

Marshall University



About This Report

About Your Engagement Indicators Report

Engagement Indicators (EIs) provide a useful summary of the detailed information contained in your students' NSSE responses. By combining responses to related NSSE questions, each EI offers valuable information about a distinct aspect of student engagement. Ten indicators, based on three to eight survey questions each (a total of 47 survey questions), are organized into four broad themes as shown at right.

Theme	Engagement Indicator
	Higher-Order Learning
Academic Challenge	Reflective & Integrative Learning
	Learning Strategies
	Quantitative Reasoning
Lograing with Poors	Collaborative Learning
Learning with Peers	Discussions with Diverse Others
Experiences with Faculty	Student-Faculty Interaction
Experiences with rucuity	Effective Teaching Practices
Campus Environment	Quality of Interactions
Campus Environment	Supportive Environment

Report Sections

Overview (p. 3)

Displays how average EI scores for your first-year and senior students compare with those of students at your comparison group institutions.

Theme Reports (pp. 4-13)

Detailed views of EI scores within the four themes for your students and those at comparison group institutions. Three views offer varied insights into your EI scores:

Mean Comparisons

Straightforward comparisons of average scores between your students and those at comparison group institutions, with tests of significance and effect sizes (see below).

Score Distributions

Box-and-whisker charts show the variation in scores within your institution and comparison groups.

Performance on Indicator Items

Responses to each item in a given EI are summarized for your institution and comparison groups.

Comparisons with High-Performing Institutions (p. 15) Comparisons of your students' average scores on each EI with those of students at institutions whose average scores were in the top 50% and top 10% of 2015 and 2016 participating institutions.

Detailed Statistics (pp. 16-19)

Detailed information about EI score means, distributions, and tests of statistical significance.

Interpreting Comparisons

Mean comparisons report both statistical significance and effect size. Effect size indicates the practical importance of an observed difference. For EI comparisons, NSSE research has concluded that an effect size of about .1 may be considered small, .3 medium, and .5 large (Rocconi & Gonyea, 2015). Comparisons with an effect size of at least .3 in magnitude (before rounding) are highlighted in the Overview (p. 3).

Els vary more among students within an institution than between institutions, like many experiences and outcomes in higher education. As a result, focusing attention on average scores alone amounts to examining the tip of the iceberg. It's equally important to understand how student engagement varies within your institution. Score distributions indicate how El scores vary among your students and those in your comparison groups. The Report Builder—Institution Version and your *Major Field Report* (both to be released in the fall) offer valuable perspectives on internal variation and help you investigate your students' engagement in depth.

How Engagement Indicators are Computed

Each EI is scored on a 60-point scale. To produce an indicator score, the response set for each item is converted to a 60-point scale (e.g., Never = 0; Sometimes = 20; Often = 40; Very often = 60), and the rescaled items are averaged. Thus a score of zero means a student responded at the bottom of the scale for every item in the EI, while a score of 60 indicates responses at the top of the scale on every item.

For more information on EIs and their psychometric properties, refer to the NSSE website: nsse.indiana.edu

Rocconi, L., & Gonyea, R. M. (2015). Contextualizing student engagement effect sizes: An empirical analysis. Paper presented at the Association for Institutional Research Annual Forum, Denver, CO.



Overview Marshall University

Engagement Indicators: Overview

Engagement Indicator

Quality of Interactions

Supportive Environment

Engagement Indicators are summary measures based on sets of NSSE questions examining key dimensions of student engagement. The ten indicators are organized within four broad themes: Academic Challenge, Learning with Peers, Experiences with Faculty, and Campus Environment. The tables below compare average scores for your students with those in your comparison groups.

Your first-year students

compared with

Carnegie Peers

Your first-year students

compared with

Southeast Public

Your first-year students

compared with

NSSE 2015 & 2016

Use the following key:

First-Year Students

Theme

Campus Environment

- **Your students' average** was significantly higher (p < .05) with an effect size at least .3 in magnitude.
- \triangle Your students' average was significantly higher (p < .05) with an effect size less than .3 in magnitude.
- -- No significant difference.
- ∇ Your students' average was significantly lower (p < .05) with an effect size less than .3 in magnitude.
- **Vour students' average** was significantly lower (p < .05) with an effect size at least .3 in magnitude.

	Higher-Order Learning			
Academic	Reflective & Integrative Learning		Δ	
Challenge	Learning Strategies			
	Quantitative Reasoning	Δ	Δ	Δ
Learning with	Collaborative Learning			
Peers	Discussions with Diverse Others			∇
Experiences	Student-Faculty Interaction			
with Faculty	Effective Teaching Practices	∇	∇	
Campus	Quality of Interactions	∇	∇	∇
Environment	Supportive Environment	∇	∇	∇
eniors		Your seniors compared with	Your seniors compared with	Your seniors compared with
Theme	Engagement Indicator	Carnegie Peers	Southeast Public	NSSE 2015 & 2016
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	Quantitative Reasoning			
Learning with	Collaborative Learning			
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Experiences with Faculty	Student-Faculty Interaction Effective Teaching Practices	 ▽	 ▽	



Academic Challenge Marshall University

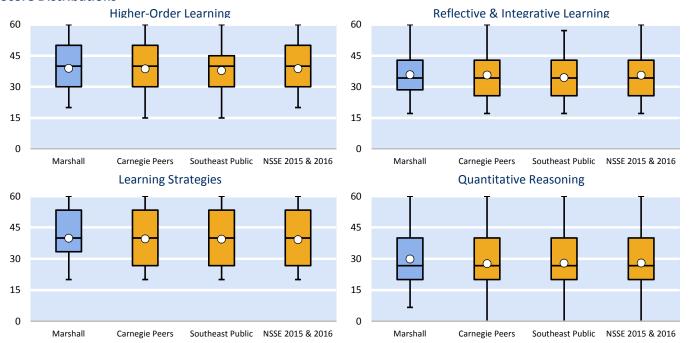
Academic Challenge: First-year students

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Mean Comparisons		Your first-year students compared with								
	Marshall	Carnegi	e Peers Effect	Southeas	st Public Effect	NSSE 201	5 & 2016 Effect			
Engagement Indicator	Mean	Mean	size	Mean	size	Mean	size			
Higher-Order Learning	38.9	38.7	.02	37.8	.08	38.8	.01			
Reflective & Integrative Learning	35.8	35.7	.01	34.5 *	.11	35.6	.02			
Learning Strategies	39.9	39.6	.02	39.4	.03	39.2	.05			
Quantitative Reasoning	29.9	27.6 **	.14	27.9 **	.13	28.0 **	.12			

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		Percentage point difference ^a between your FY students and				
Higher-Order Learning	Marshall	Carnegie Peers	Southeast Public	NSSE 2015 & 2016		
Percentage responding "Very much" or "Quite a bit" about how much coursework emphasized	%					
4b. Applying facts, theories, or methods to practical problems or new situations	70 71	-1	+2	-2		
4c. Analyzing an idea, experience, or line of reasoning in depth by examining its parts	68	-3	-0	-3		
4d. Evaluating a point of view, decision, or information source	72	+1	+3	+2		
4e. Forming a new idea or understanding from various pieces of information	70	+1	+3	+2		
Reflective & Integrative Learning						
Percentage of students who responded that they "Very often" or "Often"						
2a. Combined ideas from different courses when completing assignments	60	+6	+9	+6		
2b. Connected your learning to societal problems or issues	56	+2	+6	+2		
2c. Included diverse perspectives (political, religious, racial/ethnic, gender, etc.) in course discussions or assignments	56	+4	+8	+5		
2d. Examined the strengths and weaknesses of your own views on a topic or issue	66	+3	+5	+3		
2e. Tried to better understand someone else's views by imagining how an issue looks from his or her perspective	71	+2	+5	+3		
2f. Learned something that changed the way you understand an issue or concept	61	-5	-1	-5		
2g. Connected ideas from your courses to your prior experiences and knowledge	74	-3	+1	-2		
Learning Strategies						
Percentage of students who responded that they "Very often" or "Often"						
9a. Identified key information from reading assignments	77	-3	+0	-2		
9b. Reviewed your notes after class	72	+4	+2	+6		
9c. Summarized what you learned in class or from course materials	64	-1	-1	+0		
Quantitative Reasoning						
Percentage of students who responded that they "Very often" or "Often"						
6a. Reached conclusions based on your own analysis of numerical information (numbers, graphs, statistics, etc.)	56	+4	+4	+3		
6b. Used numerical information to examine a real-world problem or issue (unemployment, climate change, public health, etc.)	45	+5	+5	+5		
6c. Evaluated what others have concluded from numerical information	39	+2	+2	+1		

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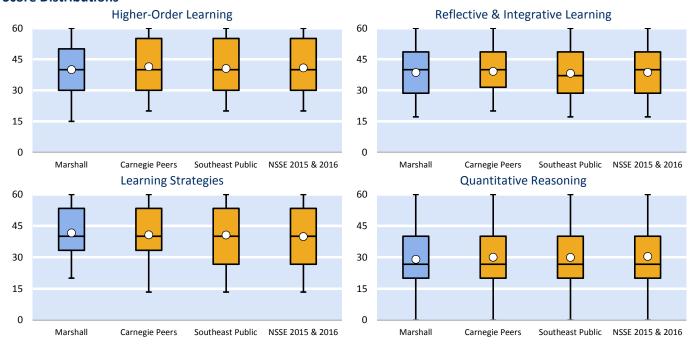
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Higher-Order Learning	40.0	41.4	10	40.5	04	40.9	06
Reflective & Integrative Learning	38.6	39.2	04	38.3	.02	38.7	01
Learning Strategies	41.6	40.7	.06	40.6	.07	39.9 *	.12
Quantitative Reasoning	29.0	30.0	06	29.9	06	30.3	08

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4b. Applying facts, theories, or methods to practical problems or new situations	% 76	-4	-3	-3			
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4c. Analyzing an idea, experience, or line of reasoning in depth by examining its parts	75	-3	-1	-2			
4d. Evaluating a point of view, decision, or information source	69	-5	-2	-3			
4e. Forming a new idea or understanding from various pieces of information	72	-2	+1	+0			
Reflective & Integrative Learning							
Percentage of students who responded that they "Very often" or "Often"							
2a. Combined ideas from different courses when completing assignments	69	-2	-1	-2			
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2g. Connected ideas from your courses to your prior experiences and knowledge	81	-3	-1	-2			
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Percentage of students who responded that they "Very often" or "Often"							
6a. Reached conclusions based on your own analysis of numerical information (numbers, graphs, statistics, etc.)	53	-2	-2	-3			
6b. Used numerical information to examine a real-world problem or issue (unemployment, climate change, public health, etc.)	43	-3	-2	-3			
6c. Evaluated what others have concluded from numerical information	42	-2	-1	-3			

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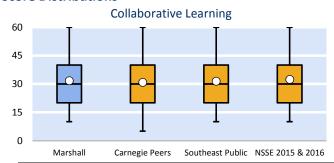
Learning with Peers: First-year students

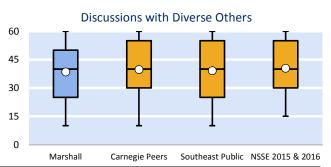
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				Sout	heast	NSSE 201			
Collaborative Learning	Marshall	Carneg	ie Peers	Pu	Public		Public		16
Percentage of students who responded that they "Very often" or "Often"	%								
1e. Asked another student to help you understand course material	51	+3		+0	l		-0		
1f. Explained course material to one or more students	54		-0		-2	l l	-3		
1g. Prepared for exams by discussing or working through course material with other students	46		-0	(-1		-4		
1h. Worked with other students on course projects or assignments	51	+1)	+1	1	- (-2		
Discussions with Diverse Others									
Percentage of students who responded that they "Very often" or "Often" had discussions with									
8a. People from a race or ethnicity other than your own	62		-8		-5		-10		
8b. People from an economic background other than your own	66		-5		-4		-6		
8c. People with religious beliefs other than your own	64		-3		-2		-4		
8d. People with political views other than your own	72	+5		+4		+4			

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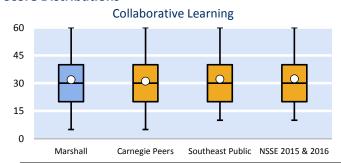
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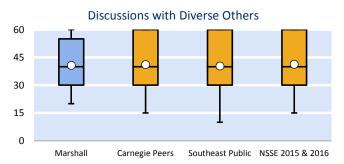
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Collaborative Learning	Marshall	Carneg	ie Peers	e Peers Public		2016	
Percentage of students who responded that they "Very often" or "Often"	%						
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1f. Explained course material to one or more students	58	+2	1		-0	-1	
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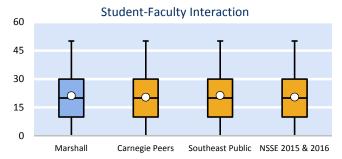
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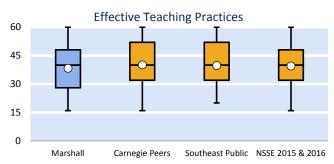
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Student-Faculty Interaction	Marshall	Carnegi	e Peers	Pu	blic	20	016	
Percentage of students who responded that they "Very often" or "Often"	%							
3a. Talked about career plans with a faculty member	37	+3		+1)	+4)	
3b. Worked w/faculty on activities other than coursework (committees, student groups, etc.)	23	+3		+3)	+3	1	
3c. Discussed course topics, ideas, or concepts with a faculty member outside of class	26	+1		+1)	+1)	
3d. Discussed your academic performance with a faculty member	33	+3		+1)	+4		
Effective Teaching Practices								
Percentage responding "Very much" or "Quite a bit" about how much instructors have								
5a. Clearly explained course goals and requirements	74		-6		-5	(-5	
5b. Taught course sessions in an organized way	72		-6		-5		-5	
5c. Used examples or illustrations to explain difficult points	73	(-2		-2		-2	
5d. Provided feedback on a draft or work in progress	71	+4		+4		+6		
5e. Provided prompt and detailed feedback on tests or completed assignments	57		-7		-6	(-4	

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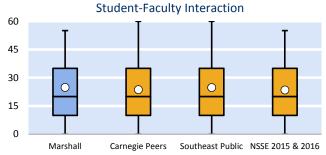
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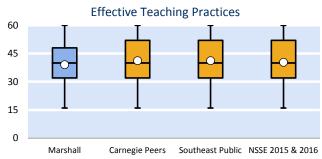
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3d. Discussed your academic performance with a faculty member	37	+2		+0		+4	
Effective Teaching Practices							
Percentage responding "Very much" or "Quite a bit" about how much instructors have							
5a. Clearly explained course goals and requirements	78		-5		-4		-4
5b. Taught course sessions in an organized way	76		-4		-4		-4
5c. Used examples or illustrations to explain difficult points	77		-2		-2		-1
5d. Provided feedback on a draft or work in progress	62		-2		-3	+1	j
5e. Provided prompt and detailed feedback on tests or completed assignments	60		-8		-9		-6

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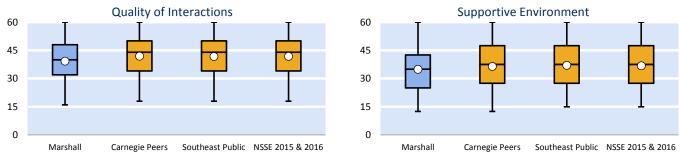
Campus Environment: First-year students

Students benefit and are more satisfied in supportive settings that cultivate positive relationships among students, faculty, and staff. Two Engagement Indicators investigate this theme: *Quality of Interactions* and *Supportive Environment*. Below are three views of your results alongside those of your comparison groups.

Mean Comparisons		You	ur first-year students compared w	ith
	Marshall	Carnegie Peers	Southeast Public	NSSE 2015 & 2016
		Effect	Effect	Effect
Engagement Indicator	Mean	Mean size	Mean size	Mean size
Quality of Interactions	39.2	41.9 ***21	41.8 ***20	41.8 ***21
Supportive Environment	34.9	36.4 *11	37.0 **15	36.8 **14

Notes: Results weighted by institution-reported sex and enrollment status (and institution size for comparison groups); Effect size: Mean difference divided by pooled standard deviation; Symbols on the Overview page are based on effect size and p before rounding; *p < .05, **p < .01, ***p < .001 (2-tailed).

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Performance on Indicator Items

The table below displays how your students responded to each EI item, and the difference, in percentage points, between your students and those of your comparison group. Blue bars indicate how much **higher** your institution's percentage is from that of the comparison group. Orange bars indicate how much **lower** your institution's percentage is from that of the comparison group.

		Percentage point	en your FY students and	
			Southeast	NSSE 2015 &
Quality of Interactions	Marshall	Carnegie Peers	Public	2016
Percentage rating their interactions a 6 or 7 (on a scale from I="Poor" to 7="Excellent") with	%			
13a. Students	42	-13	-10	-13
13b. Academic advisors	37	-13	-14	-13
13c. Faculty	43	-8	-7	-7
13d. Student services staff (career services, student activities, housing, etc.)	43	-2	-3	-1
13e. Other administrative staff and offices (registrar, financial aid, etc.)	37	-7	-8	-6
Supportive Environment		·		
Percentage responding "Very much" or "Quite a bit" about how much the institution emphasized				
14b. Providing support to help students succeed academically	68	-8	-9	-9
14c. Using learning support services (tutoring services, writing center, etc.)	74	-3	-4	-3
14d. Encouraging contact among students from diff. backgrounds (soc., racial/eth., relig., etc.)	62	+1	+2	+1
14e. Providing opportunities to be involved socially	70	-0	-1	-1
14f. Providing support for your overall well-being (recreation, health care, counseling, etc.)	69	+1	-1	-1
14g. Helping you manage your non-academic responsibilities (work, family, etc.)	41	-3	-2	-3
14h. Attending campus activities and events (performing arts, athletic events, etc.)	65	+1	-2	-1
14i. Attending events that address important social, economic, or political issues	43	-8	-9	-9

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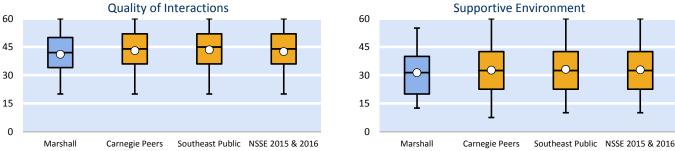
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Mean Comparisons			Your seniors compared with	
	Marshall	Carnegie Peers	Southeast Public	NSSE 2015 & 2016
		Effect	Effect	Effect
Engagement Indicator	Mean	Mean size	Mean size	Mean size
Quality of Interactions	41.1	43.1 **16	43.5 ***20	42.6 *12
Supportive Environment	31.3	32.7 *09	33.2 **13	32.9 *11

Notes: Results weighted by institution-reported sex and enrollment status (and institution size for comparison groups); Effect size: Mean difference divided by pooled standard deviation; Symbols on the Overview page are based on effect size and p before rounding; *p < .05, **p < .01, ***p < .001 (2-tailed).

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		Perc	entage poin	t difference	a between	your seniors	and
				Sout	heast	NSSE	2015 &
Quality of Interactions	Marshall	Carneg	ie Peers	Pu	ıblic	20)16
Percentage rating their interactions a 6 or 7 (on a scale from 1="Poor" to 7="Excellent") with	%						
13a. Students	57		-5		-3		-4
13b. Academic advisors	38		-16		-18		-14
13c. Faculty	56		-6		-6		-3
13d. Student services staff (career services, student activities, housing, etc.)	42		-2		-2		-0
13e. Other administrative staff and offices (registrar, financial aid, etc.)	39		-6		-7		-3
Supportive Environment							
Percentage responding "Very much" or "Quite a bit" about how much the institution emphasized							
14b. Providing support to help students succeed academically	67		-5		-5		-5
14c. Using learning support services (tutoring services, writing center, etc.)	61		-7		-6		-6
14d. Encouraging contact among students from diff. backgrounds (soc., racial/eth., relig., etc.)	48		-6		-4		-5
14e. Providing opportunities to be involved socially	67	+3)	+2	1	+2	1
14f. Providing support for your overall well-being (recreation, health care, counseling, etc.)	58		-2		-3		-3
14g. Helping you manage your non-academic responsibilities (work, family, etc.)	23		-10		-10		-9
14h. Attending campus activities and events (performing arts, athletic events, etc.)	61	+9		+5		+5	
14i. Attending events that address important social, economic, or political issues	38		-6		-7		-7

a. Percentage point difference = Institution percentage - Comparison group percentage. Because results are rounded to whole numbers, differences of less than 1 point may or may not display a bar. Small, but nonzero differences may be represented as +0 or -0.

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Comparisons with High-Performing Institutions Marshall University

Comparisons with Top 50% and Top 10% Institutions

While NSSE's policy is not to rank institutions (see nsse.indiana.edu/html/position_policies.cfm), the results below are designed to compare the engagement of your students with those attending two groups of institutions identified by NSSE^a for their high average levels of student engagement:

- (a) institutions with average scores placing them in the top 50% of all 2015 and 2016 NSSE institutions, and
- (b) institutions with average scores placing them in the top 10% of all 2015 and 2016 NSSE institutions.

While the average scores for most institutions are below the mean for the top 50% or top 10%, your institution may show areas of distinction where your average student was as engaged as (or even more engaged than) the typical student at high-performing institutions. A check mark (\checkmark) signifies those comparisons where your average score was at least comparable to that of the high-performing group. However, the presence of a check mark does not necessarily mean that your institution was a member of that group.

It should be noted that most of the variability in student engagement is within, not between, institutions. Even "high-performing" institutions have students with engagement levels below the average for all institutions.

irst-Year	Students			Your first-year stude	ents compared with	1	
		Marshall	NSSE T	op 50%	NSSE T	op 10%	
Theme	Engagement Indicator	Mean	Mean	Effect size 🗸	Mean	Effect size	
	Higher-Order Learning	38.9	40.5 *	12	42.7 ***	27	
Academic	Reflective and Integrative Learning	35.8	37.4 **	13	39.5 ***	29	
Challenge	Learning Strategies	39.9	41.2	09 ✓	43.7 ***	27	
	Quantitative Reasoning	29.9	29.4	.03 ✓	31.3	08	√
Learning	Collaborative Learning	31.6	35.2 ***	26	37.3 ***	42	
with Peers	Discussions with Diverse Others	38.4	42.7 ***	28	44.3 ***	39	
Experiences	Student-Faculty Interaction	21.2	23.8 ***	18	26.9 ***	36	
with Faculty	Effective Teaching Practices	38.3	41.6 ***	24	43.8 ***	41	
Campus	Quality of Interactions	39.2	44.1 ***	41	45.9 ***	55	
Environment	Supportive Environment	34.9	39.2 ***	32	40.9 ***	45	

Seniors	theme Engagement Indicator Higher-Order Learning Reflective and Integrative Learning Learning Strategies Quantitative Reasoning Collaborative Learning pith Peers Discussions with Diverse Others Engagement Indicator Higher-Order Learning Learning Learning Strategies Quantitative Reasoning Student-Faculty Interaction		Your seniors compared with								
		Marshall	NSSE 7	Гор 50%	NSSE Top 10%						
Theme	Engagement Indicator	Mean	Mean	Effect size ✓	Mean	Effect size ✓					
	Higher-Order Learning	40.0	43.1 ***	23	44.7 ***	34					
Academic	Reflective and Integrative Learning	38.6	41.0 ***	19	42.9 ***	34					
Challenge	Learning Strategies	41.6	42.2	04 ✓	44.5 ***	20					
	Quantitative Reasoning	29.0	31.8 **	16	33.2 ***	25					
Learning	Collaborative Learning	31.9	35.8 ***	28	37.9 ***	44					
with Peers	Discussions with Diverse Others	40.7	43.3 **	17	45.1 ***	28					
Experiences	Student-Faculty Interaction	24.8	29.6 ***	29	33.0 ***	50					
with Faculty	' Effective Teaching Practices	39.0	42.7 ***	27	44.5 ***	41					
Campus	Quality of Interactions	41.1	45.3 ***	37	46.9 ***	49					
Environmen	^t Supportive Environment	31.3	35.7 ***	32	38.1 ***	49					

Notes: Results weighted by institution-reported sex and enrollment status (and institution size for comparison groups); Effect size: Mean difference divided by the pooled standard deviation; *p < .05, **p < .01, ***p < .01, ***p < .001 (2-tailed).

a. Precision-weighted means (produced by Hierarchical Linear Modeling) were used to determine the top 50% and top 10% institutions for each Engagement Indicator from all NSSE 2015 and 2016 institutions, separately for first-year and senior students. Using this method, Engagement Indicator scores of institutions with relatively large standard errors were adjusted toward the mean of all students, while those with smaller standard errors received smaller corrections. As a result, schools with less stable data—even those with high average scores—may not be among the top scorers. NSSE does not publish the names of the top 50% and top 10% institutions because of our commitment not to release institutional results and our policy against ranking institutions.

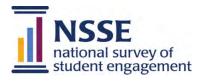
b. Check marks are assigned to comparisons that are either significant and positive, or non-significant with an effect size > -.10.



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Detailed	Statistics:	First-Year	Students
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<u>.</u>	Mea	n statist	ics	Percentile ^d scores			ores			mparison	results		
	Mean	SD ^b	SEM ^c	5th	25th	50th	75th	95th	Deg. of freedom ^e	Mean diff.	Sig. ^f	Effect size ^g	
Academic Challenge	Weum	30	JLIVI	501	25111	30111	7501	9501	jiccuom	uijj.	Sig.	3120	
Higher-Order Learning													
Marshall (N = 447)	38.9	13.3	.63	20	30	40	50	60					
Carnegie Peers	38.7	13.8	.05	15	30	40	50	60	72,119	.2	.748	.015	
Southeast Public	37.8	13.8	.13	15	30	40	45	60	12,255	1.1	.096	.080	
NSSE 2015 & 2016	38.8	13.7	.03	20	30	40	50	60	265,391	.2	.778	.013	
Top 50%	40.5	13.6	.04	20	30	40	50	60	124,251	-1.6	.014	116	
Top 10%	42.7	13.7	.08	20	35	40	55	60	26,898	-3.7	.000	273	
Reflective & Integrative Learnin	g												
Marshall $(N = 456)$	35.8	11.9	.56	17	29	34	43	60					
Carnegie Peers	35.7	12.6	.05	17	26	34	43	60	75,512	.2	.787	.013	
Southeast Public	34.5	12.5	.11	17	26	34	43	57	12,786	1.3	.026	.106	
NSSE 2015 & 2016	35.6	12.5	.02	17	26	34	43	60	277,575	.2	.714	.017	
Top 50%	37.4	12.5	.03	17	29	37	46	60	130,622	-1.6	.008	125	
Top 10%	39.5	12.8	.08	20	31	40	49	60	475	-3.7	.000	290	
Learning Strategies													
Marshall ($N = 424$)	39.9	13.5	.66	20	33	40	53	60					
Carnegie Peers	39.6	14.2	.06	20	27	40	53	60	66,139	.3	.649	.022	
Southeast Public	39.4	14.1	.14	20	27	40	53	60	11,240	.5	.513	.032	
NSSE 2015 & 2016	39.2	14.1	.03	20	27	40	53	60	242,858	.7	.303	.050	
Top 50%	41.2	14.1	.04	20	33	40	53	60	427	-1.3	.050	091	
Top 10%	43.7	14.3	.09	20	33	47	60	60	437	-3.9	.000	272	
Quantitative Reasoning													
Marshall $(N = 452)$	29.9	15.2	.71	7	20	27	40	60					
Carnegie Peers	27.6	16.3	.06	0	20	27	40	60	457	2.3	.002	.139	
Southeast Public	27.9	16.1	.15	0	20	27	40	60	12,361	2.0	.008	.126	
NSSE 2015 & 2016	28.0	16.2	.03	0	20	27	40	60	453	1.9	.008	.118	
Top 50%	29.4	16.1	.04	0	20	27	40	60	454	.5	.516	.029	
Top 10%	31.3	16.2	.08	0	20	33	40	60	464	-1.4	.058	084	
Learning with Peers													
Collaborative Learning													
Marshall $(N = 463)$	31.6	14.4	.67	10	20	30	40	60					
Carnegie Peers	30.8	14.9	.05	5	20	30	40	60	77,879	.9	.211	.058	
Southeast Public	31.4	14.1	.13	10	20	30	40	60	13,110	.2	.760	.014	
NSSE 2015 & 2016	32.3	14.5	.03	10	20	30	40	60	287,323	7	.313	047	
Top 50%	35.2	13.8	.04	15	25	35	45	60	143,398	-3.6	.000	261	
Top 10%	37.3	13.6	.08	15	25	40	45	60	30,574	-5.7	.000	418	
Discussions with Diverse Others	<u> </u>												
Marshall $(N = 427)$	38.4	16.2	.79	10	25	40	50	60					
Carnegie Peers	39.7	16.3	.06	10	30	40	55	60	67,017	-1.2	.115	077	
Southeast Public	39.1	15.9	.15	10	25	40	55	60	11,400	6	.426	039	
NSSE 2015 & 2016	40.4	16.0	.03	15	30	40	55	60	245,949	-1.9	.012	121	
Top 50%	42.7	15.2	.04	20	35	40	60	60	127,830	-4.2	.000	277	
Top 10%	44.3	15.1	.08	20	35	45	60	60	39,746	-5.9	.000	389	
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Detailed Statistics: First-Year Students

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	Mea	n statist	ics		Perce	ntile ^d sco	ores		Co	mparison	results				
									Deg. of	Mean		Effect			
	Mean	SD ^b	SEM ^c	5th	25th	50th	75th	95th	freedom ^e	diff.	Sig. ^f	size ^g			
Experiences with Faculty															
Student-Faculty Interaction															
Marshall $(N = 449)$	21.2	14.8	.70	0	10	20	30	50							
Carnegie Peers	20.4	14.8	.05	0	10	20	30	50	73,645	.7	.288	.050			
Southeast Public	21.4	14.6	.13	0	10	20	30	50	12,505	2	.801	012			
NSSE 2015 & 2016	20.5	14.7	.03	0	10	20	30	50	271,009	.7	.318	.047			
Top 50%	23.8	15.0	.05	0	15	20	35	55	88,095	-2.6	.000	175			
Top 10%	26.9	16.0	.13	5	15	25	40	60	481	-5.7	.000	358			
Effective Teaching Practices															
Marshall $(N = 453)$	38.3	13.2	.62	16	28	40	48	60							
Carnegie Peers	40.1	13.5	.05	16	32	40	52	60	73,814	-1.8	.005	132			
Southeast Public	39.7	13.3	.12	20	32	40	52	60	12,528	-1.4	.026	106			
NSSE 2015 & 2016	39.4	13.4	.03	16	32	40	48	60	271,617	-1.2	.064	087			
Top 50%	41.6	13.4	.04	20	32	40	52	60	110,361	-3.3	.000	244			
Top 10%	43.8	13.5	.09	20	36	44	56	60	23,390	-5.5	.000	410			
Campus Environment															
Quality of Interactions															
Marshall $(N = 416)$	39.2	12.3	.61	16	32	40	48	60							
Carnegie Peers	41.9	12.8	.05	18	34	44	50	60	63,556	-2.6	.000	207			
Southeast Public	41.8	12.8	.12	18	34	44	50	60	10,863	-2.5	.000	200			
NSSE 2015 & 2016	41.8	12.5	.03	18	34	44	50	60	233,597	-2.6	.000	205			
Top 50%	44.1	11.8	.04	22	38	46	52	60	92,731	-4.8	.000	411			
Top 10%	45.9	12.1	.09	22	40	48	56	60	20,060	-6.6	.000	548			
Supportive Environment															
Marshall $(N = 405)$	34.9	14.1	.70	13	25	35	43	60							
Carnegie Peers	36.4	14.2	.06	13	28	38	48	60	61,618	-1.5	.032	107			
Southeast Public	37.0	13.9	.14	15	28	38	48	60	10,490	-2.1	.003	152			
NSSE 2015 & 2016	36.8	13.9	.03	15	28	38	48	60	226,635	-1.9	.005	139			
Top 50%	39.2	13.3	.04	18	30	40	50	60	106,184	-4.3	.000	320			
Top 10%	40.9	13.3	.08	20	33	40	53	60	26,748	-5.9	.000	448			

a. Results weighted by institution-reported sex and enrollment status (and institutional size for comparison groups).

b. Standard deviation is a measure of the amount the individual scores deviate from the mean of all the scores in the distribution.

c. Standard error of the mean, used to compute a confidence interval (CI) around the sample mean. For example, the 95% CI (equal to the sample mean \pm 1.96 x SEM) is the range that is 95% likely to contain the true population mean.

d. A percentile is the point in the distribution of student-level EI scores at or below which a given percentage of EI scores fall.

e. Degrees of freedom used to compute the t-tests. Values vary from the total Ns due to weighting and whether equal variances were assumed.

f. Statistical significance represents the probability that the difference between the mean of your institution and that of the comparison group occurred by chance.

g. Effect size is the mean difference divided by the pooled standard deviation.



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Detailed Statistics: Seniors

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Carnegie Peers 39.2 13. Southeast Public 38.3 13.	.0	.64									
Southeast Public 38.3 13.			17	29	40	49	60				
	.1	.05	20	31	40	49	60	72,932	6	.368	045
NSSF 2015 & 2016 39.7 12	-	.12	17	29	37	49	60	11,820	.3	.632	.024
1100L 2010 & 2010 50.7 13.	.0	.03	17	29	40	49	60	262,829	1	.854	009
Top 50% 41.0 12.	.7	.04	20	31	40	51	60	95,307	-2.4	.000	189
Top 10% 42.9 12.	.5	.08	20	34	43	54	60	24,182	-4.3	.000	343
Learning Strategies											
Marshall $(N = 376)$ 41.6 13.	.6	.70	20	33	40	53	60				
Carnegie Peers 40.7 14.	.7	.06	13	33	40	53	60	65,774	.9	.221	.063
Southeast Public 40.6 14.	.9	.15	13	27	40	53	60	409	1.0	.147	.070
NSSE 2015 & 2016 39.9 14.	.8	.03	13	27	40	53	60	236,671	1.8	.020	.120
Top 50% 42.2 14.	.5	.04	20	33	40	60	60	378	6	.392	042
Top 10% 44.5 14.	.2	.08	20	33	47	60	60	386	-2.8	.000	199
Quantitative Reasoning											-
Marshall $(N = 399)$ 29.0 16.	.7	.84	0	20	27	40	60				
Carnegie Peers 30.0 17.	.1	.06	0	20	27	40	60	71,096	-1.0	.236	059
Southeast Public 29.9 17.	.0	.16	0	20	27	40	60	11,578	-1.0	.273	056
NSSE 2015 & 2016 30.3 17.	.0	.03	0	20	27	40	60	256,479	-1.3	.115	079
Top 50% 31.8 16.	.9	.04	0	20	33	40	60	143,276	-2.8	.001	164
Top 10% 33.2 16.	.8	.08	0	20	33	47	60	39,770	-4.2	.000	251
Learning with Peers											
Collaborative Learning											
Marshall $(N = 412)$ 31.9 14.	.8	.73	5	20	30	40	60				
Carnegie Peers 31.1 15.	.3	.06	5	20	30	40	60	74,501	.8	.312	.050
Southeast Public 32.2 14.	.9	.14	10	20	30	40	60	12,052	3	.664	022
NSSE 2015 & 2016 32.4 14.	.9	.03	10	20	30	40	60	269,168	5	.457	037
Top 50% 35.8 13.	.9	.04	15	25	35	45	60	121,919	-3.9	.000	280
Top 10% 37.9 13.	.7	.08	15	30	40	50	60	27,544	-6.0	.000	437
Discussions with Diverse Others											
Marshall (N = 379) 40.7 15.		.80	20	30	40	55	60				
Carnegie Peers 41.1 16.		.06	15	30	40	60	60	66,365	4	.601	027
Southeast Public 40.4 16.		.16	10	30	40	60	60	10,849	.3	.713	.019
NSSE 2015 & 2016 41.3 16.		.03	15	30	40	60	60	238,803	7	.421	041
Top 50% 43.3 15.		.04	15	35	45	60	60	134,747	-2.6	.001	166
Top 10% 45.1 15.	.8	.08	20	35	50	60	60	39,411	-4.4	.000	279



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Detailed Statistics: Seniors

	Mea	n statist	ics	Percentile ^d scores					Comparison results			
									Deg. of	Mean		Effect
	Mean	SD ^b	SEM ^c	5th	25th	50th	75th	95th	freedom ^e	diff.	Sig. ^f	size ^g
Experiences with Faculty												
Student-Faculty Interaction												
Marshall $(N = 401)$	24.8	16.6	.83	0	10	20	35	55				
Carnegie Peers	23.6	16.6	.06	0	10	20	35	60	71,347	1.2	.156	.071
Southeast Public	24.8	16.7	.16	0	10	20	35	60	11,554	.1	.948	.003
NSSE 2015 & 2016	23.5	16.3	.03	0	10	20	35	55	257,055	1.3	.100	.082
Top 50%	29.6	16.1	.07	5	20	30	40	60	55,172	-4.7	.000	294
Top 10%	33.0	16.3	.17	5	20	30	45	60	9,403	-8.2	.000	503
Effective Teaching Practices												
Marshall $(N = 399)$	39.0	13.9	.70	16	32	40	48	60				
Carnegie Peers	41.1	14.0	.05	16	32	40	52	60	71,888	-2.1	.003	152
Southeast Public	41.2	14.1	.13	16	32	40	52	60	11,687	-2.2	.003	153
NSSE 2015 & 2016	40.3	13.9	.03	16	32	40	52	60	258,964	-1.3	.063	093
Top 50%	42.7	13.7	.05	20	32	44	56	60	82,463	-3.7	.000	270
Top 10%	44.5	13.4	.10	20	36	44	56	60	19,161	-5.5	.000	409
Campus Environment												
Quality of Interactions												
Marshall $(N = 363)$	41.1	11.5	.60	20	34	42	50	60				
Carnegie Peers	43.1	12.2	.05	20	36	44	52	60	62,995	-2.0	.002	163
Southeast Public	43.5	11.9	.12	20	36	45	52	60	10,265	-2.4	.000	200
NSSE 2015 & 2016	42.6	12.0	.03	20	36	44	52	60	226,781	-1.5	.021	121
Top 50%	45.3	11.5	.04	24	40	48	54	60	77,562	-4.2	.000	366
Top 10%	46.9	11.9	.08	24	40	50	56	60	24,828	-5.8	.000	486
Supportive Environment												
Marshall $(N = 359)$	31.3	12.9	.68	13	20	31	40	55				
Carnegie Peers	32.7	14.7	.06	8	23	33	43	60	363	-1.4	.050	092
Southeast Public	33.2	14.7	.15	10	23	33	43	60	392	-1.8	.008	127
NSSE 2015 & 2016	32.9	14.4	.03	10	23	33	43	60	359	-1.6	.021	110
Top 50%	35.7	13.9	.05	13	25	35	45	60	83,867	-4.4	.000	315
Top 10%	38.1	13.9	.11	15	28	40	48	60	16,946	-6.7	.000	487

 $a. \ Results \ weighted \ by \ institution-reported \ sex \ and \ enrollment \ status \ (and \ institutional \ size \ for \ comparison \ groups).$

b. Standard deviation is a measure of the amount the individual scores deviate from the mean of all the scores in the distribution.

c. Standard error of the mean, used to compute a confidence interval (CI) around the sample mean. For example, the 95% CI (equal to the sample mean \pm 1.96 x SEM) is the range that is 95% likely to contain the true population mean.

d. A percentile is the point in the distribution of student-level EI scores at or below which a given percentage of EI scores fall.

e. Degrees of freedom used to compute the t-tests. Values vary from the total Ns due to weighting and whether equal variances were assumed.

f. Statistical significance represents the probability that the difference between the mean of your institution and that of the comparison group occurred by chance.

g. Effect size is the mean difference divided by the pooled standard deviation.