



|             | N       | Mean Statistics |      |     | 95% Conf. Interval |       | Distribution Statistics |      |      |      |      |
|-------------|---------|-----------------|------|-----|--------------------|-------|-------------------------|------|------|------|------|
|             |         | Mean            | SD   | SEM | Lower              | Upper | 5                       | 25   | 50   | 75   | 95   |
| RU/VH       | 27,266  | 53.9            | 13.0 | .08 | 53.8               | 54.1  | 32.7                    | 45.0 | 53.9 | 63.0 | 75.4 |
| RU/H        | 30,197  | 53.5            | 13.3 | .08 | 53.3               | 53.6  | 31.6                    | 44.4 | 53.5 | 62.8 | 75.0 |
| DRU         | 10,363  | 53.3            | 13.7 | .13 | 53.0               | 53.5  | 30.1                    | 44.0 | 53.4 | 62.8 | 75.4 |
| Master's L  | 39,097  | 53.1            | 13.5 | .07 | 53.0               | 53.2  | 30.8                    | 43.8 | 52.9 | 62.6 | 75.2 |
| Master's M  | 11,836  | 53.1            | 13.6 | .12 | 52.9               | 53.3  | 30.6                    | 44.0 | 53.1 | 62.6 | 75.0 |
| Master's S  | 4,748   | 53.7            | 13.7 | .20 | 53.4               | 54.1  | 30.8                    | 44.5 | 53.9 | 63.1 | 75.9 |
| Bac/A&S     | 7,913   | 58.1            | 12.8 | .14 | 57.9               | 58.4  | 36.7                    | 49.7 | 58.3 | 67.3 | 78.5 |
| Bac/Diverse | 9,905   | 53.0            | 13.6 | .14 | 52.7               | 53.3  | 29.9                    | 43.8 | 53.1 | 62.4 | 75.0 |
| NSSE 2009   | 147,107 | 53.7            | 13.5 | .04 | 53.6               | 53.7  | 31.5                    | 44.5 | 53.7 | 63.0 | 75.5 |

**Level of Academic Challenge**

**Active and Collaborative Learning**

|             |         |      |      |     |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|-------------|---------|------|------|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| RU/VH       | 29,773  | 41.5 | 15.9 | .09 | 41.3 | 41.7 | 19.0 | 28.6 | 38.1 | 52.4 | 71.4 |
| RU/H        | 32,726  | 42.2 | 16.5 | .09 | 42.0 | 42.4 | 19.0 | 28.6 | 41.7 | 52.4 | 71.4 |
| DRU         | 11,400  | 42.9 | 17.1 | .16 | 42.6 | 43.2 | 19.0 | 28.6 | 42.9 | 52.4 | 75.0 |
| Master's L  | 42,807  | 43.3 | 16.9 | .08 | 43.1 | 43.5 | 19.0 | 33.3 | 42.9 | 52.4 | 72.2 |
| Master's M  | 12,646  | 44.6 | 16.8 | .15 | 44.3 | 44.9 | 19.0 | 33.3 | 42.9 | 53.3 | 76.2 |
| Master's S  | 5,074   | 45.1 | 16.5 | .23 | 44.6 | 45.5 | 19.0 | 33.3 | 42.9 | 57.1 | 75.0 |
| Bac/A&S     | 8,503   | 46.4 | 15.3 | .17 | 46.1 | 46.7 | 23.8 | 33.3 | 44.4 | 57.1 | 72.2 |
| Bac/Diverse | 10,739  | 44.9 | 16.7 | .16 | 44.6 | 45.2 | 19.0 | 33.3 | 42.9 | 57.1 | 75.0 |
| NSSE 2009   | 159,883 | 43.2 | 16.6 | .04 | 43.1 | 43.2 | 19.0 | 33.3 | 42.9 | 52.4 | 71.4 |

**Student-Faculty Interaction**

|             |         |      |      |     |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|-------------|---------|------|------|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| RU/VH       | 27,486  | 32.4 | 17.5 | .11 | 32.2 | 32.6 | 11.1 | 22.2 | 27.8 | 44.4 | 66.7 |
| RU/H        | 30,464  | 33.3 | 18.2 | .10 | 33.1 | 33.5 | 11.1 | 22.2 | 27.8 | 44.4 | 66.7 |
| DRU         | 10,494  | 34.7 | 18.8 | .18 | 34.4 | 35.1 | 11.1 | 22.2 | 33.3 | 44.4 | 72.2 |
| Master's L  | 39,558  | 35.2 | 18.6 | .09 | 35.0 | 35.4 | 11.1 | 22.2 | 33.3 | 44.4 | 72.2 |
| Master's M  | 11,947  | 35.7 | 18.6 | .17 | 35.3 | 36.0 | 11.1 | 22.2 | 33.3 | 44.4 | 72.2 |
| Master's S  | 4,788   | 36.6 | 18.7 | .27 | 36.1 | 37.1 | 11.1 | 22.2 | 33.3 | 50.0 | 72.2 |
| Bac/A&S     | 7,999   | 38.6 | 17.8 | .20 | 38.2 | 39.0 | 13.3 | 27.8 | 38.9 | 50.0 | 72.2 |
| Bac/Diverse | 10,044  | 37.3 | 19.0 | .19 | 37.0 | 37.7 | 11.1 | 22.2 | 33.3 | 50.0 | 72.2 |
| NSSE 2009   | 148,638 | 34.7 | 18.4 | .05 | 34.6 | 34.7 | 11.1 | 22.2 | 33.3 | 44.4 | 72.2 |



FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS

|  | N       | Mean Statistics |      |     | 95% Conf. Interval |       | Distribution Statistics |      |      |      |      |  |
|--|---------|-----------------|------|-----|--------------------|-------|-------------------------|------|------|------|------|--|
|  |         | Mean            | SD   | SEM | Lower              | Upper | 5                       | 25   | 50   | 75   | 95   |  |
| <b>Enriching Educational Experiences</b> |         |                 |      |     |                    |       |                         |      |      |      |      |  |
| RU/VH                                    | 26,661  | 30.0            | 13.1 | .08 | 29.8               | 30.1  | 11.1                    | 20.6 | 29.0 | 38.5 | 52.4 |  |
| RU/H                                     | 29,442  | 28.0            | 13.3 | .08 | 27.9               | 28.2  | 8.3                     | 19.0 | 27.0 | 36.1 | 50.8 |  |
| DRU                                      | 10,048  | 27.7            | 13.5 | .14 | 27.5               | 28.0  | 8.3                     | 17.9 | 26.2 | 36.1 | 51.2 |  |
| Master's L                               | 37,983  | 27.1            | 13.5 | .07 | 26.9               | 27.2  | 8.3                     | 16.7 | 25.1 | 34.5 | 50.4 |  |
| Master's M                               | 11,516  | 26.8            | 13.3 | .12 | 26.5               | 27.0  | 8.3                     | 16.7 | 25.0 | 34.5 | 50.0 |  |
| Master's S                               | 4,624   | 27.3            | 13.5 | .20 | 26.9               | 27.7  | 8.3                     | 17.5 | 26.2 | 35.3 | 50.8 |  |
| Bac/A&S                                  | 7,776   | 31.6            | 12.9 | .15 | 31.3               | 31.9  | 12.1                    | 22.2 | 31.0 | 39.7 | 53.2 |  |
| Bac/Diverse                              | 9,614   | 27.1            | 13.6 | .14 | 26.9               | 27.4  | 8.3                     | 16.7 | 25.0 | 34.5 | 50.8 |  |
| NSSE 2009                                | 143,292 | 28.0            | 13.4 | .04 | 28.0               | 28.1  | 8.3                     | 18.2 | 27.0 | 36.1 | 51.2 |  |

**Supportive Campus Environment**

|             |         |      |      |     |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|-------------|---------|------|------|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| RU/VH       | 26,059  | 60.3 | 18.2 | .11 | 60.1 | 60.5 | 30.6 | 47.2 | 61.1 | 72.2 | 88.9 |
| RU/H        | 28,778  | 60.2 | 18.6 | .11 | 59.9 | 60.4 | 27.8 | 47.2 | 61.1 | 72.2 | 91.7 |
| DRU         | 9,771   | 60.6 | 18.8 | .19 | 60.3 | 61.0 | 27.8 | 47.2 | 61.1 | 72.2 | 91.7 |
| Master's L  | 36,971  | 61.6 | 18.9 | .10 | 61.4 | 61.8 | 30.6 | 50.0 | 61.1 | 75.0 | 93.3 |
| Master's M  | 11,243  | 62.7 | 19.3 | .18 | 62.4 | 63.1 | 30.6 | 50.0 | 63.9 | 75.0 | 94.4 |
| Master's S  | 4,514   | 63.8 | 18.9 | .28 | 63.2 | 64.3 | 30.6 | 52.8 | 63.9 | 77.8 | 94.4 |
| Bac/A&S     | 7,620   | 66.8 | 17.6 | .20 | 66.4 | 67.2 | 36.1 | 55.6 | 66.7 | 80.0 | 94.4 |
| Bac/Diverse | 9,384   | 63.5 | 19.0 | .20 | 63.1 | 63.9 | 30.6 | 50.0 | 63.9 | 75.0 | 94.4 |
| NSSE 2009   | 139,815 | 61.6 | 18.8 | .05 | 61.5 | 61.7 | 30.6 | 50.0 | 61.1 | 75.0 | 91.7 |

\* Results are weighted by gender, enrollment status, and institutional size.

\* Distribution statistics represent the mean score of students in the 5th, 25th, 50th, 75th, and 95th percentile.

\* NSSE 2009 includes institutions with "Other" Carnegie classifications.