

Fall 2009 First Semester Freshman Survey

Where are you primarily living while attending Suffolk this year?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Miller Hall	24%	105
150 Tremont St.	21%	93
10 West St.	6%	25
Holiday Inn	12%	51
Hyatt	6%	27
With parents/guardians	26%	113
Rental or Leased Home or Apartment	6%	26
Other	1%	3

How many hours per week are you working?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
0	47%	202
1-10	27%	115
11-20	19%	81
21-30	6%	24
31-40	2%	5

Are you:

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Working On-Campus	27%	120
Working Off-Campus	17%	73
Working On and Off-Campus	8%	33
Not Working	49%	213

Please rate your satisfaction with Suffolk University on each of the aspects of campus life listed below.

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	<u>N</u>
Overall quality of instruction	24%	54%	18%	3%	1%	441
Campus social events	17%	46%	30%	6%	2%	442
Overall sense of community among students	17%	43%	27%	10%	3%	441
Overall college experience	28%	46%	20%	5%	1%	441

How successful do you feel at:

	Completely Successful	Somewhat Successful	Unsuccessful	<u>N</u>
Understanding what your professors expect of you academically	53%	45%	2%	441
Developing effective study skills	38%	56%	6%	440
Adjusting to the academic demands of college	50%	46%	4%	441
Managing your time effectively	38%	51%	11%	441
Getting to know faculty	26%	63%	11%	439
Developing friendships with other students	51%	41%	8%	439
Utilizing campus services available to you	35%	57%	8%	439

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During this current semester, how often have you:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Been bored in class	19%	70%	11%	442
Studied with other students	10%	44%	46%	441
Felt overwhelmed by all you had to do	20%	56%	24%	442
Felt depressed	8%	31%	61%	441
Performed Volunteer Work	5%	28%	68%	437
Come late to class	3%	28%	69%	437

During this current semester, how often have you felt:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Rarely	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Lonely or homesick	8%	26%	31%	35%	441
Worried about meeting new people	12%	27%	33%	29%	440
Isolated from campus life	12%	26%	29%	33%	441
Unsafe on this campus	2%	6%	26%	67%	441
Worried about your health	4%	19%	29%	49%	440
Intimidated by your professors	2%	12%	36%	51%	441

Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements:

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	<u>N</u>
I see myself as part of the campus community	17%	63%	16%	4%	441
Information/recruitment materials received accurately portrayed the campus	16%	70%	11%	3%	438

Are you taking SU101?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	72%	312
No	28%	124

During this current semester, indicate how often you:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Rarely	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Turned in course assignment(s) late	3%	6%	18%	74%	439
Participated in class	49%	43%	7%	1%	439
Discussed course content with students outside of class	28%	50%	16%	6%	437
Had difficulty getting along with your roommate(s)/housemate(s)	7%	14%	19%	61%	437
Sought personal counseling	1%	6%	8%	86%	437
Received emotional support and encouragement from a professor	2%	12%	15%	71%	436
Gone home for the weekend	31%	20%	16%	34%	433

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Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following at Suffolk University. If you did not use the service or facility, mark "No Experience/Not Applicable."

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	No Experience/ Not Applicable	<u>N</u>
Classroom facilities	21%	54%	18%	2%	1%	5%	438
Student Accounts Office	11%	25%	13%	1%	1%	49%	439
Computer Lab Facilities	16%	29%	14%	7%	4%	30%	439
Science Laboratory Facilities	6%	9%	9%	1%	0%	75%	437
Registrar's Office	14%	28%	15%	2%	0%	41%	434
Financial Aid Services	12%	22%	15%	9%	4%	38%	439
Off-Campus Housing Office	7%	7%	7%	1%	1%	77%	437

Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following at Suffolk University. Only those who used the following.

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	<u>N</u>
Classroom facilities	22%	57%	19%	2%	1%	418
Student Accounts Office	22%	48%	26%	3%	1%	223
Computer Lab Facilities	23%	41%	20%	9%	6%	309
Science Laboratory Facilities	23%	37%	38%	2%	1%	109
Registrar's Office	24%	48%	25%	3%	0%	257
Financial Aid Services	20%	36%	24%	14%	7%	274
Off-Campus Housing Office	29%	31%	32%	6%	2%	100

Has Suffolk University met your expectations of college life so far?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	63%	277
No	10%	46
Unsure	27%	118

If you could make your college choice over, would you still choose to enroll at Suffolk?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	64%	279
No	10%	43
Don't Know	27%	117

What is the likelihood that you will be enrolling at Suffolk for your Sophomore year?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Extremely Likely	53%	234
Likely	24%	105
Somewhat Likely	15%	67
Not too Likely	6%	24
Not at all Likely	2%	10

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Do you have any concern about your ability to finance your college education?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
None (I am confident that I will have sufficient funds)	18%	80
Some (but I probably will have sufficient funds)	54%	239
Major (not sure I will have enough funds to complete college)	28%	121

If you would like to get more information on options available to help you pay for your college expenses please check the box below.

N
Yes 223

Would you like someone from the Math and Computer Science Support Center to contact you?

N
Yes 53

Would you like to talk to someone from the Office of Retention Services?

N
Yes 40

Would you like to talk to someone from the Office of Student Affairs?

N
Yes 56

Would you like someone from Ballotti Learning Center to contact you?

N
Yes 80

Fall 2009 First Semester Freshman Survey - CAS

Where are you primarily living while attending Suffolk this year?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Miller Hall	24%	78
150 Tremont St.	20%	64
10 West St.	6%	18
Holiday Inn	15%	47
Hyatt	7%	23
With parents/guardians	24%	77
Rental or Leased Home or Apartment	5%	16
Other	6%	2

How many hours per week are you working?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
0	48%	149
1-10	27%	83
11-20	19%	60
21-30	6%	19
31-40	0%	1

Are you:

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Working On-Campus	27%	88
Working Off-Campus	18%	57
Working On and Off-Campus	6%	19
Not Working	49%	157

Please rate your satisfaction with Suffolk University on each of the aspects of campus life listed below.

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	<u>N</u>
Overall quality of instruction	24%	53%	19%	3%	1%	323
Campus social events	17%	45%	29%	7%	2%	324
Overall sense of community among students	17%	41%	29%	10%	4%	323
Overall college experience	27%	46%	22%	5%	1%	323

How successful do you feel at:

	Completely Successful	Somewhat Successful	Unsuccessful	<u>N</u>
Understanding what your professors expect of you academically	52%	46%	2%	323
Developing effective study skills	37%	57%	7%	322
Adjusting to the academic demands of college	50%	46%	5%	323
Managing your time effectively	36%	52%	12%	323
Getting to know faculty	23%	65%	11%	321
Developing friendships with other students	50%	42%	8%	322
Utilizing campus services available to you	31%	60%	9%	322

Fall 2009 First Semester Freshman Survey - CAS

During this current semester, how often have you:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Been bored in class	20%	70%	10%	324
Studied with other students	9%	41%	49%	324
Felt overwhelmed by all you had to do	22%	56%	23%	324
Felt depressed	8%	32%	59%	323
Performed Volunteer Work	4%	28%	69%	321
Come late to class	3%	25%	72%	319

During this current semester, how often have you felt:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Rarely	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Lonely or homesick	9%	27%	30%	34%	323
Worried about meeting new people	13%	27%	32%	28%	322
Isolated from campus life	14%	26%	29%	31%	323
Unsafe on this campus	2%	5%	29%	64%	323
Worried about your health	5%	18%	28%	49%	322
Intimidated by your professors	2%	10%	36%	52%	323

Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements:

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	<u>N</u>
I see myself as part of the campus community	17%	62%	17%	5%	323
Admission/recruitment materials received accurately portrayed the campus	16%	68%	13%	3%	321

Are you taking SU101?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	62%	198
No	38%	122

During this current semester, indicate how often you:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Rarely	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Turned in course assignment(s) late	3%	5%	18%	74%	322
Participated in class	49%	43%	8%	1%	322
Discussed course content with students outside of class	28%	51%	15%	6%	320
Had difficulty getting along with your roommate(s)/housemate(s)	8%	14%	19%	59%	320
Sought personal counseling	2%	5%	9%	85%	320
Received emotional support and encouragement from a professor	1%	13%	15%	72%	320
Gone home for the weekend	30%	20%	15%	34%	319

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Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following at Suffolk University. If you did not use the service or facility, mark "No Experience/Not Applicable."

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	No Experience/ Not Applicable	<u>N</u>
Classroom facilities	20%	55%	18%	1%	1%	5%	321
Student Accounts Office	10%	23%	13%	2%	1%	53%	321
Computer Lab Facilities	14%	28%	15%	7%	4%	32%	321
Science Laboratory Facilities	6%	9%	9%	1%	0%	75%	320
Registrar's Office	13%	28%	16%	2%	0%	42%	317
Financial Aid Services	12%	22%	15%	9%	4%	38%	321
Off-Campus Housing Office	6%	6%	7%	2%	1%	79%	319

Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following at Suffolk University. Only those who used the following.

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	<u>N</u>
Classroom facilities	21%	58%	19%	2%	1%	305
Student Accounts Office	20%	49%	26%	3%	1%	152
Computer Lab Facilities	21%	41%	22%	11%	6%	219
Science Laboratory Facilities	22%	37%	37%	3%	1%	81
Registrar's Office	22%	48%	27%	3%	1%	185
Financial Aid Services	19%	35%	25%	15%	7%	200
Off-Campus Housing Office	28%	29%	32%	7%	3%	68

Has Suffolk University met your expectations of college life so far?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	62%	199
No	12%	37
Unsure	27%	87

If you could make your college choice over, would you still choose to enroll at Suffolk?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	64%	205
No	11%	36
Don't Know	25%	80

What is the likelihood that you will be enrolling at Suffolk for your Sophomore year?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Extremely Likely	52%	168
Likely	25%	80
Somewhat Likely	15%	48
Not too Likely	5%	17
Not at all Likely	3%	9

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Do you have any concern about your ability to finance your college education?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
None (I am confident that I will have sufficient funds)	15%	47
Some (but I probably will have sufficient funds)	56%	179
Major (not sure I will have enough funds to complete college)	30%	96

If you would like to get more information on options available to help you pay for your college expenses please check the box below.

N
Yes 166

Would you like someone from the Math and Computer Science Support Center to contact you?

N
Yes 38

Would you like to talk to someone from the Office of Retention Services?

N
Yes 29

Would you like to talk to someone from the Office of Student Affairs?

N
Yes 37

Would you like someone from Ballotti Learning Center to contact you?

N
Yes 57

Fall 2009 First Semester Freshman Survey - SBS

Where are you primarily living while attending Suffolk this year?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Miller Hall	23%	27
150 Tremont St.	25%	29
10 West St.	6%	7
Holiday Inn	3%	4
Hyatt	3%	4
With parents/guardians	31%	36
Rental or Leased Home or Apartment	9%	10
Other	1%	1

How many hours per week are you working?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
0	46%	53
1-10	28%	32
11-20	18%	21
21-30	4%	5
31-40	4%	4

Are you:

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Working On-Campus	27%	32
Working Off-Campus	14%	16
Working On and Off-Campus	12%	14
Not Working	48%	56

Please rate your satisfaction with Suffolk University on each of the aspects of campus life listed below.

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	<u>N</u>
Overall quality of instruction	25%	58%	15%	3%	0%	118
Campus social events	19%	46%	31%	3%	3%	118
Overall sense of community among students	18%	49%	22%	9%	2%	118
Overall college experience	31%	46%	15%	7%	2%	118

How successful do you feel at:

	Completely Successful	Somewhat Successful	Unsuccessful	<u>N</u>
Understanding what your professors expect of you academically	54%	43%	3%	118
Developing effective study skills	43%	54%	3%	118
Adjusting to the academic demands of college	51%	48%	2%	118
Managing your time effectively	42%	48%	9%	118
Getting to know faculty	32%	56%	12%	118
Developing friendships with other students	56%	37%	8%	117
Utilizing campus services available to you	44%	48%	8%	117

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During this current semester, how often have you:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Been bored in class	15%	70%	14%	118
Studied with other students	14%	50%	36%	117
Felt overwhelmed by all you had to do	16%	59%	25%	118
Felt depressed	8%	26%	66%	118
Performed Volunteer Work	7%	27%	66%	116
Come late to class	3%	36%	61%	118

During this current semester, how often have you felt:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Rarely	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Lonely or homesick	7%	23%	35%	36%	118
Worried about meeting new people	8%	25%	34%	33%	118
Isolated from campus life	9%	27%	28%	36%	118
Unsafe on this campus	1%	7%	17%	75%	118
Worried about your health	1%	20%	31%	49%	118
Intimidated by your professors	1%	15%	37%	47%	118

Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements:

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	<u>N</u>
I see myself as part of the campus community	16%	66%	14%	3%	118
Information/recruitment materials received accurately portrayed the campus	17%	74%	7%	3%	117

Are you taking SU101?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	98%	114
No	2%	2

During this current semester, indicate how often you:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Rarely	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Turned in course assignment(s) late	0%	8%	17%	75%	117
Participated in class	50%	43%	7%	0%	117
Discussed course content with students outside of class	28%	47%	19%	6%	117
Had difficulty getting along with your roommate(s)/housemate(s)	4%	14%	16%	66%	117
Sought personal counseling	0%	8%	4%	88%	117
Received emotional support and encouragement from a professor	4%	10%	16%	70%	116
Gone home for the weekend	32%	18%	18%	33%	114

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Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following at Suffolk University. If you did not use the service or facility, mark "No Experience/Not Applicable."

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	No Experience/ Not Applicable	<u>N</u>
Classroom facilities	25%	53%	16%	3%	0%	3%	117
Student Accounts Office	15%	29%	15%	1%	0%	40%	118
Computer Lab Facilities	22%	32%	13%	5%	4%	24%	118
Science Laboratory Facilities	6%	9%	9%	0%	0%	76%	117
Registrar's Office	18%	29%	13%	2%	0%	39%	117
Financial Aid Services	14%	25%	14%	7%	3%	37%	118
Off-Campus Housing Office	9%	9%	9%	1%	0%	73%	118

Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following at Suffolk University. Only those who used the following.

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	<u>N</u>
Classroom facilities	26%	55%	17%	3%	0%	113
Student Accounts Office	25%	48%	25%	1%	0%	71
Computer Lab Facilities	29%	42%	17%	7%	6%	90
Science Laboratory Facilities	25%	36%	39%	0%	0%	28
Registrar's Office	29%	47%	21%	3%	0%	72
Financial Aid Services	22%	39%	23%	11%	5%	74
Off-Campus Housing Office	31%	34%	31%	3%	0%	32

Has Suffolk University met your expectations of college life so far?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	66%	78
No	8%	9
Unsure	26%	31

If you could make your college choice over, would you still choose to enroll at Suffolk?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	63%	74
No	6%	7
Don't Know	31%	37

What is the likelihood that you will be enrolling at Suffolk for your Sophomore year?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Extremely Likely	56%	66
Likely	21%	25
Somewhat Likely	16%	19
Not too Likely	6%	7
Not at all Likely	1%	1

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Do you have any concern about your ability to finance your college education?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
None (I am confident that I will have sufficient funds)	28%	33
Some (but I probably will have sufficient funds)	51%	60
Major (not sure I will have enough funds to complete college)	21%	25

If you would like to get more information on options available to help you pay for your college expenses please check the box below.

<u>N</u>
Yes 57

Would you like someone from the Math and Computer Science Support Center to contact you?

<u>N</u>
Yes 15

Would you like to talk to someone from the Office of Retention Services?

<u>N</u>
Yes 11

Would you like to talk to someone from the Office of Student Affairs?

<u>N</u>
Yes 19

Would you like someone from Ballotti Learning Center to contact you?

<u>N</u>
Yes 23

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Where are you primarily living while attending Suffolk this year?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Miller Hall	25%	77
150 Tremont St.	22%	70
10 West St.	6%	19
Holiday Inn	9%	29
Hyatt	5%	16
With parents/guardians	26%	80
Rental or Leased Home or Apartment	6%	19
Other	1%	2

How many hours per week are you working?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
0	44%	134
1-10	30%	90
11-20	19%	57
21-30	6%	17
31-40	1%	4

Are you:

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Working On-Campus	30%	95
Working Off-Campus	16%	51
Working On and Off-Campus	8%	25
Not Working	45%	141

Please rate your satisfaction with Suffolk University on each of the aspects of campus life listed below.

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	<u>N</u>
Overall quality of instruction	23%	55%	18%	3%	1%	311
Campus social events	18%	48%	26%	6%	2%	312
Overall sense of community among students	19%	43%	27%	9%	3%	312
Overall college experience	28%	44%	22%	5%	1%	312

How successful do you feel at:

	Completely Successful	Somewhat Successful	Unsuccessful	<u>N</u>
Understanding what your professors expect of you academically	52%	46%	2%	311
Developing effective study skills	38%	57%	5%	310
Adjusting to the academic demands of college	49%	48%	3%	311
Managing your time effectively	36%	54%	10%	311
Getting to know faculty	26%	64%	10%	310
Developing friendships with other students	53%	39%	8%	310
Utilizing campus services available to you	38%	54%	8%	310

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During this current semester, how often have you:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Been bored in class	19%	70%	11%	312
Studied with other students	12%	45%	43%	311
Felt overwhelmed by all you had to do	21%	56%	23%	312
Felt depressed	9%	30%	61%	311
Performed Volunteer Work	6%	27%	67%	307
Come late to class	3%	29%	68%	310

During this current semester, how often have you felt:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Rarely	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Lonely or homesick	8%	27%	33%	33%	312
Worried about meeting new people	11%	28%	33%	28%	311
Isolated from campus life	11%	26%	31%	32%	312
Unsafe on this campus	2%	6%	26%	65%	312
Worried about your health	2%	20%	32%	47%	312
Intimidated by your professors	1%	13%	38%	48%	312

Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements:

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	<u>N</u>
I see myself as part of the campus community	17%	62%	17%	3%	311
Admission/recruitment materials received accurately portrayed the campus	16%	71%	11%	2%	310

During this current semester, indicate how often you:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Rarely	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Turned in course assignment(s) late	2%	7%	20%	72%	309
Participated in class	48%	44%	8%	0%	309
Discussed course content with students outside of class	27%	53%	15%	5%	307
Had difficulty getting along with your roommate(s)/housemate(s)	6%	15%	18%	61%	307
Sought personal counseling	1%	6%	7%	87%	308
Received emotional support and encouragement from a professor	2%	11%	17%	70%	306
Gone home for the weekend	32%	22%	16%	30%	304

Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following at Suffolk University. Only those who used the following.

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	<u>N</u>
Classroom facilities	23%	56%	19%	2%	0%	298
Student Accounts Office	23%	49%	24%	4%	1%	155
Computer Lab Facilities	27%	42%	18%	8%	6%	219
Science Laboratory Facilities	23%	35%	39%	1%	1%	74
Registrar's Office	25%	49%	23%	2%	1%	175
Financial Aid Services	21%	35%	21%	15%	8%	193
Off-Campus Housing Office	32%	30%	30%	6%	3%	78

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Students Taking SU 101**

Has Suffolk University met your expectations of college life so far?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	64%	200
No	9%	28
Unsure	27%	83

If you could make your college choice over, would you still choose to enroll at Suffolk?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	66%	205
No	9%	27
Don't Know	25%	77

What is the likelihood that you will be enrolling at Suffolk for your Sophomore year?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Extremely Likely	54%	168
Likely	23%	71
Somewhat Likely	16%	51
Not too Likely	5%	15
Not at all Likely	2%	6

Do you have any concern about your ability to finance your college education?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
None (I am confident that I will have sufficient funds)	18%	55
Some (but I probably will have sufficient funds)	54%	169
Major (not sure I will have enough funds to complete college)	28%	87

If you would like to get more information on options available to help you pay for your college expenses please check the box below.

	<u>N</u>
Yes	160

Would you like someone from the Math and Computer Science Support Center to contact you?

	<u>N</u>
Yes	39

Would you like to talk to someone from the Office of Retention Services?

	<u>N</u>
Yes	30

Would you like to talk to someone from the Office of Student Affairs?

	<u>N</u>
Yes	46

Would you like someone from Ballotti Learning Center to contact you?

	<u>N</u>
Yes	58

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Where are you primarily living while attending Suffolk this year?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Miller Hall	21%	26
150 Tremont St.	18%	22
10 West St.	5%	6
Holiday Inn	17%	21
Hyatt	8%	10
With parents/guardians	26%	32
Rental or Leased Home or Apartment	5%	6
Other	1%	1

How many hours per week are you working?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
0	53%	63
1-10	21%	25
11-20	19%	22
21-30	6%	7
31-40	1%	1

Are you:

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Working On-Campus	20%	24
Working Off-Campus	17%	21
Working On and Off-Campus	7%	8
Not Working	56%	68

Please rate your satisfaction with Suffolk University on each of the aspects of campus life listed below.

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	<u>N</u>
Overall quality of instruction	24%	54%	19%	2%	1%	124
Campus social events	14%	40%	38%	7%	2%	124
Overall sense of community among students	13%	42%	26%	13%	6%	123
Overall college experience	27%	50%	15%	7%	2%	123

How successful do you feel at:

	Completely Successful	Somewhat Successful	Unsuccessful	<u>N</u>
Understanding what your professors expect of you academically	55%	44%	2%	124
Developing effective study skills	38%	54%	8%	124
Adjusting to the academic demands of college	52%	42%	7%	124
Managing your time effectively	41%	44%	15%	124
Getting to know faculty	24%	62%	14%	123
Developing friendships with other students	46%	45%	9%	123
Utilizing campus services available to you	26%	66%	8%	123

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During this current semester, how often have you:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Been bored in class	18%	70%	12%	124
Studied with other students	7%	41%	52%	124
Felt overwhelmed by all you had to do	19%	56%	25%	124
Felt depressed	7%	34%	59%	124
Performed Volunteer Work	2%	28%	69%	124
Come late to class	3%	24%	73%	121

During this current semester, how often have you felt:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Rarely	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Lonely or homesick	10%	24%	26%	40%	123
Worried about meeting new people	13%	24%	31%	32%	123
Isolated from campus life	15%	25%	25%	34%	123
Unsafe on this campus	1%	4%	26%	69%	123
Worried about your health	7%	16%	22%	54%	122
Intimidated by your professors	3%	8%	34%	55%	123

Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements:

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	<u>N</u>
I see myself as part of the campus community	13%	66%	15%	7%	124
Information/recruitment materials received accurately portrayed the campus	16%	67%	14%	3%	122

During this current semester, indicate how often you:

	Frequently	Occasionally	Rarely	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Turned in course assignment(s) late	5%	3%	15%	77%	124
Participated in class	52%	42%	4%	2%	124
Discussed course content with students outside of class	31%	44%	19%	7%	124
Had difficulty getting along with your roommate(s)/housemate(s)	10%	11%	19%	61%	124
Sought personal counseling	1%	6%	11%	82%	123
Received emotional support and encouragement from a professor	1%	15%	11%	73%	124
Gone home for the weekend	29%	13%	15%	44%	124

Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following at Suffolk University. Only those who used the following.

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	<u>N</u>
Classroom facilities	21%	60%	18%	0%	1%	115
Student Accounts Office	21%	48%	30%	0%	2%	63
Computer Lab Facilities	14%	41%	24%	13%	8%	85
Science Laboratory Facilities	24%	41%	32%	3%	0%	34
Registrar's Office	20%	46%	31%	4%	0%	77
Financial Aid Services	15%	41%	32%	11%	3%	76
Off-Campus Housing Office	20%	35%	40%	5%	0%	20

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Has Suffolk University met your expectations of college life so far?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	59%	73
No	14%	17
Unsure	27%	34

If you could make your college choice over, would you still choose to enroll at Suffolk?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	58%	72
No	12%	15
Don't Know	30%	37

What is the likelihood that you will be enrolling at Suffolk for your Sophomore year?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Extremely Likely	51%	63
Likely	27%	33
Somewhat Likely	11%	14
Not too Likely	7%	9
Not at all Likely	3%	4

Do you have any concern about your ability to finance your college education?

	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
None (I am confident that I will have sufficient funds)	20%	24
Some (but I probably will have sufficient funds)	54%	66
Major (not sure I will have enough funds to complete college)	27%	33

If you would like to get more information on options available to help you pay for your college expenses please check the box below.

	<u>N</u>
Yes	58

Would you like someone from the Math and Computer Science Support Center to contact you?

	<u>N</u>
Yes	9

Would you like to talk to someone from the Office of Retention Services?

	<u>N</u>
Yes	9

Would you like to talk to someone from the Office of Student Affairs?

	<u>N</u>
Yes	8

Would you like someone from Ballotti Learning Center to contact you?

	<u>N</u>
Yes	17

First Semester Freshman Survey 2008-2009 Comparison

Where are you primarily living while attending Suffolk this year?

		<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
College residence hall	2008	46%	261
	2009	51%	223
With parents/guardians	2008	22%	125
	2009	26%	113
Rental or Leased Home or Apartment	2008	18%	105
	2009	6%	26
Holiday Inn	2008	9%	52
	2009	12%	51
Hyatt	2008	5%	29
	2009	6%	27

How many hours per week are you working?

		<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
0	2008	43%	232
	2009	47%	202
1-10	2008	27%	147
	2009	27%	115
11-20	2008	20%	109
	2009	19%	81
21-30	2008	8%	41
	2009	6%	24
31-40	2008	2%	8
	2009	2%	5

Please rate your satisfaction with Suffolk University on each of the aspects of campus life listed below.

		<u>Very Satisfied</u>	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>Very Dissatisfied</u>	<u>N</u>
Overall quality of instruction	2008	23%	58%	18%	1%	1%	576
	2009	24%	54%	18%	3%	1%	441
Campus social events	2008	14%	43%	32%	9%	2%	574
	2009	17%	46%	30%	6%	2%	442
Overall sense of community among students	2008	17%	36%	31%	12%	4%	575
	2009	17%	43%	27%	10%	3%	441
Overall college experience	2008	25%	46%	20%	6%	2%	577
	2009	28%	46%	20%	5%	1%	441

First Semester Freshman Survey 2008-2009 Comparison

During this current semester, how often have you:

		Frequently	Occasionally	Not at All	<u>N</u>
Been bored in class	2008	16%	70%	15%	574
	2009	19%	70%	11%	442
Studied with other students	2008	9%	42%	49%	574
	2009	10%	44%	46%	441
Felt overwhelmed by all you had to do	2008	21%	60%	19%	574
	2009	20%	56%	24%	442
Felt depressed	2008	9%	32%	59%	573
	2009	8%	31%	61%	441
Come late to class	2008	3%	29%	68%	573
	2009	3%	28%	69%	437

If you could make your college choice over, would you still choose to enroll at Suffolk?

		<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Yes	2008	62%	358
	2009	64%	279
No	2008	9%	54
	2009	10%	43
Don't Know	2008	28%	162
	2009	27%	117

What is the likelihood that you will be enrolling at Suffolk for your Sophomore year?

		<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>
Extremely Likely	2008	45%	256
	2009	53%	234
Likely	2008	28%	160
	2009	24%	105
Somewhat Likely	2008	17%	99
	2009	15%	67
Not too Likely	2008	7%	37
	2009	6%	24
Not At All Likely	2008	4%	20
	2009	2%	10