

NSSE 2018 Special Report— Student Housing Study

University of Kansas

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About the Study

This report is part of an ACUHO-I Foundation funded study by NSSE to examine the relationship between students' living environments, engagement, and persistence. In Spring 2018, NSSE collected survey data about on- and off-campus living situations and perceptions from first-year, sophomore, and senior students at 76 bachelor's degree-granting institutions. This report provides a first look at your results, including frequencies and statistical tests compared with students from a selected comparison group of the other participating institutions.

Comparison Group

This section summarizes how this comparison group was identified, including selection criteria and whether the default option was taken. This is followed by the resulting list of institutions represented in the 'Housing Study' column of this report.

Group label	Housing Study
Date submitted	5/14/18
How was this comparison group constructed?	Your institution added or removed institutions from the default comparison group (all housing study participants)
Group description	NSSE institutions most comparable to KU's on-campus housing program who participated in the NSSE-ACUHO-I Student Housing Study

Housing Study (N=25)

Auburn University (Auburn, AL)
 California State University San Marcos (San Marcos, CA)
 California State University, San Bernardino (San Bernardino, CA)
 Clemson University (Clemson, SC)
 Louisiana State University and Agricultural & Mechanical College (Baton Rouge, LA)
 Loyola University Chicago (Chicago, IL)
 Mississippi State University (Mississippi State, MS)
 New York University (New York, NY)
 Northern Illinois University (DeKalb, IL)
 Rutgers University-Newark (Newark, NJ)
 Southeast Missouri State University (Cape Girardeau, MO)
 St. John's University-New York (Queens, NY)
 Syracuse University (Syracuse, NY)
 Texas A&M University-Kingsville (Kingsville, TX)
 Texas State University (San Marcos, TX)
 University of Central Arkansas (Conway, AR)
 University of Colorado Colorado Springs (Colorado Springs, CO)
 University of Louisiana at Lafayette (Lafayette, LA)
 University of Minnesota Duluth (Duluth, MN)
 University of North Carolina at Charlotte (Charlotte, NC)
 University of North Carolina at Greensboro, The (Greensboro, NC)
 University of Northern Iowa (Cedar Falls, IA)
 University of Tennessee Martin, The (Martin, TN)
 University of Texas at Arlington, The (Arlington, TX)
 University of Utah (Salt Lake City, UT)

First-Year Students

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
1. Do you live on campus or off campus? [Note: If "On campus" was selected, respondent skipped to item 3.]										
	HOUfy1801	0	Off campus	196	16	3,234	35	84%	65% ***	.43
		1	On campus	1,082	84	7,116	65			
		Total		1,278	100	10,350	100			
2a. Do you live at home with your family?										
	HOUfy1802a	0	No	145	76	939	32	24%	68% ***	-.91
		1	Yes	50	24	2,296	68			
		Total		195	100	3,235	100			
2b. About how long does it usually take to get to campus from where you live?										
	HOUfy1802bmin	2.5	0-5 minutes	47	25	220	7	15.3	27.7 ***	-.64
		8	6-10 minutes	40	20	452	14			
		15.5	11-20 minutes	66	34	710	23			
		25.5	21-30 minutes	17	8	646	20			
		38	31-45 minutes	18	9	546	16			
		53	46-60 minutes	4	2	373	10			
		70.5	More than 60 minutes	3	2	302	9			
		Total		195	100	3,249	100			
3. Whether on or off campus, which of the following best describes where you live while attending college?										
	HOUfy1803	1	Traditional residence hall (share a bathroom with a wing or floor)	432	34	3,672	32			
		2	Suite style residence hall (share a bathroom with suitemates)	570	44	2,800	28			
		3	Apartment, townhouse, or other apartment-style residence	104	8	1,537	16			
		4	Fraternity or sorority housing	61	6	52	1			
		5	House	64	5	2,072	22			
		6	Institution-owned or managed family housing	3	0	22	0			
		7	Other, please specify: [Responses in SPSS data file]	24	2	72	1			
		Total		1,258	100	10,227	100			
4. After classes started this school year, how many times did you move your place of residence?										
	HOUfy1804	0	0	1,130	89	9,230	89	0.2	0.2	.02
		1	1	108	8	832	8			
		2	2	19	2	151	2			
		3	3	10	1	60	1			
		4	4	2	0	14	0			
		5	5 or more	3	0	22	0			
		Total		1,272	100	10,309	100			
5. How many roommates or housemates do you have? [Note: If "0" was selected, respondent skipped to item 7.]										
	HOUfy1805	0	0	72	6	1,109	11	1.9	2.0	-.03
		1	1	586	46	4,351	40			
		2	2	122	10	1,270	13			
		3	3	406	31	2,044	21			
		4	4	40	3	743	7			
		5	5 or more	44	4	783	7			
		Total		1,270	100	10,300	100			

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
6a. Do any of your roommates or housemates also attend this institution?										
HOUfy1806a	0	No		81	7	1,868	22	93%	78% ***	.44
	1	Yes		1,119	93	7,315	78			
		Total		1,200	100	9,183	100			
6b. Which of the following best describes how you became roommates or housemates? [Note: Item only given if respondent selected "No" on item 2a.]										
HOUfy1806b	1	Matched after creating an electronic housing profile		238	20	2,184	29			
	2	Assigned by the housing office or property owner		348	31	2,323	32			
	3	Planned with friend(s)		334	30	1,607	24			
	4	Found through social media		126	10	744	9			
	5	Found through an advertisement, Craigslist, etc.		1	0	36	1			
	6	Other, please specify: [Responses in SPSS data file]		107	9	452	6			
		Total		1,154	100	7,346	100			
7. Do you participate in a residential program where students take at least one class together and attend common educational or social activities (often called a "living-learning community")? [Note: Item only given if respondent selected "No" on item 2a.]										
HOUfy1807	0	No		1,119	91	6,385	79	9%	21% ***	-.37
	1	Yes		99	9	1,607	21			
		Total		1,218	100	7,992	100			
8. Some housing options provide opportunities specifically for the people who live there. Which of the following, if any, have you done in your place of residence? (Select all that apply.)										
HOUfy1808a	—	Attended a class where you live (not online)		63	5	1,185	12	5%	12% ***	-.23
HOUfy1808b	—	Met with a faculty member where you live		92	7	1,208	11	7%	11% ***	-.14
HOUfy1808c	—	Met with an academic advisor where you live		37	3	778	7	3%	7% ***	-.18
HOUfy1808d	—	Used academic support services (tutoring, writing center, career counseling, etc.) where you live		95	8	1,022	9	8%	9%	-.06
HOUfy1808e	—	Studied or worked on a project with other students where you live		465	36	3,059	29	36%	29% ***	.15
HOUfy1808f	—	Attended social or co-curricular activities where you live		412	32	3,157	29	32%	29% *	.06
HOUfy1808g	—	Attended diversity-related activities where you live		135	11	1,015	10	11%	10%	.03
HOUfy1808h	—	Attended health and wellness activities where you live		160	12	1,243	11	12%	11%	.03
HOUfy1808i	—	None of these		560	45	4,974	52	45%	52% ***	-.13

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
9. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about where you live while attending college?										
a. I feel physically safe where I live.	HOUfy1809a	1	Strongly disagree	6	1	57	1	4.3	4.3 **	.09
		2	Disagree	25	2	294	3			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	90	7	940	9			
		4	Agree	597	46	4,729	45			
		5	Strongly agree	553	45	4,214	42			
		Total		1,271	100	10,234	100			
b. I feel free from harassment and discrimination where I live.	HOUfy1809b	1	Strongly disagree	19	1	212	2	4.2	4.1 ***	.10
		2	Disagree	60	5	508	5			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	123	9	1,203	12			
		4	Agree	516	40	4,294	41			
		5	Strongly agree	548	45	3,969	40			
		Total		1,266	100	10,186	100			
c. I feel comfortable being myself where I live.	HOUfy1809c	1	Strongly disagree	17	1	107	1	4.2	4.2	.04
		2	Disagree	47	4	418	4			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	122	9	1,107	11			
		4	Agree	537	42	4,400	42			
		5	Strongly agree	545	44	4,176	42			
		Total		1,268	100	10,208	100			
d. I feel valued where I live.	HOUfy1809d	1	Strongly disagree	22	2	142	2	4.0	3.9	.02
		2	Disagree	77	6	549	5			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	293	23	2,434	24			
		4	Agree	442	35	3,843	37			
		5	Strongly agree	433	35	3,251	32			
		Total		1,267	100	10,219	100			
e. I feel a sense of community where I live.	HOUfy1809e	1	Strongly disagree	59	5	331	3	3.8	3.8	.04
		2	Disagree	146	11	1,043	10			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	242	19	2,302	23			
		4	Agree	397	31	3,628	35			
		5	Strongly agree	425	35	2,907	29			
		Total		1,269	100	10,211	100			
f. I can resolve conflicts that might arise within my living arrangement.	HOUfy1809f	1	Strongly disagree	21	2	150	2	4.1	4.0	.05
		2	Disagree	52	4	469	5			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	178	14	1,585	15			
		4	Agree	602	47	4,813	46			
		5	Strongly agree	412	34	3,199	32			
		Total		1,265	100	10,216	100			
10. What best describes the impact your current living situation has had on the following?										
a. Your ability to succeed academically	HOUfy1810a	1	Strong negative impact	11	1	105	1	3.9	3.8 *	.07
		2	Negative impact	78	6	587	6			
		3	No positive or negative impact	320	25	2,836	28			
		4	Positive impact	548	43	4,352	42			
		5	Strong positive impact	311	25	2,305	23			
		Total		1,268	100	10,185	100			

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
b. Your ability to make friends in college	HOUfy1810b	1	Strong negative impact	37	3	289	3	3.9	3.6 ***	.20 △
		2	Negative impact	103	8	991	10			
		3	No positive or negative impact	277	22	2,872	29			
		4	Positive impact	457	35	3,704	35			
		5	Strong positive impact	394	32	2,338	23			
		Total		1,268	100	10,194	100			
c. Your overall physical well-being	HOUfy1810c	1	Strong negative impact	23	2	108	1	3.8	3.8	.00
		2	Negative impact	107	8	719	7			
		3	No positive or negative impact	347	27	2,979	29			
		4	Positive impact	489	38	4,122	40			
		5	Strong positive impact	301	25	2,250	23			
		Total		1,267	100	10,178	100			
d. Your overall emotional or mental well-being	HOUfy1810d	1	Strong negative impact	37	3	273	3	3.7	3.6	.05
		2	Negative impact	149	11	1,082	11			
		3	No positive or negative impact	318	25	2,924	29			
		4	Positive impact	466	36	3,777	37			
		5	Strong positive impact	296	24	2,120	21			
		Total		1,266	100	10,176	100			
11. About how many hours do you sleep on a typical night?										
	HOUfy1811	4	4 or fewer hours	39	3	437	5	6.7	6.6 ***	.12 △
		5	5 hours	130	10	1,270	12			
		6	6 hours	306	24	2,784	28			
		7	7 hours	463	37	3,284	32			
		8	8 hours	294	23	2,026	19			
		9	9 hours	30	2	339	3			
		10	10 or more hours	6	1	61	1			
		Total		1,268	100	10,201	100			
12. During the current school year, about how often have you been homesick? [Note: Item only given if respondent selected "No" on item 2a.]										
	HOUfy1812	1	Never	301	27	1,977	27	2.1	2.0	.03
		2	Sometimes	598	49	4,052	50			
		3	Often	195	15	1,167	14			
		4	Very often	120	9	707	8			
		Total		1,214	100	7,903	100			
13. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?										
a. Worried about having enough money for regular expenses	HOUfy1813a	1	Never	238	19	1,906	20	2.6	2.6	.01
		2	Sometimes	360	28	2,979	29			
		3	Often	303	24	2,380	23			
		4	Very often	362	28	2,919	28			
				Total		1,263	100			
b. Worried about paying for college	HOUfy1813b	1	Never	302	25	2,439	25	2.6	2.6	.01
		2	Sometimes	311	25	2,481	24			
		3	Often	248	20	2,015	19			
		4	Very often	401	31	3,240	31			
				Total		1,262	100			

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
c. Chosen not to participate in an activity due to lack of money	HOUfy1813c	1	Never	332	27	2,651	27	2.3	2.3	-.01
		2	Sometimes	419	33	3,378	33			
		3	Often	266	21	1,975	19			
		4	Very often	250	19	2,179	21			
		Total		1,267	100	10,183	100			
d. Chosen not to purchase required academic materials (books, coursepacks, supplies) due to their cost	HOUfy1813d	1	Never	673	53	4,395	43	1.9	2.0 ***	-0.15
		2	Sometimes	266	21	2,675	26			
		3	Often	156	13	1,473	14			
		4	Very often	171	14	1,635	16			
		Total		1,266	100	10,178	100			
e. Skipped meals due to lack of funds	HOUfy1813e	1	Never	771	60	6,211	60	1.7	1.7	-.01
		2	Sometimes	266	21	2,112	21			
		3	Often	106	9	870	9			
		4	Very often	123	10	983	10			
		Total		1,266	100	10,176	100			
14. During the current school year, have you done the following?										
a. <i>Not paid</i> the full amount of your rent, mortgage, or housing fees	HOUfy1814a	0	No	1,191	94	9,547	94	6%	6%	-.01
		1	Yes	73	6	619	6			
		Total		1,264	100	10,166	100			
b. <i>Not paid</i> the full amount of a utility bill	HOUfy1814b	0	No	1,225	97	9,753	96	3%	4% *	-.06
		1	Yes	36	3	402	4			
		Total		1,261	100	10,155	100			
e. <i>Not paid</i> the full amount of a phone bill	HOUfy1814c	0	No	1,211	96	9,560	94	4%	6% **	-.10
		1	Yes	44	4	562	6			
		Total		1,255	100	10,122	100			
15. If you could choose again, would you choose the same type of housing in which you currently live?										
	HOUfy1815	1	Definitely no	162	13	1,083	11	2.8	2.9 **	-0.08
		2	Probably no	262	21	2,042	20			
		3	Probably yes	467	37	3,739	37			
		4	Definitely yes	374	30	3,300	33			
		Total		1,265	100	10,164	100			

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Sophomores

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
1. Do you live on campus or off campus? [Note: If "On campus" was selected, respondent skipped to item 3.]										
	HOUfy1801	0	Off campus	533	70	4,315	62	30%	38% ***	-.16
		1	On campus	244	30	2,858	38			
			Total	777	100	7,173	100			
2a. Do you live at home with your family?										
	HOUfy1802amin	0	No	474	90	2,651	62	10%	38% ***	-.68
		1	Yes	55	10	1,644	38			
			Total	529	100	4,295	100			
2b. About how long does it usually take to get to campus from where you live?										
	HOUfy1802b	2.5	0-5 minutes	90	17	550	12	14.5	21.6 ***	-.40
		8	6-10 minutes	164	31	1,129	26			
		15.5	11-20 minutes	180	34	1,001	25			
		25.5	21-30 minutes	52	10	596	15			
		38	31-45 minutes	31	6	462	11			
		53	46-60 minutes	12	2	334	8			
		70.5	More than 60 minutes	4	1	253	5			
			Total	533	100	4,325	100			
3. Whether on or off campus, which of the following best describes where you live while attending college?										
	HOUfy1803	1	Traditional residence hall (share a bathroom with a wing or floor)	46	6	798	10			
		2	Suite style residence hall (share a bathroom with suitemates)	53	7	1,172	16			
		3	Apartment, townhouse, or other apartment-style residence	395	52	3,056	44			
		4	Fraternity or sorority housing	161	20	222	3			
		5	House	102	14	1,804	26			
		6	Institution-owned or managed family housing	2	0	16	0			
		7	Other, please specify: [Responses in SPSS data file]	13	2	62	1			
			Total	772	100	7,130	100			
4. After classes started this school year, how many times did you move your place of residence?										
	HOUfy1804	0	0	677	87	6,210	87	0.2	0.2	.02
		1	1	67	9	728	10			
		2	2	22	3	143	2			
		3	3	5	1	43	1			
		4	4	2	0	14	0			
		5	5 or more	1	0	6	0			
			Total	774	100	7,144	100			
5. How many roommates or housemates do you have? [Note: If "0" was selected, respondent skipped to item 7.]										
	HOUfy1805	0	0	71	9	979	14	2.3	2.1 **	.11
		1	1	198	25	1,905	27			
		2	2	161	21	1,137	17			
		3	3	219	28	1,868	26			
		4	4	34	4	591	8			
		5	5 or more	94	12	651	8			
			Total	777	100	7,131	100			

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6a. Do any of your roommates or housemates also attend this institution?										
HOUfy1806a	0	No		93	13	1,501	25	87%	75% ***	.30
	1	Yes		608	87	4,659	75			
		Total		701	100	6,160	100			
6b. Which of the following best describes how you became roommates or housemates? [Note: Item only given if respondent selected "No" on item 2a.]										
HOUfy1806b	1	Matched after creating an electronic housing profile		37	6	596	12			
	2	Assigned by the housing office or property owner		107	16	834	18			
	3	Planned with friend(s)		399	62	2,684	55			
	4	Found through social media		22	3	196	3			
	5	Found through an advertisement, Craigslist, etc.		10	2	34	1			
	6	Other, please specify: [Responses in SPSS data file]		79	12	501	11			
		Total		654	100	4,845	100			
7. Do you participate in a residential program where students take at least one class together and attend common educational or social activities (often called a "living-learning community")? [Note: Item only given if respondent selected "No" on item 2a.]										
HOUfy1807	0	No		674	94	4,986	91	6%	9% **	-.11
	1	Yes		43	6	507	9			
		Total		717	100	5,493	100			
8. Some housing options provide opportunities specifically for the people who live there. Which of the following, if any, have you done in your place of residence? (Select all that apply.)										
HOUfy1808a	—	Attended a class where you live (not online)		43	6	398	6	6%	6%	.00
HOUfy1808b	—	Met with a faculty member where you live		26	3	467	6	3%	6% **	-.14
HOUfy1808c	—	Met with an academic advisor where you live		21	3	233	3	3%	3%	-.02
HOUfy1808d	—	Used academic support services (tutoring, writing center, career counseling, etc.) where you live		34	4	390	5	4%	5%	-.03
HOUfy1808e	—	Studied or worked on a project with other students where you live		181	24	1,654	23	24%	23%	.02
HOUfy1808f	—	Attended social or co-curricular activities where you live		169	22	1,466	20	22%	20%	.04
HOUfy1808g	—	Attended diversity-related activities where you live		53	7	514	7	7%	7%	.00
HOUfy1808h	—	Attended health and wellness activities where you live		84	11	645	9	11%	9% *	.07
HOUfy1808i	—	None of these		454	60	4,281	63	60%	63%	-.07

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9. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about where you live while attending college?										
a. I feel physically safe where I live.	HOUfy1809a	1	Strongly disagree	7	1	62	1	4.3	4.2	.01
		2	Disagree	23	3	242	3			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	63	8	623	9			
		4	Agree	356	46	3,216	45			
		5	Strongly agree	323	42	2,952	42			
		Total		772	100	7,095	100			
b. I feel free from harassment and discrimination where I live.	HOUfy1809b	1	Strongly disagree	17	2	168	2	4.2	4.2	.00
		2	Disagree	40	5	363	5			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	76	10	688	10			
		4	Agree	310	40	2,897	41			
		5	Strongly agree	323	43	2,952	43			
		Total		766	100	7,068	100			
c. I feel comfortable being myself where I live.	HOUfy1809c	1	Strongly disagree	7	1	77	1	4.2	4.3	-.04
		2	Disagree	36	4	232	3			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	61	8	599	8			
		4	Agree	335	43	3,003	42			
		5	Strongly agree	332	44	3,179	45			
		Total		771	100	7,090	100			
d. I feel valued where I live.	HOUfy1809d	1	Strongly disagree	14	2	118	2	4.0	4.0	.00
		2	Disagree	55	7	396	6			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	149	19	1,593	23			
		4	Agree	298	38	2,548	35			
		5	Strongly agree	256	34	2,432	35			
		Total		772	100	7,087	100			
e. I feel a sense of community where I live.	HOUfy1809e	1	Strongly disagree	26	3	284	4	3.8	3.7	.07
		2	Disagree	98	12	895	13			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	165	22	1,647	23			
		4	Agree	245	32	2,260	31			
		5	Strongly agree	238	31	1,997	29			
		Total		772	100	7,083	100			
f. I can resolve conflicts that might arise within my living arrangement.	HOUfy1809f	1	Strongly disagree	11	1	102	1	4.1	4.1	.02
		2	Disagree	34	4	309	4			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	109	14	970	14			
		4	Agree	353	46	3,370	47			
		5	Strongly agree	266	35	2,333	34			
		Total		773	100	7,084	100			
10. What best describes the impact your current living situation has had on the following?										
a. Your ability to succeed academically	HOUfy1810a	1	Strong negative impact	5	1	61	1	3.8	3.8	.04
		2	Negative impact	52	6	476	7			
		3	No positive or negative impact	185	24	1,886	27			
		4	Positive impact	349	45	3,023	42			
		5	Strong positive impact	181	23	1,620	23			
		Total		772	100	7,066	100			

Sophomores

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
b. Your ability to make friends in college	HOUfy1810b	1	Strong negative impact	26	3	181	3	3.7	3.5 ***	.18
		2	Negative impact	72	9	801	12			
		3	No positive or negative impact	194	26	2,319	33			
		4	Positive impact	280	36	2,409	34			
		5	Strong positive impact	201	26	1,357	19			
		Total		773	100	7,067	100			
c. Your overall physical well-being	HOUfy1810c	1	Strong negative impact	11	1	73	1	3.9	3.8	.07
		2	Negative impact	45	6	471	7			
		3	No positive or negative impact	181	24	1,953	28			
		4	Positive impact	344	44	2,932	41			
		5	Strong positive impact	190	25	1,629	23			
		Total		771	100	7,058	100			
d. Your overall emotional or mental well-being	HOUfy1810d	1	Strong negative impact	23	3	174	2	3.8	3.7	.06
		2	Negative impact	75	9	698	10			
		3	No positive or negative impact	171	23	1,843	26			
		4	Positive impact	296	38	2,697	38			
		5	Strong positive impact	203	27	1,632	24			
		Total		768	100	7,044	100			
11. About how many hours do you sleep on a typical night?										
	HOUfy1811	4	4 or fewer hours	30	4	331	5	6.8	6.6 ***	.16
		5	5 hours	65	9	947	14			
		6	6 hours	207	26	1,982	28			
		7	7 hours	280	36	2,281	32			
		8	8 hours	153	20	1,262	18			
		9	9 hours	27	3	213	3			
		10	10 or more hours	11	1	57	1			
		Total		773	100	7,073	100			
12. During the current school year, about how often have you been homesick? [Note: Item only given if respondent selected "No" on item 2a.]										
	HOUfy1812	1	Never	201	30	1,834	37	2.0	1.9 **	.12
		2	Sometimes	368	51	2,564	45			
		3	Often	91	12	643	11			
		4	Very often	57	8	387	7			
		Total		717	100	5,428	100			
13. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?										
a. Worried about having enough money for regular expenses	HOUfy1813a	1	Never	132	17	1,247	19	2.7	2.6	.04
		2	Sometimes	208	28	1,970	28			
		3	Often	185	24	1,632	23			
		4	Very often	247	31	2,204	30			
				Total		772	100			
b. Worried about paying for college	HOUfy1813b	1	Never	238	31	1,916	28	2.4	2.5	-.06
		2	Sometimes	167	22	1,652	23			
		3	Often	143	18	1,284	18			
		4	Very often	223	28	2,201	30			
				Total		771	100			

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
c. Chosen not to participate in an activity due to lack of money	HOUfy1813c	1	Never	156	21	1,516	22	2.5	2.5	.04
		2	Sometimes	256	33	2,304	33			
		3	Often	155	20	1,420	20			
		4	Very often	205	26	1,795	25			
		Total		772	100	7,035	100			
d. Chosen not to purchase required academic materials (books, coursepacks, supplies) due to their cost	HOUfy1813d	1	Never	297	39	2,369	34	2.2	2.3 **	-0.12
		2	Sometimes	202	26	1,798	25			
		3	Often	126	16	1,232	18			
		4	Very often	147	19	1,636	23			
		Total		772	100	7,035	100			
e. Skipped meals due to lack of funds	HOUfy1813e	1	Never	357	46	3,665	52	1.9	1.8 *	.09
		2	Sometimes	221	29	1,750	25			
		3	Often	88	11	732	10			
		4	Very often	106	14	893	13			
		Total		772	100	7,040	100			
14. During the current school year, have you done the following?										
a. <i>Not paid</i> the full amount of your rent, mortgage, or housing fees	HOUfy1814a	0	No	710	92	6,512	93	8%	7%	.03
		1	Yes	61	8	520	7			
		Total		771	100	7,032	100			
b. <i>Not paid</i> the full amount of a utility bill	HOUfy1814b	0	No	725	94	6,579	94	6%	6%	-0.01
		1	Yes	45	6	445	6			
		Total		770	100	7,024	100			
e. <i>Not paid</i> the full amount of a phone bill	HOUfy1814c	0	No	731	96	6,501	93	4%	7% **	-0.13
		1	Yes	29	4	505	7			
		Total		760	100	7,006	100			
15. If you could choose again, would you choose the same type of housing in which you currently live?										
	HOUfy1815	1	Definitely no	67	8	617	9	3.0	3.0	-0.01
		2	Probably no	133	17	1,268	17			
		3	Probably yes	311	41	2,651	38			
		4	Definitely yes	257	34	2,504	36			
		Total		768	100	7,040	100			

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
1. Do you live on campus or off campus? [Note: If "On campus" was selected, respondent skipped to item 3.]										
	HOUsr1801	0	Off campus	1,040	89	11,698	90	11%	10%	.04
		1	On campus	136	11	1,374	10			
			Total	1,176	100	13,072	100			
2a. Do you live at home with your family?										
	HOUsr1802amin	0	No	854	82	7,524	66	18%	34% ***	-0.37
		1	Yes	182	18	4,106	34			
			Total	1,036	100	11,630	100			
2b. About how long does it usually take to get to campus from where you live?										
	HOUsr1802b	2.5	0-5 minutes	135	13	1,416	12	16.5	23.6 ***	-0.36
		8	6-10 minutes	331	32	2,576	22			
		15.5	11-20 minutes	343	33	2,724	24			
		25.5	21-30 minutes	98	9	1,698	14			
		38	31-45 minutes	76	7	1,352	11			
		53	46-60 minutes	47	5	1,036	9			
		70.5	More than 60 minutes	12	1	886	7			
			Total	1,042	100	11,688	100			
3. Whether on or off campus, which of the following best describes where you live while attending college?										
	HOUsr1803	1	Traditional residence hall (share a bathroom with a wing or floor)	21	2	351	2			
		2	Suite style residence hall (share a bathroom with suitemates)	23	2	506	4			
		3	Apartment, townhouse, or other apartment-style residence	641	54	6,498	51			
		4	Fraternity or sorority housing	64	6	151	1			
		5	House	403	35	5,347	40			
		6	Institution-owned or managed family housing	4	0	30	0			
		7	Other, please specify: [Responses in SPSS data file]	21	2	131	1			
			Total	1,177	100	13,014	100			
4. After classes started this school year, how many times did you move your place of residence?										
	HOUsr1804	0	0	1,034	88	11,088	85	0.2	0.2	-0.03
		1	1	84	7	1,255	10			
		2	2	25	2	353	3			
		3	3	23	2	196	1			
		4	4	10	1	86	1			
		5	5 or more	2	0	53	0			
			Total	1,178	100	13,031	100			
5. How many roommates or housemates do you have? [Note: If "0" was selected, respondent skipped to item 7.]										
	HOUsr1805	0	0	140	12	2,290	18	2.2	2.0 ***	.14
		1	1	315	26	3,286	26			
		2	2	265	22	2,497	19			
		3	3	243	21	2,795	21			
		4	4	74	6	1,143	8			
		5	5 or more	137	12	995	7			
			Total	1,174	100	13,006	100			

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
6. Do any of your roommates or housemates also attend this institution?										
	HOUsr1806	0	No	267	26	4,428	41	74%	59% ***	.31
		1	Yes	770	74	6,302	59			
			Total	1,037	100	10,730	100			
7. When choosing your current living situation, how important to you were the following factors?										
a. Proximity to campus	HOUsr1807a	1	Not at all important	111	10	1,906	15	4.5	4.3 ***	.12
		2	2	79	7	609	5			
		3	3	109	9	1,387	11			
		4	4	163	14	1,996	15			
		5	5	245	21	2,329	18			
		6	Very important	467	39	4,758	36			
			Total	1,174	100	12,985	100			
b. Proximity to work	HOUsr1807b	1	Not at all important	404	35	3,826	31	3.0	3.3 ***	-.16
		2	2	132	11	931	7			
		3	3	153	13	1,688	13			
		4	4	172	15	2,163	17			
		5	5	130	11	1,740	13			
		6	Very important	184	15	2,614	19			
			Total	1,175	100	12,962	100			
c. Proximity to family	HOUsr1807c	1	Not at all important	674	57	5,615	45	2.2	2.8 ***	-.31
		2	2	127	11	1,168	9			
		3	3	128	11	1,437	11			
		4	4	80	7	1,435	11			
		5	5	66	6	1,040	8			
		6	Very important	98	8	2,268	17			
			Total	1,173	100	12,963	100			
d. Proximity to social spaces, dining options, or nightlife	HOUsr1807d	1	Not at all important	373	32	4,304	33	3.0	2.8 **	.08
		2	2	137	12	1,745	13			
		3	3	197	17	2,305	18			
		4	4	202	17	2,285	18			
		5	5	138	12	1,255	10			
		6	Very important	127	10	1,071	8			
			Total	1,174	100	12,965	100			
e. Ability to focus on academics	HOUsr1807e	1	Not at all important	133	11	1,610	13	4.0	4.1 **	-.08
		2	2	97	8	841	7			
		3	3	180	16	1,640	13			
		4	4	251	21	2,612	20			
		5	5	256	22	2,441	19			
		6	Very important	258	22	3,804	29			
			Total	1,175	100	12,948	100			
f. Ability to choose your roommates	HOUsr1807f	1	Not at all important	191	16	3,457	27	4.4	3.9 ***	.23
		2	2	45	4	540	4			
		3	3	71	6	899	7			
		4	4	135	11	1,412	11			
		5	5	233	20	1,869	14			
		6	Very important	499	42	4,764	37			
			Total	1,174	100	12,941	100			

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
g. Cost	HOUsr1807g	1	Not at all important	46	4	812	6	5.0	5.0	-.05
		2	2	27	2	240	2			
		3	3	87	8	687	5			
		4	4	155	13	1,414	11			
		5	5	250	21	2,279	18			
		6	Very important	611	51	7,529	58			
	Total			1,176	100	12,961	100			
h. Ability to drink or smoke in your home	HOUsr1807h	1	Not at all important	574	49	7,548	58	2.5	2.3 ***	.12
		2	2	128	11	1,133	9			
		3	3	132	11	1,068	8			
		4	4	132	11	1,146	9			
		5	5	95	8	779	6			
		6	Very important	112	10	1,283	10			
	Total			1,173	100	12,957	100			
i. Ability to have visitors	HOUsr1807i	1	Not at all important	201	17	2,788	22	3.9	3.9	.02
		2	2	77	7	644	5			
		3	3	146	12	1,348	10			
		4	4	201	17	2,091	16			
		5	5	227	19	2,240	17			
		6	Very important	323	27	3,829	29			
	Total			1,175	100	12,940	100			
j. Safety	HOUsr1807j	1	Not at all important	77	7	729	6	4.6	4.9 ***	-.21
		2	2	38	4	293	3			
		3	3	106	10	832	7			
		4	4	220	19	1,652	14			
		5	5	267	22	2,554	20			
		6	Very important	467	38	6,892	51			
	Total			1,175	100	12,952	100			
k. Privacy	HOUsr1807k	1	Not at all important	68	6	691	6	4.7	4.9 ***	-.18
		2	2	47	4	257	2			
		3	3	92	8	784	6			
		4	4	191	16	1,782	14			
		5	5	300	25	2,763	21			
		6	Very important	476	39	6,667	50			
	Total			1,174	100	12,944	100			
l. Quiet spaces	HOUsr1807l	1	Not at all important	99	9	1,001	8	4.3	4.6 ***	-.15
		2	2	71	6	557	5			
		3	3	140	12	1,201	10			
		4	4	212	18	2,126	17			
		5	5	265	22	2,463	19			
		6	Very important	388	32	5,593	42			
	Total			1,175	100	12,941	100			

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
m. Size of room	HOUsr1807m	1	Not at all important	137	12	1,655	13	3.7	3.9 ***	-.11
		2	2	140	12	1,026	8			
		3	3	210	18	2,096	16			
		4	4	304	26	3,062	24			
		5	5	189	16	2,070	16			
		6	Very important	194	16	3,026	23			
		Total		1,174	100	12,935	100			
n. Access to gym, pool, other recreational facilities	HOUsr1807n	1	Not at all important	470	40	4,882	37	2.6	2.8 ***	-.14
		2	2	200	17	1,730	13			
		3	3	158	14	1,817	14			
		4	4	155	13	1,740	14			
		5	5	102	8	1,141	9			
		6	Very important	90	8	1,621	12			
		Total		1,175	100	12,931	100			
o. Access to transportation to campus	HOUsr1807o	1	Not at all important	396	34	4,443	34	3.0	3.3 ***	-.13
		2	2	154	13	1,112	8			
		3	3	144	13	1,313	10			
		4	4	158	13	1,548	12			
		5	5	130	11	1,498	12			
		6	Very important	192	16	3,003	23			
		Total		1,174	100	12,917	100			
p. Parking	HOUsr1807p	1	Not at all important	171	15	3,084	24	3.9	3.9	.04
		2	2	99	9	705	6			
		3	3	162	14	1,207	10			
		4	4	211	18	1,793	14			
		5	5	218	18	1,997	15			
		6	Very important	313	26	4,136	32			
		Total		1,174	100	12,922	100			
q. Approval of family members	HOUsr1807q	1	Not at all important	385	34	4,192	33	3.0	3.2 ***	-.11
		2	2	140	12	1,264	10			
		3	3	173	15	1,453	11			
		4	4	159	13	1,827	14			
		5	5	163	14	1,482	11			
		6	Very important	151	13	2,697	20			
		Total		1,171	100	12,915	100			

r. Other, please specify: [Text responses are in SPSS data file]

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
8. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about where you live while attending college?										
a. I feel physically safe where I live.	HOUsr1808a	1	Strongly disagree	17	1	348	3	4.3	4.3	-.01
		2	Disagree	27	2	391	3			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	102	9	965	8			
		4	Agree	519	44	4,906	38			
		5	Strongly agree	505	44	6,292	49			
		Total		1,170	100	12,902	100			
b. I feel free from harassment and discrimination where I live.	HOUsr1808b	1	Strongly disagree	33	3	553	4	4.2	4.2	.01
		2	Disagree	55	5	520	4			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	90	8	1,054	8			
		4	Agree	435	37	4,263	33			
		5	Strongly agree	557	48	6,487	51			
		Total		1,170	100	12,877	100			
c. I feel comfortable being myself where I live.	HOUsr1808c	1	Strongly disagree	19	2	349	3	4.4	4.4	.01
		2	Disagree	21	2	314	2			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	79	7	743	6			
		4	Agree	439	37	4,439	34			
		5	Strongly agree	612	53	7,047	55			
		Total		1,170	100	12,892	100			
d. I feel valued where I live.	HOUsr1808d	1	Strongly disagree	23	2	420	3	4.1	4.1 **	.08
		2	Disagree	37	3	565	4			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	201	17	2,451	20			
		4	Agree	408	34	3,841	29			
		5	Strongly agree	503	43	5,589	43			
		Total		1,172	100	12,866	100			
e. I feel a sense of community where I live.	HOUsr1808e	1	Strongly disagree	51	4	709	6	3.7	3.7	.02
		2	Disagree	124	10	1,319	10			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	300	26	2,984	24			
		4	Agree	307	26	3,475	27			
		5	Strongly agree	389	34	4,379	34			
		Total		1,171	100	12,866	100			
f. I can resolve conflicts that might arise within my living arrangement.	HOUsr1808f	1	Strongly disagree	19	2	373	3	4.1	4.1	.01
		2	Disagree	46	4	406	3			
		3	Neither agree nor disagree	142	12	1,693	13			
		4	Agree	513	43	5,087	39			
		5	Strongly agree	452	39	5,299	42			
		Total		1,172	100	12,858	100			
9. In your current living situation, how difficult has it been for you to do the following?										
a. Shop for food	HOUsr1809a	1	Not at all difficult	736	63	7,613	60	1.8	1.8 **	-.08
		2	2	196	17	2,186	17			
		3	3	98	8	1,235	9			
		4	4	92	8	1,102	8			
		5	5	35	3	452	3			
		6	Very difficult	13	1	266	2			
		Total		1,170	100	12,854	100			

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				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
b. Live with others	HOUsr1809b	1	Not at all difficult	584	50	6,836	54	1.9	1.9	-.01
		2	2	293	25	2,620	20			
		3	3	151	13	1,640	12			
		4	4	100	8	1,030	8			
		5	5	30	2	416	3			
		6	Very difficult	13	1	291	2			
		Total		1,171	100	12,833	100			
c. Study or prepare for class	HOUsr1809c	1	Not at all difficult	489	42	5,207	41	2.1	2.2 **	-0.09
		2	2	303	26	2,983	23			
		3	3	203	17	2,221	17			
		4	4	127	11	1,480	11			
		5	5	35	3	591	5			
		6	Very difficult	14	1	344	3			
		Total		1,171	100	12,826	100			
d. Get to class	HOUsr1809d	1	Not at all difficult	558	48	6,068	47	2.0	2.1 ***	-0.10
		2	2	288	24	2,764	21			
		3	3	181	15	1,762	14			
		4	4	94	8	1,363	11			
		5	5	38	3	578	5			
		6	Very difficult	11	1	297	2			
		Total		1,170	100	12,832	100			
e. Access on-campus resources (advising, library, etc.)	HOUsr1809e	1	Not at all difficult	545	47	6,146	48	2.1	2.2 **	-0.08
		2	2	285	24	2,612	20			
		3	3	164	14	1,585	12			
		4	4	99	9	1,322	11			
		5	5	41	3	629	5			
		6	Very difficult	34	3	528	4			
		Total		1,168	100	12,822	100			
10. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?										
a. Worried about having enough money for regular expenses	HOUsr1810a	1	Never	278	24	2,426	20	2.4	2.5 ***	-0.11
		2	Sometimes	401	34	4,454	35			
		3	Often	252	22	2,771	21			
		4	Very often	238	20	3,167	24			
			Total	1,169	100	12,818	100			
b. Worried about paying for college	HOUsr1810b	1	Never	436	37	4,003	32	2.2	2.3 **	-0.09
		2	Sometimes	289	25	3,346	26			
		3	Often	183	16	2,242	17			
		4	Very often	264	22	3,228	24			
			Total	1,172	100	12,819	100			
c. Chosen not to participate in an activity due to lack of money	HOUsr1810c	1	Never	277	24	2,650	21	2.4	2.5 ***	-0.10
		2	Sometimes	423	36	4,456	35			
		3	Often	245	21	2,696	21			
		4	Very often	223	19	3,003	23			
			Total	1,168	100	12,805	100			

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Item wording or description	Variable name	Values ^c	Response options	Frequency Distributions ^a				Statistical Comparisons ^b		
				KU		Housing Study		KU	Housing Study	
				Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d
d. Chosen not to purchase required academic materials (books, coursepacks, supplies) due to their cost	HOUsr1810d	1	Never	424	36	3,797	30	2.2	2.4 ***	-0.16
		2	Sometimes	328	28	3,517	27			
		3	Often	197	17	2,388	19			
		4	Very often	219	19	3,110	24			
		Total		1,168	100	12,812	100			
e. Skipped meals due to lack of funds	HOUsr1810e	1	Never	676	58	6,668	52	1.7	1.8 ***	-0.11
		2	Sometimes	299	26	3,418	27			
		3	Often	89	8	1,285	10			
		4	Very often	107	9	1,434	11			
		Total		1,171	100	12,805	100			
11. During the current school year, have you done the following?										
a. <i>Not paid</i> the full amount of your rent, mortgage, or housing fees	HOUsr1811a	0	No	1,080	92	11,586	91	8%	9% *	-0.06
		1	Yes	89	8	1,225	9			
		Total		1,169	100	12,811	100			
b. <i>Not paid</i> the full amount of a utility bill	HOUsr1811b	0	No	1,058	91	11,447	89	9%	11%	-0.04
		1	Yes	112	9	1,372	11			
		Total		1,170	100	12,819	100			
e. <i>Not paid</i> the full amount of a phone bill	HOUsr1811c	0	No	1,093	94	11,437	90	6%	10% ***	-0.16
		1	Yes	73	6	1,378	10			
		Total		1,166	100	12,815	100			
12. About how many years have you lived on campus while attending this institution?										
HOUsr1812	0	I never lived on campus at this institution	364	32	6,134	48	1.3	1.0 ***	0.21	
	0.5	Less than 1 year	40	3	451	3				
	1	1 year	355	29	2,122	16				
	2	2 years	199	17	2,352	18				
	3	3 years	113	9	924	7				
	4	4 years	82	7	729	6				
	5	More than 4 years	16	2	109	1				
	Total		1,169	100	12,821	100				
13a. Whether or not you have ever lived on campus, how would you rate the quality of on-campus housing at this institution?										
HOUsr1813a	1	Poor	66	6	591	5	3.7	3.8	-0.05	
	2	2	110	10	963	8				
	3	3	276	24	3,152	25				
	4	4	409	35	4,656	37				
	5	5	226	20	2,351	18				
	6	Excellent	64	5	829	7				
	Total		1,151	100	12,542	100				

13b. Please explain this rating:

This final question asked seniors to respond in an open text box. Responses are provided in your SPSS data file named "NSSE18 Housing Comments." *These open-ended responses appear exactly as respondents entered them and may not be suitable for distribution without prior review.*

*p<.05, **p<.01, ***p<.001 (2-tailed); Refer to the endnotes page for the key to triangle symbols.

First-Year Students

Variable name	N	Mean		Standard error ^f		Standard deviation ^g		DF ^h	Sig. ⁱ	Effect size ^d
		KU	Housing Study	KU	Housing Study	KU	Housing Study			
HOUfy1801 ^j	1,273	.84	.65	.010	.003	--	--	--	.000	.43
HOUfy1802 ^a	205	.24	.68	.030	.006	--	--	--	.000	-.91
HOUfy1802bmin	205	15.3	27.7	.96	.24	13.7	19.4	229	.000	-.64
HOUfy1804	1,266	.2	.2	.02	.00	.5	.5	20,684	.440	.02
HOUfy1805	1,264	1.9	2.0	.03	.01	1.2	1.4	1,497	.323	-.03
HOUfy1806 ^a	1,194	.93	.78	.007	.003	--	--	--	.000	.44
HOUfy1807 ^j	1,213	.09	.21	.008	.003	--	--	--	.000	-.37
HOUfy1808 ^a	1,250	.05	.12	.006	.002	--	--	--	.000	-.23
HOUfy1808 ^b	1,250	.07	.11	.007	.002	--	--	--	.000	-.14
HOUfy1808 ^c	1,250	.03	.07	.005	.002	--	--	--	.000	-.18
HOUfy1808 ^d	1,250	.08	.09	.008	.002	--	--	--	.066	-.06
HOUfy1808 ^e	1,250	.36	.29	.014	.003	--	--	--	.000	.15
HOUfy1808 ^f	1,250	.32	.29	.013	.003	--	--	--	.025	.06
HOUfy1808 ^g	1,250	.11	.10	.009	.002	--	--	--	.299	.03
HOUfy1808 ^h	1,250	.12	.11	.009	.002	--	--	--	.308	.03
HOUfy1808 ⁱ	1,250	.45	.52	.014	.004	--	--	--	.000	-.13
HOUfy1809a	1,265	4.3	4.3	.02	.01	.7	.8	20,520	.002	.09
HOUfy1809b	1,259	4.2	4.1	.03	.01	.9	.9	20,412	.001	.10
HOUfy1809c	1,262	4.2	4.2	.02	.01	.9	.9	20,460	.139	.04
HOUfy1809d	1,261	4.0	3.9	.03	.01	1.0	1.0	20,479	.457	.02
HOUfy1809e	1,263	3.8	3.8	.03	.01	1.2	1.1	1,407	.237	.04
HOUfy1809f	1,258	4.1	4.0	.02	.01	.9	.9	20,478	.121	.05
HOUfy1810a	1,262	3.9	3.8	.03	.01	.9	.9	20,428	.023	.07
HOUfy1810b	1,261	3.9	3.6	.03	.01	1.1	1.0	1,427	.000	.20
HOUfy1810c	1,260	3.8	3.8	.03	.01	1.0	.9	1,410	.999	.00
HOUfy1810d	1,259	3.7	3.6	.03	.01	1.1	1.0	20,411	.118	.05
HOUfy1811	1,262	6.7	6.6	.03	.01	1.1	1.2	1,456	.000	.12
HOUfy1812	1,208	2.1	2.0	.03	.01	.9	.9	15,818	.354	.03
HOUfy1813a	1,256	2.6	2.6	.03	.01	1.1	1.1	20,420	.629	.01
HOUfy1813b	1,255	2.6	2.6	.03	.01	1.2	1.2	20,399	.665	.01
HOUfy1813c	1,261	2.3	2.3	.03	.01	1.1	1.1	20,426	.665	-.01
HOUfy1813d	1,259	1.9	2.0	.03	.01	1.1	1.1	20,417	.000	-.15
HOUfy1813e	1,260	1.7	1.7	.03	.01	1.0	1.0	20,409	.851	-.01
HOUfy1814 ^a	1,258	.06	.06	.007	.002	--	--	--	.737	-.01
HOUfy1814 ^b	1,255	.03	.04	.005	.001	--	--	--	.048	-.06
HOUfy1814 ^c	1,248	.04	.06	.005	.002	--	--	--	.003	-.10
HOUfy1815	1,259	2.8	2.9	.03	.01	1.0	1.0	1,421	.009	-.08

Sophomores

Variable name	N	Mean		Standard error ^f		Standard deviation ^g		DF ^h	Sig. ⁱ	Effect size ^d
		KU	Housing Study	KU	Housing Study	KU	Housing Study			
HOUfy1801 ^j	777	.30	.38	.016	.004	--	--	--	.000	-.16
HOUfy1802 ^a	538	.10	.38	.013	.005	--	--	--	.000	-.68
HOUfy1802bmin	542	14.5	21.6	.50	.19	11.6	18.1	715	.000	-.40
HOUfy1804	774	.2	.2	.02	.00	.6	.5	14,754	.531	.02
HOUfy1805	777	2.3	2.1	.05	.01	1.4	1.5	14,727	.002	.11
HOUfy1806 ^a	700	.87	.75	.013	.004	--	--	--	.000	.30
HOUfy1807 ^j	717	.06	.09	.009	.003	--	--	--	.006	-.11
HOUfy1808 ^a	758	.06	.06	.009	.002	--	--	--	.951	.00
HOUfy1808 ^b	758	.03	.06	.007	.002	--	--	--	.001	-.14
HOUfy1808 ^c	758	.03	.03	.006	.002	--	--	--	.602	-.02
HOUfy1808 ^d	758	.04	.05	.008	.002	--	--	--	.386	-.03
HOUfy1808 ^e	758	.24	.23	.015	.004	--	--	--	.599	.02
HOUfy1808 ^f	758	.22	.20	.015	.003	--	--	--	.224	.04
HOUfy1808 ^g	758	.07	.07	.009	.002	--	--	--	.942	.00
HOUfy1808 ^h	758	.11	.09	.011	.002	--	--	--	.044	.07
HOUfy1808 ⁱ	758	.60	.63	.018	.004	--	--	--	.072	-.07
HOUfy1809a	772	4.3	4.2	.03	.01	.8	.8	14,644	.765	.01
HOUfy1809b	766	4.2	4.2	.03	.01	.9	.9	14,585	.917	.00
HOUfy1809c	771	4.2	4.3	.03	.01	.8	.8	14,630	.324	-.04
HOUfy1809d	772	4.0	4.0	.04	.01	1.0	1.0	14,633	.932	.00
HOUfy1809e	772	3.8	3.7	.04	.01	1.1	1.1	14,629	.053	.07
HOUfy1809f	773	4.1	4.1	.03	.01	.9	.9	14,628	.596	.02
HOUfy1810a	772	3.8	3.8	.03	.01	.9	.9	865	.243	.04
HOUfy1810b	773	3.7	3.5	.04	.01	1.0	1.0	14,604	.000	.18
HOUfy1810c	771	3.9	3.8	.03	.01	.9	.9	859	.064	.07
HOUfy1810d	767	3.8	3.7	.04	.01	1.0	1.0	14,548	.100	.06
HOUfy1811	773	6.8	6.6	.04	.01	1.2	1.2	865	.000	.16
HOUfy1812	717	2.0	1.9	.03	.01	.8	.9	818	.003	.12
HOUfy1813a	772	2.7	2.6	.04	.01	1.1	1.1	14,579	.271	.04
HOUfy1813b	771	2.4	2.5	.04	.01	1.2	1.2	14,577	.105	-.06
HOUfy1813c	772	2.5	2.5	.04	.01	1.1	1.1	14,537	.224	.04
HOUfy1813d	772	2.2	2.3	.04	.01	1.1	1.2	864	.001	-.12
HOUfy1813e	772	1.9	1.8	.04	.01	1.1	1.0	14,554	.016	.09
HOUfy1814 ^a	771	.08	.07	.010	.002	--	--	--	.391	.03
HOUfy1814 ^b	770	.06	.06	.009	.002	--	--	--	.844	-.01
HOUfy1814 ^c	758	.04	.07	.007	.002	--	--	--	.001	-.13
HOUfy1815	768	3.0	3.0	.03	.01	.9	.9	14,552	.795	-.01

See the endnotes on the last page of this report.

Seniors

Variable name	N	Mean		Standard error ^f		Standard deviation ^g		DF ^h	Sig. ⁱ	Effect size ^d
		KU	Housing Study	KU	Housing Study	KU	Housing Study			
HOUsr1801 ^j	1,173	.11	.10	.009	.002	--	--	--	.151	.04
HOUsr1802 ^a	1,036	.18	.34	.012	.003	--	--	--	.000	-.37
HOUsr1802bmin	1,042	16.5	23.6	.43	.13	13.8	19.6	1,253	.000	-.36
HOUsr1804	1,175	.2	.2	.02	.00	.7	.7	25,002	.347	-.03
HOUsr1805	1,171	2.2	2.0	.04	.01	1.5	1.5	24,948	.000	.14
HOUsr1806 ^j	1,032	.74	.59	.014	.004	--	--	--	.000	.31
HOUsr1807a	1,171	4.5	4.3	.05	.01	1.7	1.8	1,307	.000	.12
HOUsr1807b	1,172	3.0	3.3	.05	.01	1.9	1.9	1,297	.000	-.16
HOUsr1807c	1,170	2.2	2.8	.05	.01	1.7	1.9	1,330	.000	-.31
HOUsr1807d	1,171	3.0	2.8	.05	.01	1.7	1.7	1,279	.007	.08
HOUsr1807e	1,173	4.0	4.1	.05	.01	1.6	1.7	1,303	.008	-.08
HOUsr1807f	1,171	4.4	3.9	.05	.01	1.9	2.1	1,317	.000	.23
HOUsr1807g	1,173	5.0	5.0	.04	.01	1.4	1.4	24,872	.099	-.05
HOUsr1807h	1,171	2.5	2.3	.05	.01	1.8	1.8	24,858	.000	.12
HOUsr1807i	1,172	3.9	3.9	.05	.01	1.8	1.9	1,304	.421	.02
HOUsr1807j	1,173	4.6	4.9	.04	.01	1.5	1.5	1,282	.000	-.21
HOUsr1807k	1,172	4.7	4.9	.04	.01	1.5	1.4	1,279	.000	-.18
HOUsr1807l	1,172	4.3	4.6	.05	.01	1.6	1.6	24,830	.000	-.15
HOUsr1807m	1,172	3.7	3.9	.05	.01	1.6	1.6	24,819	.000	-.11
HOUsr1807n	1,173	2.6	2.8	.05	.01	1.7	1.8	1,312	.000	-.14
HOUsr1807o	1,172	3.0	3.3	.05	.01	1.9	2.0	1,309	.000	-.13
HOUsr1807p	1,172	3.9	3.9	.05	.01	1.8	2.0	1,322	.119	.04
HOUsr1807q	1,169	3.0	3.2	.05	.01	1.8	1.9	1,305	.000	-.11
HOUsr1808a	1,167	4.3	4.3	.02	.01	.8	.9	1,317	.776	-.01
HOUsr1808b	1,167	4.2	4.2	.03	.01	1.0	1.0	1,303	.817	.01
HOUsr1808c	1,168	4.4	4.4	.02	.01	.8	.9	1,311	.683	.01
HOUsr1808d	1,170	4.1	4.1	.03	.01	.9	1.0	1,316	.002	.08
HOUsr1808e	1,169	3.7	3.7	.03	.01	1.2	1.2	24,687	.486	.02
HOUsr1808f	1,170	4.1	4.1	.03	.01	.9	.9	1,307	.749	.01
HOUsr1809a	1,168	1.8	1.8	.03	.01	1.2	1.3	1,305	.006	-.08
HOUsr1809b	1,168	1.9	1.9	.03	.01	1.2	1.3	1,310	.648	-.01
HOUsr1809c	1,169	2.1	2.2	.04	.01	1.2	1.3	1,314	.002	-.09
HOUsr1809d	1,167	2.0	2.1	.03	.01	1.2	1.3	1,319	.000	-.10
HOUsr1809e	1,166	2.1	2.2	.04	.01	1.3	1.4	1,310	.006	-.08
HOUsr1810a	1,167	2.4	2.5	.03	.01	1.1	1.1	24,599	.000	-.11
HOUsr1810b	1,170	2.2	2.3	.03	.01	1.2	1.2	24,590	.002	-.09
HOUsr1810c	1,165	2.4	2.5	.03	.01	1.0	1.1	1,288	.001	-.10
HOUsr1810d	1,166	2.2	2.4	.03	.01	1.1	1.1	1,291	.000	-.16
HOUsr1810e	1,169	1.7	1.8	.03	.01	1.0	1.0	1,303	.000	-.11
HOUsr1811 ^a	1,167	.08	.09	.008	.002	--	--	--	.042	-.06
HOUsr1811 ^b	1,168	.09	.11	.009	.002	--	--	--	.191	-.04
HOUsr1811 ^c	1,163	.06	.10	.007	.002	--	--	--	.000	-.16
HOUsr1812	1,167	1.3	1.0	.04	.01	1.3	1.3	24,603	.000	.21
HOUsr1813a	1,149	3.7	3.8	.04	.01	1.2	1.2	1,260	.093	-.05

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). Unless otherwise noted, statistical comparisons are two-tailed independent t -tests. Items with categorical response sets are left blank.
- c. These are the values used to calculate means. For the majority of items, these values match the codes in the data file and codebook.
- d. Effect size for independent t -tests uses Cohen's d ; z -tests use Cohen's h .
- e. Statistics are weighted by institution-reported sex and enrollment status (and institution size for comparison groups). Categorical items are not listed.
- f. The 95% confidence interval for the population mean is equal to the sample mean plus or minus 1.96 times the standard error of the mean.
- g. A measure of the amount individual scores deviate from the mean of all the scores in the distribution.
- h. Degrees of freedom used to compute the t -tests. Values differ from N s due to weighting and whether equal variances were assumed.
- i. 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 students in the comparison group is due to chance.
- j. Statistical comparison uses z -test to compare the proportion of the response coded as '1' (e.g., "On campus" in item HOUfy1801 or "Yes" in item HOUfy1802a) with all who responded otherwise.

Key to symbols:

- ▲ **Your students' average** was significantly higher ($p < .05$) with an effect size at least .3 in magnitude.
- △ **Your students' average** was significantly higher ($p < .05$) with an effect size less than .3 in magnitude.
- ▽ **Your students' average** was significantly lower ($p < .05$) with an effect size less than .3 in magnitude.
- ▼ **Your students' average** was significantly lower ($p < .05$) with an effect size at least .3 in magnitude.

Note: It is important to interpret the direction of differences relative to item wording and your institutional context.