



NSSE 2017

Multi-Year Report

University of North Carolina at Pembroke

About Your Multi-Year Report

For institutions participating in multiple NSSE administrations since 2013, the year of the last survey update, this report presents year-to-year results for Engagement Indicators (EIs), High-Impact Practices (HIPs), and key academic challenge items to illustrate patterns of change or stability. It also provides details such as number of respondents, standard deviation, and standard error so that statistical tests can be calculated.

For more information and recommendations for analyzing NSSE data over time, consult the *Multi-Year Data Analysis Guide* on the NSSE website.

nsse.indiana.edu/pdf/MYDAG.pdf

This report contains three main parts: (a) a page that provides a quick reference to important information about each year's administration, (b) multi-year figures, and (c) detailed statistics. Key terms and features are illustrated below.

Report sections

Administration Summaries (p. 3)

A summary of respondent counts, response rates, sampling errors, and administration details for each participation year.

Engagement Results by Theme (pp. 4-7)

Results for ten EIs and selected individual survey items are displayed, organized under four broad themes. The Academic Challenge theme is represented by four EIs as well as several individual items. The three remaining engagement themes (Learning with Peers, Experiences with Faculty, and Campus Environment) are each represented by two EIs.

High-Impact Practices (pp. 8-9)

Results for six HIPs are displayed. First-year student results indicate students who participated in a learning community, service-learning, and research with faculty, and who planned to do an internship or field experience, study abroad, and a culminating senior experience. Senior results indicate students who participated in all six.

Detailed Statistics (pp. 10-13)

Displays detailed information for results including counts, standard errors, and confidence intervals (CIs) for each measure.

Interpreting year-to-year results

When examining year-to-year results, you may wonder whether observed differences signify meaningful change and whether a trend is indicated. Figures display CIs around each score showing the range of values that is estimated to contain the population score 95% of the time. Upper and lower CI bounds are also reported in the Detailed Statistics section.

For further investigation

The Report Builder—Institution Version, updated with current data in the fall, allows for multi-year analysis of Engagement Indicators and individual items. It also affords the analysis of results by subpopulation.

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Administration Summaries

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The precision of an institution's population estimates can vary between administrations. An important early step in conducting a multi-year analysis is to review data quality. The values in the tables below were drawn from your *Administration Summary* reports.

Response Details by Participation Year

First-year students						Seniors				
Year	Response rate ^a	Sampling error ^b	Total respondents ^c	Full completions	Partial completions	Response rate ^a	Sampling error ^b	Total respondents ^c	Full completions	Partial completions
2013										
2014	17%	+/- 6.2%	204	166	38	25%	+/- 5.9%	210	179	31
2015										
2016										
2017	24%	+/- 5.6%	236	168	68	26%	+/- 5.5%	239	200	39
2018										
2019										
2020										

Administration Details by Participation Year

Year	Recruitment method	Sample type	Incentives offered	Additional question sets	Report Sample identified ^d	BCSSE	FSSE
2013							
2014	Email	Census	Yes	Academic Advising	No	No	No
2015							
2016							
2017	Email	Census	No	Writing Experiences, FY Experiences / Sr Transitions	No	No	No
2018							
2019							
2020							

Note: All of your institution's participation years since 2013 (the first year of the updated NSSE) are reported. Years in which your institution did not participate are blank.

a. Response rates (number of respondents divided by sample size) are adjusted for ineligibility, nondeliverable addresses, and students who were unavailable during the survey administration.

b. Sampling error gauges the precision of results based on a sample survey. It is an estimate (at the 95% confidence level) of how much survey item percentages for your respondents could differ from those of the entire population of students at your institution. While data with larger sampling errors (such as +/-10%) need not be dismissed out of hand, such results should be interpreted more conservatively.

c. Count used to calculate response rates and sampling errors for each *Administration Summary* report. Includes all census-administered and randomly sampled students, regardless of "Report Sample" designation.

d. Starting in 2017, institutions had the option to flag a subset of students for exclusion from reports. Refer to your *Administration Summary* report(s).

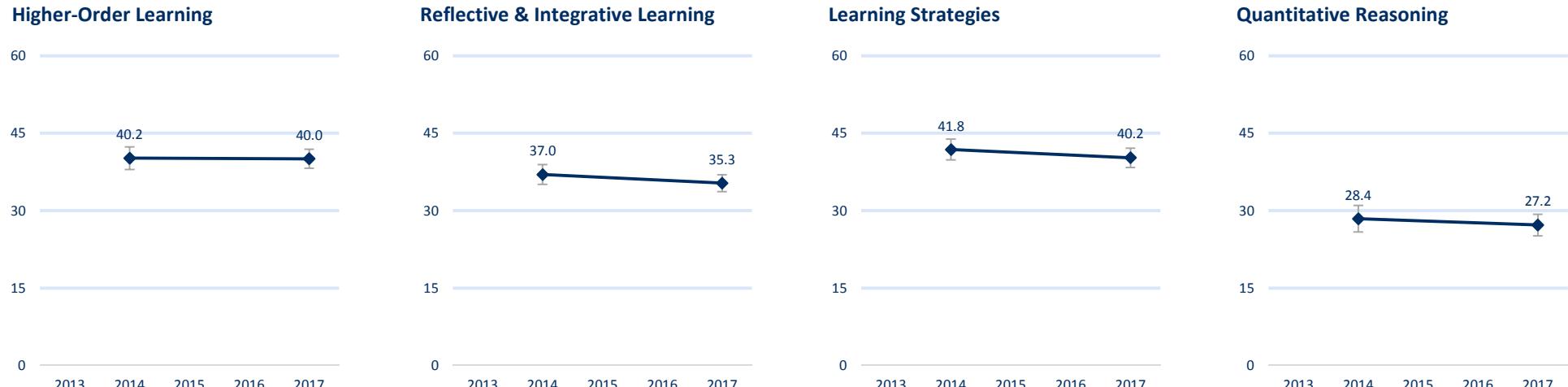
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Engagement Results by Theme

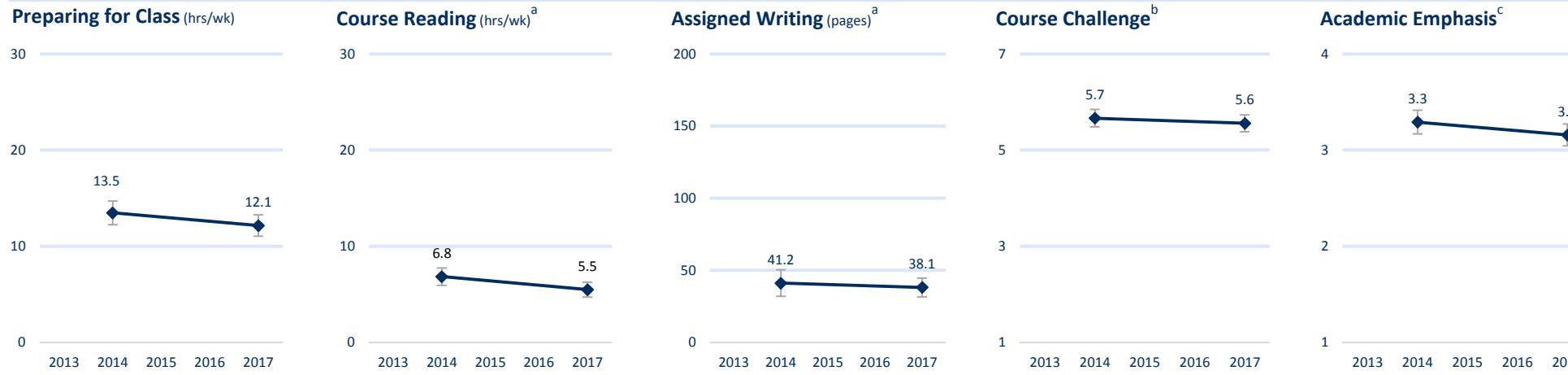
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Academic Challenge: First-year students



Academic Challenge (additional items): First-year students



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b. Extent to which courses challenged students to do their best work (1 = "Not at all" to 7 = "Very much").

c. How much students said the institution emphasizes spending significant time studying and on academic work (1 = "Very little," 2 = "Some," 3 = "Quite a bit," and 4 = "Very much").

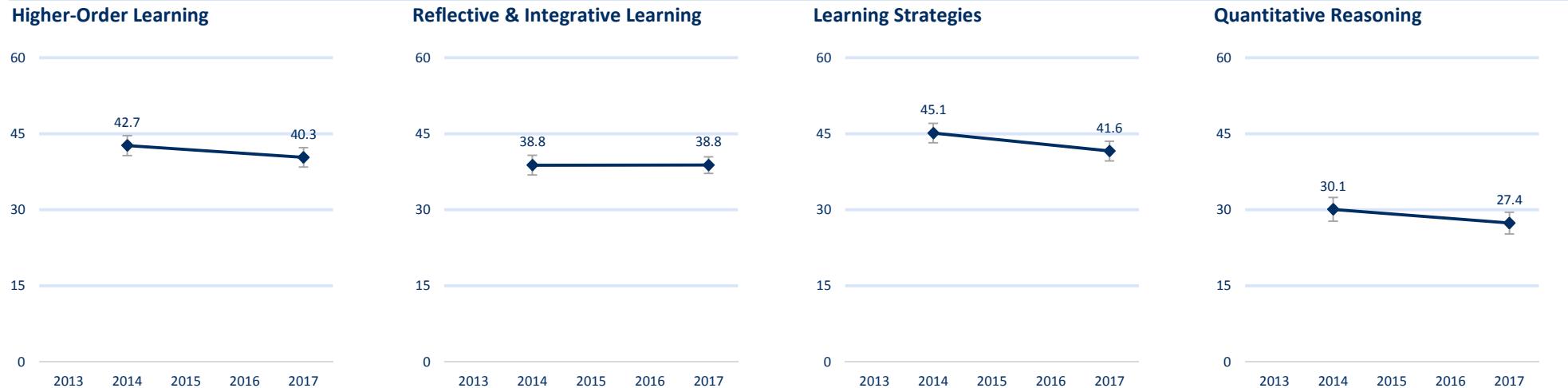
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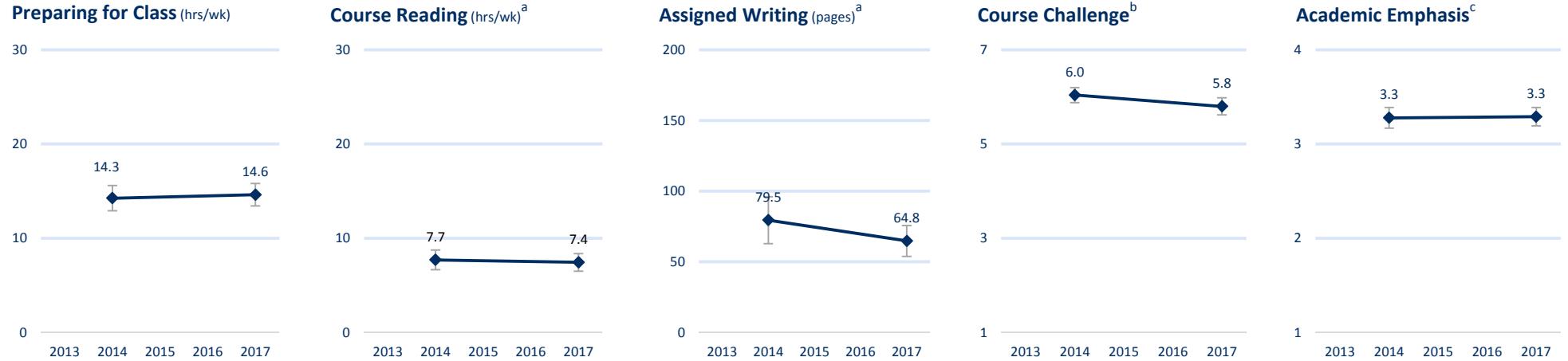
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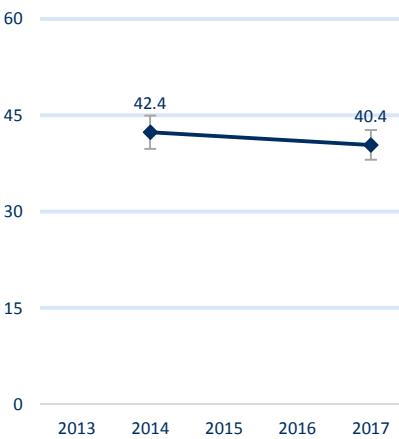
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Learning with Peers: First-year students

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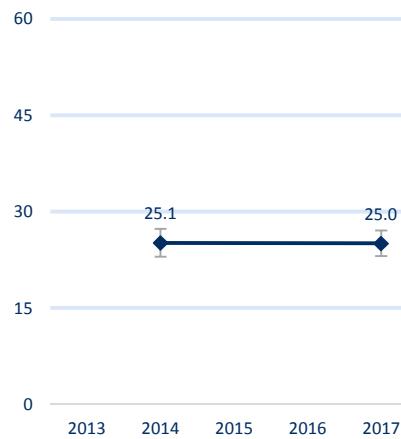


Discussions with Diverse Others



Experiences with Faculty: First-year students

Student-Faculty Interaction



Effective Teaching Practices

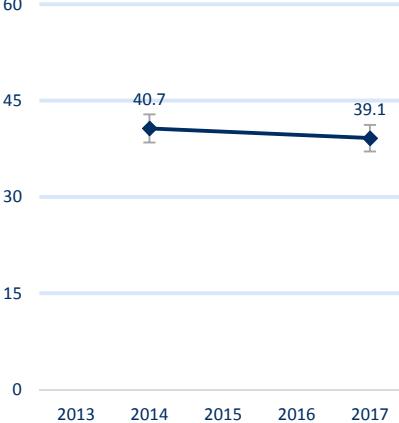


Campus Environment: First-year students

Quality of Interactions



Supportive Environment



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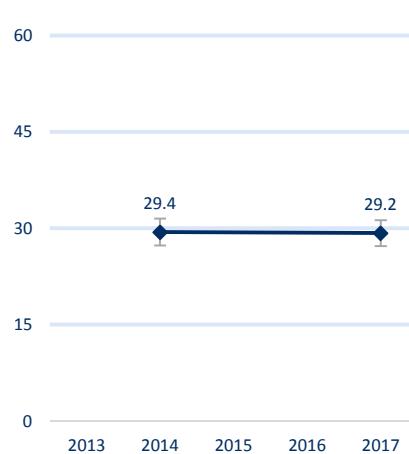
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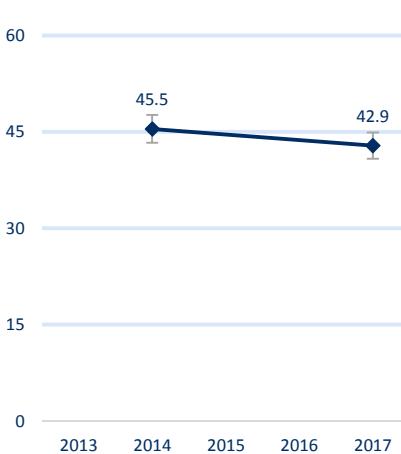
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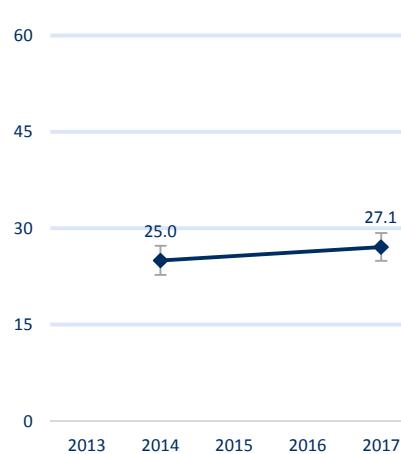


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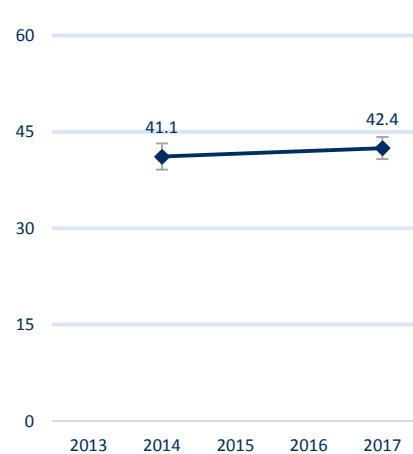


Experiences with Faculty: Seniors

Student-Faculty Interaction

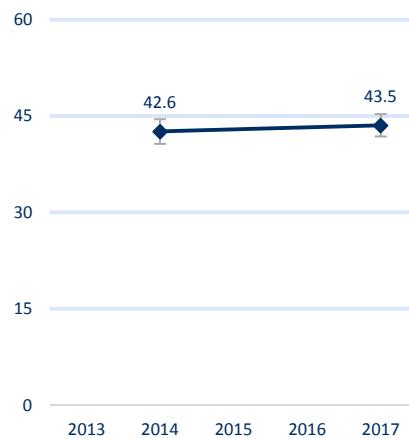


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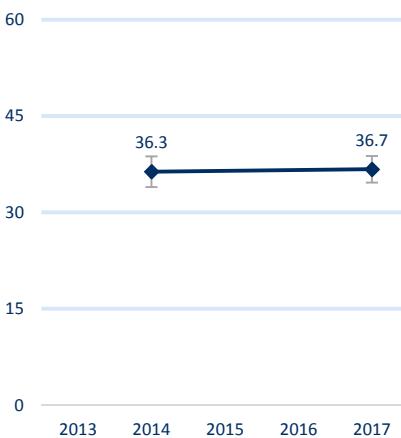


Campus Environment: Seniors

Quality of Interactions



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High-Impact Practices

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Due to their positive associations with student learning and retention, special undergraduate opportunities are designated "high-impact." The figures below display first-year students' participation, or intent to participate, in High-Impact Practices (HIPs) by year. See page 13 for detailed statistics. For more information, refer to your *High-Impact Practices* report.

High-Impact Practices: First-year students



Overall first-year HIP participation

The figure below displays the percentages of first-year students who participated in one, and two or more, HIPs. The figure is limited to participation in a learning community, service-learning, and research with faculty.



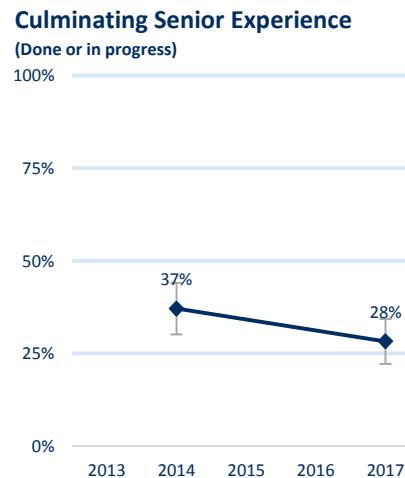
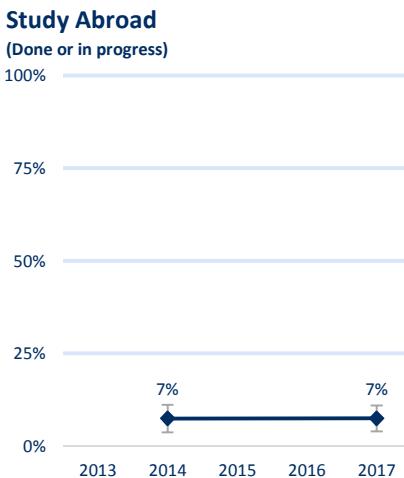
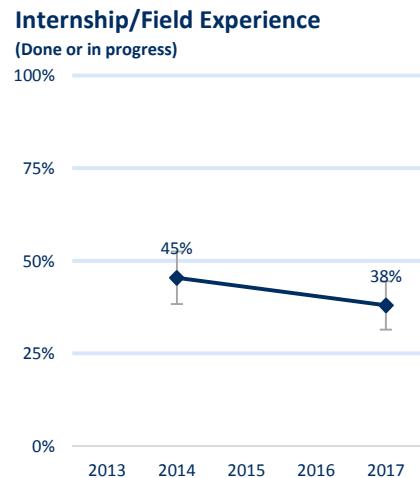
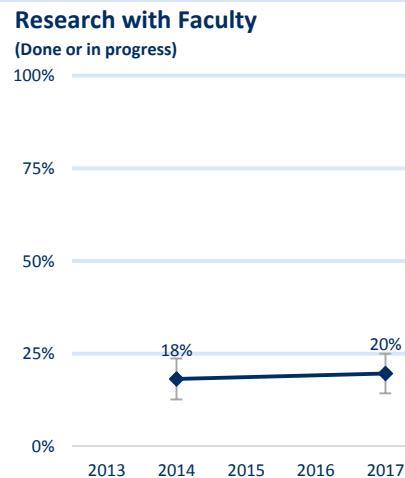
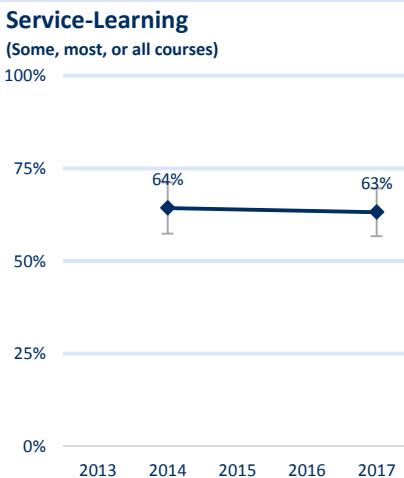
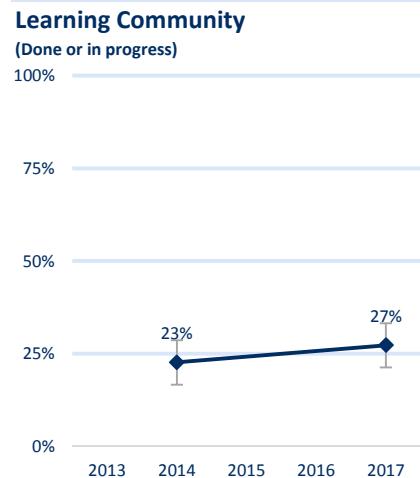
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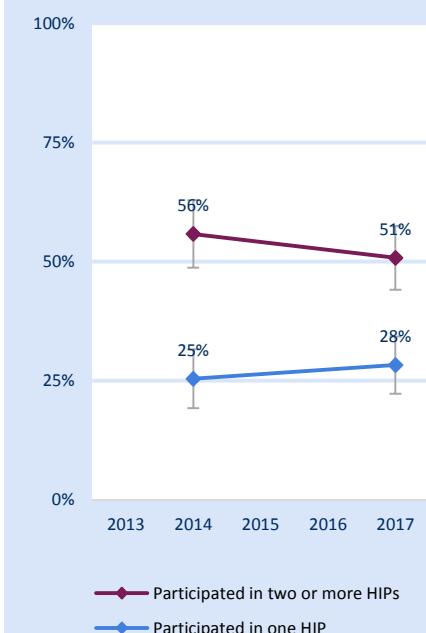
Due to their positive associations with student learning and retention, special undergraduate opportunities are designated "high-impact." Participation in High-Impact Practices (HIPs) by year is displayed in the figures below. See page 13 for detailed statistics. For more information, refer to your *High-Impact Practices* report.

High-Impact Practices: Seniors



Overall senior HIP participation

The figure below displays the percentages of seniors who participated in one, and two or more, HIPs. The figure includes all six HIPs.



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Detailed Statistics: Engagement Indicators and Additional Items

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	First-year students								Seniors							
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Academic Challenge																
Higher-Order Learning	Mean	40.2		40.0					42.7		40.3					
	n	183		214					197		228					
	SD	15.2		13.6					14.2		14.7					
	SE	1.12		.93					1.01		.98					
	CI upper bound	42.4		41.9					44.7		42.2					
	CI lower bound	38.0		38.2					40.7		38.4					
Reflective & Integrative Learning	Mean	37.0		35.3					38.8		38.8					
	n	186		224					200		234					
	SD	13.2		12.4					14.1		12.8					
	SE	.97		.83					.99		.84					
	CI upper bound	38.9		37.0					40.8		40.5					
	CI lower bound	35.1		33.7					36.9		37.2					
Learning Strategies	Mean	41.8		40.2					45.1		41.6					
	n	172		194					188		213					
	SD	13.5		13.2					13.3		14.4					
	SE	1.03		.95					.97		.99					
	CI upper bound	43.9		42.1					47.0		43.5					
	CI lower bound	39.8		38.4					43.2		39.7					
Quantitative Reasoning	Mean	28.4		27.2					30.1		27.4					
	n	186		211					200		225					
	SD	17.9		15.5					17.0		16.4					
	SE	1.31		1.07					1.20		1.09					
	CI upper bound	31.0		29.3					32.4		29.5					
	CI lower bound	25.9		25.1					27.7		25.3					
Academic Challenge (additional items)																
Preparing for Class	Mean	13.5		12.1					14.3		14.6					
(hours/week)	n	168		170					176		198					
	SD	8.2		7.4					9.1		8.6					
	SE	.63		.57					.68		.61					
	CI upper bound	14.7		13.3					15.6		15.8					
	CI lower bound	12.2		11.0					12.9		13.4					
Course Reading	Mean	6.8		5.5					7.7		7.4					
Estimated hours per week calculated from two survey questions.	n	164		170					174		198					
	SD	5.9		5.1					7.0		6.8					
	SE	.46		.39					.53		.48					
	CI upper bound	7.7		6.3					8.7		8.4					
	CI lower bound	5.9		4.7					6.7		6.5					

Notes: n = Number of respondents; SD = Standard deviation; SE = Standard error of the mean; upper and lower bounds represent the 95% confidence interval (mean +/- 1.96 * SE).

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	First-year students							Seniors							
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
<i>Academic Challenge (additional items, continued)</i>															
Assigned Writing Estimated number of pages calculated from three survey questions.	Mean	41.2		38.1					79.5		64.8				
	n	164		194					166		212				
	SD	59.9		46.0					109.3		81.5				
	SE	4.67		3.30					8.49		5.59				
	CI upper bound	50.3		44.6					96.1		75.7				
	CI lower bound	32.0		31.7					62.8		53.8				
Course Challenge Extent to which courses challenged students to do their best work (1 = "Not at all" to 7 = "Very much").	Mean	5.7		5.6					6.0		5.8				
	n	173		192					188		215				
	SD	1.2		1.2					1.1		1.3				
	SE	.09		.09					.08		.09				
	CI upper bound	5.8		5.7					6.2		6.0				
	CI lower bound	5.5		5.4					5.9		5.6				
Academic Emphasis Perceived institutional emphasis on spending significant time studying and on academic work (1 = "Very little," 2 = "Some," 3 = "Quite a bit," and 4 = "Very much").	Mean	3.3		3.2					3.3		3.3				
	n	168		172					178		199				
	SD	0.8		0.8					0.7		0.7				
	SE	.06		.06					.06		.05				
	CI upper bound	3.4		3.3					3.4		3.4				
	CI lower bound	3.2		3.0					3.2		3.2				
<i>Learning with Peers</i>															
Collaborative Learning	Mean	32.4		30.2					29.4		29.2				
	n	193		230					200		232				
	SD	13.2		15.1					15.1		15.6				
	SE	.95		1.00					1.07		1.02				
	CI upper bound	34.3		32.2					31.5		31.2				
	CI lower bound	30.5		28.3					27.3		27.2				
Discussions with Diverse Others	Mean	42.4		40.4					45.5		42.9				
	n	175		194					187		215				
	SD	17.4		16.5					15.0		15.3				
	SE	1.32		1.19					1.10		1.04				
	CI upper bound	44.9		42.7					47.6		44.9				
	CI lower bound	39.8		38.0					43.3		40.8				

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	First-year students							Seniors							
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
<i>Experiences with Faculty</i>															
Student-Faculty Interaction	Mean	25.1		25.0					25.0		27.1				
	n	182		220					199		230				
	SD	14.9		15.1					16.4		16.7				
	SE	1.10		1.02					1.17		1.10				
	CI upper bound	27.3		27.0					27.3		29.2				
	CI lower bound	23.0		23.0					22.7		24.9				
Effective Teaching Practices	Mean	41.9		40.8					41.1		42.4				
	n	187		217					199		232				
	SD	14.0		12.4					14.9		13.4				
	SE	1.03		.84					1.05		.88				
	CI upper bound	43.9		42.5					43.2		44.2				
	CI lower bound	39.9		39.2					39.1		40.7				
<i>Campus Environment</i>															
Quality of Interactions	Mean	41.8		39.6					42.6		43.5				
	n	171		183					184		201				
	SD	12.8		11.8					13.3		12.6				
	SE	.97		.87					.98		.89				
	CI upper bound	43.7		41.4					44.5		45.3				
	CI lower bound	39.9		37.9					40.7		41.8				
Supportive Environment	Mean	40.7		39.1					36.3		36.7				
	n	166		172					177		199				
	SD	14.3		13.8					16.2		14.8				
	SE	1.11		1.05					1.22		1.05				
	CI upper bound	42.8		41.2					38.7		38.8				
	CI lower bound	38.5		37.1					33.9		34.6				

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Detailed Statistics: High-Impact Practices

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	First-year students							Seniors								
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Learning Community^a	%	34		19					23		27					
	n	172		190					189		215					
	SE	3.6		2.8					3.1		3.0					
	CI upper bound (%)	41		24					29		33					
	CI lower bound (%)	27		13					17		21					
Service-Learning^a	%	58		63					64		63					
	n	172		189					186		212					
	SE	3.8		3.5					3.5		3.3					
	CI upper bound (%)	65		70					71		70					
	CI lower bound (%)	51		56					57		57					
Research with Faculty^a	%	8		6					18		20					
	n	170		190					188		215					
	SE	2.1		1.7					2.8		2.7					
	CI upper bound (%)	12		9					24		25					
	CI lower bound (%)	4		2					13		14					
Internship or Field Experience	%	73		75					45		38					
(First-year results: Plan to do)	n	175		192					191		215					
	SE	3.4		3.1					3.6		3.3					
	CI upper bound (%)	80		81					52		44					
	CI lower bound (%)	67		69					38		31					
Study Abroad	%	30		45					7		7					
(First-year results: Plan to do)	n	173		191					189		214					
	SE	3.5		3.6					1.9		1.8					
	CI upper bound (%)	37		53					11		11					
	CI lower bound (%)	24		38					4		4					
Culminating Senior Experience	%	50		45					37		28					
(First-year results: Plan to do)	n	171		186					186		214					
	SE	3.8		3.7					3.6		3.1					
	CI upper bound (%)	58		52					44		34					
	CI lower bound (%)	43		38					30		22					
Overall HIP Participation^b																
Participated in one HIP	%	37		55					25		28					
	n	175		191					191		215					
	SE	3.7		3.6					3.2		3.1					
	CI upper bound (%)	44		62					32		34					
	CI lower bound (%)	30		47					19		22					
Participated in two or more HIPs	%	28		15					56		51					
	n	175		191					191		215					
	SE	3.4		2.6					3.6		3.4					
	CI upper bound (%)	35		20					63		57					
	CI lower bound (%)	22		10					49		44					

Notes: n = Number of respondents; SE = Standard error of the proportion ($\sqrt{p * (1 - p) / (n - 1)}$) where p is the proportion; upper and lower bounds represent the 95% confidence interval ($p \pm 1.96 * SE$).

a. Results are the percentage who had done the activity.

b. First-year results are limited to participation in a Learning Community, Service-Learning, and Research with Faculty; senior results include all six HIPs.