Seniors

Working with faculty

34% | 26% talked about course ideas with faculty outside of class

35% | 27% checked in with faculty about their academic performance

79% | 70% had positive faculty interactions

28% | 21% worked with faculty outside of class

32% | 31% plan to do or have done research with faculty

Making connections

63% | 53% connected their learning to social issues

67% | 62% examined their own views on a topic

65% | 62% feel that their university helped them develop or clarify their values

74% | 63% combined ideas across courses to complete assignments

61% | 61% say their university impacted their ability to solve complex real-world problems

Engaging with diverse ideas

Students often converse with people who have different perspectives:

80% | 76% race or ethnicity

74% | 71% religious beliefs

80% | 73% economic background

72% | 66% political views

22% | 19% plan to or have studied abroad

78% | 75% had positive interactions with other students

65% | 64% feel that experiences at their university helped them understand people from other backgrounds

85% | 81% positively rate the educational experience at their university

82% | 81% would attend their university again if they could start over

Students spending more than 15 hours per week

8% | 7% participating in co-curricular activities

6% | 4% volunteering or doing community service

11% | 8% working on campus

45% | 49% working off campus

27% | 21% socializing and relaxing

32% | 43% preparing for class
Students say that their university helped them:

- **82%** think critically
- **74%** work effectively with others
- **69%** develop work-related knowledge and skills
- **62%** analyze numbers and statistics
- **72%** write clearly
- **70%** speak effectively

Applying knowledge practically:

- **76%** report their course work emphasized applying facts, theories or methods
- **43%** took time to prepare two or more drafts before turning in an assignment
- **77%** plan to do or have done an internship, field experience, student teaching or clinical placement
- **65%** plan to do or have done a senior experience

Getting involved:

- **58%** feel that their university helped them be an informed, active citizen
- **17%** attended an art exhibit, play, or other arts performance
- **32%** plan to be or have been part of a learning community
- **41%** plan to be or have been a leader in a student group

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