	.265	04	02	06
VOLNTR04	341	.46	.43	.39	.39	.03	.01	.01	.00	.50	.49	.49	.49	4,606	366	345	.240	.011	.015	.07	.14	.14
LRNCOM04	339	.20	.21	.20	.18	.02	.01	.00	.00	.40	.40	.40	.38	4,597	8,989	342	.964	.757	.204	.00	.02	.07
RESRCH04	339	.05	.06	.05	.05	.01	.00	.00	.00	.23	.24	.21	.22	4,614	9,013	43,862	.654	.556	.933	03	.03	.00
FORLNG04	339	.10	.21	.22	.22	.02	.01	.00	.00	.30	.41	.41	.41	442	389	348	.000	.000	.000	27	29	28
STDABR04	341	.01	.04	.03	.03	.01	.00	.00	.00	.11	.18	.16	.17	509	398	353	.000	.026	.003	13	09	11
INDSTD04	340	.01	.04	.03	.04	.01	.00	.00	.00	.12	.21	.17	.19	527	401	354	.000	.009	.000	15	10	13
SNRX04	338	.01	.02	.02	.02	.01	.00	.00	.00	.10	.14	.15	.14	459	397	348	.053	.034	.041	08	08	08
ENVSTU	336	5.50	5.46	5.45	5.47	.07	.02	.01	.01	1.26	1.38	1.36	1.37	400	366	341	.549	.468	.664	.03	.04	.02
ENVFAC	336	4.87	5.09	5.09	5.21	.07	.02	.01	.01	1.36	1.38	1.31	1.32	4,612	9,012	43,871	.006	.002	.000	16	17	26
ENVADM	335	4.58	4.72	4.62	4.74	.08	.02	.02	.01	1.54	1.55	1.53	1.53	4,606	9,004	43,825	.116	.627	.052	09	03	11
ACADPR01	335	4.03	4.17	4.23	4.17	.09	.03	.02	.01	1.64	1.70	1.63	1.64	4,584	8,952	43,560	.146	.030	.119	08	12	09
WORKON01	335	1.55	1.52	1.53	1.53	.08	.02	.01	.01	1.45	1.33	1.25	1.23	4,577	8,944	43,541	.709	.750	.759	.02	.02	.02
WORKOF01	335	1.92	2.44	2.15	2.35	.10	.04	.02	.01	1.84	2.30	2.01	2.24	420	365	341	.000	.024	.000	23	12	20
COCURR01	335	2.57	2.31	2.32	2.29	.09	.03	.02	.01	1.58	1.64	1.59	1.60	4,576	8,950	43,567	.006	.004	.002	.16	.16	.17

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	N	Mean			Standa	rd Erro	r of the	Mean <sup>b</sup>	St	andard l	Deviatio	n <sup>c</sup>	Degre	es of Free	dom <sup>d</sup>	Si	gnificanc	e e	Eff	ect Size	f	
			Public	Class			Public	Class			Public	Class	_	Public	Class			Texas Tech ompared with			exas Tech pared with:	
	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Southwest	Carnegie C	NSSE 2009	Texas Tech	Southwest ]	Carnegie C	NSSE 2009	Texas Tech	Southwest	Carnegie C	NSSE 2009	Southwest	Carnegie C	NSSE 2009	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009
SOCIAL05	334	3.97	3.67	3.89	3.81	.09	.02	.02	.01	1.61	1.61	1.64	1.65	4,552	8,899	43,292	.001	.376	.070	.19	.05	.10
CAREDE01	335	1.51	1.87	1.63	1.84	.08	.03	.02	.01	1.41	1.70	1.42	1.72	415	8,891	342	.000	.134	.000	21	08	19
COMMUTE	335	2.34	2.49	2.34	2.32	.05	.02	.01	.01	.99	1.14	1.09	1.13	408	8,917	340	.008	.964	.655	13	.00	.02
ENVSCHOL	332	2.99	3.14	3.14	3.14	.04	.01	.01	.00	.80	.78	.77	.76	4,522	8,840	42,955	.000	.000	.000	20	20	20
ENVSUPRT	331	2.97	3.04	3.04	3.08	.04	.01	.01	.00	.82	.81	.81	.80	4,510	8,807	42,818	.110	.129	.013	09	09	14
ENVDIVRS	332	2.56	2.70	2.69	2.73	.05	.02	.01	.00	.94	.97	.98	.97	4,509	8,801	42,769	.013	.015	.002	14	14	17
ENVNACAD	333	2.22	2.27	2.23	2.28	.05	.02	.01	.00	.97	.98	.96	.97	4,507	8,825	42,843	.345	.835	.246	05	01	06
ENVSOCAL	333	2.52	2.51	2.48	2.50	.05	.01	.01	.00	.95	.95	.94	.94	4,499	8,799	42,705	.830	.410	.761	.01	.05	.02
ENVEVENT	332	2.90	2.86	2.88	2.85	.05	.01	.01	.00	.90	.94	.91	.94	4,513	8,821	42,814	.440	.608	.328	.04	.03	.05
ENVCOMPT	330	3.36	3.35	3.35	3.33	.04	.01	.01	.00	.79	.78	.78	.78	4,520	8,828	42,892	.888	.805	.560	.01	.01	.03
GNGENLED	320	3.14	3.14	3.15	3.16	.04	.01	.01	.00	.78	.79	.78	.79	4,431	8,679	42,219	.905	.895	.592	.01	01	03
GNWORK	322	2.90	2.78	2.82	2.82	.05	.01	.01	.00	.88	.95	.93	.93	383	349	327	.019	.083	.092	.13	.09	.09
GNWRITE	324	2.81	2.92	2.97	3.02	.05	.01	.01	.00	.87	.89	.86	.85	4,439	8,683	328	.030	.001	.000	12	19	25
GNSPEAK	320	2.74	2.78	2.78	2.84	.05	.01	.01	.00	.89	.95	.93	.92	4,424	8,663	42,154	.442	.422	.048	04	05	11
GNANALY	321	3.14	3.22	3.22	3.23	.05	.01	.01	.00	.81	.79	.78	.78	4,432	8,672	42,205	.078	.075	.056	10	10	11
GNQUANT	323	3.01	3.00	2.97	2.96	.05	.01	.01	.00	.86	.86	.86	.87	4,416	8,625	42,062	.782	.409	.321	.02	.05	.06
GNCMPTS	324	3.10	3.08	3.05	3.05	.05	.01	.01	.00	.85	.88	.88	.88	4,428	8,675	42,220	.750	.282	.286	.02	.06	.06
GNOTHERS	324	2.88	2.99	2.97	3.01	.05	.01	.01	.00	.89	.89	.87	.87	4,429	8,684	42,246	.041	.060	.011	12	11	14
GNCITIZN	317	2.60	2.59	2.59	2.57	.06	.02	.01	.01	1.05	1.08	1.07	1.08	4,359	8,542	41,577	.846	.838	.617	.01	.01	.03
GNINQ	315	2.96	3.02	2.98	2.99	.05	.01	.01	.00	.85	.86	.85	.85	4,353	8,526	41,516	.202	.642	.446	07	03	04
GNSELF	317	2.81	2.83	2.79	2.83	.05	.02	.01	.00	.94	.97	.96	.96	4,344	8,508	41,424	.734	.791	.680	02	.02	02
GNDIVERS	316	2.59	2.73	2.69	2.71	.06	.02	.01	.00	.98	.96	.96	.96	4,356	8,529	41,539	.010	.068	.022	15	10	13
GNPROBSV	317	2.79	2.74	2.70	2.72	.05	.01	.01	.00	.96	.94	.92	.93	4,360	8,539	41,561	.358	.106	.172	.05	.09	.08
GNETHICS	315	2.69	2.70	2.69	2.72	.06	.02	.01	.00	1.02	1.00	.98	.98	4,354	8,533	41,558	.813	.942	.583	01	.00	03
GNCOMMUN	314	2.49	2.49	2.48	2.50	.06	.02	.01	.00	.98	.99	.99	.99	4,347	8,544	41,547	.902	.898	.829	01	.01	01
GNSPIRIT	315	2.25	2.17	2.11	2.17	.06	.02	.01	.01	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.10	4,351	8,545	41,575	.192	.028	.217	.08	.13	.07
ADVISE	323	3.06	3.06	2.98	3.04	.05	.01	.01	.00	.82	.83	.85	.83	4,413	8,650	42,120	.962	.118	.747	.00	.09	.02
ENTIREXP	323	3.29	3.21	3.20	3.21	.04	.01	.01	.00	.68	.71	.71	.72	4,413	8,651	42,119	.050	.021	.060	.11	.13	.10
SAMECOLL	322	3.40	3.27	3.24	3.23	.04	.01	.01	.00	.78	.80	.81	.82	4,415	8,656	42,132	.005	.000	.000	.16	.20	.20

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			Public	ss.			Public	92			Public	ss.		Public	92			Texas Tech ompared with	ı.		exas Tech pared with:	
	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas Tech	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas Tech	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Southwest	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009
CLQUEST	384	2.99	2.98	3.04	3.11	.04	.01	.01	.00	.81	.88	.86	.86	449	419	391	.775	.267	.003	.01	05	14
CLPRESEN	383	2.82	2.73	2.72	2.78	.04	.01	.01	.00	.88	.90	.87	.88	5,876	9,919	45,723	.042	.030	.354	.11	.11	.05
REWROPAP	385	2.36	2.57	2.45	2.49	.05	.01	.01	.00	.93	.98	.97	.98	447	419	392	.000	.073	.007	21	09	13
INTEGRAT	385	3.22	3.28	3.29	3.34	.04	.01	.01	.00	.79	.77	.76	.74	5,876	9,916	45,754	.160	.091	.003	07	09	15
DIVCLASS	383	2.63	2.77	2.76	2.84	.05	.01	.01	.00	.93	.96	.94	.93	5,864	9,897	45,664	.004	.007	.000	15	14	23
CLUNPREP	387	2.25	2.18	2.18	2.13	.04	.01	.01	.00	.77	.82	.80	.80	5,863	9,908	45,687	.144	.130	.004	.08	.08	.15
CLASSGRP	386	2.53	2.56	2.53	2.55	.05	.01	.01	.00	.93	.93	.90	.90	5,868	9,913	45,721	.597	.979	.741	03	.00	02
OCCGRP	387	2.91	2.83	2.83	2.76	.05	.01	.01	.00	.89	.93	.92	.92	5,891	9,938	393	.080	.064	.001	.09	.10	.16
INTIDEAS	371	2.94	2.93	2.96	2.95	.04	.01	.01	.00	.84	.82	.81	.82	5,674	9,584	44,259	.761	.758	.938	.02	02	.00
TUTOR	373	1.97	1.92	1.88	1.86	.05	.01	.01	.00	.95	.95	.94	.95	5,692	9,611	44,398	.318	.071	.023	.05	.10	.12
COMMPROJ	370	1.69	1.67	1.65	1.71	.05	.01	.01	.00	.88	.89	.86	.90	5,666	9,572	44,248	.635	.316	.777	.03	.05	01
ITACADEM	371	2.60	2.92	2.88	2.87	.05	.01	.01	.00	1.04	1.00	1.00	1.01	419	398	44,438	.000	.000	.000	32	27	26
EMAIL	372	3.43	3.33	3.41	3.42	.04	.01	.01	.00	.73	.76	.74	.73	5,684	9,615	44,399	.013	.518	.759	.13	.03	.02
FACGRADE	371	2.86	2.79	2.78	2.83	.04	.01	.01	.00	.86	.88	.87	.87	5,690	9,606	44,390	.114	.090	.444	.08	.09	.04
FACPLANS	371	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.42	.05	.01	.01	.00	.95	.96	.94	.96	5,691	9,612	44,396	.899	.935	.402	.01	.00	04
FACIDEAS	373	2.00	2.05	2.06	2.08	.05	.01	.01	.00	.91	.94	.91	.93	5,693	9,616	44,431	.355	.286	.096	05	06	09
FACFEED	365	2.59	2.73	2.74	2.81	.04	.01	.01	.00	.80	.83	.82	.82	5,634	9,514	43,943	.002	.001	.000	17	18	27
WORKHARD	365	2.63	2.76	2.71	2.74	.04	.01	.01	.00	.85	.86	.85	.86	5,643	9,503	43,970	.004	.070	.012	15	10	13
FACOTHER	365	1.87	1.75	1.81	1.82	.05	.01	.01	.00	.96	.92	.94	.95	5,624	9,486	43,883	.025	.236	.335	.12	.06	.05
OOCIDEAS	366	2.75	2.91	2.90	2.90	.05	.01	.01	.00	.88	.86	.85	.85	5,640	9,501	43,973	.001	.002	.001	18	17	17
DIVRSTUD	365	2.71	2.77	2.71	2.70	.05	.01	.01	.00	.97	1.00	.99	1.00	5,641	9,519	44,005	.243	.994	.935	06	.00	.00
DIFFSTU2	366	2.78	2.77	2.76	2.76	.05	.01	.01	.00	.94	.99	.97	.97	422	9,519	44,020	.905	.649	.639	.01	.02	.02
MEMORIZE	364	2.85	2.80	2.79	2.77	.04	.01	.01	.00	.81	.91	.91	.92	429	401	371	.254	.171	.072	.06	.07	.08
ANALYZE	363	3.16	3.26	3.29	3.28	.04	.01	.01	.00	.75	.76	.74	.74	5,581	9,440	43,636	.013	.001	.001	13	17	17
SYNTHESZ	364	2.90	3.06	3.06	3.08	.05	.01	.01	.00	.90	.85	.84	.83	5,579	9,421	43,593	.001	.000	.000	19	19	22
EVALUATE	366	2.95	3.01	3.01	3.03	.05	.01	.01	.00	.89	.88	.88	.86	5,584	9,429	43,642	.240	.198	.075	06	07	09
APPLYING	363	3.17	3.22	3.23	3.24	.05	.01	.01	.00	.87	.83	.82	.81	5,593	9,455	43,731	.267	.157	.118	06	08	08
READASGN	366	3.06	3.09	3.16	3.19	.05	.01	.01	.01	1.00	1.05	1.04	1.04	423	397	372	.612	.055	.012	03	10	13

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			Public	SS.			Public	s			Public	8		Public	8			Texas Tech ompared with	h:		exas Tech pared with:	
	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas Tech	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas Tech	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Southwest Pu	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Southwest	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009
READOWN	367	2.29	2.18	2.20	2.21	.05	.01	.01	.00	.99	.99	.98	.98	5,589	9,425	43,606	.052	.088	.117	.10	.09	.08
WRITEMOR	367	1.61	1.62	1.64	1.65	.05	.01	.01	.00	.88	.83	.79	.80	5,584	391	43,607	.882	.499	.369	01	04	05
WRITEMID	364	2.36	2.37	2.50	2.55	.05	.01	.01	.00	.94	.93	.95	.96	5,570	9,410	43,549	.943	.006	.000	.00	15	20
WRITESML	367	2.95	2.82	2.97	3.00	.06	.02	.01	.01	1.16	1.14	1.15	1.15	5,580	9,432	43,607	.029	.730	.461	.12	02	04
PROBSETA	366	2.58	2.69	2.63	2.61	.06	.02	.01	.01	1.23	1.22	1.22	1.21	5,574	9,396	43,427	.113	.463	.635	09	04	02
PROBSETB	367	2.36	2.33	2.35	2.34	.06	.02	.01	.01	1.18	1.23	1.21	1.22	5,567	9,385	43,377	.651	.921	.813	.02	.01	.01
EXAMS	366	5.25	5.52	5.45	5.46	.07	.02	.01	.01	1.39	1.25	1.23	1.24	5,582	9,427	43,574	.000	.002	.001	21	17	17
ATDART07	362	1.99	1.97	2.06	2.05	.05	.01	.01	.00	.92	.88	.92	.91	5,532	9,343	43,200	.688	.145	.223	.02	08	06
EXRCSE05	362	3.01	2.64	2.73	2.72	.05	.01	.01	.01	.96	1.04	1.03	1.04	422	395	368	.000	.000	.000	.35	.27	.27
WORSHP05	361	2.42	2.19	2.14	2.15	.06	.02	.01	.01	1.16	1.14	1.14	1.14	5,520	9,327	366	.000	.000	.000	.20	.24	.24
OWNVIEW	363	2.71	2.70	2.71	2.73	.05	.01	.01	.00	.90	.91	.89	.89	5,526	9,327	43,124	.794	.897	.666	.01	.01	02
OTHRVIEW	361	2.84	2.84	2.86	2.88	.04	.01	.01	.00	.85	.87	.86	.85	5,523	9,332	43,137	.997	.666	.440	.00	02	04
CHNGVIEW	362	2.84	2.89	2.91	2.92	.04	.01	.01	.00	.79	.83	.82	.82	5,537	9,356	43,225	.308	.140	.066	06	08	10
INTERN04	357	.48	.47	.53	.52	.03	.01	.01	.00	.50	.50	.50	.50	5,472	9,266	42,774	.618	.116	.122	.03	08	08
VOLNTR04	355	.67	.57	.59	.59	.03	.01	.01	.00	.47	.49	.49	.49	410	385	360	.000	.002	.004	.19	.17	.15
LRNCOM04	357	.24	.26	.26	.26	.02	.01	.00	.00	.43	.44	.44	.44	5,451	9,210	362	.526	.518	.319	03	03	05
RESRCH04	353	.19	.17	.20	.19	.02	.01	.00	.00	.40	.38	.40	.40	5,471	9,244	42,705	.315	.882	.972	.06	01	.00
FORLNG04	356	.46	.37	.41	.41	.03	.01	.01	.00	.50	.48	.49	.49	402	383	361	.001	.099	.060	.18	.09	.10
STDABR04	354	.16	.10	.16	.15	.02	.00	.00	.00	.37	.30	.36	.36	387	9,220	42,605	.003	.771	.610	.20	.02	.03
INDSTD04	355	.17	.15	.17	.17	.02	.00	.00	.00	.38	.35	.38	.38	398	9,219	42,574	.243	.974	.928	.07	.00	.00
SNRX04	354	.27	.23	.34	.34	.02	.01	.01	.00	.44	.42	.47	.47	399	386	360	.152	.003	.005	.08	15	14
ENVSTU	351	5.59	5.62	5.55	5.59	.07	.02	.01	.01	1.35	1.33	1.32	1.32	5,460	9,236	42,711	.733	.498	.957	02	.04	.00
ENVFAC	350	5.15	5.32	5.30	5.42	.08	.02	.01	.01	1.45	1.40	1.34	1.34	5,457	9,242	42,710	.031	.043	.000	12	11	20
ENVADM	351	4.35	4.67	4.48	4.60	.09	.02	.02	.01	1.67	1.67	1.66	1.67	5,458	9,241	42,705	.001	.142	.005	19	08	15
ACADPR01	349	3.92	4.22	4.26	4.24	.09	.03	.02	.01	1.74	1.81	1.77	1.75	401	9,190	42,465	.002	.000	.001	17	19	18
WORKON01	350	2.09	1.82	1.86	1.83	.10	.02	.02	.01	1.88	1.71	1.64	1.60	389	370	353	.008	.022	.008	.16	.14	.17
WORKOF01	347	3.16	3.83	3.55	3.74	.14	.04	.03	.01	2.61	2.86	2.73	2.80	404	9,186	352	.000	.008	.000	23	14	21
COCURR01	349	2.39	2.01	2.13	2.11	.09	.02	.02	.01	1.61	1.50	1.55	1.57	390	9,194	42,482	.000	.002	.001	.25	.17	.18

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SOCIAL05	350	3.69	3.40	3.56	3.53	.09	.02	.02	.01	1.62	1.51	1.54	1.54	5,399	9,156	42,269	.001	.126	.049	.19	.08	.11
CAREDE01	349	1.94	2.82	2.30	2.47	.10	.04	.02	.01	1.94	2.52	2.18	2.34	434	383	356	.000	.001	.000	36	17	23
COMMUTE	350	2.45	2.56	2.44	2.39	.05	.02	.01	.01	.99	1.15	1.06	1.07	415	9,171	42,340	.059	.905	.305	09	.01	.06
ENVSCHOL	347	3.04	3.15	3.13	3.13	.04	.01	.01	.00	.78	.78	.77	.78	394	9,106	42,062	.007	.027	.021	15	12	12
ENVSUPRT	348	2.85	2.92	2.87	2.94	.05	.01	.01	.00	.85	.86	.85	.85	5,361	9,084	41,936	.143	.648	.048	08	02	11
ENVDIVRS	345	2.39	2.55	2.51	2.55	.05	.01	.01	.00	1.00	1.01	1.00	1.00	5,351	9,069	41,902	.003	.023	.003	17	12	16
ENVNACAD	348	1.91	2.01	1.96	2.00	.05	.01	.01	.00	.90	.97	.94	.95	5,360	9,087	41,960	.086	.418	.104	10	04	09
ENVSOCAL	342	2.31	2.23	2.21	2.23	.05	.01	.01	.00	.93	.96	.94	.94	5,340	9,051	41,800	.142	.054	.126	.08	.11	.08
ENVEVENT	347	2.80	2.62	2.67	2.63	.05	.01	.01	.00	.93	.99	.95	.97	402	375	352	.000	.011	.001	.19	.14	.18
ENVCOMPT	348	3.45	3.47	3.48	3.47	.04	.01	.01	.00	.74	.74	.74	.74	5,370	9,089	42,012	.625	.442	.578	03	04	03
GNGENLED	345	3.24	3.24	3.23	3.25	.04	.01	.01	.00	.79	.81	.81	.80	5,296	8,996	41,490	.992	.815	.788	.00	.01	01
GNWORK	345	3.07	3.05	3.06	3.06	.05	.01	.01	.00	.89	.93	.91	.92	5,304	9,010	41,533	.824	.957	.964	.01	.00	.00
GNWRITE	344	3.07	3.08	3.06	3.11	.05	.01	.01	.00	.89	.87	.86	.85	5,310	9,014	41,573	.874	.867	.392	01	.01	05
GNSPEAK	344	3.05	2.98	2.95	2.99	.05	.01	.01	.00	.90	.91	.90	.90	5,293	8,991	41,480	.154	.037	.223	.08	.11	.07
GNANALY	341	3.30	3.35	3.35	3.37	.04	.01	.01	.00	.79	.76	.76	.75	5,293	8,989	41,496	.231	.244	.111	07	06	09
GNQUANT	343	3.10	3.14	3.09	3.08	.05	.01	.01	.00	.87	.86	.87	.88	5,288	8,975	41,419	.460	.788	.634	04	.01	.03
GNCMPTS	344	3.23	3.24	3.21	3.21	.05	.01	.01	.00	.87	.84	.85	.85	5,302	9,009	41,574	.859	.675	.567	01	.02	.03
<b>GNOTHERS</b>	343	3.12	3.16	3.14	3.16	.05	.01	.01	.00	.87	.86	.85	.85	5,304	9,006	41,566	.416	.596	.319	05	03	05
GNCITIZN	342	2.25	2.37	2.30	2.33	.06	.02	.01	.01	1.07	1.09	1.08	1.09	5,258	8,909	41,080	.049	.435	.174	11	04	07
GNINQ	344	2.99	3.06	3.03	3.05	.05	.01	.01	.00	.94	.89	.89	.88	5,253	8,906	41,042	.162	.421	.196	08	04	07
GNSELF	344	2.71	2.81	2.77	2.82	.06	.01	.01	.00	1.07	1.01	1.01	1.00	387	368	348	.094	.330	.058	10	06	11
<b>GNDIVERS</b>	345	2.53	2.69	2.63	2.67	.05	.01	.01	.00	1.01	.99	.99	.99	5,257	8,910	41,065	.003	.060	.010	16	10	14
GNPROBSV	345	2.77	2.81	2.80	2.80	.05	.01	.01	.00	.96	.96	.94	.95	5,262	8,913	41,086	.456	.548	.542	04	03	03
<b>GNETHICS</b>	342	2.65	2.72	2.70	2.72	.06	.01	.01	.01	1.07	1.05	1.04	1.03	5,258	8,910	41,086	.248	.468	.256	06	04	06
GNCOMMUN	344	2.43	2.48	2.46	2.49	.06	.01	.01	.01	1.03	1.03	1.02	1.02	5,262	8,911	41,082	.331	.495	.209	05	04	07
GNSPIRIT	341	1.94	1.93	1.91	1.96	.06	.02	.01	.01	1.09	1.08	1.09	1.09	5,257	8,907	41,092	.955	.604	.729	.00	.03	02
ADVISE	344	2.80	2.92	2.79	2.89	.05	.01	.01	.00	.94	.94	.95	.94	5,315	9,015	41,572	.021	.963	.072	13	.00	10
ENTIREXP	342	3.23	3.21	3.19	3.22	.04	.01	.01	.00	.71	.74	.74	.74	5,311	9,018	41,574	.671	.325	.774	.02	.05	.02
SAMECOLL	344	3.23	3.24	3.18	3.20	.05	.01	.01	.00	.86	.85	.85	.85	5,312	9,018	41,578	.911	.248	.449	01	.06	.04

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> All statistics are weighted by gender, enrollment status, and institutional size.

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b The 95% confidence interval for the population mean is equal to the sample mean plus/minus the product of 1.96 times the standard error of the mean.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> A measure of the average amount individual scores deviate from the mean of all the scores in the distribution.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>d</sup> Degrees of freedom used to compute the t-tests. Values differ from the total Ns due to weighting and the equal variances assumption.

e Statistical significance represents the probability that the difference between the mean of your institution and that of the comparison group occurred by chance.

f Effect size is calculated by subtracting the comparison group mean from the school mean, and dividing the result by the pooled standard deviation.



# Texas Tech University

Frequency Distributions August 2009



### **Interpreting the Frequency Distributions Report**

#### Sample

The *Frequency Distributions* report is based on information from all randomly selected students for both your institution and your comparison institutions. Targeted oversamples and other non-randomly selected students are not included in this report.

#### Variables

The items from the NSSE survey appear in the left column in the same order and wording as they appear on the instrument.

#### Variable Names

The name of each variable appears in the first column for easy reference to your raw data file and the *Mean Comparisons* report.

#### Benchmark

Items that comprise the five "Benchmarks of Effective Educational Practice" are indicated by the following:

LAC=Level of Academic

Challenge

ACL=Active and

Collaborative Learning

**SFI**=Student-Faculty

Interaction

**EEE**=Enriching Educational

Experiences

**SCE**=Supportive Campus

Environment

#### **Response Options**

Response options listed just as they appear on the instrument.

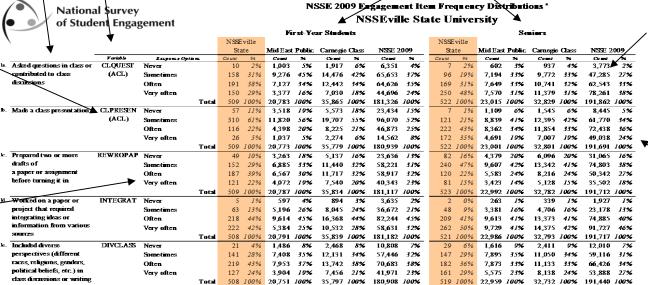
#### Weighting

Weights adjusting for gender, enrollment status, and institutional size are applied to the percentage column (%) of this report. Weights are computed separately for first-year students and seniors. Weighted results present a more accurate representation of your institution and comparison group students. Only the column percents are weighted. The counts are the actual number of respondents. Because the counts are unweighted and the column percentages are weighted, you will not be able to calculate the column percent directly from the count numbers. For more information about weighting, please visit the NSSE Web site at

www.nsse.iub.edu/2009\_Institutional\_Report/NSSE\_2009\_Weighting.cfm.

#### Class

Frequency distributions are reported separately for first-year students and seniors. Institution-reported class ranks are used.



#### Count

The Count column represents the actual number of students who responded to the particular option in each question. Counts are unweighted.

#### Column Percentage (%)

This column represents the *weighted* percentage of students responding to the particular option in each question.



First-Year Students

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	-			Texas		Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas Tec		Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009
1.	A 1 1 2 2 1	Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %	Count %		Count %	Count %	Count %
1a.	Asked questions in class or contributed to class	CLQUEST (ACL)	Never	34	9%	435 6%	922 4%	4,474 3%		2%	335 3%	715 2%	2,963 2%
	discussions	(ACL)	Sometimes	187	50%	3,266 43%	9,519 39%	54,363 36%		8%	3,490 31%	8,441 29%	40,779 26%
	discussions		Often	109	28%	2,534 32%	8,528 35%	56,433 35%		0%	3,916 32%	9,452 32%	54,553 32%
			Very often	43	13%	1,584 19%	5,465 23%	43,439 26%		1%	4,466 34%	10,980 37%	75,487 <i>41%</i>
			Total	373	100%	7,819 100%	24,434 100%	158,709 100%		0%	12,207 100%	29,588 100%	173,782 100%
1b.	Made a class presentation	CLPRESEN	Never	125	36%	1,523 22%	3,670 17%	19,894 <i>15%</i>		5%	801 7%	1,718 6%	8,985 6%
		(ACL)	Sometimes	171	44%	4,007 50%	13,614 55%	83,823 52%		3%	4,090 36%	10,980 37%	56,267 <i>34%</i>
			Often	63	17%	1,704 21%	5,526 22%	41,554 25%	134 3	6%	4,247 34%	10,517 35%	64,474 36%
			Very often	14	4%	600 7%	1,662 7%	13,682 9%	103 2	6%	3,149 23%	6,458 22%	44,562 24%
			Total	373	100%	7,834 100%	24,472 100%	158,953 100%	383 10	0%	12,287 100%	29,673 100%	174,288 100%
1c.	Prepared two or more drafts of	REWROPAP	Never	96	25%	1,178 <i>17%</i>	3,482 <i>14%</i>	19,362 <i>13%</i>	69 1	8%	1,636 <i>15%</i>	5,437 17%	28,226 16%
	a paper or assignment before		Sometimes	142	38%	2,176 28%	7,738 31%	48,546 30%	158 4	1%	4,209 35%	11,663 38%	66,130 37%
	turning it in		Often	94	27%	2,425 31%	7,754 32%	51,563 <i>33%</i>	107 2	8%	3,643 29%	7,675 27%	46,406 27%
			Very often	40	10%	2,035 24%	5,398 23%	38,997 25%	51 1	3%	2,764 21%	4,840 18%	33,258 19%
			Total	372	100%	7,814 100%	24,372 100%	158,468 100%	385 10	0%	12,252 100%	29,615 100%	174,020 100%
1d.	Worked on a paper or project	INTEGRAT	Never	19	5%	279 4%	506 2%	2,766 2%	8	2%	169 2%	407 2%	1,762 1%
	that required integrating ideas		Sometimes	123	33%	1,767 23%	5,100 20%	29,897 20%	61 <i>1</i>	6%	1,665 <i>15%</i>	4,059 14%	19,956 <i>13%</i>
	or information from various		Often	148	40%	3,237 41%	10,910 44%	70,379 44%	149 3	9%	4,662 38%	11,470 39%	64,638 38%
	sources		Very often	85	22%	2,554 32%	7,948 33%	56,044 34%	167 <i>4</i>	3%	5,788 46%	13,739 46%	88,081 49%
			Total	375	100%	7,837 100%	24,464 100%	159,086 100%	385 10	0%	12,284 100%	29,675 100%	174,437 100%
1e.	Included diverse perspectives	DIVCLASS	Never	48	14%	684 10%	1,535 7%	9,248 7%	46 1.	2%	1,109 10%	2,745 9%	11,453 8%
	(different races, religions,		Sometimes	141	38%	2,486 32%	7,669 31%	48,868 31%	120 3	2%	3,583 30%	9,468 31%	51,071 30%
	genders, political beliefs, etc.)		Often	127	31%	2,871 36%	9,530 38%	62,290 38%	141 3	7%	4,011 32%	9,700 33%	60,326 34%
	in class discussions or writing		Very often	60	17%	1,769 22%	5,694 24%	38,393 24%	76 1	9%	3,558 28%	7,710 26%	51,290 29%
	assignments		Total	376	100%	7,810 100%	24,428 100%	158,799 100%	383 10	0%	12,261 100%	29,623 100%	174,140 100%
1f.	Come to class without	CLUNPREP	Never	61	17%	1,622 20%	5,116 20%	38,462 23%	42 1	0%	2,282 17%	4,748 16%	34,987 19%
	completing readings or		Sometimes	208	54%	4,332 55%	14,142 58%	91,310 57%	248 6	4%	6,958 56%	16,998 58%	99,617 57%
	assignments		Often	75	20%	1,307 17%	3,692 16%	20,448 14%	60 1	5%	2,044 18%	5,367 18%	27,037 16%
			Very often	32	9%	570 8%	1,520 6%	8,738 6%	37 1	0%	979 9%	2,549 8%	12,604 8%
			Total	376	100%	7,831 100%	24,470 100%	158,958 100%	387 10	0%	12,263 100%	29,662 100%	174,245 100%
1g.	Worked with other students	CLASSGRP	Never	67	18%	1,064 15%	3,031 13%	19,122 12%		3%	1,389 12%	3,445 11%	19,083 11%
	on projects during class	(ACL)	Sometimes	171	43%	3,193 41%	10,557 43%	68,909 43%		9%	4,517 39%	12,422 41%	70,622 40%
			Often	109	30%	2,545 32%	8,096 33%	52,229 33%	119 3	1%	3,917 31%	9,006 31%	54,866 31%
			Very often	30	8%	1,030 12%	2,776 11%	18,730 12%		8%	2,445 19%	4,795 17%	29,772 17%
			Total	377	100%	7,832 100%	24,460 100%	158,990 100%		0%	12,268 100%	29,668 100%	174,343 100%
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**First-Year Students** 

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	\			Texas	Tech	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas T	Tech	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009
	-	Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %
1h.	Worked with classmates	OCCGRP	Never	69	18%	1,072 13%	2,714 13%	19,502 14%	19	5%	918 7%	1,943 7%	13,158 8%
	outside of class to prepare	(ACL)	Sometimes	154	40%	3,055 38%	10,069 42%	66,006 41%	111	29%	3,816 31%	9,253 32%	56,636 33%
	class assignments		Often	109	29%	2,520 33%	8,128 32%	51,535 31%	137	35%	4,151 33%	10,057 34%	60,355 34%
			Very often	45	14%	1,216 16%	3,632 13%	22,432 14%	120	31%	3,424 28%	8,485 28%	44,649 25%
			Total	377	100%	7,863 100%	24,543 100%	159,475 100%	387	100%	12,309 100%	29,738 100%	174,798 100%
1i.	Put together ideas or concepts	INTIDEAS	Never	34	9%	610 8%	1,315 6%	9,291 7%	13	4%	450 4%	848 3%	5,022 3%
	from different courses when		Sometimes	159	44%	3,037 41%	9,059 39%	58,860 39%	98	27%	3,217 27%	7,326 26%	43,958 26%
	completing assignments or		Often	126	36%	2,716 36%	9,186 40%	59,321 39%	155	41%	4,958 42%	12,399 43%	72,327 43%
	during class discussions		Very often	36	10%	1,058 14%	3,655 16%	23,744 15%	105	29%	3,301 27%	8,122 28%	48,030 28%
			Total	355	100%	7,421 100%	23,215 100%	151,216 100%	371	100%	11,926 100%	28,695 100%	169,337 100%
1j.	Tutored or taught other	TUTOR	Never	168	44%	3,654 47%	11,240 50%	78,702 52%	136	37%	5,027 40%	12,171 42%	74,427 44%
	students (paid or voluntary)	(ACL)	Sometimes	124	37%	2,475 <i>34%</i>	8,020 34%	49,479 32%	150	40%	4,255 37%	10,338 36%	58,762 35%
			Often	50	16%	896 13%	2,778 12%	16,192 11%	50	13%	1,572 14%	3,674 13%	20,743 12%
			Very often	11	3%	432 6%	1,232 5%	7,360 5%	37	10%	1,101 9%	2,590 9%	15,922 9%
			Total	353	100%	7,457 100%	23,270 100%	151,733 100%	373	100%	11,955 100%	28,773 100%	169,854 100%
1k.	Participated in a community-	COMMPROJ	Never	234	67%	4,700 64%	14,151 63%	89,271 61%	192	53%	6,434 56%	15,949 56%	85,775 53%
	based project (e.g. service	(ACL)	Sometimes	75	20%	1,748 23%	5,809 24%	40,289 25%	117	31%	3,390 28%	8,326 29%	52,216 30%
	learning) as part of a regular		Often	30	9%	679 9%	2,209 9%	14,866 9%	39	10%	1,304 11%	2,779 10%	19,544 11%
	course		Very often	11	4%	290 4%	969 4%	6,546 4%	22	6%	778 6%	1,602 5%	11,778 6%
			Total	350	100%	7,417 100%	23,138 100%	150,972 100%	370	100%	11,906 100%	28,656 100%	169,313 100%
11.	Used an electronic medium	ITACADEM	Never	57	16%	1,211 <i>15%</i>	3,153 14%	23,750 16%	62	17%	1,154 10%	2,863 10%	17,965 11%
	(listserv, chat group, Internet,	(EEE)	Sometimes	118	32%	2,183 30%	7,210 31%	46,712 31%	114	31%	3,067 25%	8,059 28%	46,291 27%
	instant messaging, etc.) to		Often	94	27%	2,051 28%	6,679 29%	42,654 28%	100	27%	3,303 28%	7,880 27%	46,491 27%
	discuss or complete an assignment		Very often	86	25%	2,015 28%	6,235 27%	38,666 26%	95	25%	4,442 37%	9,998 35%	59,274 35%
			Total	355	100%	7,460 100%	23,277 100%	151,782 100%	371	100%	11,966 100%	28,800 100%	170,021 100%
1m.	Used e-mail to communicate	EMAIL	Never	3	1%	172 3%	273 2%	1,666 2%	1	0%	91 1%	141 1%	758 1%
	with an instructor		Sometimes	68	21%	1,870 26%	4,697 21%	28,460 21%	50	14%	1,785 <i>16%</i>	3,502 13%	18,971 <i>13%</i>
			Often	153	42%	2,690 36%	8,465 36%	54,991 <i>36%</i>	105	28%	3,876 <i>33%</i>	8,775 31%	50,727 31%
			Very often	130	36%	2,718 <i>35%</i>	9,828 41%	66,552 41%	216	57%	6,195 50%	16,362 <i>55%</i>	99,432 56%
			Total	354	100%	7,450 100%	23,263 100%	151,669 100%	372	100%	11,947 100%	28,780 100%	169,888 100%
1n.	Discussed grades or	FACGRADE	Never	35	10%	576 8%	1,912 8%	10,172 7%	11	3%	511 5%	1,311 5%	6,585 4%
	assignments with an instructor	(SFI)	Sometimes	171	49%	3,033 42%	9,841 <i>42%</i>	60,379 40%	132	36%	4,211 37%	10,522 37%	57,706 <i>35%</i>
			Often	96	26%	2,359 31%	7,281 <i>31%</i>	50,832 33%	123	33%	3,963 <i>33%</i>	9,708 34%	58,015 <i>34%</i>
			Very often	53	15%	1,473 19%	4,223 19%	30,202 19%	105	28%	3,276 25%	7,232 25%	47,533 27%
			Total	355	100%	7,441 100%	23,257 100%	151,585 100%	371	100%	11,961 100%	28,773 100%	169,839 100%

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First-Year Students

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	`			Texas	Tech	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas	Гесһ	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009
	-	Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %
10.	Talked about career plans	FACPLANS	Never	82	24%	1,514 22%	5,467 24%	31,977 23%	64	18%	2,115 19%	4,924 18%	26,030 17%
	with a faculty member or	(SFI)	Sometimes	176	50%	3,379 45%	10,769 45%	69,124 45%	153	41%	4,835 41%	12,204 42%	67,705 41%
	advisor		Often	80	22%	1,712 22%	4,897 21%	34,606 22%	99	26%	2,972 24%	7,199 25%	44,825 25%
			Very often	17	4%	840 11%	2,122 10%	15,897 10%	55	15%	2,038 16%	4,454 15%	31,280 17%
			Total	355	100%	7,445 100%	23,255 100%	151,604 100%	371	100%	11,960 100%	28,781 100%	169,840 100%
1p.	Discussed ideas from your	FACIDEAS	Never	186	50%	3,111 41%	9,824 42%	59,663 40%	122	32%	3,714 32%	8,616 30%	46,926 29%
	readings or classes with	(SFI)	Sometimes	122	35%	2,748 37%	8,916 38%	59,509 38%	161	43%	4,901 <i>41%</i>	12,721 44%	73,737 43%
	faculty members outside of		Often	33	11%	1,095 15%	3,236 14%	22,642 15%	60	16%	2,098 18%	4,883 17%	31,711 18%
	class		Very often	15	5%	499 7%	1,309 6%	9,984 7%	30	8%	1,245 10%	2,575 9%	17,640 10%
			Total	356	100%	7,453 100%	23,285 100%	151,798 100%	373	100%	11,958 100%	28,795 100%	170,014 100%
1q.	Received prompt written or	FACFEED	Never	47	13%	714 11%	1,657 8%	9,090 7%	24	7%	669 6%	1,488 6%	6,589 5%
	oral feedback from faculty on	(SFI)	Sometimes	164	46%	2,736 <i>38%</i>	8,261 37%	50,916 35%	147	41%	3,794 <i>33%</i>	9,088 33%	47,813 <i>30%</i>
	your academic performance		Often	94	26%	2,725 36%	9,325 40%	62,109 40%	144	39%	4,983 42%	12,620 43%	76,187 44%
			Very often	46	14%	1,143 15%	3,630 16%	27,125 17%	50	13%	2,400 18%	5,309 18%	37,693 21%
			Total	351	100%	7,318 100%	22,873 100%	149,240 100%	365	100%	11,846 100%	28,505 100%	168,282 100%
1r.	Worked harder than you	WORKHARD	Never	36	10%	557 8%	1,755 8%	9,568 7%	29	8%	647 6%	1,965 7%	9,639 6%
	thought you could to meet an	(LAC)	Sometimes	145	39%	2,604 36%	8,534 37%	53,230 36%	136	37%	3,768 <i>33%</i>	10,261 35%	56,257 34%
	instructor's standards or		Often	121	36%	2,771 37%	8,753 <i>38%</i>	58,628 39%	141	38%	4,684 <i>39%</i>	10,769 <i>39%</i>	65,514 39%
	expectations		Very often	48	14%	1,389 18%	3,818 17%	27,809 18%	59	16%	2,767 22%	5,482 20%	36,935 21%
			Total	350	100%	7,321 100%	22,860 100%	149,235 100%	365	100%	11,866 100%	28,477 100%	168,345 100%
1s.	Worked with faculty members	FACOTHER	Never	221	60%	4,143 58%	13,196 59%	81,633 57%	160	45%	5,944 51%	13,288 48%	75,535 48%
	on activities other than	(SFI)	Sometimes	84	26%	1,929 26%	6,266 26%	42,894 27%	124	33%	3,447 29%	8,888 31%	52,862 30%
	coursework (committees,		Often	27	9%	851 <i>11%</i>	2,397 11%	17,202 11%	49	13%	1,509 12%	3,869 13%	24,550 14%
	orientation, student life activities, etc.)		Very often	18	5%	379 5%	935 4%	7,132 5%	32	9%	923 7%	2,372 8%	15,064 8%
			Total	350	100%	7,302 100%	22,794 100%	148,861 100%	365	100%	11,823 100%	28,417 100%	168,011 100%
1t.	Discussed ideas from your	OOCIDEAS	Never	31	10%	457 6%	1,333 6%	8,155 6%	24	7%	447 4%	1,062 4%	5,898 4%
	readings or classes with others	(ACL)	Sometimes	138	40%	2,482 <i>35%</i>	7,974 35%	51,330 35%	120	32%	3,435 30%	8,753 31%	50,212 30%
	outside of class (students,		Often	120	34%	2,627 36%	8,414 36%	54,667 <i>36%</i>	143	39%	4,419 37%	10,761 <i>37%</i>	63,492 38%
	family members, co-workers, etc.)		Very often	61	17%	1,746 23%	5,131 23%	35,033 23%	79	22%	3,556 29%	7,883 28%	48,759 28%
			Total	350	100%	7,312 100%	22,852 100%	149,185 100%	366	100%	11,857 100%	28,459 100%	168,361 100%
1u.	Had serious conversations	DIVRSTUD	Never	74	23%	1,164 <i>15%</i>	3,221 <i>15%</i>	21,941 <i>15%</i>	40	11%	1,528 11%	3,304 12%	20,243 12%
	with students of a different	(EEE)	Sometimes	122	34%	2,248 31%	7,442 33%	48,673 32%	115	32%	3,709 30%	9,473 33%	56,401 <i>33%</i>
	race or ethnicity than your		Often	77	22%	2,031 28%	6,345 27%	40,819 27%	117	31%	3,307 28%	8,058 28%	46,946 28%
	own		Very often	77	21%	1,881 26%	5,876 25%	37,928 25%	93	25%	3,322 30%	7,686 27%	44,886 27%
			Total	350	100%	7,324 100%	22,884 100%	149,361 100%	365	100%	11,866 100%	28,521 100%	168,476 100%

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	-	Variable	Response Options	Texas Count	Tech %	Public  Count %	Carnegie Clas		) <del>9</del> %	Texas Count	Tech %	Public Count %	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009 Count %
1v.	Had serious conversations	DIFFSTU2	Never	49	15%	950 13%	2,326 11		11%	32	9%	1,408 119		15,783 10%
	with students who are very	(EEE)	Sometimes	141	41%	2,336 32%	7,205 32	*	32%	111	30%	3,758 319	,	55,666 33%
	different from you in terms of	(222)	Often	83	24%	2,100 29%	6,965 30	-, -	29%	127	34%	3,393 299	,	50,477 30%
	their religious beliefs, political		Very often	78	20%	1,946 26%	6,419 27		27%	96	26%	3,305 299		46,607 28%
	opinions, or personal values		Total	351	100%	7,332 100%	22,915 100	*	00%	366	100%	11,864 1009	,	168,533 100%
2a	Coursework emphasizes:	MEMORIZE	Very little	12	4%	353 5%		% 7,683	5%	18	5%	950 89	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	15,045 9%
	Memorizing facts, ideas, or	MEMORIEE	Some	90	27%	1,773 25%	5,628 24	,	25%	98	27%	3,463 309	*	50,679 30%
	methods from your courses		Ouite a bit	138	39%	2,986 41%	9,417 42		41%	168	46%	4,269 369		61,155 37%
	and readings		Very much	109	30%	2,158 29%	6,602 30	*	28%	81	22%	3,088 269	,	40,676 25%
			Total	349	100%	7,270 100%	22,758 100	,	00%	365	100%	11,770 1009	<i>'</i>	167,555 100%
2b.	Coursework emphasizes:	ANALYZE	Very little	14	4%	175 2%		% 148,293 1 % 2,800	2%	5	1%	191 29	<u> </u>	2,149 1%
	Analyzing the basic elements	(LAC)	Some	71	21%	1,392 19%	3,759 17	,	18%	63	18%	1,711 149		21,111 13%
	of an idea, experience, or	(LATC)	Ouite a bit	146	42%	3,144 44%	9,967 44	*	44%	165	45%	4,862 419	<i>'</i>	68,895 41%
	theory		Very much	113	34%	2,534 35%	8,598 36	*	36%	131	36%	4,969 439		75,032 44%
			Total	344	100%	7,245 100%	22,689 100	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		364	100%	11,733 1009	,	167,187 100%
2c.	Coursework emphasizes:	SYNTHESZ	Very little	21	6%	363 5%		% 5,860	4%	25	7%	454 49		5,109 3%
	Synthesizing and organizing	(LAC)	Some	101	29%	1,940 27%	5,749 26	*	26%	90	25%	2,511 219		33,288 21%
	ideas, information, or	(2.10)	Ouite a bit	145	42%	2,956 41%	9,529 42	*	42%	147	40%	4,631 409	,	67,230 40%
	experiences		Very much	82	23%	1,976 27%	6,490 28	*	28%	103	29%	4,127 359		61,385 36%
			Total	349	100%	7,235 100%	22,648 100	*	00%	365	100%	11,723 1009	<i>'</i>	167,012 100%
2d.	Coursework emphasizes:	EVALUATE	Very little	22	7%	425 6%		% 6,716	5%	25	7%	613 59	*	7,036 5%
	Making judgments about the	(LAC)	Some	110	32%	1,887 26%	5,847 26	*	25%	78	22%	2,565 229	,	35,061 22%
	value of information,	,	Ouite a bit	136	39%	2,947 41%	9,614 42	*	42%	152	41%	4,571 399		66,434 39%
	arguments, or methods		Very much	81	22%	1,997 27%	6.136 27	*	28%	112	30%	3,989 339	*	58,657 34%
			Total	349	100%	7,256 100%	22,680 100	*	00%	367	100%	11,738 1009	6 28,247 100%	167,188 100%
2e.	Coursework emphasizes:	APPLYING	Very little	18	5%	322 5%		% 4,899	4%	12	3%	349 39	6 759 3%	4,007 3%
	Applying theories or concepts	(LAC)	Some	72	21%	1,621 22%	4,525 21	% 30,238	21%	72	20%	1,929 169	6 4,535 <i>16%</i>	25,318 16%
	to practical problems or in		Quite a bit	130	37%	2,758 38%	8,931 <i>39</i>	% 59,013	39%	119	32%	4,209 369	6 10,036 <i>36</i> %	60,162 36%
	new situations		Very much	129	36%	2,560 36%	8,542 <i>36</i>	54,027	36%	161	44%	5,273 459	6 13,004 45%	78,055 45%
			Total	349	100%	7,261 100%	22,735 100	% 148,177 <i>1</i>	00%	364	100%	11,760 1009	6 28,334 100%	167,542 100%
3a.	Number of assigned	READASGN	None	5	2%	115 2%	265 1	% 1,771	1%	6	2%	227 29	6 532 2%	2,826 2%
	textbooks, books, or book-	(LAC)	1-4	104	32%	1,902 27%	4,268 21	% 28,104	21%	109	30%	3,767 329	6 7,468 <i>27%</i>	42,086 27%
	length packs of course		5-10	162	44%	3,046 42%	9,366 41	% 59,161	40%	145	40%	4,134 359	6 10,644 37%	61,336 37%
	readings		11-20	53	15%	1,468 20%	5,727 24	% 38,268	24%	64	17%	2,009 189	6 5,629 19%	35,152 20%
			More than 20	24	7%	748 10%	3,073 13	% 20,649	13%	42	11%	1,616 139	6 3,986 <i>14%</i>	25,776 15%
			Total	348	100%	7,279 100%	22,699 100	% 147,953 <i>1</i>	00%	366	100%	11,753 1009	6 28,259 <i>100</i> %	167,176 100%

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		Texas	Tech	Publi	c	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas	Tech	Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009
Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %
3b. Number of books read on READOWN	None	102	32%	1,790	26%	5,564 26%	35,873 25%	67	18%	2,540 22%	5,785 21%	33,911 <i>21%</i>
your own (not assigned) for	1-4	182	52%	3,783	52%	12,073 52%	78,361 52%	188	51%	6,122 52%	14,827 52%	88,210 <i>53%</i>
personal enjoyment or academic enrichment	5-10	44	11%	1,091	14%	3,443 <i>15%</i>	22,582 15%	69	18%	1,932 16%	4,806 17%	28,553 17%
academic emicriment	11-20	12	3%	322	4%	907 4%	6,021 4%	28	8%	590 5%	1,542 5%	8,875 5%
	More than 20	7	2%	288	4%	701 3%	5,038 3%	16	4%	571 5%	1,282 5%	7,586 5%
	Total	347	100%	7,274	100%	22,688 100%	147,875 100%	368	100%	11,755 100%	28,242 100%	167,135 100%
3c. Number of written papers or WRITEMOR	None	307	87%	5,840	80%	18,317 80%	120,069 80%	208	57%	6,472 54%	13,806 50%	81,122 50%
reports of <b>20 pages or more</b> (LAC)	1-4	30	10%	947	13%	3,190 14%	19,287 14%	119	32%	4,046 35%	11,743 40%	69,669 40%
	5-10	6	2%	279	4%	710 4%	4,877 4%	24	6%	781 <i>7%</i>	1,869 7%	11,017 7%
	11-20	1	0%	108	1%	258 1%	2,001 2%	8	2%	235 2%	486 2%	2,898 2%
	More than 20	4	1%	87	1%	181 1%	1,449 1%	9	2%	211 2%	336 1%	2,395 1%
	Total	348	100%	7,261	100%	22,656 100%	147,683 100%	368	100%	11,745 100%	28,240 100%	167,101 100%
3d. Number of written papers or WRITEMID	None	118	34%	1,539	22%	2,609 13%	17,989 14%	50	14%	1,654 14%	2,860 11%	14,577 10%
reports <b>between 5 and 19</b> (LAC)	1-4	176	50%	3,793	52%	11,873 52%	78,121 <i>53%</i>	183	50%	5,830 50%	12,525 45%	71,987 44%
pages	5-10	44	13%	1,478	20%	6,398 27%	39,659 26%	89	24%	2,906 25%	8,623 30%	53,445 31%
	11-20	5	1%	341	5%	1,465 6%	9,571 6%	30	8%	965 8%	3,166 11%	19,603 11%
	More than 20	3	1%	105	2%	306 1%	2,236 2%	12	3%	363 3%	1,041 4%	7,295 4%
	Total	346	100%	7,256	100%	22,651 100%	147,576 100%	364	100%	11,718 100%	28,215 100%	166,907 100%
3e. Number of written papers or WRITESML	None	13	3%	303	5%	606 3%	3,679 3%	23	7%	934 8%	1,684 7%	9,384 6%
reports of <b>fewer than 5 pages</b> (LAC)	1-4	132	39%	2,860	41%	6,736 31%	43,076 31%	131	36%	4,618 39%	9,310 34%	54,481 34%
	5-10	105	29%	2,367	31%	8,044 35%	51,513 34%	97	26%	3,055 26%	8,123 28%	47,124 28%
	11-20	69	20%	1,160	15%	4,693 20%	32,306 20%	65	17%	1,762 15%	5,123 17%	31,305 18%
	More than 20	29	9%	578	8%	2,607 11%	17,245 11%	51	13%	1,362 11%	4,026 14%	24,814 14%
	Total	348	100%	7,268	100%	22,686 100%	147,819 100%	367	100%	11,731 100%	28,266 100%	167,108 100%
4a. Number of problem sets that PROBSETA	None	39	11%	824	11%	2,549 12%	18,047 12%	70	18%	1,913 17%	5,542 19%	32,818 19%
take you more than an hour to	1-2	119	35%	2,572	36%	8,059 36%	52,828 36%	140	38%	3,757 32%	8,905 32%	53,464 32%
complete	3-4	112	33%	2,268	31%	7,351 32%	47,404 32%	81	23%	3,455 30%	7,870 28%	46,509 28%
	5-6	35	10%	769	10%	2,412 10%	15,215 10%	31	9%	1,147 9%	2,604 9%	15,389 9%
	More than 6	42	11%	813	11%	2,255 10%	13,892 10%	45	12%	1,443 12%	3,232 12%	18,150 11%
	Total	347	100%	7,246	100%	22,626 100%	147,386 100%	367	100%	11,715 100%	28,153 100%	166,330 100%
4b. Number of problem sets that PROBSETB	None	43	12%	1,067	15%	2,820 12%	19,450 13%	87	24%	3,110 28%	8,094 27%	46,402 28%
take you less than an hour to	1-2	127	35%	2,749	37%	8,361 37%	52,870 36%	152	41%	4,378 37%	10,238 36%	59,233 36%
complete	3-4	89	25%	1,747	24%	5,990 26%	39,201 26%	69	19%	2,203 18%	5,402 20%	33,028 20%
	5-6	42	13%	708	10%	2,451 11%	16,813 11%	26	7%	860 7%	1,934 7%	12,514 7%
	More than 6	45	14%	976	14%	3,007 14%	19,088 13%	34	9%	1,150 10%	2,436 9%	14,998 9%
	Total	346	100%	7,247		22,629 100%	147,422 100%	368	100%	11,701 100%	28,104 100%	166,175 100%

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				Texas		Public	Carnegie	Class	NSSE 2009	Texas		Public		Carnegie Cla		NSSE 200	
_	01.41.11.1.4	Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count	%	Count	%		6	Count	%
5.	Select the circle that best represents the extent to which	EXAMS	1 Very little	2	1%	44 1%		1%	850 1%	12	4%	114	1%		1%	1,756	1%
	your examinations during the		2	2	1%	91 1%		1%	1,566 1%	6	2%	189	2%		2%	2,601	2%
	current school year challenged		3	10	2%	274 <i>4%</i>		3%	4,831 4%	15	4%	431	4%	,	4%	6,087	4%
	you to do your best work		4	44	13%	884 12%	,	12%	17,030 12%	41	11%	1,280	11%	- ,	1%	- ,	11%
	y		5	115	32%	2,133 29%	-,	31%	44,989 30%	123	33%	- , -	27%	-, -	9%	. ,	28%
			6	115	35%	2,365 33%	,	35%	52,110 34%	107	29%	3,839	33%	9,712 3	4%		33%
			7 Very much	59	17%	1,477 21%	4,152	18%	26,493 18%	63	17%	2,876	23%	5,488 2	0%	34,220	20%
			Total	347	100%	7,268 100%	22,706	100%	147,869 100%	367	100%	11,741 1	100%	28,242 10	0% 1	166,975 <i>1</i>	100%
6a.	Attended an art exhibit, play,	ATDART07	Never	80	25%	1,727 26%	4,959	24%	31,065 24%	125	34%	3,931	32%	7,877 2	9%	46,438	30%
	dance, music, theater, or other		Sometimes	183	53%	3,274 46%	10,609	46%	67,462 <i>46%</i>	150	41%	5,198	46%	12,882 4.	5%	75,698	46%
	performance		Often	51	14%	1,356 18%	4,451	19%	30,005 19%	55	16%	1,610	14%	4,393 1.	5%	26,427	15%
			Very often	30	8%	787 10%	2,430	11%	17,699 11%	33	9%	881	8%	2,833 1	0%	17,110	10%
			Total	344	100%	7,144 100%	22,449	100%	146,231 100%	363	100%	11,620	100%	27,985 10	0% 1	165,673 <i>1</i>	100%
6b.	Exercised or participated in	EXRCSE05	Never	28	8%	921 13%	2,219	11%	16,537 13%	24	7%	1,981	15%	3,218 1.	3%	20,938	13%
	physical fitness activities		Sometimes	96	28%	2,037 27%	6,230	28%	39,626 27%	86	24%	3,961	33%	8,560 <i>3</i> .	2%	51,973	32%
			Often	91	26%	1,939 28%	6,066	27%	37,493 26%	109	30%	2,770	25%	6,996 2.	5%	40,055	24%
			Very often	130	38%	2,242 32%	7,924	34%	52,493 34%	143	39%	2,910	27%	9,202 3	1%	52,631	31%
			Total	345	100%	7,139 100%	22,439	100%	146,149 100%	362	100%	11,622	100%	27,976 10	0% 1	165,597 1	100%
6c.	Participated in activities to	WORSHP05	Never	95	29%	2,781 39%	9,569	43%	58,156 41%	101	29%	4,153	37%	11,065 3	9%	60,996	39%
	enhance your spirituality		Sometimes	106	30%	1,940 27%	5,887	26%	39,523 27%	99	27%	3,134	27%	7,614 2	7%	46,449	28%
	(worship, meditation, prayer,		Often	59	18%	1,110 16%	3,061	14%	22,077 15%	67	18%	1,829	15%	3,716 1.	3%	24,471	14%
	etc.)		Very often	82	23%	1,300 18%	3,895	17%	26,184 17%	95	26%	2,482	21%	5,543 2	0%	33,492	20%
			Total	342	100%	7,131 100%	22,412	100%	145,940 100%	362	100%	11,598	100%	27,938 10	0% 1	165,408 1	100%
6d.	Examined the strengths and	OWNVIEW	Never	38	11%	742 10%	2,103	10%	13,203 10%	26	7%	1,061	9%	2,228	8%	11,778	8%
	weaknesses of your own views		Sometimes	151	45%	2,691 37%	8,500	38%	54,086 37%	135	37%	3,958	34%	9,635 3	4%	55,317	34%
	on a topic or issue		Often	107	31%	2,352 33%	7,796	35%	51,405 35%	117	32%	4,118	36%	10,193 3	7%	61,252	37%
			Very often	48	14%	1,341 19%	3,994	18%	27,149 19%	85	23%	2,474	22%	5,871 2	1%	37,009	22%
			Total	344	100%	7,126 100%		100%	145,843 100%	363	100%		100%	27,927 10		165,356 <i>1</i>	100%
6e.	Tried to better understand	OTHRVIEW	Never	24	8%	451 7%		6%	7.495 6%	17	5%	648	5%		5%	7.016	5%
	someone else's views by		Sometimes	143	43%	2,243 32%	7,315	33%	46,525 32%	110	31%	3,499	31%		1%	48,055	29%
	imagining how an issue looks		Often	111	30%	2,688 38%	,	39%	57.444 39%	145	40%	4,511	38%	*	9%		40%
	from his or her perspective		Very often	65	19%	1,748 24%	- ,	23%	34,530 24%	90	24%	,	26%	*	5%	,	26%
			Total	343	100%	7,130 100%	,		145,994 100%	362	100%	11.610 1		27,951 10		, -	100%
6f.	Learned something that	CHNGVIEW	Never	13	4%	268 4%		4%	4,916 4%	12	3%	390	3%		3%	4.447	3%
	changed the way you		Sometimes	135	39%	2,213 32%		31%	43,654 30%	111	31%		31%		2%	, .	29%
	understand an issue or		Often	130	37%	2,801 39%	- ,-	40%	58,996 40%	162	44%	- ,	39%		1%	.,	41%
	concept		Very often	66	20%	1,854 25%	,	26%	38,719 26%	78	21%	,	26%	*	7%	,	27%
			Total	344	100%	7,136 100%	- ,		146,285 100%	363	100%	3,114 11,641 <i>I</i>		28,029 10		46,260 165,802 <i>1</i>	
			Total	344	100%	7,130 100%	22,470	10070	140,203 100%	303	100%	11,041 1	0070	20,029 10	)/0 I	05,002 1	0070

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	\			Texas	Tech	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas '	Tech	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009
	-	Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %
7a.	Practicum, internship, field	INTERN04	Have not decided	33	11%	1,034 14%	2,453 12%	18,070 13%	27	7%	1,063 9%	2,027 8%	12,319 8%
	experience, co-op experience,	(EEE)	Do not plan to do	13	3%	365 5%	738 4%	5,860 5%	51	14%	1,791 16%	3,871 15%	24,501 15%
	or clinical assignment		Plan to do	275	80%	5,122 73%	17,570 77%	109,275 74%	106	30%	3,271 28%	6,205 25%	35,882 24%
			Done	21	6%	496 7%	1,373 7%	11,043 8%	173	48%	5,403 47%	15,695 53%	91,595 52%
			Tota	1 342	100%	7,017 100%	22,134 100%	144,248 100%	357	100%	11,528 100%	27,798 100%	164,297 100%
7b.	Community service or	VOLNTR04	Have not decided	35	11%	816 12%	2,685 13%	17,310 13%	24	7%	1,224 11%	2,438 10%	14,623 10%
	volunteer work	(EEE)	Do not plan to do	15	5%	425 7%	1,214 6%	7,984 7%	44	14%	1,635 14%	4,106 16%	23,030 15%
			Plan to do	129	38%	2,789 39%	8,831 <i>41%</i>	58,362 41%	45	13%	2,152 18%	3,965 16%	23,916 16%
			Done	164	46%	2,958 43%	9,311 39%	60,154 39%	242	67%	6,487 57%	17,164 59%	102,125 59%
			Tota	1 343	100%	6,988 100%	22,041 100%	143,810 100%	355	100%	11,498 100%	27,673 100%	163,694 100%
7c.	Participate in a learning	LRNCOM04	Have not decided	98	28%	1,978 29%	6,821 31%	48,109 32%	55	16%	1,927 16%	3,752 15%	23,802 15%
	community or some other	(EEE)	Do not plan to do	86	23%	1,616 24%	5,942 26%	34,473 25%	181	51%	5,211 47%	14,351 50%	80,458 50%
	formal program where groups		Plan to do	87	28%	1,909 27%	4,881 23%	36,519 26%	31	9%	1,339 11%	2,185 9%	13,893 9%
	of students take two or more		Done	70	20%	1,471 21%	4,380 20%	24,400 18%	90	24%	2,981 26%	7,340 26%	45,106 26%
	classes together		Tota	1 341	100%	6,974 100%	22,024 100%	143,501 100%	357	100%	11,458 100%	27,628 100%	163,259 100%
7d.	Work on a research project	RESRCH04	Have not decided	126	36%	2,507 36%	8,522 38%	55,987 <i>38%</i>	67	19%	2,326 19%	4,451 17%	27,514 17%
	with a faculty member outside	(SFI)	Do not plan to do	95	25%	1,658 23%	4,591 22%	32,990 23%	165	46%	5,545 48%	13,528 48%	83,446 50%
	of course or program		Plan to do	104	33%	2,400 35%	7,998 35%	47,864 <i>33%</i>	50	15%	1,767 <i>16%</i>	3,791 <i>15%</i>	19,966 <i>13%</i>
	requirements		Done	16	5%	437 6%	978 5%	7,158 5%	71	19%	1,886 17%	5,974 20%	33,073 19%
			Tota	1 341	100%	7,002 100%	22,089 100%	143,999 100%	353	100%	11,524 100%	27,744 100%	163,999 100%
7e.	Foreign language coursework	FORLNG04	Have not decided	57	18%	1,331 19%	4,149 <i>19%</i>	26,581 19%	24	7%	1,396 11%	2,165 9%	14,130 9%
		(EEE)	Do not plan to do	93	29%	1,641 24%	5,784 27%	36,915 26%	129	36%	4,795 40%	11,143 40%	66,754 <i>41%</i>
			Plan to do	151	43%	2,597 37%	7,115 33%	47,338 <i>33%</i>	39	11%	1,451 12%	2,361 10%	14,234 9%
			Done	40	10%	1,438 21%	5,064 22%	33,361 22%	164	46%	3,885 37%	12,114 41%	69,071 41%
			Tota	1 341	100%	7,007 100%	22,112 100%	144,195 100%	356	100%	11,527 100%	27,783 100%	164,189 <i>100%</i>
7f.	Study abroad	STDABR04	Have not decided	85	25%	1,997 29%	6,342 29%	40,648 29%	39	11%	2,024 16%	3,376 14%	20,843 14%
		(EEE)	Do not plan to do	92	29%	1,887 27%	5,138 25%	35,320 26%	224	63%	7,147 63%	16,990 <i>61%</i>	101,308 62%
			Plan to do	162	45%	2,848 41%	10,049 43%	64,009 42%	33	9%	1,309 11%	2,338 10%	13,262 9%
			Done	4	1%	255 4%	534 3%	3,864 3%	59	16%	1,015 10%	4,969 <i>16%</i>	28,193 <i>15%</i>
			Tota	1 343	100%	6,987 100%	22,063 100%	143,841 100%	355	100%	11,495 100%	27,673 100%	163,606 100%
7g.	Independent study or self-	INDSTD04	Have not decided	106	32%	2,373 34%	7,332 33%	48,968 <i>34%</i>	57	17%	1,955 16%	3,235 13%	20,397 13%
	designed major	(EEE)	Do not plan to do	175	50%	2,981 <i>43%</i>	10,856 48%	65,302 <i>45%</i>	208	58%	6,377 58%	17,127 60%	97,827 60%
			Plan to do	56	17%	1,302 19%	3,216 <i>16%</i>	24,392 17%	28	9%	1,418 12%	2,369 10%	14,460 <i>10%</i>
			Done	5	1%	334 4%	614 3%	4,982 4%	62	17%	1,723 <i>15%</i>	4,897 17%	30,740 17%
			Tota	1 342	100%	6,990 100%	22,018 100%	143,644 100%	355	100%	11,473 100%	27,628 100%	163,424 100%

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Note	'	(					Southv	vest							Southw	est				
Description   Continuing sension   Continuing sen														- 1 1			<i>U</i>			
Comprehence (capstone course, serior project)   Plan to do   128   38%   313   49%   1134   49%   1736   78%   113   39%   37%   3	7h	Culminating against																		
Plant to do   128   389   313   349   1131   349   73,057   489   111   339   3791   329   354   339   3980   379   37	/11.	•					· ·		,		,									
Comprehensive exam, etc.			(EEE)	•																
Main of relationships with other students   Sample   Sa																				
Name		, <i>-</i>																		
State   Stat					341	100%	7,006	100%	22,115	100%	144,195 10	00%_	355	100%	11,525	100%	27,786	100%	164,230	100%
	8a.	. , ,		Unsupportive, Sense																
See				of alienation	3	1%	84	1%	227	1%	1,536	1%	4	1%	90	1%	252	1%	1,412	1%
Final Properties   Final Prope				2	7	2%	164	2%	549	3%	3,384	3%	7	2%	227	2%	685	2%	3,336	2%
Finally of relationships with faculty members   5   5   5   5   5   5   5   5   5				3	14	3%	363	5%	1,085	5%	7,032	5%	15	5%	452	4%	1,229	5%	6,484	4%
Friendly Supportive   Friedly Supportive   Friendly Supportive				4	45	14%	941	13%	2,744	13%	17,196	13%	37	11%	1,242	11%	3,114	12%	17,144	11%
Recomposition   Price   Pric				5	78	22%	1,535	22%	4,681	22%	30,197 2	22%	66	19%	2,313	20%	5,973	22%	33,427	21%
Sense of belonging   Total   339   1000   6,999   1000   143,967   1000   143,967   1000   11,503   1000   11,503   1000   10,500   164,074   1000				6	115	34%	2,110	31%	7,141	31%	45,477	31%	120	34%	3,458	30%	9,079	32%	52,807	32%
Row   Faculty members   ENVFAC   C(SCE)   Unavailable, Unhelpful, Unsympathetic   4   2%   83   1%   193   1%   1,175   1%   9   3%   154   1%   313   1%   1,541   1%   1%   1%   1%   1%   1%   1%					77	23%	1,802	26%	5,668	25%	39,145 2	26%	102	29%	3,721	31%	7,397	27%	49,464	29%
Care				Total	339	100%	6,999	100%	22,095	100%	143,967 10	00%	351	100%	11,503	100%	27,729	100%	164,074	100%
Care	8b.	Quality of relationships with	ENVFAC	1 Unavailable Unhelpful																
8c. Quality of relationships with administrative personnel and offices    Supering   CSCE		faculty members	(SCE)		4	2%	83	1%	193	1%	1,175	1%	9	3%	154	1%	313	1%	1,541	1%
8c. Quality of relationships with administrative personnel and offices  ENVADM (SCE)  1 Unhelpful, lnconsiderate, Rigid and offices  5 29 8% 39.4 88 32.5 4.8 1.8 1.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2 2.5 4.2				2	9	3%	240	4%	528	3%	3,068	3%	13	4%	322	3%	756	3%	3,585	3%
8c. Quality of relationships with administrative personnel and offices    Columbia   Col				3	40	11%	471	7%	1,478	7%	7,952	6%	17	5%	600	6%	1,513	6%	7,258	5%
8c. Quality of relationships with administrative personnel and offices    ENVADM and offices				4	76	23%	1,304	19%	3,982	19%	22,841	17%	50	15%	1,571	14%	3,917	15%	19,473	13%
8c. Quality of relationships with administrative personnel and offices    Company   Co				5	89	25%	1,861	27%	6,608	29%	39,104 2	27%	94	26%	2,652	25%	7,171	26%	37,909	24%
8c. Quality of relationships with administrative personnel and offices    Secondary Se				6	87	27%	1.893	26%	6.362	28%	43.937 2	29%	110	30%	3.346	29%	8,894	31%	53.876	32%
8c. Quality of relationships with administrative personnel and offices    ENVADM and offices   1 Unhelpful, Inconsiderate, Rigid   10 3% 225 4% 668 4% 3,871 3% 25 7% 520 5% 1,488 6% 7,793 5% 29 8% 394 6% 1,259 6% 7,393 6% 27 8% 780 7% 2,305 9% 11,994 8%   3					34	10%		16%	2,943	14%		17%	58	17%	2,859	22%	5,176	19%	40,418	23%
8c. Quality of relationships with administrative personnel and offices    SCE   Unhelpful, Inconsiderate, Rigid and offices   1 Unhelpful, Inconsiderate, Rigid   10 3% 225 4% 668 4% 3,871 3% 25 7% 520 5% 1,488 6% 7,793 5% 29 8% 394 6% 1,259 6% 7,393 6% 27 8% 780 7% 2,305 9% 11,994 8% 34 10% 755 11% 2,316 11% 13,762 10% 39 11% 1,199 11% 3,303 12% 17,380 11% 1,488 6% 7,793 5% 26% 1,621 24% 5,412 25% 32,359 23% 90 26% 2,237 20% 6,019 21% 33,560 21% 74 20% 1,549 22% 5,517 24% 34,909 24% 75 21% 2,414 22% 6,171 22% 36,196 22%				Total	339	100%	6,999	100%	22,094	100%	143,982 10	00%	351	100%	11,504	100%	27,740	100%	164,060	100%
administrative personnel and offices         (SCE)         Inconsiderate, Rigid         10         3%         225         4%         668         4%         3,871         3%         25         7%         520         5%         1,488         6%         7,793         5%           and offices         2         29         8%         394         6%         1,259         6%         7,393         6%         27         8%         780         7%         2,305         9%         11,994         8%           3         34         10%         755         11%         2,316         11%         13,762         10%         39         11%         1,199         11%         3,303         12%         17,380         11%           4         85         26%         1,621         24%         5,412         25%         32,359         23%         90         26%         2,237         20%         6,019         21%         33,560         21%           5         74         20%         1,549         22%         5,517         24%         34,909         24%         75         21%         2,414         22%         6,171         22%         36,196         22%	8c.	Quality of relationships with	ENVADM	1 Unhelpful							·						<u>-</u>			
2		administrative personnel	(SCE)		10	3%	225	4%	668	4%	3,871	3%	25	7%	520	5%	1,488	6%	7,793	5%
4 85 26% 1,621 24% 5,412 25% 32,359 23% 90 26% 2,237 20% 6,019 21% 33,560 21% 5 74 20% 1,549 22% 5,517 24% 34,909 24% 75 21% 2,414 22% 6,171 22% 36,196 22%		and offices		2	29	8%	394	6%	1,259	6%	7,393	6%	27	8%	780	7%	2,305	9%	11,994	8%
5 74 20% 1,549 22% 5,517 24% 34,909 24% 75 21% 2,414 22% 6,171 22% 36,196 22%				3	34	10%	755	11%	2,316	11%	13,762	10%	39	11%	1,199	11%	3,303	12%	17,380	11%
5 74 20% 1,549 22% 5,517 24% 34,909 24% 75 21% 2,414 22% 6,171 22% 36,196 22%				4	85	26%	1.621	24%	5.412	25%	32,359 2	23%	90	26%	2.237	20%	6.019	21%	33.560	21%
				5							- ,				,		,		,	
				6	74	23%	1,453	21%	4,478	19%	,		59	16%	2,400	21%	5,221	19%	33,081	
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Total 338 100% 6,991 100% 22,074 100% 143,878 100% 351 100% 11,500 100% 27,731 100% 164,042 100%					338	100%	6,991	100%	22,074	100%	143,878 10	00%	351	100%	11,500	100%	27,731	100%	164,042	100%

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	_			Texas	Tech	Publi	c	Carnegie	Class	NSSE 20	009	Texas	Tech	Publi	c	Carnegie	Class	NSSE 2	009
		Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
9a.	Preparing for class (studying,	ACADPR01	0 hrs/wk	2	1%	45	1%	73	0%	637	1%	2	1%	69	1%	91	0%	610	0%
	reading, writing, doing	(LAC)	1-5 hrs/wk	59	18%	1,156	16%	2,500	13%	19,187	15%	76	22%	2,015	17%	4,048	16%	24,727	16%
	homework or lab work, analyzing data, rehearsing,		6-10 hrs/wk	83	26%	1,759	24%	5,115	24%	33,887	24%	92	27%	2,955	25%	6,553	24%	39,285	25%
	and other academic activities)		11-15 hrs/wk	76	22%	1,520	22%	5,003	23%	32,111	22%	77	22%	2,208	19%	5,616	20%	33,167	20%
	und offici deddeffic dett vities)		16-20 hrs/wk	51	15%	1,137	17%	4,309	18%	26,392	18%	40	12%	1,741	15%	4,729	17%	27,648	16%
			21-25 hrs/wk	35	9%	643	10%	2,505	10%	15,721	10%	25	7%	991	9%	2,826	10%	16,419	10%
			26-30 hrs/wk	17	5%	326	5%	1,300	5%	8,061	5%	11	3%	595	6%	1,647	6%	9,697	6%
			30+ hrs/wk	15	4%	374	6%	1,134	5%	7,029	5%	26	7%	861	8%	2,096	7%	11,657	7%
			Total	338	100%	6,960	100%	21,939	100%	143,025	100%	349	100%	11,435	100%	27,606	100%	163,210	100%
9b.	Working for pay on campus	WORKON01	0 hrs/wk	286	85%	5,804	84%	17,503	81%	110,936	80%	245	70%	8,927	78%	19,360	73%	114,841	73%
			1-5 hrs/wk	6	1%	130	2%	733	3%	6,825	4%	7	2%	232	2%	1,143	3%	8,415	4%
			6-10 hrs/wk	10	3%	193	3%	1,531	6%	12,318	7%	14	4%	379	4%	2,272	7%	14,789	7%
			11-15 hrs/wk	16	5%	362	5%	1,077	5%	6,883	5%	31	9%	509	5%	1,847	6%	10,273	6%
			16-20 hrs/wk	7	1%	291	4%	771	4%	3,961	3%	34	10%	805	7%	1,766	7%	8,836	6%
			21-25 hrs/wk	9	3%	77	1%	158	1%	899	1%	5	1%	207	2%	499	2%	2,345	1%
			26-30 hrs/wk	1	0%	35	0%	52	0%	366	0%	4	1%	118	1%	209	1%	1,022	1%
			30+ hrs/wk	3	2%	56	1%	95	1%	772	1%	10	3%	252	2%	481	2%	2,506	2%
			Total	338	100%	6,948	100%	21,920	100%	142,960	100%	350	100%	11,429	100%	27,577	100%	163,027	100%
9c.	Working for pay off campus	WORKOF01	0 hrs/wk	250	75%	4,470	65%	16,038	69%	98,630	66%	180	52%	4,613	42%	13,076	44%	70,475	42%
			1-5 hrs/wk	13	4%	320	4%	1,026	5%	6,930	5%	14	4%	530	5%	1,407	5%	8,380	5%
			6-10 hrs/wk	12	3%	300	4%	1,022	5%	6,951	5%	14	4%	554	5%	1,701	6%	10,573	6%
			11-15 hrs/wk	16	5%	372	5%	1,011	5%	6,869	5%	23	6%	651	6%	1,861	7%	11,012	7%
			16-20 hrs/wk	17	5%	455	6%	1,145	6%	7,460	6%	28	8%	993	9%	2,537	10%	14,414	9%
			21-25 hrs/wk	11	3%	364	5%	692	4%	5,087	4%	29	8%	802	7%	1,969	8%	11,240	7%
			26-30 hrs/wk	9	2%	231	3%	353	2%	2,922	2%	27	8%	598	5%	1,279	5%	7,503	5%
			30+ hrs/wk	9	2%	430	7%	618	4%	7,999	7%	32	10%	2,692	21%	3,753	16%	29,499	19%
			Total	337	100%	6,942	100%	21,905	100%	142,848	100%	347	100%	11,433	100%	27,583	100%	163,096	100%
9d.	Participating in co-curricular	COCURR01	0 hrs/wk	100	28%	2,864	40%	7,423	38%	52,955	41%	116	35%	6,160	51%	11,746	46%	74,314	49%
	activities (organizations,	(EEE)	1-5 hrs/wk	117	32%	2,001	29%	7,076	30%	43,266	29%	116	32%	2,862	25%	7,832	27%	43,789	26%
	campus publications, student		6-10 hrs/wk	56	17%	885	13%	3,384	14%	19,811	13%	52	15%	1,073	10%	3,541	12%	19,187	11%
	government, fraternity or		11-15 hrs/wk	24	9%	498	7%	1,726	7%	11,462	8%	25	7%	558	5%	1,863	6%	10,333	6%
	sorority, intercollegiate or intramural sports, etc.)		16-20 hrs/wk	27	8%	316	5%	1,070	5%	7,351	5%	18	5%	354	3%	1,124	4%	6,654	4%
	mamarar sports, etc.)		21-25 hrs/wk	7	3%	150	2%	557	2%	3,616	2%	10	3%	164	2%	614	2%	3,649	2%
			26-30 hrs/wk	2	1%	74	1%	278	1%	1,702	1%	7	2%	82	1%	316	1%	1,777	1%
			30+ hrs/wk	5	2%	159	3%	424	2%	2,897	2%	5	2%	192	2%	568	2%	3,570	2%
			Total	338	100%	6,947	100%	21,938	100%	143,060	100%	349	100%	11,445	100%	27,604	100%	163,273	100%

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	<u>-</u>			Texas	Tech	Publi		Carnegie	Class	NSSE 20		Texas '	Tech	Publi		Carnegie (	Class	NSSE 2	2009
0-	D 1 ' 1 ' 1' '	Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
96.	Relaxing and socializing (watching TV, partying, etc.)	SOCIAL05	0 hrs/wk	1	0%	92	1%	167	1%	1,482	1%	7	2%	182	2%	316	1%	2,027	
	(watching TV, partyling, etc.)		1-5 hrs/wk	65	18%	1,727	24%	4,163	20%	30,841	22%	78	23%	3,804	31%	6,778	26%	44,185	
			6-10 hrs/wk	97	27%	2,030	29%	6,151	28%	40,655	28%	106	30%	3,386	30%	8,377	30%	49,605	
			11-15 hrs/wk	73	23%	1,396	21%	4,970	23%	30,560	21%	70	19%	1,941	18%	5,633	20%	31,648	
			16-20 hrs/wk	52	16%	808	12%	3,161	14%	18,964	14%	46	13%	1,064	10%	3,334	12%	18,261	
			21-25 hrs/wk	24	8%	366	6%	1,388	6%	8,615	6%	15	4%	449	4%	1,411	5%	7,680	
			26-30 hrs/wk	10	2%	159	2%	660	3%	3,975	3%	12	4%	195	2%	617	2%	3,339	
			30+ hrs/wk	14	5%	333	5%	1,165	6%	7,073	5%	16	4%	358	3%	1,013	4%	5,709	
			Total	336	100%	6,911		21,825		,	100%	350	100%	,	100%	-,	100%	162,454	
9f.	Providing care for dependents	CAREDE01	0 hrs/wk	277	80%	4,501	66%	16,846	74%	102,079	69%	255	72%	5,155	51%	17,693	60%	97,554	
	living with you (parents,		1-5 hrs/wk	32	10%	1,064	15%	2,524	13%	17,891	13%	31	9%	1,552	13%	3,322	13%	19,923	
	children, spouse, etc.)		6-10 hrs/wk	8	3%	487	7%	976	5%	7,522	6%	11	3%	962	8%	1,775	7%	10,709	
			11-15 hrs/wk	7	2%	291	4%	572	3%	4,344	3%	15	4%	638	5%	997	4%	6,449	4%
			16-20 hrs/wk	2	1%	148	2%	286	2%	2,527	2%	11	3%	520	4%	771	3%	4,974	3%
			21-25 hrs/wk	2	1%	68	1%	142	1%	1,256	1%	4	1%	290	2%	409	2%	2,734	2%
			26-30 hrs/wk	1	0%	44	1%	71	0%	793	1%	1	0%	251	2%	252	1%	2,108	1%
			30+ hrs/wk	8	3%	297	4%	381	2%	5,529	4%	21	6%	1,997	14%	2,202	9%	17,858	11%
			Total	337	100%	6,900	100%	21,798	100%	141,941	100%	349	100%	11,365	100%	27,421	100%	162,309	
9g.	Commuting to class (driving,	COMMUTE	0 hrs/wk	22	7%	523	7%	2,735	11%	23,939	14%	7	2%	658	5%	2,097	6%	18,984	9%
	walking, etc.)		1-5 hrs/wk	235	69%	4,207	61%	14,334	63%	87,762	61%	240	69%	6,762	60%	18,049	63%	101,395	62%
			6-10 hrs/wk	60	17%	1,304	19%	3,025	16%	18,551	15%	69	20%	2,566	23%	4,919	20%	27,995	19%
			11-15 hrs/wk	9	3%	457	7%	969	5%	6,363	5%	21	6%	755	7%	1,456	6%	8,263	6%
			16-20 hrs/wk	6	2%	222	3%	404	2%	2,889	2%	5	2%	285	2%	497	2%	2,846	2%
			21-25 hrs/wk	3	1%	72	1%	151	1%	1,038	1%	3	1%	112	1%	168	1%	1,098	1%
			26-30 hrs/wk	1	1%	29	0%	62	0%	486	0%	1	0%	63	1%	93	1%	550	0%
			30+ hrs/wk	1	0%	109	1%	174	1%	1,342	1%	4	1%	197	2%	237	1%	1,609	1%
			Total	337	100%	6,923	100%	21,854	100%	142,370	100%	350	100%	11,398	100%	27,516	100%	162,740	100%
10a	Spending significant amounts	ENVSCHOL	Very little	10	3%	161	2%	336	2%	2,430	2%	9	3%	237	2%	601	2%	3,459	2%
	of time studying and on	(LAC)	Some	71	22%	1,155	17%	3,398	17%	22,275	17%	70	21%	1,909	18%	4,564	17%	26,512	17%
	academic work		Quite a bit	155	47%	3,111	45%	9,824	45%	64,964	46%	164	47%	4,931	43%	12,381	45%	72,642	45%
			Very much	99	28%	2,434	36%	8,110	35%	51,506	35%	104	30%	4,249	37%	9,809	35%	59,172	35%
			Total	335	100%	6,861	100%	21,668	100%	141,175	100%	347	100%	11,326	100%	27,355	100%	161,785	100%
10b	Providing the support you	ENVSUPRT	Very little	14	4%	214	3%	597	4%	3,486	3%	22	6%	555	6%	1,450	6%	7,023	5%
	need to help you succeed	(SCE)	Some	72	21%	1,392	21%	4,123	21%	24,973	20%	83	25%	2,707	25%	6,999	26%	35,257	24%
	academically		Quite a bit	158	47%	3,003	44%	9,476	44%	61,384	44%	160	45%	4,719	42%	11,935	43%	69,731	43%
			Very much	90	27%	2,231	32%	7,406	32%	50,887	34%	83	23%	3,312	28%	6,893	25%	49,256	28%
			Total	334	100%	6,840	100%	21,602	100%	140,730	100%	348	100%	11,293	100%	27,277	100%	161,267	100%

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\			Texas	Tech	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas '	Tech	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009
	Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %
10c. Encouraging contact among	ENVDIVRS	Very little	40	13%	819 12%	2,462 13%	15,009 12%	72	21%	1,912 17%	4,909 18%	25,685 17%
students from different	(EEE)	Some	121	38%	2,058 30%	6,315 30%	40,698 29%	121	35%	3,521 32%	9,365 33%	52,248 32%
economic, social, and racial or		Quite a bit	105	30%	2,294 33%	7,228 33%	47,790 34%	94	27%	3,399 30%	7,777 29%	48,703 30%
ethnic backgrounds		Very much	68	19%	1,670 24%	5,582 25%	37,103 25%	59	16%	2,460 21%	5,196 20%	34,581 21%
		Total	334	100%	6,841 100%	21,587 100%	140,600 100%	346	100%	11,292 100%	27,247 100%	161,217 100%
10d. Helping you cope with your	ENVNACAD	Very little	89	28%	1,697 25%	5,206 26%	31,009 24%	132	39%	4,138 37%	10,449 39%	55,140 36%
non-academic responsibilities	(SCE)	Some	117	34%	2,429 36%	8,400 37%	52,882 37%	128	37%	3,839 35%	9,984 36%	59,366 <i>36%</i>
(work, family, etc.)		Quite a bit	93	28%	1,798 26%	5,502 25%	38,208 26%	65	18%	2,088 18%	4,713 18%	31,610 18%
		Very much	37	11%	914 13%	2,521 12%	18,724 13%	23	6%	1,234 10%	2,153 8%	15,312 9%
		Total	336	100%	6,838 100%	21,629 100%	140,823 100%	348	100%	11,299 100%	27,299 100%	161,428 100%
10e. Providing the support you	ENVSOCAL	Very little	49	15%	1,066 16%	3,229 16%	20,019 16%	71	21%	2,826 25%	6,799 25%	36,993 24%
need to thrive socially	(SCE)	Some	114	35%	2,309 34%	7,719 36%	48,201 35%	124	37%	4,207 38%	10,755 39%	61,823 <i>39%</i>
		Quite a bit	112	33%	2,310 34%	7,197 32%	48,338 <i>33%</i>	111	31%	2,817 25%	6,902 25%	43,325 26%
		Very much	61	17%	1,137 16%	3,411 <i>16%</i>	23,772 16%	37	11%	1,413 12%	2,751 10%	18,721 11%
		Total	336	100%	6,822 100%	21,556 100%	140,330 100%	343	100%	11,263 100%	27,207 100%	160,862 100%
10f. Attending campus events and	ENVEVENT	Very little	20	7%	621 9%	1,464 8%	11,435 10%	33	10%	1,792 15%	3,254 13%	21,628 14%
activities (special speakers,		Some	81	25%	1,676 25%	5,315 25%	32,103 24%	85	25%	3,426 30%	8,159 29%	46,028 30%
cultural performances, athletic		Quite a bit	132	39%	2,525 37%	8,483 39%	54,214 38%	141	40%	3,682 33%	9,999 36%	57,335 <i>35%</i>
events, etc.)		Very much	101	29%	2,022 29%	6,372 28%	43,007 28%	88	25%	2,373 22%	5,843 22%	36,044 21%
		Total	334	100%	6,844 100%	21,634 100%	140,759 100%	347	100%	11,273 100%	27,255 100%	161,035 100%
10g. Using computers in academic	ENVCOMPT	Very little	5	2%	172 2%	414 2%	3,039 2%	5	1%	238 2%	462 2%	2,944 2%
work		Some	46	14%	804 12%	2,687 12%	18,177 <i>13%</i>	37	11%	1,019 9%	2,381 9%	14,736 9%
		Quite a bit	107	31%	2,348 35%	7,233 34%	48,558 <i>34%</i>	99	29%	3,229 29%	7,659 28%	45,695 28%
		Very much	176	54%	3,535 52%	11,318 <i>51%</i>	71,250 51%	207	59%	6,828 60%	16,810 <i>61%</i>	98,245 60%
		Total	334	100%	6,859 100%	21,652 100%	141,024 100%	348	100%	11,314 100%	27,312 100%	161,620 <i>100%</i>
11a. Acquiring a broad general	GNGENLED	Very little	8	2%	195 3%	515 3%	3,285 3%	9	3%	335 3%	795 3%	4,193 3%
education		Some	52	17%	1,100 17%	3,380 16%	20,746 16%	44	13%	1,616 <i>15%</i>	4,201 <i>15%</i>	21,464 14%
		Quite a bit	145	45%	3,008 44%	9,396 45%	59,576 <i>43%</i>	141	41%	4,090 38%	10,322 38%	58,932 <i>38%</i>
		Very much	120	36%	2,421 36%	7,982 36%	55,246 38%	151	43%	5,100 45%	11,696 44%	75,057 <i>45%</i>
		Total	325	100%	6,724 100%	21,273 100%	138,853 100%	345	100%	11,141 100%	27,014 100%	159,646 100%
11b. Acquiring job or work-related	GNWORK	Very little	20	6%	677 10%	1,611 9%	10,970 9%	18	5%	706 7%	1,585 6%	9,254 6%
knowledge and skills		Some	84	25%	1,870 28%	5,720 28%	36,905 27%	67	20%	2,096 20%	5,415 20%	31,314 20%
		Quite a bit	130	40%	2,395 35%	7,861 37%	51,688 37%	129	37%	3,744 34%	9,415 35%	54,473 34%
		Very much	93	28%	1,773 27%	6,074 27%	39,237 27%	131	37%	4,615 39%	10,631 39%	64,802 39%
		Total	327	100%	6,715 100%	21,266 100%	138,800 100%	345	100%	11,161 100%	27,046 100%	159,843 100%

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			Texas			<u> </u>	NSSE 2009	Texas		Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009
110 Weight a should and	Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %
11c. Writing clearly and effectively	GNWRITE	Very little	21	6%	394 6%	1,144 5%	5,695 5%	18	6%	498 5%	1,276 4%	5,844 4%
effectively		Some	92	29%	1,573 25%	5,002 23%	28,395 21%	68	20%	2,101 20%	5,782 21%	29,472 19%
		Quite a bit	135	41%	2,673 39%	8,770 41%	57,777 41%	126	37%	4,210 38%	10,491 39%	60,983 38%
		Very much	80	23%	2,089 30%	6,365 30%	47,136 33%	132	38%	4,370 37%	9,522 36%	63,697 38%
		Total	328	100%	6,729 100%	21,281 100%	139,003 100%	344	100%	11,179 100%	27,071 100%	159,996 100%
11d. Speaking clearly and	GNSPEAK	Very little	28	9%	629 10%	1,978 9%	10,403 8%	19	6%	681 7%	1,779 6%	8,733 6%
effectively		Some	88	29%	1,740 27%	6,079 28%	36,084 26%	70	21%	2,370 22%	6,700 24%	34,736 23%
		Quite a bit	139	41%	2,503 36%	7,962 37%	53,383 38%	123	36%	4,067 37%	10,132 38%	59,792 37%
		Very much	71	21%	1,840 26%	5,214 25%	38,772 27%	132	38%	4,028 <i>34%</i>	8,394 32%	56,385 34%
		Total	326	100%	6,712 100%	21,233 100%	138,642 100%	344	100%	11,146 100%	27,005 100%	159,646 <i>100%</i>
11e. Thinking critically and	GNANALY	Very little	9	4%	174 <i>3%</i>	415 2%	2,786 2%	9	3%	233 2%	509 2%	2,660 2%
analytically		Some	54	16%	986 15%	3,070 15%	19,190 <i>15%</i>	41	12%	1,210 11%	3,004 11%	16,343 <i>11%</i>
		Quite a bit	142	44%	2,725 40%	8,778 41%	57,006 41%	127	38%	3,997 <i>36%</i>	9,755 37%	56,413 <i>36%</i>
		Very much	120	37%	2,837 42%	8,994 41%	59,755 42%	165	48%	5,714 <i>51%</i>	13,726 50%	84,260 51%
		Total	325	100%	6,722 100%	21,257 100%	138,737 100%	342	100%	11,154 100%	26,994 100%	159,676 100%
11f. Analyzing quantitative	GNQUANT	Very little	18	5%	343 5%	994 5%	7,083 5%	15	4%	458 4%	1,240 5%	7,427 5%
problems		Some	71	21%	1,502 22%	4,686 24%	32,376 23%	71	20%	2,058 18%	5,363 20%	33,083 21%
		Quite a bit	137	42%	2,770 41%	8,576 41%	56,290 41%	122	36%	4,110 37%	9,868 37%	58,000 37%
		Very much	101	32%	2,083 32%	6,916 <i>31%</i>	42,648 31%	136	39%	4,502 40%	10,464 38%	60,857 <i>38%</i>
		Total	327	100%	6,698 100%	21,172 100%	138,397 100%	344	100%	11,128 100%	26,935 100%	159,367 100%
11g. Using computing and	GNCMPTS	Very little	14	4%	336 5%	1,086 5%	7,223 5%	13	4%	368 4%	1,017 4%	5,806 4%
information technology		Some	65	20%	1,298 19%	4,344 21%	29,455 21%	58	17%	1,699 <i>16%</i>	4,540 16%	27,266 17%
		Quite a bit	127	38%	2,546 38%	8,008 38%	52,873 38%	108	31%	3,740 <i>34%</i>	9,335 34%	55,430 34%
		Very much	122	38%	2,534 38%	7,825 36%	49,307 36%	165	48%	5,360 47%	12,165 45%	71,480 45%
		Total	328	100%	6,714 100%	21,263 100%	138,858 100%	344	100%	11,167 100%	27,057 100%	159,982 100%
11h. Working effectively with	GNOTHERS	Very little	19	6%	348 6%	962 5%	5,959 5%	11	3%	418 4%	978 4%	5,208 4%
others		Some	86	27%	1,561 24%	4,818 24%	29,796 23%	72	22%	1,936 18%	5,019 19%	26,875 18%
		Quite a bit	126	39%	2,534 37%	8,562 40%	55,089 39%	118	34%	3,906 35%	9,963 37%	58,112 36%
		Very much	97	28%	2,272 34%	6,941 31%	48,092 33%	143	41%	4,910 42%	11,084 41%	69,763 42%
		Total	328	100%	6,715 100%	21,283 100%	138,936 100%	344	100%	11,170 100%	27,044 100%	159,958 100%
11i. Voting in local, state, or	GNCITIZN	Very little	58	19%	1,295 20%	4,225 20%	27,837 21%	102	30%	2,966 27%	7,981 29%	44,162 28%
national elections		Some	86	27%	1,757 27%	5,765 27%	37,581 27%	110	31%	3,289 30%	8,172 30%	47,180 30%
		Ouite a bit	99	30%	1,843 27%	5,794 28%	37,359 27%	72	21%	2,422 22%	5,885 22%	35,891 23%
		Very much	76	24%	1,710 26%	5,203 25%	34,046 25%	59	18%	2,377 21%	4,706 19%	30,887 20%
		Total	319	100%	6.605 100%	20,987 100%	136,823 100%	343	100%	11,054 100%	26,744 100%	158,120 100%
		Total	319	100/0	0,005 100/6	20,301 100/0	130,023 100/0	343	100/0	11,034 100/0	20,744 100/0	150,120 100/0

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`			Texas	Tech	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009	Texas	Tech	Southwest Public	Carnegie Class	NSSE 2009
	Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count %
11j. Learning effectively on your	GNINQ	Very little	14	5%	317 5%	973 5%	5,961 5%	26	8%	600 6%	1,582 6%	8,154 6%
own		Some	71	24%	1,391 21%	4,488 22%	28,972 22%	69	20%	2,079 19%	5,327 19%	29,372 19%
		Quite a bit	138	42%	2,731 41%	9,190 43%	59,382 43%	130	37%	4,215 38%	10,680 39%	62,765 39%
		Very much	94	29%	2,159 33%	6,277 30%	42,282 31%	119	35%	4,142 37%	9,128 35%	57,612 36%
		Total	317	100%	6,598 100%	20,928 100%	136,597 100%	344	100%	11,036 100%	26,717 100%	157,903 100%
11k. Understanding yourself	GNSELF	Very little	25	9%	695 11%	2,200 11%	12,722 10%	58	18%	1,369 13%	3,448 13%	16,783 12%
		Some	94	29%	1,616 25%	5,486 26%	33,883 25%	77	22%	2,557 24%	6,988 26%	37,868 25%
		Quite a bit	111	35%	2,314 35%	7,598 36%	49,673 <i>36%</i>	110	31%	3,601 33%	8,689 32%	52,865 33%
		Very much	89	27%	1,964 29%	5,612 27%	40,073 29%	99	29%	3,479 31%	7,531 29%	50,134 31%
		Total	319	100%	6,589 100%	20,896 100%	136,351 100%	344	100%	11,006 100%	26,656 100%	157,650 100%
111. Understanding people of	GNDIVERS	Very little	43	14%	749 12%	2,472 12%	15,213 12%	65	19%	1,452 13%	3,983 14%	20,805 13%
other racial and ethnic		Some	103	34%	1,909 29%	6,609 31%	41,423 30%	98	29%	3,209 30%	8,804 32%	48,943 31%
backgrounds		Quite a bit	101	30%	2,284 34%	7,145 34%	47,118 <i>34%</i>	114	32%	3,494 32%	8,162 31%	50,058 32%
		Very much	71	22%	1,660 25%	4,717 23%	32,905 24%	68	20%	2,892 25%	5,782 23%	38,242 24%
		Total	318	100%	6,602 100%	20,943 100%	136,659 100%	345	100%	11,047 100%	26,731 100%	158,048 100%
11m Solving complex real-world	GNPROBSV	Very little	28	9%	688 10%	1,929 10%	12,576 10%	41	12%	1,115 10%	2,478 9%	14,462 10%
problems		Some	102	32%	1,945 29%	6,560 31%	42,285 31%	83	24%	2,977 27%	7,355 28%	43,030 27%
		Quite a bit	101	30%	2,420 37%	7,819 37%	50,774 36%	134	38%	3,771 34%	9,645 36%	57,184 <i>36%</i>
		Very much	88	29%	1,553 24%	4,659 22%	31,126 23%	87	26%	3,196 29%	7,267 27%	43,433 27%
		Total	319	100%	6,606 100%	20,967 100%	136,761 100%	345	100%	11,059 100%	26,745 100%	158,109 <i>100%</i>
11n. Developing a personal code	GNETHICS	Very little	42	15%	930 14%	2,604 13%	15,661 13%	61	18%	1,700 16%	4,134 16%	21,029 15%
of values and ethics		Some	84	26%	1,818 27%	6,002 29%	37,138 28%	89	25%	2,776 25%	7,291 27%	40,795 27%
		Quite a bit	107	33%	2,178 33%	7,108 34%	47,538 <i>34%</i>	98	28%	3,237 30%	8,056 30%	49,412 31%
		Very much	85	25%	1,677 26%	5,252 24%	36,399 25%	94	28%	3,345 29%	7,259 27%	46,903 28%
		Total	318	100%	6,603 100%	20,966 100%	136,736 100%	342	100%	11,058 100%	26,740 100%	158,139 100%
110. Contributing to the welfare	GNCOMMUN	Very little	55	17%	1,172 18%	3,426 18%	21,471 18%	75	22%	2,168 20%	5,395 20%	27,768 19%
of your community		Some	109	35%	2,253 34%	7,173 34%	45,333 <i>34%</i>	105	31%	3,532 32%	8,856 <i>33%</i>	50,625 33%
		Quite a bit	91	29%	1,958 30%	6,383 30%	42,586 30%	101	29%	2,999 27%	7,211 27%	45,331 28%
		Very much	62	18%	1,209 19%	3,993 18%	27,332 19%	63	18%	2,361 21%	5,285 20%	34,399 20%
		Total	317	100%	6,592 100%	20,975 100%	136,722 100%	344	100%	11,060 100%	26,747 100%	158,123 100%
11p. Developing a deepened sense	GNSPIRIT	Very little	103	33%	2,346 36%	8,108 39%	46,215 36%	165	49%	5,125 49%	13,559 51%	69,407 48%
of spirituality		Some	89	28%	1,807 27%	5,573 27%	36,647 27%	78	22%	2,611 23%	5,895 22%	38,131 23%
		Quite a bit	68	21%	1,392 21%	3,948 19%	29,064 20%	54	16%	1,717 15%	3,508 13%	25,132 <i>15%</i>
		Very much	58	18%	1,054 16%	3,349 16%	24,902 17%	45	13%	1,610 14%	3,776 14%	25,539 14%
		Total	318	100%	6,599 100%	20,978 100%	136,828 100%	342	100%	11,063 100%	26,738 100%	158,209 <i>100%</i>
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			Texas	Tech	Public	C	Carnegie C	lass	NSSE 200	19	Texas '	Гесh	Publi	c	Carnegie Cl	ass	NSSE 20	)09
	Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	6	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
12. Overall, how would you	ADVISE	Poor	17	5%	309 5	5%	1,172	6%	6,212	5%	38	11%	1,006	10%	3,047	2%	14,166	10%
evaluate the quality of		Fair	53	16%	1,029 16	5%	3,705	19%	21,679	17%	81	24%	2,129	20%	6,148 2	3%	31,225	21%
academic advising you have		Good	158	47%	3,144 47	7%	9,957	46%	65,169	47%	138	40%	4,425	39%	10,766 4	0%	64,346	40%
received at your institution?		Excellent	97	32%	2,198 32	2%	6,393	29%	45,528	31%	87	25%	3,626	31%	7,098 2	6%	50,273	29%
		Total	325	100%	6,680 100	0%	21,227 1	00%	138,588 10	00%	344	100%	11,186	100%	27,059 10	0%	160,010	100%
13. How would you evaluate your	ENTIREXP	Poor	4	1%	105 2	2%	335	2%	2,346	2%	7	2%	223	2%	647	2%	3,272	2%
entire educational experience		Fair	28	9%	746 12	2%	2,227	12%	14,146	11%	32	9%	1,354	13%	3,313	3%	17,531	12%
at this institution?		Good	162	50%	3,448 50	0%	10,622	52%	68,016	50%	175	51%	5,278	47%	12,915 4	9%	74,271	48%
		Excellent	131	40%	2,380 36	5%	8,043	35%	54,030	37%	129	37%	4,325	38%	10,192	6%	64,921	38%
		Total	325	100%	6,679 100	0%	21,227 1	00%	138,538 10	00%	343	100%	11,180	100%	27,067 10	0%	159,995	100%
14. If you could start over again,	SAMECOLL	Definitely no	12	4%	223 4	4%	734	4%	5,416	4%	18	6%	527	5%	1,420	5%	7,949	5%
would you go to the same		Probably no	24	7%	731 <i>11</i>	1%	2,430	12%	16,204	12%	35	11%	1,285	12%	3,638	3%	20,488	13%
institution you are now		Probably yes	112	35%	2,740 40	0%	8,496	41%	54,980	40%	133	38%	4,185	38%	10,671 4	0%	60,921	39%
attending?		Definitely yes	176	54%	2,989 45	5%	9,582	43%	62,026	44%	158	45%	5,184	45%	11,334 4	2%	70,674	43%
		Total	324	100%	6,683 100	0%	21,242 <i>1</i>	00%	138,626 10	00%	344	100%	11,181	100%	27,063 10	0%	160,032	100%

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15	Age	Variable AGE	Response Options 19 or younger	Count 290	89%	Count 5.688	83%	Count 19.199	86%	120,147	83%	Count 0	% 0%	Count 44	% 0%	Count 98	% 0%	Count 513	<u>%</u> 0%
13.	nge -	AGE	20-23	28	9%	585	10%	1,479	9%	9,390	8%	258	73%	5,610	53%	18,415	64%	104,106	61%
			24-29	0	0%	172	3%	325	2%	3,384	3%	55	17%	2,524	23%	4,879	21%	25,122	19%
			30-39	3	1%	152	3%	169	1%	3,264	3%	16	5%	1.618	13%	2,098	9%	15,691	19%
			40-55		2%	79	3% 1%		1%		3% 2%		3% 4%	,	15% 9%	,	9% 6%	,	8%
			Over 55	4	0%	10	0%	121 9	0%	2,461	2% 0%	11	4% 1%	1,255 121	9% 1%	1,433	0% 1%	13,199	0% 1%
			Total	· ·				-	- / -	253						135		1,293	
16	Your sex:	SEX	Male	325	100% 54%	6,686 2,417	47%	21,302	48%	138,899 49.813	100% 45%	343	100% 55%	11,172 3,837	100%	27,058	47%	159,924 57,738	100%
10.	Tour sex.	SEA		119		, .		8,844		- ,		169		- ,		,		,	
			Female	205	46%	4,278	53%	12,469	52%	89,227	55%	175	45%	7,348	56%	15,619	53%	102,413	57%
17	Are you an international	INTERNAT	Total No	324	100%	6,695		21,313		139,040		344	100%	11,185		27,095			100%
1/.	student or foreign national?	INTERNAT		322	99%	6,193	93%	19,817	94%	130,439	94%	329	96%	10,540	94%	25,561	94%	152,099	95%
	student of foreign national:		Yes	3	1%	459	7%	1,425	6%	7,992	6%	14	4%	624	6%	1,464	6%	7,616	5%
10	W/l4:	DACEOF	Total	325	100%	6,652	100%	21,242	100%	138,431	100%	343	100%	11,164	100%	27,025	100%	159,715	100%
16.	What is your racial or ethnic identification? (Select only	RACE05	American Indian or other	2	10/	212	20/	164	10/	1.075	107	2	10/	222	20/	250	10/	1 217	10/
	one.)		Native American	2	1%	213	3%	164	1%	1,075	1%	3	1%	332	2%	258	1%	1,317	1%
			Asian, Asian American, or Pacific Islander	10	4%	566	10%	1,882	8%	8,900	7%	10	3%	621	7%	1,857	7%	8,267	6%
			Black or African	10	4/0	300	10/0	1,002	0/0	0,900	7/0	10	3/0	021	7/0	1,057	7/0	0,207	0/0
			American	14	4%	473	7%	1,534	8%	11,569	9%	16	4%	554	5%	1,807	8%	11,967	8%
			White (non-Hispanic)	223	68%	3.109	47%	14,505	64%	94,818	64%	241	70%	5,646	50%	19,104	65%	112,550	67%
			Mexican or Mexican		/-	-,,	.,,,	- 1,0 00		, 1,0-0				-,	,-	,	,-	,	-,,-
			American	37	12%	1,050	16%	443	3%	3,733	4%	28	9%	1,877	16%	511	3%	4,278	4%
			Puerto Rican	0	0%	19	0%	173	3%	1,192	2%	1	0%	33	0%	208	3%	1,026	1%
			Other Hispanic or Latino	14	4%	688	10%	523	3%	4,176	3%	13	4%	1,036	9%	553	3%	4,286	3%
			Multiracial	7	2%	188	3%	592	3%	3,810	3%	9	3%	279	3%	596	2%	3,708	2%
			Other	2	0%	91	2%	358	2%	2,276	2%	3	1%	143	1%	394	2%	2,347	2%
			I prefer not to respond	16	5%	285	4%	1,095	5%	7,213	5%	20	6%	653	6%	1,772	6%	10,223	7%
			Total	325	100%	6,682	100%	21,269	100%	138,762	100%	344	100%	11,174	100%	27,060	100%	159,969	100%
19.	What is your current	CLASS	Freshman/first year	250	78%	5,371	78%	18,228	80%	119,893	83%	0	0%	14	0%	26	0%	185	0%
	classification in college?		Sophomore	70	21%	1,031	16%	2,635	17%	15,118	14%	0	0%	58	1%	90	0%	683	0%
			Junior	5	1%	187	4%	271	2%	1,984	2%	10	3%	799	7%	1,482	6%	8,372	6%
			Senior	0	0%	55	1%	80	0%	647	1%	325	95%	10,077	91%	24,890	91%	146,992	91%
			Unclassified	0	0%	45	1%	88	1%	1,235	1%	8	2%	207	2%	573	3%	3,693	3%
			Total	325	100%	6,689	100%	21,302	100%	138,877	100%	343	100%	11,155	100%	27,061	100%	159,925	100%
20.	Did you begin college at your	ENTER	Started here	286	89%	5,804	86%	19,648	90%	125,978	89%	199	57%	4,945	48%	16,183	56%	92,613	55%
	current institution or		Started elsewhere	38	11%	878	14%	1,644	10%	12,808	11%	145	43%	6,234	52%	10,882	44%	67,443	45%
	elsewhere?		Total	324	100%	6,682	100%	21,292	100%	138,786	100%	344	100%	11,179	100%	27,065	100%	160,056	100%
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	-			Texas		Southwest				NSSE 2		Texas		Southwest				NSSE 2	
21	Since graduating from high	Variable VOTECH05	Response Options  Vocational or technical	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
21.	school, which of the following	VOTECHUS	school	5	1%	237	4%	420	2%	4,758	4%	8	3%	1,087	9%	1,445	6%	11,897	8%
	types of schools have you	COMCOL05	Community or junior		1/0	231	7/0	720	2/0	4,730	7/0	0	370	1,007	270	1,443	070	11,077	
	attended other than the one	COMCOLOS	college	61	18%	1,159	19%	1,619	9%	11.633	10%	189	56%	6,862	60%	9,567	40%	58,199	41%
	you are attending now?	FOURYR05	4-year college other than			-,,		-,		,			/-	-,		7,001		,	
	(Select all that apply.)		this one	22	7%	575	9%	1,491	8%	11,022	9%	85	26%	3,045	27%	6,734	26%	41,401	27%
	-	NONE05	None	242	77%	4,807	71%	17,555	81%	111,222	79%	111	32%	2,818	27%	12,695	43%	71,269	41%
	-	OCOL1_05	Other	5	1%	186	3%	557	3%	4,394	4%	14	4%	410	4%	989	4%	6,850	4%
22.	Thinking about this current	ENRLMENT	Less than full-time	8	3%	367	6%	581	4%	6,161	6%	30	10%	2,147	20%	3,781	16%	23,669	17%
	academic termHow would		Full-time	316	97%	6,310	94%	20,703	96%	132,656	94%	314	90%	9,021	80%	23,294	84%	136,328	83%
	you characterize your		Total	324	100%	6,677	100%	21,284	100%	138,817	100%	344	100%	11,168	100%	27,075	100%	159,997	100%
	enrollment?																		
-	Thinking about this current	DISTED																	
	academic termAre you		No	323	99%	6,395	98%	20,752	98%	130,889	97%	338	98%	10,330	96%	26,019	98%	147,821	95%
	taking all courses entirely on-		Yes	2	1%	106	2%	265	2%	3,925	3%	6	2%	484	4%	638	2%	8,910	5%
	line? (Item appeared only in		103	2	1/0	100	2/0	203	2/0	3,723	370	U	2/0	404	4/0	036	2/0	8,910	370
	the online instrument.)		Total	325	100%	6,501	100%	21,017	100%	134,814	100%	344	100%	10,814	100%	26,657	100%	156,731	100%
_	Do you have any disabilities?	DISNONE	No, I do not have any																
	(Select all that apply.) (Item		disabilities	300	91%	5,839	90%	18,657	89%	118,575	88%	297	85%	9,555	88%	23,533	88%	137,625	88%
	appeared only in the online	DISSENSE	Yes, I have a sensory																
	instrument and was preceded		impairment (vision or																
	by the statement "Your		hearing)	6	2%	145	2%	488	2%	2,985	2%	5	2%	216	2%	468	2%	2,686	2%
	institution will not receive	DISMOBIL	Yes, I have a mobility																
	your identified response to the following question. Only		impairment	0	0%	34	1%	82	0%	737	1%	6	2%	137	1%	200	1%	1,406	1%
	an overall summary of	DISLEARN	Yes, I have a learning																
	responses will be provided."	D 101 (F1) 1	disability	8	3%	162	3%	661	3%	4,965	4%	9	3%	339	3%	916	3%	5,551	3%
	Accordingly, this item does	DISMENT	Yes, I have a mental health disorder		10/	02	107	270	20/	2.502	20/	10	20/	105	20/	.1.	20/	2.524	20/
	not appear in the NSSE09	DISOTHER		4	1%	83	1%	378	2%	2,502	2%	10	3%	195	2%	616	2%	3,534	2%
	data file or codebook.)	DISOTHER	Yes, I have another disability	3	1%	90	1%	314	2%	2,128	2%	2	1%	236	2%	404	2%	2,825	2%
	-	DISREFUS	I choose not to answer	6	2%	190	3%	637	3%	4,471	3%	17	6%		3%	868	3%	5,272	
23.	Are you member of a social	FRATSORO	No	247	76%	6,024	90%	18,676	88%	125,717	91%	280	82%	10,021	89%	23,668	88%	141,670	
23.	fraternity or sorority?	TRAISORO	Yes	76	24%	649	10%	2,596	12%	12,969	91/0	64	18%	1,140	11%	3,380	12%	18,240	
	naterinty of solonty.		Total	323	100%			2,396		138,686			100%	,	100%	27,048		159,910	
24.	Are you a student-athlete on a	ATHLETE	No	318	97%	6,673	95%		94%		91%	344		, -	98%		97%		
∠ <b>4</b> .	team sponsored by your	ATTLETE	Yes	318 7	97% 3%	6,326	95% 5%	19,756		122,739	91% 9%	336	98% 2%	10,906	98% 2%	25,838	97% 3%	149,406	
	institution's athletics		r es Total	325	3% 100%	345 6,671		1,493 21,249	6% 100%	15,776 138,515		8 344	2% 100%	241 11,147	2% 100%	1,181 27,019		10,318 159,724	
	department?		ı otai	323	100%	0,071	10070	41,449	10070	130,313	10070	344	100%	11,14/	10070	27,019	10070	139,124	10070
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		Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
25.	What have most of your	GRADES04	C- or lower	6	2%	164	2%	441	2%	2,696	2%	2	1%	41	0%	89	0%	389	0%
	grades been up to now at this		С	3	1%	270	4%	734	4%	4,673	4%	5	2%	227	2%	560	2%	2,633	2%
	institution?		C+	15	4%	454	7%	1,178	6%	7,607	6%	14	4%	565	5%	1,160	5%	6,009	4%
			B-	36	13%	645	10%	1,599	8%	10,561	8%	20	6%	903	9%	1,859	7%	10,319	7%
			В	70	21%	1,301	20%	4,190	20%	27,492	20%	77	23%	2,152	20%	5,255	21%	29,959	19%
			B+	67	22%	1,229	19%	3,938	18%	26,842	19%	67	20%	2,195	19%	5,329	20%	32,254	20%
			A-	58	17%	1,167	17%	4,207	18%	27,209	19%	74	21%	2,041	18%	5,742	20%	34,267	21%
			A	69	20%	1,417	20%	4,949	23%	31,213	22%	83	24%	3,014	26%	6,995	25%	43,718	26%
			Total	324	100%	6,647	100%	21,236	100%	138,293	100%	342	100%	11,138	100%	26,989	100%	159,548	100%
26.	Which of the following best	LIVENOW	Dormitory or other								-								
	describes where you are living		campus housing	247	76%	3,172	47%	14,314	59%	91,264	59%	9	2%	621	5%	3,230	9%	25,286	12%
	now while attending college?		Residence, walking																
			distance	18	6%	740	12%	1,747	10%	8,695	8%	82	24%	1,566	16%	8,039	27%	35,728	22%
			Residence, driving																
			distance	57	16%	2,421	38%	4,556	28%	32,389	29%	243	71%	8,215	73%	14,155	58%	85,358	59%
			Fraternity or sorority	0	00/	70	10/	200	10/	020	107	0	00/	77	10/	550	20/	2.210	10/
			house	0	0%	70	1%	200	1%	828	1%	0	0%	77	1%	559	2%	2,310	1%
			None of the above	3	2%	236	3%	358	2%	4,777	4%	8	2%	637	5%	981	4%	10,617	6%
27.	What is the highest level of	FATHREDU	Total  Did not finish HS	325	100%	6,639		21,175			100%	342	100%	11,116		26,964		,	
27a.	education that your <b>father</b>	FAIREDU	Graduated from HS	17	5%	876	13%	1,238	7%	10,813	9%	25	8%	2,031	16%	1,822	8%	15,051	10%
	completed?		Attended, no degree	62 51	21% 15%	1,494 1,022	21% 15%	4,280 2,730	22% 14%	33,744 18,905	25% 14%	47	14% 19%	2,535	21% 15%	5,571 3,628	22% 14%	38,569 21,896	24% 14%
			Completed Associate's	12	15% 4%	1,022	15% 7%	,	14% 8%	18,905	14% 8%	65 25	19% 7%	1,713	15% 7%	2,038	14% 8%	12,720	14% 8%
			Completed Associate's  Completed Bachelor's	103	31%	1,587	26%	1,625 6,199	27%	34,768	25%	111	32%	775 2,407	24%	7,406	26%	38,553	24%
			Completed Master's	55	17%	811	14%		15%	18,563	13%	49	14%	1,049	11%	4,218	14%	20,811	13%
			Completed Master's  Completed Doctorate	21	7%	341	6%	1,621	7%	8,775	6%	18	5%	543	6%	2,139	7%	10,703	7%
			Total	321	100%	6,575		21,033		136,755		340	100%	11,053		26,822			
27h	What is the highest level of	MOTHREDU	Did not finish HS	16	5%	767	11%	905	5%	8,042	7%	22	7%	1,899	15%	1,502	7%	12,015	8%
270.	education that your <b>mother</b>	MOTIMEDO	Graduated from HS	49	15%	1,426	21%	3,861	20%	29,509	22%	64	19%	2,616	22%	5,707	22%	38,926	
	completed?		Attended, no degree	68	20%	1,127	16%	3,179	16%	21,719	16%	64	19%	1,915	17%	4,034	15%	24,024	15%
	-		Completed Associate's	30	9%	623	10%	2,486	12%	17,253	12%	25	7%	1,913	10%	3,161	12%	19,670	
			Completed Bachelor's	116	38%	1.765	28%	6,824	30%	38,796		122	35%	2,350	24%	7,760	27%	39,697	25%
			Completed Master's	38	11%	759	12%	3,207	14%	18,608	13%	39	11%	1,045	10%	4,019	14%	20,918	13%
			Completed Doctorate	5	2%	148	2%	638	3%	3,481	2%	6	2%	213	2%	729	2%	3,714	2%
			Total	322	100%	6,615		21,100		137,408		342	100%	11,102		26,912		158,964	
			Totai	344	100/0	0,013	100/0	21,100	100/0	137,400	100/0	342	100/0	11,102	100/0	20,912	100/0	130,304	100/0

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**First-Year Students** 

Seniors

`				Texas	Tech	Southwest	Public	Carnegie	Class	NSSE 2	009	Texas	Tech	Southwest	Public	Carnegie	Class	NSSE 2	2009
		Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
28.	Primary major or expected	MAJRPCOL	Arts and Humanities	24	7%	684	10%	2,232	11%	18,098	12%	35	11%	1,178	11%	3,323	13%	22,813	14%
	primary major, in collapsed		Biological Science	17	5%	741	12%	1,913	9%	11,867	9%	22	7%	856	8%	2,056	7%	11,159	7%
	categories		Business	59	19%	897	15%	3,045	15%	20,389	16%	71	21%	1,984	18%	4,509	19%	28,800	18%
			Education	21	5%	548	7%	1,250	6%	12,426	8%	21	6%	1,515	11%	2,071	8%	16,239	9%
			Engineering	48	21%	621	12%	3,195	13%	9,377	8%	41	13%	715	10%	3,579	11%	9,212	7%
			Physical Science	10	3%	232	4%	765	3%	4,784	3%	11	3%	378	4%	922	3%	5,171	3%
			Professional	44	12%	848	11%	2,366	12%	16,172	12%	25	7%	932	8%	2,339	9%	15,134	9%
			Social Science	29	8%	678	10%	2,383	11%	16,629	12%	35	10%	1,283	12%	3,646	13%	23,276	14%
			Other	64	20%	1,065	17%	2,788	15%	19,357	16%	78	23%	2,165	19%	4,216	17%	25,958	17%
			Undecided	5	2%	204	3%	822	4%	5,580	4%	0	0%	4	0%	15	0%	64	0%
			Total	321	100%	6,518	100%	20,759	100%	134,679	100%	339	100%	11,010	100%	26,676	100%	157,826	100%
29.	Second major or expected	MAJRSCOL	Arts and Humanities	18	19%	380	21%	1,240	22%	9,664	24%	19	24%	478	20%	1,513	22%	9,388	23%
	second major (not minor,		Biological Science	2	2%	102	6%	225	4%	1,686	4%	3	4%	109	4%	271	4%	1,522	4%
	concentration, etc.) if		Business	15	19%	272	16%	861	17%	5,144	15%	18	21%	430	19%	1,257	20%	6,684	18%
	applicable, in collapsed		Education	4	3%	115	6%	239	5%	2,732	7%	5	6%	232	7%	332	6%	3,382	7%
	categories		Engineering	3	6%	79	6%	289	5%	841	3%	0	0%	44	2%	230	3%	625	2%
			Physical Science	8	10%	143	9%	376	7%	2,274	6%	6	8%	191	9%	484	7%	2,382	7%
			Professional	4	5%	151	8%	434	8%	2,663	7%	2	2%	124	5%	281	5%	1,837	5%
			Social Science	14	17%	232	12%	805	14%	6,101	16%	8	10%	399	17%	1,270	18%	7,375	19%
			Other	12	15%	244	14%	659	14%	4,763	14%	22	26%	320	13%	860	14%	5,225	14%
			Undecided	2	3%	70	4%	150	3%	1,118	3%	0	0%	59	3%	66	2%	533	
			Total	82	100%	1,788	100%	5,278	100%	36,986	100%	83	100%	2,386	100%	6,564	100%	38,953	100%
_	Institution reported: Gender	GENDER	Male	145	55%	2,869	48%	10,327	48%	57,807	46%	193	55%	4,304	44%	12,760	47%	64,050	44%
			Female	232	45%	5,086	52%	14,359	52%	102,571	54%	194	45%	8,084	56%	17,111	53%	111,499	56%
			Total	377	100%	7,955	100%	24,686	100%	160,378	100%	387	100%	12,388	100%	29,871	100%	175,549	100%
_	Institution reported: Race or	ETHNICIT	African American/Black	20	5%	639	7%	1,662	8%	13,459	10%	19	5%	627	5%	1,830	7%	12,694	8%
	ethnicity		Am. Indian/Native Amer.	1	0%	273	3%	184	1%	1,113	1%	8	2%	423	3%	287	1%	1,376	1%
			Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	583	8%	1,554	7%	8,217	6%	6	1%	580	7%	1,638	6%	7,806	6%
			Caucasian/White	275	72%	3,817	49%	15,608	67%	100,017	64%	298	77%	6,375	53%	20,348	69%	117,543	68%
			Hispanic/Latino	62	17%	2,186	27%	1,166	9%	10,507	9%	49	13%	3,326	27%	1,338	9%	10,647	9%
			Other	11	4%	5	0%	174	1%	1,540	1%	0	0%	17	0%	242	1%	1,507	1%
			Foreign	2	0%	285	4%	901	4%	3,844	3%	6	2%	372	4%	747	3%	3,439	2%
			Multi-racial	0	0%	2	0%	67	0%	582	0%	0	0%	0	0%	64	0%	456	
			Unknown	6	1%	153	2%	1,030	4%	10,442	6%	1	0%	129	1%	1,251	4%	9,719	6%
			Total	377	100%	7,943		22,346		149,721		387	100%		100%	,	100%	165,187	
_	Institution reported:	ENROLLMT	Part-time	20	10%	593	10%	854	6%	8,590	8%	44	15%	3,033	25%	4,725	19%	27,896	
	Enrollment status		Full-time	357	90%	7,362	90%	23,832	94%	151,788	92%	343	85%	9,355	75%	25,146	81%	147,653	
			Total	377	100%	7,955		24,686		160,378		387	100%	12,388		29,871		175,549	
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