National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE)

Spring 2007 Report



National Survey of Student Engagement 2007

The College Student Report

1	1 In your experience at your institution during the current school year,	, about how often have you done
	each of the following? Mark your answers in the boxes. Examples:	⊠ or ■

		Very often	Often	Some- times		Very Some- often Often times N	Never
a.	Asked questions in class or contributed to class discussions					r. Worked harder than you thought you could to meet an instructor's	_
b.	Made a class presentation					standards or expectations	ш
	Prepared two or more drafts of a paper or assignment before turning it in					s. Worked with faculty members on activities other than coursework (committees, orientation, student life activities, etc.)	
d.	Worked on a paper or project that required integrating ideas or information from various sources	t				t. Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with others outside of class (students,	
e.	Included diverse perspectives (different races, religions, genders political beliefs, etc.) in class discussions or writing assignment	_				family members, co-workers, etc.) u. Had serious conversations with students of a different race or ethnicity than your own	
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h.	Worked with classmates outside of class to prepare class assignments				(F		
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m.	Used e-mail to communicate with an instructor			? <u> </u>	_	considering its components	
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p.	Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with faculty members outside of class					or methods, such as examining how others gathered and interpreted data and assessing	
q.	Received prompt written or oral feedback from faculty on your				П	the soundness of their conclusions \square \square \square e. Applying theories or concepts to	Ц
	academic performance		Ц			practical problems or in new situations	

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	Exercised or participated in physical fitness activities				Unavailable, Available, Unhelpful, Helpful, Unsympathetic Sympathetic
C.	Participated in activities to enhance your spirituality (worship, meditation, prayer, etc.)	<i> </i> 			
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	views on a topic or issue				c. Relationships with administrative personnel and offices
e.	Tried to better understand someone else's views by imagining how an				Unhelpful, Helpful,
	issue looks from his or her perspective	e 🔲 🔝			Inconsiderate, Considerate, Rigid Flexible
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NSSE 2007 Institutions by State/Province

INSTITUTION	CITY	INSTITUTION	CITY
Alabama		California State University-Northridge	Northridge
Auburn University Main Campus	Auburn University	Fresno Pacific University	Fresno
Faulkner University	Montgomery	Hope International University	Fullerton
Huntingdon College	Montgomery	Laguna College of Art and Design	Laguna Beach
Judson College	Marion	Loyola Marymount University	Los Angeles
Samford University	Birmingham	Menlo College	Atherton
Southeastern Bible College	Birmingham	National University	La Jolla
Troy University	Troy	Notre Dame de Namur University	Belmont
University of Alabama in Huntsville	Huntsville	Pepperdine University	Malibu
University of Alabama, The	Tuscaloosa	Saint Marys College of California	Moraga
	1 uscaroosa	San Francisco State University	San Francisco
Alaska		Santa Clara University	Santa Clara
Alaska Pacific University	Anchorage	Scripps College	Claremont
University of Alaska Fairbanks	Fairbanks	University of California-Berkeley	Berkeley
Arizona		University of California-Merced	Merced
	Mesa	University of San Diego	San Diego
Arizona State University at the Polytechnic Campus	Mesa	University of San Francisco	San Francisco
Arizona State University at the Tempe Campus	Tempe	Westmont College	Santa Barbara
Arizona State University at the West Campus	Glendale	Whittier College	Whittier
Northern Arizona University	Flagstaff	Colorado	
University of Advancing Technology	Tempe	Colorado State University	Fort Collins
Arkansas		Naropa University	Boulder
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Arkansas State University-Main Campus	Jonesboro		Benver
Arkansas Tech University	Russellville	Connecticut	
Ecclesia College	Springdale	Central Connecticut State University	New Britain
Hendrix College	Conway	Eastern Connecticut State University	Willimantic
John Brown University	Siloam Springs	Quinnipiac University	Hamden
University of Arkansas at Little Rock	Little Rock	Sacred Heart University	Fairfield
University of Arkansas at Monticello	Monticello	Saint Joseph College	West Hartford
University of Arkansas Main Campus	Fayetteville	Southern Connecticut State University	New Haven
University of Arkansas-Fort Smith	Ft. Smith	University of Connecticut	Storrs
University of the Ozarks	Clarksville	University of Connecticut-Avery Point	Groton
California		University of Connecticut-Stamford	Stamford
California Baptist University	Riverside	University of Connecticut-Tri-Campus	Waterbury
California State University-Bakersfield	Bakersfield	University of New Haven	West Haven
California State University-Dominguez Hills	Carson	Western Connecticut State University	Danbury
California State University-Fresno	Fresno	Delaware	
California State University-Long Beach	Long Beach		D
, ,	•	Wesley College	Dover
California State University-Los Angeles	Los Angeles		

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NSSE 2007 Overview

The National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE) collects information annually from samples of firstyear and senior students about the nature and quality of their undergraduate experience. Since its inception, approximately 1,200 baccalaureate degree-granting colleges and universities in the US and Canada have used the instrument to measure the extent to which students engage in effective educational practices that are empirically linked with learning, personal development, and other desired outcomes such as student satisfaction, persistence, and graduation. NSSE data are used by faculty, administrators, researchers, and others for institutional improvement, accountability, and related purposes. Launched by a generous grant from The Pew Charitable Trusts, since 2003 the NSSE project has been supported by institutional participation fees.

More than one million first-year and senior students from 610 institutions in the US and Canada were invited to participate in the 2007 NSSE administration. Of this survey population, 323,147 students responded, including more than 14,000 students from Canadian institutions. A list of all participating institutions is available on the NSSE Web site at www.nsse.iub.edu/2007_Institutional _Report.

The trend of institutions moving toward Web-based administrations continued in 2007 as 320 schools (53%) opted for the Web-only administration mode in which students received all contacts electronically and completed the survey online. The Web+ survey option was used by 209 schools (34%). This mode includes multiple electronic contacts and one paper questionnaire sent to a portion of non-respondents. The remaining 81institutions (13%) chose the paper questionnaire mode.

U.S. Institutions and Respondents

Table 1 shows how NSSE 2007 U.S. institutional characteristics compare with the profile of all baccalaureate degree-granting colleges and universities in the United States. Comparative data for these tables are from the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS). The Far West region is slightly underrepresented in NSSE 2007, while New England, the Great Lakes, and Southeast regions are slightly overrepresented. While NSSE 2007 schools are generally representative of the distribution of institutional types in the 2005 Basic Carnegie Classification, Baccalaureate Colleges-Arts and Sciences and Master's Large institutions were somewhat overrepresented, and Baccalaureate Colleges-Diverse Fields were slightly underrepresented. In all, the NSSE 2007 participating institutions reflect a broad array of institutions. Overall, the profile of NSSE 2007 institutions closely resembles that of all U.S. schools in terms of sector, region, and location.



Miami University (OH)

Table 1 Profile of U.S. NSSE 2007 Institutions against all U.S. Baccalaureate Degree-Granting Colleges and Universities ^a

	NSSE 2007	National ¹
Carnegie Classification – Basic 2005 ^c		
DRU-VH	6%	6%
DRU-H	9%	7%
DRU	5%	5%
Master's-L	26%	22%
Master's-M	11%	12%
Master's-S	6%	8%
Bac-AS	21%	18%
Bac-DIV	15%	23%
Sector		
Public 4-year	41%	35%
Private 4-year	59%	65%
Region		
New England	10%	8%
Mid East	17%	18%
Great Lakes	16%	15%
Plains	12%	11%
Southeast	26%	24%
Southwest	8%	8%
Rocky Mountains	2%	3%
Far West	8%	10%
Outlying Areas	1%	2%
Location		
City	47%	46%
Suburban	21%	23%
Town	24%	22%
Rural	8%	8%

DRU-VH	. Research Universities (very high research activity)
DRU-H	. Research Universities (high research activity)
DRU	. Doctoral/Research Universities
Master's-L	. Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)
Master's-M	. Master's Colleges and Universities (medium programs)
Master's-S	. Master's Colleges and Universities (smaller programs)
Bac-AS	. Baccalaureate Colleges-Art & Sciences
Bac-DIV	. Baccalaureate Colleges-Diverse Fields

a. Percentages based on U.S. postseconday institutions that award baccalaureate degrees and belong to one of eight Carnegie classes in the table. Totals may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

<sup>b. National percentages are based on the 2006 IPEDS Institutional Characteristics data.
c. For information on the 2005 Carnegie Classifications, see: www.carnegiefoundation.org/classifications</sup>



Table 2 shows selected characteristics of the NSSE 2007 U.S. respondents. The first column represents the students who responded to the survey in 2007. The second column represents the student population at NSSE 2007 participating institutions.

The third column shows the profile of all students attending all baccalaureate degree-granting institutions in the US as indicated by IPEDS data.

Table 2
Characteristics of NSSE 2007 Respondents, Students at NSSE 2007 Institutions, and Students at U.S. Baccalaureate Degree-Granting Institutions ^a

	NSSE 2007 Respondents	NSSE 2007 Population ^b	National ^c
Gender			
Male	35%	44%	44%
Female	65%	56%	56%
Race/Ethnicity ^d			
African American/Black	7%	10%	12%
Amer. Indian/Alaska Native	1%	1%	1%
Asian/Asian American/Pacific Islander	5%	6%	6%
Caucasian/White	74%	73%	68%
Hispanic	6%	8%	10%
Other	1%	1%	n/a
Multiracial/Ethnic	<1%	<1%	n/a
International			
(attending US schools only)	5%	2%	3%
Enrollment Status			
Full-time	91%	88%	84%
Part-time	9%	12%	16%

- a. Totals may not sum to 100% due to rounding.
- b. NSSE 2007 population data are provided to NSSE by participating institutions.
- c. National data are from the 2005 IPEDS Enrollment Data File.
- d. The IPEDS and NSSE categories for race and ethnicity differ. For NSSE 2007 respondents, results do not include students whose ethnicity was unknown or not provided.



Kennesaw State University

The standard NSSE sampling scheme calls for an equal number of randomly sampled first-year and senior students to comprise the institution's sample, with the sample size based on the total number of undergraduate students enrolled at the institution. Many schools request random oversamples to increase the number of respondents in order to disaggregate the results in different ways, such as by major, to guide improvement efforts. For reporting purposes, NSSE includes only randomly-selected students for the institution and comparison groups. As a result, the 2007 cohort is 298,083 respondents, made up of 99,542 students sampled under the standard sampling scheme and an additional 198,541 students randomly sampled through standard oversampling protocols or at the request of participating

institutions. The information that follows is based on the entire 2007 U.S. cohort of 298,083 respondents unless otherwise noted.

Year in School

The NSSE 2007 cohort respondents were equally divided between first-year (50%) and senior (50%) students.

Gender

Women made up more than three-fifths (65%) of the respondents compared with 56% of the students enrolled at NSSE 2007 schools, and 56% of students enrolled nationally (Table 2). The larger proportion of female respondents is consistent with widely reported survey research findings that show that women are more likely than men to return questionnaires. Weighting adjusts for the gender imbalance in your comparison reports.

Age

Students 19 years of age or younger comprise the largest group (44%), reflecting the fact that half the students elected to receive the survey were in their first-year of college. About 38% of respondents were 20-23 years old, 8% were between the ages of 24 and 29, and 10% were 30 years of age or older.

Race and Ethnicity

African American and Hispanic students are slightly underrepresented (Table 2).

Living Arrangements

Overall, approximately 44% of students lived in campus housing (71% of first-year students, 18% of seniors). The remainder lived within driving distance (40%), within walking distance (15%), or in a fraternity or sorority house (1%).

Fraternity or Sorority

About 12% percent of men and 10% of women were members of a fraternity or sorority.

Grades

Approximately 42% of all students report earning mostly A grades. Only 9% of students report earning mostly C grades or lower.

Parents' Education

Of all respondents, 38% were first-generation college students, with no parent having completed a baccalaureate degree. In addition, 50% indicated that at least one parent had graduated from college.

Enrollment Status

About 91% of all respondents were enrolled full time (Table 2). Weighting adjusts for imbalances in enrollment status in your comparison reports.

Transfer Status

Approximately 25% of respondents attended more than one type of postsecondary institution since graduating from high school. Of this group, 50% went to another baccalaureate degree-granting college, 66% to a community college, 13% to a vocational-technical school, and 6% to another form of postsecondary education. Many of these students attended a combination of these institution types prior to attending their current institution.

Primary Major Field

Table 3 shows the percent of students pursuing majors in various fields of study by class and by gender. More men pursue studies in business, engineering, and physical sciences, while more women pursue majors in education, professional schools and the social sciences.



School of Visual Arts

Table 3
Primary Majors by Class and Gender at NSSE U.S. Institutions

	<u>First</u>	-Years	<u>Se</u>	niors
Major	Male	Female	Male	Female
Arts & Humanities	13%	15%	14%	15%
Biological Sciences	7%	9%	7%	7%
Business	18%	13%	20%	15%
Education	5%	12%	5%	13%
Engineering	13%	2%	12%	2%
Physical Sciences	4%	3%	4%	3%
Professional Schools	5%	15%	4%	12%
Social Sciences	10%	13%	12%	17%
Other	19%	13%	22%	17%
Undecided	5%	5%	<1%	<1%

Response Rates

The average institutional response rate for NSSE 2007 (Table 4) was 36%. The average institutional response rate for paper schools (institutions where students were invited by postal mail, but had the option of completing either the paper or the Web version) was 33%, with approximately 70% of these institutions achieving a range of 23% to 50%. At these institutions, 60% of students completed the paper form of the survey, and 40% completed NSSE online. The average institutional response rate for NSSE 2007 Web-only schools (institutions where students could only complete the survey online) was 37%, with approximately 70% of these institutions achieving a range of 23% to 51%. Institutions participating using the Web+ mode of

administration recorded an overall response rate of 35% with a majority of Web+ respondents using the online survey (95%).

About 4% of the NSSE 2007 respondents completed the paper version of NSSE and approximately 96% completed it using the Web. This continues the trend of more students responding via the Web, even at paper administration schools. Additional information about response rates, including the response rate for your institution, is in the *Respondent Characteristics* report. Note that the average institutional response rate of 36% is slightly higher than NSSE 2007 response rate reported in the *Respondent Characteristics* report due to different units of analysis (institutions versus students).

Table 4
NSSE 2007 Number of Institutions & Average Institutional Response Rates by
Survey Administration Mode

	Number of	Average
Survey Adminisration Mode	Institutions	Response Rate
All	610	36%
Paper	81	33%
Web-only	320	37%
Web +	209	35%

Canadian Institutions and Respondents

In total, seventeen Canadian institutions from six different provinces participated in NSSE 2007. Of these, seven were from Ontario, three from both British Columbia and New Brunswick, two from Alberta, and one from both Manitoba and Nova Scotia. Trinity Western University participated in the Council for Christian Colleges and Universities consortium and Brescia University participated in the Women's Colleges consortium. All Canadian institutions participate via Web-only.

Response Rates

The average Canadian institutional response rate for NSSE 2007 was 37%, ranging from 8% to 55%.

Student Overview

The total number of Canadian students invited was 42,619, and the total number of respondents was 14,091 (Table 5). Women comprised 65% of the respondents. About 91% of respondents were enrolled full-time. Of all respondents, 21% were enrolled in a social science major, 16% in an arts & humanities major, and 11% in business.

Summary of Ethno-Cultural Categories

The majority of Canadian students identified themselves as White (80%). Additionally 9% identified as Chinese, 3% South Asian, and 2% each identified as Arab, Black, North American Indian, and/or Métis.

Age

Students 20-23 years of age comprise the largest group (46%). About 35% of respondents were 19 years old or younger and 12% were between the ages of 24-29.

Table 5 Characteristics of Canadian NSSE 2007 Respondents

	NSSE 2007 Respondents N=14,091
Gender	
Male	35%
Female	65%
Enrollment Status	
Full-time	91%
Part-time	9%
Enrollment Status	
Arts & Humanities	16%
Biological Sciences	10%
Business	11%
Education	2%
Engineering	6%
Physical Sciences	4%
Professional Schools	7%
Social Sciences	21%
Other	21%
Undecided	1%
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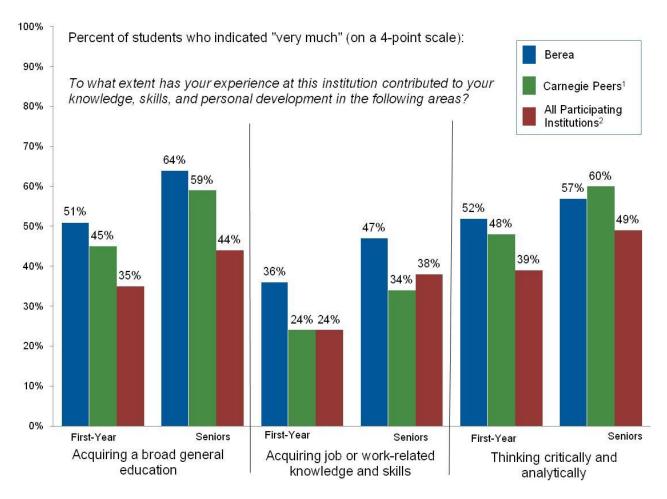
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National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE)

Berea first-year students, compared to national peers, report spending more time preparing for class, working harder than they thought they could to meet an instructor's standards, and having more discussions with faculty outside of class.

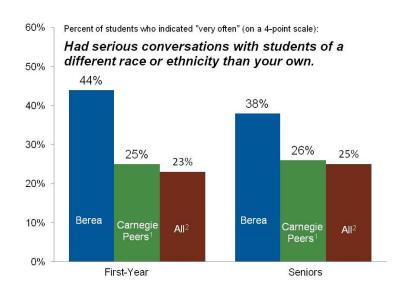
Both Berea first year and senior students rate the College very highly for its contribution toward helping them think critically and acquire both a broad general education and work related knowledge and skills.



¹Carnegie Peers includes institutions, like Berea College, that are classified in the Basic Carnegie classification of "Baccalaureate Colleges- Arts and Sciences." This is defined as an institution that confers at least half of its degrees in the Arts and Sciences (non-professional) based on one year's data.

² All participating institutions include public and private universities, four-year colleges, and community colleges.

And, Berea students are much more likely to have had serious conversations with students of another race or ethnicity.



These results are from the latest administration of the National of Student Engagement Survey (NSSE), a nationally used instrument designed to assess the extent to which first year and senior students are engaged in effective educational practices. Respondents behaviors that are highly correlated with desirable learning and personal development outcomes of college. Berea's NSSE 2007 ratings have improved in almost all areas for first year students compared to the first administration of the survey in 2003.

Although Berea students rate their relationships with faculty and administrative personnel fairly well compared to students nation-wide, Berea ratings dropped from 2003 to 2007, as did national averages. Overall, the *lowest* performing areas for Berea included the number of first year students who participate in community service or volunteer work and the number of seniors who participate in research with faculty.

According to the Director of the Center for Postsecondary Research and professor of higher education, Dr. George Kuh, the NSSE data may be used to stimulate discussion on college campuses about how to improve the quality of the undergraduate experience. His advice for increasing student engagement and success is to make it possible for every student to participate in at least two high impact activities, one in the first year, and one later in the major field. High impact activities create interactions with faculty and peers about important matters.

Examples of high impact activities include first year Learning Communities (groups of students are placed together in classes and in residence halls), research with faculty, study abroad, and culminating senior experiences. Learning communities are not currently a part of the first year experience. The chart below shows how Berea seniors compare to other peer groups.

Percent of Students who Participa	ated in H	igh-Impact Education	onal Practices
	Berea	Carnegie Peers ¹	All Institutions ²
Research with Faculty	27%	29%	19%
Study Abroad	44%	33%	14%
Culminating Senior Experiences	54%	55%	32%



NSSE 2007 Mean Comparisons Berea College

Berea College compared with:

					Berea College	Carn	egie P	eers	NS	SE 200)7
1. A	cademic and Intellectual Experiences	Variable	Bench- mark	Class	Mean a In your experience at your often have you done each often		-				
	Asked questions in class or contributed to class			FY	3.15	3.01	**	.17	2.74	***	.49
a.	discussions	CLQUEST	ACL	SR	3.43	3.27	***	.20	3.03	***	.46
L.	Mode a clear muscentation	CLDDECEN	ACL	FY	2.36	2.33		.05	2.21	**	.19
b.	Made a class presentation	CLPRESEN	ACL	SR	3.27	2.87	***	.49	2.77	***	.58
c.	Prepared two or more drafts of a paper or	REWROPAP		FY	2.81	2.62	***	.20	2.64	**	.17
C.	assignment before turning it in	KE WKOI AI		SR	2.42	2.42		.00	2.47		05
d.	Worked on a paper or project that required integrating ideas or information from	INTEGRAT		FY	3.32	3.14	***	.24	3.03	***	.37
	various sources Included diverse perspectives (different races,			SR	3.58	3.43	***	.22	3.29	***	.38
e.	religions, genders, political beliefs, etc.) in class	DIVCLASS		FY	3.27	2.87	***	.47	2.75	***	.59
	discussions or writing assignments			SR	3.23	2.95	***	.33	2.80	***	.47
f.	Come to class without completing readings or	CLUNPREP		FY	1.92	1.98		08	2.02	**	14
1.	assignments	CECTATREI		SR	2.18	2.05	*	.17	2.11		.08
g.	Worked with other students on projects during	CLASSGRP	ACL	FY	2.49	2.32	***	.21	2.40		.11
δ.	class			SR	2.59	2.37	***	.27	2.52		.09
h.	Worked with classmates outside of class to	OCCGRP	ACL	FY	2.58	2.54		.06	2.38	***	.23
	prepare class assignments			SR	3.06	2.74	***	.38	2.75	***	.35
i.	Put together ideas or concepts from different courses when completing assignments or during	INTIDEAS		FY	2.69	2.67		.02	2.57	**	.15
	class discussions			SR	3.10	2.98	*	.14	2.90	***	.24
j.	Tutored or taught other students	TUTOR	ACL	FY	1.87	1.72	**	.18	1.69	***	.21
J	(paid or voluntary)			SR	2.51	2.04	***	.46	1.88	***	.65
k.	Participated in a community-based project (e.g.	COMMPROJ	ACL	FY	1.60	1.62		02	1.52		.10
	service learning) as part of a regular course			SR	2.29	1.78	***	.57	1.69	***	.67

^a Weighted by gender, enrollment status, and institutional size.

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^b * p<.05 ** p<.01 *** p<.001 (2-tailed).

^c Mean difference divided by comparison group standard deviation.

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					Berea College	Carn	egie P		NS	SE 200	
		Variable	Bench- mark	Class	Mean ^a	Mean ^a	Sig b	Effect Size ^c	Mean ^a	Sig b	Effect Size ^c
	35 3				During the current school						
2.	Mental Activities				following mental activitie.	s? <u>1=very lit</u>	tle, 2=son	ne, $3=quite$	$\frac{a \text{ bit, } 4=1}{2}$	ery much	1
	Memorizing facts, ideas, or methods from your a. courses and readings so you can repeat them in	MEMORIZE		FY	2.75	2.74		.02	2.88	*	15
	pretty much the same form			SR	2.71	2.61		.10	2.75		04
	Analyzing the basic elements of an idea,										
	experience, or theory, such as examining a	ANALYZE	LAC								
	particular case or situation in depth and considering	ANALIZE	LAC	FY	3.26	3.21		.07	3.07	***	.25
	its components			SR	3.38	3.35		.03	3.23	**	.20
	Synthesizing and organizing ideas, information, or	SYNTHESZ	LAC	FY	3.07	2.99		.10	2.85	***	.27
	c. experiences into new, more complex interpretations	SININESZ	LAC	SR	3.14	3.19		06	3.03	*	.13
	and relationships Making judgments about the value of information,			SK	5.14	3.19		00	3.03	•	
	arguments, or methods, such as examining how										
	others gathered and interpreted data and assessing	EVALUATE	LAC	FY	3.13	2.95	***	.22	2.84	***	.33
	the soundness of their conclusions			SR	3.22	3.07	**	.18	2.96	***	.29
	Applying theories or concepts to practical e.	APPLYING	LAC	FY	3.15	3.05	*	.13	3.01	**	.18
	problems or in new situations	7HTETH (O	Lite	SR	3.29	3.23		.08	3.18	*	.14
					During the current school done?	l ye ar, about	how muci	n reading a	ind writing	have you	i
3.	Reading and Writing				1=none, 2=1-4, 3=5-10, 4	4=11-20, 5=i	nore than	20			
	Number of assigned textbooks, books, or a.	READASGN	LAC	FY	3.50	3.55		05	3.20	***	.33
	book-length packs of course readings	KE/ID/IGGIV	Lite	SR	3.46	3.46		.00	3.13	***	.33
	Number of books read on your own (not assigned)	READOWN		FY	2.12	2.06		.07	2.02	*	.12
	for personal enjoyment or academic enrichment	READOWIN		SR	2.25	2.19		.06	2.17		.08
	Number of written papers or reports of 20 pages or c.	WRITEMOR	LAC	FY	1.18	1.23		08	1.24		09
	more		1210	SR	1.70	1.73		04	1.62		.11
	Number of written papers or reports between 5	WRITEMID	LAC	FY	2.42	2.50		10	2.25	***	.20
	and 19 pages		L# 10	SR	2.89	2.82		.08	2.55	***	.36
	Number of written papers or reports of fewer than e.	WRITESML	LAC	FY	3.55	3.29	***	.25	3.02	***	.51
	5 pages		210	SR	3.37	3.17	**	.18	2.96	***	.35

 $^{\rm a}$ Weighted $\mbox{\sc Problem Sets}$ nt status, and institutional size.

1=none, 2=1-2, 3=3-4, 4=5-6, 5=more than 6

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In a typical week, how many homework problem sets do you complete?



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						Berea College	Carn	egie P	eers	NS	SE 200	07
			Variable	Bench- mark	Class	Mean ^a	Mean ^a	Sig b	Effect Size ^c	Mean a	Sig b	Effect Size ^c
	a.	Number of problem sets that take you more than an	PROBSETA		FY	2.99	2.61	***	.35	2.64	***	.32
	α.	hour to complete	TRODSETA		SR	2.71	2.37	***	.28	2.58		.11
	b.	Number of problem sets that take you less than an	PROBSETB		FY	2.78	2.62	*	.14	2.72		.05
		hour to complete	TROBBETB		SR	2.51	2.19	***	.27	2.32	*	.16
5.	Ex	aminations				1=very little to 7=very m	uch					
		Mark the box that best represents the extent to which your examinations during the current school	EXAMS		FY	5.66	5.46	**	.17	5.42	***	.21
		year challenged you to do your best work.	EXAMS		SR	5.56	5.43		.11	5.40	*	.13
		jear chancinged you to do your best work.				During the current school		now often	n nave y ou	aone each	of the	
	A a	lditional Collegiate Experiences				following?) C 1	C.				
6.	Au	2 2				1=never, 2=sometimes, 3	· ·					
	a.	Attended an art exhibit, play, dance, music, theatre	ATDART07		FY	2.96	2.47	***	.54	2.19	***	.85
		or other performance			SR	2.73	2.42	***	.33	2.07	***	.74
	b.	Exercised or participated in physical fitness	EXRCSE05		FY	2.94	2.96		02	2.77	**	.16
	0.	activities	EMICELOS		SR	3.00	2.89		.10	2.66	***	.32
	c.	Participated in activities to enhance your	WORSHP05		FY	2.23	2.13		.09	2.07	*	.15
	C.	spirituality (worship, meditation, prayer, etc.)	WORSHI 03		SR	2.43	2.15	***	.25	2.14	***	.25
	d.	Examined the strengths and weaknesses of your	OWNVIEW		FY	2.96	2.71	***	.29	2.56	***	.45
	u.	own views on a topic or issue	OWIVVEW		SR	2.85	2.81		.04	2.68	**	.19
		Tried to better understand someone else's views by				• • •						
	e.	imagining how an issue looks from his or her	OTHRVIEW		FY	3.09	2.83	***	.31	2.72	***	.43
		perspective			SR	2.96	2.92		.04	2.82	**	.17
	f.	Learned something that changed the way you	CHNGVIEW		FY	3.01	2.92		.11	2.79	***	.26
		understand an issue or concept			SR	3.00 which of the following ha	2.99	or ao voi	.01	2.86	* u graaua	.17
						your institution? (Recode	•	-			-	
						1=done. Thus, the mean i	is the proport	ion respo	onding "doi	ne" among	all valid	
7.	En	nriching Educational Experiences				respondents.)	<u> </u>					
	a.	Practicum, internship, field experience, co-op	INTERN04	EEE	FY	.04	.09	***	16	.07	**	13
		experience, or clinical assignment			SR	.61	.66		12	.53	*	.16

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					Berea College	Carn	egie P	eers	NS	SE 200	07
		Variable	Bench- mark	Class	Mean ^a	Mean ^a	Sig b	Effect Size c	Mean a	Sig b	Effect Size ^c
b.	Community service or volunteer work	VOLNTR04	EEE	FY	.28	.45	***	34	.38	***	20
٥.	Community service of volunteer work	, 022, 1110		SR	.75	.72		.07	.59	***	.33
	Participate in a learning community or some other										
c.	formal program where groups of students take two	LRNCOM04	EEE	FY	.10	.13		09	.17	***	19
	or more classes together			SR	.39	.26	***	.32	.25	***	.33
d.	Work on a research project with a faculty member	RESRCH04	SFI	FY	.09	.05	*	.17	.05	*	.16
	outside of course or program requirements			SR	.27	.29		05	.19	**	.21
0	Foreign language coursework	FORLNG04	EEE	FY	.23	.39	***	32	.22		.02
e.	Foleigh language coursework	FORLING04	EEE	SR	.56	.65	**	19	.41	***	.31
f.	Study abroad	STDABR04	EEE	FY	.02	.03		05	.03		06
1.	Study abroad	STDABK04	EEE	SR	.44	.33	***	.24	.14	***	.85
g.	Independent study or self-designed major	INDSTD04	EEE	FY	.01	.03	***	12	.03	***	13
ε.	independent study of sen-designed major	I (DS1D04	LLL	SR	.22	.30	**	19	.17		.11
h.	Culminating senior experience (capstone course,	SNRX04	EEE	FY	.01	.01		04	.02		05
	senior project or thesis, comprehensive exam, etc.)			SR	.54	.55		02	.32	***	.46
					your institution.	reservis ine q	indin'i y oj	your retain	ionsnips wi	in peopie	Ci i
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V	uality of Relationships				belonging					- steele	
a.	Relationships with other students	ENVSTU	SCE	FY	5.74	5.69		.04	5.53	**	.16
				SR	5.78	5.76		.02	5.62	*	.12
					1=unavailable, unhelpful,	•	tic to 7=c	available, l	•	ıpathetic	
b.	Relationships with faculty members	ENVFAC	SCE	FY	5.57	5.58		01	5.19	***	.29
				SR	5.55	5.86	***	27	5.41		.10
					1=unhelpful, inconsidera	te, <u>rigid to 7</u> =	helpful,	considerat	e, flexible		
c.	Relationships with administrative personnel and	ENVADM	SCE	FY	4.84	4.87		02	4.64	*	.13
	offices		~ ~ ~	SR	4.56	4.67		07	4.54		.01

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					Berea College	Carn	egie P		NS	SE 200	
		Variable	Bench- mark		Mean a About how many hours do	Mean ^a you spend in	Sig b 1 a typica	Effect Size ° al 7-day we	Mean ^a ek doing eo	Sig b ach of the	Effect Size °
9	Cime Usage				following? 1=0 hrs/wk, 2=1-5 hrs/wk 25 hrs/wk, 7=26-30 hrs/w.				k, 5=16-20	hrs/wk,	6=21-
0	Preparing for class (studying, reading, writing,			FY	4.61	4.36	**	.15	4.01	***	.37
a	doing homework or lab work, analyzing data, rehearsing, and other academic activities)	ACADPR01	LAC	SR	5.03	4.40	***	.36	4.09	***	.54
I.		WORKON01		FY	3.57	1.75	***	1.48	1.57	***	1.57
b	. Working for pay on campus	WORKONUI		SR	4.23	2.12	***	1.42	1.84	***	1.49
c	Working for pay off campus	WORKOF01		FY	1.01	1.73	***	43	2.41	***	62
C	working for pay on campus	WORKOTOT		SR	1.45	2.60	***	50	3.79	***	84
	Participating in co-curricular activities										
d	(organizations, campus publications, student government, fraternity or sorority, intercollegiate or	COCURR01	EEE	FY	2.20	2.64	***	27	2.24		03
	intramural sports, etc.)			SR	2.43	2.68	**	15	2.07	***	.24
e	Relaxing and socializing (watching TV,	SOCIAL05		FY	3.15	3.77	***	38	3.79	***	38
	partying, etc.)	SOCIALOS		SR	3.30	3.65	***	22	3.49		12
f	Providing care for dependents living with you	CAREDE01		FY	1.20	1.42	***	17	1.72	***	32
	(parents, children, spouse, etc.)	CHREDEOI		SR	1.87	1.65		.13	2.38	***	22
g	Commuting to class (driving, walking, etc.)	COMMUTE		FY	2.19	1.92	***	.30	2.25		06
8				SR	2.19	2.03	*	.18	2.38	**	18
10. <u>I</u>	nstitutional Environment				To what extent does your in 1=very little, 2=some, 3=				following	?	
a	Spending significant amounts of time studying and	ENVSCHOL	LAC	FY	3.50	3.22	***	.38	3.09	***	.54
	on academic work	Livischel	L# TC	SR	3.52	3.25	***	.37	3.08	***	.56
b	Providing the support you need to help you succeed	ENVSUPRT	SCE	FY	3.25	3.20		.06	3.02	***	.29
	academically			SR	3.16	3.14		.03	2.87	***	.34
c	Encouraging contact among students from different	ENVDIVRS	EEE	FY	3.32	2.72	***	.62	2.63	***	.71
	economic, social, and racial or ethnic backgrounds			SR	3.20	2.51	***	.70	2.44	***	.77

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					Berea College	Carn	egie P	eers	NS	SE 200)7
		Variable	Bench- mark	Class	Mean ^a	Mean ^a	Sig b	Effect Size c	Mean a	Sig b	Effect Size c
1	Helping you cope with your non-academic		COF	FY	2.49	2.28	***	.23	2.16	***	.35
d.	responsibilities (work, family, etc.)	ENVNACAD	SCE	SR	2.33	2.08	***	.28	1.91	***	.46
	Providing the support you need to thrive socially	ENVSOCAL	SCE	FY	2.51	2.50		.01	2.41		.11
e.	Froviding the support you need to thrive socially	ENVSOCAL	SCE	SR	2.35	2.31		.04	2.17	**	.19
f.	Attending campus events and activities (special speakers, cultural performances, athletic	ENVEVENT		FY	3.37	3.03	***	.40	2.79	***	.63
	events, etc.)			SR	3.23	2.91	***	.36	2.58	***	.68
g.	Using computers in academic work	ENVCOMPT		FY	3.59	3.28	***	.39	3.32	***	.35
δ.		Er v colvir i		SR	3.74	3.41	***	.43	3.47	***	.37
					To what extent has your				ributed to y	our know	ledge,
11. E	ducational and Personal Growth				skills, and personal devel 1=very little, 2=some, 3=						
				FY	3.39	3.28	*	.14	3.13	***	.34
a.	Acquiring a broad general education	GNGENLED		SR	3.59	3.48	**	.16	3.24	***	.44
b.	Acquiring job or work-related knowledge	GNWORK		FY	2.99	2.73	***	.28	2.73	***	.27
	and skills			SR	3.23	2.93	***	.32	3.02	***	.22
c.	Writing clearly and effectively	GNWRITE		FY	3.25	3.14	*	.14	2.95	***	.35
				SR	3.33	3.29		.06	3.06	***	.32
d	Speaking clearly and effectively	GNSPEAK		FY	2.89	2.87		.02	2.76	*	.14
۵.				SR	3.18	3.14		.05	2.95	***	.26
e.	Thinking critically and analytically	GNANALY		FY	3.42	3.31	**	.14	3.17	***	.31
c.		GWHWILL		SR	3.48	3.49		01	3.33	***	.20
f.	Analyzing quantitative problems	GNQUANT		FY	3.00	2.85	**	.16	2.89	*	.12
1.	Analyzing quantitative problems	GIVQUILLI		SR	3.07	3.01		.06	3.04		.03
σ	Using computing and information technology	GNCMPTS		FY	3.13	2.86	***	.30	3.01	*	.14
g.		Oncivii 15		SR	3.41	3.03	***	.42	3.20	***	.25
h	Working effectively with others	GNOTHERS		FY	3.18	2.99	***	.23	2.93	***	.29
11.	TOTALIS CITOCUTCLY WITH OURCES	GNOTHERS		SR	3.41	3.21	***	.25	3.12	***	.33

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		Variable	Bench- mark	Class	Mean ^a	Mean ^a	Sig b	Effect Size c	Mean a	Sig b	Effect Size ^c
i.	Voting in local, state, or national elections	GNCITIZN		FY	1.86	2.06	***	20	2.05	***	19
1.	voting in local, state, of national elections	GNCITIZN		SR	2.14	2.21		07	2.06		.08
j.	Learning effectively on your own	GNINO		FY	2.92	2.95		03	2.88		.05
J.		ONLING		SR	3.15	3.15		.00	3.00	*	.17
k.	Understanding yourself	GNSELF		FY	2.86	2.86		.00	2.73	*	.13
к.		GNSELI		SR	3.05	3.04		.01	2.78	***	.27
1.	Understanding people of other racial and ethnic	GNDIVERS		FY	3.26	2.64	***	.65	2.61	***	.68
1.	backgrounds	GNDIVERS		SR	3.19	2.64	***	.57	2.59	***	.61
m	Solving complex real-world problems	GNPROBSV		FY	2.80	2.65	**	.16	2.62	**	.19
111.	Solving complex real-world problems	GIVI KOBS V		SR	2.90	2.76	*	.14	2.74	**	.16
n	Developing a personal code of values and ethics	GNETHICS		FY	2.77	2.77		.00	2.62	**	.15
11.	Developing a personal code of values and ethics	GNETTHES		SR	2.97	2.89		.09	2.66	***	.30
0.	Contributing to the welfare of your community	GNCOMMUN		FY	2.74	2.60	*	.14	2.39	***	.36
0.	Contributing to the werrare of your community	GIVEOWINION		SR	3.00	2.70	***	.30	2.43	***	.56
n	Developing a deepened sense of spirituality	GNSPIRIT		FY	2.37	2.21	*	.14	2.08	***	.27
p.		GNSI IKTI		SR	2.39	2.15	***	.22	1.91	***	.45
. Ac	cademic Advising				1=poor, 2=fair, 3=good,	4=excellent					
	Overall, how would you evaluate the quality of			T-75.7	2.05	3.10		06	2.98		00
	academic advising you have received at your	ADVISE		FY	3.05 3.12	3.10		00	2.98	***	.08
G	institution?			SR				02	2.84	4-4-4-	.29
. <u>Sa</u>	tisfaction				1=poor, 2=fair, 3=good,	-					
	How would you evaluate your entire educational	ENTIREXP		FY	3.36	3.30		.08	3.18	***	.26
	experience at this institution?			SR	3.42	3.40		.03	3.20	***	.30
•					1=definitely no, 2=proba						
	If you could start over again, would you go to the	SAMECOLL		FY	3.38	3.23	***	.18	3.22	**	.19
	same institution you are now attending?			SR	3.42	3.26	**	.19	3.19	***	.26 156295

^a Weighted by gender, enrollment status, and institutional size.

^b * p<.05 ** p<.01 *** p<.001 (2-tailed).

^c Mean difference divided by comparison group standard deviation.



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	=			Berea C		Carnegie Peers	NSSE 2007	Berea C		Carnegie Peers	NSSE 2007
1.5		Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %
15.	Age	AGE	19 or younger	262	89%	15,965 91%	112,871 85%	0	0%	38 0%	
			20-23	18	6%	670 5%	7,990 8%	191	86%	12,787 85%	*
			24-29	9	3%	86 1%	2,528 3%	22	10%	805 7%	. ,-
			30-39	4	1%	81 2%	2,338 2%	7	3%	400 4%	11,719 <i>10%</i>
			40-55	2	1%	52 1%	1,640 2%	3	1%	373 4%	9,612 8%
			Over 55	0	0%	5 0%	130 0%	0	0%	47 0%	772 1%
			Total	295	100%	16,859 <i>100%</i>	127,497 100%	223	100%	14,450 <i>100%</i>	132,729 100%
16.	Sex	SEX	Male	125	44%	5,798 42%	44,335 45%	79	37%	4,730 40%	46,551 <i>43%</i>
			Female	170	56%	11,079 58%	83,551 55%	144	63%	9,748 60%	88,169 57%
			Total	295	100%	16,877 100%	127,886 100%	223	100%	14,478 100%	134,720 100%
17.	Are you an international	INTERNAT	No	264	89%	15,972 95%	121,634 95%	192	87%	13,776 95%	128,836 95%
	student or foreign national?		Yes	31	11%	881 5%	6,101 5%	29	13%	704 5%	5,833 5%
			Total	295	100%	16,853 100%	127,735 100%	221	100%	14,480 100%	134,669 100%
18.	Racial or ethnic identification	RACE05	American Indian or other			•	·				<u> </u>
			Native American	1	0%	90 1%	947 1%	1	0%	56 0%	1,034 1%
			Asian, Asian American,								,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
			or Pacific Islander	12	4%	755 5%	7,457 7%	11	5%	696 5%	6,297 6%
			Black or African				,				,
			American	37	12%	780 <i>7%</i>	7,774 7%	33	15%	569 6%	7,881 6%
			White (non-Hispanic)	200	68%	12,833 73%	91,470 68%	151	68%	11,227 75%	98,217 68%
			Mexican or Mexican			,	,			,	,
			American	3	1%	199 <i>1%</i>	3,465 3%	2	1%	113 1%	3,520 4%
			Puerto Rican	1	0%	69 0%	1,065 1%	0	0%	63 1%	941 1%
			Other Hispanic or Latino	3	1%	264 2%	3,100 3%	1	0%	168 <i>1%</i>	
			Multiracial	9	3%	410 3%	3,095 3%	4	2%	331 3%	,
			Other	8	3%	238 2%	1,970 2%	8	4%	173 1%	,
			I prefer not to respond	21	7%	1,205 7%	7,394 6%	11	5%	1,080 7%	,
			Total	295	100%	16,843 100%	127,737 100%	222	100%	14,476 100%	,
19.	What is your current	CLASS	Freshman/first year	273	93%	15.780 91%	109,979 82%	0	0%	13 0%	
	classification in college?		Sophomore	20	7%	935 7%	14,426 15%	0	0%	13 0%	510 0%
	_		Junior	2	1%	71 1%	1,781 2%	2	1%	484 3%	
			Senior	0	0%	37 1%	575 1%	218	99%	13,772 95%	,
			Unclassified	0	0%	41 0%	969 1%	1	0%	193 2%	
			Total	295	100%	16.864 100%	127,730 100%	221	100%	14,475 100%	-,
20.	Did you begin college at your	ENTER	Started here	263	89%	16,157 94%	116,606 90%	195	88%	11,805 80%	
	current institution or		Started elsewhere	32	11%	703 6%	11,134 10%	26	12%	2,678 20%	,
	elsewhere?		Total	295	100%	16,860 100%	127,740 100%	221	100%	14,483 100%	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
			10111	273	100/0	10,000 100/0	127,740 100/0	221	100/0	14,405 100/0	134,073 10070

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21	C: 1 :: C 1: 1	Variable	Response Options Vocational or technical	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
21.	Since graduating from high school, which of the following	VOTECH05	school	9	3%	196	2%	3,867	3%	8	4%	411	3%	9,659	7%
	types of schools have you	COMCOL05	Community or junior		370	170	270	3,007	370	0	470	711	370	7,037	
	attended other than the one	COMCOLOS	college	23	8%	721	4%	10,444	8%	27	12%	2,586	17%	48,265	36%
	you are attending now? (Mark	FOURYR05	4-year college other than			,	.,,,	,				_,,		,	
	all that apply.)	100111100	this one	17	6%	841	6%	9,049	7%	20	9%	2,398	17%	33,774	24%
		NONE05	None	247	82%	14,979	76%	105,394	68%	158	68%	9,673	60%	62,302	38%
	_	OCOL1_05	Other	8	3%	399	3%	3,506	3%	14	6%	636	4%	5,573	4%
22.	Thinking about this current	ENRLMENT	Less than full-time	3	1%	209	3%	4,453	5%	4	2%	883	8%	17,898	16%
	academic term, how would		Full-time	292	99%	16,649	97%	123,242	95%	217	98%	13,589	92%	116,672	84%
	you characterize your		Total	295	100%	16,858	100%	127,695	100%	221	100%	14,472	100%	134,570	100%
	enrollment?														
23.	Are you member of a	FRATSORO	No	290	98%	14,813	89%	114,923	90%	216	98%	12,046	83%	118,619	89%
	fraternity or sorority?		Yes	5	2%	2,037	11%	12,701	10%	5	2%	2,424	17%	15,963	11%
			Total	295	100%	16,850	100%	127,624	100%	221	100%	14,470	100%	134,582	100%
24.	Are you a student-athlete on a	ATHLETE	No	252	85%	12,965	78%	113,604	92%	188	85%	12,245	85%	126,481	96%
	team sponsored by your		Yes	43	15%	3,880	22%	13,991	8%	33	15%	2,223	15%	8,076	4%
	institution's athletics		Total	295	100%	16,845	100%	127,595	100%	221	100%	14,468	100%	134,557	100%
	department?														
25.	What have most of your	GRADES04	C- or lower	9	3%	261	2%	2,363	2%	0	0%	22	0%	276	0%
	grades been up to now at this		C	22	8%	632	4%	5,362	5%	11	5%	198	1%	2,706	2%
	institution?		C+	25	9%	837	6%	7,614	7%	8	4%	465	3%	5,412	5%
			B-	30	10%	1,506	9%	10,875	9%	26	12%	946	7%	9,792	8%
			В	61	21%	3,579	21%	26,812	21%	65	30%	2,606	18%	26,760	21%
			B+	57	19%	3,531	21%	24,907	19%	47	21%	3,405	24%	27,814	21%
			A-	48	16%	3,372	19%	22,585	17%	36	16%	3,573	24%	26,435	19%
			A	42	14%	2,965	18%	26,563	21%	28	12%	3,166	22%	34,862	25%
			Total	294	100%	16,683	100%	127,081	100%	221	100%	14,381	100%	134,057	100%
26.	Which of the following best	LIVENOW	Dormitory or campus												
	describes where you are living		housing	270	92%	15,093	85%	88,731	63%	155	70%	6,368	42%	23,311	13%
	now while attending college?		Residence, walking												
			distance	21	7%	408	3%	7,188	7%	36	16%	3,617	24%	30,263	23%
			Residence, driving												
			distance	3	1%	1,115	12%	28,687	29%	30	13%	3,848	30%	74,061	62%
			Fraternity or sorority						10.				4.0.		201
			house	0	0%	154	1%	1,083	1%	0	0%	550	4%	2,236	2%
			Total	294	100%	16,770	100%	125,689	100%	221	100%	14,383	100%	129,871	100%

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			Berea C		Carnegie		NSSE 2		Berea C		Carnegie		NSSE 2	
7a. Father's educational	Variable FATHREDU	Response Options Did not finish HS	Count 46	% 16%	Count 680	% 5%	8,559	8%	Count 35	% 16%	Count 690	6%	Count 12.241	% 10%
attainment	TATTIKEDO	Graduated from HS	106	37%	3,217	21%	30,558	24%	61	28%	2,674	20%	31,938	
attamment		Attended, no degree	50	17%	2,131	13%	18,133	14%	36	16%	1,734	12%	19,118	
		Completed Associate's	17	6%	1,201	7%	10,222	8%	12	5%	996	7%	10,770	8%
		Completed Passociate's	42	14%	4.717	27%	32,954	26%	43	19%	3.958	27%	32,892	
		Completed Master's	23	8%	2,904	17%	17,454	13%	23	10%	2,623	18%	17,581	13%
		Completed Doctorate	6	2%	1,837	11%	8,472	6%	10	5%	1,700	12%	9,092	7%
		Total	290	100%	,	100%	126,352		220	100%	,	100%	133,632	
7b. Mother's educational	MOTHREDU	Did not finish HS	32	11%	456	4%	6,476	6%	25	12%	479	4%	9,631	8%
attainment	WOTTIKEDO	Graduated from HS	87	30%	2,652	17%	27,174	22%	57	26%	2,645	19%	33,216	
utturiii erit		Attended, no degree	65	22%	2,376	14%	20,310	16%	35	16%	1,845	13%	20,768	
		Completed Associate's	41	14%	1,901	11%	15,592	12%	35	16%	1,695	11%	16,275	12%
		Completed Passociate's	45	15%	5.476	31%	36,873	28%	43	19%	4.416	30%	33,739	25%
		Completed Master's	20	7%	3,177	18%	17,259	13%	22	10%	2,811	19%	17,618	
		Completed Doctorate	20	1%	712	4%	3,117	2%	4	2%	534	4%	2,777	2%
		Total	292	100%	16,750		,	100%	221	100%		100%	134,024	
28. Primary major or expected	MAJRPCOL	Arts and humanities	61	21%	3,577	21%	17,819	13%	48	22%	3,575	24%	19,882	
primary major, in collapsed		Biological science	30	10%	2,129	12%	10,307	8%	20	9%	1,634	11%	8,888	7%
categories		Business	24	8%	1,736	11%	18,605	16%	34	16%	1,753	13%	22,623	17%
C		Education	41	14%	1,187	7%	11,636	8%	27	12%	923	6%	13,733	9%
		Engineering	5	2%	193	1%	7,225	7%	3	1%	60	0%	7,221	7%
		Physical science	25	9%	923	5%	4,248	3%	4	2%	808	6%	4,326	3%
		Professional	23	8%	693	5%	14,833	12%	19	8%	407	3%	12,079	9%
		Social science	35	12%	3,311	19%	15,189	11%	31	14%	3,588	25%	19,974	15%
		Other	31	11%	1,562	11%	19,316	17%	34	15%	1,627	12%	24,669	20%
		Undecided	18	6%	1,195	7%	6,604	5%	0	0%	1	0%	58	0%
		Total	293	100%	16,506	100%	125,782	100%	220	100%	14,376	100%	133,453	100%
9. Second major or expected	MAJRSCOL	Arts and humanities	32	29%	2,172	33%	9,098	24%	16	41%	1,393	33%	7,038	21%
second major (not minor,		Biological science	3	3%	334	5%	1,415	4%	0	0%	179	4%	1,156	4%
concentration, etc.) if		Business	8	7%	467	8%	4,755	15%	6	15%	322	9%	4,939	17%
applicable, in collapsed		Education	7	6%	407	6%	2,614	7%	3	8%	300	7%	2,898	8%
categories		Engineering	1	1%	28	0%	654	3%	0	0%	11	1%	426	2%
		Physical science	11	10%	433	7%	1,928	6%	5	13%	205	6%	1,677	6%
		Professional	4	4%	249	4%	2,521	8%	0	0%	137	3%	1,450	5%
		Social science	16	14%	1,308	21%	5,562	15%	2	5%	954	24%	5,817	19%
		Other	24	22%	583	11%	4,670	15%	6	15%	422	11%	4,660	16%
		Undecided	5	5%	199	3%	1,048	3%	1	3%	34	1%	400	2%
		Total	111	100%	6,180	100%	34,265	100%	39	100%	3,957	100%	30,461	100%
Institution reported gender	GENDER	Male	130	45%	6,566	43%	52,125	45%	80	37%	5,168	41%	52,060	43%
		Female	172	55%	12,271	57%	96,188	55%	152	63%	10,405	59%	96,221	57%

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Seniors

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_			Berea C	College	Carnegie	Peers	NSSE 2	2007	Berea C	College	Carnegie	Peers	NSSE 2	2007
	Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
		Total	302	100%		100%	148,313	100%	232	100%	15,573	100%		100%
Institution reported race or	ETHNICIT	African American/Black	45	15%	966	9%	9,990	9%	37	16%	661	7%	9,243	7%
ethnicity		Am. Indian/Native Amer.	1	0%	86	0%	901	1%	1	0%	54	0%	1,015	1%
		Asian/Pacific Islander	3	1%	740	5%	7,670	6%	2	1%	743	5%	6,428	6%
		Caucasian/White	220	73%	13,202	74%	100,370	69%	158	68%	11,675	77%	105,575	71%
		Hispanic/Latino	4	1%	577	4%	8,734	8%	4	2%	394	3%	8,393	8%
		Other	0	0%	113	1%	1,338	1%	0	0%	100	1%	1,341	1%
		Foreign	26	9%	321	2%	2,752	2%	27	12%	237	2%	2,455	2%
		Multi-racial	0	0%	121	1%	436	0%	0	0%	87	1%	315	0%
		Unknown	3	1%	737	5%	6,579	5%	3	1%	537	4%	6,598	5%
		Total	302	100%	16,863	100%	138,770	100%	232	100%	14,488	100%	141,363	100%
Institution reported enrollment	ENROLLMT	Part-time	0	0%	169	2%	6,197	6%	3	1%	735	7%	21,435	19%
		Full-time	302	100%	18,668	98%	142,116	94%	229	99%	14,838	93%	126,846	81%
		Total	302	100%	18,837	100%	148,313	100%	232	100%	15,573	100%	148,281	100%
Mode of completion	MODECOMP	Paper	0	0%	1,482	11%	5,414	6%	0	0%	1,008	9%	6,112	6%
		Web	302	100%	17,355	89%	142,899	94%	232	100%	14,565	91%	142,169	94%
		Total	302	100%	18,837	100%	148,313	100%	232	100%	15,573	100%	148,281	100%
Thinking about this current academic term, are you taking	DISTED	No	295	100%	15,320	100%	120,523	98%	221	100%	13,415	100%	124,120	97%
all courses entirely online? (item asked with the online		Yes	0	0%	60	0%	1,769	2%	0	0%	56	0%	4,422	3%
version only)		Total	295	100%	15,380	100%	122,292	100%	221	100%	13,471	100%	128,542	100%
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	<u>-</u>			Berea C		Carnegie Peers	NSSE 2007	Berea C		Carnegie Peers	NSSE 2007
		Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %
1a.	Asked questions in class or	CLQUEST	Never	1	0%	241 1%	4,849 4%	1	0%	145 1%	2,716 2%
	contributed to class	(ACL)	Sometimes	69	23%	5,439 28%	55,780 39%	27	12%	3,026 19%	38,582 28%
	discussions		Often	114	38%	7,034 38%	52,752 35%	74	32%	4,888 31%	49,187 33%
			Very often	118	39%	6,112 32%	34,821 22%	129	56%	7,504 <i>48</i> %	57,707 36%
			Total	302	100%	18,826 100%	148,202 100%	231	100%	15,563 100%	148,192 100%
b.	Made a class presentation	CLPRESEN	Never	20	7%	1,647 9%	20,368 16%	3	1%	305 2%	6,708 6%
		(ACL)	Sometimes	175	58%	10,878 57%	80,819 53%	34	15%	4,979 <i>32%</i>	49,090 35%
			Often	86	29%	5,083 27%	36,340 23%	92	40%	6,564 42%	55,673 <i>36%</i>
			Very often	21	7%	1,217 7%	10,641 7%	102	44%	3,708 24%	36,682 23%
			Total	302	100%	18,825 100%	148,168 100%	231	100%	15,556 100%	148,153 100%
c.	Prepared two or more drafts of	REWROPAP	Never	21	7%	2,303 12%	19,530 14%	30	13%	2,618 17%	24,528 17%
	a paper or assignment before		Sometimes	92	31%	6,620 35%	46,832 31%	113	49%	6,546 41%	56,961 <i>38%</i>
	turning it in		Often	112	37%	5,925 32%	47,487 32%	50	22%	3,854 25%	39,367 27%
			Very often	77	25%	3,962 21%	34,265 23%	38	17%	2,539 17%	27,262 18%
			Total	302	100%	18,810 <i>100%</i>	148,114 100%	231	100%	15,557 100%	148,118 100%
d.	Worked on a paper or project	INTEGRAT	Never	3	1%	180 1%	2,952 3%	0	0%	58 0%	1,477 1%
	that required integrating ideas		Sometimes	37	12%	3,384 18%	31,692 23%	11	5%	1,408 10%	18,289 14%
	or information from various		Often	121	40%	8,600 45%	66,470 44%	75	33%	5,650 37%	57,720 40%
	sources		Very often	141	47%	6,636 35%	46,963 31%	145	63%	8,437 53%	70,622 46%
			Total	302	100%	18,800 100%	148,077 100%	231	100%	15,553 100%	148,108 100%
e.	Included diverse perspectives	DIVCLASS	Never	5	2%	719 4%	8,987 7%	2	1%	537 4%	9,467 7%
	(different races, religions,		Sometimes	43	14%	5.666 31%	48.686 33%	41	18%	4,453 29%	46,637 32%
	genders, political beliefs, etc.)		Often	119	39%	7,418 39%	56,754 38%	90	39%	5,789 37%	51,396 34%
	in class discussions or writing		Very often	135	45%	4.986 26%	33,563 22%	98	43%	4,757 31%	40,493 27%
	assignments		Total	302	100%	18,789 100%	147,990 100%	231	100%	15,536 100%	147,993 100%
f.	Come to class without	CLUNPREP	Never	67	22%	4,416 23%	34,755 22%	24	10%	2,860 19%	28,951 19%
	completing readings or		Sometimes	201	67%	11,520 61%	87,454 58%	158	68%	9,853 63%	87,609 59%
	assignments		Often	27	9%	2,053 12%	18,252 13%	34	15%	2,032 13%	21,796 16%
			Very often	7	2%	808 5%	7,528 6%	15	7%	804 5%	9,685 7%
			Total	302	100%	18,797 100%	147,989 100%	231	100%	15,549 100%	148,041 100%
g.	Worked with other students	CLASSGRP	Never	19	6%	2.598 13%	17,789 12%	22	9%	1,952 12%	15,417 11%
0.	on projects during class	(ACL)	Sometimes	148	49%	9.349 49%	68,870 45%	88	38%	7,775 49%	64,009 43%
	FJeen auring einen	(102)	Often	103	34%	5,383 29%	46,561 32%	85	37%	4,213 28%	45,717 31%
			Very often	32	10%	1,468 8%	14,829 10%	37	16%	1,609 11%	22.930 16%
			Total	302	10%	18,798 100%	148,049 100%	232	100%	,	148,073 100%
			101a1	302	100%	10,790 100%	148,049 100%	232	100%	15,549 <i>100%</i>	148,073 100%

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h.	Worked with classmates	OCCGRP	Never	16	5%	1,101 7%	18,625 <i>15%</i>	4	2%	676 5%	9,974 7%
	outside of class to prepare	(ACL)	Sometimes	128	42%	8,196 44%	66,171 <i>45%</i>	53	23%	5,702 37%	50,801 35%
	class assignments		Often	125	41%	6,971 <i>36%</i>	45,419 29%	99	43%	5,844 37%	51,016 34%
			Very often	33	11%	2,536 13%	17,875 12%	76	33%	3,331 21%	36,317 24%
			Total	302	100%	18,804 100%	148,090 100%	232	100%	15,553 100%	148,108 100%
i.	Put together ideas or concepts	INTIDEAS	Never	5	2%	773 5%	8,765 7%	3	1%	275 2%	4,106 3%
	from different courses when		Sometimes	125	42%	7,070 39%	59,224 42%	44	19%	3,952 26%	39,927 28%
	completing assignments or		Often	125	42%	7,314 40%	53,576 37%	109	48%	6,611 43%	62,727 43%
	during class discussions		Very often	44	15%	2,944 16%	19,142 13%	72	32%	4,373 29%	37,166 25%
			Total	299	100%	18,101 100%	140,707 100%	228	100%	15,211 100%	143,926 100%
j.	Tutored or taught other	TUTOR	Never	115	39%	8,804 50%	71,447 51%	46	20%	5,377 36%	60,017 43%
	students (paid or voluntary)	(ACL)	Sometimes	127	42%	6,436 34%	48,077 34%	82	36%	5,643 37%	51,484 36%
			Often	38	13%	1,956 11%	14,890 11%	40	17%	2,234 15%	18,426 <i>13%</i>
			Very often	19	6%	915 5%	6,338 5%	61	27%	1,965 13%	14,026 9%
			Total	299	100%	18,111 100%	140,752 100%	229	100%	15,219 100%	143,953 100%
k.	Participated in a community-	COMMPROJ	Never	172	57%	10,095 57%	85,900 64%	48	21%	6,993 47%	73,365 54%
	based project (e.g. service	(ACL)	Sometimes	89	30%	5,280 29%	36,594 24%	97	43%	5,347 34%	44,411 29%
	learning) as part of a regular		Often	24	8%	1,907 10%	12,816 8%	52	23%	1,903 12%	16,559 11%
	course		Very often	14	5%	819 4%	5,374 4%	31	14%	970 6%	9,565 6%
			Total	299	100%	18,101 100%	140,684 100%	228	100%	15,213 100%	143,900 100%
1.	Used an electronic medium	ITACADEM	Never	36	12%	2,946 17%	23,147 16%	24	10%	2,073 13%	16,543 11%
	(listserv, chat group, Internet,	(EEE)	Sometimes	104	35%	5,848 32%	44,446 31%	57	25%	4,825 31%	40,751 28%
	instant messaging, etc.) to		Often	87	29%	4,957 27%	38,616 27%	76	33%	4,030 26%	38,348 27%
	discuss or complete an		Very often	72	24%	4,353 24%	34,506 25%	71	31%	4,291 29%	48,307 <i>34%</i>
	assignment		Total	299	100%	18,104 100%	140,715 100%	228	100%	15,219 100%	143,949 100%
m.	Used e-mail to communicate	EMAIL	Never	3	1%	110 1%	2,178 2%	1	0%	46 0%	866 1%
	with an instructor		Sometimes	43	14%	2,908 18%	31,749 25%	16	7%	1,490 11%	19,996 <i>16%</i>
			Often	117	39%	6,842 38%	52,538 37%	66	29%	4,475 30%	45,613 32%
			Very often	136	45%	8,247 <i>43%</i>	54,252 36%	146	64%	9,207 59%	77,478 51%
			Total	299	100%	18,107 100%	140,717 100%	229	100%	15,218 100%	143,953 100%
n.	Discussed grades or	FACGRADE	Never	7	2%	913 5%	10,570 8%	4	2%	528 4%	6,018 5%
	assignments with an instructor	(SFI)	Sometimes	107	36%	7,298 40%	60,515 44%	70	31%	4,978 33%	51,033 37%
			Often	101	34%	6,244 35%	44,608 31%	85	37%	5,268 35%	48,062 33%
			Very often	84	28%	3,648 20%	25,021 17%	69	30%	4,443 29%	38,822 25%
			Total	299	100%	18,103 100%	140,714 100%	228	100%	15,217 100%	143,935 100%

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		Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %
0.	Talked about career plans	FACPLANS	Never	44	15%	3,505 20%	31,823 24%	8	3%	1,154 8%	21,761 17%
	with a faculty member or	(SFI)	Sometimes	148	49%	8,750 47%	66,887 47%	77	34%	5,503 37%	58,674 42%
	advisor		Often	71	24%	3,980 22%	29,060 20%	81	35%	4,762 31%	37,339 24%
			Very often	36	12%	1,870 10%	12,941 9%	62	27%	3,801 24%	26,171 <i>16%</i>
			Total	299	100%	18,105 100%	140,711 100%	228	100%	15,220 100%	143,945 100%
p.	Discussed ideas from your	FACIDEAS	Never	67	22%	5,520 30%	56,774 42%	27	12%	2,384 16%	38,627 29%
	readings or classes with	(SFI)	Sometimes	148	50%	8,262 45%	56,140 <i>39%</i>	99	43%	7,046 <i>46%</i>	64,167 <i>44%</i>
	faculty members outside of		Often	64	21%	2,965 17%	19,414 <i>14%</i>	56	25%	3,618 24%	26,259 17%
	class		Very often	20	7%	1,359 8%	8,368 6%	46	20%	2,165 14%	14,876 10%
			Total	299	100%	18,106 <i>100%</i>	140,696 100%	228	100%	15,213 100%	143,929 100%
q.	Received prompt written or	FACFEED	Never	8	3%	684 5%	9,554 8%	5	2%	292 2%	5,982 5%
	oral feedback from faculty on	(SFI)	Sometimes	83	28%	5,808 32%	51,604 39%	54	24%	3,718 25%	43,442 32%
	your academic performance		Often	138	46%	8,022 45%	56,157 39%	124	54%	7,357 48%	64,715 44%
			Very often	68	23%	3,368 18%	20,926 14%	45	20%	3,733 24%	28,341 18%
			Total	297	100%	17,882 100%	138,241 100%	228	100%	15,100 100%	142,480 100%
r.	Worked harder than you	WORKHARD	Never	11	4%	1,154 7%	10,169 8%	9	4%	798 6%	8,526 7%
	thought you could to meet an	(LAC)	Sometimes	92	31%	6,709 37%	53,658 39%	67	30%	5,218 35%	50,918 37%
	instructor's standards or		Often	123	41%	7,011 39%	52,532 37%	95	42%	5,816 38%	54,132 37%
	expectations		Very often	71	24%	3,006 17%	21,867 15%	56	25%	3,264 21%	28,855 19%
			Total	297	100%	17,880 100%	138,226 100%	227	100%	15,096 100%	142,431 100%
s.	Worked with faculty members	FACOTHER	Never	136	46%	8,220 47%	78,061 59%	50	22%	4,176 29%	62,779 48%
	on activities other than	(SFI)	Sometimes	102	34%	6.408 34%	39.807 27%	92	41%	5,824 38%	46,046 31%
	coursework (committees,		Often	37	12%	2,284 13%	14,549 10%	55	24%	3,070 20%	21,003 13%
	orientation, student life		Very often	22	7%	962 5%	5,780 4%	30	13%	2,024 13%	12,591 8%
	activities, etc.)		Total	297	100%	17.874 100%	138,197 100%	227	100%	15,094 100%	142,419 100%
t.	Discussed ideas from your	OOCIDEAS	Never	9	3%	648 4%	9,138 8%	3	1%	317 2%	5,723 5%
	readings or classes with others	(ACL)	Sometimes	79	27%	5.952 34%	52,524 38%	46	20%	4,194 28%	46,531 33%
	outside of class (students,	(- /	Often	120	40%	6.808 37%	48,883 35%	94	41%	5,987 39%	53,496 37%
	family members, co-workers,		Very often	89	30%	4.465 24%	27,629 19%	84	37%	4,589 30%	36,673 25%
	etc.)		Total	297	100%	17.873 100%	138,174 100%	227	100%	15,087 100%	142,423 100%
u.	Had serious conversations	DIVRSTUD	Never	18	6%	2.431 14%	21,899 16%	9	4%	1,643 11%	18,077 12%
	with students of a different	(EEE)	Sometimes	64	22%	6.170 34%	47,874 34%	59	26%	5,715 37%	51,236 35%
	race or ethnicity than your	(LLL)	Often	83	28%	4,760 27%	36,459 27%	75	33%	3,897 26%	38,138 28%
	own		Very often	132	44%	4,512 25%	31,939 23%	85	38%	3,829 26%	34,882 25%
			Total	297	100%	17.873 100%	138.171 100%	228	100%	15,084 100%	142,333 100%
	-		Total	291	100%	17,873 100%	136,1/1 100%	228	100%	13,084 100%	142,333 100%

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		Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %
v.	Had serious conversations	DIFFSTU2	Never	13	4%	1,251 8%	15,058 <i>12%</i>	6	3%	955 7%	13,266 10%
	with students who are very	(EEE)	Sometimes	70	24%	5,672 32%	46,649 <i>34%</i>	53	23%	5,134 <i>33%</i>	50,163 35%
	different from you in terms of		Often	79	27%	5,555 30%	40,888 29%	70	31%	4,685 31%	42,177 30%
	their religious beliefs, political		Very often	135	45%	5,392 30%	35,566 25%	98	44%	4,320 29%	36,749 26%
	opinions, or personal values		Total	297	100%	17,870 100%	138,161 100%	227	100%	15,094 100%	142,355 100%
2a.	Coursework emphasizes:	MEMORIZE	Very little	17	6%	1,420 9%	7,837 6%	18	8%	1,885 12%	12,802 9%
	Memorizing facts, ideas, or		Some	100	34%	5,512 <i>31%</i>	37,742 27%	80	35%	5,152 34%	44,789 31%
	methods from your courses		Quite a bit	121	41%	6,966 39%	55,855 41%	80	35%	5,120 34%	51,615 37%
	and readings		Very much	60	20%	3,875 22%	35,663 26%	50	22%	2,868 20%	32,318 23%
			Total	298	100%	17,773 100%	137,097 100%	228	100%	15,025 100%	141,524 100%
b.	Coursework emphasizes:	ANALYZE	Very little	7	2%	225 2%	2,785 2%	0	0%	112 1%	2,005 2%
	Analyzing the basic elements	(LAC)	Some	43	15%	2,488 15%	26,487 20%	25	11%	1,520 11%	19,875 <i>15%</i>
	of an idea, experience, or		Quite a bit	112	38%	7,911 44%	62,337 45%	91	40%	6,218 41%	61,563 43%
	theory		Very much	136	46%	7,145 39%	45,421 32%	111	49%	7,173 48%	58,044 40%
			Total	298	100%	17,769 100%	137,030 100%	227	100%	15,023 100%	141,487 100%
c.	Coursework emphasizes:	SYNTHESZ	Very little	9	3%	482 3%	5,948 5%	7	3%	280 2%	4,567 4%
	Synthesizing and organizing	(LAC)	Some	73	24%	4,154 24%	38,991 30%	35	16%	2,548 17%	30,860 23%
	ideas, information, or		Quite a bit	104	35%	7,784 43%	58,026 42%	103	45%	5,989 40%	58,192 41%
	experiences		Very much	112	38%	5,344 30%	34,034 24%	82	36%	6,196 41%	47,808 33%
			Total	298	100%	17,764 100%	136,999 100%	227	100%	15,013 100%	141,427 100%
d.	Coursework emphasizes:	EVALUATE	Very little	9	3%	677 4%	7,135 6%	3	1%	530 4%	6,821 5%
	Making judgments about the	(LAC)	Some	56	19%	4,418 25%	38,429 29%	34	15%	3,110 21%	33,170 24%
	value of information,		Quite a bit	122	41%	7,610 43%	57,425 41%	100	44%	6,137 41%	56,402 39%
	arguments, or methods		Very much	111	37%	5,061 28%	34,009 24%	90	40%	5,242 35%	45,060 31%
			Total	298	100%	17,766 100%	136,998 100%	227	100%	15,019 100%	141,453 100%
e.	Coursework emphasizes:	APPLYING	Very little	10	3%	468 3%	4,936 4%	6	3%	304 2%	3,795 3%
	Applying theories or concepts	(LAC)	Some	51	17%	3,781 22%	31,469 24%	31	14%	2,362 16%	23,706 18%
	to practical problems or in		Quite a bit	120	40%	7,367 41%	55,973 40%	80	35%	5,715 38%	53,272 38%
	new situations		Very much	117	39%	6,151 34%	44,644 32%	111	48%	6,641 44%	60,706 42%
			Total	298	100%	17,767 100%	137,022 100%	228	100%	15,022 100%	141,479 100%
3a.	Number of assigned	READASGN	None	1	0%	42 0%	956 1%	3	1%	106 1%	1,763 1%
	textbooks, books, or book-	(LAC)	1-4	30	10%	1,782 13%	26,272 22%	38	17%	2,551 18%	37,202 28%
	length packs of course		5-10	123	42%	6,203 36%	58,425 44%	80	35%	5,165 34%	54,509 39%
	readings		11-20	104	35%	6,400 33%	35,771 24%	63	28%	4,187 27%	29,363 20%
			More than 20	39	13%	3,288 17%	15,215 10%	43	19%	2,957 19%	18,172 <i>12%</i>
			Total	297	100%	17,715 100%	136,639 100%	227	100%	14,966 100%	141,009 100%

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b.	Number of books read on	Variable READOWN	Response Options None	Count 64	% 22%	Count % 4,168 23%	Count % 35,400 27%	Count 45	20%	Count % 2,742 19%	Count % 29,828 21%
υ.	your own (not assigned) for	READOWN	1-4		56%	10,112 57%	75,623 55%		51%	8,457 56%	76,622 54%
	personal enjoyment or		5-10	165		-,					*
	academic enrichment			45	15%	2,367 14%	16,672 12%	43	19%	2,473 17%	21,388 15%
	academic emicimient		11-20	12	4%	594 4%	4,720 3%	8	3%	705 5%	6,851 5%
			More than 20	11	4%	477 3%	4,225 3%	14	6%	603 4%	6,355 5%
			Total	-/.	100%	17,718 100%	136,640 100%		100%	14,980 100%	141,044 100%
c.	Number of written papers or	WRITEMOR	None	255	86%	14,799 83%	114,853 83%		40%	5,680 39%	69,208 51%
	reports of 20 pages or more	(LAC)	1-4	34	11%	2,364 14%	16,480 <i>13%</i>	116	51%	8,120 53%	60,455 41%
			5-10	5	2%	292 2%	2,973 3%	16	7%	867 6%	7,907 6%
			11-20	2	1%	150 1%	1,275 1%	4	2%	166 1%	1,894 2%
			More than 20	1	0%	112 1%	1,050 1%	0	0%	138 1%	1,545 1%
			Total	-//	100%	17,717 100%	136,631 100%	227 1	100%	14,971 100%	141,009 100%
d.	Number of written papers or	WRITEMID	None	26	9%	1,047 7%	17,225 <i>15%</i>	5	2%	604 5%	11,835 9%
	reports between 5 and 19	(LAC)	1-4	155	52%	8,583 49%	72,675 53%	71	31%	5,137 35%	61,431 <i>45%</i>
	pages		5-10	88	30%	5,958 32%	35,672 24%	108	47%	5,999 <i>39%</i>	45,322 31%
			11-20	23	8%	1,806 10%	9,174 6%	30	13%	2,461 16%	16,494 <i>11%</i>
			More than 20	5	2%	326 2%	1,876 1%	13	6%	769 5%	5,931 4%
			Total	297	100%	17,720 100%	136,622 100%	227 1	100%	14,970 100%	141,013 100%
e.	Number of written papers or	WRITESML	None	4	1%	206 2%	3,452 3%	7	3%	612 4%	8,401 7%
	reports of fewer than 5 pages	(LAC)	1-4	56	19%	3,713 23%	39,978 32%	56	25%	4,038 28%	46,698 35%
			5-10	82	28%	6,281 35%	46,973 34%	60	26%	4,486 30%	39,587 28%
			11-20	81	27%	4,756 26%	29,952 20%	54	24%	3,266 21%	25,720 17%
			More than 20	74	25%	2,767 15%	16,321 11%	50	22%	2,575 17%	20,644 14%
			Total	297	100%	17,723 100%	136,676 100%	227 1	100%	14,977 100%	141,050 100%
4a.	Number of problem sets that	PROBSETA	None	21	7%	2,691 15%	17,730 13%	41	18%	4,245 28%	28,706 20%
	take you more than an hour to		1-2	81	27%	6,019 35%	49,545 37%	64	28%	4,499 31%	45,313 33%
	complete		3-4	105	36%	5,648 32%	43,706 31%	69	30%	3,691 25%	39,583 28%
			5-6	56	19%	1,861 10%	13,847 10%	25	11%	1,271 8%	13,064 9%
			More than 6	33	11%	1,436 8%	11,469 9%	28	12%	1,167 8%	13,805 10%
			Total	296	100%	17,655 100%	136,297 100%	227 1	100%	14,873 100%	140,471 100%
b.	Number of problem sets that	PROBSETB	None	36	12%	3,101 18%	18,273 14%	61	27%	5,140 34%	38,854 28%
	take you less than an hour to		1-2	100	34%	6,084 35%	48,918 36%	64	28%	4,787 33%	50,270 36%
	complete		3-4	91	31%	4,597 26%	37.071 27%		24%	2,944 20%	28,909 20%
	-		5-6	33	11%	2,170 12%	16,243 11%	21	9%	1,051 7%	11,028 8%
			More than 6	36	12%	1.690 10%	15,708 12%	26	12%	935 6%	11,346 8%
			Total		100%	17,642 100%	136,213 100%		100%	14,857 100%	140,407 100%
			1000	2,0	100/0	17,012 10070	123,213 10070	22, 1	. 50/0	11,007 10070	1.3,107 10070

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6a. Attended an art exhibit, play, ATDART07 Never 7 2% 1,846 13% 26,726 23% 14 6% 2,021 15% 36,881	100%
	28%
dance, music, theater, or other Sometimes 86 29% 7,999 45% 63,901 47% 87 39% 6,804 46% 65,791	47%
performance Often 114 39% 4,592 25% 27,966 19% 70 31% 3,399 23% 22,570	15%
Very often 89 30% 3,152 17% 16,789 11% 55 24% 2,660 17% 14,766	10%
Total 296 100% 17,589 100% 135,382 100% 226 100% 14,884 100% 140,008	100%
b. Exercised or participated in EXRCSE05 Never 13 4% 1,306 10% 15,788 13% 11 5% 1,379 10% 19,176	15%
physical fitness activities Sometimes 97 33% 4,511 26% 39,012 29% 62 27% 4,217 28% 46,080	33%
Often 82 28% 4,185 23% 34,221 25% 70 31% 3,488 23% 32,725	23%
Very often 103 35% 7,591 41% 46,353 32% 83 37% 5,799 39% 42,025	29%
Total 295 100% 17,593 100% 135,374 100% 226 100% 14,883 100% 140,006	100%
c. Participated in activities to WORSHP05 Never 81 27% 6,265 37% 52,913 41% 47 21% 5,301 37% 50,940	38%
enhance your spirituality Sometimes 112 38% 5,544 31% 38,610 28% 86 38% 4,593 30% 40,783	28%
(worship, meditation, prayer, Often 55 19% 2,769 15% 19,911 14% 43 19% 2,246 15% 20,648	14%
etc.) Very often 47 16% 3,008 17% 23,922 17% 50 22% 2,740 18% 27,598	19%
Total 295 100% 17,586 100% 135,356 100% 226 100% 14,880 100% 139,969	100%
d. Examined the strengths and OWNVIEW Never 10 3% 1,102 7% 12,934 10% 9 4% 758 5% 10,568	8%
weaknesses of your own views Sometimes 84 29% 6,463 36% 54,070 40% 71 31% 4,917 33% 50,286	36%
on a topic or issue Often 110 37% 6,480 36% 45,619 33% 92 41% 5,589 37% 50,382	36%
Very often 91 31% 3,537 21% 22,700 16% 54 24% 3,615 24% 28,748	20%
Total 295 100% 17,582 100% 135,323 100% 226 100% 14,879 100% 139,984	100%
e. Tried to better understand OTHRVIEW Never 6 2% 690 4% 7,994 7% 3 1% 438 3% 6,304	5%
someone else's views by Sometimes 74 25% 5,711 33% 47,871 36% 64 29% 4,349 29% 44,840	32%
imagining how an issue looks Often 101 34% 6,947 39% 51,374 37% 98 43% 5,975 40% 54,933	39%
from his or her perspective Very often 114 38% 4,234 24% 28,105 21% 61 27% 4,116 28% 33,917	24%
Total 295 100% 17,582 100% 135,344 100% 226 100% 14,878 100% 139,994	100%
f. Learned something that CHNGVIEW Never 8 3% 435 3% 5,234 4% 5 2% 258 2% 3,898	3%
changed the way you Sometimes 80 27% 5,137 30% 45,478 34% 58 26% 3,951 27% 43,908	32%
understand an issue or Often 107 36% 7,080 39% 53,230 39% 94 42% 6,203 41% 56,499	40%
concept Very often 100 34% 4,935 28% 31,396 22% 69 30% 4,464 30% 35,678	25%
Total 295 100% 17,587 100% 135,338 100% 226 100% 14,876 100% 139,983	100%

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				Berea C	College	Carnegie Peers	NSSE 2007	Berea C	ollege	Carnegie Peers	NSSE 2007
		Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %
7a.	Practicum, internship, field	INTERN04	Have not decided	44	15%	2,135 12%	16,888 <i>14%</i>	16	7%	786 <i>6%</i>	9,960 8%
	experience, co-op experience,	(EEE)	Do not plan to do	16	5%	470 3%	5,060 4%	46	21%	2,344 16%	21,864 16%
	or clinical assignment		Plan to do	224	76%	13,324 76%	101,604 75%	26	12%	1,655 12%	28,668 23%
			Done	12	4%	1,458 9%	9,890 7%	137	61%	10,009 66%	78,257 <i>53%</i>
			Tota	1 296	100%	17,387 100%	133,442 100%	225	100%	14,794 100%	138,749 100%
b.	Community service or	VOLNTR04	Have not decided	50	17%	1,763 12%	18,034 <i>15%</i>	10	5%	837 6%	12,465 10%
	volunteer work	(EEE)	Do not plan to do	11	4%	656 5%	8,275 8%	22	10%	1,780 <i>13%</i>	21,723 17%
			Plan to do	151	51%	6,730 38%	53,357 40%	23	10%	1,217 9%	17,768 <i>14%</i>
			Done	84	28%	8,233 45%	53,743 38%	170	75%	10,956 72%	86,769 59%
			Tota	1 296	100%	17,382 100%	133,409 100%	225	100%	14,790 100%	138,725 100%
c.	Participate in a learning	LRNCOM04	Have not decided	120	40%	6,944 39%	46,568 <i>34%</i>	23	10%	1,710 12%	19,213 <i>15%</i>
	community or some other	(EEE)	Do not plan to do	61	21%	4,398 26%	35,343 27%	91	40%	8,577 57%	72,668 52%
	formal program where groups		Plan to do	87	29%	3,765 22%	29,680 22%	22	10%	682 5%	10,000 8%
	of students take two or more		Done	28	10%	2,264 13%	21,771 17%	89	39%	3,813 26%	36,767 25%
	classes together		Tota	1 296	100%	17,371 100%	133,362 100%	225	100%	14,782 100%	138,648 100%
d.	Worked on a research project	RESRCH04	Have not decided	112	37%	7,362 42%	54,368 40%	36	16%	1,495 11%	21,520 17%
	with a faculty member outside	(SFI)	Do not plan to do	55	19%	3,073 19%	32,159 25%	106	47%	7,678 51%	74,001 52%
	of course or program		Plan to do	104	35%	6,206 35%	40,591 30%	22	10%	1,187 8%	15,239 12%
	requirements		Done	25	9%	736 5%	6,235 5%	61	27%	4,426 29%	27,914 19%
			Tota	1 296	100%	17,377 100%	133,353 100%	225	100%	14,786 100%	138,674 100%
e.	Foreign language coursework	FORLNG04	Have not decided	44	15%	2,036 13%	23,926 19%	15	7%	544 4%	10,765 8%
		(EEE)	Do not plan to do	40	14%	2,553 16%	34,222 27%	72	32%	3,790 26%	58,445 <i>42%</i>
			Plan to do	144	49%	5,539 32%	42,434 32%	11	5%	594 <i>4%</i>	10,719 9%
			Done	68	23%	7,255 39%	32,803 22%	127	56%	9,856 65%	58,771 41%
			Tota	1 296	100%	17,383 100%	133,385 100%	225	100%	14,784 100%	138,700 100%
f.	Study abroad	STDABR04	Have not decided	55	19%	3,972 24%	38,428 30%	23	10%	919 7%	16,319 <i>13%</i>
		(EEE)	Do not plan to do	28	10%	2,415 17%	33,620 27%	79	35%	7,942 54%	89,238 64%
			Plan to do	208	70%	10,628 57%	58,240 40%	23	10%	791 <i>6%</i>	10,393 9%
			Done	5	2%	371 <i>3%</i>	3,080 3%	99	44%	5,137 33%	22,715 14%
			Tota	1 296	100%	17,386 100%	133,368 100%	224	100%	14,789 100%	138,665 100%
g.	Independent study or self-	INDSTD04	Have not decided	99	33%	6,605 37%	45,953 34%	20	9%	942 7%	15,820 13%
	designed major	(EEE)	Do not plan to do	134	45%	6,912 39%	62,984 47%	146	65%	8,508 57%	85,464 61%
			Plan to do	60	20%	3,424 21%	20,595 16%	10	5%	686 5%	10,816 9%
			Done	3	1%	439 3%	3,826 3%	49	22%	4,648 30%	26,562 17%
			Tota	1 296	100%	17,380 100%	133,358 100%	225	100%	14,784 100%	138,662 100%

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	_	Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Carriegie	%	Count	%
h.	Culminating senior	SNRX04	Have not decided	93	31%	5,595	32%	52,280	40%	7	3%	636	5%	14,057	11%
	experience (capstone course,	(EEE)	Do not plan to do	12	4%	965	6%	14,179	12%	14	6%	2,363	17%	35,086	27%
	senior project or thesis,	()	Plan to do	188	63%	10.637	60%	65,064	46%	82	37%	3,589	24%	40,132	29%
	comprehensive exam, etc.)		Done	3	1%	186	1%	1,834	2%	121	54%	8,199	55%	49,388	
			Total	296	100%	17,383		133,357		224	100%	14,787		138,663	
8a.	Quality of relationships with	ENVSTU	1 Unfriendly,			-7,000						- 1,1 01		,	
	other students	(SCE)	Unsupportive, Sense of												
			Alienation	1	0%	132	1%	1,358	1%	0	0%	107	1%	1,147	1%
			2	5	2%	381	2%	3,201	3%	3	1%	270	2%	2,861	2%
			3	15	5%	709	4%	6,394	5%	7	3%	561	4%	5,853	5%
			4	26	9%	1,592	10%	14,901	12%	13	6%	1,211	8%	13,700	11%
			5	54	18%	3,215	19%	27,038	21%	54	24%	2,767	19%	27,284	20%
			6	96	32%	5,560	32%	40,394	30%	83	37%	4,648	31%	41,873	30%
			7 Friendly, Supportive,	99	33%	5,773	33%	39,770	28%	65	29%	5,202	35%	45,702	31%
			Sense of Belonging												
			Total	296	100%	17,362	100%	133,056	100%	225	100%	14,766	100%	138,420	100%
b.	Quality of relationships with	ENVFAC	1 Unavailable, Unhelpful,												
	faculty members	(SCE)	Unsympathetic	0	0%	57	1%	978	1%	0	0%	47	0%	1,171	1%
			2	0	0%	171	1%	2,888	3%	1	0%	126	1%	2,984	3%
			3	7	2%	531	3%	7,636	7%	16	7%	379	3%	6,343	5%
			4	37	13%	1,884	12%	21,881	18%	21	9%	1,042	8%	16,574	13%
			5	97	33%	4,317	25%	36,368	27%	60	27%	2,829	19%	32,246	24%
			6	92	31%	6,132	34%	38,793	27%	73	32%	5,129	34%	43,330	30%
			7 Available, Helpful,	63	21%	4,275	24%	24,520	17%	54	24%	5,221	35%	35,805	24%
			Sympathetic												
			Total	296	100%	17,367	100%	133,064	100%	225	100%	14,773	100%	138,453	100%
c.	Quality of relationships with	ENVADM	1 Unhelpful,												
	administrative personnel and	(SCE)	Inconsiderate, Rigid	4	1%	318	2%	3,812	3%	3	1%	614	4%	6,779	5%
	offices		2	9	3%	753	5%	7,951	7%	26	12%	1,099	8%	11,235	9%
			3	36	12%	1,507	9%	14,475	12%	19	8%	1,594	11%	15,730	12%
			4	71	24%	3,613	21%	30,687	24%	56	25%	2,955	20%	28,954	21%
			5	77	26%	4,541	25%	32,200	23%	58	26%	3,437	23%	29,918	21%
			6	60	20%	3,906	21%	26,029	19%	40	18%	2,902	20%	25,637	18%
			7 Helpful, Considerate,	38	13%	2,715	16%	17,839	13%	23	10%	2,170	15%	20,125	14%
			Flexible												
			Total	295	100%	17,353	100%	132,993	100%	225	100%	14,771	100%	138,378	100%

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9a	Preparing for class (studying,	Variable ACADPR01	Response Options 0 hr/wk	Count 0	0%	Count 31	% 0%	Count 386	0%	Count 0	% 0%	Count 35	% 0%	Count 462	<u>%</u> 0%
, u.	reading, writing, doing	(LAC)	1-5 hr/wk	20	7%	1,571	12%	20,382	17%		4%		13%	23,876	
	homework or lab work,	(LAC)	6-10 hr/wk	62		· · · · · ·	23%	34,393	27%	10		1,661 3,296		35,934	
	analyzing data, rehearsing,		11-15 hr/wk		21%	3,731				36	16%		23%		26%
	and other academic activities)			70	24%	4,032	23%	29,439	22%	49	22%	3,088	21%	27,171	19%
	,		16-20 hr/wk	59	20%	3,481	19%	22,187	16%	45	20%	2,686	18%	21,315	
			21-25 hr/wk	43	15%	2,241	12%	12,964	9%	37	16%	1,755	11%	12,577	9%
			26-30 hr/wk	26	9%	1,176	6%	6,674	5%	22	10%	1,086	7%	7,560	5%
			30+ hr/wk	15	5%	1,020	5%	5,849	4%	26	12%	1,109	7%	8,986	
			Total	295	100%	17,283		132,274		225	100%	14,716		,	
b.	Working for pay on campus	WORKON01	0 hr/wk	2	1%	10,891	66%	100,298	79%	6	3%	7,350	52%	96,262	73%
			1-5 hr/wk	3	1%	1,806	9%	6,326	4%	1	0%	2,018	13%	7,233	4%
			6-10 hr/wk	130	44%	2,852	15%	12,334	7%	28	13%	2,918	19%	12,641	7%
			11-15 hr/wk	149	51%	1,140	6%	7,372	5%	113	50%	1,355	9%	8,989	6%
			16-20 hr/wk	8	3%	427	3%	4,055	3%	63	28%	693	5%	7,709	6%
			21-25 hr/wk	2	1%	76	0%	855	1%	10	4%	178	1%	2,087	2%
			26-30 hr/wk	0	0%	25	0%	328	0%	1	0%	76	1%	927	1%
			30+ hr/wk	1	0%	62	0%	704	1%	3	1%	127	1%	2,026	2%
			Total	295	100%	17,279	100%	132,272	100%	225	100%	14,715	100%	137,874	100%
c.	Working for pay off campus	WORKOF01	0 hr/wk	292	99%	13,987	79%	89,989	65%	189	84%	8,595	58%	58,931	41%
			1-5 hr/wk	2	1%	867	5%	6,332	4%	12	5%	1,093	7%	7,253	5%
			6-10 hr/wk	1	0%	786	5%	6,669	5%	6	3%	1,097	7%	9,039	6%
			11-15 hr/wk	0	0%	541	3%	6,610	5%	7	3%	1,017	7%	9,385	7%
			16-20 hr/wk	0	0%	493	3%	7,451	6%	5	2%	1,002	7%	12,930	10%
			21-25 hr/wk	0	0%	258	2%	5,228	5%	2	1%	668	5%	10,173	8%
			26-30 hr/wk	0	0%	137	1%	3,187	3%	1	0%	381	3%	7,020	6%
			30+ hr/wk	0	0%	218	3%	6,789	7%	3	1%	861	7%	23,130	19%
			Total	295	100%	17,287	100%	132,255	100%	225	100%	14,714	100%	137,861	100%
d.	Participating in co-curricular	COCURR01	0 hr/wk	82	28%	3,607	25%	46,874	39%	54	24%	3,511	26%	59,899	47%
	activities (organizations,	(EEE)	1-5 hr/wk	138	47%	6,514	35%	44,558	32%	97	43%	5,143	34%	41,368	29%
	campus publications, student		6-10 hr/wk	42	14%	3,022	17%	18,657	13%	36	16%	2,540	17%	16,372	11%
	government, fraternity or		11-15 hr/wk	18	6%	1,752	10%	9,759	7%	20	9%	1,435	9%	8,140	5%
	sorority, intercollegiate or		16-20 hr/wk	6	2%	1,170	6%	5,863	4%	8	4%	935	6%	5,271	3%
	intramural sports, etc.)		21-25 hr/wk	5	2%	561	3%	2,921	2%	5	2%	493	3%	2,727	2%
			26-30 hr/wk	2	1%	274	1%	1,315	1%	2	1%	248	2%	1,366	1%
			30+ hr/wk	2	1%	393	2%	2,342	2%	3	1%	416	3%	2,740	2%
			Total	295	100%	17,293		132,289		225	100%	14,721		137,883	

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	_			Berea C		Carnegie 1		NSSE 20		Berea C		Carnegie		NSSE 2	
	D-1ininlinin-	Variable SOCIAL05	Response Options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	10/	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
e.	Relaxing and socializing	SOCIALUS	0 hr/wk	8	3%	160	1%	1,348	1%	4	2%	105	1%	1,679	1%
	(watching TV, partying, etc.)		1-5 hr/wk	103	35%	3,689	22%	30,458	23%	77	34%	3,469	24%	39,818	
			6-10 hr/wk	102	34%	5,388	30%	38,949	29%	67	30%	4,692	31%	42,878	
			11-15 hr/wk	46	16%	3,581	21%	26,607	20%	41	18%	3,045	20%	25,142	
			16-20 hr/wk	16	6%	2,130	12%	16,281	13%	18	8%	1,694	12%	14,419	
			21-25 hr/wk	4	1%	1,038	6%	7,873	6%	7	3%	765	5%	5,978	4%
			26-30 hr/wk	8	3%	475	3%	3,632	3%	1	0%	343	2%	2,802	2%
			30+ hr/wk	8	3%	785	5%	6,883	6%	10	5%	582	4%	4,969	4%
			Total	295	100%	,	100%		100%	225	100%		100%		
f.	Providing care for dependents	CAREDE01	0 hr/wk	268	91%	14,954	83%	99,953	72%	178	79%	11,936	79%	86,899	61%
	living with you (parents,		1-5 hr/wk	15	5%	1,365	9%	15,807	13%	11	5%	1,209	9%	16,599	13%
	children, spouse, etc.)		6-10 hr/wk	5	2%	410	3%	5,939	5%	9	4%	444	3%	8,210	7%
			11-15 hr/wk	2	1%	197	2%	3,024	3%	1	0%	239	2%	4,717	4%
			16-20 hr/wk	2	1%	96	1%	1,778	2%	2	1%	180	1%	3,679	3%
			21-25 hr/wk	0	0%	44	0%	802	1%	3	1%	52	0%	1,849	2%
			26-30 hr/wk	0	0%	19	0%	540	0%	2	1%	71	1%	1,437	1%
			30+ hr/wk	3	1%	165	2%	4,151	4%	19	8%	564	5%	14,272	11%
			Total	295	100%	17,250	100%	131,994	100%	225	100%	14,695	100%	137,662	100%
g.	Commuting to class (driving,	COMMUTE	0 hr/wk	18	6%	5,017	27%	22,399	13%	29	13%	3,140	20%	14,076	8%
	walking, etc.)		1-5 hr/wk	227	77%	10,866	62%	85,173	64%	158	70%	9,683	65%	89,275	64%
			6-10 hr/wk	39	13%	858	7%	15,789	14%	23	10%	1,283	10%	23,087	19%
			11-15 hr/wk	5	2%	268	2%	4,691	4%	4	2%	348	3%	6,586	5%
			16-20 hr/wk	3	1%	115	1%	1,920	2%	6	3%	102	1%	2,248	2%
			21-25 hr/wk	1	0%	44	0%	781	1%	3	1%	54	1%	767	1%
			26-30 hr/wk	0	0%	20	0%	364	0%	0	0%	22	0%	405	0%
			30+ hr/wk	2	1%	65	1%	943	1%	2	1%	64	1%	1,267	1%
			Total	295	100%	17,253	100%	132,060	100%	225	100%	14,696	100%	137,711	100%
10a	Spending significant amounts	ENVSCHOL	Very little	0	0%	197	2%	2,241	2%	0	0%	191	2%	3,017	3%
	of time studying and on	(LAC)	Some	20	7%	2,158	14%	22,307	19%	9	4%	1,857	13%	24,423	19%
	academic work		Quite a bit	106	36%	7,825	45%	62,092	48%	89	40%	6,360	44%	63,082	46%
			Very much	169	57%	6,968	39%	44,118	32%	126	56%	6,211	41%	46,261	32%
			Total	295	100%	17,148	100%	130,758	100%	224	100%	14,619	100%	136,783	100%
b.	Providing the support you	ENVSUPRT	Very little	1	0%	253	2%	3,517	3%	4	2%	343	3%	6,536	
	need to help you succeed	(SCE)	Some	43	15%	2,306	15%	25,661	22%	37	16%	2,375	17%	33,159	
	academically	V /	Ouite a bit	133	45%	7,379	43%	58,932	45%	102	46%	6,391	44%	60,242	
	-		Very much	118	40%	7,209	40%	42,630	30%	81	36%	5,509	36%	36,846	
			Total	295	100%	17,147		130,740		224	100%	14,618		136,783	
			10111	2,3	20070	17,177	100/0	150,7 70	100/0		10070	11,010	100/0	150,705	100/0

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C. Encouraging contact among students from different economic, social, and racial or ethnic backgrounds Helping you cope with your non-academic responsibilities (Work, family, etc.) Encouraging contact among ENVSOCAL Very little Encouraging contact among students from different (EEE) Some 47 16% 5,330 31% 41,864 33% 45 20% 5,238 35% 48,636 35% economic, social, and racial or ethnic backgrounds Folial 294 100% 17,137 100% 130,675 100% 224 100% 14,610 100% 136,663 100% 17,137 100% 130,675 100% 14,610 100% 136,663 100% 14,610 100% 136,643 100% 14,610 100% 136,643 100% 14,610 100% 136,643 100% 14,610 100% 136,644		\										
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e. Providing the support you ENVSOCAL Very little 38 13% 2,124 14% 20,609 17% 35 16% 2,704 19% 33,374 26%				Very much	55	19%	1,934 11%	,	32	14%	1,198 8%	
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	e.	Providing the support you	ENVSOCAL	Very little	38	13%	2,124 14%	20,609 17%	35	16%	2,704 19%	33,374 26%
need to thrive socially (SCE) Some 111 3/% 6,438 3/% 48,851 38% 96 43% 6,021 41% 55,183 40%		need to thrive socially	(SCE)	Some	111	37%	6,438 37%	48,851 38%	96	43%	6,021 41%	55,183 40%
Quite a bit 104 36% 6,006 34% 43,075 32% 72 32% 4,334 29% 35,112 25%				Quite a bit	104	36%	6,006 34%	43,075 32%	72	32%	4,334 29%	35,112 25%
Very much 42 14% 2,568 15% 18,092 13% 21 9% 1,549 11% 12,912 9%				Very much	42	14%	2,568 15%	18,092 <i>13%</i>	21	9%	1,549 11%	12,912 9%
Total 295 100% 17,136 100% 130,627 100% 224 100% 14,608 100% 136,581 100%				Total	295	100%	17,136 100%	130,627 100%	224	100%	14,608 100%	136,581 100%
f. Attending campus events and ENVEVENT Very little 6 2% 576 5% 10,453 10% 7 3% 815 7% 18,184 14%	f.	Attending campus events and	ENVEVENT	Very little	6	2%	576 5%	10,453 10%	7	3%	815 7%	18,184 14%
				Some	30	10%	3,180 20%	32,645 27%	27	12%	3,354 24%	42,200 32%
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Total 295 100% 17,140 100% 130,687 100% 224 100% 14,612 100% 136,642 100%				Total	295	100%	17,140 100%	130,687 100%	224	100%	14,612 100%	136,642 100%
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work Some 22 7% 2,381 14% 17,354 13% 10 4% 1,531 11% 12,839 10%		work		Some	22	7%	2,381 14%	17,354 13%	10	4%	1,531 11%	12,839 10%
Quite a bit 67 23% 6,336 36% 45,953 35% 36 16% 4,659 32% 40,138 29%				Quite a bit	67	23%	6,336 36%	45,953 35%	36	16%	4,659 32%	40,138 29%
Very much 203 69% 8,082 47% 64,809 50% 177 79% 8,196 56% 81,472 59%				Very much	203	69%	8,082 47%	64,809 50%	177	79%	8,196 56%	81,472 59%
Total 295 100% 17,146 100% 130,728 100% 224 100% 14,619 100% 136,770 100%				Total	295	100%	17,146 100%	130,728 100%	224	100%	14,619 100%	136,770 100%
11a. Acquiring a broad general GNGENLED Very little 3 1% 233 2% 2,910 3% 2 1% 165 1% 3,340 3%	11a	Acquiring a broad general	GNGENLED	Very little	3	1%	233 2%	2,910 3%	2	1%	165 1%	3,340 3%
education Some 30 10% 1,928 13% 20,709 17% 8 4% 1,083 8% 18,451 15%		education		Some	30	10%	1,928 13%	20,709 17%	8	4%	1,083 8%	18,451 <i>15%</i>
Quite a bit 111 38% 6,856 40% 57,575 45% 69 31% 4,575 32% 51,686 39%				Quite a bit	111	38%	6,856 40%	57,575 45%	69	31%	4,575 32%	51,686 39%
Very much 151 51% 7,964 45% 47,737 35% 143 64% 8,708 59% 62,038 44%				Very much	151	51%	7,964 45%	47,737 35%	143	64%	8,708 59%	62,038 44%
Total 295 100% 16,981 100% 128,931 100% 222 100% 14,531 100% 135,515 100%				Total	295	100%	16,981 100%	128,931 100%	222	100%	14,531 100%	135,515 100%
	b.	Acquiring job or work-related	GNWORK	Very little						4%		
				Some	71		*	*	35	16%	,	*
		-		Quite a bit	98	33%	,	<i>'</i>		32%	*	*
				Very much		36%	<i>'</i>	*			*	*
·				Total			<i>'</i>	. ,			*	

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	\			Berea C	'ollege	Carnegie Peers NSSE 2007		Berea C	ollege	Carnegie Peers	NSSE 2007	
		Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %	
c.	Writing clearly and	GNWRITE	Very little	5	2%	500 3%	6,155 5%	2	1%	295 2%	5,558 5%	
	effectively		Some	45	15%	2,987 18%	28,587 24%	26	12%	2,005 14%	26,842 21%	
			Quite a bit	117	40%	6,803 40%	53,270 41%	89	40%	5,089 35%	51,792 38%	
			Very much	128	43%	6,685 38%	40,898 30%	105	47%	7,145 48%	51,310 36%	
			Total	295	100%	16,975 100%	128,910 100%	222	100%	14,534 100%	135,502 100%	
d.	Speaking clearly and	GNSPEAK	Very little	16	5%	1,219 7%	11,053 9%	6	3%	500 4%	7,942 7%	
	effectively		Some	82	28%	4,619 27%	36,781 29%	35	16%	2,704 19%	30,822 24%	
			Quite a bit	117	40%	6,381 38%	48,770 37%	93	42%	5,419 37%	51,017 37%	
			Very much	80	27%	4,752 28%	32,292 24%	88	40%	5,910 40%	45,709 32%	
			Total	295	100%	16,971 100%	128,896 100%	222	100%	14,533 100%	135,490 100%	
e.	Thinking critically and	GNANALY	Very little	1	0%	254 2%	2,928 3%	2	1%	143 1%	2,523 2%	
	analytically		Some	27	9%	2,011 13%	19,997 <i>16%</i>	14	6%	1,089 8%	15,095 <i>12%</i>	
			Quite a bit	115	39%	6,402 38%	54,096 42%	80	36%	4,487 31%	49,347 37%	
			Very much	152	52%	8,304 48%	51,890 39%	126	57%	8,814 60%	68,536 49%	
			Total	295	100%	16,971 100%	128,911 100%	222	100%	14,533 100%	135,501 100%	
f.	Analyzing quantitative	GNQUANT	Very little	16	5%	1,159 8%	7,800 6%	9	4%	881 6%	7,032 5%	
	problems		Some	66	22%	4,614 28%	33,286 26%	46	21%	3,463 24%	30,211 22%	
			Quite a bit	117	40%	6,404 37%	51,995 41%	88	40%	4,964 34%	49,497 <i>36%</i>	
			Very much	96	33%	4,779 28%	35,744 28%	79	36%	5,211 36%	48,684 <i>36%</i>	
			Total	295	100%	16,956 <i>100%</i>	128,825 100%	222	100%	14,519 100%	135,424 100%	
g.	Using computing and	GNCMPTS	Very little	17	6%	1,278 8%	7,475 6%	5	2%	736 5%	5,390 4%	
	information technology		Some	54	18%	4,660 27%	29,215 22%	24	11%	3,332 22%	23,570 17%	
			Quite a bit	97	33%	6,338 37%	48,601 38%	68	31%	5,297 36%	46,917 <i>34%</i>	
			Very much	127	43%	4,690 28%	43,609 34%	124	56%	5,167 <i>36%</i>	59,617 <i>45%</i>	
			Total	295	100%	16,966 <i>100%</i>	128,900 100%	221	100%	14,532 100%	135,494 100%	
h.	Working effectively with	GNOTHERS	Very little	6	2%	695 5%	6,528 6%	4	2%	364 <i>3%</i>	4,851 4%	
	others		Some	54	18%	3,925 24%	31,248 25%	27	12%	2,311 17%	24,238 19%	
			Quite a bit	115	39%	6,826 40%	50,883 39%	63	28%	5,453 37%	49,521 36%	
			Very much	120	41%	5,524 32%	40,234 30%	128	57%	6,403 <i>43%</i>	56,857 40%	
			Total	295	100%	16,970 <i>100%</i>	128,893 100%	222	100%	14,531 100%	135,467 100%	
i.	Voting in local, state, or	GNCITIZN	Very little	136	46%	5,936 36%	47,781 37%	70	32%	4,395 31%	49,642 37%	
	national elections		Some	86	29%	5,737 <i>33%</i>	41,597 32%	74	33%	4,876 <i>33%</i>	43,391 32%	
			Quite a bit	51	17%	3,322 19%	24,573 20%	55	25%	3,101 21%	25,000 19%	
			Very much	21	7%	1,839 12%	13,550 11%	23	10%	2,082 15%	16,499 <i>12%</i>	
			Total	294	100%	16,834 100%	127,501 100%	222	100%	14,454 100%	134,532 100%	

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		Variable	Response Options	Count	%	Count %	Count %	Count	%	Count %	Count %	
j.	Learning effectively on your	GNINQ	Very little	13	4%	712 5%	6,786 6%	9	4%	485 4%	7,585 6%	
	own		Some	76	26%	3,910 23%	32,011 25%	33	15%	2,399 17%	27,105 20%	
			Quite a bit	127	43%	7,697 45%	56,394 <i>43%</i>	94	42%	5,943 <i>41%</i>	54,622 40%	
			Very much	79	27%	4,526 27%	32,350 25%	86	38%	5,639 39%	45,277 33%	
			Total	295	100%	16,845 100%	127,541 100%	222	100%	14,466 100%	134,589 100%	
k.	Understanding yourself	GNSELF	Very little	25	8%	1,416 9%	14,014 12%	13	6%	973 7%	15,272 <i>13%</i>	
			Some	85	29%	4,249 25%	34,647 27%	49	22%	2,805 20%	33,427 26%	
			Quite a bit	90	30%	6,289 37%	46,627 36%	73	33%	5,089 35%	45,238 <i>33%</i>	
			Very much	94	32%	4,888 29%	32,228 25%	87	39%	5,596 <i>38%</i>	40,628 29%	
			Total	294	100%	16,842 100%	127,516 100%	222	100%	14,463 100%	134,565 100%	
1.	Understanding people of	GNDIVERS	Very little	7	2%	2,106 13%	17,210 14%	11	5%	1,905 13%	20,164 15%	
	other racial and ethnic		Some	53	18%	5,507 32%	41,700 32%	33	15%	4,764 33%	44,095 33%	
	backgrounds		Quite a bit	91	31%	5,656 33%	42,555 33%	80	36%	4,497 31%	41,323 31%	
			Very much	143	49%	3,569 22%	26,032 21%	98	44%	3,296 23%	28,943 22%	
			Total	294	100%	16,838 100%	127,497 100%	222	100%	14,462 100%	134,525 100%	
m.	Solving complex real-world	GNPROBSV	Very little	21	7%	1,658 10%	14,254 12%	15	7%	1,249 9%	14,013 11%	
	problems		Some	98	33%	5,762 34%	43,145 34%	51	23%	4,332 30%	39,087 29%	
			Quite a bit	96	33%	6,215 36%	45,820 35%	98	44%	5,374 37%	48,168 35%	
			Very much	79	27%	3,208 19%	24,282 19%	58	26%	3,509 24%	33,302 25%	
			Total	294	100%	16,843 100%	127,501 100%	222	100%	14,464 100%	134,570 100%	
n.	Developing a personal code	GNETHICS	Very little	32	11%	1,829 12%	17,221 15%	18	8%	1,330 10%	19,545 16%	
	of values and ethics		Some	87	30%	4,521 27%	37,670 30%	46	21%	3,506 25%	36,385 28%	
			Quite a bit	92	31%	5,798 <i>33%</i>	42,721 33%	82	37%	4,791 32%	41,430 30%	
			Very much	83	28%	4,695 27%	29,899 22%	76	34%	4,838 33%	37,199 26%	
			Total	294	100%	16,843 100%	127,511 100%	222	100%	14,465 100%	134,559 100%	
0.	Contributing to the welfare	GNCOMMUN	Very little	27	9%	2,125 14%	23,094 20%	18	8%	1,666 12%	25,497 21%	
	of your community		Some	98	33%	5,426 33%	44,562 36%	45	20%	4,393 31%	44,302 34%	
			Quite a bit	94	32%	5,688 32%	38,284 29%	77	35%	4,696 32%	37,832 27%	
			Very much	75	26%	3,598 21%	21,540 15%	82	37%	3,708 25%	26,913 19%	
			Total	294	100%	16,837 100%	127,480 100%	222	100%	14,463 100%	134,544 100%	
p.	Developing a deepened sense	GNSPIRIT	Very little	73	25%	5,429 33%	46,138 39%	48	22%	5,311 38%	60,495 49%	
	of spirituality		Some	92	31%	4,970 29%	35,346 28%	77	35%	3,961 27%	33,695 24%	
			Quite a bit	77	26%	3,543 21%	25,951 19%	57	26%	2,606 17%	20,688 14%	
			Very much	52	18%	2,900 17%	20,037 14%	40	18%	2,584 18%	19,637 13%	
			Total	294	100%	16,842 100%	127,472 100%	222	100%	14,462 100%	134,515 100%	

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Seniors

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SE 2007	Carnegie Peers		Berea College		007	NSSE 20	Peers	Carnegie	College	Berea C						
Count %	Coun	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	Response Options		Variable		
,320 11%	13,320	5%	683	4%	9	6%	6,964	4%	655	6%	17		Poor	ADVISE	2. Overall, how would you	12.
,904 22%	27,904	15%	2,121	15%	34	19%	22,655	15%	2,436	16%	47		Fair		evaluate the quality of	
,455 40%	53,455	40%	5,790	46%	102	46%	59,316	46%	7,735	47%	137		Good		academic advising you have	
,073 28%	40,073	39%	5,889	35%	78	29%	38,799	34%	6,041	32%	93		Excellent		received at your institution?	
,752 100%	134,752	100%	14,483	100%	223	100%	127,734	100%	16,867	100%	294	Total				
,850 2%	2,850	2%	195	1%	2	2%	2,274	2%	240	0%	1		Poor	ENTIREXP	3. How would you evaluate your	13.
,158 12%	15,158	7%	1,023	8%	17	12%	13,947	9%	1,375	8%	22		Fair		entire educational experience	
,002 48%	64,002	40%	5,693	40%	88	52%	64,789	46%	7,515	48%	140		Good		at this institution?	
,758 37%	52,758	51%	7,570	52%	115	34%	46,756	43%	7,738	45%	131		Excellent			
,768 100%	134,768	100%	14,481	100%	222	100%	127,766	100%	16,868	100%	294	Total				
,122 5%	7,122	5%	669	3%	7	4%	5,391	5%	716	3%	8	no no	Definitely no	SAMECOLL	4. If you could start over again,	14.
,330 13%	17,330	12%	1,717	7%	16	12%	15,217	12%	1,978	6%	19	no	Probably no		would you go to the same	
,640 39%	51,640	35%	5,091	34%	75	40%	50,892	39%	6,410	41%	121	yes	Probably yes		institution you are now	
,637 <i>43%</i>	58,637	48%	7,001	55%	123	43%	56,245	44%	7,758	50%	146	yes yes	Definitely yes		attending?	
,729 100%	134,729	100%	14,478	100%	221	100%	127,745	100%	16,862	100%	294	Total				
,8 ,1 ,0 ,7 ,7 ,7 ,1 ,3 ,6 ,6	2,8 15,1 64,0 52,7 134,7 7,1 17,3 51,6 58,6	2% 7% 40% 51% 100% 5% 12% 35% 48%	195 1,023 5,693 7,570 14,481 669 1,717 5,091 7,001	1% 8% 40% 52% 100% 3% 7% 34% 55%	2 17 88 115 222 7 16 75 123	2% 12% 52% 34% 100% 4% 12% 40% 43%	2,274 13,947 64,789 46,756 127,766 5,391 15,217 50,892 56,245	2% 9% 46% 43% 100% 5% 12% 39% 44%	240 1,375 7,515 7,738 16,868 716 1,978 6,410 7,758	0% 8% 48% 45% 100% 3% 6% 41% 50%	1 22 140 131 294 8 19 121 146	Total / no no yes / yes	Fair Good Excellent Definitely no Probably no Probably yes		entire educational experience at this institution? 4. If you could start over again, would you go to the same institution you are now	

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First-Year Students Seniors Berea College Berea College Variable Response Options Count Count I am satisfied with the work assignment(s) I WRK0701a Strongly disagree 9 3% 0% have had at my college. Disagree 18 6% 5% 10 Neutral 15% 51 18% 32 Agree 142 49% 110 50% Strongly agree 69 24% 67 30% Total 289 100% 220 100% Strongly disagree 5 2% My work is valuable. WRK0701b 0% Disagree 9 3% 9 4% Neutral 47 16% 22 10% 45% Agree 149 51% 99 Strongly agree 79 27% 88 40% Total 289 100% 219 100% My work college helps me develop a strong WRK0701c Strongly disagree 8 3% 3% 6 work ethic. Disagree 18 10 5% 6% Neutral 55 19% 17% 36 Agree 123 84 38% 42% Strongly agree 85 29% 84 38% Total 289 100% 220 100% My work has contributed to my academic WRK0701d Strongly disagree 28 10% 12 6% success. Disagree 50 17% 28 13% Neutral 70 24% 40 18% Agree 86 30% 73 33% Strongly agree 55 19% 67 30% Total 289 100% 220 100% WRK0701e Strongly disagree I apply what I learn in my academic courses to 37 13% 6 3% my work. Disagree 63 22% 23 10% Neutral 64 22% 38 17% Agree 39% 76 26% 86 Strongly agree 49 17% 67 30% Total 220 289 100% 100%

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First-Year Students Seniors Berea College Berea College Variable Response Options Count Count My work college helps me learn the value of WRK0701f Strongly disagree 15 5% 5 2% community service. Disagree 31 11% 22 10% Neutral 79 51 23% 28% Agree 104 78 35% 36% Strongly agree 58 20% 64 29% Total 287 100% 220 100% Strongly disagree 11 4% 3% My college experience has helped me learn WRK0701g 6 from many different types of people. Disagree 23 8% 5% 11 Neutral 51 18% 23 10% 92 42% Agree 115 40% Strongly agree 88 88 40% 30% Total 288 100% 220 100% My work affects my overall college experience WRK0701h Strongly disagree 11 4% 5 2% in a positive way. Disagree 19 7% 6 3% Neutral 76 27% 25 11% Agree 95 100 45% 33% Strongly agree 88 30% 84 38% Total 289 100% 220 100% I never think about how my work affects my WRK0701i Strongly disagree 45 16% 38 17% college experiences. Disagree 116 41% 122 55% Neutral 71 25% 26 12% Agree 43 15% 22 10% Strongly agree 10 4% 12 6% Total 285 100% 220 100% One of the reasons I chose to attend this college WRK0701j Strongly disagree 21 7% 14 7% was because of its work program. Disagree 74 57 26% 26% Neutral 57 65 23% 26% Agree 90 32% 71 32% Strongly agree 35 12% 20 9% Total 285 219 100% 100%

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First-Year Students Seniors Berea College Berea College Variable Response Options Count Count WRK0701k Strongly disagree 29 10% 30 14% My experiences in the work program have affected my decision to remain at this college Disagree 82 29% 29% 64 rather than withdraw or transfer. Neutral 110 39% 74 34% Agree 30 14% 41 15% Strongly agree 21 8% 22 10% Total 283 100% 220 100% Strongly disagree 77 27% 41 19% My work program experiences have influenced WRK07011 my choice of academic major. Disagree 105 79 36% 37% Neutral 58 21% 19% 41 34 16% Agree 27 9% Strongly agree 18 24 11% 6% Total 285 100% 219 100% My experience in the work program has WRK0701m Strongly disagree 67 24% 7% 16 influenced my career goals. Disagree 79 28% 41 19% Neutral 67 24% 43 20% Agree 44 71 32% 15% Strongly agree 26 9% 49 22% Total 283 100% 220 100% I have become a more productive worker WRK0701n Strongly disagree 33 11% 15 7% because of my work college experience. Disagree 55 19% 33 15% Neutral 74 26% 52 24% 87 Agree 31% 74 33% Strongly agree 36 13% 46 21% Total 285 100% 220 100% My participation in the work program will WRK07010 Strongly disagree 17 6% 10 5% increase my value in the job market. Disagree 36 13% 5% 11 Neutral 39 64 23% 18% Agree 102 83 38% 36% 35% Strongly agree 65 23% 76 Total 219 284 100% 100%

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First-Year Students Seniors Berea College Berea College Variable Response Options Count Count By attending a work college, I have learned that WRK0701p Strongly disagree 2% 13 6% there is dignity in all types of work. Disagree 20 7% 5% 12 Neutral 62 22% 37 17% Agree 95 33% 87 39% Strongly agree 101 35% 71 32% Total 285 100% 220 100% WRK0702 Completely disagree 39 14% 29 13% One of the reasons my parent(s) or guardian(s) encouraged me to attend this college was Disagree somewhat 34 12% 36 16% because of its work program. Neutral 66 23% 48 22% Agree somewhat 83 29% 62 28% Agree completely 23 8% 18 8% Not applicable 41 14% 27 12% Total 286 100% 220 100% One or both of my parent(s) or guardian(s) WRK0703 Don't know 248 87% 196 89% attended a work college. Not applicable 17 6% 13 6% Yes 21 7% 11 5% Total 286 100% 220 100%

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