Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort*
[Weighted]

|  | Your College | Small Colleges |  | 2016 Cohort |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Benchmark | Score | Score | Difference | Score | Difference |
| Active and Collaborative Learning | 49.3 | 51.5 | -2.2 | 50.0 | -0.7 |
| Student Effort | 46.7 | 51.0 | -4.3 | 50.0 | -3.3 |
| Academic Challenge | 46.4 | 50.3 | -3.9 | 50.0 | -3.6 |
| Student-Faculty Interaction | 52.2 | 52.7 | -0.5 | 50.0 | 2.2 |
| Support for Learners | 46.2 | 52.0 | -5.8 | 50.0 | -3.8 |

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# Community College Survey of Student Engagement 

 Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration)2016 Benchmark Bar Chart - Main Survey
Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort ${ }^{\star}$
[Weighted]
Active and Collaborative Learning (ACTCOLL)


* The comparison group and cohort bars on this page INCLUDE your college.

Community College Survey of Student Engagement - Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration) 2016 Benchmark Means Report - Main Survey
Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort*
[Weighted]
Active and Collaborative Learning (ACTCOLL)

|  |  | Your College | Small Colleges |  | 2016 Cohort |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Item | Variable | Mean | Mean | Effect Size** | Mean | Effect Size** |
| Item 4: In your experiences at this college during the current school year, about how often have you done each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 = Never, 2 = Sometimes, 3 = Often, 4 = Very often |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4a. Asked questions in class or contributed to class discussions [ACTCOLL] | CLQUEST | 3.03 | 2.99 |  | 2.92 |  |
| 4b. Made a class presentation [ACTCOLL] | CLPRESEN | 2.11 | 2.17 |  | 2.17 |  |
| 4f. Worked with other students on projects during class [ACTCOLL] | CLASSGRP | 2.64 | 2.58 |  | 2.56 |  |
| 4 g . Worked with classmates outside of class to prepare class assignments [ACTCOLL] | OCCGRP | 1.87 | 2.00 |  | 1.96 |  |
| 4h. Tutored or taught other students (paid or voluntary) [ACTCOLL] | TUTOR | 1.33 | 1.41 |  | 1.39 |  |
| 4i. Participated in a community-based project as a part of a regular course [ACTCOLL] | COMMPROJ | 1.33 | 1.40 |  | 1.36 |  |
| 4r. Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with others outside of class (students, family members, co-workers, etc.) [ACTCOLL] | OOCIDEAS | 2.51 | 2.56 |  | 2.54 |  |

* The comparison group and cohort columns on this page EXCLUDE your college.
** T-test: 2-tailed


# Community College Survey of Student Engagement - Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration) 2016 Benchmark Frequency Distributions - Main Survey 

Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort*
[Weighted]
Active and Collaborative Learning (ACTCOLL)

|  |  |  | Your College |  | Small Colleges |  | 2016 Cohort |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Item | Variable | Responses | Count | Percent | Count | Percent | Count | Percent |
| Item 4: In your experiences at this college during the current school year, about how often have you done each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4a. Asked questions in class or contributed to class discussions [ACTCOLL] | CLQUEST | Never | 5 | 1.1 | 2,833 | 2.1 | 11,782 | 2.7 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 115 | 27.7 | 39,271 | 28.9 | 139,625 | 32.2 |
|  |  | Often | 157 | 37.7 | 50,259 | 37.0 | 153,449 | 35.4 |
|  |  | Very often | 139 | 33.4 | 43,466 | 32.0 | 128,375 | 29.6 |
|  |  | Total | 416 | 100.0 | 135,829 | 100.0 | 433,231 | 100.0 |
| 4b. Made a class presentation [ACTCOLL] | CLPRESEN | Never | 99 | 23.9 | 35,664 | 26.4 | 113,478 | 26.3 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 203 | 48.9 | 54,851 | 40.5 | 175,854 | 40.7 |
|  |  | Often | 80 | 19.3 | 30,903 | 22.8 | 98,792 | 22.9 |
|  |  | Very often | 33 | 7.9 | 13,919 | 10.3 | 43,518 | 10.1 |
|  |  | Total | 415 | 100.0 | 135,338 | 100.0 | 431,642 | 100.0 |
| 4f. Worked with other students on projects during class [ACTCOLL] | CLASSGRP | Never | 43 | 10.6 | 15,112 | 11.2 | 50,533 | 11.8 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 132 | 32.4 | 49,530 | 36.8 | 160,586 | 37.4 |
|  |  | Often | 161 | 39.4 | 46,590 | 34.6 | 145,659 | 34.0 |
|  |  | Very often | 72 | 17.5 | 23,262 | 17.3 | 72,034 | 16.8 |
|  |  | Total | 409 | 100.0 | 134,495 | 100.0 | 428,812 | 100.0 |
| 4 g . Worked with classmates outside of class to prepare class assignments [ACTCOLL] | OCCGRP | Never | 177 | 42.8 | 47,871 | 35.5 | 158,876 | 36.9 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 138 | 33.4 | 50,439 | 37.4 | 161,950 | 37.7 |
|  |  | Often | 74 | 17.9 | 25,026 | 18.6 | 75,235 | 17.5 |
|  |  | Very often | 24 | 5.9 | 11,484 | 8.5 | 33,955 | 7.9 |
|  |  | Total | 413 | 100.0 | 134,820 | 100.0 | 430,016 | 100.0 |
| 4h. Tutored or taught other students (paid or voluntary) [ACTCOLL] | TUTOR | Never | 310 | 74.5 | 96,030 | 71.1 | 310,869 | 72.1 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 83 | 20.0 | 26,791 | 19.8 | 82,885 | 19.2 |
|  |  | Often | 16 | 3.8 | 8,033 | 5.9 | 24,279 | 5.6 |
|  |  | Very often | 7 | 1.7 | 4,277 | 3.2 | 12,869 | 3.0 |
|  |  | Total | 416 | 100.0 | 135,132 | 100.0 | 430,903 | 100.0 |
| 4i. Participated in a community-based project as a part of a regular course [ACTCOLL] | COMMPROJ | Never | 312 | 75.0 | 96,972 | 72.1 | 318,637 | 74.3 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 74 | 17.9 | 25,728 | 19.1 | 76,187 | 17.8 |
|  |  | Often | 24 | 5.8 | 8,111 | 6.0 | 23,561 | 5.5 |
|  |  | Very often | 5 | 1.3 | 3,734 | 2.8 | 10,627 | 2.5 |
|  |  | Total | 416 | 100.0 | 134,545 | 100.0 | 429,012 | 100.0 |
| 4r. Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with others outside of class (students, family members, co-workers, etc.) [ACTCOLL] | OOCIDEAS | Never | 58 | 14.0 | 17,951 | 13.3 | 59,851 | 13.9 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 154 | 36.9 | 50,416 | 37.3 | 161,481 | 37.5 |
|  |  | Often | 140 | 33.5 | 40,285 | 29.8 | 125,374 | 29.1 |
|  |  | Very often | 65 | 15.6 | 26,395 | 19.5 | 83,779 | 19.5 |
|  |  | Total | 417 | 100.0 | 135,047 | 100.0 | 430,485 | 100.0 |

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# Community College Survey of Student Engagement 

 Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration)2016 Benchmark Bar Chart - Main Survey
Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort ${ }^{\star}$
[Weighted]
Student Effort (STUEFF)


* The comparison group and cohort bars on this page INCLUDE your college.


# Community College Survey of Student Engagement - Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration) 2016 Benchmark Means Report - Main Survey <br> Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort* $^{*}$ 

[Weighted]
Student Effort (STUEFF)

|  |  | Your College | Small Colleges |  | 2016 Cohort |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Item | Variable | Mean | Mean | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Effect } \\ & \text { Size }^{* *} \end{aligned}$ | Mean | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Effect } \\ & \text { Size }^{* *} \end{aligned}$ |
| Item 4: In your experiences at this college during the current school year, about how often have you done each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $1=$ Never, $2=$ Sometimes, $3=$ Often, $4=$ Very often |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4c. Prepared two or more drafts of a paper or assignment before turning it in [STUEFF] | REWROPAP | 2.49 | 2.52 |  | 2.53 |  |
| 4d. Worked on a paper or project that required integrating ideas or information from various sources [STUEFF] | INTEGRAT | 2.85 | 2.83 |  | 2.84 |  |
| 4e. Came to class without completing readings or assignments [STUEFF] | CLUNPREP | 1.75 | 1.80 |  | 1.83 |  |
| Item 6: During the current school year, about how much reading and writing have you done at this college? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $1=$ None, $2=$ Between 1 and 4, 3 = Between 5 and 10, $4=$ Between 11 and 20,5 $=$ More than 20 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6b. Number of books read on your own (not assigned) for personal enjoyment or academic enrichment [STUEFF] | READOWN | 1.96 | 2.00 |  | 2.03 |  |
| Item 10: About how many hours do you spend in a typical 7-day week doing each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $0=$ None, $1=1-5$ hours, $2=6-10$ hours, $3=11-20$ hours, $4=21-30$ hours, $5=$ More than 30 hours |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10a. Preparing for class (studying, reading, writing, rehearsing, doing homework, or other activites related to your program) [STUEFF] | ACADPR01 | 1.96 | 2.03 |  | 2.00 |  |
| Item 13.1: How often do you use the following services at this college? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 = Rarely/Never, 2 = Sometimes, 3 = Often (Don't know/N.A. category not included in means calculations) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13.1d. Peer or other tutoring [STUEFF] | USETUTOR | 1.38 | 1.54 | -0.22** | 1.53 | $-0.21^{* *}$ |
| 13.1e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.) [STUEFF] | USELAB | 1.63 | 1.81 | $-0.23{ }^{\text {** }}$ | 1.75 |  |
| 13.1h. Computer lab [STUEFF] | USECOMLB | 1.86 | 2.10 | -0.31** | 2.04 | -0.23 ** |

# Community College Survey of Student Engagement - Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration) 2016 Benchmark Frequency Distributions - Main Survey 

Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort*
[Weighted]
Student Effort (STUEFF)

|  |  |  | Your College |  | Small Colleges |  | 2016 Cohort |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Item | Variable | Responses | Count | Percent | Count | Percent | Count | Percent |
| Item 4: In your experiences at this college during the current school year, about how often have you done each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4c. Prepared two or more drafts of a paper or assignment before turning it in [STUEFF] | REWROPAP | Never | 59 | 14.3 | 26,499 | 19.7 | 83,863 | 19.5 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 163 | 39.4 | 39,960 | 29.6 | 126,113 | 29.3 |
|  |  | Often | 119 | 28.8 | 40,397 | 30.0 | 129,026 | 30.0 |
|  |  | Very often | 72 | 17.5 | 27,942 | 20.7 | 90,705 | 21.1 |
|  |  | Total | 415 | 100.0 | 134,798 | 100.0 | 429,707 | 100.0 |
| 4d. Worked on a paper or project that required integrating ideas or information from various sources [STUEFF] | INTEGRAT | Never | 23 | 5.5 | 12,676 | 9.4 | 40,138 | 9.3 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 120 | 29.1 | 35,018 | 25.9 | 108,481 | 25.2 |
|  |  | Often | 167 | 40.5 | 50,344 | 37.3 | 161,003 | 37.4 |
|  |  | Very often | 103 | 24.9 | 37,010 | 27.4 | 120,754 | 28.1 |
|  |  | Total | 414 | 100.0 | 135,048 | 100.0 | 430,376 | 100.0 |
| 4e. Came to class without completing readings or assignments [STUEFF] | CLUNPREP | Never | 150 | 36.2 | 48,938 | 36.3 | 146,205 | 34.1 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 227 | 54.8 | 68,734 | 51.0 | 225,131 | 52.4 |
|  |  | Often | 28 | 6.7 | 12,040 | 8.9 | 41,286 | 9.6 |
|  |  | Very often | 9 | 2.3 | 4,948 | 3.7 | 16,721 | 3.9 |
|  |  | Total | 415 | 100.0 | 134,660 | 100.0 | 429,344 | 100.0 |
| Item 6: During the current school year, about how much reading and writing have you done at this college? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6b. Number of books read on your own (not assigned) for personal enjoyment or academic enrichment [STUEFF] | READOWN | None | 139 | 33.5 | 46,633 | 34.9 | 138,875 | 32.6 |
|  |  | 1 to 4 | 206 | 49.6 | 58,392 | 43.7 | 194,463 | 45.6 |
|  |  | 5 to 10 | 35 | 8.4 | 16,523 | 12.4 | 54,493 | 12.8 |
|  |  | 11 to 20 | 19 | 4.5 | 6,256 | 4.7 | 20,040 | 4.7 |
|  |  | More than 20 | 17 | 4.0 | 5,926 | 4.4 | 18,512 | 4.3 |
|  |  | Total | 415 | 100.0 | 133,730 | 100.0 | 426,382 | 100.0 |
| Item 10: About how many hours do you spend in a typical 7-day week doing each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10a. Preparing for class (studying, reading, writing, rehearsing, doing homework, or other activites related to your program) [STUEFF] | ACADPR01 | None | 7 | 1.6 | 2,350 | 1.8 | 6,628 | 1.6 |
|  |  | 1-5 hours | 162 | 39.0 | 52,081 | 39.0 | 168,022 | 39.5 |
|  |  | 6-10 hours | 141 | 34.0 | 39,347 | 29.5 | 128,533 | 30.2 |
|  |  | 11-20 hours | 66 | 16.0 | 24,647 | 18.5 | 78,043 | 18.4 |
|  |  | 21-30 hours | 24 | 5.8 | 9,386 | 7.0 | 28,411 | 6.7 |
|  |  | More than 30 hours | 15 | 3.6 | 5,589 | 4.2 | 15,644 | 3.7 |
|  |  | Total | 415 | 100.0 | 133,400 | 100.0 | 425,281 | 100.0 |
| Item 13.1: How often do you use the following services at this college? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13.1d. Peer or other tutoring [STUEFF] | USETUTOR | Don't know/N.A. | 112 | 27.7 | 29,443 | 22.6 | 93,655 | 22.7 |
|  |  | Rarely/Never | 203 | 50.0 | 59,284 | 45.6 | 189,231 | 45.8 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 68 | 16.8 | 28,320 | 21.8 | 90,175 | 21.8 |
|  |  | Often | 22 | 5.5 | 13,026 | 10.0 | 40,217 | 9.7 |
|  |  | Total | 407 | 100.0 | 130,074 | 100.0 | 413,277 | 100.0 |

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# Community College Survey of Student Engagement - Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration) 

 2016 Benchmark Frequency Distributions - Main SurveyComparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort*
[Weighted]
Student Effort (STUEFF)

|  |  |  | Your College |  | Small Colleges |  | 2016 Cohort |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Item | Variable | Responses | Count | Percent | Count | Percent | Count | Percent |
| Item 13.1: How often do you use the following services at this college? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13.1e. Skill labs (writing, math, etc.) [STUEFF] | USELAB | Don't know/N.A. | 94 | 23.2 | 25,172 | 19.4 | 83,571 | 20.3 |
|  |  | Rarely/Never | 171 | 42.3 | 45,059 | 34.7 | 152,798 | 37.1 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 83 | 20.5 | 34,300 | 26.4 | 104,838 | 25.4 |
|  |  | Often | 57 | 14.0 | 25,200 | 19.4 | 71,185 | 17.3 |
|  |  | Total | 404 | 100.0 | 129,732 | 100.0 | 412,392 | 100.0 |
| 13.1h. Computer lab [STUEFF] | USECOMLB | Don't know/N.A. | 87 | 21.4 | 14,877 | 11.4 | 52,748 | 12.8 |
|  |  | Rarely/Never | 138 | 34.3 | 31,247 | 24.0 | 109,025 | 26.4 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 86 | 21.3 | 41,126 | 31.6 | 127,674 | 30.9 |
|  |  | Often | 93 | 23.0 | 42,695 | 32.9 | 123,702 | 29.9 |
|  |  | Total | 404 | 100.0 | 129,945 | 100.0 | 413,149 | 100.0 |

[^3]Community College Survey of Student Engagement Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration)

2016 Benchmark Bar Chart - Main Survey
Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort ${ }^{\star}$
[Weighted]
Academic Challenge (ACCHALL)


* The comparison group and cohort bars on this page INCLUDE your college.


# Community College Survey of Student Engagement - Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration) 2016 Benchmark Means Report - Main Survey <br> Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort* $^{*}$ 

Weighted]
Academic Challenge (ACCHALL)

|  |  | Your College | Small Colleges |  | 2016 Cohort |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Item | Variable | Mean | Mean | Effect <br> Size** | Mean | Effect <br> Size** |
| Item 4: In your experiences at this college during the current school year, about how often have you done each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 = Never, 2 = Sometimes, 3 = Often, 4 = Very often |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 p . Worked harder than you thought you could to meet an instructor's standards or expectations [ACCHALL] | WORKHARD | 2.53 | 2.68 |  | 2.64 |  |
| Item 5: During the current school year, how much has your coursework at this college emphasized the following mental activities? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 = Very little, 2 = Some, 3 = Quite a bit, 4 = Very much |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5b. Analyzing the basic elements of an idea, experience, or theory [ACCHALL] | ANALYZE | 2.85 | 2.91 |  | 2.94 |  |
| 5c. Synthesizing and organizing ideas, information, or experiences in new ways [ACCHALL] | SYNTHESZ | 2.64 | 2.80 |  | 2.81 |  |
| 5d. Making judgments about the value or soundness of information, arguments, or methods [ACCHALL] | EVALUATE | 2.61 | 2.64 |  | 2.65 |  |
| 5e. Applying theories or concepts to practical problems or in new situations [ACCHALL] | APPLYING | 2.73 | 2.75 |  | 2.75 |  |
| 5f. Using information you have read or heard to perform a new skill [ACCHALL] | PERFORM | 2.85 | 2.91 |  | 2.87 |  |
| Item 6: During the current school year, about how much reading and writing have you done at this college? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $1=$ None, $2=$ Between 1 and 4, 3 = Between 5 and 10, $4=$ Between 11 and 20,5 $=$ More than 20 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6a. Number of assigned textbooks, manuals, books, or book-length packs of course readings [ACCHALL] | READASGN | 2.82 | 2.91 |  | 2.88 |  |
| 6 c . Number of written papers or reports of any length [ACCHALL] | WRITEANY | 2.94 | 2.88 |  | 2.88 |  |
| Item 7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 = Extremely easy ... 7 = Extremely challenging |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7. Mark the response that best represents the extent to which your examinations during the current school year have challenged you to do your best work at this college [ACCHALL] | EXAMS | 4.76 | 4.99 |  | 4.95 |  |
| Item 9: How much does this college emphasize each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 = Very little, 2 = Some, 3 = Quite a bit, 4 = Very much |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9a. Encouraging you to spend significant amounts of time studying [ACCHALL] | ENVSCHOL | 2.86 | 3.07 | $-0.25^{* *}$ | 3.06 | $-0.24^{\star *}$ |

# Community College Survey of Student Engagement - Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration) 2016 Benchmark Frequency Distributions - Main Survey 

Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort*
[Weighted]
Academic Challenge (ACCHALL)

|  |  |  | Your College |  | Small Colleges |  | 2016 Cohort |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Item | Variable | Responses | Count | Percent | Count | Percent | Count | Percent |
| Item 4: In your experiences at this college during the current school year, about how often have you done each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 p. Worked harder than you thought you could to meet an instructor's standards or expectations [ACCHALL] | WORKHARD | Never | 49 | 11.9 | 11,256 | 8.4 | 39,747 | 9.3 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 154 | 37.4 | 47,356 | 35.2 | 154,162 | 35.9 |
|  |  | Often | 148 | 36.0 | 49,468 | 36.7 | 154,788 | 36.0 |
|  |  | Very often | 60 | 14.6 | 26,640 | 19.8 | 80,775 | 18.8 |
|  |  | Total | 411 | 100.0 | 134,720 | 100.0 | 429,472 | 100.0 |
| Item 5: During the current school year, how much has your coursework at this college emphasized the following mental activities? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5b. Analyzing the basic elements of an idea, experience, or theory [ACCHALL] | ANALYZE | Very little | 20 | 4.9 | 6,140 | 4.5 | 18,362 | 4.3 |
|  |  | Some | 119 | 28.8 | 35,786 | 26.5 | 108,720 | 25.3 |
|  |  | Quite a bit | 176 | 42.5 | 57,630 | 42.7 | 185,186 | 43.0 |
|  |  | Very much | 98 | 23.8 | 35,432 | 26.2 | 118,030 | 27.4 |
|  |  | Total | 414 | 100.0 | 134,988 | 100.0 | 430,298 | 100.0 |
| 5c. Synthesizing and organizing ideas, information, or experiences in new ways [ACCHALL] | SYNTHESZ | Very little | 32 | 7.7 | 8,446 | 6.3 | 27,777 | 6.5 |
|  |  | Some | 165 | 39.7 | 41,452 | 30.9 | 129,265 | 30.2 |
|  |  | Quite a bit | 138 | 33.4 | 52,543 | 39.1 | 167,315 | 39.1 |
|  |  | Very much | 79 | 19.2 | 31,923 | 23.8 | 104,040 | 24.3 |
|  |  | Total | 414 | 100.0 | 134,364 | 100.0 | 428,397 | 100.0 |
| 5d. Making judgments about the value or soundness of information, arguments, or methods [ACCHALL] | EVALUATE | Very little | 45 | 10.9 | 15,154 | 11.3 | 49,178 | 11.5 |
|  |  | Some | 152 | 37.0 | 45,628 | 33.9 | 142,083 | 33.1 |
|  |  | Quite a bit | 132 | 32.1 | 46,406 | 34.5 | 149,296 | 34.8 |
|  |  | Very much | 82 | 19.9 | 27,423 | 20.4 | 88,391 | 20.6 |
|  |  | Total | 411 | 100.0 | 134,610 | 100.0 | 428,949 | 100.0 |
| 5e. Applying theories or concepts to practical problems or in new situations [ACCHALL] | APPLYING | Very little | 37 | 8.9 | 11,750 | 8.7 | 39,115 | 9.1 |
|  |  | Some | 138 | 33.3 | 42,017 | 31.2 | 133,406 | 31.0 |
|  |  | Quite a bit | 141 | 34.0 | 48,753 | 36.2 | 154,972 | 36.1 |
|  |  | Very much | 98 | 23.7 | 32,305 | 24.0 | 102,260 | 23.8 |
|  |  | Total | 414 | 100.0 | 134,824 | 100.0 | 429,752 | 100.0 |
| 5f. Using information you have read or heard to perform a new skill [ACCHALL] | PERFORM | Very little | 37 | 8.8 | 9,310 | 6.9 | 33,269 | 7.7 |
|  |  | Some | 113 | 27.2 | 35,300 | 26.1 | 115,206 | 26.7 |
|  |  | Quite a bit | 144 | 34.6 | 49,304 | 36.4 | 156,352 | 36.3 |
|  |  | Very much | 123 | 29.4 | 41,365 | 30.6 | 126,441 | 29.3 |
|  |  | Total | 417 | 100.0 | 135,279 | 100.0 | 431,268 | 100.0 |

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# Community College Survey of Student Engagement - Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration) 2016 Benchmark Frequency Distributions - Main Survey 

Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort*
[Weighted]
Academic Challenge (ACCHALL)

|  |  |  | Your College |  | Small Colleges |  | 2016 Cohort |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Item | Variable | Responses | Count | Percent | Count | Percent | Count | Percent |
| Item 6: During the current school year, about how much reading and writing have you done at this college? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6a. Number of assigned textbooks, manuals, books, or book-length packs of course readings [ACCHALL] | READASGN | None | 5 | 1.2 | 4,475 | 3.3 | 13,755 | 3.2 |
|  |  | 1 to 4 | 182 | 44.0 | 54,015 | 40.4 | 178,028 | 41.7 |
|  |  | 5 to 10 | 142 | 34.3 | 40,038 | 29.9 | 126,524 | 29.7 |
|  |  | 11 to 20 | 49 | 12.0 | 19,086 | 14.3 | 60,773 | 14.2 |
|  |  | More than 20 | 35 | 8.5 | 16,118 | 12.1 | 47,430 | 11.1 |
|  |  | Total | 413 | 100.0 | 133,731 | 100.0 | 426,510 | 100.0 |
| 6c. Number of written papers or reports of any length [ACCHALL] | WRITEANY | None | 40 | 9.5 | 12,862 | 9.6 | 39,689 | 9.3 |
|  |  | 1 to 4 | 125 | 30.1 | 41,299 | 30.9 | 132,120 | 31.0 |
|  |  | 5 to 10 | 118 | 28.4 | 42,199 | 31.6 | 136,230 | 32.0 |
|  |  | 11 to 20 | 88 | 21.1 | 23,763 | 17.8 | 75,862 | 17.8 |
|  |  | More than 20 | 45 | 10.9 | 13,533 | 10.1 | 42,154 | 9.9 |
|  |  | Total | 415 | 100.0 | 133,657 | 100.0 | 426,055 | 100.0 |
| Item 7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7. Mark the response that best represents the extent to which your examinations during the current school year have challenged you to do your best work at this college [ACCHALL] | EXAMS | (1) Extremely easy | 6 | 1.4 | 1,256 | 1.0 | 3,993 | 1.0 |
|  |  | (2) | 11 | 2.7 | 2,424 | 1.9 | 8,165 | 2.0 |
|  |  | (3) | 36 | 8.8 | 7,316 | 5.7 | 24,805 | 6.0 |
|  |  | (4) | 104 | 25.6 | 31,553 | 24.4 | 102,356 | 24.9 |
|  |  | (5) | 151 | 37.1 | 43,152 | 33.4 | 140,092 | 34.1 |
|  |  | (6) | 66 | 16.2 | 29,145 | 22.6 | 90,459 | 22.0 |
|  |  | (7) Extremely challenging | 33 | 8.2 | 14,234 | 11.0 | 40,511 | 9.9 |
|  |  | Total | 407 | 100.0 | 129,080 | 100.0 | 410,381 | 100.0 |
| Item 9: How much does this college emphasize each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9a. Encouraging you to spend significant amounts of time studying [ACCHALL] | ENVSCHOL | Very little | 25 | 6.1 | 4,724 | 3.5 | 15,825 | 3.7 |
|  |  | Some | 121 | 29.1 | 27,315 | 20.4 | 88,023 | 20.7 |
|  |  | Quite a bit | 156 | 37.5 | 55,382 | 41.4 | 177,901 | 41.7 |
|  |  | Very much | 113 | 27.3 | 46,199 | 34.6 | 144,381 | 33.9 |
|  |  | Total | 415 | 100.0 | 133,620 | 100.0 | 426,131 | 100.0 |

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# Community College Survey of Student Engagement 

 Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration)2016 Benchmark Bar Chart - Main Survey
Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort ${ }^{\star}$
[Weighted]
Student-Faculty Interaction (STUFAC)


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Community College Survey of Student Engagement - Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration) 2016 Benchmark Means Report - Main Survey
Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort $^{*}$
[Weighted]
Student-Faculty Interaction (STUFAC)

|  |  | Your College | Small Colleges |  | 2016 Cohort |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Item | Variable | Mean | Mean | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Effect } \\ & \text { Size }^{* *} \end{aligned}$ | Mean | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Effect } \\ & \text { Size }^{* *} \end{aligned}$ |
| Item 4: In your experiences at this college during the current school year, about how often have you done each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 = Never, 2 = Sometimes, 3 = Often, 4 = Very often |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4k. Used e-mail to communicate with an instructor [STUFAC] | EMAIL | 3.02 | 2.97 |  | 2.93 |  |
| 41. Discussed grades or assignments with an instructor [STUFAC] | FACGRADE | 2.67 | 2.70 |  | 2.63 |  |
| 4 m . Talked about career plans with an instructor or advisor [STUFAC] | FACPLANS | 2.19 | 2.27 |  | 2.17 |  |
| 4 n . Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with instructors outside of class [STUFAC] | FACIDEAS | 1.87 | 1.87 |  | 1.82 |  |
| 4o. Received prompt feedback (written or oral) from instructors on your performance [STUFAC] | FACFEED | 2.80 | 2.79 |  | 2.76 |  |
| 4q. Worked with instructors on activities other than coursework [STUFAC] | FACOTH | 1.57 | 1.56 |  | 1.49 |  |

* The comparison group and cohort columns on this page EXCLUDE your college.
** T-test: 2-tailed


# Community College Survey of Student Engagement - Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration) 2016 Benchmark Frequency Distributions - Main Survey 

Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort ${ }^{*}$
[Weighted]
Student-Faculty Interaction (STUFAC)

|  |  |  | Your College |  | Small Colleges |  | 2016 Cohort |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Item | Variable | Responses | Count | Percent | Count | Percent | Count | Percent |
| Item 4: In your experiences at this college during the current school year, about how often have you done each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $4 k$. Used e-mail to communicate with an instructor [STUFAC] | EMAIL | Never | 14 | 3.3 | 8,425 | 6.3 | 26,295 | 6.1 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 112 | 27.1 | 34,641 | 25.7 | 120,069 | 28.0 |
|  |  | Often | 139 | 33.6 | 43,416 | 32.3 | 138,338 | 32.2 |
|  |  | Very often | 149 | 35.9 | 48,110 | 35.7 | 144,736 | 33.7 |
|  |  | Total | 414 | 100.0 | 134,592 | 100.0 | 429,438 | 100.0 |
| 41. Discussed grades or assignments with an instructor [STUFAC] | FACGRADE | Never | 25 | 6.1 | 9,774 | 7.2 | 37,262 | 8.7 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 169 | 40.7 | 50,954 | 37.8 | 170,490 | 39.6 |
|  |  | Often | 139 | 33.4 | 44,165 | 32.8 | 134,243 | 31.2 |
|  |  | Very often | 82 | 19.7 | 29,961 | 22.2 | 87,995 | 20.5 |
|  |  | Total | 415 | 100.0 | 134,853 | 100.0 | 429,989 | 100.0 |
| 4 m . Talked about career plans with an instructor or advisor [STUFAC] | FACPLANS | Never | 101 | 24.6 | 29,257 | 21.7 | 109,830 | 25.6 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 176 | 42.7 | 57,188 | 42.5 | 184,411 | 43.0 |
|  |  | Often | 90 | 21.8 | 30,750 | 22.9 | 87,354 | 20.4 |
|  |  | Very often | 45 | 11.0 | 17,362 | 12.9 | 47,608 | 11.1 |
|  |  | Total | 413 | 100.0 | 134,556 | 100.0 | 429,203 | 100.0 |
| 4 n . Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with instructors outside of class [STUFAC] | FACIDEAS | Never | 165 | 39.6 | 53,887 | 40.1 | 186,846 | 43.6 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 168 | 40.5 | 52,208 | 38.9 | 159,180 | 37.1 |
|  |  | Often | 54 | 13.1 | 19,572 | 14.6 | 56,877 | 13.3 |
|  |  | Very often | 29 | 6.9 | 8,700 | 6.5 | 25,598 | 6.0 |
|  |  | Total | 416 | 100.0 | 134,367 | 100.0 | 428,501 | 100.0 |
| 40. Received prompt feedback (written or oral) from instructors on your performance [STUFAC] | FACFEED | Never | 24 | 5.9 | 8,373 | 6.2 | 29,850 | 7.0 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 132 | 31.8 | 42,213 | 31.4 | 138,300 | 32.2 |
|  |  | Often | 160 | 38.5 | 53,880 | 40.0 | 168,162 | 39.2 |
|  |  | Very often | 99 | 23.9 | 30,115 | 22.4 | 92,883 | 21.6 |
|  |  | Total | 415 | 100.0 | 134,581 | 100.0 | 429,194 | 100.0 |
| 4q. Worked with instructors on activities other than coursework [STUFAC] | FACOTH | Never | 242 | 58.7 | 82,114 | 61.5 | 279,554 | 65.7 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 119 | 28.9 | 33,471 | 25.0 | 95,879 | 22.5 |
|  |  | Often | 38 | 9.2 | 12,631 | 9.5 | 35,241 | 8.3 |
|  |  | Very often | 13 | 3.3 | 5,406 | 4.0 | 14,728 | 3.5 |
|  |  | Total | 412 | 100.0 | 133,622 | 100.0 | 425,401 | 100.0 |

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# Community College Survey of Student Engagement 

 Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration)2016 Benchmark Bar Chart - Main Survey
Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort ${ }^{\star}$
[Weighted]
Support for Learners (SUPPORT)


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# Community College Survey of Student Engagement - Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration) 

 2016 Benchmark Means Report - Main SurveyComparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort*
[Weighted]
Support for Learners (SUPPORT)

|  |  | Your <br> College | Small Colleges |  | 2016 Cohort |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Item | Variable | Mean | Mean | Effect Size** | Mean | Effect Size** |
| Item 9: How much does this college emphasize each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 = Very little, 2 = Some, 3 = Quite a bit, 4 = Very much |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9b. Providing the support you need to help you succeed at this college [SUPPORT] | ENVSUPRT | 3.07 | 3.11 |  | 3.06 |  |
| 9c. Encouraging contact among students from different economic, social, and racial or ethnic backgrounds [SUPPORT] | ENVDIVRS | 2.45 | 2.63 |  | 2.63 |  |
| 9d. Helping you cope with your non-academic responsibilities (work, family, etc.) [SUPPORT] | ENVNACAD | 1.99 | 2.11 |  | 2.05 |  |
| 9 e . Providing the support you need to thrive socially [SUPPORT] | ENVSOCAL | 2.14 | 2.32 |  | 2.26 |  |
| 9f. Providing the financial support you need to afford your education [SUPPORT] | FINSUPP | 2.50 | 2.66 |  | 2.58 |  |
| Item 13.1: How often do you use the following services at this college? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 = Rarely/Never, 2 = Sometimes, 3 = Often (Don't know/N.A. category not included in means calculations) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13.1a. Academic advising/planning [SUPPORT] | USEACAD | 1.71 | 1.90 | $-0.28 * *$ | 1.84 |  |
| 13.1b. Career counseling [SUPPORT] | USECACOU | 1.35 | 1.47 |  | 1.46 |  |

# Community College Survey of Student Engagement - Eastern Maine Community College (2016 Administration) 2016 Benchmark Frequency Distributions - Main Survey 

Comparison Group: Small Colleges in the 2016 Cohort*
[Weighted]
Support for Learners (SUPPORT)

|  |  |  | Your College |  | Small Colleges |  | 2016 Cohort |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Item | Variable | Responses | Count | Percent | Count | Percent | Count | Percent |
| Item 9: How much does this college emphasize each of the following? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9b. Providing the support you need to help you succeed at this college [SUPPORT] | ENVSUPRT | Very little | 13 | 3.2 | 5,437 | 4.1 | 19,209 | 4.5 |
|  |  | Some | 85 | 20.5 | 25,230 | 18.9 | 87,594 | 20.6 |
|  |  | Quite a bit | 178 | 42.9 | 52,495 | 39.4 | 169,049 | 39.7 |
|  |  | Very much | 138 | 33.4 | 50,222 | 37.7 | 149,507 | 35.1 |
|  |  | Total | 414 | 100.0 | 133,383 | 100.0 | 425,359 | 100.0 |
| 9c. Encouraging contact among students from different economic, social, and racial or ethnic backgrounds [SUPPORT] | ENVDIVRS | Very little | 90 | 21.8 | 21,002 | 15.8 | 66,746 | 15.7 |
|  |  | Some | 126 | 30.4 | 39,958 | 30.1 | 125,547 | 29.6 |
|  |  | Quite a bit | 119 | 28.8 | 39,729 | 29.9 | 127,530 | 30.1 |
|  |  | Very much | 79 | 19.0 | 32,278 | 24.3 | 104,168 | 24.6 |
|  |  | Total | 413 | 100.0 | 132,967 | 100.0 | 423,991 | 100.0 |
| 9d. Helping you cope with your non-academic responsibilities (work, family, etc.) [SUPPORT] | ENVNACAD | Very little | 151 | 36.4 | 45,145 | 33.9 | 155,738 | 36.7 |
|  |  | Some | 153 | 36.8 | 44,888 | 33.7 | 140,593 | 33.1 |
|  |  | Quite a bit | 74 | 17.8 | 26,276 | 19.7 | 79,150 | 18.7 |
|  |  | Very much | 37 | 8.9 | 16,737 | 12.6 | 48,685 | 11.5 |
|  |  | Total | 415 | 100.0 | 133,047 | 100.0 | 424,167 | 100.0 |
| 9e. Providing the support you need to thrive socially [SUPPORT] | ENVSOCAL | Very little | 115 | 27.7 | 30,220 | 22.8 | 106,152 | 25.1 |
|  |  | Some | 179 | 43.1 | 49,009 | 37.0 | 157,855 | 37.4 |
|  |  | Quite a bit | 70 | 16.9 | 33,797 | 25.5 | 102,022 | 24.2 |
|  |  | Very much | 51 | 12.3 | 19,564 | 14.8 | 56,363 | 13.3 |
|  |  | Total | 414 | 100.0 | 132,591 | 100.0 | 422,391 | 100.0 |
| 9f. Providing the financial support you need to afford your education [SUPPORT] | FINSUPP | Very little | 79 | 19.1 | 24,209 | 18.2 | 88,568 | 20.9 |
|  |  | Some | 131 | 31.7 | 34,433 | 25.9 | 111,105 | 26.2 |
|  |  | Quite a bit | 120 | 28.9 | 37,315 | 28.1 | 112,909 | 26.7 |
|  |  | Very much | 84 | 20.3 | 37,020 | 27.8 | 110,785 | 26.2 |
|  |  | Total | 415 | 100.0 | 132,976 | 100.0 | 423,368 | 100.0 |
| Item 13.1: How often do you use the following services at this college? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13.1a. Academic advising/planning [SUPPORT] | USEACAD | Don't know/N.A. | 42 | 10.2 | 8,915 | 6.8 | 28,889 | 6.9 |
|  |  | Rarely/Never | 154 | 37.7 | 36,597 | 27.8 | 130,835 | 31.3 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 165 | 40.3 | 61,263 | 46.6 | 189,228 | 45.2 |
|  |  | Often | 48 | 11.7 | 24,808 | 18.9 | 69,611 | 16.6 |
|  |  | Total | 408 | 100.0 | 131,584 | 100.0 | 418,563 | 100.0 |
| 13.1b. Career counseling [SUPPORT] | USECACOU | Don't know/N.A. | 104 | 25.5 | 26,159 | 20.0 | 82,925 | 19.9 |
|  |  | Rarely/Never | 214 | 52.6 | 64,966 | 49.6 | 209,129 | 50.2 |
|  |  | Sometimes | 73 | 17.9 | 30,694 | 23.4 | 96,217 | 23.1 |
|  |  | Often | 16 | 4.0 | 9,228 | 7.0 | 28,428 | 6.8 |
|  |  | Total | 407 | 100.0 | 131,047 | 100.0 | 416,699 | 100.0 |

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