



Responses of Freshmen on Cooperative Institutional Research Program (CIRP) by Year of Survey

What is your gender?		2001	2003	2005	2007	2009
Male		34%	34%	36%	33%	32%
Female		66%	66%	64%	67%	68%
Number of responses		1,637	2,212	1,981	1,307	1,958
Are you? (mark all that apply)						
White/Caucasian		85%	84%	82%	76%	82%
African American/Black		8%	9%	13%	9%	14%
American Indian/Alaska Native		1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Asian American/Asian		4%	4%	5%	4%	4%
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander		0%	0%	1%	1%	1%
Mexican American/Chicano		0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
Puerto Rican		1%	0%	1%	0%	1%
Other Latino		1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
Other		2%	2%	1%	3%	2%
Number of responses		1,637	2,212	1,986	1,311	1,765
What is your age?						
16 years or younger		0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
17 years		2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
18 years		85%	58%	85%	81%	84%
19 years		13%	14%	12%	14%	13%
20 years		0%	9%	1%	1%	1%
21 to 24 years		1%	14%	1%	1%	0%
25 to 29 years		0%	2%	0%	0%	0%
30 to 39 years		0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
40 to 54 years		0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
55 years or older		0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Number of responses		1,622	2,198	1,960	1,303	1,954
What is your citizenship status?						
Neither		0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
Permanent resident (green card)		0%	2%	2%	2%	2%
U.S. citizen		0%	98%	98%	98%	98%

	No	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Yes	99%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Number of responses	1,608	2,203	1,978	1,285	1,930

Is English your native language?

	No	2%	3%	3%	3%	4%
	Yes	98%	97%	97%	97%	96%
	Number of responses	1,613	2,193	1,960	1,299	1,934

How long ago did you graduate from high school?

	Current year	98%	69%	98%	97%	99%
	One year ago	1%	5%	1%	1%	1%
	Two years ago	0%	10%	0%	1%	0%
	Three or more years ago	1%	15%	1%	0%	0%
	Did not graduate but passed G.E.D. test	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	Never completed high school	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Number of responses	1,620	2,197	1,970	1,304	1,950

Are you enrolled (or enrolling) at TU as a:

	Part-time student	n/a	2%	0%	0%	0%
	Full-time student	n/a	98%	100%	100%	100%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,191	1,963	1,293	1,952

How many miles is this TU from your permanent home?

	5 or less	0%	4%	4%	5%	6%
	6 to 10	0%	8%	11%	8%	8%
	11 to 50	44%	50%	48%	43%	42%
	51 to 100	21%	18%	17%	18%	20%
	101 to 500	23%	18%	18%	24%	21%
	Over 500	3%	2%	2%	4%	3%
	Number of responses	1,452	2,173	1,929	1,284	1,882

What was your average grade in high school?

	A-	20%	25%	25%	20%	28%
	A or A+	13%	16%	14%	18%	12%
	B	28%	23%	23%	14%	22%
	B-	5%	5%	4%	9%	3%
	B+	32%	27%	33%	38%	34%

	C	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	C+	1%	3%	1%	1%	0%
	D	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Number of responses	1,621	2,191	1,966	1,290	1,932
From what kind of high school did you graduate?						
	Public school (not charter or magnet)	n/a	n/a	80%	77%	78%
	Public charter school	n/a	n/a	0%	1%	1%
	Public magnet school	n/a	n/a	6%	7%	5%
	Private religious/parochial school	n/a	n/a	11%	12%	13%
	Private independent college-prep school	n/a	n/a	2%	3%	3%
	Home school	n/a	n/a	0%	0%	0%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	1,966	1,294	1,928
Prior to this term, have you ever taken courses for credit at TU?						
	No	98%	98%	98%	97%	98%
	Yes	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	Number of responses	1,613	2,195	1,977	1,259	1,937
Since leaving high school, have you ever taken courses, whether for credit or not for credit, at any other institution (university, 4- or 2-year college, technical, vocational, or business school)?						
	No	n/a	n/a	91%	87%	90%
	Yes	n/a	n/a	9%	13%	10%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	1,974	1,268	1,906
Where do you plan to live during the fall term?						
	With my family or other relatives	19%	23%	23%	16%	15%
	Other private home, apartment, or room	2%	13%	3%	4%	1%
	College residence hall	79%	62%	71%	77%	78%
	Fraternity or sorority house	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Other campus student housing	0%	1%	2%	3%	5%
	Other	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Number of responses	1,633	2,203	1,973	1,287	1,923
To how many colleges other than this one did you apply for admission this year?						
	None	16%	29%	14%	11%	9%
	One	12%	13%	13%	11%	11%
	Two	19%	15%	17%	15%	16%
	Three	18%	15%	20%	18%	17%

	Four	13%	11%	12%	16%	16%
	Five	10%	8%	9%	11%	12%
	Six	0%	4%	7%	7%	7%
	Six or more	12%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Seven to ten	0%	5%	6%	10%	11%
	Eleven or more	0%	0%	2%	1%	2%
	Number of responses	1,616	2,199	1,978	1,285	1,929

Were you accepted by your first choice college?						
	No	n/a	n/a	n/a	17%	16%
	Yes	n/a	n/a	n/a	83%	84%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,283	1,882

Was TU your:						
	Less than third choice	0%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	Third choice	0%	4%	4%	7%	7%
	Less than second choice	6%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Second choice	23%	22%	26%	30%	31%
	First choice	71%	73%	68%	60%	59%
	Number of responses	1,632	2,203	1,973	1,289	1,918

How many AP Courses did you take during high school?						
	Not offered at my HS	n/a	n/a	n/a	3%	2%
	None	n/a	n/a	n/a	26%	23%
	1-4	n/a	n/a	n/a	59%	62%
	5-9	n/a	n/a	n/a	12%	12%
	10-14	n/a	n/a	n/a	1%	1%
	15+	n/a	n/a	n/a	0%	0%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,217	1,849

How many AP Exams did you take during high school?						
	Not offered at my HS	n/a	n/a	n/a	3%	3%
	None	n/a	n/a	n/a	37%	32%
	1-4	n/a	n/a	n/a	50%	56%
	5-9	n/a	n/a	n/a	9%	9%
	10-14	n/a	n/a	n/a	1%	0%
	15+	n/a	n/a	n/a	0%	0%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,107	1,739

What is your highest planned academic degree?						
	None	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%
	Vocational certificate	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Associate (A.A. or equivalent)	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Bachelors degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)	27%	29%	29%	27%	27%
	Masters degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)	51%	50%	48%	46%	52%
	Ph.D. or Ed.D..	12%	11%	12%	11%	12%
	M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.	4%	4%	4%	6%	4%
	J.D. (Law)	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%
	B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Other	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%
	Number of responses	1,274	1,744	1,555	1,060	1,629

What is your highest planned academic degree at TU?						
	None	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	Vocational certificate	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Associate (A.A. or equivalent)	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
	Bachelors degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)	70%	75%	70%	70%	72%
	Masters degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)	25%	19%	24%	20%	22%
	Ph.D. or Ed.D..	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	J.D. (Law)	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Other	1%	1%	1%	3%	0%
	Number of responses	834	1,223	1,127	713	1,124

What was the racial composition of your last attended high school?						
	Completely non-White	n/a	n/a	n/a	4%	2%
	Mostly non-White	n/a	n/a	n/a	11%	11%
	Roughly half non-White	n/a	n/a	n/a	26%	32%
	Mostly White	n/a	n/a	n/a	51%	51%
	Completely White	n/a	n/a	n/a	8%	5%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,282	1,897

What was the racial composition of the neighborhood where you grew up?						
	Completely non-White	n/a	n/a	n/a	3%	3%
	Mostly non-White	n/a	n/a	n/a	10%	11%

	Roughly half non-White	n/a	n/a	n/a	14%	15%
	Mostly White	n/a	n/a	n/a	54%	56%
	Completely White	n/a	n/a	n/a	19%	15%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,148	1,830

What is your best estimate of your parents' total income last year?

	Less than \$6,000	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	\$6,000-\$9,999	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Less than \$10,000	0%	1%	2%	2%	3%
	\$10,000 to 14,999	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	\$15,000 to 19,999	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	\$20,000 to 24,999	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%
	\$25,000 to 29,999	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%
	\$30,000 to 39,999	6%	5%	5%	5%	4%
	\$40,000 to 49,999	7%	7%	7%	6%	6%
	\$50,000 to 59,999	10%	10%	8%	9%	9%
	\$60,000 to 74,999	14%	14%	14%	11%	11%
	\$75,000 to 99,999	22%	21%	18%	17%	15%
	\$100,000 to 149,999	20%	20%	22%	21%	21%
	\$150,000 to 199,999	7%	7%	9%	11%	10%
	\$200,000 to 249,999	0%	3%	4%	4%	6%
	\$250,000 or more	0%	3%	4%	6%	5%
	\$200,000 or more	6%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Number of responses	1,432	1,978	1,759	1,125	1,633

Do you have any concern about your ability to finance your college education?

	None (I am confident that I will have sufficient funds)	43%	39%	41%	45%	36%
	Some (but I probably will have enough funds)	51%	51%	52%	47%	56%
	Major (not sure I will have enough funds to complete college)	6%	11%	8%	7%	8%
	Number of responses	1,515	2,131	1,906	1,229	1,864

In the past year have you: Been bored in class

	Not at all	3%	7%	4%	4%	4%
	Occasionally	59%	62%	59%	56%	57%
	Frequently	38%	31%	37%	40%	39%
	Number of responses	1,613	2,171	1,957	1,220	1,845

In the past year have you: Tutored another student

	Not at all	51%	52%	53%	47%	54%
	Occasionally	41%	40%	39%	44%	39%
	Frequently	9%	8%	8%	10%	7%
	Number of responses	1,614	2,160	1,958	1,222	1,834
In the past year have you: Studied with other students						
	Not at all	13%	14%	15%	13%	14%
	Occasionally	64%	59%	61%	61%	64%
	Frequently	24%	27%	24%	25%	22%
	Number of responses	1,616	2,170	1,957	1,224	1,839
In the past year have you: Been a guest in a teacher's home						
	Not at all	80%	83%	82%	79%	85%
	Occasionally	17%	15%	16%	17%	13%
	Frequently	3%	2%	2%	4%	2%
	Number of responses	1,613	2,159	1,960	1,221	1,828
In the past year have you: Asked a teacher for advice after class						
	Not at all	16%	18%	17%	16%	17%
	Occasionally	64%	63%	64%	59%	60%
	Frequently	20%	19%	19%	26%	23%
	Number of responses	1,614	2,165	1,963	1,222	1,829
In the past year have you: Voted in a student election						
	Not at all	24%	39%	26%	31%	29%
	Occasionally	60%	48%	56%	48%	53%
	Frequently	16%	13%	18%	22%	18%
	Number of responses	1,603	2,158	1,944	1,212	1,810
In the past year have you: Socialized with someone of another racial/ethnic group						
	Not at all	1%	2%	2%	5%	3%
	Occasionally	20%	26%	22%	32%	27%
	Frequently	79%	72%	75%	64%	70%
	Number of responses	1,611	2,169	1,958	1,215	1,824
In the past year have you: Came late to class						
	Not at all	34%	44%	37%	44%	43%
	Occasionally	58%	50%	55%	47%	52%

	Frequently	8%	6%	8%	9%	5%
	Number of responses	1,606	2,161	1,950	1,210	1,819
In the past year have you: Used the Internet: For research or homework						
	Not at all	n/a	1%	1%	3%	1%
	Occasionally	n/a	16%	18%	24%	22%
	Frequently	n/a	83%	81%	74%	77%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,173	1,963	1,226	1,824
In the past year have you: Performed community service as part of a class						
	Not at all	n/a	n/a	42%	36%	40%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	44%	49%	47%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	14%	15%	13%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	1,956	1,217	1,807
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Academic ability						
	Lowest 10%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Below average	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	Average	33%	30%	30%	34%	35%
	Above average	56%	57%	58%	52%	56%
	Highest 10%	10%	13%	12%	13%	8%
	Number of responses	1,612	2,170	1,968	1,226	1,818
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Artistic ability						
	Lowest 10%	8%	9%	10%	11%	11%
	Below average	27%	28%	29%	25%	32%
	Average	34%	33%	32%	34%	31%
	Above average	23%	21%	21%	23%	22%
	Highest 10%	8%	8%	7%	8%	4%
	Number of responses	1,611	2,175	1,969	1,218	1,825
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Computer skills						
	Lowest 10%	n/a	1%	0%	1%	1%
	Below average	n/a	7%	7%	9%	9%
	Average	n/a	55%	54%	50%	57%
	Above average	n/a	31%	34%	31%	30%
	Highest 10%	n/a	5%	5%	9%	3%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,172	1,969	1,217	1,824

Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Cooperativeness						
	Lowest 10%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Below average	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Average	23%	21%	22%	27%	20%
	Above average	52%	55%	54%	50%	55%
	Highest 10%	23%	23%	23%	21%	24%
	Number of responses	1,613	2,172	1,966	1,216	1,812
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Creativity						
	Lowest 10%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	Below average	5%	5%	5%	8%	9%
	Average	35%	35%	35%	33%	37%
	Above average	40%	42%	41%	41%	41%
	Highest 10%	19%	18%	18%	17%	13%
	Number of responses	1,614	2,174	1,968	1,217	1,820
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Drive to achieve						
	Lowest 10%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Below average	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Average	29%	24%	24%	25%	22%
	Above average	44%	46%	46%	45%	48%
	Highest 10%	24%	28%	28%	27%	28%
	Number of responses	1,614	2,174	1,968	1,215	1,820
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Emotional health						
	Lowest 10%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	Below average	5%	4%	4%	4%	5%
	Average	39%	37%	40%	38%	40%
	Above average	38%	40%	36%	36%	37%
	Highest 10%	17%	17%	19%	21%	17%
	Number of responses	1,610	2,169	1,966	1,213	1,814
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Leadership ability						
	Lowest 10%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	Below average	7%	6%	5%	6%	8%
	Average	34%	34%	31%	33%	41%
	Above average	40%	39%	43%	41%	37%

	Highest 10%	19%	21%	20%	19%	14%
	Number of responses	1,610	2,171	1,966	1,205	1,813
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Mathematical ability						
	Lowest 10%	3%	3%	2%	4%	4%
	Below average	16%	17%	17%	19%	23%
	Average	44%	43%	43%	38%	40%
	Above average	30%	28%	29%	28%	27%
	Highest 10%	8%	10%	8%	11%	7%
	Number of responses	1,610	2,173	1,964	1,211	1,813
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Physical health						
	Lowest 10%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Below average	4%	5%	4%	5%	6%
	Average	39%	37%	38%	41%	44%
	Above average	38%	39%	39%	36%	36%
	Highest 10%	19%	19%	19%	17%	13%
	Number of responses	1,610	2,173	1,960	1,212	1,809
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Public speaking ability						
	Lowest 10%	4%	4%	4%	6%	7%
	Below average	22%	22%	20%	20%	26%
	Average	40%	42%	44%	40%	40%
	Above average	23%	23%	24%	25%	20%
	Highest 10%	11%	8%	8%	10%	7%
	Number of responses	1,607	2,173	1,962	1,200	1,812
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Self-confidence (intellectual)						
	Lowest 10%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Below average	4%	5%	3%	6%	6%
	Average	42%	38%	40%	37%	43%
	Above average	41%	43%	43%	37%	39%
	Highest 10%	13%	14%	14%	19%	12%
	Number of responses	1,602	2,158	1,962	1,210	1,803
Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Self-confidence (social)						
	Lowest 10%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	Below average	6%	8%	6%	9%	10%

	Average	39%	38%	36%	35%	41%
	Above average	40%	39%	41%	36%	37%
	Highest 10%	14%	14%	16%	18%	11%
	Number of responses	1,604	2,162	1,962	1,208	1,814

Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Self-understanding

	Lowest 10%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Below average	3%	3%	2%	4%	3%
	Average	45%	42%	42%	39%	44%
	Above average	39%	42%	42%	38%	39%
	Highest 10%	13%	14%	15%	19%	13%
	Number of responses	1,599	2,151	1,960	1,200	1,803

Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Spirituality

	Lowest 10%	6%	6%	7%	6%	6%
	Below average	18%	17%	18%	16%	19%
	Average	45%	45%	46%	42%	47%
	Above average	23%	23%	21%	23%	21%
	Highest 10%	9%	10%	8%	12%	7%
	Number of responses	1,605	2,151	1,956	1,195	1,794

Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Understanding of others

	Lowest 10%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Below average	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Average	32%	32%	30%	33%	32%
	Above average	51%	50%	51%	44%	51%
	Highest 10%	17%	17%	18%	20%	16%
	Number of responses	1,604	2,155	1,958	1,204	1,809

Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Writing ability

	Lowest 10%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	Below average	7%	7%	7%	9%	9%
	Average	48%	45%	43%	41%	48%
	Above average	35%	37%	39%	35%	35%
	Highest 10%	9%	11%	11%	14%	7%
	Number of responses	1,603	2,157	1,959	1,192	1,807

Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Ability to see the world from someone else perspective

	Lowest 10%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0%
	Below average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	2%
	Average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	38%
	Above average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	45%
	Highest 10%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	15%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,798

Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Tolerance of others with different beliefs

	Lowest 10%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0%
	Below average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1%
	Average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	26%
	Above average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	49%
	Highest 10%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	24%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,790

Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Openness to having my own views challenged

	Lowest 10%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0%
	Below average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	5%
	Average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	40%
	Above average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	42%
	Highest 10%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	14%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,791

Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Ability to discuss and negotiate controversial issues

	Lowest 10%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0%
	Below average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	6%
	Average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	38%
	Above average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	40%
	Highest 10%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	16%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,785

Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age: Ability to work cooperatively with diverse people

	Lowest 10%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0%
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	Below average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1%
	Average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	23%
	Above average	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	48%
	Highest 10%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	28%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,787

What is the highest level of formal education obtained by your father?

	Grammar school or less	1%	2%	2%	5%	2%
	Some high school	3%	4%	4%	5%	4%
	High school graduate	21%	23%	22%	22%	20%
	Postsecondary school other than college	4%	3%	3%	4%	4%
	Some college	17%	16%	16%	15%	17%
	College degree	30%	30%	30%	25%	32%
	Some graduate school	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Graduate degree	23%	21%	22%	22%	19%
	Number of responses	1,597	2,165	1,939	1,217	1,765

What is the highest level of formal education obtained by your mother?

	Grammar school or less	1%	1%	1%	4%	3%
	Some high school	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	High school graduate	24%	26%	22%	22%	18%
	Postsecondary school other than college	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	Some college	16%	19%	18%	16%	20%
	College degree	33%	30%	32%	30%	34%
	Some graduate school	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	Graduate degree	19%	16%	19%	18%	18%
	Number of responses	1,611	2,155	1,959	1,217	1,784

How often in the past year did you: Ask questions in class

	Not at all	n/a	n/a	n/a	3%	2%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	n/a	47%	46%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	n/a	50%	51%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,221	1,792

How often in the past year did you: Support your opinions with a logical argument

	Not at all	n/a	n/a	n/a	5%	3%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	n/a	44%	47%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	n/a	51%	50%

	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,217	1,786
How often in the past year did you: Seek solutions to problems and explain them to others						
	Not at all	n/a	n/a	n/a	4%	3%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	n/a	49%	53%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	n/a	47%	44%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,210	1,773
How often in the past year did you: Revise your papers to improve your writing						
	Not at all	n/a	n/a	n/a	5%	5%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	n/a	47%	48%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	n/a	49%	47%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,218	1,778
How often in the past year did you: Evaluate the quality or reliability of information you received						
	Not at all	n/a	n/a	n/a	5%	5%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	n/a	58%	62%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	n/a	37%	32%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,211	1,771
How often in the past year did you: Take a risk because you feel you have more to gain						
	Not at all	n/a	n/a	n/a	6%	6%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	n/a	58%	60%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	n/a	37%	34%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,194	1,765
How often in the past year did you: Seek alternative solutions to a problem						
	Not at all	n/a	n/a	n/a	3%	2%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	n/a	56%	57%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	n/a	41%	41%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,206	1,762
How often in the past year did you: Look up scientific research articles and resources						
	Not at all	n/a	n/a	n/a	20%	31%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	n/a	54%	53%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	n/a	26%	17%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,208	1,763
		n/a	n/a	n/a		

How often in the past year did you: Explore topics on your own, even though it was not required for a class						
	Not at all	n/a	n/a	n/a	15%	19%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	n/a	56%	57%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	n/a	30%	24%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,209	1,760
How often in the past year did you: Accept mistakes as part of the learning process						
	Not at all	n/a	n/a	n/a	19%	1%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	n/a	58%	49%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	n/a	23%	50%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,207	1,757
How often in the past year did you: Seek feedback on your academic work						
	Not at all	n/a	n/a	n/a	6%	4%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	n/a	54%	50%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	n/a	41%	46%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,196	1,752
How often in the past year did you: Take notes during class						
	Not at all	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	2%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	28%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	70%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,752
How often in the past year did you: Work with other students on class assignments						
	Not at all	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	2%
	Occasionally	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	44%
	Frequently	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	54%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,755
How involved were your parents in your: Decision to go to college						
	Too little	n/a	n/a	n/a	4%	n/a
	Right amount	n/a	n/a	n/a	83%	n/a
	Too much	n/a	n/a	n/a	13%	n/a
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,208	n/a
How involved were your parents in your: Application(s) to college						

	Too little	n/a	n/a	n/a	11%	n/a
	Right amount	n/a	n/a	n/a	78%	n/a
	Too much	n/a	n/a	n/a	11%	n/a
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,170	n/a
How involved were your parents in your: Decision to go to TU						
	Too little	n/a	n/a	n/a	7%	n/a
	Right amount	n/a	n/a	n/a	82%	n/a
	Too much	n/a	n/a	n/a	11%	n/a
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,156	n/a
How involved were your parents in your: Dealings with officials at TU						
	Too little	n/a	n/a	n/a	14%	n/a
	Right amount	n/a	n/a	n/a	78%	n/a
	Too much	n/a	n/a	n/a	8%	n/a
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,185	n/a
How involved were your parents in your: Choosing college courses						
	Too little	n/a	n/a	n/a	19%	n/a
	Right amount	n/a	n/a	n/a	76%	n/a
	Too much	n/a	n/a	n/a	6%	n/a
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,191	n/a
How involved were your parents in your: Choosing college activities						
	Too little	n/a	n/a	n/a	17%	n/a
	Right amount	n/a	n/a	n/a	77%	n/a
	Too much	n/a	n/a	n/a	6%	n/a
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,164	n/a
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: My parents wanted me to go						
	Not important	n/a	24%	19%	n/a	19%
	Somewhat important	n/a	43%	38%	n/a	39%
	Very important	n/a	33%	43%	n/a	42%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,174	1,958	n/a	1,631
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: I could not find a job						
	Not important	90%	85%	87%	n/a	n/a
	Somewhat important	6%	9%	9%	n/a	n/a

	Very important	4%	6%	5%	n/a	n/a
	Number of responses	1,610	2,162	1,953	n/a	n/a
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: Wanted to get away from home						
	Not important	29%	40%	34%	n/a	n/a
	Somewhat important	47%	41%	44%	n/a	n/a
	Very important	24%	19%	22%	n/a	n/a
	Number of responses	1,609	2,163	1,955	n/a	n/a
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: To be able to get a better job						
	Not important	13%	13%	15%	n/a	3%
	Somewhat important	17%	16%	17%	n/a	11%
	Very important	70%	71%	67%	n/a	86%
	Number of responses	1,606	2,163	1,947	n/a	1,631
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: To gain general education and appreciation of ideas						
	Not important	3%	5%	5%	n/a	3%
	Somewhat important	33%	32%	33%	n/a	28%
	Very important	64%	63%	63%	n/a	69%
	Number of responses	1,611	2,173	1,957	n/a	1,625
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: To improve my study skills						
	Not important	12%	15%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Somewhat important	48%	46%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Very important	40%	39%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Number of responses	1,612	2,165	n/a	n/a	n/a
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: There was nothing better to do						
	Not important	87%	89%	87%	n/a	n/a
	Somewhat important	10%	8%	11%	n/a	n/a
	Very important	3%	3%	2%	n/a	n/a
	Number of responses	1,603	2,159	1,929	n/a	n/a
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: To make me more cultured person						
	Not important	13%	19%	19%	n/a	10%
	Somewhat important	50%	45%	48%	n/a	43%
	Very important	37%	36%	33%	n/a	47%
	Number of responses	1,614	2,170	1,947	n/a	1,623

How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: To be able to make more money						
	Not important	6%	7%	9%	n/a	3%
	Somewhat important	24%	23%	25%	n/a	20%
	Very important	70%	70%	66%	n/a	77%
	Number of responses	1,601	2,156	1,946	n/a	1,626
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: To learn more about things that interest me						
	Not important	1%	3%	3%	n/a	1%
	Somewhat important	21%	22%	25%	n/a	17%
	Very important	78%	75%	72%	n/a	82%
	Number of responses	1,613	2,171	1,957	n/a	1,625
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: To prepare myself for graduate or professional school						
	Not important	14%	14%	16%	n/a	n/a
	Somewhat important	33%	30%	32%	n/a	n/a
	Very important	53%	56%	52%	n/a	n/a
	Number of responses	1,611	2,167	1,952	n/a	n/a
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: A mentor/role model encouraged me to go						
	Not important	56%	56%	50%	n/a	n/a
	Somewhat important	34%	33%	38%	n/a	n/a
	Very important	11%	11%	12%	n/a	n/a
	Number of responses	1,610	2,160	1,950	n/a	n/a
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: To get training for a specific career						
	Not important	n/a	7%	8%	n/a	n/a
	Somewhat important	n/a	19%	21%	n/a	n/a
	Very important	n/a	74%	72%	n/a	n/a
	Number of responses	n/a	2,167	1,954	n/a	n/a
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: To find my purpose in life						
	Not important	n/a	11%	17%	n/a	n/a
	Somewhat important	n/a	60%	38%	n/a	n/a
	Very important	n/a	29%	45%	n/a	n/a
	Number of responses	n/a	2,139	1,948	n/a	n/a

During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?: Studying/homework						
	None	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%
	Less than one hour	11%	13%	16%	11%	15%
	1 to 2 hours	25%	25%	28%	25%	26%
	3 to 5 hours	33%	30%	30%	31%	29%
	6 to 10 hours	19%	19%	17%	20%	17%
	11 to 15 hours	7%	5%	6%	6%	6%
	16 to 20 hours	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%
	Over 20 hours	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	Number of responses	1,525	2,131	1,944	1,177	1,620

During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?: Socializing with friends						
	None	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	Less than one hour	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	1 to 2 hours	4%	5%	4%	8%	5%
	3 to 5 hours	15%	17%	16%	18%	18%
	6 to 10 hours	24%	24%	23%	25%	25%
	11 to 15 hours	20%	19%	21%	18%	18%
	16 to 20 hours	14%	13%	14%	12%	13%
	Over 20 hours	24%	20%	20%	17%	18%
	Number of responses	1,521	2,122	1,927	1,169	1,613

During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?: Talking with teachers outside of class						
	None	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%
	Less than one hour	43%	46%	45%	37%	44%
	1 to 2 hours	32%	30%	30%	32%	32%
	3 to 5 hours	12%	10%	10%	13%	11%
	6 to 10 hours	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%
	11 to 15 hours	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	16 to 20 hours	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	Over 20 hours	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Number of responses	1,522	2,129	1,940	1,171	1,616

During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?: Exercise or sports						
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	None	4%	5%	4%	4%	5%
	Less than one hour	11%	10%	11%	11%	11%
	1 to 2 hours	14%	15%	14%	16%	15%
	3 to 5 hours	18%	20%	21%	20%	19%
	6 to 10 hours	18%	17%	18%	16%	20%
	11 to 15 hours	14%	14%	13%	14%	12%
	16 to 20 hours	9%	8%	9%	8%	8%
	Over 20 hours	11%	11%	10%	11%	10%
	Number of responses	1,519	2,129	1,938	1,169	1,615

During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?: Partying

	None	12%	16%	16%	18%	22%
	Less than one hour	10%	13%	13%	16%	15%
	1 to 2 hours	18%	18%	20%	16%	18%
	3 to 5 hours	25%	22%	24%	22%	21%
	6 to 10 hours	17%	16%	15%	15%	14%
	11 to 15 hours	10%	8%	7%	6%	5%
	16 to 20 hours	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%
	Over 20 hours	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%
	Number of responses	1,513	2,128	1,928	1,170	1,612

During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?: Working (for pay)

	None	17%	20%	19%	19%	26%
	Less than one hour	2%	2%	3%	4%	2%
	1 to 2 hours	3%	2%	2%	5%	4%
	3 to 5 hours	6%	6%	9%	9%	7%
	6 to 10 hours	14%	13%	14%	16%	16%
	11 to 15 hours	20%	18%	19%	16%	18%
	16 to 20 hours	21%	18%	17%	15%	14%
	Over 20 hours	18%	20%	17%	16%	14%
	Number of responses	1,517	2,129	1,932	1,169	1,611

During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?: Volunteer work

	None	32%	33%	33%	27%	32%
	Less than one hour	25%	27%	27%	23%	24%

	1 to 2 hours	22%	20%	21%	23%	24%
	3 to 5 hours	12%	11%	11%	13%	11%
	6 to 10 hours	6%	4%	5%	7%	5%
	11 to 15 hours	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	16 to 20 hours	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Over 20 hours	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	Number of responses	1,515	2,124	1,920	1,163	1,608

During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?: Student clubs/groups

	None	25%	28%	25%	22%	28%
	Less than one hour	14%	16%	17%	13%	15%
	1 to 2 hours	29%	26%	26%	25%	25%
	3 to 5 hours	18%	17%	18%	19%	18%
	6 to 10 hours	8%	7%	7%	11%	8%
	11 to 15 hours	3%	3%	3%	4%	4%
	16 to 20 hours	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Over 20 hours	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%
	Number of responses	1,509	2,116	1,920	1,163	1,594

During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?: Watching TV

	None	4%	3%	4%	5%	4%
	Less than one hour	15%	14%	13%	15%	13%
	1 to 2 hours	27%	25%	24%	25%	25%
	3 to 5 hours	28%	29%	31%	26%	28%
	6 to 10 hours	15%	17%	17%	17%	18%
	11 to 15 hours	6%	5%	6%	6%	7%
	16 to 20 hours	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%
	Over 20 hours	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%
	Number of responses	1,516	2,122	1,929	1,161	1,599

During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?: Household/childcare duties

	None	17%	18%	15%	18%	17%
	Less than one hour	23%	23%	25%	20%	20%
	1 to 2 hours	33%	32%	32%	29%	33%
	3 to 5 hours	19%	19%	18%	20%	19%

	6 to 10 hours	5%	5%	8%	8%	7%
	11 to 15 hours	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	16 to 20 hours	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Over 20 hours	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Number of responses	1,512	2,120	1,918	1,156	1,592

During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?: Reading for pleasure

	None	25%	26%	21%	24%	23%
	Less than one hour	33%	29%	32%	22%	24%
	1 to 2 hours	24%	23%	24%	24%	25%
	3 to 5 hours	12%	14%	14%	17%	16%
	6 to 10 hours	4%	5%	6%	8%	8%
	11 to 15 hours	1%	1%	2%	3%	3%
	16 to 20 hours	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Over 20 hours	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Number of responses	1,508	2,114	1,905	1,162	1,601

During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?: Playing video/computer games

	None	n/a	43%	41%	37%	42%
	Less than one hour	n/a	26%	26%	20%	23%
	1 to 2 hours	n/a	15%	15%	16%	15%
	3 to 5 hours	n/a	9%	10%	12%	10%
	6 to 10 hours	n/a	4%	5%	9%	6%
	11 to 15 hours	n/a	1%	2%	3%	2%
	16 to 20 hours	n/a	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Over 20 hours	n/a	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,124	1,917	1,163	1,601

During your last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities?: Online social networks (MySpace, Facebook, etc.)

	None	n/a	n/a	n/a	9%	5%
	Less than one hour	n/a	n/a	n/a	16%	16%
	1 to 2 hours	n/a	n/a	n/a	25%	28%
	3 to 5 hours	n/a	n/a	n/a	24%	26%
	6 to 10 hours	n/a	n/a	n/a	15%	15%
	11 to 15 hours	n/a	n/a	n/a	5%	4%

	16 to 20 hours	n/a	n/a	n/a	3%	3%
	Over 20 hours	n/a	n/a	n/a	4%	4%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,156	1,607
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: My parents wanted me to come here						
	Not important	25%	n/a	n/a	36%	39%
	Somewhat important	43%	n/a	n/a	49%	43%
	Very important	32%	n/a	n/a	15%	18%
	Number of responses	1,617	n/a	n/a	1,180	1,630
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: My relatives wanted me to come here						
	Not important	64%	64%	61%	60%	70%
	Somewhat important	30%	30%	31%	33%	25%
	Very important	6%	6%	8%	7%	5%
	Number of responses	1,532	2,127	1,916	1,176	1,625
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: My teacher advised me						
	Not important	66%	70%	65%	49%	63%
	Somewhat important	31%	27%	31%	41%	30%
	Very important	4%	3%	4%	10%	7%
	Number of responses	1,525	2,116	1,910	1,172	1,614
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: This college has a very good academic reputation						
	Not important	7%	8%	8%	8%	6%
	Somewhat important	49%	51%	51%	47%	43%
	Very important	44%	41%	41%	45%	52%
	Number of responses	1,528	2,126	1,912	1,178	1,621
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: This college has a good reputation for its social activities						
	Not important	16%	22%	15%	12%	10%
	Somewhat important	54%	53%	53%	51%	46%
	Very important	30%	25%	32%	38%	43%
	Number of responses	1,529	2,124	1,910	1,175	1,612
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: I was offered financial assistance						
	Not important	44%	56%	51%	34%	41%
	Somewhat important	27%	23%	23%	35%	24%
	Very important	28%	21%	25%	31%	34%

	Number of responses	1,518	2,095	1,898	1,170	1,610
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: Offers special programs						
	Not important	41%	47%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Somewhat important	39%	34%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Very important	20%	20%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Number of responses	1,518	2,111	n/a	n/a	n/a
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: Low tuition						
	Not important	26%	30%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Somewhat important	49%	48%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Very important	24%	22%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Number of responses	1,521	2,116	n/a	n/a	n/a
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: The cost of attending this college						
	Not important	n/a	n/a	24%	17%	13%
	Somewhat important	n/a	n/a	44%	44%	35%
	Very important	n/a	n/a	32%	39%	52%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	1,899	1,176	1,613
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: High school counselor advised me						
	Not important	55%	66%	57%	43%	56%
	Somewhat important	37%	28%	34%	43%	34%
	Very important	8%	6%	8%	14%	10%
	Number of responses	1,517	2,114	1,902	1,174	1,604
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: Private college counselor advised me						
	Not important	89%	87%	89%	65%	85%
	Somewhat important	9%	12%	10%	29%	14%
	Very important	2%	1%	2%	5%	2%
	Number of responses	1,509	2,107	1,891	1,162	1,596
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: I wanted to live near home						
	Not important	41%	36%	38%	32%	34%
	Somewhat important	38%	40%	39%	39%	35%
	Very important	21%	24%	22%	29%	31%
	Number of responses	1,523	2,125	1,904	1,175	1,613

How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: Not offered aid by first choice						
	Not important	82%	84%	80%	62%	74%
	Somewhat important	12%	11%	14%	27%	16%
	Very important	6%	5%	6%	10%	10%
	Number of responses	1,505	2,087	1,888	1,161	1,574
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: Could not afford first choice						
	Not important	n/a	n/a	n/a	62%	71%
	Somewhat important	n/a	n/a	n/a	24%	14%
	Very important	n/a	n/a	n/a	14%	16%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,165	1,585
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: This colleges graduates gain admission to top graduate/professional schools						
	Not important	37%	n/a	37%	28%	32%
	Somewhat important	45%	n/a	46%	50%	47%
	Very important	18%	n/a	17%	23%	21%
	Number of responses	1,509		1,887	1,164	1,567
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: This colleges graduates get good jobs						
	Not important	17%	n/a	18%	17%	14%
	Somewhat important	45%	n/a	47%	48%	40%
	Very important	38%	n/a	35%	35%	46%
	Number of responses	1,517	n/a	1,866	1,158	1,557
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: I was attracted by the religious affiliation/orientation of the college						
	Not important	86%	91%	88%	68%	83%
	Somewhat important	12%	9%	11%	26%	14%
	Very important	2%	1%	1%	6%	3%
	Number of responses	1,497	2,109	1,882	1,159	1,577
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: I wanted to go to a school about the size of TU						
	Not important	15%	22%	16%	16%	14%
	Somewhat important	47%	50%	47%	45%	41%
	Very important	39%	28%	37%	39%	45%
	Number of responses	1,519	2,119	1,898	1,171	1,595

How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: Rankings in national magazines						
	Not important	62%	65%	61%	45%	55%
	Somewhat important	32%	29%	32%	43%	36%
	Very important	6%	5%	7%	12%	9%
	Number of responses	1,504	2,107	1,877	1,163	1,582
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: Information from a website						
	Not important	n/a	53%	43%	31%	35%
	Somewhat important	n/a	38%	44%	49%	45%
	Very important	n/a	10%	13%	20%	20%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,103	1,867	1,155	1,574
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: I was admitted through an Early Action or Early Decision program						
	Not important	n/a	85%	77%	60%	71%
	Somewhat important	n/a	10%	14%	27%	17%
	Very important	n/a	5%	9%	12%	12%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,098	1,882	1,155	1,573
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: The athletic department recruited me						
	Not important	n/a	n/a	n/a	73%	92%
	Somewhat important	n/a	n/a	n/a	19%	7%
	Very important	n/a	n/a	n/a	8%	1%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,158	1,568
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: A visit to campus						
	Not important	n/a	31%	21%	17%	19%
	Somewhat important	n/a	41%	38%	45%	39%
	Very important	n/a	28%	41%	38%	42%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,117	1,895	1,165	1,597
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: Graduates get good jobs						
	Not important	n/a	32%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Somewhat important	n/a	46%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Very important	n/a	22%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Number of responses	n/a	2,106	n/a	n/a	n/a
How important was each reason in your decision to come to TU?: Ability to take online courses						

	Not important	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	81%
	Somewhat important	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	17%
	Very important	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	2%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,578

Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Becoming accomplished in one of the performing arts (acting, dancing, etc.)

	Not important	64%	63%	62%	51%	66%
	Somewhat important	21%	20%	21%	24%	18%
	Very important	8%	9%	9%	13%	8%
	Essential	7%	8%	8%	12%	8%
	Number of responses	1,462	2,063	1,857	1,171	1,554

Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Becoming an authority in my field

	Not important	9%	8%	11%	9%	14%
	Somewhat important	33%	33%	35%	34%	38%
	Very important	39%	40%	37%	38%	35%
	Essential	19%	19%	17%	19%	13%
	Number of responses	1,454	2,070	1,862	1,173	1,546

Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Obtaining recognition from my colleagues for contributions to my special field

	Not important	10%	9%	10%	6%	11%
	Somewhat important	38%	39%	39%	36%	38%
	Very important	40%	38%	38%	39%	38%
	Essential	13%	14%	13%	18%	13%
	Number of responses	1,457	2,067	1,845	1,178	1,542

Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Influencing the political structure

	Not important	44%	43%	44%	33%	48%
	Somewhat important	42%	43%	41%	42%	40%
	Very important	10%	11%	11%	18%	9%
	Essential	3%	4%	4%	7%	3%
	Number of responses	1,456	2,068	1,846	1,165	1,540

Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Influencing social values

	Not important	17%	17%	18%	13%	19%
	Somewhat important	44%	46%	46%	42%	45%
	Very important	31%	29%	28%	32%	29%

	Essential	8%	7%	7%	13%	7%
	Number of responses	1,460	2,069	1,839	1,168	1,539
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Raising a family						
	Not important	6%	7%	7%	6%	7%
	Somewhat important	21%	17%	18%	22%	18%
	Very important	35%	38%	37%	34%	36%
	Essential	38%	38%	38%	38%	39%
	Number of responses	1,460	2,073	1,854	1,175	1,550
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Having administrative responsibility for the work of others						
	Not important	17%	15%	15%	12%	n/a
	Somewhat important	43%	45%	44%	39%	n/a
	Very important	32%	33%	32%	34%	n/a
	Essential	8%	8%	9%	15%	n/a
	Number of responses	1,453	2,069	1,839	1,169	
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Being very well off financially						
	Not important	4%	4%	3%	4%	2%
	Somewhat important	21%	22%	18%	21%	16%
	Very important	40%	39%	40%	39%	40%
	Essential	35%	35%	39%	36%	42%
	Number of responses	1,455	2,071	1,849	1,174	1,546
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Helping others who are in difficulty						
	Not important	5%	4%	5%	4%	3%
	Somewhat important	36%	33%	34%	30%	30%
	Very important	43%	43%	42%	41%	45%
	Essential	17%	19%	19%	25%	22%
	Number of responses	1,449	2,069	1,845	1,173	1,546
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Making a theoretical contribution to science						
	Not important	61%	60%	59%	38%	54%
	Somewhat important	28%	29%	29%	36%	31%
	Very important	10%	8%	8%	16%	11%
	Essential	2%	3%	4%	9%	4%
	Number of responses	1,456	2,066	1,847	1,161	1,540

Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Writing original works (poems, novels, short stories, etc.)						
	Not important	63%	62%	61%	47%	65%
	Somewhat important	23%	24%	24%	29%	22%
	Very important	9%	10%	9%	15%	8%
	Essential	5%	5%	5%	9%	5%
	Number of responses	1,456	2,068	1,845	1,172	1,537

Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Creating artistic work (painting, sculpture, decorating, etc.)						
	Not important	61%	62%	62%	48%	65%
	Somewhat important	23%	23%	22%	27%	20%
	Very important	9%	9%	11%	16%	10%
	Essential	7%	6%	5%	9%	6%
	Number of responses	1,455	2,069	1,843	1,173	1,540

Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Becoming successful in a business of my own						
	Not important	32%	32%	27%	20%	30%
	Somewhat important	30%	31%	32%	30%	31%
	Very important	23%	21%	24%	29%	22%
	Essential	15%	16%	18%	21%	16%
	Number of responses	1,454	2,061	1,843	1,178	1,538

Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Becoming involved in programs to clean up the environment						
	Not important	42%	40%	40%	22%	29%
	Somewhat important	46%	47%	45%	46%	50%
	Very important	10%	10%	11%	23%	18%
	Essential	2%	3%	4%	10%	4%
	Number of responses	1,455	2,061	1,841	1,167	1,531

Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Developing a meaningful philosophy of life						
	Not important	25%	27%	24%	19%	21%
	Somewhat important	38%	40%	40%	36%	38%
	Very important	26%	24%	26%	31%	28%
	Essential	12%	9%	11%	14%	13%
	Number of responses	1,452	2,064	1,839	1,172	1,530

Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Participating in a community action program						
	Not important	35%	35%	34%	20%	29%
	Somewhat important	51%	48%	47%	47%	50%
	Very important	11%	14%	15%	25%	17%
	Essential	3%	3%	3%	9%	3%
	Number of responses	1,448	2,064	1,835	1,166	1,531
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Helping to promote racial understanding						
	Not important	28%	30%	28%	17%	27%
	Somewhat important	46%	45%	46%	44%	46%
	Very important	20%	19%	20%	27%	21%
	Essential	6%	6%	6%	13%	6%
	Number of responses	1,450	2,062	1,837	1,171	1,529
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Keeping up to date with political affairs						
	Not important	28%	27%	27%	22%	29%
	Somewhat important	46%	47%	45%	42%	47%
	Very important	20%	21%	21%	25%	19%
	Essential	6%	6%	7%	11%	5%
	Number of responses	1,450	2,061	1,838	1,171	1,531
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Becoming a community leader						
	Not important	31%	32%	29%	21%	31%
	Somewhat important	45%	44%	46%	43%	44%
	Very important	19%	19%	20%	26%	20%
	Essential	6%	5%	6%	10%	5%
	Number of responses	1,459	2,059	1,835	1,178	1,524
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Integrating spirituality into my life						
	Not important	n/a	31%	34%	n/a	n/a
	Somewhat important	n/a	39%	38%	n/a	n/a
	Very important	n/a	19%	18%	n/a	n/a
	Essential	n/a	11%	10%	n/a	n/a
	Number of responses	n/a	2,062	1,840	n/a	n/a
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Improving my understanding of other countries and cultures						
	Not important	n/a	17%	17%	14%	18%

	Somewhat important	n/a	46%	44%	41%	43%
	Very important	n/a	27%	28%	28%	29%
	Essential	n/a	10%	11%	17%	10%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,054	1,831	1,164	1,525
Please indicate the importance to you personally of each of the following: Adopting "green" practices to protect the environment						
	Not important	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	17%
	Somewhat important	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	46%
	Very important	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	27%
	Essential	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	10%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,527
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Change major field						
	No chance	10%	16%	11%	16%	14%
	Very little chance	35%	37%	37%	33%	38%
	Some chance	41%	38%	39%	38%	35%
	Very good chance	14%	9%	13%	14%	14%
	Number of responses	1,453	2,071	1,861	1,186	1,553
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Change career choice						
	No chance	10%	18%	10%	14%	13%
	Very little chance	36%	39%	34%	34%	34%
	Some chance	42%	33%	44%	41%	40%
	Very good chance	12%	9%	12%	12%	13%
	Number of responses	1,443	2,076	1,854	1,182	1,542
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Participate in student government						
	No chance	n/a	29%	28%	25%	32%
	Very little chance	n/a	43%	40%	38%	39%
	Some chance	n/a	22%	27%	31%	25%
	Very good chance	n/a	6%	5%	6%	4%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,063	1,846	1,178	1,534
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Get a job to help pay for college expenses						
	No chance	n/a	6%	5%	6%	5%
	Very little chance	n/a	13%	14%	18%	13%
	Some chance	n/a	32%	34%	41%	36%
	Very good chance	n/a	50%	47%	35%	46%

	Number of responses	n/a	2,068	1,853	1,170	1,536
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Work full-time while attending college						
	No chance	30%	27%	26%	27%	28%
	Very little chance	45%	37%	43%	40%	46%
	Some chance	21%	24%	25%	25%	21%
	Very good chance	5%	11%	6%	8%	5%
	Number of responses	1,432	2,062	1,851	1,171	1,535
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Join a social fraternity or sorority						
	No chance	n/a	33%	26%	28%	27%
	Very little chance	n/a	35%	37%	33%	35%
	Some chance	n/a	26%	29%	29%	29%
	Very good chance	n/a	6%	8%	11%	9%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,061	1,852	1,172	1,532
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Play club, intramural, or recreational sports						
	No chance	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	19%
	Very little chance	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	25%
	Some chance	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	32%
	Very good chance	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	25%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,532
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Play intercollegiate athletics (e.g. NCAA or NAIA-sponsored)						
	No chance	35%	40%	33%	37%	58%
	Very little chance	32%	32%	33%	29%	26%
	Some chance	21%	18%	22%	23%	12%
	Very good chance	12%	9%	12%	12%	4%
	Number of responses	1,432	2,054	1,848	1,164	1,514
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Make at least a "B" average						
	No chance	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	Very little chance	1%	2%	2%	6%	2%
	Some chance	36%	33%	35%	38%	30%
	Very good chance	62%	65%	63%	55%	67%
	Number of responses	1,427	2,063	1,852	1,166	1,527
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Need extra time to complete your degree requirements						

	No chance	n/a	n/a	n/a	14%	15%
	Very little chance	n/a	n/a	n/a	43%	49%
	Some chance	n/a	n/a	n/a	36%	31%
	Very good chance	n/a	n/a	n/a	7%	5%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,168	1,519
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Participate in student protests or demonstrations						
	No chance	n/a	n/a	27%	28%	31%
	Very little chance	n/a	n/a	46%	40%	45%
	Some chance	n/a	n/a	22%	26%	21%
	Very good chance	n/a	n/a	4%	6%	3%
	Number of responses	n/a	n/a	1,850	1,167	1,516
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Transfer to another college before graduating						
	No chance	32%	36%	30%	30%	32%
	Very little chance	40%	44%	45%	37%	41%
	Some chance	22%	15%	19%	25%	21%
	Very good chance	6%	4%	6%	8%	6%
	Number of responses	1,419	2,058	1,844	1,169	1,515
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Be satisfied with TU						
	No chance	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Very little chance	3%	3%	3%	9%	4%
	Some chance	50%	45%	47%	45%	47%
	Very good chance	47%	52%	49%	44%	48%
	Number of responses	1,442	2,049	1,847	1,162	1,515
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Participate in volunteer or community service work						
	No chance	9%	11%	9%	9%	8%
	Very little chance	30%	32%	34%	29%	29%
	Some chance	46%	41%	42%	46%	45%
	Very good chance	15%	15%	15%	16%	18%
	Number of responses	1,425	2,056	1,847	1,168	1,516
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Seek personal counseling						
	No chance	21%	19%	21%	21%	23%
	Very little chance	52%	48%	51%	43%	50%
	Some chance	22%	27%	22%	28%	23%

	Very good chance	5%	6%	5%	8%	5%
	Number of responses	1,414	2,052	1,845	1,170	1,510
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Develop close friendships with students						
	No chance	n/a	1%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Very little chance	n/a	4%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Some chance	n/a	27%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Very good chance	n/a	69%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Number of responses	n/a	2,054	n/a	n/a	n/a
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Communicate regularly with your professors						
	No chance	n/a	1%	2%	3%	2%
	Very little chance	n/a	12%	16%	21%	13%
	Some chance	n/a	56%	57%	54%	58%
	Very good chance	n/a	31%	25%	23%	28%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,051	1,845	1,171	1,503
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Socialize with someone of another racial/ethnic group						
	No chance	n/a	1%	2%	2%	2%
	Very little chance	n/a	5%	5%	12%	5%
	Some chance	n/a	27%	27%	37%	32%
	Very good chance	n/a	67%	67%	49%	61%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,043	1,846	1,165	1,513
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Participate in student clubs/groups						
	No chance	n/a	7%	4%	4%	5%
	Very little chance	n/a	19%	18%	18%	15%
	Some chance	n/a	42%	43%	44%	42%
	Very good chance	n/a	32%	35%	34%	38%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,051	1,842	1,167	1,503
What is your best guess as to the chances that you will: Participate in a study abroad program						
	No chance	n/a	23%	17%	12%	13%
	Very little chance	n/a	35%	30%	26%	26%
	Some chance	n/a	28%	32%	37%	35%
	Very good chance	n/a	14%	21%	25%	26%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,045	1,843	1,167	1,516

indicate your probable field of study career (aggregated)?						
	Artist	n/a	11%	10%	11%	9%
	Business	n/a	17%	17%	20%	13%
	Business (clerical)	n/a	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Clergy	n/a	0%	0%	0%	0%
	College teacher	n/a	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Doctor (MD or DDS)	n/a	3%	3%	5%	4%
	Education (secondary)	n/a	8%	5%	6%	6%
	Education (elementary)	n/a	11%	8%	9%	9%
	Engineer	n/a	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Farmer or forester	n/a	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Health professional	n/a	5%	7%	7%	8%
	Homemaker (full-time)	n/a	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Lawyer	n/a	2%	3%	2%	2%
	Military (career)	n/a	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Nurse	n/a	5%	6%	6%	8%
	Research scientist	n/a	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Social/welfare/rec worker	n/a	1%	1%	0%	1%
	Skilled worker	n/a	0%	1%	0%	0%
	Semi-skilled worker	n/a	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Unskilled worker	n/a	0%	1%	0%	0%
	Unemployed	n/a	1%	1%	1%	2%
	Other	n/a	17%	17%	14%	17%
	Undecided	n/a	14%	17%	15%	18%
	Number of responses	n/a	2,072	1,834	1,122	1,632

Please indicate your probable field of study.						
	Agriculture	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Biological Science	4%	5%	4%	4%	7%
	Business	18%	20%	20%	22%	14%
	Education	21%	20%	13%	14%	16%
	Engineering	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	English	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Health Professional	7%	11%	13%	14%	15%
	History or Political Science	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%
	Humanities	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%
	Fine Arts	6%	6%	5%	7%	6%
	Mathematics or Statistics	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	Physical Science	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%

	Social Science	7%	7%	6%	7%	8%
	Other Technical	6%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	Other Non-technical	12%	12%	12%	10%	10%
	Undecided	11%	7%	12%	7%	9%
	Number of responses	1,469	2,077	1,837	1,136	1,542

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