Comparison Group: Medium Colleges in the 2023 Cohort*

		Your C	ollege	Medium Colleges			2023 Cohort		
ltem	Variable	N	Mean	N	Mean	Effect Size**	N	Mean	Effect Size**
Item 4: In your experiences at this college during the current academic year, about how often have you	done each of the follo	wing?							
1 = Never, 2 = Sometimes , 3 = Often , 4 = Very often									
4a. Asked questions in class or contributed to class discussions [ACTCOLL]	CLQUEST	293	3.02	55,182	2.97		224,414	2.96	
4b. Made a class presentation [ACTCOLL]	CLPRESEN	293	2.02	55,091	2.06		224,026	2.05	
4c. Prepared two or more drafts of a paper or assignment before turning it in [STUEFF]	REWROPAP	292	2.75	54,992	2.50	0.25**	223,634	2.49	0.25**
4d. Worked on a paper or project that required integrating ideas or information from various sources [STUEFF]	INTEGRAT	292	3.00	55,041	2.91		223,788	2.90	
4e. Come to class without completing readings or assignments [STUEFF]	CLUNPREP	291	1.58	54,998	1.71		223,647	1.71	
4f. Worked with other students on projects during class [ACTCOLL]	CLASSGRP	292	1.97	54,905	2.30	-0.33**	223,193	2.29	-0.31**
4g. Worked with classmates outside of class to prepare class assignments [ACTCOLL]	OCCGRP	291	1.76	54,948	1.82		223,488	1.82	
4h. Tutored or taught other students (paid or voluntary) [ACTCOLL]	TUTOR	291	1.38	54,960	1.32		223,475	1.33	
4i. Participated in a community-based project (service-learning activity) as part of a regular course [ACTCOLL]	PARTICCBP	289	1.37	54,902	1.33		223,323	1.35	
4j. Used e-mail to communicate with an instructor [STUFAC]	EMAIL	291	3.21	54,988	3.19		223,511	3.19	
4k. Discussed grades or assignments with an instructor [STUFAC]	FACGRADE	291	2.46	55,004	2.64		223,722	2.65	
4l. Talked about career plans with an instructor or advisor [STUFAC]	FACPLANS	291	2.11	54,907	2.23		223,318	2.24	
4m. Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with instructors outside of class [STUFAC]	FACIDEAS	290	1.80	54,824	1.81		222,948	1.82	
4n. Received prompt feedback (written or oral) from instructors on your performance [STUFAC]	FACFEED	291	3.02	54,905	2.95		223,374	2.94	
4o. Worked harder than you thought you could to meet an instructor's standards or expectations [ACCHALL]	WORKHARD	290	2.85	54,944	2.69		223,459	2.70	

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ltem	Variable	N	Mean	N	Mean	Effect Size**	N	Mean	Effect Size**		
Item 4: In your experiences at this college during the current academic year, about how often have you	done each of the follo	owing?									
1 = Never, 2 = Sometimes , 3 = Often , 4 = Very often											
4p. Worked with instructors on activities other than coursework [STUFAC]	FACOTH	291	1.48	54,720	1.50		222,567	1.51			
4q. Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with others outside of class (students, family members, co-workers, etc.) [ACTCOLL]	OOCIDEAS	291	2.53	54,958	2.49		223,509	2.49			
4r. Had serious conversations with students who differ from you	CONVSTUDIFF	290	1.84	54,934	1.85		223,532	1.85			
4s. Skipped class	SKIPCLAS	292	1.23	54,957	1.34		223,556	1.34			
Item 5: During the current academic year, how much has your coursework at this college emphasized the following mental activities?											
1 = Very little , 2 = Some , 3 = Quite a bit , 4 = Very much											
5a. Memorizing facts, ideas, or methods from your courses and readings so you can repeat them in pretty much the same form	MEMORIZE	278	2.81	52,999	2.80		215,438	2.81			
5b. Analyzing the basic elements of an idea, experience, or theory [ACCHALL]	ANALYZE	278	2.97	52,911	3.01		215,062	3.02			
5c. Forming a new idea or understanding from various pieces of information [ACCHALL]	NEWIDEAS	278	3.01	52,794	2.99		214,721	2.99			
5d. Making judgements about the value or soundness of information, arguments, or methods [ACCHALL]	EVALUATE	278	2.84	52,844	2.74		214,816	2.74			
5e. Applying theories or concepts to practical problems or in new situations [ACCHALL]	APPLYING	278	2.84	52,878	2.89		214,987	2.89			
5f. Using information you have read or heard to perform a new skill [ACCHALL]	PERFORM	278	2.85	52,950	2.99		215,336	3.00			
Item 6: During the current academic year, how much reading and writing have you done at this college	?	·	·								
0 = None , 1 = 1–4 , 2 = 5–10 , 3 = 11–20 , 4 = More than 20											
6a. Number of assigned textbooks, manuals, books, or packets of course readings [ACCHALL]	ASSIGREAD	273	1.82	52,367	1.86		212,632	1.87			
6b. Number of books read on your own (not assigned) for personal enjoyment or academic enrichment [STUEFF]	BKREADOWN	272	1.05	52,383	1.04		212,868	1.05			

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		Your C	ollege	Me	edium College	5	2023 Cohort			
ltem	Variable	N	Mean	N	Mean	Effect Size**	N	Mean	Effect Size**	
Item 6: During the current academic year, how much reading and writing have you done at this college	?									
0 = None , 1 = 1–4 , 2 = 5–10 , 3 = 11–20 , 4 = More than 20										
6c. Number of written papers or reports of any length [ACCHALL]	NUMPAPRRPTS	272	2.02	52,364	1.78	0.21**	212,800	1.79		
Item 7										
1 = Extremely easy, 2 = (2), 3 = (3), 4 = (4), 5 = (5), 6 = (6), 7 = Extremely challenging										
7. Mark the response that best represents the extent to which your examinations during the current academic year have challenged you to do your best work at this college [ACCHALL]	CHALNGXAM	273	5.68	51,770	5.30	0.32**	209,893	5.30	0.32**	
Item 9: How much does this college emphasize the following?										
1 = Very little , 2 = Some , 3 = Quite a bit , 4 = Very much										
9a. Encouraging you to spend significant amounts of time studying [ACCHALL]	ENVSCHOL	270	3.07	51,443	3.05		208,866	3.06		
9b. Providing the support you need to help you succeed at this college [SUPPORT]	ENVSUPRT	270	3.06	51,403	3.15		208,682	3.15		
9c. Encouraging contact among students from different economic, social, and racial or ethnic backgrounds [SUPPORT]	ENVDIVRS	270	2.72	51,312	2.75		208,247	2.75		
9d. Helping you cope with your non-academic responsibilities (work, family, etc.) [SUPPORT]	ENVNACAD	269	2.15	51,295	2.25		208,237	2.25		
9e. Providing the support you need to thrive socially [SUPPORT]	ENVSOCAL	270	2.32	51,281	2.41		208,195	2.41		
9f. Providing the financial support you need to afford your education [SUPPORT]	FINSUPP	270	2.94	51,266	2.75		208,176	2.76		
Item 10: About how many hours do you spend in a typical 7-day week doing each of the following?										
0 = None , 1 = 1–5 , 2 = 6–10 , 3 = 11–20 , 4 = 21–30 , 5 = More than 30										
10a. Preparing for class (studying, reading, writing, rehearsing, doing homework, etc.) [STUEFF]	ACADPR01	268	2.41	51,021	2.22		207,048	2.22		
10b. Working for pay	PAYWORK	268	3.20	50,904	2.83		206,517	2.79	0.21**	

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		Your C	ollege	Medium Colleges			2023 Cohort				
ltem	Variable	N	Mean	N	Mean	Effect Size**	N	Mean	Effect Size**		
Item 10: About how many hours do you spend in a typical 7-day week doing each of the following?											
0 = None , 1 = 1–5 , 2 = 6–10 , 3 = 11–20 , 4 = 21–30 , 5 = More than 30											
10c. Participating in college-sponsored activities (organizations, campus publications, student government, intramural sports, etc.)	PARTICXCUR	267	0.27	50,947	0.29		206,648	0.32			
10d. Providing care for dependents living with you (parents, children, spouse, etc.)	CAREDE01	267	2.17	50,857	1.75	0.21**	206,314	1.75	0.22**		
10e. Commuting to and from classes	COMMUTE	267	0.85	50,889	0.92		206,510	0.93			
Item 11: How much has your experience at this college contributed to your knowledge, skills, and personal development in the following areas?											
1 = Very little , 2 = Some , 3 = Quite a bit , 4 = Very much											
11a. Acquiring job- or work-related knowledge and skills	GNWORK	263	2.48	50,184	2.62		203,732	2.63			
11b. Writing clearly and effectively	GNWRITE	262	3.04	50,246	2.83	0.22**	203,989	2.84	0.21**		
11c. Speaking clearly and effectively	GNSPEAK	263	2.87	50,223	2.74		203,847	2.75			
11d. Thinking critically and analytically	GNANALY	263	3.20	50,231	3.08		203,840	3.09			
11e. Solving numerical problems	GNSOLVE	263	2.77	50,186	2.64		203,741	2.66			
11f. Working effectively with others	GNOTHERS	263	2.67	50,223	2.79		203,778	2.80			
11g. Learning effectively on your own	GNINQ	263	3.19	50,226	3.15		203,848	3.15			
11h. Developing clearer career goals	GNCARGOAL	263	2.80	50,217	2.86		203,799	2.87			
11i. Gaining information about career opportunities	GNGAINCAR	263	2.65	50,235	2.72		203,889	2.74			

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		Your C	ollege	Medium Colleges			2023 Cohort					
ltem	Variable	N	Mean	N	Mean	Effect Size**	N	Mean	Effect Size**			
Item 12.1: How often have you used the following services during the current academic year?	Item 12.1: How often have you used the following services during the current academic year?											
0 = Never , 1 = 1 time , 2 = 2–4 times , 3 = 5 or more times												
12.1a. Academic advising/planning [SUPPORT]	FREQACAD	257	1.51	49,300	1.58		200,069	1.60				
12.1b. Career counseling [SUPPORT]	FREQCACOU	258	0.47	49,196	0.60		199,611	0.61				
12.1c. Job placement assistance	FREQJOBPL	258	0.19	49,077	0.18		199,119	0.19				
12.1d. Peer or other tutoring [STUEFF]	FREQTUTOR	255	0.58	49,101	0.62		199,109	0.63				
12.1e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.) [STUEFF]	FREQLAB	258	0.64	48,994	0.67		198,856	0.71				
12.1f. Child care	FREQCHLD	258	0.11	49,014	0.09		198,891	0.10				
12.1g. Financial aid advising	FREQFAADV	258	1.14	49,097	1.02		199,260	1.06				
12.1h. Computer lab [STUEFF]	FREQCOMLB	258	0.80	49,016	0.73		198,969	0.75				
12.1i. Student organizations	FREQSTORG	257	0.33	48,941	0.38		198,609	0.40				
12.1j. Transfer advising/planning	FREQTRADV	258	0.54	48,893	0.59		198,296	0.60				
12.1k. Library resources and services	FREQLIB	258	1.56	49,001	1.22	0.29**	198,893	1.25	0.27**			
12.1l. Services for students with disabilities	FREQDISABSVC	258	0.18	49,064	0.22		199,209	0.22				
12.1m. Services for active military and veterans	FREQMILSVCS	258	0.13	49,067	0.12		199,195	0.13				
Item 12.2: How satisfied are you with the services?												
0 = Not at all , 1 = Somewhat , 2 = Very												
12.2a. Academic advising/planning	SATACAD	206	1.51	40,410	1.56		165,341	1.55				

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ltem	Variable	N	Mean	N	Mean	Effect Size**	N	Mean	Effect Size**
Item 12.2: How satisfied are you with the services?									
0 = Not at all , 1 = Somewhat , 2 = Very									
12.2b. Career counseling	SATCACOU	73	1.56	17,423	1.50		72,362	1.49	
12.2c. Job placement assistance	SATJOBPL	27	1.37	5,610	1.35		24,123	1.36	
12.2d. Peer or other tutoring	SATTUTOR	74	1.39	16,033	1.54		65,377	1.53	
12.2e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.)	SATLAB	82	1.57	15,947	1.54		68,596	1.54	
12.2f. Child care	SATCHLD	11	1.16	2,038	1.28		9,084	1.30	
12.2g. Financial aid advising	SATFAADV	170	1.67	28,067	1.56		116,731	1.55	
12.2h. Computer lab	SATCOMLB	105	1.70	17,318	1.63		71,572	1.62	
12.2i. Student organizations	SATSTORG	54	1.59	10,919	1.50		45,298	1.50	
12.2j. Transfer advising/planning	SATTRADV	80	1.53	18,047	1.50		73,312	1.49	
12.2k. Library resources and services	SATLIB	182	1.81	29,521	1.68		121,156	1.68	
12.2l. Services for students with disabilities	SATDISABSVC	22	1.64	5,288	1.53		21,122	1.53	
12.2m. Services for active military and veterans	SATMILSVCS	16	1.59	3,020	1.45		12,723	1.46	
Item 12.3: How important are the services to you at this college?									
1 = Not at all , 2 = Somewhat , 3 = Very									
12.3a. Academic advising/planning	IMPACAD	254	2.70	48,458	2.69		196,408	2.69	

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ltem	Variable	N	Mean	N	Mean	Effect Size**	N	Mean	Effect Size**
Item 12.3: How important are the services to you at this college?									
1 = Not at all , 2 = Somewhat , 3 = Very									
12.3b. Career counseling	IMPCACOU	254	2.42	48,075	2.41		194,780	2.40	
12.3c. Job placement assistance	IMPJOBPL	253	2.24	47,829	2.20		193,833	2.20	
12.3d. Peer or other tutoring	IMPTUTOR	253	2.27	47,925	2.22		194,044	2.22	
12.3e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.)	IMPLAB	253	2.30	47,792	2.19		193,679	2.20	
12.3f. Child care	IMPCHLD	254	1.74	47,650	1.75		192,953	1.75	
12.3g. Financial aid advising	IMPFAADV	253	2.63	47,951	2.50		194,303	2.51	
12.3h. Computer lab	IMPCOMLB	254	2.26	47,847	2.13		193,784	2.13	
12.3i. Student organizations	IMPSTORG	253	1.88	47,662	1.95		193,098	1.96	
12.3j. Transfer advising/planning	IMPTRADV	254	2.28	47,706	2.32		193,043	2.31	
12.3k. Library resources and services	IMPLIB	254	2.60	47,955	2.42	0.24**	194,263	2.43	0.24**
12.3l. Services for students with disabilities	IMPDISABSVC	253	1.96	47,808	2.03		193,718	2.03	
12.3m. Services for active military and veterans	IMPMILSVCS	253	1.92	47,777	1.88		193,564	1.89	
Item 22	•								
0 = Never , 1 = Less than 1 time a week , 2 = 1–2 times a week , 3 = 3–4 times a week , 4 = More than	4 times a week								
22. During the current academic year at this college, I have participated in supplemental instruction/supplemental learning (extra class sessions with the instructor or an experienced student).	PARTICSI	253	0.26	48,742	0.37		197,867	0.37	

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ltem	Variable	N	Mean	N	Mean	Effect Size**	N	Mean	Effect Size**
Item 23: How likely is it that the following issues would cause you to withdraw from class or from this c	ollege?								
1 = Not likely , 2 = Somewhat likely , 3 = Likely , 4 = Very likely									
23a. Working full-time	WRKFULL	250	2.17	48,396	2.28		196,433	2.27	
23b. Caring for dependents	CAREDEP	249	1.94	48,284	1.97		195,949	1.96	
23c. Academically unprepared	ACADUNP	249	1.72	48,182	1.79		195,443	1.78	
23d. Lack of finances	LACKFIN	251	2.50	48,310	2.47		195,982	2.46	
23e. Transfer to a 4-year college or university	TRANSFER	251	1.95	48,296	2.11		195,946	2.10	
Item 24									
1 = Not very , 2 = Somewhat , 3 = Quite a bit , 4 = Extremely									
24. How supportive are your friends of your attending this college?	FRNDSUPP	252	3.33	48,488	3.36		196,858	3.36	
Item 25									
1 = Not very , 2 = Somewhat , 3 = Quite a bit , 4 = Extremely									
25. How supportive is your immediate family of your attending this college?	FAMSUPP	242	3.60	46,845	3.56		190,232	3.57	
Item 29									
1 = D or lower , 2 = C , 3 = B , 4 = A									
29. At this college, in what range is your overall college grade point average (GPA)?	COLGPA	238	3.27	45,930	3.22		186,831	3.21	

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ltem	Variable	N	Mean	N	Mean	Effect Size**	N	Mean	Effect Size**	
Item 30										
1 = D or lower , 2 = C , 3 = B , 4 = A										
30. In what range was your overall high school grade point average (GPA)?	HSGPA	218	3.20	42,557	3.08		173,741	3.10		
Item 32: During the current academic term, how many classes are you taking										
0 = None , 1 = 1 , 2 = 2 , 3 = 3 , 4 = 4 , 5 = 5 or more										
32a. Face-to-face (a class in which all instruction is face-to-face in a classroom)	NUMCLF2F	244	1.19	47,059	1.41		191,122	1.43		
32b. Online (a class in which all instruction is online)	NUMCLOL	247	2.06	46,884	1.56	0.34**	190,433	1.57	0.33**	
32c. Hybrid (a class that is a mixture of face-to-face and online instruction)	NUMCLHYB	243	0.25	45,428	0.46	-0.22**	184,336	0.46	-0.21**	
Item 33										
0 = None , 1 = 1–14 credits , 2 = 15–29 credits , 3 = 30–44 credits , 4 = 45–60 credits , 5 = Over 60 credits	edits									
33. How many total credit hours have you earned at this college, not counting the courses you are currently taking this academic term?	TOTCREARND	249	2.26	47,682	2.19		193,454	2.23		
Item 34										
1 = This is my first academic term , 2 = This is my second academic term , 3 = This is my third or four	th academic term , 4	= This is my f	ifth or sixth ac	ademic term ,	5 = I have bee	n enrolled mo	re than six aca	demic terms		
34. How many total academic terms have you been enrolled at this college?	TOTTERMS	249	2.75	47,766	2.65		193,794	2.68		
Item 36										
1 = Poor , 2 = Fair , 3 = Good , 4 = Excellent										
36. How would you evaluate your overall educational experience at this college?	OVRALLEXPER	250	3.28	48,126	3.30		195,361	3.30		

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