
NSSE 2023

Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

About This Report

The *Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons* report presents item-by-item student responses and statistical comparisons that allow you to examine patterns of similarity and difference between your students and those at your comparison group institutions. The report uses information from all randomly selected or census-administered students. The display below highlights important details in the report to keep in mind when interpreting your results. For more information please visit our website (nsse.indiana.edu) or contact a member of the NSSE team.

- Class level:** As reported by your institution.
- Item numbers:** Numbering corresponds to the instrument available on the NSSE website.
- Item wording and variable names:** Survey items are in the same order and wording as they appear on the instrument. Variable names are included for easy reference to your data file and codebook.
- Values and response options:** Values are used to calculate means. Response options are worded as they appear on the instrument.
- Count and column percentage (%):** The Count column contains the number of students who selected the corresponding response option. The column percentage is the weighted percentage of students selecting the corresponding response option.

Note: Column percentages and statistics are weighted by institution-reported sex and enrollment status. Comparison group statistics are also weighted by institutional size. Counts are unweighted and cannot be used to replicate column percentages. For details visit: go.iu.edu/NSSE-weights
- Statistical comparisons:** Items with mean differences that are larger than would be expected by chance are noted with asterisks referring to three significance levels (* $p < .05$, ** $p < .01$, *** $p < .001$). Significance levels indicate the probability that an observed difference is due to chance. Statistical significance does not guarantee the result is substantive or important. Large sample sizes will generate more statistically significant results even when the magnitude of mean differences are inconsequential. Consult effect sizes (see #7) to judge the practical meaning of differences. Unless otherwise noted, statistical comparisons are two-tailed independent t -tests. Exceptions are items 11 a-f which are compared using a z -test.

NSSE Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

NSSEville State University

Seniors		Frequency Distributions ^a										Statistical Comparisons ^b							
		NSSEville State				Admissions Overlap		Carnegie UG Program		NSSE Cohort		Your seniors compared with							
		NSSEville State				Admissions Overlap		Carnegie UG Program		NSSE Cohort		NSSEville State		Admissions Overlap		Carnegie UG Program		NSSE Cohort	
Item wording	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
6. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?																			
a. Reached conclusions based on your own analysis of numerical information (numbers, graphs, statistics, etc.)	QRconclude	1 Never 2 Sometimes 3 Often 4 Very often Total	3 0 135 20 112 33 280 46 630 100	3 0 135 20 112 33 280 46 630 100	244 2 4,397 27 5,947 37 5,440 34 16,028 100	54 2 845 29 1,086 38 889 31 2,874 100	6,952 3 75,222 33 81,724 35 66,983 29 230,881 100	3.3	3.0 *** ▲	.27	3.0 *** ▲	.35	2.9 *** ▲	.43					
b. Used numerical information to examine a real-world problem or issue (unemployment, climate change, public health, etc.)	QRproblem	1 Never 2 Sometimes 3 Often 4 Very often Total	82 13 267 42 164 26 113 19 626 100	82 13 267 42 164 26 113 19 626 100	2,369 14 5,959 37 4,548 29 3,072 20 15,948 100	401 14 978 34 858 31 611 1 2,840 100	35,490 16 79,495 34 67,348 29 47,208 21 229,541 100	2.5	2.5	-.04	2.6 * ▼	-.09	2.6	-.05					
c. Evaluated what others have concluded from numerical information	QRevaluate	1 Never 2 Sometimes 3 Often 4 Very often Total	25 4 56 9 384 63 150 24 615 100	25 4 56 9 384 63 150 24 615 100	778 5 1,666 11 9,147 57 4,267 27 15,858 100	134 5 262 10 1,586 57 851 29 2,833 100	12,543 6 28,134 13 128,802 56 58,873 26 228,352 100	3.1	3.1	.02	3.1	-.04	3.0	.06					

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Frequency Distributions ^a								Statistical Comparisons ^b					
				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Effect size ^e	Effect size ^e
				Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean		
1. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?																	
a. Asked questions or contributed to course discussions in other ways	askquest	1	Never	4	4	126	2	75	2	7,259	4	2.9	2.9	.00	3.0	-.09	2.8
		2	Sometimes	28	26	2,097	34	1,353	31	75,041	38						
		3	Often	32	49	2,350	37	1,632	37	71,111	35						
		4	Very often	16	22	1,717	27	1,359	31	49,139	24						
		Total		80	100	6,290	100	4,419	100	202,550	100						
b. Asked another student to help you understand course material	CLaskhelp	1	Never	5	7	603	11	333	8	25,262	15	2.6	2.5	.10	2.6	.05	2.4
		2	Sometimes	33	41	2,657	43	1,897	44	82,140	41						
		3	Often	29	35	1,943	31	1,387	31	61,191	29						
		4	Very often	14	17	1,063	16	773	17	33,166	15						
		Total		81	100	6,266	100	4,390	100	201,759	100						
c. Explained course material to one or more students	CLexplain	1	Never	3	3	412	7	217	5	19,022	11	2.7	2.6	.14	2.7	.05	2.5 *
		2	Sometimes	34	39	2,649	43	1,790	41	82,088	41						
		3	Often	32	43	2,108	33	1,567	35	68,263	33						
		4	Very often	13	16	1,075	17	823	19	32,065	15						
		Total		82	100	6,244	100	4,397	100	201,438	100						
d. Prepared for exams by discussing or working through course material with other students	CLstudy	1	Never	8	13	967	16	626	15	39,944	22	2.5	2.5	.06	2.5	.00	2.3
		2	Sometimes	31	39	2,373	38	1,645	38	73,649	37						
		3	Often	26	32	1,783	28	1,274	29	55,183	26						
		4	Very often	16	16	1,086	17	825	19	31,419	15						
		Total		81	100	6,209	100	4,370	100	200,195	100						
e. Worked with other students on course projects or assignments	CLproject	1	Never	7	12	373	6	176	4	20,958	13	2.5	2.7	-.18	2.7 *	-.29	2.5
		2	Sometimes	31	37	2,422	40	1,643	37	74,180	37						
		3	Often	30	39	2,219	35	1,702	39	69,751	34						
		4	Very often	10	12	1,159	18	827	19	34,222	16						
		Total		78	100	6,173	100	4,348	100	199,111	100						
f. Given a course presentation	present	1	Never	22	19	712	12	428	10	41,093	23	2.2	2.4 *	-.29	2.4 **	-.32	2.2
		2	Sometimes	40	55	2,899	48	2,138	49	90,301	45						
		3	Often	14	18	1,753	28	1,256	29	46,735	23						
		4	Very often	3	9	794	12	517	12	20,545	10						
		Total		79	100	6,158	100	4,339	100	198,674	100						

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
2. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?																			
a. Combined ideas from different courses when completing assignments	RIintegrate	1	Never	7	10	444	8	294	7	16,585	9	2.5	2.6	-.15	2.7	-.22	2.6	-.14	
		2	Sometimes	40	51	2,320	39	1,579	37	73,011	37								
		3	Often	21	22	2,307	38	1,663	39	74,018	37								
		4	Very often	10	18	982	16	739	17	32,048	16								
		Total	78	100	6,053	100	4,275	100	195,662	100									
b. Connected your learning to societal problems or issues	RIsocietal	1	Never	8	13	444	8	288	7	17,605	10	2.5	2.6	-.15	2.7	-.21	2.6	-.13	
		2	Sometimes	28	34	2,263	38	1,586	38	71,058	37								
		3	Often	33	42	2,235	37	1,523	36	70,410	35								
		4	Very often	8	10	1,060	17	836	19	34,831	18								
		Total	77	100	6,002	100	4,233	100	193,904	100									
c. Included diverse perspectives (political, religious, racial/ethnic, gender, etc.) in course discussions or assignments	RIdiverse	1	Never	6	12	391	8	273	7	17,829	11	2.6	2.7	-.15	2.7	-.16	2.6	-.07	
		2	Sometimes	24	31	2,091	36	1,519	37	66,724	35								
		3	Often	36	45	2,237	37	1,509	35	69,149	35								
		4	Very often	9	11	1,217	20	895	21	38,300	19								
		Total	75	100	5,936	100	4,196	100	192,002	100									
d. Examined the strengths and weaknesses of your own views on a topic or issue	Rlownview	1	Never	4	4	257	5	161	4	8,612	5	2.6	2.8	-.18	2.8	-.21	2.8	-.19	
		2	Sometimes	27	44	1,799	31	1,312	31	57,222	30								
		3	Often	34	37	2,674	45	1,826	44	85,992	45								
		4	Very often	10	15	1,122	19	842	21	37,651	20								
		Total	75	100	5,852	100	4,141	100	189,477	100									
e. Tried to better understand someone else's views by imagining how an issue looks from their perspective	RIperspect	1	Never	1	4	143	3	92	2	5,154	3	3.0	2.9	.09	2.9	.09	2.9	.08	
		2	Sometimes	15	17	1,533	27	1,093	27	47,211	26								
		3	Often	39	55	2,637	45	1,880	46	87,401	46								
		4	Very often	20	25	1,432	25	997	24	46,430	25								
		Total	75	100	5,745	100	4,062	100	186,196	100									
f. Learned something that changed the way you understand an issue or concept	Rlnewview	1	Never	3	9	163	3	103	3	5,259	3	2.8	2.9	-.06	2.9	-.07	2.9	-.08	
		2	Sometimes	17	22	1,672	30	1,189	30	52,764	29								
		3	Often	40	49	2,529	45	1,820	45	82,503	44								
		4	Very often	16	21	1,279	22	888	22	42,548	23								
		Total	76	100	5,643	100	4,000	100	183,074	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
g. Connected ideas from your courses to your prior experiences and knowledge	RIconnect	1	Never	3	6	73	2	38	1	2,533	2	2.9	3.0	-.24	3.1 **	-.35	3.1 *	▽	
		2	Sometimes	17	23	1,154	22	728	19	35,379	20								
		3	Often	33	51	2,755	49	1,956	49	89,006	48								
		4	Very often	18	20	1,578	28	1,220	31	53,874	30								
		Total	71	100	5,560	100	3,942	100	180,792	100									
3. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?																			
a. Talked about career plans with a faculty member	SFcareer	1	Never	5	5	801	15	499	13	34,162	20	2.8	2.4 **	.39	2.5 **	.35	2.3 ***	.50	
		2	Sometimes	31	38	2,360	42	1,721	44	76,712	42								
		3	Often	25	33	1,544	28	1,092	28	44,329	24								
		4	Very often	13	25	853	15	631	16	25,364	14								
		Total	74	100	5,558	100	3,943	100	180,567	100									
b. Worked with a faculty member on activities other than coursework (committees, student groups, etc.)	SFotherwork	1	Never	22	28	2,123	39	1,475	38	81,493	47	2.2	2.0	.20	2.0 *	.24	1.8 **	.37	
		2	Sometimes	28	41	1,910	34	1,454	37	56,830	31								
		3	Often	14	17	970	18	674	17	27,290	15								
		4	Very often	8	15	521	9	324	8	14,028	8								
		Total	72	100	5,524	100	3,927	100	179,641	100									
c. Discussed course topics, ideas, or concepts with a faculty member outside of class	SFdiscuss	1	Never	12	12	1,324	25	812	21	55,586	33	2.5	2.2 **	.38	2.2 **	.33	2.0 ***	.53	
		2	Sometimes	29	39	2,384	43	1,773	45	71,864	40								
		3	Often	23	36	1,198	22	900	23	34,579	19								
		4	Very often	7	14	537	10	400	10	15,615	9								
		Total	71	100	5,443	100	3,885	100	177,644	100									
d. Discussed your academic performance with a faculty member	SFperform	1	Never	13	16	951	17	604	16	41,835	25	2.5	2.3	.24	2.3	.20	2.2 **	.38	
		2	Sometimes	28	34	2,492	46	1,815	46	78,640	44								
		3	Often	21	34	1,414	26	1,044	27	39,696	22								
		4	Very often	10	16	603	10	430	11	17,414	10								
		Total	72	100	5,460	100	3,893	100	177,585	100									
4. During the current school year, how much has your coursework emphasized the following?																			
a. Memorizing course material	memorize	1	Very little	2	2	169	3	134	4	7,183	4	3.1	3.0	.16	3.0	.15	2.9 *	.23	
		2	Some	10	16	1,294	24	929	25	46,448	27								
		3	Quite a bit	38	54	2,475	46	1,721	44	78,090	44								
		4	Very much	22	28	1,474	26	1,075	27	44,469	25								
		Total	72	100	5,412	100	3,859	100	176,190	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
b. Applying facts, theories, or methods to practical problems or new situations	HOapply	1	Very little	0	0	200	4	116	3	6,309	4	2.9	2.9	.03	3.0	-.06	2.9	.03	
		2	Some	17	23	1,292	24	883	23	44,282	26								
		3	Quite a bit	41	60	2,565	48	1,762	46	80,823	46								
		4	Very much	14	17	1,330	24	1,072	28	43,577	25								
		Total	72	100	5,387	100	3,833	100	174,991	100									
c. Analyzing an idea, experience, or line of reasoning in depth by examining its parts	HOanalyze	1	Very little	2	2	174	4	121	3	6,265	4	2.9	2.9	-.08	3.0	-.14	2.9	-.05	
		2	Some	23	29	1,354	25	893	24	45,199	26								
		3	Quite a bit	29	49	2,410	46	1,728	46	77,599	45								
		4	Very much	17	20	1,388	26	1,049	28	43,861	25								
		Total	71	100	5,326	100	3,791	100	172,924	100									
d. Evaluating a point of view, decision, or information source	HOevaluate	1	Very little	2	2	150	3	110	3	6,300	4	2.9	2.9	-.10	3.0	-.12	2.9	-.05	
		2	Some	23	30	1,278	24	929	25	44,121	26								
		3	Quite a bit	28	48	2,510	47	1,708	45	78,232	45								
		4	Very much	17	20	1,359	25	1,014	27	43,244	25								
		Total	70	100	5,297	100	3,761	100	171,897	100									
e. Forming a new idea or understanding from various pieces of information	HOform	1	Very little	3	3	134	3	92	3	5,684	4	2.9	3.0	-.09	2.9	-.08	2.9	-.04	
		2	Some	16	23	1,275	25	929	25	42,995	26								
		3	Quite a bit	37	57	2,435	47	1,782	47	79,537	46								
		4	Very much	14	17	1,399	26	941	25	42,707	25								
		Total	70	100	5,243	100	3,744	100	170,923	100									
5. During the current school year, to what extent have your instructors done the following?																			
a. Clearly explained course goals and requirements	ETgoals	1	Very little	1	1	103	2	54	1	3,853	3	3.3	3.1 *	.31	3.1 *	.28	3.1 **	.32	
		2	Some	6	9	1,011	20	704	19	35,154	21								
		3	Quite a bit	38	48	2,421	46	1,779	47	78,627	46								
		4	Very much	25	42	1,684	31	1,192	32	52,220	31								
		Total	70	100	5,219	100	3,729	100	169,854	100									
b. Taught course sessions in an organized way	ETorganize	1	Very little	1	5	194	4	101	3	7,456	5	3.1	3.0	.11	3.0	.03	3.0	.13	
		2	Some	12	19	1,112	22	750	20	37,423	22								
		3	Quite a bit	30	41	2,364	45	1,736	46	75,887	44								
		4	Very much	25	36	1,531	29	1,134	31	48,470	29								
		Total	68	100	5,201	100	3,721	100	169,236	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
c. Used examples or illustrations to explain difficult points	ETexample	1	Very little	1	1	172	3	86	2	6,093	4	3.2	3.0	.22	3.1	.14	3.0	.23	
		2	Some	13	20	1,164	23	758	21	38,231	23								
		3	Quite a bit	28	38	2,217	43	1,620	43	72,701	43								
		4	Very much	27	41	1,630	31	1,245	34	51,847	31								
		Total	69	100	5,183	100	3,709	100	168,872	100									
d. Provided feedback on a draft or work in progress	ETdraftfb	1	Very little	7	7	328	6	167	5	12,125	8	2.8	2.9	-.09	3.0	-.16	2.8	-.01	
		2	Some	17	27	1,321	26	931	26	47,289	28								
		3	Quite a bit	25	42	1,972	38	1,445	39	63,756	37								
		4	Very much	20	23	1,555	29	1,152	31	45,286	27								
		Total	69	100	5,176	100	3,695	100	168,456	100									
e. Provided prompt and detailed feedback on tests or completed assignments	ETfeedback	1	Very little	9	13	373	7	206	5	14,018	9	2.7	2.8	-.08	2.9	-.14	2.7	.00	
		2	Some	19	30	1,474	29	1,048	29	52,515	31								
		3	Quite a bit	22	29	1,993	39	1,507	41	63,264	37								
		4	Very much	18	29	1,299	25	918	25	37,763	23								
		Total	68	100	5,139	100	3,679	100	167,560	100									
f. Explained in advance the criteria for successfully completing your assignments	etcriteria	1	Very little	1	1	158	4	101	3	6,039	4	3.2	3.0	.20	3.0	.19	3.0	.22	
		2	Some	13	14	1,149	22	821	23	39,000	23								
		3	Quite a bit	27	52	2,210	43	1,638	44	72,451	43								
		4	Very much	24	33	1,586	30	1,097	30	49,096	30								
		Total	65	100	5,103	100	3,657	100	166,586	100									
g. Reviewed and summarized key ideas or concepts	etreview	1	Very little	3	3	140	3	87	2	5,088	3	3.1	3.0	.05	3.0	.06	3.0	.11	
		2	Some	13	17	1,100	22	811	23	38,674	23								
		3	Quite a bit	28	50	2,289	45	1,680	46	76,061	45								
		4	Very much	22	30	1,560	30	1,059	29	46,238	28								
		Total	66	100	5,089	100	3,637	100	166,061	100									
h. Taught in a way that aligns with how you prefer to learn	etprefer	1	Very little	5	9	363	7	199	5	13,274	8	2.7	2.7	.00	2.7	-.03	2.7	.05	
		2	Some	24	38	1,703	34	1,242	34	58,768	35								
		3	Quite a bit	21	27	1,999	39	1,529	42	63,574	38								
		4	Very much	14	27	994	19	659	18	30,050	18								
		Total	64	100	5,059	100	3,629	100	165,666	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
i. Enabled you to demonstrate your learning through quizzes, assignments, and other activities	etdemonstrate	1	Very little	2	2	145	3	79	2	4,653	3	3.2	3.1	.14	3.1	.07	3.1	.13	
		2	Some	6	10	930	19	613	18	31,407	19								
		3	Quite a bit	28	54	2,253	45	1,646	45	73,726	44								
		4	Very much	27	33	1,726	33	1,280	35	55,525	34								
		Total	63	100	5,054	100	3,618	100	165,311	100									
6. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?																			
a. Reached conclusions based on your own analysis of numerical information (numbers, graphs, statistics, etc.)	QRconclude	1	Never	2	2	541	10	367	10	15,894	9	2.7	2.6	.12	2.6	.09	2.6	.09	
		2	Sometimes	27	46	1,797	36	1,299	36	59,987	36								
		3	Often	21	30	1,817	37	1,303	38	59,969	37								
		4	Very often	10	21	803	17	589	17	26,747	17								
		Total	60	100	4,958	100	3,558	100	162,597	100									
b. Used numerical information to examine a real-world problem or issue (unemployment, climate change, public health, etc.)	QRproblem	1	Never	10	12	804	16	579	16	27,362	17	2.4	2.4	.02	2.4	.04	2.4	.03	
		2	Sometimes	26	46	1,932	39	1,467	41	63,912	39								
		3	Often	15	28	1,559	32	1,032	30	49,111	30								
		4	Very often	8	14	638	13	459	13	21,374	14								
		Total	59	100	4,933	100	3,537	100	161,759	100									
c. Evaluated what others have concluded from numerical information	QRevaluate	1	Never	11	18	813	16	530	14	26,304	16	2.5	2.4	.09	2.4	.08	2.4	.10	
		2	Sometimes	22	32	2,039	41	1,489	42	65,719	40								
		3	Often	17	34	1,477	30	1,103	32	50,109	31								
		4	Very often	9	16	593	13	406	12	18,826	12								
		Total	59	100	4,922	100	3,528	100	160,958	100									
7. During the current school year, about how many papers, reports, or other writing tasks of the following lengths have you been assigned? (Include those not yet completed.)																			
a. Up to 5 pages	wrshortnum (Recorded version of wrshort created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of papers, reports, etc.)	0	None	0	0	194	4	123	4	10,531	7	5.5	7.5 **	-.32	7.3 **	-.30	6.5	-.17	
		1.5	1-2	16	23	814	17	575	16	31,346	20								
		4	3-5	22	47	1,521	31	1,126	32	51,312	32								
		8	6-10	14	17	1,180	24	913	25	36,492	22								
		13	11-15	6	11	600	12	412	12	16,250	10								
		18	16-20	0	0	273	6	191	6	6,865	4								
		23	More than 20	2	2	322	7	180	5	7,884	5								
		Total	60	100	4,904	100	3,520	100	160,680	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
b. Between 6 and 10 pages	wrmednum	0	None	28	41	1,649	34	989	29	59,419	38	1.3	2.5 *** ▼	-.34	2.5 *** ▼	-.36	2.5 *** ▼	-.31	
	(Recoded version of wrmed created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of papers, reports, etc.)	1.5	1-2	23	44	1,789	35	1,462	41	54,828	33								
		4	3-5	8	14	902	19	688	19	27,588	17								
		8	6-10	1	1	362	8	253	7	11,849	8								
		13	11-15	0	0	91	2	72	2	3,876	2								
		18	16-20	0	0	35	1	19	1	1,022	1								
		23	More than 20	0	0	40	1	25	1	1,423	1								
	Total			60	100	4,868	100	3,508	100	160,005	100								
c. 11 pages or more	wrlongnum	0	None	53	83	3,699	74	2,661	75	120,910	75	.3	1.1 *** ▼	-.27	1.0 *** ▼	-.24	1.2 *** ▼	-.27	
	(Recoded version of wrlong created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of papers, reports, etc.)	1.5	1-2	6	15	736	15	576	16	23,181	14								
		4	3-5	1	1	179	4	127	4	6,785	4								
		8	6-10	0	0	134	3	71	2	4,163	3								
		13	11-15	0	0	89	2	46	1	3,070	2								
		18	16-20	0	0	26	1	15	0	737	1								
		23	More than 20	0	0	31	1	23	1	1,289	1								
	Total			60	100	4,894	100	3,519	100	160,135	100								
Estimated number of assigned pages of student writing.	wrpages											31.2	58.6 *** ▼	-.35	56.2 *** ▼	-.34	56.2 *** ▼	-.30	
(Continuous variable, recoded and summed by NSSE from wrshort, wrmed, and wrlong. Values are estimated pages of assigned writing.)																			

8. During the current school year, about how often have you had discussions with people from the following groups?

a. People of races or ethnicities other than your own	DDrace	1	Never	5	6	186	4	116	3	7,989	6	2.8	3.0 * ▼	-.31	3.0 * ▼	-.31	3.0	-.24
		2	Sometimes	23	35	1,226	25	939	26	40,223	25							
		3	Often	19	35	1,652	34	1,179	34	53,357	33							
		4	Very often	13	24	1,815	37	1,284	37	58,532	36							
		Total	60	100	4,879	100	3,518	100	160,101	100								
b. People from economic backgrounds other than your own	DDeconomic	1	Never	2	2	170	4	97	3	7,681	6	2.9	3.0	-.17	3.1	-.21	3.0	-.11
		2	Sometimes	22	30	1,180	24	860	24	38,725	25							
		3	Often	23	44	1,866	38	1,320	38	59,543	37							
		4	Very often	12	23	1,659	34	1,231	35	53,768	33							
		Total	59	100	4,875	100	3,508	100	159,717	100								

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
c. People with religious beliefs other than your own	DDreligion	1	Never	5	10	237	5	142	4	11,530	8	2.8	2.9	-.12	3.0	-.18	2.9	-.05	
		2	Sometimes	18	30	1,304	27	945	27	44,124	28								
		3	Often	18	26	1,731	35	1,201	34	53,371	33								
		4	Very often	18	34	1,603	32	1,217	35	50,653	31								
		Total	59	100	4,875	100	3,505	100	159,678	100									
d. People with political views other than your own	DDpolitical	1	Never	5	10	357	7	220	6	13,627	9	2.9	2.8	.07	2.9	.02	2.8	.13	
		2	Sometimes	17	25	1,504	31	1,090	30	51,211	32								
		3	Often	19	31	1,631	34	1,152	33	50,753	31								
		4	Very often	18	34	1,376	28	1,037	30	43,972	28								
		Total	59	100	4,868	100	3,499	100	159,563	100									
e. People with sexual orientations other than your own	ddsexorient	1	Never	5	10	445	10	223	6	14,240	10	2.7	2.8	-.09	2.9	-.25	2.8	-.15	
		2	Sometimes	23	40	1,499	32	993	29	45,321	29								
		3	Often	15	22	1,512	30	1,120	31	49,755	30								
		4	Very often	16	28	1,404	28	1,162	33	50,191	31								
		Total	59	100	4,860	100	3,498	100	159,507	100									
f. People from countries other than your own	ddcountry	1	Never	26	39	463	10	396	11	17,518	12	2.0	2.7 *** ▼	-.72	2.6 *** ▼	-.62	2.6 *** ▼	-.65	
		2	Sometimes	22	39	1,891	38	1,455	42	61,252	38								
		3	Often	4	5	1,346	28	877	25	42,534	26								
		4	Very often	7	17	1,174	24	777	22	38,376	24								
		Total	59	100	4,874	100	3,505	100	159,680	100									
9. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?																			
a. Identified key information from reading assignments	LSreading	1	Never	1	1	78	2	48	1	3,605	3	2.9	3.0	-.07	3.0	-.12	3.0	-.04	
		2	Sometimes	18	34	1,084	23	752	22	38,086	24								
		3	Often	25	34	2,361	49	1,696	48	74,572	47								
		4	Very often	15	31	1,310	26	991	28	42,272	26								
		Total	59	100	4,833	100	3,487	100	158,535	100									
b. Reviewed your notes after class	LSnotes	1	Never	2	7	177	4	132	4	7,061	5	3.0	2.9	.06	2.9	.05	2.9	.08	
		2	Sometimes	17	29	1,333	29	966	29	45,758	29								
		3	Often	14	25	1,792	37	1,295	37	58,355	37								
		4	Very often	26	39	1,524	30	1,092	30	47,281	29								
		Total	59	100	4,826	100	3,485	100	158,455	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
c. Summarized what you learned in class or from course materials	LSummary	1	Never	1	5	195	4	130	4	7,339	5	3.0	2.9	.10	2.9	.09	2.9	.15	
		2	Sometimes	17	29	1,322	28	967	28	46,848	30								
		3	Often	20	28	1,970	41	1,444	41	63,635	40								
		4	Very often	21	38	1,336	26	940	26	40,544	25								
		Total	59	100	4,823	100	3,481	100	158,366	100									
10. During the current school year, to what extent have your courses challenged you to do your best work?																			
challenge		1	Not at all	0	0	38	1	24	1	1,256	1	5.6	5.4	.23	5.4	.20	5.4	.22	
		2		0	0	48	1	52	2	1,909	1								
		3		2	2	196	5	134	4	7,619	5								
		4		8	14	609	13	371	11	20,152	13								
		5		19	35	1,666	35	1,234	35	54,227	34								
		6		9	15	1,226	25	926	27	39,177	24								
		7	Very much	21	34	1,013	20	722	20	33,065	21								
Total	59	100	4,796	100	3,463	100	157,405	100											
11. Which of the following have you done while in college or do you plan to do before you graduate? ^f																			
a. Participate in an internship, co-op, field experience, student teaching, or clinical placement	intern (Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")	Have not decided	6	7	623	14	421	13	23,446	16	2%	9%	-.28	9%	-.28	8%	-.25		
		Do not plan to do	0	0	254	6	142	4	10,323	7									
		Plan to do	50	90	3,481	72	2,596	74	111,050	69									
		Done or in progress	2	2	420	9	296	9	12,155	8									
		Total	58	100	4,778	100	3,455	100	156,974	100									
b. Hold a formal leadership role in a student organization or group	leader (Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")	Have not decided	20	33	1,390	29	995	29	44,992	29	4%	11%	-.29	13% *	-37 ▼	10%	-.27		
		Do not plan to do	15	22	1,153	24	665	20	38,660	26									
		Plan to do	20	41	1,702	36	1,314	37	56,201	35									
		Done or in progress	3	4	523	11	476	13	16,708	10									
		Total	58	100	4,768	100	3,450	100	156,561	100									
c. Participate in a learning community or some other formal program where groups of students take two or more classes together	learncom (Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")	Have not decided	25	46	1,663	35	1,356	39	53,810	34	6%	13%	-.21	12%	-.18	11%	-.17		
		Do not plan to do	11	23	1,072	23	809	24	41,398	27									
		Plan to do	15	24	1,434	30	884	25	43,044	27									
		Done or in progress	5	6	579	13	392	12	17,752	11									
		Total	56	100	4,748	100	3,441	100	156,004	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
d. Participate in a study abroad program	abroad		Have not decided	23	43	1,452	30	1,015	30	46,262	30	0%	3%	-.37	3%	-.37	3%	-.33	
	(Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Do not plan to do	27	44	1,642	36	923	28	50,261	34								
			Plan to do	7	13	1,498	31	1,390	39	55,293	33								
			Done or in progress	0	0	156	3	109	3	4,270	3								
			Total	57	100	4,748	100	3,437	100	156,086	100								
e. Work with a faculty member on a research project	research		Have not decided	26	52	1,909	39	1,327	39	59,089	38	4%	5%	-.06	7%	-.13	5%	-.07	
	(Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Do not plan to do	6	12	1,124	25	618	18	36,848	24								
			Plan to do	21	32	1,468	31	1,260	36	51,711	32								
			Done or in progress	3	4	247	5	232	7	8,334	5								
			Total	56	100	4,748	100	3,437	100	155,982	100								
f. Complete a culminating senior experience (capstone course, senior project or thesis, portfolio, recital, comprehensive exam, etc.)	capstone		Have not decided	21	36	1,662	35	1,055	32	52,383	35	3%	2%	.03	2%	.02	2%	.01	
	(Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Do not plan to do	0	0	509	12	242	7	17,711	12								
			Plan to do	34	62	2,467	51	2,060	59	82,426	51								
			Done or in progress	2	3	106	2	77	2	3,382	2								
			Total	57	100	4,744	100	3,434	100	155,902	100								
12. About how many of your courses at this institution have included a community-based project (service-learning)?												1.8	1.8	-.06	1.7	.12	1.6	.19	
	servcourse	1	None	17	36	1,504	33	1,453	42	73,527	48								
		2	Some	32	51	2,572	54	1,627	48	65,423	41								
		3	Most	7	14	518	11	262	8	12,580	8								
		4	All	0	0	105	2	68	2	3,196	2								
		Total		56	100	4,699	100	3,410	100	154,726	100								
13. Indicate the quality of your interactions with the following people at your institution.												5.4	5.4	-.01	5.4	-.01	5.4	.01	
a. Students	Q1student	1	Poor	0	0	78	2	50	2	2,582	2								
		2		0	0	117	2	68	2	3,167	2								
		3		3	8	221	5	165	5	7,310	5								
		4		10	13	561	12	411	11	18,712	12								
		5		15	28	1,285	27	995	29	42,642	27								
		6		19	33	1,259	26	961	28	42,627	27								
		7	Excellent	10	17	1,160	25	753	23	34,929	23								
		—	Not applicable	0	0	32	1	19	1	3,119	3								
	Total		57	100	4,713	100	3,422	100	155,088	100									

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia	Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e
b. Academic advisors	Q1advisor	1	Poor	0	0	99	2	59	2	3,935	3	5.9	5.5	.25	5.6	.18	5.4 *	▲
		2		0	0	139	3	83	2	5,256	3							
		3		4	5	258	6	180	5	9,873	6							
		4		6	12	546	12	356	10	18,872	12							
		5		15	19	885	19	711	20	31,105	20							
		6		9	16	1,087	23	753	22	34,555	22							
		7	Excellent	23	47	1,648	34	1,258	37	48,494	31							
		—	Not applicable	0	0	43	1	17	1	2,839	2							
		Total	57	100	4,705	100	3,417	100	154,929	100								
c. Faculty	Q1faculty	1	Poor	0	0	48	1	21	1	2,044	1	5.6	5.5	.06	5.6	-.03	5.4	.13
		2		1	6	77	2	34	1	3,086	2							
		3		1	1	208	5	121	4	7,332	5							
		4		5	6	503	11	357	10	19,534	13							
		5		16	25	1,208	25	878	25	40,833	26							
		6		19	38	1,435	30	1,119	33	44,277	28							
		7	Excellent	15	24	1,183	25	869	26	35,594	24							
		—	Not applicable	0	0	42	1	15	1	2,170	2							
		Total	57	100	4,704	100	3,414	100	154,870	100								
d. Student services staff (career services, student activities, housing, etc.)	Q1staff	1	Poor	0	0	111	2	73	2	4,565	3	5.6	5.3	.22	5.3	.21	5.2 *	△
		2		1	6	151	3	88	3	5,127	3							
		3		1	1	269	6	198	6	9,805	6							
		4		6	12	598	13	443	13	20,721	13							
		5		17	22	956	20	789	23	33,518	21							
		6		10	17	1,073	22	822	24	33,409	21							
		7	Excellent	19	38	1,118	24	772	23	32,008	21							
		—	Not applicable	3	4	421	9	231	7	15,603	12							
		Total	57	100	4,697	100	3,416	100	154,756	100								

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
e. Other administrative staff and offices (registrar, financial aid, etc.)	QIadmin	1	Poor	1	6	101	2	72	2	4,464	3	5.6	5.3	.19	5.3	.19	5.1 *	.28	
		2		1	1	166	3	103	3	5,503	3								
		3		4	5	278	6	220	6	10,368	7								
		4		6	8	596	13	437	12	21,927	14								
		5		12	16	1,019	22	770	22	34,212	22								
		6		12	25	1,105	23	845	25	33,101	21								
		7	Excellent	20	40	1,158	24	767	23	32,725	21								
		—	Not applicable	0	0	276	6	200	6	12,601	9								
	Total	56	100	4,699	100	3,414	100	154,901	100										
14. How much does your institution emphasize the following?																			
a. Spending significant amounts of time studying and on academic work	empstudy	1	Very little	1	1	64	2	34	1	2,719	2	3.3	3.1 *	.34	3.1	.23	3.0 *	.34	
		2	Some	8	15	917	21	578	18	31,370	21								
		3	Quite a bit	25	36	2,287	49	1,651	48	73,368	48								
		4	Very much	23	47	1,410	29	1,138	33	46,785	29								
		Total	57	100	4,678	100	3,401	100	154,242	100									
b. Providing support to help students succeed academically	SEacademic	1	Very little	1	6	181	4	121	4	6,640	5	3.3	3.0 *	.36	3.1	.26	2.9 **	.39	
		2	Some	11	14	1,112	25	651	20	36,518	24								
		3	Quite a bit	17	27	1,892	40	1,487	44	66,974	43								
		4	Very much	27	53	1,482	31	1,129	33	43,732	28								
		Total	56	100	4,667	100	3,388	100	153,864	100									
c. Using learning support services (tutoring services, writing center, etc.)	SElearnsup	1	Very little	3	8	297	7	163	5	9,932	7	3.3	3.0 *	.34	3.1	.23	3.0 **	.38	
		2	Some	6	12	882	20	553	17	30,673	20								
		3	Quite a bit	13	17	1,727	38	1,281	38	60,068	39								
		4	Very much	35	63	1,766	36	1,389	40	53,029	34								
		Total	57	100	4,672	100	3,386	100	153,702	100									
d. Encouraging contact among students from different backgrounds (social, racial/ethnic, religious, etc.)	SEdiverse	1	Very little	8	15	406	9	312	9	15,979	11	2.9	2.8	.16	2.8	.16	2.7	.23	
		2	Some	15	19	1,282	28	980	29	45,245	30								
		3	Quite a bit	15	24	1,769	37	1,207	36	55,831	36								
		4	Very much	19	42	1,213	25	882	26	36,512	24								
		Total	57	100	4,670	100	3,381	100	153,567	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia	Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e
e. Providing opportunities to be involved socially	SEsocial	1	Very little	6	8	237	6	161	5	9,281	7	3.2	3.0 *	.31	3.0	.28	2.9 **	.39
		2	Some	7	13	1,050	23	706	21	37,271	25							
		3	Quite a bit	17	26	1,901	41	1,430	43	63,027	41							
		4	Very much	27	53	1,476	31	1,080	31	43,785	28							
		Total	57	100	4,664	100	3,377	100	153,364	100								
f. Providing support for your overall well-being (recreation, health care, counseling, etc.)	SEwellness	1	Very little	5	6	286	7	202	6	11,725	8	3.2	2.9 **	.39	2.9 *	.36	2.8 **	.44
		2	Some	11	14	1,247	27	864	26	41,342	27							
		3	Quite a bit	17	31	1,813	39	1,370	41	60,344	39							
		4	Very much	24	49	1,318	27	947	27	39,835	26							
		Total	57	100	4,664	100	3,383	100	153,246	100								
g. Helping you manage your non-academic responsibilities (work, family, etc.)	SEnonacad	1	Very little	6	8	939	20	740	22	35,643	24	2.8	2.4 **	.40	2.3 ***	.48	2.3 ***	.49
		2	Some	26	38	1,695	37	1,332	39	57,561	37							
		3	Quite a bit	13	26	1,321	28	881	27	40,059	26							
		4	Very much	12	29	702	15	425	13	19,726	13							
		Total	57	100	4,657	100	3,378	100	152,989	100								
h. Attending campus activities and events (performing arts, athletic events, etc.)	SEactivities	1	Very little	3	4	338	8	217	7	14,870	11	3.3	2.9 ***	.47	2.9 ***	.47	2.8 ***	.57
		2	Some	9	12	1,159	26	853	25	39,902	26							
		3	Quite a bit	21	36	1,806	39	1,378	41	59,489	38							
		4	Very much	24	49	1,351	28	920	27	38,624	25							
		Total	57	100	4,654	100	3,368	100	152,885	100								
i. Attending events that address important social, economic, or political issues	SEevents	1	Very little	8	10	650	14	403	12	26,546	19	2.8	2.5 *	.28	2.6	.23	2.4 **	.41
		2	Some	17	31	1,631	35	1,143	34	55,234	36							
		3	Quite a bit	18	28	1,534	33	1,240	37	47,640	30							
		4	Very much	14	31	834	18	582	17	23,444	15							
		Total	57	100	4,649	100	3,368	100	152,864	100								

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia	Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e
15. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?																		
a. I feel comfortable being myself at this institution.	sbmyself	1	Strongly disagree	0	0	87	2	75	2	3,286	2	3.4	3.2	.25	3.2	.23	3.2	.22
		2	Disagree	4	5	427	10	321	9	13,257	9							
		3	Agree	32	54	2,652	57	1,870	55	85,587	55							
		4	Strongly agree	21	40	1,483	32	1,107	33	50,713	34							
		Total	57	100	4,649	100	3,373	100	152,843	100								
b. I feel valued by this institution.	sbvalued	1	Strongly disagree	2	3	123	3	102	3	5,796	4	3.1	3.0	.13	3.0	.16	3.0	.22
		2	Disagree	4	5	690	15	548	16	26,671	18							
		3	Agree	37	70	2,702	57	1,960	58	87,074	56							
		4	Strongly agree	14	22	1,124	24	756	23	33,100	22							
		Total	57	100	4,639	100	3,366	100	152,641	100								
c. I feel like part of the community at this institution.	sbcommunity	1	Strongly disagree	2	3	152	4	140	4	6,126	4	3.1	3.0	.17	3.0	.17	3.0	.24
		2	Disagree	9	12	762	17	541	16	27,223	18							
		3	Agree	29	55	2,547	54	1,842	54	83,737	54							
		4	Strongly agree	17	31	1,192	25	848	26	35,703	23							
		Total	57	100	4,653	100	3,371	100	152,789	100								
16. About how many hours do you spend in a typical 7-day week doing the following?																		
a. Preparing for class (studying, reading, writing, doing homework or lab work, analyzing data, rehearsing, and other academic activities)	tmpprehrs (Recorded version of tmpprep created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	0	0 hrs	0	0	12	0	9	0	657	1	13.2	14.6	-.18	15.4 *	-.28	14.8	-.21
		3	1-5 hrs	7	9	557	12	318	10	17,145	12							
		8	6-10 hrs	12	33	1,045	22	685	21	32,754	22							
		13	11-15 hrs	17	26	1,052	23	759	23	34,752	23							
		18	16-20 hrs	10	17	915	20	720	21	31,168	20							
		23	21-25 hrs	6	8	514	11	446	13	18,353	12							
		28	26-30 hrs	3	4	285	6	208	6	8,967	6							
		33	More than 30 hrs	2	3	248	5	210	6	8,538	6							
		Total	57	100	4,628	100	3,355	100	152,334	100								

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia	Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e
b. Participating in co-curricular activities (organizations, campus publications, student government, fraternity or sorority, intercollegiate or intramural sports, etc.)	tmccurrhrs	0	0 hrs	18	37	1,464	31	729	22	51,505	37	6.1	6.3	-.03	7.1	-.14	5.4	.09
	(Recorded version of tmccurr created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	20	35	1,439	31	1,151	34	48,157	30							
		8	6-10 hrs	6	8	689	16	582	17	22,744	15							
		13	11-15 hrs	6	8	437	9	419	12	13,708	9							
		18	16-20 hrs	4	5	305	7	255	8	8,169	5							
		23	21-25 hrs	2	3	149	4	118	4	4,174	3							
		28	26-30 hrs	0	0	79	2	53	2	1,564	1							
		33	More than 30 hrs	1	6	58	1	41	1	1,981	1							
			Total	57	100	4,620	100	3,348	100	152,002	100							
c. Working for pay on campus	tmworkonhrs	0	0 hrs	49	85	3,565	77	2,371	72	118,429	79	1.2	2.4 *	-.21	2.6 **	-.26	2.5 *	-.22
	(Recorded version of tmworkon created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	5	6	278	6	311	9	6,629	4							
		8	6-10 hrs	1	1	378	8	378	11	10,603	6							
		13	11-15 hrs	2	7	195	4	163	5	7,957	5							
		18	16-20 hrs	0	0	127	3	85	3	5,271	4							
		23	21-25 hrs	0	0	50	1	29	1	1,906	1							
		28	26-30 hrs	0	0	16	0	5	0	530	0							
		33	More than 30 hrs	0	0	24	1	11	0	803	1							
			Total	57	100	4,633	100	3,353	100	152,128	100							
d. Working for pay off campus	tmworkoffhrs	0	0 hrs	39	73	2,655	58	2,372	70	97,835	63	3.2	6.6 **	-.35	4.3	-.13	6.6 **	-.32
	(Recorded version of tmworkoff created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	6	8	282	6	154	4	7,616	5							
		8	6-10 hrs	2	7	367	8	216	7	8,719	6							
		13	11-15 hrs	1	1	370	8	199	6	9,261	6							
		18	16-20 hrs	4	5	393	8	163	5	9,667	6							
		23	21-25 hrs	3	4	239	5	118	3	7,005	5							
		28	26-30 hrs	0	0	144	3	63	2	4,038	3							
		33	More than 30 hrs	1	1	181	4	66	2	8,040	7							
			Total	56	100	4,631	100	3,351	100	152,181	100							
Estimated number of hours working for pay	tmworkhrs										4.5	9.0 ***	-.40	6.8	-.24	9.0 ***	-.38	
	(Continuous variable created by NSSE)																	

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia	Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e
e. Doing community service or volunteer work	tmservicehrs	0	0 hrs	36	60	2,718	59	2,125	64	97,164	64	1.6	2.4	-.18	1.9	-.08	2.2	-.14
	(Recorded version of tmservice created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	18	37	1,382	30	945	28	38,410	24							
	8	6-10 hrs	2	3	269	6	148	4	7,953	5								
	13	11-15 hrs	0	0	125	3	68	2	4,179	3								
	18	16-20 hrs	0	0	70	2	31	1	2,176	2								
	23	21-25 hrs	1	1	40	1	15	0	1,237	1								
	28	26-30 hrs	0	0	9	0	4	0	347	0								
	33	More than 30 hrs	0	0	17	0	16	1	619	0								
	Total		57	100	4,630	100	3,352	100	152,085	100								
f. Relaxing and socializing (time with friends, video games, TV or videos, keeping up with friends online, etc.)	tmrelaxhrs	0	0 hrs	0	0	95	2	55	2	3,279	2	13.3	11.9	.17	12.3	.11	12.3	.11
	(Recorded version of tmrelax created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	10	13	1,016	21	671	19	30,903	20							
	8	6-10 hrs	19	33	1,340	28	967	28	41,425	27								
	13	11-15 hrs	12	29	982	21	697	21	32,248	21								
	18	16-20 hrs	5	6	580	13	487	15	21,493	14								
	23	21-25 hrs	5	6	245	6	233	7	9,866	7								
	28	26-30 hrs	3	4	137	3	86	3	4,445	3								
	33	More than 30 hrs	3	8	236	5	157	5	8,405	6								
	Total		57	100	4,631	100	3,353	100	152,064	100								
g. Providing care for dependents (children, parents, etc.)	tmcarehrs	0	0 hrs	47	83	3,206	69	2,733	81	114,521	74	1.2	3.0 ** ▽	-.27	1.8	-.11	3.3 *** ▽	-.27
	(Recorded version of tmcare created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	4	10	632	13	303	9	15,065	10							
	8	6-10 hrs	3	4	329	8	132	4	6,946	5								
	13	11-15 hrs	2	3	179	4	64	2	4,936	3								
	18	16-20 hrs	0	0	94	2	44	2	2,822	2								
	23	21-25 hrs	1	1	55	1	22	1	1,742	1								
	28	26-30 hrs	0	0	32	1	9	0	782	1								
	33	More than 30 hrs	0	0	92	2	40	1	4,923	4								
	Total		57	100	4,619	100	3,347	100	151,737	100								

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
h. Commuting to campus (driving, walking, etc.)	tmcommutehrs	0	0 hrs	35	58	1,993	42	2,067	61	66,427	43	2.9	4.3	-.22	2.7	.05	3.9	-.17	
	(Recorded version of tmcommute created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	14	27	1,454	32	805	24	53,442	35								
		8	6-10 hrs	6	8	636	14	245	8	17,067	12								
		13	11-15 hrs	1	1	260	6	119	4	7,242	5								
		18	16-20 hrs	0	0	130	3	49	2	3,517	2								
		23	21-25 hrs	1	6	64	2	30	1	1,908	1								
		28	26-30 hrs	0	0	35	1	16	1	772	1								
		33	More than 30 hrs	0	0	61	1	21	1	1,724	1								
Total	57	100	4,633	100	3,352	100	152,099	100											
17. Of the time you spend preparing for class in a typical 7-day week, about how much is on assigned reading?																			
reading	tmreadinghrs	1	Very little	11	23	488	10	390	12	21,215	15	2.6	2.7	-.08	2.7	-.03	2.6	.02	
		2	Some	20	26	1,602	36	1,208	37	54,068	36								
		3	About half	13	26	1,385	30	907	27	41,843	27								
		4	Most	8	15	832	17	628	17	25,027	16								
		5	Almost all	5	11	306	6	212	6	9,408	6								
		Total	57	100	4,613	100	3,345	100	151,561	100									
(Continuous variable created by NSSE. Calculated as a proportion of tmprphrs based on reading, where Very little=.10; Some=.25; About half=.50; Most=.75; Almost all=.90)												6.0	6.7	-.11	6.7	-.12	6.4	-.07	
tmreadinghrscol	1	0 hrs	0	0	11	0	8	0	641	1									
(Collapsed version of tmreadinghrs created by NSSE.)	2	More than zero, up to 5 hrs	34	62	2,284	50	1,564	49	78,528	53									
	3	More than 5, up to 10 hrs	14	22	1,357	30	1,070	32	43,176	28									
	4	More than 10, up to 15 hrs	3	8	478	10	336	9	14,660	9									
	5	More than 15, up to 20 hrs	1	1	237	5	191	5	7,444	5									
	6	More than 20, up to 25 hrs	3	4	160	3	107	3	4,494	3									
	7	More than 25 hrs	2	3	59	1	50	1	2,003	1									
	Total	57	100	4,586	100	3,326	100	150,946	100										

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
18. How much has your experience at this institution contributed to your knowledge, skills, and personal development in the following areas?																			
a. Writing clearly and effectively	pgwrite	1	Very little	1	1	222	5	152	4	9,828	7	2.7	2.9	-.24	2.9	-.24	2.8	-.12	
		2	Some	19	39	1,098	24	815	24	40,846	27								
		3	Quite a bit	25	47	2,099	45	1,565	47	66,076	43								
		4	Very much	10	13	1,187	26	805	24	34,847	23								
		Total	55	100	4,606	100	3,337	100	151,597	100									
b. Speaking clearly and effectively	pgspeak	1	Very little	6	8	344	8	289	9	15,449	11	2.7	2.8	-.15	2.7	-.06	2.7	-.03	
		2	Some	17	32	1,277	28	1,018	30	46,317	30								
		3	Quite a bit	25	47	1,905	41	1,373	41	58,135	38								
		4	Very much	7	14	1,068	23	652	19	31,462	21								
		Total	55	100	4,594	100	3,332	100	151,363	100									
c. Thinking critically and analytically	pgthink	1	Very little	1	1	98	3	76	2	4,268	3	3.0	3.1	-.16	3.1	-.16	3.1	-.11	
		2	Some	13	22	813	18	599	18	28,828	19								
		3	Quite a bit	27	54	2,083	45	1,553	46	68,304	44								
		4	Very much	14	23	1,599	34	1,103	33	49,967	33								
		Total	55	100	4,593	100	3,331	100	151,367	100									
d. Analyzing numerical and statistical information	pganalyze	1	Very little	4	10	532	12	463	13	17,749	11	2.6	2.6	-.05	2.7	-.06	2.7	-.11	
		2	Some	21	37	1,495	33	1,025	30	45,883	30								
		3	Quite a bit	21	37	1,637	35	1,145	35	54,806	36								
		4	Very much	9	16	936	20	702	22	32,892	22								
		Total	55	100	4,600	100	3,335	100	151,330	100									
e. Acquiring job- or work-related knowledge and skills	pgwork	1	Very little	5	7	482	11	381	11	19,444	13	2.6	2.7	-.07	2.6	.00	2.6	.01	
		2	Some	21	41	1,425	31	1,112	33	48,414	32								
		3	Quite a bit	19	34	1,661	35	1,224	37	52,430	34								
		4	Very much	10	18	1,037	23	617	19	31,087	21								
		Total	55	100	4,605	100	3,334	100	151,375	100									
f. Working effectively with others	pgothers	1	Very little	3	4	212	5	172	5	10,134	8	2.8	2.9	-.07	2.9	-.03	2.8	.03	
		2	Some	18	33	1,190	27	892	27	41,681	28								
		3	Quite a bit	22	38	1,955	42	1,472	44	62,361	40								
		4	Very much	12	25	1,247	26	798	24	37,171	24								
		Total	55	100	4,604	100	3,334	100	151,347	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
g. Developing or clarifying a personal code of values and ethics	pgvalues	1	Very little	6	17	338	8	323	10	15,339	11	2.6	2.8	-.23	2.8	-.16	2.7	-.11	
		2	Some	18	24	1,181	27	905	26	43,689	29								
		3	Quite a bit	20	40	1,916	40	1,369	42	58,351	38								
		4	Very much	11	19	1,165	25	735	22	33,854	22								
		Total	55	100	4,600	100	3,332	100	151,233	100									
h. Understanding people of other backgrounds (economic, racial/ethnic, political, religious, nationality, etc.)	pgdiverse	1	Very little	6	13	303	7	253	8	11,953	9	2.7	2.9	-.25	2.8	-.21	2.8	-.18	
		2	Some	18	28	1,133	25	871	26	40,476	27								
		3	Quite a bit	20	40	1,835	39	1,326	40	58,927	38								
		4	Very much	11	19	1,335	28	876	26	39,967	26								
		Total	55	100	4,606	100	3,326	100	151,323	100									
i. Solving complex real-world problems	pgprobsolve	1	Very little	5	7	398	9	299	9	15,567	11	2.5	2.7	-.22	2.7	-.22	2.7	-.18	
		2	Some	23	53	1,485	33	1,103	33	48,902	32								
		3	Quite a bit	18	24	1,724	37	1,256	37	55,485	36								
		4	Very much	9	16	998	21	675	21	31,487	21								
		Total	55	100	4,605	100	3,333	100	151,441	100									
j. Being an informed and active citizen	pgcitizen	1	Very little	5	7	408	9	318	9	17,097	12	2.8	2.7	.06	2.7	.09	2.6	.14	
		2	Some	18	24	1,421	31	1,084	32	48,839	32								
		3	Quite a bit	23	54	1,709	37	1,216	37	54,006	35								
		4	Very much	8	15	1,069	23	722	22	31,773	21								
		Total	54	100	4,607	100	3,340	100	151,715	100									
19. How would you evaluate your entire educational experience at this institution?																			
	evalexp	1	Poor	0	0	95	2	68	2	3,353	2	3.1	3.1	.06	3.1	-.02	3.1	.05	
		2	Fair	6	12	767	17	443	14	24,373	17								
		3	Good	35	64	2,380	51	1,830	54	79,367	51								
		4	Excellent	15	24	1,383	29	1,004	30	45,069	30								
		Total	56	100	4,625	100	3,345	100	152,162	100									
20. If you could start over again, would you go to the same institution you are now attending?																			
	sameinst	1	Definitely no	4	10	200	5	169	5	5,775	4	3.0	3.1	-.05	3.1	-.08	3.2	-.17	
		2	Probably no	7	9	768	16	485	14	21,252	14								
		3	Probably yes	25	51	2,142	47	1,613	48	70,185	46								
		4	Definitely yes	20	30	1,534	32	1,091	33	55,612	37								
		Total	56	100	4,644	100	3,358	100	152,824	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your first-year students compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
21. Do you intend to return to this institution next year? ^f																			
	returnexp	No		1	1	223	5	136	4	6,581	4	85%	86%	-.01	88%	-.09	88%	-.07	
(Means indicate the percentage who responded "Yes.")		Yes		51	85	4,011	86	2,991	88	135,037	88								
		Not sure		3	13	421	9	238	7	11,467	8								
		Total		55	100	4,655	100	3,365	100	153,085	100								

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
1. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?																			
a. Asked questions or contributed to course discussions in other ways	askquest	1	Never	0	0	96	2	49	1	6,647	3	3.2	3.2	.03	3.2	.00	3.0	.18	
		2	Sometimes	20	22	1,151	21	759	20	58,021	27								
		3	Often	29	35	1,868	34	1,368	35	71,548	32								
		4	Very often	39	43	2,427	43	1,754	43	87,220	38								
		Total	88	100	5,542	100	3,930	100	223,436	100									
b. Asked another student to help you understand course material	CLaskhelp	1	Never	10	14	609	11	403	11	37,495	18	2.3	2.5 *	-.25	2.5 *	-.21	2.4	-.08	
		2	Sometimes	48	55	2,214	41	1,708	44	90,523	41								
		3	Often	15	16	1,612	28	1,144	29	56,842	25								
		4	Very often	15	15	1,089	19	662	16	37,803	16								
		Total	88	100	5,524	100	3,917	100	222,663	100									
c. Explained course material to one or more students	CLexplain	1	Never	6	9	278	5	174	5	23,871	12	2.6	2.8 *	-.23	2.8 *	-.24	2.6	-.01	
		2	Sometimes	36	43	1,899	35	1,311	34	80,872	37								
		3	Often	27	29	1,993	35	1,522	39	71,513	31								
		4	Very often	19	20	1,350	24	909	23	46,120	20								
		Total	88	100	5,520	100	3,916	100	222,376	100									
d. Prepared for exams by discussing or working through course material with other students	CLstudy	1	Never	16	23	860	16	628	17	53,000	26	2.4	2.6	-.17	2.5	-.13	2.3	.08	
		2	Sometimes	35	37	1,849	34	1,351	34	75,997	34								
		3	Often	17	18	1,567	29	1,157	30	53,924	23								
		4	Very often	20	22	1,220	22	759	19	38,313	17								
		Total	88	100	5,496	100	3,895	100	221,234	100									
e. Worked with other students on course projects or assignments	CLproject	1	Never	8	12	309	6	179	5	23,227	11	2.8	2.9	-.14	2.9	-.20	2.8	.01	
		2	Sometimes	28	33	1,525	28	1,069	27	63,070	29								
		3	Often	19	20	2,087	38	1,486	38	73,885	33								
		4	Very often	33	34	1,558	28	1,144	30	60,237	27								
		Total	88	100	5,479	100	3,878	100	220,419	100									
f. Given a course presentation	present	1	Never	7	9	338	6	154	4	28,743	14	2.7	2.8	-.15	2.9 **	-.31	2.6	.10	
		2	Sometimes	35	40	1,841	34	1,097	28	77,212	36								
		3	Often	22	26	1,812	32	1,438	37	66,133	29								
		4	Very often	24	25	1,471	27	1,183	31	47,979	21								
		Total	88	100	5,462	100	3,872	100	220,067	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
2. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?																			
a. Combined ideas from different courses when completing assignments	RIIntegrate	1	Never	2	2	170	3	102	3	9,516	5	2.9	3.0	-.06	3.0	-.09	2.9	.01	
		2	Sometimes	18	24	1,384	26	929	24	57,459	27								
		3	Often	44	51	2,139	39	1,576	42	86,145	39								
		4	Very often	22	23	1,716	32	1,223	31	64,917	29								
		Total	86	100	5,409	100	3,830	100	218,037	100									
b. Connected your learning to societal problems or issues	RIsocietal	1	Never	3	3	213	5	130	4	14,633	8	2.9	2.9	-.06	3.0	-.10	2.8	.06	
		2	Sometimes	26	33	1,485	29	959	26	63,306	30								
		3	Often	31	37	2,017	37	1,520	39	77,750	35								
		4	Very often	26	27	1,663	30	1,192	30	61,144	27								
		Total	86	100	5,378	100	3,801	100	216,833	100									
c. Included diverse perspectives (political, religious, racial/ethnic, gender, etc.) in course discussions or assignments	RIdiverse	1	Never	4	6	324	7	205	6	23,513	13	2.7	2.8	-.11	2.9	-.15	2.7	.03	
		2	Sometimes	31	37	1,620	31	1,096	30	66,597	31								
		3	Often	30	35	1,928	35	1,400	36	69,707	31								
		4	Very often	21	21	1,481	27	1,087	27	55,778	25								
		Total	86	100	5,353	100	3,788	100	215,595	100									
d. Examined the strengths and weaknesses of your own views on a topic or issue	Rlownview	1	Never	5	6	177	4	119	3	9,734	5	2.8	2.9	-.10	2.9	-.11	2.9	-.04	
		2	Sometimes	24	29	1,389	26	945	26	57,471	27								
		3	Often	33	41	2,319	43	1,724	45	91,972	43								
		4	Very often	23	24	1,425	27	963	25	54,689	25								
		Total	85	100	5,310	100	3,751	100	213,866	100									
e. Tried to better understand someone else's views by imagining how an issue looks from their perspective	RIperspect	1	Never	3	4	121	2	80	3	6,473	4	3.1	3.0	.05	3.0	.06	3.0	.09	
		2	Sometimes	11	13	1,132	23	765	21	47,427	23								
		3	Often	45	55	2,356	44	1,766	47	93,737	44								
		4	Very often	24	28	1,618	31	1,094	29	63,736	30								
		Total	83	100	5,227	100	3,705	100	211,373	100									
f. Learned something that changed the way you understand an issue or concept	Rlnewview	1	Never	3	4	101	2	54	2	4,722	3	2.9	3.0	-.06	3.0	-.10	3.0	-.06	
		2	Sometimes	21	26	1,261	26	844	23	51,457	25								
		3	Often	32	41	2,255	43	1,717	46	90,750	43								
		4	Very often	25	29	1,541	30	1,048	28	61,970	29								
		Total	81	100	5,158	100	3,663	100	208,899	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
g. Connected ideas from your courses to your prior experiences and knowledge	RIconnect	1	Never	0	0	53	1	27	1	2,343	1	3.3	3.2	.14	3.2	.10	3.2	.14	
		2	Sometimes	7	10	727	15	443	13	29,623	15								
		3	Often	38	48	2,335	45	1,709	47	92,685	45								
		4	Very often	34	42	2,003	39	1,455	39	82,452	39								
		Total	79	100	5,118	100	3,634	100	207,103	100									
3. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?																			
a. Talked about career plans with a faculty member	SFcareer	1	Never	9	15	540	11	288	9	35,010	19	2.7	2.7	-.01	2.7	-.04	2.4 *	.27	
		2	Sometimes	20	26	1,695	33	1,308	36	79,361	39								
		3	Often	28	34	1,508	29	1,075	30	50,341	23								
		4	Very often	22	25	1,372	26	962	26	42,270	19								
		Total	79	100	5,115	100	3,633	100	206,982	100	Δ								
b. Worked with a faculty member on activities other than coursework (committees, student groups, etc.)	SFotherwork	1	Never	19	27	1,513	30	931	27	84,156	43	2.2	2.2	.00	2.3	-.03	2.0 *	.27	
		2	Sometimes	29	35	1,690	33	1,277	35	61,639	29								
		3	Often	18	22	1,014	20	769	21	33,738	16								
		4	Very often	13	15	875	17	641	17	26,616	12								
		Total	79	100	5,092	100	3,618	100	206,149	100	Δ								
c. Discussed course topics, ideas, or concepts with a faculty member outside of class	SFdiscuss	1	Never	9	16	964	19	543	16	57,560	30	2.6	2.4	.17	2.5	.12	2.1 ***	.42	
		2	Sometimes	28	35	1,967	39	1,456	41	78,595	38								
		3	Often	22	26	1,280	25	964	26	42,218	20								
		4	Very often	19	23	834	17	628	18	26,210	12								
		Total	78	100	5,045	100	3,591	100	204,583	100	▲								
d. Discussed your academic performance with a faculty member	SFperform	1	Never	9	14	757	16	502	14	47,209	25	2.5	2.4	.03	2.4	.03	2.2 *	.27	
		2	Sometimes	34	44	2,094	41	1,569	44	86,636	42								
		3	Often	22	25	1,353	27	934	26	44,803	21								
		4	Very often	14	18	844	17	593	16	25,990	12								
		Total	79	100	5,048	100	3,598	100	204,638	100	Δ								
4. During the current school year, how much has your coursework emphasized the following?																			
a. Memorizing course material	memorize	1	Very little	3	5	324	7	279	8	16,654	8	3.0	2.8	.15	2.8 *	.26	2.7 *	.25	
		2	Some	15	20	1,348	28	1,136	31	61,804	31								
		3	Quite a bit	34	46	2,015	40	1,361	38	78,579	38								
		4	Very much	26	29	1,316	26	797	22	46,364	23								
		Total	78	100	5,003	100	3,573	100	203,401	100	Δ								

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
b. Applying facts, theories, or methods to practical problems or new situations	HOapply	1	Very little	0	0	141	3	79	2	5,774	3	3.3	3.1	.18	3.2	.14	3.1 *	.23	
		2	Some	9	15	858	18	596	17	38,687	19								
		3	Quite a bit	35	44	2,209	44	1,601	45	89,553	44								
		4	Very much	33	41	1,773	35	1,288	36	68,471	33								
		Total	77	100	4,981	100	3,564	100	202,485	100									
c. Analyzing an idea, experience, or line of reasoning in depth by examining its parts	HOanalyze	1	Very little	2	3	141	3	99	3	6,492	3	3.2	3.1	.09	3.1	.06	3.1	.12	
		2	Some	10	17	973	20	668	19	41,253	21								
		3	Quite a bit	34	44	2,102	42	1,532	43	86,082	43								
		4	Very much	31	37	1,721	34	1,233	35	66,933	33								
		Total	77	100	4,937	100	3,532	100	200,760	100									
d. Evaluating a point of view, decision, or information source	HOevaluate	1	Very little	5	7	136	3	119	4	8,993	5	3.0	3.0	-.05	3.0	-.02	3.0	.03	
		2	Some	11	17	992	21	741	22	43,873	22								
		3	Quite a bit	34	45	2,202	44	1,510	43	84,401	42								
		4	Very much	27	31	1,592	32	1,146	32	62,575	31								
		Total	77	100	4,922	100	3,516	100	199,842	100									
e. Forming a new idea or understanding from various pieces of information	HOform	1	Very little	2	3	138	3	89	3	6,830	4	3.0	3.0	-.01	3.1	-.05	3.0	.02	
		2	Some	13	19	996	21	699	20	42,551	22								
		3	Quite a bit	38	53	2,220	45	1,586	45	88,295	44								
		4	Very much	24	26	1,543	31	1,136	32	61,263	30								
		Total	77	100	4,897	100	3,510	100	198,939	100									
5. During the current school year, to what extent have your instructors done the following?																			
a. Clearly explained course goals and requirements	ETgoals	1	Very little	0	0	104	2	54	2	4,503	3	3.3	3.2	.17	3.2	.21	3.2	.21	
		2	Some	10	15	788	17	594	17	34,428	18								
		3	Quite a bit	29	38	2,033	41	1,573	45	84,206	42								
		4	Very much	37	47	1,947	40	1,270	36	74,738	38								
		Total	76	100	4,872	100	3,491	100	197,875	100									
b. Taught course sessions in an organized way	ETorganize	1	Very little	3	3	194	4	81	3	8,110	4	3.2	3.1	.13	3.1	.11	3.1	.16	
		2	Some	10	16	915	19	635	18	37,594	19								
		3	Quite a bit	30	39	2,001	41	1,566	44	83,399	42								
		4	Very much	32	42	1,751	36	1,195	35	68,246	35								
		Total	75	100	4,861	100	3,477	100	197,349	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
c. Used examples or illustrations to explain difficult points	ETexample	1	Very little	1	1	172	4	74	2	7,157	4	3.2	3.1	.08	3.2	.02	3.1	.10	
		2	Some	13	20	927	19	586	17	38,067	20								
		3	Quite a bit	31	40	1,927	39	1,506	43	78,724	40								
		4	Very much	31	39	1,825	38	1,308	38	73,060	37								
		Total	76	100	4,851	100	3,474	100	197,008	100									
d. Provided feedback on a draft or work in progress	ETdraftfb	1	Very little	7	11	336	7	179	5	16,711	9	3.0	2.9	.07	3.0	-.01	2.9	.14	
		2	Some	12	18	1,210	25	780	23	51,477	27								
		3	Quite a bit	26	33	1,725	35	1,326	38	67,980	34								
		4	Very much	30	39	1,573	32	1,179	34	60,519	30								
		Total	75	100	4,844	100	3,464	100	196,687	100									
e. Provided prompt and detailed feedback on tests or completed assignments	ETfeedback	1	Very little	5	6	320	7	155	5	14,464	8	3.0	2.9	.12	3.0	.06	2.8	.18	
		2	Some	16	22	1,224	26	859	25	52,967	27								
		3	Quite a bit	26	35	1,794	37	1,406	41	73,246	37								
		4	Very much	29	36	1,482	30	1,031	30	55,233	28								
		Total	76	100	4,820	100	3,451	100	195,910	100									
f. Explained in advance the criteria for successfully completing your assignments	etcriteria	1	Very little	1	1	157	3	86	3	6,954	4	3.2	3.1	.10	3.1	.08	3.1	.13	
		2	Some	15	21	903	19	596	17	39,037	20								
		3	Quite a bit	28	37	1,974	41	1,556	45	79,839	40								
		4	Very much	32	41	1,780	36	1,199	35	69,248	36								
		Total	76	100	4,814	100	3,437	100	195,078	100									
g. Reviewed and summarized key ideas or concepts	etreview	1	Very little	4	6	116	2	79	2	6,197	4	3.1	3.1	.05	3.1	.03	3.1	.10	
		2	Some	10	14	911	19	607	18	38,294	20								
		3	Quite a bit	29	39	2,048	43	1,549	45	83,833	43								
		4	Very much	33	41	1,730	35	1,198	35	66,238	34								
		Total	76	100	4,805	100	3,433	100	194,562	100									
h. Taught in a way that aligns with how you prefer to learn	etprefer	1	Very little	3	4	313	7	162	5	14,238	8	2.9	2.8	.02	2.9	.00	2.8	.09	
		2	Some	24	34	1,357	29	966	28	57,139	29								
		3	Quite a bit	25	32	1,801	37	1,474	43	75,931	39								
		4	Very much	24	30	1,319	27	826	24	46,984	24								
		Total	76	100	4,790	100	3,428	100	194,292	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
i. Enabled you to demonstrate your learning through quizzes, assignments, and other activities	etdemonstrate	1	Very little	1	2	114	3	71	2	5,707	3	3.3	3.2	.10	3.2	.12	3.1	.13	
		2	Some	9	12	787	17	569	17	32,202	17								
		3	Quite a bit	34	47	1,966	41	1,529	45	81,490	42								
		4	Very much	32	40	1,925	39	1,262	37	74,701	38								
		Total	76	100	4,792	100	3,431	100	194,100	100									
6. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?																			
a. Reached conclusions based on your own analysis of numerical information (numbers, graphs, statistics, etc.)	QRconclude	1	Never	8	11	509	11	398	11	19,481	10	2.8	2.6	.11	2.7	.09	2.7	.06	
		2	Sometimes	20	30	1,615	34	1,131	33	64,140	33								
		3	Often	26	34	1,660	35	1,156	34	67,620	36								
		4	Very often	21	26	943	20	705	22	40,351	22								
		Total	75	100	4,727	100	3,390	100	191,592	100									
b. Used numerical information to examine a real-world problem or issue (unemployment, climate change, public health, etc.)	QRproblem	1	Never	18	22	670	14	525	15	29,796	16	2.3	2.5	-.21	2.5	-.20	2.5	-.19	
		2	Sometimes	26	36	1,723	36	1,216	36	68,049	35								
		3	Often	22	30	1,474	31	1,035	31	58,189	30								
		4	Very often	9	12	835	18	600	18	34,857	18								
		Total	75	100	4,702	100	3,376	100	190,891	100									
c. Evaluated what others have concluded from numerical information	QRevaluate	1	Never	14	19	687	15	506	15	28,250	15	2.5	2.5	-.05	2.5	-.06	2.5	-.05	
		2	Sometimes	22	27	1,748	37	1,218	36	70,055	37								
		3	Often	30	43	1,489	32	1,070	32	60,030	32								
		4	Very often	8	11	751	16	561	17	31,698	17								
		Total	74	100	4,675	100	3,355	100	190,033	100									
7. During the current school year, about how many papers, reports, or other writing tasks of the following lengths have you been assigned? (Include those not yet completed.)																			
a. Up to 5 pages (Recorded version of wrshort created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of papers, reports, etc.)	wrshortnum	0	None	8	11	187	4	139	4	12,067	7	6.7	7.6	-.15	8.0	-.20	7.6	-.14	
		1.5	1-2	11	19	834	17	537	16	33,704	18								
		4	3-5	20	24	1,436	30	1,002	30	54,861	29								
		8	6-10	17	25	1,065	23	787	23	41,380	22								
		13	11-15	10	13	549	12	384	11	20,701	11								
		18	16-20	2	3	238	5	193	6	10,520	6								
		23	More than 20	4	5	365	8	315	10	16,441	9								
		Total	72	100	4,674	100	3,357	100	189,674	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
b. Between 6 and 10 pages	wrmmednum	0	None	23	32	1,016	22	589	18	47,633	26	2.8	3.4	-.15	3.5	-.18	3.6	-.18	
	(Recoded version of wrmed created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of papers, reports, etc.)	1.5	1-2	26	38	1,710	36	1,218	37	61,227	32								
		4	3-5	15	18	1,137	25	938	28	43,977	23								
		8	6-10	4	7	498	11	379	11	21,795	12								
		13	11-15	3	3	162	3	143	4	7,896	4								
		18	16-20	1	2	65	1	35	1	2,864	2								
		23	More than 20	1	1	73	2	44	1	3,547	2								
	Total			73	100	4,661	100	3,346	100	188,939	100								
c. 11 pages or more	wrlongnum	0	None	37	53	2,334	49	1,360	41	93,990	50	1.5	1.8	-.09	1.9	-.12	2.0	-.14	
	(Recoded version of wrlong created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of papers, reports, etc.)	1.5	1-2	24	30	1,587	34	1,410	41	59,406	30								
		4	3-5	7	9	407	9	363	11	19,170	10								
		8	6-10	4	6	162	4	120	4	7,882	4								
		13	11-15	1	2	95	2	53	2	4,555	3								
		18	16-20	0	0	34	1	16	0	1,565	1								
		23	More than 20	0	0	53	1	37	1	2,778	2								
	Total			73	100	4,672	100	3,359	100	189,346	100								
Estimated number of assigned pages of student writing.	wrpages											64.1	77.5	-.15	80.5	-.19	81.8	-.17	
	(Continuous variable, recoded and summed by NSSE from wrshort, wrmed, and wrlong. Values are estimated pages of assigned writing.)																		

8. During the current school year, about how often have you had discussions with people from the following groups?

a. People of races or ethnicities other than your own	DDrace	1	Never	1	1	190	4	127	4	10,224	6	2.7	3.0 ***	-.41	3.0 **	-.37	3.0 **	-.38
		2	Sometimes	37	49	1,189	26	906	27	46,678	24							
		3	Often	22	31	1,467	31	1,158	34	59,495	31							
		4	Very often	14	19	1,815	39	1,162	35	72,822	39							
		Total	74	100	4,661	100	3,353	100	189,219	100								
b. People from economic backgrounds other than your own	DDeconomic	1	Never	4	6	174	4	111	4	9,160	5	2.9	3.0	-.18	3.0	-.18	3.0	-.14
		2	Sometimes	18	25	1,078	24	782	23	45,022	24							
		3	Often	33	45	1,750	37	1,325	39	67,524	35							
		4	Very often	18	24	1,645	35	1,127	34	67,145	35							
		Total	73	100	4,647	100	3,345	100	188,851	100								

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
c. People with religious beliefs other than your own	DDreligion	1	Never	2	2	217	5	161	5	13,805	8	3.0	3.0	.02	3.0	.05	2.9	.10	
		2	Sometimes	20	28	1,192	27	916	27	52,769	28								
		3	Often	28	38	1,594	33	1,189	35	60,185	32								
		4	Very often	24	32	1,649	35	1,080	33	62,004	33								
		Total	74	100	4,652	100	3,346	100	188,763	100									
d. People with political views other than your own	DDpolitical	1	Never	2	3	265	6	183	5	14,659	8	2.8	2.9	-.07	2.9	-.08	2.8	.00	
		2	Sometimes	24	34	1,341	29	1,049	30	58,500	31								
		3	Often	30	40	1,563	33	1,142	35	58,568	31								
		4	Very often	17	23	1,486	31	975	31	56,959	30								
		Total	73	100	4,655	100	3,349	100	188,686	100									
e. People with sexual orientations other than your own	ddsexorient	1	Never	3	4	345	8	196	6	17,032	10	2.6	2.8	-.16	2.9 *	-.27	2.8	-.17	
		2	Sometimes	36	53	1,472	32	929	29	55,665	30								
		3	Often	14	18	1,435	31	1,132	33	56,284	29								
		4	Very often	20	26	1,393	29	1,085	31	59,488	31								
		Total	73	100	4,645	100	3,342	100	188,469	100									
f. People from countries other than your own	ddcountry	1	Never	16	23	518	11	406	13	20,841	11	2.1	2.6 ***	-.54	2.5 ***	-.45	2.7 ***	-.57	
		2	Sometimes	42	55	1,861	39	1,436	42	72,344	38								
		3	Often	8	12	1,162	25	837	24	48,710	26								
		4	Very often	7	11	1,110	24	667	20	46,811	25								
		Total	73	100	4,651	100	3,346	100	188,706	100									
9. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?																			
a. Identified key information from reading assignments	LSreading	1	Never	1	1	91	2	71	2	5,199	3	3.2	3.1	.12	3.1	.10	3.1	.13	
		2	Sometimes	10	12	902	20	601	18	37,460	20								
		3	Often	34	53	2,047	44	1,491	46	79,865	42								
		4	Very often	28	33	1,580	34	1,159	34	65,229	34								
		Total	73	100	4,620	100	3,322	100	187,753	100									
b. Reviewed your notes after class	LSnotes	1	Never	4	6	256	6	236	7	12,285	7	3.0	3.0	.10	2.8 *	.25	2.9	.17	
		2	Sometimes	14	21	1,205	27	1,044	31	53,156	28								
		3	Often	25	35	1,552	33	1,127	34	63,850	34								
		4	Very often	30	37	1,599	34	916	27	58,378	31								
		Total	73	100	4,612	100	3,323	100	187,669	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
c. Summarized what you learned in class or from course materials	LSummary	1	Never	7	11	207	5	170	5	9,970	6	2.9	3.0	-.02	2.9	.06	2.9	.03	
		2	Sometimes	12	17	1,156	26	929	28	50,522	27								
		3	Often	28	39	1,770	38	1,323	40	71,785	38								
		4	Very often	26	33	1,483	31	900	27	55,295	29								
		Total	73	100	4,616	100	3,322	100	187,572	100									
10. During the current school year, to what extent have your courses challenged you to do your best work?																			
challenge		1	Not at all	0	0	42	1	26	1	2,006	1	5.8	5.5	.20	5.5 *	.23	5.5	.19	
		2		1	2	57	1	42	2	2,707	2								
		3		1	1	211	5	135	4	8,477	5								
		4		8	12	500	11	372	11	20,208	11								
		5		15	21	1,288	29	1,029	31	53,365	28								
		6		21	29	1,194	26	901	27	46,661	25								
		7	Very much	27	34	1,305	27	798	24	53,006	28								
Total	73	100	4,597	100	3,303	100	186,430	100											
11. Which of the following have you done while in college or do you plan to do before you graduate? ^f																			
a. Participate in an internship, co-op, field experience, student teaching, or clinical placement	intern (Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Have not decided	2	2	301	7	201	6	18,540	11	73%	61% *	.24	66%	.15	48% ***	.51	
			Do not plan to do	6	9	615	14	494	14	31,384	18								
			Plan to do	11	16	820	18	441	14	42,016	23								
			Done or in progress	54	73	2,858	61	2,171	66	94,397	48								
		Total	73	100	4,594	100	3,307	100	186,337	100									
b. Hold a formal leadership role in a student organization or group	leader (Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Have not decided	7	10	483	11	237	8	23,004	13	36%	41%	-.11	52% **	-.34	32%	.07	
			Do not plan to do	37	52	1,856	40	1,062	34	82,729	46								
			Plan to do	2	2	371	8	186	6	16,431	9								
			Done or in progress	27	36	1,876	41	1,813	52	63,807	32								
		Total	73	100	4,586	100	3,298	100	185,971	100									
c. Participate in a learning community or some other formal program where groups of students take two or more classes together	learncom (Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Have not decided	10	16	595	13	360	11	27,011	15	27%	30%	-.06	31%	-.07	22%	.12	
			Do not plan to do	34	44	2,142	47	1,677	51	95,505	52								
			Plan to do	8	13	430	10	241	7	19,245	10								
			Done or in progress	21	27	1,398	30	1,011	31	43,564	22								
		Total	73	100	4,565	100	3,289	100	185,325	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
d. Participate in a study abroad program	abroad		Have not decided	10	14	518	11	243	7	23,999	13	1%	9% *	-0.39	17% ***	-0.65	8% *	-0.38	
	(Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Do not plan to do	62	85	3,319	73	2,228	69	129,748	70								
			Plan to do	0	0	336	7	197	6	14,788	8								
			Done or in progress	1	1	397	9	617	17	16,959	8								
			Total	73	100	4,570	100	3,285	100	185,494	100								
e. Work with a faculty member on a research project	research		Have not decided	13	20	596	13	300	10	28,838	16	27%	27%	.01	35%	-0.17	23%	.11	
	(Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Do not plan to do	27	42	2,249	48	1,513	47	91,638	49								
			Plan to do	9	10	502	11	259	8	20,957	12								
			Done or in progress	24	27	1,224	27	1,211	35	43,944	23								
			Total	73	100	4,571	100	3,283	100	185,377	100								
f. Complete a culminating senior experience (capstone course, senior project or thesis, portfolio, recital, comprehensive exam, etc.)	capstone		Have not decided	7	12	300	7	122	4	17,574	10	45%	57% *	-0.24	68% ***	-0.47	46%	-0.02	
	(Means indicate the percentage who responded "Done or in progress.")		Do not plan to do	16	24	761	17	437	13	37,152	21								
			Plan to do	14	19	911	19	455	15	42,096	24								
			Done or in progress	36	45	2,593	57	2,272	68	88,532	46								
			Total	73	100	4,565	100	3,286	100	185,354	100								
12. About how many of your courses at this institution have included a community-based project (service-learning)?																			
	servcourse	1	None	21	33	1,089	26	941	29	70,556	41	1.8	1.9	-0.19	1.9	-0.11	1.7	.08	
		2	Some	41	55	2,638	58	1,859	56	89,696	47								
		3	Most	9	11	649	13	386	12	19,021	10								
		4	All	1	1	170	4	86	3	5,088	3								
		Total		72	100	4,546	100	3,272	100	184,361	100								
13. Indicate the quality of your interactions with the following people at your institution.																			
a. Students	Q1student	1	Poor	1	2	52	1	33	1	2,629	2	5.7	5.6	.07	5.5	.15	5.6	.10	
		2		1	2	77	2	52	2	3,054	2								
		3		1	1	197	5	140	4	7,167	4								
		4		7	9	409	9	328	10	17,853	10								
		5		14	22	1,037	22	901	27	43,523	23								
		6		26	33	1,330	29	986	30	50,755	27								
		7	Excellent	23	32	1,392	31	810	25	54,842	30								
		—	Not applicable	0	0	57	1	26	1	4,986	3								
			Total		73	100	4,551	100	3,276	100	184,809								100

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
b. Academic advisors	Qladvisor	1	Poor	1	2	155	4	88	3	8,262	5	5.6	5.4	.11	5.6	.02	5.3	.18	
		2		3	4	167	4	102	3	8,299	5								
		3		2	2	297	7	188	6	13,179	7								
		4		10	16	489	11	312	10	21,606	12								
		5		11	14	819	18	590	18	32,896	18								
		6		15	21	958	21	778	23	35,809	19								
		7	Excellent	30	40	1,618	34	1,204	37	61,551	33								
		—	Not applicable	0	0	47	1	15	0	2,985	2								
		Total	72	100	4,550	100	3,277	100	184,587	100									
c. Faculty	Qlfaculty	1	Poor	0	0	57	1	27	1	2,950	2	5.7	5.6	.05	5.6	.01	5.5	.09	
		2		0	0	85	2	47	1	3,821	2								
		3		3	5	202	5	114	4	8,159	5								
		4		11	15	447	10	315	10	20,036	11								
		5		14	16	1,033	22	768	23	42,143	22								
		6		24	34	1,375	30	1,077	32	51,850	28								
		7	Excellent	20	28	1,321	29	919	29	53,528	29								
		—	Not applicable	1	2	32	1	13	0	2,108	1								
		Total	73	100	4,552	100	3,280	100	184,595	100									
d. Student services staff (career services, student activities, housing, etc.)	Qlstaff	1	Poor	1	1	180	4	132	4	7,581	4	5.5	5.1 *	.29	5.0 **	.35	5.0 *	.29	
		2		1	1	166	4	156	5	7,281	4								
		3		0	0	350	8	253	7	12,005	6								
		4		15	23	562	12	463	14	22,602	12								
		5		11	12	830	19	677	21	33,220	17								
		6		17	21	821	18	685	21	31,406	17								
		7	Excellent	22	28	981	22	592	19	37,006	20								
		—	Not applicable	6	13	651	14	309	10	33,371	19								
		Total	73	100	4,541	100	3,267	100	184,472	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
e. Other administrative staff and offices (registrar, financial aid, etc.)	QIadmin	1	Poor	1	1	213	5	151	5	8,412	5	5.4	5.0 *	.23	5.0 **	.26	5.0 *	.21	
		2		1	2	192	4	160	5	8,494	5								
		3		4	6	374	8	292	9	13,537	7								
		4		8	10	636	14	480	14	25,830	14								
		5		22	28	919	20	766	23	36,761	19								
		6		21	29	929	20	709	22	35,507	19								
		7	Excellent	13	20	1,081	23	629	20	41,652	23								
		—	Not applicable	2	3	202	5	87	3	14,393	9								
	Total	72	100	4,546	100	3,274	100	184,586	100										
14. How much does your institution emphasize the following?																			
a. Spending significant amounts of time studying and on academic work	empstudy	1	Very little	1	1	73	2	44	1	3,484	2	3.3	3.1	.21	3.1	.22	3.1 *	.24	
		2	Some	8	13	806	19	594	18	34,860	19								
		3	Quite a bit	30	42	1,991	44	1,533	47	82,736	45								
		4	Very much	34	44	1,670	35	1,095	33	62,900	34								
		Total	73	100	4,540	100	3,266	100	183,980	100									
b. Providing support to help students succeed academically	SEacademic	1	Very little	3	3	214	5	140	4	10,740	6	3.0	2.9	.09	3.0	.06	2.9	.17	
		2	Some	17	25	1,075	25	757	23	47,217	26								
		3	Quite a bit	26	38	1,883	41	1,436	45	75,914	41								
		4	Very much	27	34	1,355	29	919	29	49,782	27								
		Total	73	100	4,527	100	3,252	100	183,653	100									
c. Using learning support services (tutoring services, writing center, etc.)	SElearnsup	1	Very little	5	9	374	9	260	8	17,867	10	3.1	2.9	.19	2.9	.21	2.8 *	.29	
		2	Some	10	16	1,021	23	729	23	45,849	25								
		3	Quite a bit	24	31	1,677	37	1,324	40	68,360	37								
		4	Very much	34	44	1,448	32	934	29	51,371	27								
		Total	73	100	4,520	100	3,247	100	183,447	100									
d. Encouraging contact among students from different backgrounds (social, racial/ethnic, religious, etc.)	SEdiverse	1	Very little	9	14	539	12	397	13	26,019	15	2.5	2.7	-.22	2.6	-.17	2.6	-.14	
		2	Some	31	43	1,366	31	1,049	32	56,475	31								
		3	Quite a bit	16	24	1,512	33	1,114	34	59,582	32								
		4	Very much	15	19	1,100	24	689	21	41,140	22								
		Total	71	100	4,517	100	3,249	100	183,216	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
e. Providing opportunities to be involved socially	SEsocial	1	Very little	1	2	282	7	188	6	16,448	10	3.0	2.9	.09	2.9	.10	2.8	.22	
		2	Some	20	33	1,123	25	787	25	48,568	27								
		3	Quite a bit	21	29	1,762	39	1,381	42	70,440	38								
		4	Very much	29	36	1,353	30	887	27	47,623	25								
		Total	71	100	4,520	100	3,243	100	183,079	100									
f. Providing support for your overall well-being (recreation, health care, counseling, etc.)	SEwellness	1	Very little	7	12	490	11	327	10	21,553	12	2.7	2.7	-.01	2.7	-.01	2.7	.03	
		2	Some	20	28	1,311	30	974	29	54,042	30								
		3	Quite a bit	26	35	1,586	35	1,256	40	64,901	35								
		4	Very much	20	24	1,130	24	684	21	42,422	23								
		Total	73	100	4,517	100	3,241	100	182,918	100									
g. Helping you manage your non-academic responsibilities (work, family, etc.)	SEnonacad	1	Very little	17	26	1,374	31	999	30	59,489	33	2.3	2.2	.10	2.1	.17	2.1	.16	
		2	Some	28	39	1,522	34	1,228	37	63,036	34								
		3	Quite a bit	14	18	1,005	22	692	22	38,343	21								
		4	Very much	14	18	600	13	318	10	21,874	12								
		Total	73	100	4,501	100	3,237	100	182,742	100									
h. Attending campus activities and events (performing arts, athletic events, etc.)	SEactivities	1	Very little	6	9	479	11	310	10	29,394	17	2.8	2.8	.07	2.7	.11	2.6 *	.25	
		2	Some	17	27	1,242	28	911	29	52,164	29								
		3	Quite a bit	27	36	1,678	37	1,264	39	62,099	33								
		4	Very much	23	28	1,094	25	744	22	38,815	21								
		Total	73	100	4,493	100	3,229	100	182,472	100									
i. Attending events that address important social, economic, or political issues	SEevents	1	Very little	10	14	828	18	473	15	40,744	24	2.5	2.5	.09	2.5	.07	2.3 *	.24	
		2	Some	26	38	1,582	36	1,187	37	65,825	36								
		3	Quite a bit	20	28	1,316	29	1,098	34	50,193	27								
		4	Very much	16	20	774	17	478	14	25,743	14								
		Total	72	100	4,500	100	3,236	100	182,505	100									
15. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?																			
a. I feel comfortable being myself at this institution.	sbmyself	1	Strongly disagree	2	5	135	4	96	3	5,010	3	3.2	3.2	-.06	3.2	-.08	3.3	-.11	
		2	Disagree	5	7	368	8	286	9	13,902	8								
		3	Agree	37	53	2,235	49	1,593	48	89,919	49								
		4	Strongly agree	29	36	1,760	39	1,257	40	73,806	41								
		Total	73	100	4,498	100	3,232	100	182,637	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
b. I feel valued by this institution.	sbvalued	1	Strongly disagree	3	5	298	7	237	7	12,501	7	2.9	3.0	-.07	2.9	-.03	2.9	-.02	
		2	Disagree	18	26	748	17	605	18	33,881	19								
		3	Agree	30	42	2,200	48	1,605	50	90,081	49								
		4	Strongly agree	21	26	1,249	28	783	25	46,057	25								
		Total	72	100	4,495	100	3,230	100	182,520	100									
c. I feel like part of the community at this institution.	sbcommunity	1	Strongly disagree	2	3	241	6	188	6	10,878	7	2.9	3.0	-.10	3.0	-.09	2.9	-.03	
		2	Disagree	20	31	748	17	537	16	33,688	19								
		3	Agree	29	39	2,210	48	1,630	50	90,342	49								
		4	Strongly agree	22	28	1,305	29	879	28	47,787	26								
		Total	73	100	4,504	100	3,234	100	182,695	100									
16. About how many hours do you spend in a typical 7-day week doing the following?																			
a. Preparing for class (studying, reading, writing, doing homework or lab work, analyzing data, rehearsing, and other academic activities)	tmprephrs (Recorded version of tmprep created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	0	0 hrs	0	0	15	0	7	0	774	0	15.6	15.3	.03	15.6	.00	15.7	-.01	
		3	1-5 hrs	8	12	508	12	321	11	20,330	11								
		8	6-10 hrs	14	22	989	22	733	23	39,247	21								
		13	11-15 hrs	15	22	969	22	666	21	37,411	20								
		18	16-20 hrs	13	16	822	18	616	19	34,913	19								
		23	21-25 hrs	11	13	502	11	382	12	21,358	12								
		28	26-30 hrs	3	3	291	6	224	7	12,288	7								
		33	More than 30 hrs	9	11	391	9	269	8	15,847	9								
Total	73	100	4,487	100	3,218	100	182,168	100											

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia	Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e
b. Participating in co-curricular activities (organizations, campus publications, student government, fraternity or sorority, intercollegiate or intramural sports, etc.)	tmccurrhrs	0	0 hrs	33	51	1,593	34	781	26	78,677	45	5.6	6.3	-.09	7.5 *	-.23	5.0	.08
	(Recorded version of tmccurr created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	13	14	1,296	29	946	29	47,594	25							
		8	6-10 hrs	10	14	576	14	582	18	22,636	12							
		13	11-15 hrs	2	2	394	9	344	10	14,110	8							
		18	16-20 hrs	10	12	277	6	256	7	8,972	5							
		23	21-25 hrs	2	3	143	3	153	5	4,675	2							
		28	26-30 hrs	2	2	93	2	64	2	2,116	1							
		33	More than 30 hrs	1	1	102	2	86	3	3,076	2							
		Total	73	100	4,474	100	3,212	100	181,856	100								
	c. Working for pay on campus	tmworkonhrs	0	0 hrs	50	70	3,108	69	1,726	56	131,130							
(Recorded version of tmworkon created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)		3	1-5 hrs	5	7	375	9	438	13	9,238	4							
		8	6-10 hrs	10	11	456	10	561	16	14,307	7							
		13	11-15 hrs	3	3	262	6	288	8	10,908	6							
		18	16-20 hrs	0	0	160	4	123	4	10,155	5							
		23	21-25 hrs	3	4	60	1	33	1	3,138	2							
		28	26-30 hrs	1	2	18	0	21	1	1,184	1							
		33	More than 30 hrs	1	2	34	1	27	1	1,870	1							
		Total	73	100	4,473	100	3,217	100	181,930	100								
d. Working for pay off campus		tmworkoffhrs	0	0 hrs	41	54	1,579	37	1,696	51	72,816	40	9.6	12.1	-.21	8.7	.08	13.0 *
	(Recorded version of tmworkoff created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	5	6	245	6	190	6	9,034	5							
		8	6-10 hrs	3	4	391	9	249	8	12,236	6							
		13	11-15 hrs	4	5	434	9	252	8	13,492	7							
		18	16-20 hrs	5	7	540	12	272	9	17,075	9							
		23	21-25 hrs	3	4	413	8	180	6	13,432	7							
		28	26-30 hrs	3	4	262	6	90	3	9,939	5							
		33	More than 30 hrs	9	15	620	14	286	10	33,965	20							
		Total	73	100	4,484	100	3,215	100	181,989	100								
	Estimated number of hours working for pay	tmworkhrs										13.5						
	(Continuous variable created by NSSE)																	

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia	Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e
e. Doing community service or volunteer work	tmservicehrs	0	0 hrs	42	60	2,346	53	1,706	54	100,776	56	2.1	3.0	-.16	2.7	-.11	2.9	-.15
	(Recorded version of tmservice created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	24	32	1,443	32	1,082	33	53,046	28							
		8	6-10 hrs	2	2	336	7	221	7	13,300	7							
		13	11-15 hrs	3	3	173	4	106	3	6,749	4							
		18	16-20 hrs	1	1	77	2	49	2	3,786	2							
		23	21-25 hrs	1	2	39	1	21	1	1,785	1							
		28	26-30 hrs	0	0	23	0	7	0	838	0							
		33	More than 30 hrs	0	0	38	1	22	1	1,583	1							
		Total			73	100	4,475	100	3,214	100	181,863							
f. Relaxing and socializing (time with friends, video games, TV or videos, keeping up with friends online, etc.)	tmrelaxhrs	0	0 hrs	1	1	122	3	48	2	5,829	3	10.6	10.8	-.03	11.5	-.12	11.1	-.07
	(Recorded version of tmrelax created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	20	31	1,182	25	720	22	46,344	25							
		8	6-10 hrs	18	24	1,255	28	956	30	51,242	28							
		13	11-15 hrs	16	21	898	20	690	21	35,095	19							
		18	16-20 hrs	11	14	572	13	447	14	22,067	12							
		23	21-25 hrs	3	3	202	5	179	6	8,991	5							
		28	26-30 hrs	3	4	102	2	72	2	4,226	2							
		33	More than 30 hrs	1	2	143	3	110	4	8,101	5							
		Total			73	100	4,476	100	3,222	100	181,895							
g. Providing care for dependents (children, parents, etc.)	tmcarehrs	0	0 hrs	57	75	2,906	66	2,480	76	117,920	64	3.7	4.7	-.10	3.2	.06	6.1 *	▽
	(Recorded version of tmcare created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	5	9	571	12	276	9	18,556	10							
		8	6-10 hrs	2	5	272	6	133	4	9,453	5							
		13	11-15 hrs	0	0	181	4	79	2	6,622	4							
		18	16-20 hrs	3	5	105	2	43	1	4,969	3							
		23	21-25 hrs	1	1	54	1	29	1	2,676	2							
		28	26-30 hrs	0	0	46	1	15	0	2,102	1							
		33	More than 30 hrs	3	6	337	7	157	5	19,430	11							
		Total			71	100	4,472	100	3,212	100	181,728							

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
h. Commuting to campus (driving, walking, etc.)	tmcommutehrs	0	0 hrs	15	23	1,131	25	1,519	44	51,292	28	3.5	4.9 ** ▽	-.24	3.3	.03	4.5 *	-.18	
	(Recorded version of tmcommute created by NSSE. Values are estimated number of hours per week.)	3	1-5 hrs	49	66	2,105	47	1,154	39	85,290	46								
	8	6-10 hrs	3	4	717	16	311	10	26,285	15									
	13	11-15 hrs	3	3	256	6	109	4	9,549	5									
	18	16-20 hrs	1	1	105	2	58	2	4,250	2									
	23	21-25 hrs	2	2	62	1	24	1	2,047	1									
	28	26-30 hrs	0	0	35	1	15	0	972	1									
	33	More than 30 hrs	0	0	73	2	20	1	2,295	1									
	Total		73	100	4,484	100	3,210	100	181,980	100									
17. Of the time you spend preparing for class in a typical 7-day week, about how much is on assigned reading?																			
	reading	1	Very little	12	14	503	12	423	14	26,007	15	2.6	2.8	-.18	2.7	-.12	2.8	-.14	
		2	Some	30	43	1,409	32	1,000	33	54,146	30								
		3	About half	12	17	1,293	28	849	25	49,643	27								
		4	Most	15	22	884	19	661	20	35,781	19								
		5	Almost all	4	4	372	9	265	7	15,703	8								
		Total		73	100	4,461	100	3,198	100	181,280	100								
	tmreadinghrs											6.5	7.3	-.13	7.1	-.10	7.2	-.12	
	(Continuous variable created by NSSE. Calculated as a proportion of tmprphrs based on reading, where Very little=.10; Some=.25; About half=.50; Most=.75; Almost all=.90)																		
	tmreadinghrscol	1	0 hrs	0	0	15	0	7	0	755	0								
	(Collapsed version of tmreadinghrs created by NSSE.)	2	More than zero, up to 5 hrs	38	52	2,059	47	1,472	48	85,753	48								
		3	More than 5, up to 10 hrs	18	27	1,335	30	945	28	51,867	28								
		4	More than 10, up to 15 hrs	9	10	465	10	370	11	19,150	10								
		5	More than 15, up to 20 hrs	4	4	279	6	184	5	11,317	6								
		6	More than 20, up to 25 hrs	4	6	194	4	161	5	7,910	4								
		7	More than 25 hrs	0	0	105	2	47	1	3,895	2								
		Total		73	100	4,452	100	3,186	100	180,647	100								

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
18. How much has your experience at this institution contributed to your knowledge, skills, and personal development in the following areas?																			
a. Writing clearly and effectively	pgwrite	1	Very little	1	1	162	4	92	3	8,791	5	3.2	3.1	.14	3.1	.09	3.0	.20	
		2	Some	13	21	858	20	542	18	36,719	21								
		3	Quite a bit	27	34	1,800	39	1,359	42	71,129	39								
		4	Very much	32	44	1,645	37	1,212	37	64,936	35								
		Total	73	100	4,465	100	3,205	100	181,575	100									
b. Speaking clearly and effectively	pgspeak	1	Very little	3	6	210	5	126	5	12,360	8	3.0	3.1	-.11	3.1	-.14	2.9	.02	
		2	Some	16	24	914	21	582	18	41,439	23								
		3	Quite a bit	31	39	1,731	38	1,373	42	68,384	37								
		4	Very much	23	31	1,601	36	1,124	35	59,221	32								
		Total	73	100	4,456	100	3,205	100	181,404	100									
c. Thinking critically and analytically	pgthink	1	Very little	0	0	72	2	38	1	4,019	3	3.5	3.4	.19	3.4	.16	3.3 *	Δ	
		2	Some	6	9	506	12	295	10	22,331	13								
		3	Quite a bit	23	33	1,620	36	1,251	39	68,106	37								
		4	Very much	44	59	2,266	51	1,621	50	86,967	47								
		Total	73	100	4,464	100	3,205	100	181,423	100									
d. Analyzing numerical and statistical information	pganalyze	1	Very little	4	6	427	10	297	9	15,941	9	2.8	2.9	-.04	2.9	-.07	2.9	-.12	
		2	Some	26	37	1,199	26	859	26	44,499	24								
		3	Quite a bit	21	29	1,523	33	1,080	33	61,236	34								
		4	Very much	21	29	1,315	31	968	32	59,718	34								
		Total	72	100	4,464	100	3,204	100	181,394	100									
e. Acquiring job- or work-related knowledge and skills	pgwork	1	Very little	1	2	296	7	203	7	13,911	8	3.2	3.0	.14	3.0	.17	3.0 *	Δ	
		2	Some	9	14	849	20	722	21	40,791	23								
		3	Quite a bit	37	48	1,578	35	1,150	36	62,696	34								
		4	Very much	26	35	1,741	38	1,133	36	64,043	35								
		Total	73	100	4,464	100	3,208	100	181,441	100									
f. Working effectively with others	pgothers	1	Very little	2	3	161	4	95	3	8,842	6	3.2	3.1	.07	3.1	.08	3.0	.18	
		2	Some	8	13	762	18	580	18	35,867	21								
		3	Quite a bit	33	42	1,719	38	1,282	40	69,412	38								
		4	Very much	30	41	1,820	40	1,249	39	67,240	36								
		Total	73	100	4,462	100	3,206	100	181,361	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Misericordia University

Seniors

Frequency Distributions^a

Statistical Comparisons^b

Your seniors compared with

				Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023		Misericordia		Catholic C&U		PA Private		NSSE 2022 & 2023	
Item wording or description	Variable name ^c	Values ^d	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	Mean	Effect size ^e	
g. Developing or clarifying a personal code of values and ethics	pgvalues	1	Very little	1	2	287	7	218	7	16,889	11	3.1	3.0	.09	3.0	.14	2.9 *	.25	
		2	Some	17	25	874	20	649	20	42,343	24								
		3	Quite a bit	26	34	1,628	36	1,268	39	63,358	34								
		4	Very much	28	39	1,674	37	1,063	33	58,693	31								
		Total	72	100	4,463	100	3,198	100	181,283	100									
h. Understanding people of other backgrounds (economic, racial/ethnic, political, religious, nationality, etc.)	pgdiverse	1	Very little	3	4	289	7	195	7	14,788	9	2.9	3.0	-.09	2.9	-.05	2.9	.00	
		2	Some	20	30	943	22	724	23	43,329	24								
		3	Quite a bit	30	38	1,640	36	1,290	40	63,386	34								
		4	Very much	20	28	1,591	35	994	31	59,831	32								
		Total	73	100	4,463	100	3,203	100	181,334	100									
i. Solving complex real-world problems	pgprobsolve	1	Very little	3	6	336	8	212	7	14,586	9	2.9	2.9	-.02	2.9	-.02	2.9	.03	
		2	Some	18	27	1,006	23	776	24	45,562	25								
		3	Quite a bit	28	38	1,641	36	1,265	39	65,067	35								
		4	Very much	23	29	1,479	33	951	31	56,201	31								
		Total	72	100	4,462	100	3,204	100	181,416	100									
j. Being an informed and active citizen	pgcitizen	1	Very little	7	11	380	9	287	9	20,466	12	2.7	2.9	-.15	2.8	-.11	2.8	-.04	
		2	Some	21	32	1,123	25	858	27	50,391	28								
		3	Quite a bit	23	30	1,615	35	1,200	37	59,951	32								
		4	Very much	20	26	1,357	30	864	27	50,800	28								
		Total	71	100	4,475	100	3,209	100	181,608	100									
19. How would you evaluate your entire educational experience at this institution?																			
	evalexp	1	Poor	1	2	147	4	86	3	5,343	3	3.1	3.2	-.04	3.2	-.05	3.2	-.05	
		2	Fair	9	14	625	14	429	13	24,781	14								
		3	Good	39	50	1,951	43	1,507	46	81,201	44								
		4	Excellent	25	33	1,767	39	1,186	38	70,730	39								
		Total	74	100	4,490	100	3,208	100	182,055	100									
20. If you could start over again, would you go to the same institution you are now attending?																			
	sameinst	1	Definitely no	0	0	308	7	237	7	9,403	5	3.1	3.1	.04	3.0	.10	3.2	-.09	
		2	Probably no	13	19	734	16	570	17	24,676	13								
		3	Probably yes	38	52	1,830	40	1,379	43	73,869	40								
		4	Definitely yes	23	29	1,621	37	1,031	33	74,814	41								
		Total	74	100	4,493	100	3,217	100	182,762	100									

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to p. 2 for key to triangle symbols. See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Detailed Statistics^g Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Variable Name	N	Mean				Standard error ^h				Standard deviation ⁱ				Degrees of freedom ^j			Significance ^k			Effect size ^e		
	Misericordia	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:		
														Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023
1 a. askquest	81	2.89	2.88	2.96	2.78	.087	.012	.016	.002	.78	.83	.83	.85	4,480	2,663	80	.969	.420	.231	.00	-.09	.12
b. CLaskhelp	81	2.61	2.53	2.57	2.45	.095	.013	.017	.002	.86	.89	.87	.92	4,458	2,647	167,034	.377	.667	.107	.10	.05	.18
c. CLexplain	82	2.72	2.60	2.68	2.52	.085	.013	.016	.002	.77	.85	.83	.89	4,440	2,652	81	.200	.688	.021	.14	.05	.23
d. CLstudy	81	2.51	2.46	2.51	2.33	.101	.015	.019	.002	.91	.96	.96	.98	4,411	2,632	165,462	.612	.991	.099	.06	.00	.18
e. CLproject	75	2.50	2.65	2.74	2.54	.100	.013	.016	.002	.86	.85	.81	.91	4,375	2,614	164,397	.127	.014	.734	-.18	-.29	-.04
f. present	78	2.17	2.41	2.43	2.20	.094	.013	.016	.002	.83	.85	.83	.90	80	2,612	163,953	.012	.006	.742	-.29	-.32	-.04
2 a. RIintegrate	75	2.48	2.61	2.67	2.60	.105	.013	.017	.002	.90	.84	.84	.87	4,276	2,565	161,150	.184	.062	.237	-.15	-.22	-.14
b. RIsocietal	74	2.49	2.62	2.67	2.60	.100	.013	.017	.002	.86	.86	.86	.89	4,233	2,538	159,407	.191	.071	.275	-.15	-.21	-.13
c. RIdiverse	72	2.56	2.69	2.70	2.63	.100	.014	.018	.002	.85	.87	.87	.91	4,176	2,513	157,593	.219	.185	.526	-.15	-.16	-.07
d. Rlownview	72	2.65	2.79	2.81	2.80	.092	.013	.016	.002	.79	.81	.80	.81	4,117	2,480	155,269	.138	.077	.103	-.18	-.21	-.19
e. Rlperspect	72	3.00	2.92	2.92	2.93	.090	.013	.016	.002	.77	.79	.78	.79	4,035	2,435	152,250	.427	.442	.475	.09	.09	.08
f. RInewview	73	2.81	2.86	2.87	2.87	.102	.013	.016	.002	.87	.79	.78	.80	3,956	2,396	149,375	.619	.543	.501	-.06	-.07	-.08
g. RIconnect	70	2.85	3.03	3.10	3.06	.097	.012	.015	.002	.81	.75	.72	.75	3,890	2,355	147,255	.051	.005	.021	-.24	-.35	-.28
3 a. SFcareer	72	2.78	2.42	2.46	2.30	.104	.015	.019	.002	.88	.92	.91	.94	3,885	2,358	147,025	.001	.003	.000	.39	.35	.50
b. SFotherwork	68	2.18	1.98	1.95	1.83	.122	.016	.020	.002	1.01	.97	.93	.95	3,860	2,344	146,168	.096	.047	.002	.20	.24	.37
c. SFdiscuss	67	2.52	2.17	2.23	2.03	.107	.015	.019	.002	.88	.91	.90	.93	3,796	2,318	144,356	.002	.009	.000	.38	.33	.53
d. SFperform	68	2.51	2.30	2.33	2.16	.116	.014	.018	.002	.95	.88	.87	.91	3,811	2,321	144,279	.051	.104	.002	.24	.20	.38
4 a. memorize	68	3.08	2.95	2.95	2.89	.088	.013	.017	.002	.72	.80	.81	.82	3,773	2,300	67	.194	.213	.038	.16	.15	.23
b. HOapply	68	2.94	2.91	2.98	2.91	.077	.013	.017	.002	.63	.80	.79	.81	71	74	67	.772	.561	.730	.03	-.06	.03
c. HOanalyze	67	2.87	2.93	2.98	2.91	.091	.013	.017	.002	.75	.80	.80	.81	3,708	2,256	140,063	.528	.274	.698	-.08	-.14	-.05
d. HOevaluate	67	2.87	2.95	2.96	2.91	.092	.013	.017	.002	.75	.78	.80	.81	3,683	2,239	139,086	.402	.351	.674	-.10	-.12	-.05
e. HOform	67	2.89	2.96	2.95	2.92	.087	.013	.017	.002	.72	.79	.77	.80	3,647	2,230	138,260	.472	.529	.752	-.09	-.08	-.04
5 a. ETgoals	67	3.31	3.07	3.10	3.05	.083	.013	.016	.002	.68	.78	.75	.79	3,630	2,220	137,229	.013	.025	.008	.31	.28	.32
b. ETorganize	66	3.07	2.98	3.05	2.97	.106	.014	.017	.002	.86	.82	.79	.84	3,614	2,214	136,644	.366	.793	.306	.11	.03	.13
c. ETexample	66	3.19	3.01	3.08	3.00	.097	.014	.017	.002	.79	.82	.80	.83	3,601	2,203	136,352	.074	.268	.061	.22	.14	.23
d. ETdraftfb	66	2.82	2.90	2.96	2.83	.107	.015	.019	.002	.87	.90	.87	.91	3,596	2,196	135,961	.454	.198	.938	-.09	-.16	-.01
e. ETfeedback	66	2.74	2.81	2.86	2.74	.126	.015	.019	.002	1.02	.89	.86	.91	66	67	135,144	.596	.361	.995	-.08	-.14	.00
f. eterriteria	61	3.17	3.01	3.02	2.99	.090	.014	.017	.002	.70	.82	.80	.83	3,539	2,168	134,281	.121	.154	.084	.20	.19	.22
g. etreview	64	3.07	3.03	3.02	2.98	.096	.014	.017	.002	.77	.80	.78	.80	3,532	2,159	133,816	.685	.655	.385	.05	.06	.11
h. etprefer	61	2.71	2.70	2.73	2.66	.125	.015	.018	.002	.97	.86	.82	.87	3,503	62	133,469	.983	.831	.690	.00	-.03	.05
i. etdemonstrate	60	3.19	3.08	3.13	3.08	.091	.014	.017	.002	.71	.80	.77	.80	3,502	2,143	133,152	.290	.571	.311	.14	.07	.13

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Detailed Statistics^g Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Variable Name	N	Mean				Standard error ^h				Standard deviation ⁱ				Degrees of freedom ^j			Significance ^k			Effect size ^e		
	Misericordia	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:		
														Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023
6 a. QRconclude	53	2.70	2.60	2.62	2.62	.114	.015	.019	.002	.83	.88	.87	.87	3,427	2,100	130,669	.399	.502	.500	.12	.09	.09
b. QRproblem	53	2.44	2.42	2.41	2.41	.123	.016	.020	.003	.89	.91	.91	.92	3,405	2,086	129,932	.885	.801	.808	.02	.04	.03
c. QRevaluate	53	2.48	2.39	2.41	2.39	.134	.016	.019	.002	.97	.90	.87	.90	3,395	2,080	129,192	.507	.586	.477	.09	.08	.10
7 a. wrshortnum	56	5.55	7.54	7.27	6.51	.595	.107	.130	.016	4.44	6.17	5.83	5.78	58	60	55	.002	.006	.112	-.32	-.30	-.17
b. wrmednum	56	1.30	2.51	2.52	2.45	.202	.063	.076	.010	1.51	3.60	3.42	3.74	66	71	55	.000	.000	.000	-.34	-.36	-.31
c. wrlongnum	56	.28	1.13	.99	1.18	.092	.055	.067	.009	.68	3.19	3.00	3.37	101	127	56	.000	.000	.000	-.27	-.24	-.27
— wrpages	56	31.19	58.63	56.17	56.24	3.622	1.364	1.653	.234	27.01	78.22	74.12	83.54	71	80	55	.000	.000	.000	-.35	-.34	-.30
8 a. DDrace	56	2.76	3.04	3.04	2.99	.119	.015	.019	.003	.89	.89	.87	.92	3,366	2,076	128,307	.023	.021	.068	-.31	-.31	-.24
b. DDeconomic	55	2.88	3.02	3.05	2.97	.107	.015	.019	.003	.79	.85	.84	.89	3,359	2,068	127,989	.204	.121	.424	-.17	-.21	-.11
c. DDreligion	55	2.84	2.94	3.00	2.88	.138	.016	.020	.003	1.02	.89	.88	.94	55	56	127,904	.451	.259	.732	-.12	-.18	-.05
d. DDpolitical	55	2.89	2.83	2.87	2.77	.135	.016	.020	.003	1.00	.93	.92	.95	3,353	2,064	127,796	.603	.880	.351	.07	.02	.13
e. ddsexorient	55	2.67	2.75	2.91	2.81	.134	.017	.021	.003	1.00	.97	.93	.98	3,348	2,064	127,724	.527	.065	.277	-.09	-.25	-.15
f. ddcountry	55	1.99	2.67	2.58	2.62	.144	.016	.021	.003	1.07	.95	.95	.97	3,359	2,067	127,888	.000	.000	.000	-.72	-.62	-.65
9 a. LSreading	55	2.94	3.00	3.03	2.97	.113	.013	.017	.002	.84	.75	.75	.78	55	56	126,893	.629	.423	.794	-.07	-.12	-.04
b. LSnotes	55	2.98	2.92	2.93	2.90	.132	.015	.019	.002	.98	.86	.86	.88	3,320	2,058	126,830	.669	.735	.532	.06	.05	.08
c. LSsummary	55	2.98	2.90	2.90	2.85	.128	.015	.019	.002	.95	.84	.83	.85	3,318	2,055	126,770	.463	.499	.266	.10	.09	.15
10 challenge	55	5.63	5.36	5.40	5.36	.156	.021	.027	.004	1.16	1.21	1.21	1.25	3,297	2,040	125,906	.093	.149	.100	.23	.20	.22
11 a. intern ^l	54	2%	9%	9%	8%	.021	.005	.006	.001	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.106	.105	.143	-.28	-.28	-.25
b. leader ^l	54	4%	11%	13%	10%	.026	.005	.008	.001	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.091	.035	.105	-.29	-.37	-.27
c. learncom ^l	51	6%	13%	12%	11%	.035	.006	.007	.001	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.196	.254	.280	-.21	-.18	-.17
d. abroad ^l	51	0%	3%	3%	3%	.000	.003	.004	.000	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.182	.184	.229	-.37	-.37	-.33
e. research ^l	51	4%	5%	7%	5%	.027	.004	.006	.001	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.672	.400	.645	-.06	-.13	-.07
f. capstone ^l	51	3%	2%	2%	2%	.022	.003	.003	.000	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.817	.890	.913	.03	.02	.01
12 servcourse	51	1.78	1.82	1.70	1.64	.095	.013	.016	.002	.67	.71	.70	.72	3,220	2,006	123,577	.685	.404	.181	-.06	.12	.19
13 a. QIstudent	51	5.38	5.40	5.40	5.37	.163	.025	.030	.004	1.17	1.38	1.34	1.37	3,207	2,005	120,417	.925	.944	.958	-.01	-.01	.01
b. QIadvisor	51	5.89	5.51	5.62	5.40	.178	.027	.033	.005	1.28	1.54	1.47	1.58	3,187	2,002	121,072	.081	.197	.027	.25	.18	.31
c. QIfaculty	51	5.59	5.50	5.62	5.41	.179	.023	.027	.004	1.28	1.30	1.20	1.35	3,192	2,002	121,561	.646	.844	.350	.06	-.03	.13
d. QIstaff	49	5.63	5.29	5.32	5.16	.207	.029	.035	.005	1.46	1.54	1.48	1.58	2,917	1,868	109,289	.126	.139	.036	.22	.21	.30
e. QIadmin	51	5.58	5.30	5.30	5.15	.239	.028	.035	.005	1.70	1.52	1.49	1.58	3,025	1,893	112,748	.182	.189	.048	.19	.19	.28

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Detailed Statistics^g Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Variable Name	N	Mean				Standard error ^h				Standard deviation ⁱ				Degrees of freedom ^j			Significance ^k			Effect size ^e		
	Misericordia	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:		
														Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023
14 a. empstudy	51	3.30	3.05	3.13	3.05	.108	.013	.016	.002	.77	.74	.73	.76	3,207	2,004	123,143	.016	.100	.016	.34	.23	.34
b. SEacademic	51	3.27	2.97	3.06	2.94	.130	.015	.019	.002	.92	.85	.82	.84	3,199	52	122,805	.012	.107	.005	.36	.26	.39
c. SElearnsup	51	3.34	3.03	3.14	2.99	.139	.016	.020	.003	.99	.91	.87	.91	3,204	1,995	122,674	.016	.098	.006	.34	.23	.38
d. SEdiverse	51	2.94	2.79	2.78	2.72	.155	.016	.021	.003	1.11	.92	.94	.94	51	52	122,500	.339	.331	.100	.16	.16	.23
e. SEsocial	51	3.24	2.97	3.00	2.89	.135	.016	.019	.003	.96	.87	.86	.89	3,199	52	122,345	.027	.088	.005	.31	.28	.39
f. SEwellness	51	3.22	2.87	2.91	2.82	.129	.016	.020	.003	.92	.89	.87	.91	3,197	1,993	122,202	.006	.011	.002	.39	.36	.44
g. SEonacad	51	2.76	2.37	2.30	2.28	.135	.017	.021	.003	.97	.96	.95	.97	3,194	1,991	121,997	.004	.001	.000	.40	.48	.49
h. SEactivities	51	3.30	2.87	2.88	2.76	.115	.016	.020	.003	.83	.91	.88	.95	3,192	1,984	121,884	.001	.001	.000	.47	.47	.57
i. SEevents	51	2.80	2.54	2.60	2.41	.140	.017	.021	.003	1.01	.94	.91	.96	3,189	1,986	121,883	.046	.111	.004	.28	.23	.41
15 a. sbmyself	51	3.35	3.19	3.19	3.20	.081	.012	.016	.002	.58	.68	.70	.69	3,191	1,988	121,850	.077	.103	.119	.25	.23	.22
b. sbvalued	51	3.12	3.03	3.01	2.96	.085	.013	.016	.002	.61	.72	.72	.75	3,184	1,984	121,669	.344	.264	.116	.13	.16	.22
c. sbcommunity	51	3.14	3.01	3.01	2.96	.100	.013	.017	.002	.72	.75	.77	.77	3,193	1,987	121,782	.224	.230	.092	.17	.17	.24
16 a. tmprephrs	51	13.15	14.56	15.43	14.85	.978	.144	.185	.023	7.01	8.05	8.12	8.18	53	54	50	.161	.026	.089	-.18	-.28	-.21
b. tmcocurrhrs	51	6.07	6.28	7.11	5.43	1.240	.134	.170	.020	8.89	7.50	7.46	7.05	3,172	1,974	121,111	.846	.326	.516	-.03	-.14	.09
c. tmworkonhrs	51	1.21	2.37	2.56	2.47	.486	.098	.119	.017	3.48	5.48	5.22	5.83	54	57	50	.024	.010	.013	-.21	-.26	-.22
d. tmworkoffhrs	51	3.23	6.63	4.32	6.57	.988	.175	.186	.030	7.03	9.77	8.14	10.55	53	1,974	50	.001	.345	.001	-.35	-.13	-.32
— tmworkhrs	51	4.46	8.98	6.84	9.02	1.144	.201	.225	.035	8.14	11.25	9.88	12.07	53	1,971	50	.000	.089	.000	-.40	-.24	-.38
e. tmservicehrs	51	1.60	2.42	1.95	2.23	.426	.083	.095	.014	3.05	4.65	4.19	4.71	3,178	1,975	121,140	.207	.550	.333	-.18	-.08	-.14
f. tmrelaxhrs	51	13.26	11.88	12.34	12.32	1.189	.147	.186	.024	8.52	8.20	8.18	8.45	3,178	1,975	121,136	.232	.427	.424	.17	.11	.11
g. tmcarehrs	51	1.22	3.03	1.77	3.32	.506	.118	.121	.023	3.63	6.60	5.29	7.84	56	1,972	51	.001	.457	.000	-.27	-.11	-.27
h. tmcommutehrs	51	2.92	4.32	2.67	3.93	.793	.113	.118	.017	5.68	6.33	5.19	5.98	3,180	1,975	121,154	.117	.736	.229	-.22	.05	-.17
17 reading	51	2.65	2.74	2.68	2.63	.181	.019	.025	.003	1.29	1.06	1.08	1.10	51	52	50	.632	.870	.918	-.08	-.03	.02
— tmreadinghrs	51	6.02	6.66	6.72	6.40	.857	.104	.130	.017	6.14	5.79	5.69	5.74	3,147	1,960	120,234	.434	.381	.632	-.11	-.12	-.07

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Detailed Statistics^g Misericordia University

First-Year Students

Variable Name	N					Standard error ^h				Standard deviation ⁱ				Degrees of freedom ^j			Significance ^k			Effect size ^e		
	Mean													Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:		
	Misericordia	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023
18 a. pgwrite	50	2.72	2.91	2.91	2.82	.100	.015	.019	.002	.71	.83	.81	.87	3,155	1,965	120,720	.098	.098	.396	-.24	-.24	-.12
b. pgspeak	50	2.67	2.80	2.71	2.69	.116	.016	.020	.003	.82	.89	.88	.92	3,145	1,962	120,514	.292	.697	.850	-.15	-.06	-.03
c. pgthink	50	2.99	3.11	3.11	3.08	.101	.014	.018	.002	.71	.78	.77	.80	3,146	1,963	120,545	.262	.265	.430	-.16	-.16	-.11
d. pganalyze	50	2.60	2.64	2.65	2.70	.125	.017	.022	.003	.88	.93	.96	.94	3,152	1,964	120,505	.748	.686	.455	-.05	-.06	-.11
e. pgwork	50	2.63	2.70	2.63	2.62	.121	.017	.021	.003	.86	.94	.91	.96	3,154	1,963	120,541	.610	.998	.948	-.07	.00	.01
f. pgothers	50	2.84	2.90	2.87	2.81	.121	.015	.019	.003	.85	.85	.83	.89	3,155	1,964	120,532	.636	.850	.809	-.07	-.03	.03
g. pgvalues	50	2.61	2.82	2.76	2.71	.140	.016	.021	.003	.99	.90	.91	.93	3,149	1,962	120,415	.107	.257	.458	-.23	-.16	-.11
h. pgdiverse	50	2.66	2.88	2.84	2.82	.132	.016	.021	.003	.94	.90	.90	.92	3,156	1,958	120,488	.082	.151	.209	-.25	-.21	-.18
i. pgprobsolve	50	2.50	2.70	2.70	2.67	.120	.016	.020	.003	.85	.90	.89	.93	3,155	1,963	120,609	.117	.120	.198	-.22	-.22	-.18
j. pgcitizen	49	2.78	2.73	2.70	2.65	.112	.016	.021	.003	.79	.91	.91	.94	50	52	48	.645	.498	.244	.06	.09	.14
19 evalexp	51	3.12	3.07	3.13	3.08	.084	.013	.016	.002	.60	.75	.71	.74	3,175	1,970	121,264	.662	.911	.746	.06	-.02	.05
20 sameinst	51	3.02	3.06	3.08	3.15	.126	.015	.019	.002	.90	.82	.82	.80	3,192	1,977	121,880	.706	.589	.234	-.05	-.08	-.17
21 returnexp ^l	50	85%	86%	88%	88%	.0504	.0062	.0073	.0009	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.967	.514	.609	-.01	-.09	-.07

IPEDS: 214069

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Detailed Statistics^g Misericordia University

Seniors

Variable Name	N	Mean				Standard error ^h				Standard deviation ⁱ				Degrees of freedom ^j			Significance ^k			Effect size ^e		
	Misericordia	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:		
														Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023
1 a. askquest	88	3.20	3.17	3.20	3.04	.084	.012	.016	.002	.79	.83	.81	.88	4,750	2,740	224,781	.764	.996	.096	.03	.00	.18
b. CLaskhelp	88	2.32	2.55	2.51	2.39	.096	.014	.017	.002	.90	.93	.89	.97	4,733	2,728	87	.021	.049	.451	-.25	-.21	-.08
c. CLexplain	88	2.59	2.79	2.80	2.60	.096	.013	.016	.002	.90	.87	.84	.94	4,727	2,727	223,539	.035	.024	.943	-.23	-.24	-.01
d. CLstudy	88	2.39	2.56	2.52	2.31	.114	.015	.019	.002	1.07	1.00	.98	1.03	4,700	2,708	222,241	.115	.243	.459	-.17	-.13	.08
e. CLproject	88	2.76	2.88	2.94	2.75	.113	.013	.017	.002	1.06	.89	.87	.98	89	91	87	.295	.135	.904	-.14	-.20	.01
f. present	88	2.67	2.81	2.94	2.57	.102	.013	.017	.002	.96	.91	.87	.97	4,664	92	220,866	.151	.009	.344	-.15	-.31	.10
2 a. RIintegrate	86	2.94	2.99	3.01	2.93	.081	.013	.016	.002	.75	.84	.82	.86	4,618	2,660	86	.578	.404	.896	-.06	-.09	.01
b. RIsocietal	86	2.87	2.92	2.96	2.82	.092	.013	.017	.002	.85	.87	.85	.92	4,584	2,640	217,297	.593	.346	.568	-.06	-.10	.06
c. RIdiverse	86	2.72	2.82	2.85	2.68	.094	.014	.018	.002	.88	.91	.89	.98	4,557	2,631	215,795	.306	.161	.750	-.11	-.15	.03
d. Rlownview	85	2.84	2.93	2.93	2.88	.093	.012	.016	.002	.86	.82	.80	.84	4,519	2,602	213,814	.345	.337	.701	-.10	-.11	-.04
e. Rlperspect	84	3.07	3.03	3.02	3.00	.083	.012	.016	.002	.76	.79	.78	.82	4,438	2,565	211,041	.656	.560	.392	.05	.06	.09
f. RInewview	82	2.94	2.99	3.02	2.99	.094	.012	.015	.002	.85	.80	.77	.80	4,381	2,533	208,270	.567	.395	.616	-.06	-.10	-.06
g. RIconnect	80	3.32	3.21	3.25	3.22	.072	.011	.014	.002	.65	.73	.70	.74	4,339	2,508	206,212	.204	.359	.222	.14	.10	.14
3 a. SFcareer	80	2.70	2.71	2.73	2.43	.113	.015	.019	.002	1.01	.98	.95	1.00	4,334	2,506	206,023	.939	.754	.018	-.01	-.04	.27
b. SFotherwork	80	2.25	2.25	2.28	1.97	.115	.016	.021	.002	1.02	1.06	1.04	1.04	4,312	2,496	205,063	.987	.792	.017	.00	-.03	.27
c. SFdiscuss	79	2.56	2.40	2.45	2.15	.114	.015	.020	.002	1.02	.98	.96	.98	4,261	2,475	203,404	.133	.305	.000	.17	.12	.42
d. SFperform	80	2.47	2.44	2.44	2.21	.106	.015	.019	.002	.94	.95	.93	.95	4,265	2,481	203,437	.820	.778	.015	.03	.03	.27
4 a. memorize	78	2.98	2.84	2.75	2.75	.096	.014	.018	.002	.84	.89	.89	.90	4,223	83	77	.178	.022	.019	.15	.26	.25
b. HOapply	77	3.26	3.12	3.15	3.08	.080	.012	.016	.002	.71	.80	.77	.80	4,205	2,454	201,061	.113	.215	.046	.18	.14	.23
c. HOanalyze	77	3.15	3.08	3.10	3.05	.090	.013	.017	.002	.79	.82	.80	.82	4,156	2,433	199,152	.425	.583	.297	.09	.06	.12
d. HOevaluate	77	3.00	3.05	3.02	2.98	.100	.013	.017	.002	.88	.80	.83	.86	4,143	2,421	198,161	.649	.853	.813	-.05	-.02	.03
e. HOform	77	3.02	3.03	3.06	3.01	.085	.013	.016	.002	.75	.80	.79	.82	4,121	2,420	197,128	.899	.663	.882	-.01	-.05	.02
5 a. ETgoals	77	3.32	3.19	3.16	3.15	.083	.012	.016	.002	.72	.79	.76	.79	4,097	2,406	195,920	.151	.069	.063	.17	.21	.21
b. ETorganize	76	3.20	3.09	3.11	3.06	.094	.013	.016	.002	.82	.84	.79	.84	4,088	2,397	195,365	.262	.355	.165	.13	.11	.16
c. ETexample	77	3.18	3.11	3.16	3.09	.089	.013	.016	.002	.78	.84	.78	.85	4,082	2,393	194,995	.467	.886	.389	.08	.02	.10
d. ETdraftfb	75	2.99	2.92	3.00	2.85	.116	.015	.018	.002	1.01	.93	.89	.96	4,074	2,383	194,635	.526	.930	.211	.07	-.01	.14
e. ETfeedback	77	3.01	2.90	2.96	2.85	.105	.014	.018	.002	.92	.91	.85	.92	4,054	2,377	193,763	.304	.620	.115	.12	.06	.18
f. eterriteria	77	3.18	3.10	3.12	3.08	.091	.013	.016	.002	.80	.82	.78	.84	4,053	2,366	192,872	.380	.493	.261	.10	.08	.13
g. etreview	77	3.15	3.11	3.13	3.07	.101	.013	.016	.002	.88	.79	.78	.82	4,049	2,363	192,262	.686	.828	.404	.05	.03	.10
h. etprefer	77	2.87	2.85	2.87	2.79	.103	.014	.017	.002	.90	.90	.83	.90	4,031	2,357	191,982	.829	.997	.412	.02	.00	.09
i. etdemonstrate	77	3.25	3.17	3.16	3.15	.083	.013	.016	.002	.72	.80	.77	.81	4,032	2,361	191,770	.364	.299	.268	.10	.12	.13

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Detailed Statistics^g Misericordia University

Seniors

Variable Name	N	Mean				Standard error ^h				Standard deviation ⁱ				Degrees of freedom ^j			Significance ^k			Effect size ^e		
	Misericordia	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Comparisons with:			Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023
														Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023						
6 a. QRconclude	76	2.75	2.65	2.66	2.69	.111	.015	.020	.002	.97	.92	.94	.92	3,963	2,331	189,050	.338	.436	.572	.11	.09	.06
b. QRproblem	76	2.33	2.53	2.52	2.52	.110	.015	.020	.002	.96	.95	.96	.97	3,938	2,319	188,279	.069	.093	.094	-.21	-.20	-.19
c. QRevaluate	74	2.46	2.50	2.52	2.50	.107	.015	.020	.002	.93	.94	.94	.94	3,917	2,304	187,342	.693	.585	.660	-.05	-.06	-.05
7 a. wrshortnum	73	6.65	7.60	8.01	7.56	.691	.103	.142	.015	5.88	6.39	6.69	6.66	3,908	2,299	186,860	.209	.089	.244	-.15	-.20	-.14
b. wrmednum	73	2.79	3.44	3.55	3.61	.483	.069	.087	.011	4.14	4.28	4.10	4.64	3,899	2,293	186,122	.199	.123	.134	-.15	-.18	-.18
c. wrlongnum	73	1.49	1.83	1.89	2.05	.297	.058	.073	.009	2.54	3.61	3.43	4.03	3,909	2,301	72	.422	.325	.066	-.09	-.12	-.14
— wrpages	73	64.09	77.46	80.50	81.80	8.951	1.491	1.872	.237	76.22	92.01	88.06	102.07	3,877	2,283	185,018	.219	.117	.140	-.15	-.19	-.17
8 a. DDrace	75	2.67	3.04	3.00	3.02	.091	.015	.019	.002	.79	.90	.88	.93	3,898	2,298	186,387	.000	.002	.001	-.41	-.37	-.38
b. DDeconomic	74	2.88	3.03	3.03	3.01	.098	.014	.018	.002	.85	.87	.85	.90	3,885	2,291	185,968	.130	.125	.229	-.18	-.18	-.14
c. DDreligion	75	3.00	2.97	2.95	2.90	.096	.015	.019	.002	.83	.91	.89	.95	3,889	2,293	74	.833	.683	.326	.02	.05	.10
d. DDpolitical	74	2.83	2.89	2.90	2.83	.095	.015	.019	.002	.81	.92	.90	.96	3,893	2,294	73	.551	.480	.969	-.07	-.08	.00
e. ddsexorient	74	2.65	2.81	2.89	2.81	.106	.015	.020	.002	.91	.95	.92	.98	3,875	2,289	185,524	.162	.025	.151	-.16	-.27	-.17
f. ddcountry	74	2.09	2.62	2.52	2.65	.102	.016	.020	.002	.88	.98	.95	.98	76	79	73	.000	.000	.000	-.54	-.45	-.57
9 a. LSreading	74	3.19	3.09	3.11	3.08	.080	.013	.017	.002	.69	.79	.78	.82	3,854	2,276	184,800	.302	.380	.255	.12	.10	.13
b. LSnotes	74	3.04	2.95	2.81	2.89	.107	.015	.020	.002	.92	.92	.92	.92	3,849	2,276	184,711	.409	.037	.149	.10	.25	.17
c. LSsummary	74	2.94	2.95	2.88	2.91	.114	.014	.018	.002	.98	.87	.86	.88	3,850	2,274	184,562	.881	.596	.794	-.02	.06	.03
10 challenge	74	5.76	5.50	5.47	5.52	.141	.021	.027	.003	1.21	1.30	1.26	1.32	3,834	2,262	183,393	.091	.049	.109	.20	.23	.19
11 a. intern ^l	74	73%	61%	66%	48%	.0523	.0079	.0101	.0012	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.046	.214	.000	.24	.15	.51
b. leader ^l	74	36%	41%	52%	32%	.0562	.0080	.0107	.0011	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.368	.004	.544	-.11	-.34	.07
c. learncom ^l	74	27%	30%	31%	22%	.0523	.0075	.0099	.0010	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.590	.540	.289	-.06	-.07	.12
d. abroad ^l	74	1%	9%	17%	8%	.0120	.0046	.0081	.0007	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.020	.000	.022	-.39	-.65	-.38
e. research ^l	74	27%	27%	35%	23%	.0523	.0073	.0103	.0010	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.957	.160	.308	.01	-.17	.11
f. capstone ^l	74	45%	57%	68%	46%	.0583	.0081	.0100	.0012	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.043	.000	.885	-.24	-.47	-.02
12 servcourse	73	1.81	1.95	1.89	1.75	.079	.012	.015	.002	.67	.73	.71	.74	3,788	2,243	181,219	.100	.355	.490	-.19	-.11	.08
13 a. QIstudent	74	5.72	5.63	5.53	5.59	.153	.022	.028	.003	1.31	1.34	1.28	1.36	3,748	2,226	176,127	.571	.212	.403	.07	.15	.10
b. QIadvisor	73	5.58	5.39	5.55	5.27	.186	.027	.034	.004	1.59	1.67	1.58	1.76	3,747	2,234	178,148	.337	.872	.126	.11	.02	.18
c. QIfaculty	72	5.66	5.58	5.65	5.53	.142	.022	.027	.003	1.20	1.35	1.25	1.40	3,764	2,239	179,179	.644	.937	.432	.05	.01	.09
d. QIstaff	64	5.55	5.05	4.98	5.04	.170	.030	.038	.004	1.36	1.71	1.66	1.72	3,250	2,016	146,552	.021	.006	.019	.29	.35	.29
e. QIadmin	70	5.40	5.01	4.98	5.04	.155	.029	.036	.004	1.30	1.72	1.66	1.72	74	77	70	.016	.009	.021	.23	.26	.21

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Detailed Statistics^g Misericordia University

Seniors

Variable Name	N	Mean				Standard error ^h				Standard deviation ⁱ				Degrees of freedom ^j			Significance ^k			Effect size ^e		
	Misericordia	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:		
														Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023
14 a. empstudy	74	3.29	3.13	3.12	3.10	.085	.013	.016	.002	.73	.77	.75	.78	3,781	2,239	180,766	.077	.064	.042	.21	.22	.24
b. SEacademic	74	3.03	2.95	2.97	2.88	.099	.014	.018	.002	.85	.86	.83	.88	3,770	2,228	180,485	.439	.592	.146	.09	.06	.17
c. SElearnsup	74	3.09	2.91	2.90	2.81	.114	.015	.020	.002	.98	.94	.91	.95	3,766	2,227	180,237	.105	.073	.012	.19	.21	.29
d. SEdiverse	71	2.48	2.69	2.64	2.62	.113	.016	.020	.002	.95	.97	.95	.99	3,759	2,225	179,963	.068	.165	.223	-.22	-.17	-.14
e. SEsocial	71	2.99	2.91	2.90	2.78	.105	.015	.019	.002	.89	.90	.87	.93	3,764	2,221	179,827	.460	.389	.066	.09	.10	.22
f. SEwellness	74	2.72	2.72	2.73	2.69	.113	.016	.020	.002	.97	.95	.91	.96	3,765	2,220	179,654	.933	.918	.794	-.01	-.01	.03
g. SEonacad	74	2.27	2.17	2.12	2.12	.121	.017	.021	.002	1.04	1.01	.95	1.00	3,750	2,221	179,503	.378	.162	.177	.10	.17	.16
h. SEactivities	74	2.83	2.76	2.73	2.58	.110	.016	.020	.002	.94	.95	.92	1.00	3,746	2,215	179,217	.541	.372	.032	.07	.11	.25
i. SEevents	73	2.54	2.45	2.47	2.31	.114	.016	.020	.002	.97	.98	.92	.98	3,746	2,219	179,221	.452	.547	.044	.09	.07	.24
15 a. sbmyself	74	3.19	3.24	3.25	3.27	.089	.012	.016	.002	.76	.75	.74	.73	3,748	2,218	179,351	.616	.520	.358	-.06	-.08	-.11
b. sbvalued	73	2.90	2.96	2.92	2.92	.100	.014	.018	.002	.85	.86	.85	.85	3,745	2,216	179,225	.529	.832	.846	-.07	-.03	-.02
c. sbcommunity	74	2.92	3.00	2.99	2.94	.097	.014	.018	.002	.83	.83	.83	.84	3,754	2,220	179,403	.382	.429	.802	-.10	-.09	-.03
16 a. tmprephrs	74	15.55	15.29	15.56	15.67	1.059	.144	.187	.021	9.09	8.72	8.64	8.81	3,740	2,209	178,858	.797	.992	.908	.03	.00	-.01
b. tmcocurrhrs	74	5.57	6.31	7.50	4.96	.941	.133	.179	.017	8.08	8.04	8.28	7.25	3,732	2,206	178,543	.436	.049	.470	-.09	-.23	.08
c. tmworkonhrs	74	3.93	3.19	4.10	3.34	.939	.102	.136	.016	8.06	6.14	6.28	6.85	74	2,210	178,606	.434	.829	.455	.12	-.03	.09
d. tmworkoffhrs	74	9.58	12.13	8.65	12.99	1.498	.201	.246	.031	12.86	12.15	11.37	13.26	3,737	77	178,673	.075	.543	.027	-.21	.08	-.26
— tmworkhrs	74	13.52	15.28	12.73	16.30	1.551	.210	.257	.032	13.32	12.69	11.85	13.53	3,721	77	178,065	.237	.620	.077	-.14	.07	-.21
e. tmservicehrs	74	2.13	3.01	2.69	2.94	.491	.089	.107	.013	4.22	5.37	4.94	5.50	3,728	2,205	178,525	.162	.339	.205	-.16	-.11	-.15
f. tmrelaxhrs	74	10.56	10.82	11.46	11.11	.882	.126	.165	.019	7.57	7.65	7.65	8.21	3,730	2,212	178,520	.774	.321	.563	-.03	-.12	-.07
g. tmcarehrs	71	3.73	4.68	3.24	6.14	1.048	.155	.177	.026	8.84	9.39	8.18	11.04	3,726	2,203	70	.400	.621	.025	-.10	.06	-.22
h. tmcommutehrs	74	3.47	4.95	3.30	4.54	.489	.103	.111	.014	4.20	6.24	5.14	5.84	79	2,204	73	.004	.778	.031	-.24	.03	-.18
17 reading	74	2.60	2.80	2.73	2.76	.129	.019	.025	.003	1.11	1.14	1.15	1.17	3,719	2,194	177,930	.124	.329	.231	-.18	-.12	-.14
— tmreadinghrs	74	6.46	7.28	7.07	7.23	.702	.107	.134	.015	6.02	6.46	6.17	6.42	3,709	2,186	177,281	.282	.408	.303	-.13	-.10	-.12

NSSE 2023 Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons

Detailed Statistics^g Misericordia University

Seniors

Variable Name	N	Mean				Standard error ^h				Standard deviation ⁱ				Degrees of freedom ^j			Significance ^k			Effect size ^e		
	Misericordia	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Misericordia	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:			Comparisons with:		
														Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023	Catholic C&U	PA Private	NSSE 2022 & 2023
18 a. pgwrite	74	3.21	3.09	3.14	3.04	.094	.014	.017	.002	.81	.85	.80	.88	3,721	2,201	178,223	.218	.428	.087	.14	.09	.20
b. pgspeak	74	2.95	3.05	3.07	2.93	.103	.015	.018	.002	.89	.88	.84	.93	3,712	2,199	178,045	.333	.244	.850	-.11	-.14	.02
c. pgthink	74	3.50	3.35	3.38	3.30	.077	.013	.015	.002	.66	.76	.71	.79	3,720	2,201	178,070	.100	.174	.028	.19	.16	.26
d. pganalyze	73	2.81	2.85	2.88	2.93	.108	.016	.021	.002	.92	.96	.96	.96	3,719	2,200	178,036	.721	.541	.307	-.04	-.07	-.12
e. pgwork	74	3.17	3.04	3.01	2.96	.087	.015	.020	.002	.75	.93	.92	.95	77	2,203	73	.144	.153	.017	.14	.17	.23
f. pgothers	74	3.21	3.15	3.14	3.04	.093	.014	.018	.002	.80	.85	.83	.89	3,716	2,201	178,014	.552	.516	.112	.07	.08	.18
g. pgvalues	73	3.11	3.03	2.98	2.86	.099	.015	.020	.002	.84	.93	.91	.98	3,716	2,196	177,952	.465	.250	.033	.09	.14	.25
h. pgdiverse	74	2.90	2.99	2.95	2.90	.100	.015	.019	.002	.85	.92	.90	.96	3,712	2,199	177,966	.441	.685	.990	-.09	-.05	.00
i. pgprobsolve	73	2.91	2.93	2.93	2.88	.104	.016	.020	.002	.89	.94	.90	.95	3,715	2,199	178,083	.846	.849	.781	-.02	-.02	.03
j. pgcitizen	72	2.71	2.86	2.81	2.75	.116	.016	.020	.002	.99	.96	.93	.99	3,725	2,198	178,280	.197	.363	.746	-.15	-.11	-.04
19 evalexp	74	3.14	3.18	3.18	3.18	.086	.013	.017	.002	.74	.81	.77	.79	3,743	2,203	178,823	.723	.653	.661	-.04	-.05	-.05
20 sameinst	74	3.10	3.06	3.01	3.17	.080	.015	.019	.002	.69	.91	.89	.86	79	2,208	74	.624	.398	.334	.04	.10	-.09

IPEDS: 214069

Endnotes

- a. Column percentages are weighted by institution-reported sex and enrollment status (and institution size for comparison groups). Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding. Counts are unweighted; column percentages cannot be replicated from counts.
- b. All statistics are weighted by institution-reported sex and enrollment status (and institution size for comparison groups). Means calculated from ordered response options (e.g., Very often, Often, Sometimes, Never) assume equal intervals and should be interpreted with caution. Unless otherwise noted, statistical comparisons are two-tailed independent *t*-tests. Exceptions are the dichotomous High-Impact Practice items (11a to 11f) which are compared using a *z*-test.
- c. Items which make up the Engagement Indicators include the following two-letter prefixes: CL = Collaborative Learning, DD = Discussions with Diverse Others, ET = Effective Teaching Practices, HO = Higher-Order Learning, LS = Learning Strategies, QI = Quality of Interactions, QR = Quantitative Reasoning, RI = Reflective & Integrative Learning, SE = Supportive Environment, and SF = Student-Faculty Interaction.
- d. These are the values used to calculate means. For the majority of items, these values match the codes in the data file and codebook. For items estimating number of papers and hours per week, the values represent actual units using the midpoints of response option ranges and an estimate for unbounded options.
- e. Effect size for independent *t*-tests uses Cohen's *d*; *z*-tests use Cohen's *h*. See page 2 for more details.
- f. Statistical comparison uses *z*-test to compare the percentage who responded "Done or in progress" or "Yes."
- g. Statistics are weighted by institution-reported sex and enrollment status (and institution size for comparison groups).
- h. Standard error of the mean for ordered and continuous variables; standard error of the proportion for items indicating "Done or in progress" (High-Impact Practices). The 95% confidence interval is equal to the sample mean plus or minus 1.96 times the standard error of the mean.
- i. A measure of the amount individual scores deviate from the mean of all the scores in the distribution.
- j. Degrees of freedom used to compute the *t*-tests. Values differ from *N*s due to weighting and whether equal variances were assumed.
- k. Statistical comparisons are two-tailed independent *t*-tests or *z*-tests. Statistical significance represents the probability that the difference between your students' mean and that of the comparison group is due to chance.
- l. Mean represents the proportion who responded "Done or in progress" or "Yes."