

About This Report

The NSSE *Institutional Report* displays core survey results for your students alongside those of three comparison groups and provides additional comparison group results for Topical Modules and consortium questions. In May, your institution was invited to customize these groups via a form on the Institution Interface.

NSSE comparison groups may be customized by (a) identifying specific institutions from the list of all prior and current year NSSE participants, (b) composing the group by selecting institutional characteristics, or (c) a combination of these. Institutions that chose not to customize received default groups that provide relevant comparisons for most institutions.

Prior-year NSSE participants are identified with an asterisk (*) in the institution lists below.

NSSE Core Survey Comparison Group 1

Name: Identified Peers

Number of institutions: 15

Comparison group selection: Your institution customized the comparison group by selecting individual institutions or types of institutions.

Group description: GVSU Identified peer institutions that participate in NSSE.

List of institutions:

1. Appalachian State University (Boone, NC)*
2. CUNY Bernard M Baruch College (New York, NY)*
3. California Polytechnic State University-San Luis Obispo (San Luis Obispo, CA)*
4. College of Charleston (Charleston, SC)*
5. Illinois State University (Normal, IL)
6. Kent State University at Kent (Kent, OH)
7. Miami University-Oxford (Oxford, OH)
8. Montclair State University (Montclair, NJ)
9. Towson University (Towson, MD)
10. University of Maryland, Baltimore County (Baltimore, MD)
11. University of Massachusetts Lowell (Lowell, MA)*
12. University of North Carolina Wilmington (Wilmington, NC)
13. University of North Carolina at Charlotte (Charlotte, NC)
14. University of Northern Iowa (Cedar Falls, IA)
15. West Chester University of Pennsylvania (West Chester, PA)*

NSSE Core Survey Comparison Group 2

Name: Carnegie Class

Number of institutions: 47

Comparison group selection: Your institution customized the comparison group by selecting individual institutions or types of institutions.

Group description: All other current- and prior-year public NSSE institutions with the same Carnegie 2025 Institutional Classification.

List of institutions:

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| 1. Appalachian State University (Boone, NC)* | 31. Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania (Shippensburg, PA)* |
| 2. Boise State University (Boise, ID)* | 32. Southeastern Louisiana University (Hammond, LA) |
| 3. Bowie State University (Bowie, MD)* | 33. State University of New York at Brockport (Brockport, NY) |
| 4. CUNY Herbert H. Lehman College (Bronx, NY) | 34. State University of New York at Cortland (Cortland, NY)* |
| 5. Central Connecticut State University (New Britain, CT) | 35. Towson University (Towson, MD) |
| 6. Central Washington University (Ellensburg, WA)* | 36. University of Central Missouri (Warrensburg, MO)* |
| 7. Clayton State University (Morrow, GA)* | 37. University of Nebraska at Kearney (Kearney, NE)* |
| 8. Coastal Carolina University (Conway, SC) | 38. University of Northern Iowa (Cedar Falls, IA) |
| 9. Commonwealth University of Pennsylvania (Bloomsburg, PA)* | 39. University of South Carolina Aiken (Aiken, SC) |
| 10. Dakota State University (Madison, SD) | 40. University of Southern Indiana (Evansville, IN) |
| 11. Delaware State University (Dover, DE) | 41. The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga (Chattanooga, TN) |
| 12. East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania (East Stroudsburg, PA)* | 42. University of Wisconsin Oshkosh (Oshkosh, WI) |
| 13. Eastern Michigan University (Ypsilanti, MI) | 43. University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire (Eau Claire, WI) |
| 14. Fayetteville State University (Fayetteville, NC) | 44. University of Wisconsin-Stout (Menomonie, WI) |
| 15. Fitchburg State University (Fitchburg, MA) | 45. University of Wisconsin-Whitewater (Whitewater, WI) |
| 16. Georgia College & State University (Milledgeville, GA) | 46. West Texas A&M University (Canyon, TX)* |
| 17. Illinois State University (Normal, IL) | 47. Winona State University (Winona, MN)* |
| 18. Kutztown University of Pennsylvania (Kutztown, PA)* | |
| 19. Metropolitan State University (Saint Paul, MN) | |
| 20. Metropolitan State University of Denver (Denver, CO)* | |
| 21. Miami University-Oxford (Oxford, OH) | |
| 22. Northwest Missouri State University (Maryville, MO)* | |
| 23. Purdue University Fort Wayne (Fort Wayne, IN) | |
| 24. Purdue University Northwest (Hammond, IN) | |
| 25. Rhode Island College (Providence, RI)* | |
| 26. SUNY Oswego (Oswego, NY) | |
| 27. SUNY-Buffalo State University (Buffalo, NY) | |
| 28. Saginaw Valley State University (University Center, MI)* | |
| 29. Salem State University (Salem, MA)* | |
| 30. Sam Houston State University (Huntsville, TX) | |

NSSE Core Survey Comparison Group 3

Name: Michigan Public

Number of institutions: 8

Comparison group selection: Your institution customized the comparison group by selecting individual institutions or types of institutions.

Group description: Michigan Public Universities that participated in NSSE.

List of institutions:

- 1. Central Michigan University (Mount Pleasant, MI)*
- 2. Eastern Michigan University (Ypsilanti, MI)
- 3. Ferris State University (Big Rapids, MI)
- 4. Northern Michigan University (Marquette, MI)*
- 5. Oakland University (Rochester Hills, MI)
- 6. Saginaw Valley State University (University Center, MI)*
- 7. University of Michigan-Dearborn (Dearborn, MI)*
- 8. Western Michigan University (Kalamazoo, MI)*

Additional Question Set Comparison Group 4 (First-Year Experiences & Senior Transitions)

Name: Public - 1st-yr & Sr

Number of institutions: 69

Comparison group selection: Your institution customized the comparison group by selecting individual institutions or types of institutions.

Group description: Public Institutions that administered the "First-Year Experiences & Senior Transitions" module.

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| 1. Alcorn State University (Alcorn State, MS) | 21. Longwood University (Farmville, VA) |
| 2. Angelo State University (San Angelo, TX)* | 22. Louisiana State University and Agricultural & Mechanical College (Baton Rouge, LA)* |
| 3. Auburn University (Auburn, AL) | 23. Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts (North Adams, MA)* |
| 4. Bowling Green State University (Bowling Green, OH)* | 24. Metropolitan State University of Denver (Denver, CO)* |
| 5. Bridgewater State University (Bridgewater, MA) | 25. Middle Georgia State University (Macon, GA)* |
| 6. California State University, Chico (Chico, CA)* | 26. Millersville University of Pennsylvania (Millersville, PA)* |
| 7. College of Charleston (Charleston, SC)* | 27. Missouri Southern State University (Joplin, MO)* |
| 8. Commonwealth University of Pennsylvania (Bloomsburg, PA)* | 28. New College of Florida (Sarasota, FL)* |
| 9. Coppin State University (Baltimore, MD)* | 29. New Mexico State University (Las Cruces, NM) |
| 10. Dakota State University (Madison, SD) | 30. Northern Michigan University (Marquette, MI)* |
| 11. East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania (East Stroudsburg, PA)* | 31. Northern State University (Aberdeen, SD) |
| 12. Eastern Washington University (Cheney, WA) | 32. Northwestern Oklahoma State University (Alva, OK) |
| 13. Fairmont State University (Fairmont, WV)* | 33. Oregon Institute of Technology (Klamath Falls, OR) |
| 14. Ferris State University (Big Rapids, MI) | 34. Pennsylvania Western University (California, PA)* |
| 15. Framingham State University (Framingham, MA) | 35. Peru State College (Peru, NE)* |
| 16. Henderson State University (Arkadelphia, AR) | 36. Rhode Island College (Providence, RI)* |
| 17. Indiana University of Pennsylvania (Indiana, PA)* | 37. SUNY-Buffalo State University (Buffalo, NY) |
| 18. Kennesaw State University (Kennesaw, GA) | 38. Sam Houston State University (Huntsville, TX) |
| 19. Kutztown University of Pennsylvania (Kutztown, PA)* | 39. San Jose State University (San Jose, CA) |
| 20. Langston University (Langston, OK) | 40. Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania (Shippensburg, PA)* |

List of institutions, continued:

41. Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania (Slippery Rock, PA)*
42. Southern Arkansas University (Magnolia, AR)*
43. Southern Illinois University Carbondale (Carbondale, IL)
44. Southwestern Oklahoma State University (Weatherford, OK)
45. Stephen F. Austin State University (Nacogdoches, TX)
46. United States Merchant Marine Academy (Kings Point, NY)*
47. University of Akron (Akron, OH)
48. The University of Alabama in Huntsville (Huntsville, AL)*
49. University of Cincinnati (Cincinnati, OH)*
50. University of Colorado Denver (Denver, CO)
51. University of Guam (Mangilao, GU)
52. University of Louisiana Monroe (Monroe, LA)
53. University of Michigan-Dearborn (Dearborn, MI)*
54. University of Minnesota Duluth (Duluth, MN)
55. University of Minnesota Morris (Morris, MN)
56. University of North Florida (Jacksonville, FL)*
57. University of Southern Mississippi (Hattiesburg, MS)
58. The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga (Chattanooga, TN)
59. The University of Texas Permian Basin (Odessa, TX)
60. The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley (Edinburg, TX)
61. University of Washington Bothell (Bothell, WA)
62. University of Washington Tacoma (Tacoma, WA)
63. University of Wisconsin Oshkosh (Oshkosh, WI)
64. University of Wisconsin-La Crosse (La Crosse, WI)
65. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (Milwaukee, WI)
66. University of Wisconsin-Stout (Menomonie, WI)
67. West Chester University of Pennsylvania (West Chester, PA)*
68. Western Colorado University (Gunnison, CO)
69. Western Connecticut State University (Danbury, CT)*