

2012 NSSE Trivia for Hot Spot on IUB Web

Selected Results from the NSSE 2012 Administration

NSSE Item 1a: 98% of First-year students contributed to class discussions
(S-O-VO) 98% of seniors contributed to class discussions

Web: The majority of undergraduate classes at IUB are between 20-29 students. Less than 7% of classes have enrollments of more than 100 students.

NSSE Item 1b: 83% of First-year students made a presentation
(S-O-VO) 95% of Seniors made a presentation

Web: The Academic Support Center offers students free workshops on developing good presentation skills. <http://www.indiana.edu/~acadsupp/info2.shtml>.

NSSE Item 1c: 79% of first-year students prepared multiple drafts of papers
(S-O-VO) 80% of seniors prepared multiple drafts of papers

Web: Writing Tutorial Services offers free workshops on all stages of the writing process. Students can also make individual appointments with a tutor for any kind of writing assignment. <http://www.indiana.edu/~wts/>.

NSSE Item 1g: 86% of first-year students worked in groups during class
(S-O-VO) 91% of seniors worked in groups during class

Web: According to findings from NSSE, student engagement is positively correlated to academic outcomes, such as the development of critical thinking skills and grades. http://nsse.iub.edu/pdf/research_papers/testing_linkages.pdf.

The Kelley School of Business offers upper-division courses designed to promote group work, professional skills, and leadership abilities through recommending solutions to a specific ethical and asymmetrical challenges. <http://www.kelley.iu.edu/ugrad/academics/courses/courseDescription.cfm?ID=16984>.

NSSE Item 1h: 96% of first-year students worked in groups outside of class
(S-O-VO) 91% of seniors worked in groups outside of class

NSSE Item 1p: 64% of first-year students met with faculty outside of class
(S-O-VO) 71% of seniors met with faculty outside of class

NSSE Item 1r: 93% of students reported working harder than expected in class.

(S-O-VO)

NSSE Item 6a: 79% of students attended an on-campus cultural event.

Web: The Jacobs School of Music offers over 1,000 concerts, operas, ballets, and recitals every year. <http://music.indiana.edu/events/>.

IU auditorium features internationally known actors (Meryl Streep), singers (Straight No Chaser, Celtic Woman, Manheim Steamroller), dancers (Joffrey Ballet), musicians (Yo-Yo Ma, The Blue Man Group), performances (Spam-A-Lot, Fiddler on the Roof), speakers (Thomas Friedman), and scholars (Cornel West) every year.

<http://www.iuauditorium.com/site/index.html>.

(S-O-VO)

I.M. Pei designed the IUB Art Museum, which has no right angles.

http://www.iub.edu/~iuam/iuam_home.php.

NSSE Item 6b: 93% of first-year students participated in physical fitness activities

(S-O-VO) 93% of seniors participated in physical fitness activities

Web: IUB offers more than 44 club sports and over 20 intramural sports every year. The Student Recreation Center has 3 gyms, 9 raquetball courts, 5 volleyball/basketball courts, an aquatics center, and an indoor running track. They offer over 90 group exercise classes and personal training sessions. <http://www.iurecsports.org/visit>.

NSSE Item 6d: 79% of first-year students analyzed personal views on issues

(S-O-VO) 79% of seniors analyzed personal views on issues

Web: NSSE findings support the recent transition in general education at IUB. The new format, beginning in Fall 2011, includes a Breadth of Inquiry category is designed to introduce students to different ways of understanding themselves and their relationship to the natural and social world. <http://gened.iub.edu/courses/genedcourses.html>.

NSSE Item 6e: 94% of first-year students considered diverse viewpoints

(S-O-VO) 96% of seniors considered diverse viewpoints

Web: Students can choose from over 60 courses in World Cultures.

<http://gened.iub.edu/courses/genedcourses.html>.

There are over 300 minority faculty at IUB. The student body at IUB is 13.9% minority students. <http://www.indiana.edu/~dema/fastfacts.shtml>. The minority population in Indiana is 12.3%. <http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/states/18000.html>.

Diversity at IUB is broadly defined to include race, class, age, ability and sexual orientation. Beginning in Fall 2011, all IUB students will have the opportunity to use an approved study abroad experience to fulfill the diversity requirement for general education. <http://gened.iub.edu/requirements/diversity.html>.
http://gened.iub.edu/requirements/worldlang_cult/worldlang.html.

NSSE Item 6f: 96% of first-years changed their understanding of an issue/concept
(S-O-VO) 98% of seniors changed their understanding of an issue/concept

NSSE Item 7a: 62% of seniors participated in an internship or field experience

Web: Over 1,100 students and 52 organizations attended the Internship Fair last spring.
http://www.indiana.edu/~career/services/events/index.php?event_type=&event_id=1145.

NSSE Item 7b: 70% of seniors participated in volunteer work or community service

Web: The Office of Service Learning at IUB creates opportunities for Indiana University students, faculty and staff to learn in partnership with the community, and to develop competencies that promote the advancement of a socially responsible citizenry.
<http://www.iub.edu/~copsl/>.

Advocates for Community Engagement (ACE) gives undergraduates the opportunity to serve as a link between service-learning students and local agencies and organizations. ACE's help students reflect on connections between coursework, service and larger social issues. <http://www.indiana.edu/~copsl/aces.shtml>.

NSSE Item 7c: 20% of first-year students participated in a learning community
28% of seniors participated in a learning community

Web: Students can choose from among 8 living-learning centers and 15 learning communities in the residence halls. <http://www.rps.indiana.edu/lclist.cfml>.

Learning communities at IUB include Performing Arts, Honors College, Outdoor Adventure, The Green House, Choose Your Major, and Teaching and Education.

NSSE Item 7e: 48% of first-year students have taken courses in foreign languages
62% of seniors have taken courses in foreign languages

Web: IUB believes that demonstrating proficiency in a foreign language is important for living in a global society. IUB offers courses in over 70 languages, from Azeri to Zulu.
<http://college.indiana.edu/programs/>. <http://iub.edu/academic/international.shtml>.

NSSE Item 7f: 58% of first-year students plan to study abroad
25% of seniors participated in a study abroad experience

Web: There are over 250 programs in 17 languages and 52 countries offered by the Office of Overseas Study. <http://www.indiana.edu/~overseas/first/index.shtml>.

NSSE Item 9a: 49% of first-year students studied 16 hours or more per week
37% of seniors studied 16 or more hours per week

NSSE Item 9b: 14% of first-year students worked for pay on campus
32% of seniors worked for pay on campus

Web: Hosted by the Career Development Center, myIUCareers helps students locate on and off campus employment for free.
http://www.indiana.edu/~career/services/jobs_internships/.

NSSE Item 9d: 68% of seniors & 74% first-year students actively participated in co-curricular organizations

Web: IUB offers more than 650 student clubs and organizations. They include sports, cultural groups, student government, political affiliation groups, service clubs, and professional clubs among many others. Students can keep track of their organizations, events, and connect with other members through their own personalized website MyInvolvement. <https://myinvolvement.indiana.edu/Community?action=getMyHome>
<http://www.iub.edu/student/activities/index.shtml>.
<http://www.iub.edu/student/activities/clubs.shtml>.

NSSE Item 11a: 84% of seniors acquired a broad education
(QAB-VM)

Web: IUB offers over 520 undergraduate and graduate degree programs.
IUB offers more than 4,000 courses per semester.

NSSE Item 11b: 70% of first-year students reported acquiring job skills
(QAB-VM) 73% of seniors reported acquiring job skills

Web: Within 90 days of graduation, 96% of undergraduate students at the Kelley School of Business confirmed job offers or plans to attend graduate school.
<http://kelley.iu.edu/careers/index.html>.

The average salary for a student graduating with a bachelor's degree in Informatics from IUB is \$51,000 per year.

<http://www.soic.indiana.edu/career/explore/trends/statistics.shtml>.

NSSE Item 11c: 69% of first-year students progressed in writing clearly and effectively
(QAB-VM) 79% of seniors progressed in writing clearly and effectively

NSSE Item 11d: 65% of first-years progressed in speaking clearly and effectively
(QAB-VM) 73% of seniors progressed in speaking clearly and effectively

NSSE Item 11e: 86% of first-year students improved their critical thinking skills
(QAB-VM) 89% of seniors improved their critical thinking skills

NSSE Item 11m: 64% of first-year students were asked to solve real-world problems
(QAB-VM) 67% of seniors were asked to solve complex, real-world problems

NSSE Item 11n: 59% of first-year students honed their values and ethics
(QAB-VM) 61% of seniors honed their values and ethics

Web: The Poynter Center for the Study of Ethics and American Institutions awards up to \$200 in research stipends to undergraduate students who address theoretical and applied ethics in coursework. http://poynter.indiana.edu/research_stipends.shtml.

NSSE Items 11o: 47% of freshmen contributed to the welfare of their community
(QAB-VM) 51% of seniors contributed to the welfare of their community

Web: Find your volunteer location through Indiana University Community Connection.
<http://www.indiana.edu/~uconnect/vlntr/>.

NSSE Item 14: 90% of first-year students would choose to attend IUB again
(Probably & Definitely Yes) 90% of seniors would choose to attend IUB again