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Table 1. Summary of interview revisions

Section	Items	Construct	Revision
Front End	*New:* Added "other/specify" textbox to END1TEXT for cell phone service provider not in the dropdown list	Contacting information	Added "other/specify" textbox that will allow respondents who have opted-in text message recontacting to list their cell-phone carrier if not on a pre-populated list
Enrollment	*New:* Added new study abroad response option to N12ELIG	Enrollment at NPSAS during NPSAS year	Added a response option to N12ELIG that allows respondents to indicate they are studying abroad for the entire 2011-2012 school year, appropriately routing them through the interview.
Enrollment	*Removed:* N12FINISH, N12DEGELSE, N12NXTDEG, N12TRNLIKEB. *Replaced with:* N12EXPBA	Bachelor's degree completion for associate's degree respondents	Replaced field test set of 4 questions with single question for full scale
Education Experiences	*Removed:* N12AP1, N12AP2, N12AP3A, N12AP3B, N12IB1, N12IB2, N12COLLCR. *Replaced with:* N12APIBCOLL	AP/IB/College credit in high school	Replaced field test set of 7 questions with single question for full scale
Education Experiences	*New:* N12DECIDEMAJ	Decision on major	Added to improve interview experience. Asked of students who report they have not yet officially declared their major, N12DECIDEMAJ provides a way to route students who are truly undecided around the major coder while allowing other respondents to report their intended major.
Education Experiences	*Removed:* N12FLDCOMB, N12MJ1COMB, and N12MJ2COMB	Likelihood of completing degree in major/field of study	Removed field test set of 3 questions
Education Experiences	*Removed:* N12MAJCHG and N12CHGNUM. *Replaced with:* N12MJCHGNUM	Number of times changed major	Combined field test questions into a single question for full scale
Education Experiences	*Removed:* N12CROWD1, N12CROWD2, and N12CROWD3	Crowding out of classes	Removed field test set of 3 questions
Education Experiences	*Returned to survey:* N12ONLINEPGM	Entire degree program online	Item asked in NPSAS:08; added back to NPSAS:12 full-scale
Education Experiences	*Revised:* N12SRVUSE	Services used at NPSAS school	Reduced and consolidated response options
Education Experiences	*Revised:* N12SRVIMPT	Importance of services used	Eliminated frequency variable for each service used and consolidated response options to match N12SRVUSE

Section	Items	Construct	Revision
Education Experiences	*Removed:* N12OCCWGP, N12OCCWAGEH, and N12OCCWAGEL. *Replaced with:* N12FUTRWAGES	Expected wage in future occupation	Replaced 3 field test questions with single question for full scale
Education Experiences	*Removed:* N12LIFECHNG and N12CHNGWAYS. *Replaced with:* N12EDBENEFTS	Non-monetary benefits of education	Replaced 2 field test questions with single question for full scale
Financial Aid	*New:* N12REFUND1	NPSAS issued tuition refund	Added question per request from the Office of the Under Secretary
Financial Aid	*New:* N12REFUND2	Refund cashed or deposited	Added question per request from the Office of the Under Secretary
Financial Aid	*Returned to survey:* N12OUTST	Pay out-of-state or out-of-district tuition	Item asked in NPSAS:08; added back to NPSAS:12 full-scale
Financial Aid	*Removed:* N12TOINTEN and N12TOCOST. *Replaced with:* N12AVOIDLNS	Loan avoidance	Replaced 2 field test questions with single question for full scale
Financial Aid	*Removed:* N12DCLWHY, N12DCLN2K, N12LN2KNO, N12LNED1K, and N12LNV1K. *Replaced with:* N12UNMETNEED and N12NEEDAMTUG	Unmet need and amount of unmet need	Replaced 5 field test questions with 2 questions for full scale
Financial Aid	*Removed:* N12CSTBKS	Cost of books and supplies	Removed question. Item asked in student records.
Financial Aid	*Removed:* N12CSTEXP	Expected cost of attendance	Removed field test question
Financial Aid	*Removed:* N12ASST, N12ASMAJR, N12ASONOF, N12ASEMP, N12ASEARN, N12ASERNS, N12ASHRS, N12ASWEEK	Undergraduate assistantship	Removed 8 field test questions
Current Employment	*New:* N12PRVJOB, N12PRVWAGE, N12PRVHRSWK, N12PRVMTHYR (asked for some respondents instead of asking them N12WRKPAY, N12ALTNUMJOB, N12ALTSCHED, N12ALTWAGE1/2)	Job prior to attending NPSAS school	In the field test, all FTBS received the same jobs questions. In the full scale, nontraditional FTBS will be asked the set of "previous job" questions in place of the "alternate job" questions asked of traditional FTBs (which will also remain in the full scale survey).
Current Employment	*Removed:* N12WRKLIMITS	Effects of working during the school year	Removed field test question
Income and Expenses	*Removed:* N12FLNUSETYP and N12PLNUSETYP	Categorization of federal and private loan use	Removed 2 field test questions
Income and Expenses	*New:* N12PARHELP, N12PARAMT/2	Parent financial help for college	Added three questions to full scale in order to distinguish parent help from help other family

Section	Items	Construct	Revision
Income and Expenses	*Removed:* N12FAMHLPORD. *Replaced with:* N12FAMAMT/2	Financial assistance received from family/friends	Added two simplified questions for full scale in place of field test question
Income and Expenses	*Removed:* N12CCUSEORD	Categorization of credit card use	Removed field test question
Income and Expenses	*New:* N12BANK1	Checking/savings account	Added question per request from the Office of the Under Secretary
Income and Expenses	*New:* N12BANK2	Checking/savings account name	Added question per request from the Office of the Under Secretary
Income and Expenses	*Removed:* N12DISCOUNTA/B/C/D. *Replaced with:* N12DSCT250-N12DSCT500.	Discount rate	Replaced 4 field test slider discount rate questions with titration discount rate set
Background	*Removed:* N12FFLANGB	Current foreign language use	Removed field test question
Background	*Removed:* N12GUARDED. *Replaced with:* N12MOMED and N12DADED	Parents' highest level of education	Revised field test question wording into two separate questions for full scale and consolidated and revised response options for parent relationship to more closely match FAFSA and NPSAS:08 survey questions
Background	*Returned to survey:* N12SIBCL	Sibling in college first	Item asked in NPSAS:04; added back to NPSAS:12 full scale
Background	*Revised:* N12MILIT	Military status	Revised to include National Guard response option
Background	*Removed:* N12MILST	Serving on active duty	Removed field test question
Background	*Removed:* N12ACS17C and N12ACS18	Dressing/bathing and doing errands alone disability items	Removed two field test questions
Background	*Returned to survey:* N12MAIN	Main type of disability	Item asked in NPSAS:08; added back to NPSAS:12 full scale
Background	*Added to survey:* N12EXTERNAL	Participation in future studies	Item added to seek non-FTB respondents' active consent for re-contacting in the event NCES authorizes a qualified external researcher to invite sample members to participate in a follow-on study.
Locating	*Removed:* N12VERLOCPAR	Verify parents' address	Item was added after field test but determined to not be useful for full scale survey. Previous methods of parent address collection are more efficient.

Section	Items	Construct	Revision
Locating	*New:* Added "other/specify" textbox to N12CELLPRO for cell phone service provider not in the dropdown list	Contacting information	Added "other/specify" textbox that will allow respondents who have opted-in text message recontacting to list their cell-phone carrier if not on a pre-populated list

Revised Items from Field Test, TRP, and Cognitive Interviews

Original and Revised NPSAS:12 Student Interview Items

KEY:
Green = Deleted item
Yellow = New or revised item

Section: Front End
Construct: Contacting information

New single "other/specify" item for full scale:

Question Name	END1TEXT
Wording	Please provide a cell phone number and the name of your cell phone service provider so that we can send you a text message reminder to complete the NPSAS survey.
Item	

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**END1TEXTTL1**
Wording	Cell phone number:
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**END1TEXTTL2**
Wording	
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**END1TEXTTL3**
Wording	
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**END1TEXTPRO**
Wording	Cell phone service provider:
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**END1TEXTOTH**
Wording	Please provide the name of your cell phone service provider:
Response Option	Response Option Details

Section: Enrollment
Construct: Enrollment at NPSAS during NPSAS year

New item for study-abroad respondents:

Spec Name	Value
Question Name	N12ELIG
Wording	[If T_B4JULY = 1] Have you attended [Y_NPSCHL] at any time between July 1, 2011 and today? (Select Yes if you have attended [Y_NPSCHL] at any time between July 2011 and today, even if you are not currently attending.) [else] Did you attend [Y_NPSCHL] at any time between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012?
Item	

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12ELIG**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	4	Yes, but [if T_B4JULY=1: studying/else: studied] abroad for the entire 2011-2012 school year
	3	Yes, but also still attending high school
	0	No
	2	Don't know

Section: Enrollment
Construct: Bachelor's degree completion for associate's degree respondents

Removed below 4 field test questions:

Question Name	N12FINISH		
Wording	Do you intend to complete your associate's degree at [Y_NPSCHL] or at another school?		
Item	Spec Name	Value	
	Item Name	**N12FINISH**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	Code	Label
		1	At [Y_NPSCHL]
		2	At a school other than [Y_NPSCHL]
		3	I do not intend to complete my associate's degree
Question Name	N12DEGELSE		
Wording	You indicated you do not intend to finish your associate's degree program. Do you intend to complete a bachelor's degree program within a year?		
Item	Spec Name	Value	
	Item Name	**N12DEGELSE**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	Code	Label
		1	Yes
		0	No
Question Name	N12NXTDEG		
Wording	After completing your associate's degree, do you intend to begin a bachelor's degree program within one year?		
Item	Spec Name	Value	
	Item Name	**N12NXTDEG**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	Code	Label
		1	Yes
		0	No
Question Name	N12TRNLIKEB		
Wording	On a scale from 0-10, how likely do you think it is that you will successfully transfer from [Y_NPSCHL] to complete your [T_DEGREN]? If you would like to, you can use a decimal value such as a 3.5 or a 6.5 to answer this question or any question in the interview that is on a 0-10 scale.		
Item	Spec Name	Value	
	Item Name	**N12TRNLIKEB**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	Response Option Details	
	Item Name	**N12TRNLIKEB_min**	
	Wording	0	
	Response Option	Response Option Details	
	Item Name	**N12TRNLIKEB_max**	

Wording	10

New single replacement question for full scale:

Question Name N12EXPBA

Wording: Do you plan to continue on to a bachelor's degree program within five years from now?

(A bachelor's degree is usually awarded by a 4-year college or university and usually requires at least 4 years of full-time, college-level work.)

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12EXPBA**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Section: Education Experiences
Construct: AP/IB/College credit in high school

Removed below 7 field test questions:

Question Name N12AP1

Wording: While in high school, did you take any Advanced Placement (AP) courses or Advanced Placement exams?

(Advanced placement (AP) exams are those offered in specialized study areas such as biology or chemistry, and credit earned by these exams may be accepted by colleges. We will ask you about any credits earned in the International Baccalaureate (IB) program next.)

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12AP1**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12AP2

Wording: While in high school, how many...

(If you did not take any AP courses or exams while in high school, enter a "0" in each of the boxes below.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12APNUMCRS**
Wording	AP courses did you take?
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12APNUMEXM**
Wording	AP exams did you score a 3 or greater on?
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12AP3A

Wording: For the AP exam on which you scored a 3 or greater, did [Y_NPSCHL]...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12AP3ACRS**

	Wording	Use it only to place you in a higher level course, but not give academic credit for it?
	Response Option	Code: 1 = Yes; 0 = No
	Item Name	**N12AP3AWRCRD**
	Wording	Award you academic credit?
	Response Option	Code: 1 = Yes; 0 = No
Question Name	N12AP3B	
Wording	For how many of the [N12APNUMEXM] AP exams on which you scored a 3 or greater did [Y_NPSCHL]…	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Item Name	**N12APNMHLCRS**
	Wording	Place you in a higher level course, but not award you any academic credit
	Response Option	Response Option Details
	Item Name	**N12APAWRCRDT**
	Wording	Award you academic credit
	Response Option	Response Option Details
	Item Name	**N12APNOTHING**
	Wording	Neither place you in a higher level course nor award you any academic credit
	Response Option	Response Option Details
	Item Name	**N12AP3TOT**
	Wording	Total
	Response Option	Response Option Details
Question Name	N12IB1	
Wording	While in high school, did you participate in the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Program?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Item Name	**N12IB1**
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: 1 = Yes; 0 = No
Question Name	N12IB2	
Wording	Were you awarded the IB diploma?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Item Name	**N12IB2**
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: 1 = Yes; 0 = No
Question Name	N12COLLCR	
Wording	While in high school, did you take any college-level courses for which you earned college credit?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Item Name	**N12COLLCR**
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: 1 = Yes; 0 = No

New single replacement question for full scale:

Question Name	N12APIBCOLL
Wording	While in high school, did you take any…

Item	Spec Name	Value	
	Item Name	**N12AP**	
	Wording	Advanced Placement (AP) courses?	
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		1	Yes
		0	No
	Item Name	**N12IB**	
	Wording	International Baccalaureate (IB) courses?	
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		1	Yes
		0	No
	Item Name	**N12COLL**	
	Wording	College-level courses, not including AP or IB, for which you earned college credit?	
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		1	Yes
		0	No

Section: Education Experiences
Construct: Decision on major

New question for full scale:

Question Name	N12DECIDEMAJ		
Wording	Have you decided what your major will be?		
Item	Spec Name	Value	
	Item Name	**N12DECIDEMAJ**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		1	Yes
		0	No

Section: Education Experiences
Construct: Likelihood of completing degree in major/field of study

Removed below 3 field test questions:

Question Name	N12FLDCOMB	
Wording	You just told [if web: us/if TIO: me] you were studying [T_CLSTY] during the most recent term you attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2010-2011 school year. On a scale from 0-10, how likely is it that you will finish a degree in [T_CLSTY]?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Slider	**0-10**
Question Name	N12MJ1COMB	
Wording	On a scale from 0-10, how likely is it that you will finish your [T_DEGREN] in your field of study?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Slider	**0-10**
Question Name	N12MJ2COMB	

Wording	On a scale from 0-10, how likely is it that you will finish your [T_DEGREN] in your field of study?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Slider	**0-10**

Section: Education Experiences
Construct: AP/IB/College credit in high school

Removed below 2 field test questions:

Question Name	N12MAJCHG		
Wording	[If T_CURENR = 1] Have you ever formally changed your major at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] Did you ever formally change your major at [Y_NPSCHL]?		
Item	Spec Name	Value	
	Item Name	**N12MAJCHG**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	Code	Label
		1	Yes
		0	No

Question Name	N12CHGNUM		
Wording	Have you changed your major...		
Item	Spec Name	Value	
	Item Name	**N12CHGNUM**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	Code	Label
		1	Once
		2	More than once

New single replacement question for full scale:

Question Name	N12MJCHGNUM		
Wording	[If T_CURENR = 1] How many times have you formally changed your major at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] How many times did you formally change your major at [Y_NPSCHL]?		
Item	**Spec Name**	**Value**	
	Item Name	**N12MJCHGNUM**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		0	None
		1	One
		2	More than one

Section: Education Experiences
Construct: Crowding out of classes

Removed below 3 field test questions:

Question Name	N12CROWD1
Wording	In your first year at [Y_NPSCHL], were there any required classes you needed to take but

couldn't because the classes were already full or not offered at all?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12CROWD1**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12CROWD2

Wording How many required classes were you unable to take?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12CROWD2**
Wording	|class(es)
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12CROWD3

Wording What changes did you make in your course schedule when you were unable to take the required classes during your first year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DIFFREQ**
Wording	Registered for a different required class
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12DIFFNOREQ**
Wording	Registered for a different class that was not a requirement
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12FEWERCOUR**
Wording	Took fewer classes
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12CROWD3OTH**
Wording	Other
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12CROWD3OTH_OTHER**
Wording	Please specify:
Response Option	Response Option Details

Section: Education Experiences
Construct: Entire degree program online

Question returned to survey from NPSAS:08 full scale:

Question Name N12ONLINEPGM

Wording [If T_CURENR=1]: Is your entire [T_DEGREN] program at [Y_NPSCHL] online? [Else]: When you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2011-2012 school year, was your entire [T_DEGREN] program online?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ONLINEPGM**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Section: Education Experiences
Construct: Services used at NPSAS school

Highlighted items from field test removed for full scale

Question N12SRVUSE

Name

Wording Which of the following services at [Y_NPSCHL] did you use in the 2010-2011 school year?

(Visiting, emailing, or in any way communicating with and receiving information or help from an office or department at [Y_NPSCHL] that offers a particular service counts as use of that service.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12FINAIDUSE**
Wording	Financial aid services
Item Name	**N12ACSPUSE**
Wording	Academic support services (for example, tutoring or writing centers)
Item Name	**N12ACADUSE**
Wording	Academic advising
Item Name	**N12CPPUSE**
Wording	Career planning or job placement services
Item Name	**N12COUUSE**
Wording	Personal counseling services
Item Name	**N12HLTHUSE**
Wording	Student health services
Item Name	**N12DAYUSE**
Wording	Childcare services
Item Name	**N12VETUSE**
Wording	Services for veterans
Item Name	**N12SRVOTH**
Wording	Other service not mentioned
Item Name	**N12SRVOTH_OTHER**
Wording	Please specify:
Item Name	**N12NOSRV**
Wording	Did not use any services

Revised version for full scale:

Question Name N12SRVUSE

Wording Which of the following school services have you used in the 2011-2012 school year?

(Visiting, emailing, or in any way communicating with and receiving information or help from a school office or department that offers a particular service counts as use of that service. Do not include use of these services while in high school.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12FINAIDUSE**
Wording	Financial aid counseling or advice
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12ACSPUSE**
Wording	Academic support services (for example, tutoring or writing centers)
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12ACADUSE**
Wording	Academic advising (for example, guidance with planning for courses)
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12CPPUSE**
Wording	Career planning or job placement services
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12HLTHUSE**
Wording	Student health services, including personal counseling services
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12NOSRV**
Wording	Did not use any services
Response Option	Response Option Details

Section: Education Experiences
Construct: Importance of services used

Highlighted items from field test removed for full scale:

Question Name: N12SRVMATRX

Wording: How often did you use each of the following services, and how important was each of these services in your decision to stay at [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12FINFREQ**	
Wording	Financial aid services	
Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Once
	2	Every term
	3	Monthly
	4	Weekly
	5	Daily
	0	Never
Item Name	**N12FINIMPT**	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important
Item Name	**N12ACSFREQ**	
Wording	Academic support services (for example, tutoring or writing centers)	
Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Once
	2	Every term
	3	Monthly
	4	Weekly
	5	Daily
	0	Never
Item Name	**N12ACSIMPT**	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important
Item Name	**N12AAFREQ**	
Wording	Academic advising	
Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Once
	2	Every term
	3	Monthly
	4	Weekly
	5	Daily
	0	Never
Item Name	**N12AAIMPT**	
Wording		
Response	Code	Label

Option	-9	-Select one-
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important

Item Name	**N12CPSFREQ**
Wording	Career planning or job placement services

Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Once
	2	Every term
	3	Monthly
	4	Weekly
	5	Daily
	0	Never

Item Name	**N12CPSIMPT**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important

Item Name	**N12PCSFREQ**
Wording	Personal counseling services

Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Once
	2	Every term
	3	Monthly
	4	Weekly
	5	Daily
	0	Never

Item Name	**N12PCSIMPT**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important

Item Name	**N12SHSFREQ**
Wording	Student health services

Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Once
	2	Every term
	3	Monthly
	4	Weekly
	5	Daily
	0	Never

Item Name	**N12SHSIMPT**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important

Item Name	**N12CCFREQ**
Wording	Childcare services

Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Once
	2	Every term

	3	Monthly
	4	Weekly
	5	Daily
	0	Never
Item Name	**N12CCIMPT**	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important
Item Name	**N12VTFREQ**	
Wording	Services for veterans	
Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Once
	2	Every term
	3	Monthly
	4	Weekly
	5	Daily
	0	Never
Item Name	**N12VTIMPT**	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important

Revised version for full scale:

Question Name N12SRVIMPT

Wording [If only one service chosen on N12SRVUSE] How important was this service in your decision to stay in school? [else] How important was each of these services in your decision to stay in school?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12FINAIDIMP**	
Wording	Financial aid counseling or advice	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important
Item Name	**N12ACSIMP**	
Wording	Academic support services	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important
Item Name	**N12ACADIMP**	
Wording	Academic advising	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important
Item Name	**N12CPPIMP**	
Wording	Career planning or job placement services	

Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important
Item Name	**N12HLTHIMP**	
Wording	Student health services (including personal counseling services)	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important

Section: Education Experiences
Construct: Expected wage in future occupation

Removed below 3 field test questions:

Question Name	N12OCCWGP	
Wording	How much do you think your yearly salary will be after you are finished with your education? Provide your best guess if you are unsure of the amount.	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Item Name	**N12OCCWGP**
	Wording	$ |.00 per year
	Response Option	Response Option Details
Question Name	N12OCCWAGEL	
Wording	What is the least amount of money you would reasonably expect to make each year when you are finished with your education? (Provide your best guess if you are unsure of the amount.)	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Item Name	**N12OCCWAGEL**
	Wording	$ |.00 per year
	Response Option	Response Option Details
Question Name	N12OCCWAGEH	
Wording	What is the most amount of money you would reasonably expect to make each year when you are finished with your education? (Provide your best guess if you are unsure of the amount.)	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Item Name	**N12OCCWAGEH**
	Wording	$ |.00 per year
	Response Option	Response Option Details

New single replacement question for full scale:

Question Name	N12FUTRWAGES
Wording	[If N12INTENDJOB=1 and N12EXJBTL ne missing] or [if N12CMPDGN=1 and N12EXJBTL ne missing]: [If TIO: I /else: We] have some questions about the range of salary you expected to make once you began working in a(n) [N12EXJBTL] job. What

was... [else if (N12INTENDJOB=1 and N12EXJBTL=missing) or (N12CMPDGN=1 and N12EXJBTL=missing)]: [If TIO: I/else: We] have some questions about the range of salary you expected to make once you finished your education. What was... [else if N12EXJBTL ne missing]: [If TIO: I /else: We] have some questions about the range of salary you expect to make once you begin working in a(n) [N12EXJBTL] job. What is... [else] [If TIO: I/else: We] have some questions about the range of salary you expect to make once you finish your education. What is...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12EXPWAGE**
Wording	1. Your **expected** yearly salary: $|.00 per year
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12HIWAGE**
Wording	2. Your **highest** expected yearly salary: $|.00 per year
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12LOWAGE**
Wording	3. Your **lowest** expected yearly salary: $|.00 per year
Response Option	Response Option Details

Section: Education Experiences
Construct: Non-monetary benefits of education

Removed below 2 field test questions:

Question Name N12LIFECHNG

Wording Tell [if web: us/if TIO: me] how much you agree with this statement by providing a number from 1 to 5, with 1 being "strongly disagree" and 5 being "strongly agree." If you would like to, you can use a decimal value such as a 2.5 or a 4.5 to answer this question. My life would be better overall if I finished my [T_DEGREN].

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12LIFECHNG**
Wording	
Item Name	**N12LIFECHNG_min**
Wording	1
Item Name	**N12LIFECHNG_max**
Wording	5

Question Name N12CHNGWAYS

Wording [If N12LIFECHNG in (3.5, 4, 4.5, 5)] In which of the following ways do you think your life would be better if you finished your education? (Else) In which of the following ways do you think your life would be worse if you finished your education?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12CHNGWRK**
Wording	Choosing how and when you will complete important work tasks
Item Name	**N12CHNGFRDS**
Wording	Flexibility to make time for friends or family
Item Name	**N12CHNGLEIS**
Wording	Flexibility to make time for leisure pursuits
Item Name	**N12CHNGEXP**
Wording	Being seen as an expert in your field
Item Name	**N12CHNGHLP**
Wording	Helping others
Item Name	**N12CHNGSAL**
Wording	Yearly income

Item Name	**N12CHNGOTH**
Wording	Other way not listed
Item Name	**N12CHNGOTH_OTHER**
Wording	Please tell us the other way:

Single replacement question for full scale:

Question Name N12EDBENEFTS

Wording: Salary may be only one part of why people choose a job. Compared to the salary, how important is each of the following to you?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12HLPOTH**	
Wording	Helping others as part of your job	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Less important than salary
	2	As important as salary
	3	More important than salary
Item Name	**N12EXPFLD**	
Wording	Being seen as an expert in your field	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Less important than salary
	2	As important as salary
	3	More important than salary
Item Name	**N12WRKTSKS**	
Wording	Making your own decisions about how to get your work done	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Less important than salary
	2	As important as salary
	3	More important than salary
Item Name	**N12LEISTIME**	
Wording	Balancing work and leisure time	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Less important than salary
	2	As important as salary
	3	More important than salary
Item Name	**N12FAMTIM**	
Wording	Balancing work and family	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Less important than salary
	2	As important as salary
	3	More important than salary

Section: Financial Aid
Construct: NPSAS issued tuition refund

New question for full scale:

Question Name N12REFUND1

Wording: [If N12RCVLN=0] After paying for your tuition and fees, did you or will you receive a refund of any scholarships or grants from [Y_NPSCHL]? [Else]: After paying for your tuition and fees, did you or will you receive a refund of any scholarships, grants, or loans from [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12REFUND1**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Section: Financial Aid
Construct: Refund cashed or deposited

New question for full scale:

Question Name N12REFUND2
Wording Did you or will you...
Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12REFUND2**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Ask your school to deposit the refund directly to your bank or credit union account
	2	Cash or deposit the refund check at a bank or credit union yourself
	3	Cash the refund check somewhere other than a bank or credit union (example: a check-cashing business, grocery or convenience store)
	4	Receive the refund on a prepaid debit card
	5	Receive the refund through your student ID card
	6	Do something else not listed with the refund

Section: Financial Aid
Construct: Pay out-of-state or out-of-district tuition

Question returned to full scale survey from NPSAS:08 full scale survey:

Question Name N12OUTST
Wording [If TCURENR = 1] At [Y_NPSCHL], are you charged for out-of-state or out-of-district tuition or fees? [else] At [Y_NPSCHL], were you charged for out-of-state or out-of-district tuition or fees?
Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12OUTST**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Section: Financial Aid
Construct: Loan avoidance

Removed below 2 field test questions:

Question Name N12TOINTEN
Wording Did you choose to take fewer classes at [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2010-2011 school year as a way to avoid taking out student loans?
Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12TOINTEN**	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes

	0	No

Question Name N12TOCOST

Wording: Did you choose to attend a school that cost you less as a way to avoid taking out student loans?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12TOCOST**	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Single replacement question for full scale:

Question Name: N12AVOIDLNS

Wording: [If N12FEDLN=1 or N12PRVLN=1] As a way to avoid taking out additional student loans during the 2011-2012 school year, did you choose to... [else] As a way to avoid taking out student loans during the 2011-2012 school year, did you choose to...

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12FEWCLSES**	
Wording	Take fewer classes at [Y_NPSCHL]?	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No
Item Name	**N12CSTLESS**	
Wording	Attend a school that cost you less?	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No
Item Name	**N12WRKMORE**	
Wording	Get a job or work more hours?	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Section: Financial Aid
Construct: Unmet need and amount of unmet need

Removed below 5 field test questions:

Question Name N12DCLWHY

Wording: Why were you concerned that you might not be able to repay the additional loan(s)?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12DCLWHY**	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	You aren't sure you'll finish your college program, so you may not be able to get a job that pays enough
	2	You expect to finish your college program, but you may not be able to find a job in your field that pays enough
	3	You expect to finish your college program, but you worry that you won't be able to find a job in any field that pays enough
	4	You expect to finish your college program, but you don't plan to work for pay after you're done
	5	You don't yet know what you'll be doing after

you finish college

Question Name	N12DCLN2K
Wording	If you had been offered a $2,000 college loan, would you have accepted the loan?
Item	

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DCLN2K**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name	N12LN2KNO
Wording	What is the main reason why you wouldn't accept the additional loan?
Item	

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12LN2KNO**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Your college costs are already covered with money from other sources
2	You would be concerned that you might not be able to repay the loan amount
3	You would not want more debt

Question Name	N12LNED1K
Wording	If you had been offered a $1,000 college loan to be used only for paying educational expenses like tuition and books, would you have accepted the loan?
Item	

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12LNED1K**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name	N12LNLV1K
Wording	If you had been offered a $1,000 college loan to be used only for paying your living expenses like food and rent, would you have accepted the loan?
Item	

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12LNLV1K**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Two replacement questions for full scale:

Question Name	N12UNMETNEED
Wording	[If N12RCVLN le 0]: Would you have borrowed money for the 2011-2012 school year if you could have? [Else]: Would you have borrowed more money for the 2011-2012 school year if you could have?
Item	

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12UNMETNEED**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name	N12NEEDAMTUG
Wording	[If N12RCVLN le 0]: How much money would you have borrowed for the 2011-2012

school year if you could have? [Else]: How much more money would you have borrowed for the 2011-2012 school year if you could have?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12NEEDAMTUG**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Less than $1,000
	2	$1,000-$2,000
	3	$2,001-$3,000
	4	$3,001-$4,000
	5	More than $4,000
	6	$0

Section: Financial Aid
Construct: Cost of books and supplies

Removed below field test question:

Question N12CSTBKS

Name

Wording [If T_AGE lt 24 and T_CURENR=1]
What was the total cost of your books and supplies for this term or semester at [Y_NPSCHL]? Do not include the cost of tuition and fees in this number. (Report the total cost of all books and supplies, even if someone else paid for your books and supplies. If you are unsure of the amount, provide your best guess.)

[else if T_AGE lt 24 and T_CURENR=0]
What was the total cost of your books and supplies at [Y_NPSCHL] for the last term or semester you attended there in the 2010-2011 school year? Do not include the cost of tuition and fees in this number. (Report the total cost of all books and supplies, even if someone else paid for your books and supplies. If you are unsure of the amount, provide your best guess.)

[else if T_CURENR=1]
What was the total cost of your books and supplies for this term or semester at [Y_NPSCHL]? Do not include the cost of tuition and fees in this number. (If you are unsure of the amount, provide your best guess.)

[else]
What was the total cost of your books and supplies at [Y_NPSCHL] for the last term or semester you attended there in the 2010-2011 school year? Do not include the cost of tuition and fees in this number. (If you are unsure of the amount, provide your best guess.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12CSTBKS**
Wording	$ |.00
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12CSTBKTUI**
Wording	Cost of books and supplies were included in tuition
Response Option	Response Option Details

Section: Financial Aid
Construct: Expected cost of attendance

Removed below field test question:

Question N12CSTEXP

Name

Wording [If T_AGE lt 24 and T_CURENR=1]:

Overall, have you or your parents paid less, more, or about what you had planned on paying to attend [Y_NPSCHL]?

[else if T_AGE lt 24 and T_CURENR=0]
Overall, did you or your parents pay less, more, or about what you had planned on paying to attend [Y_NPSCHL] when you last attended there in the 2010-2011 school year?

[else if T_CURENR=1]
Overall, have you paid less, more, or about what you had planned on paying to attend [Y_NPSCHL]?

[else]
Overall, did you pay less, more, or about what you had planned on paying to attend [Y_NPSCHL] when you last attended there in the 2010-2011 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12CSTEXP**	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Much less than expected
	2	Less than expected
	3	About what was expected
	4	More than expected
	5	Much more than expected

Section: Financial Aid
Construct: Undergraduate assistantship

Removed below 8 field test question:

QuestionN12SCHJOB

Name

Wording [if T_CURENR=1] During the 2010-2011 school year, have you had... [else] During the 2010-2011 school year, did you have... [All conditions include following definition] (An assistantship is a school-related job for which you are paid, including such jobs as a research assistant or a teaching assistant.)

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12WKST**	
Wording	A work-study job	
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No
Item Name	**N12ASST**	
Wording	An assistantship	
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

QuestionN12ASMAJR

Name

Wording Create ltext fill: {if N12DBLMAJ = 3 or T_STAT = 3} ltext = coursework {else if N12DBLMAJ = 2} ltext = primary major or field of study {else} ltext = major or field of study [If N12DBLMAJ = 3 or T_STAT = 3] [{If T_CURENR = 0} was {else} is] your assistantship related to your coursework at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] [{If T_CURENR = 0} was {else} is] your assistantship related to your [{If N12DBLMAJ = 2} primary] major or field of study at [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value

	Item Name	**N12ASMAJR**
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code / Label
		1 Yes
		0 No

Question Name N12ASONOF

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] Is your assistantship located primarily on or off campus? [else] Was your assistantship located primarily on or off campus?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ASONOF**
Wording	
Response Option	Code / Label
	1 On campus
	2 Off campus
	3 Both on and off campus

Question Name N12ASEMP

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] Is your assistantship for [Y_NPSCHL] or for another institution or organization? [else] Was your assistantship for [Y_NPSCHL] or for another institution or organization?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ASEMP**
Wording	
Response Option	Code / Label
	1 [Y_NPSCHL]
	2 Another institution or organization

Question Name N12ASEARN

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] How much do you earn from your assistantship while attending [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2010-2011 school year? [else] How much did you earn from your assistantship while you were attending [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2010-2011 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ASAMT**
Wording	 </br>$
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12ASERNT**
Wording	
Response Option	Code / Label
	1 Per year
	2 Per term or semester
	3 Per month
	4 Per week
	5 Per hour

Question Name N12ASERNS

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] In the 2010-2011 school year, how many [{if N12ASERNT = 2} terms {if N12ASERNT = 3} months {else}weeks] will you have worked in your assistantship by the end of the school year? [else] During the 2010-2011 school year, how many [{if N12ASERNT = 2} terms {if N12ASERNT = 3} months {else}weeks] did you work in your assistantship? [If Y_CALSYS=0 and N12ASERNT in (missing, 4,5)] then provide the following instruction]: A typical semester =15 weeks. A typical quarter or trimester=10 weeks.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ASERNS**
Wording	[If N12ASERNT = 2] term(s) [else if N12ASERNT = 3] month(s) [else] week(s)
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12ASHRS

Wording	[If T_CURENR = 1] During the 2010-2011 school year, how many hours, on average, do you work per week in your assistantship? [else] During the 2010-2011 school year, how many hours, on average, did you work per week in your assistantship?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Item Name	**N12ASHRS**
	Wording	| hours per week
	Response Option	Response Option Details
Question Name	N12ASWEEK	
Wording	[If T_CURENR = 1] For your assistantship, would you say you have worked during all the weeks you attended [Y_NPSCHL], most of them, half of them, or less than half? [else] For your assistantship, would you say you worked during all the weeks you attended [Y_NPSCHL], most of them, half of them, or less than half?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Item Name	**N12ASWEEK**
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: Label
		1: All
		2: Most
		3: Half
		4: Less than half

Section: Current Employment
Construct: Job prior to attending NPSAS school

Four new (alternate) questions for full scale:

Question Name	N12PRVJOB	
Wording	Before the 2011-2012 school year began, how many jobs for pay were you usually working at one time?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: Label
		0: None
		1: One
		2: More than one
Question Name	N12PRVWAGE	
Wording	Create T_JOBFILL: [If N12PRVJOB > 1] then T_JOBFILL = "from all jobs", [else] T_JOBFILL = blank How much did you usually earn [T_JOBFILL] before the 2011-2012 school year began?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	$
	Response Option Wording	
	Response Option	Code: Label
		1: Per year
		2: Per month
		3: Per week
		4: Per hour
Question Name	N12PRVHRSWK	
Wording	Create T_JOBFILL :[If N12PRVJOB > 1] then T_JOBFILL = "at all jobs together", [else] T_JOBFILL = blank. On average, how many hours per week did you work [T_JOBFILL] before the 2011-2012 school year began?	

Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	| hour(s) per week
	Response Option	

Question Name N12PRVMTHYR

Wording How many months of the year did you work between July 1, 2010 and June 30, 2011?

Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	| month(s)
	Response Option	

Above questions asked in full scale for some respondents in place of below questions (also in full scale and asked in the field test):

Question Name N12WRKPAY

Wording If you had not attended college at all in 2011-2012, which of the following would you most likely have done?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12WRKPAY**	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Work for pay
	2	Work, but not be paid
	3	Not work (for any reason)
	4	Enter the military

Question Name N12ALTNUMJOB

Wording If you had not attended college at all in 2011-2012, how many jobs for pay do you think you would have held at one time?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12ALTNUMJOB**	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	One job at a time
	2	Two or more jobs at a time

Question Name N12ALTSCHED

Wording If you had not attended college at all in 2011-2012, would you have worked full time (40 hours per week) for the full year (12 months out of the year)?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12ALTSCHED**	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ALTMTHYR**
Wording	| month(s)
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12ALTWAGE1

Wording [If N12WRKPAY=4]
How much do you think you would have earned if you had entered the military instead of attending college in the 2011-2012 school year? Provide your best guess if you are unsure of the amount.

[Else]:
How much do you think you would have earned from working if you had not attended college at all in the 2011-2012 school year? Provide your best guess if you are unsure of the amount. [All get the following instruction]: (Tip: The average minimum wage is $7.75 per hour.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ALT1AMT**
Wording	$|(enter an amount per hour or an amount per year)
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12ALT1TIM**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Per hour
	2	Per year

Question Name N12ALTWAGE2

Wording How much do you think you would have earned at all your jobs together if you had not attended college in the 2011-2012 school year? Provide your best guess if you are unsure of the amount.

(Tip: The average minimum wage is $7.75 per hour.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ALT2AMT**
Wording	$|.00 (enter an amount per week, per month, or per year)
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12ALT2TIM**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Per week
	2	Per month
	3	Per year

Section: Current Employment
Construct: Effects of working during the school year

Removed below field test question:

Question Name N12WRKLIMITS

Wording
[If T_B4JULY=1]
Has working during the 2011-2012 school year…
[Else]
Did working during the 2011-2012 school year…

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12LIMNUMCL**
Wording	[If T_B4JULY=1]: Limited the number of classes you could take? [Else]: Limit the number of classes you could take?

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Item Name	**N12LIMSCHED**
Wording	[If T_B4JULY=1]: Made it difficult to schedule your classes? [Else]: Make it difficult to schedule your classes?

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Item Name	**N12LIMFAC**
Wording	[If T_B4JULY=1]: Limited your access to campus facilities or services? [Else]: Limit your access to campus facilities or services?

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Section: Income and Expenses
Construct: Categorization of federal and private loan use

Removed below 2 field test questions:

Question Name: N12FLNUSETYP

Wording: The next several questions focus on how you have paid for your expenses while you have attended [Y_NPSCHL].

In the 2010-2011 school year, have you used more than $1,000 of your federal student loans to pay for:

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12FLNUSETUI**
Wording	Tuition, fees, and other educational expenses
Response Option	Code: 1 Label: Yes Code: 0 Label: No
Item Name	**N12FLNUSELIV**
Wording	Create: {if N12DEP2=1} t_fill1=child {else} t_fill1=children [If N12MARR=2 and N12DEP2 gt 0] Basic living expenses such as rent and food for you and your spouse and t_fill1 [Else if N12MARR=2] Basic living expenses such as rent and food for you and your spouse [Else if N12DEP2 gt 0] Basic living expenses such as rent and food for you and your t_fill1 [Else] Basic living expenses such as rent and food
Response Option	Code: 1 Label: Yes Code: 0 Label: No
Item Name	**N12FLNUSEEXP**
Wording	Create: {if N12DEP2=1} t_fill1=child {else} t_fill1=children [If N12MARR=2 and N12DEP2 gt 0] All other expenses you may have including expenses for you and your spouse and t_fill1 [Else in N12MARR=2] All other expenses you may have including expenses for you and your spouse [Else if N12DEP2 gt 0] All other expenses you may have including expenses for you and your t_fill1 [Else] All other expenses you may have
Response Option	Code: 1 Label: Yes Code: 0 Label: No
Item Name	**N12FLNUSEOTH**
Wording	The expenses of others, such as your parents or guardians and other relatives
Response Option	Code: 1 Label: Yes Code: 0 Label: No

Question Name: N12PLNUSETYP

Wording: In the 2010-2011 school year, have you used more than $1,000 of your private student loans to pay for:

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12PLNUSETUI**
Wording	Tuition, fees, and other educational expenses
Response Option	Code: 1 Label: Yes Code: 0 Label: No
Item Name	**N12PLNUSELIV**
Wording	Create: {if N12DEP2=1} t_fill1=child {else} t_fill1=children [If N12MARR=2 and N12DEP2 gt 0]

Basic living expenses such as rent and food for you and your spouse and t_fill1
[Else if N12MARR=2]
Basic living expenses such as rent and food for you and your spouse
[Else if N12DEP2 gt 0]
Basic living expenses such as rent and food for you and your t_fill1
[Else]
Basic living expenses such as rent and food

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Item Name **N12PLNUSEEXP**

Wording
Create: {if N12DEP2=1} t_fill1=child {else} t_fill1=children
[If N12MARR=2 and N12DEP2 gt 0]
All other expenses you may have including expenses for you and your spouse and t_fill1
[Else in N12MARR=2]
All other expenses you may have including expenses for you and your spouse
[Else if N12DEP2 gt 0]
All other expenses you may have including expenses for you and your t_fill1
[Else]
All other expenses you may have

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Item Name **N12PLNUSEOTH**

Wording
The expenses of others, such as your parents or guardians and other relatives

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Section: Income and Expenses
Construct: Parent financial help for college

Three new questions for full scale:

Question Name N12PARHELP

Wording
[If T_B4JULY=1] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), will your parents (or guardians) have helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you are enrolled in school? [Else]: Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), did your parents (or guardians) help you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12PARAMT

Wording
[If T_B4JULY=1] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, about how much will your parents (or guardians) have helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you are enrolled in school? Is it... [Else]: Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, about how much did your parents (or guardians) help you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school? Was it...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Less than $250
2	$250-$500
3	$501-$1,000
4	$1,001-$1,500
5	$1,501-$2,000
6	More than $2,000

Question Name	N12PARAMT2
Wording	[If T_B4JULY=1]: OK. Is the amount your parents (or guardians) will have helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses through the end of the 2011-2012 school year... [Else]: OK. Was the amount your parents (or guardians) helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school through the end of the 2011-2012 school year...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	$2,001-$5,000
2	$5,001-$10,000
3	$10,001-$15,000
4	$15,001-$20,000
5	$20,001-$25,000
6	More than $25,000

Section: Income and Expenses
Construct: Financial assistance received from family/friends

Removed below field test question:

Question Name	N12FAMHLPORD
Wording	[If N12MARR=2] Of the money received from family or friends other than your spouse, about how much do you use each term or semester to pay for: [Else] Of the money received from family or friends, about how much do you use each term or semester to pay for:

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12FAMORDTUI**
Wording	Tuition, fees, and other educational expenses

Response Option

Code	Label
0	$0
1	$1 to $500
2	$501 to $1,000
3	$1,001 to $1,500
4	$1,501 to $2,000
5	More than $2,000

Item Name	**N12FAMORDLIV**
Wording	Create: {if N12DEP2=1} t_fill1=child {else} t_fill1=children [If N12MARR=2 and N12DEP2 gt 0] Basic living expenses such as rent and food (or room and board) for you and your spouse and t_fill1 [Else if N12MARR=2] Basic living expenses such as rent and food (or room and board) for you and your spouse [Else if N12DEP2 gt 0] Basic living expenses such as rent and food (or room and board) for you and your t_fill1 [Else] Basic living expenses such as rent and food (or room and board)

Response Option

Code	Label
0	$0
1	$1 to $500
2	$501 to $1,000
3	$1,001 to $1,500
4	$1,501 to $2,000
5	More than $2,000

Item Name	**N12FAMORDEXP**
Wording	Create: {if N12DEP2=1} t_fill1=child {else} t_fill1=children

[If N12MARR=2 and N12DEP2 gt 0]
All other expenses you may have including expenses for you and your spouse and t_fill1
[Else in N12MARR=2]
All other expenses you may have including expenses for you and your spouse
[Else if N12DEP2 gt 0]
All other expenses you may have including expenses for you and your t_fill1
[Else]
All other expenses you may have

Response Option

Code	Label
0	$0
1	$1 to $500
2	$501 to $1,000
3	$1,001 to $1,500
4	$1,501 to $2,000
5	More than $2,000

Replaced with two new simplified questions for full scale:

Question Name N12FAMAMT

Wording [If T_B4JULY=1] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, about how much will these family or friends have helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you are enrolled in school? Is it... [Else]: Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, about how much did these family or friends help you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school? Was it...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Less than $250
2	$250-$500
3	$501-$1,000
4	$1,001-$1,500
5	$1,501-$2,000
6	More than $2,000

Question Name N12FAMAMT2

Wording [If T_B4JULY=1]: OK. Is the amount these family or friends will have helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses through the end of the 2011-2012 school year... [Else]: OK. Was the amount these family or friends helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses through the end of the 2011-2012 school year...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	$2,001-$5,000
2	$5,001-$10,000
3	$10,001-$15,000
4	$15,001-$20,000
5	$20,001-$25,000
6	More than $25,000

Section: Income and Expenses
Construct: Categorization of credit card use

Removed below field test question:

Question Name N12CCUSEORD

Wording About how much have you charged on your credit cards each term or semester to pay for:

Item	Spec Name	Value	
	Item Name	**N12CCTUIORD**	
	Wording	Tuition, fees, and other educational expenses	
	Response Option	Code	Label
		0	$0
		1	$1 to $500
		2	$501 to $1,000
		3	$1,001 to $1,500
		4	$1,501 to $2,000
		5	More than $2,000
	Item Name	**N12CCLIVORD**	
	Wording	Create: {if N12DEP2=1} t_fill1=child {else} t_fill1=children [If N12MARR=2 and N12DEP2 gt 0] Basic living expenses such as rent and food for you and your spouse and t_fill1 [Else if N12MARR=2] Basic living expenses such as rent and food for you and your spouse [Else if N12DEP2 gt 0] Basic living expenses such as rent and food for you and your t_fill1 [Else] Basic living expenses such as rent and food	
	Response Option	Code	Label
		0	$0
		1	$1 to $500
		2	$501 to $1,000
		3	$1,001 to $1,500
		4	$1,501 to $2,000
		5	More than $2,000
	Item Name	**N12CCEXPORD**	
	Wording	Create: {if N12DEP2=1} t_fill1=child {else} t_fill1=children [If N12MARR=2 and N12DEP2 gt 0] All other expenses you may have including expenses for you and your spouse and t_fill1 [Else in N12MARR=2] All other expenses you may have including expenses for you and your spouse [Else if N12DEP2 gt 0] All other expenses you may have including expenses for you and your t_fill1 [Else] All other expenses you may have	
	Response Option	Code	Label
		0	$0
		1	$1 to $500
		2	$501 to $1,000
		3	$1,001 to $1,500
		4	$1,501 to $2,000
		5	More than $2,000
	Item Name	**N12CCOTHORD**	
	Wording	The expenses of others, such as your parents or guardians and other relatives	
	Response Option	Code	Label
		0	$0
		1	$1 to $500
		2	$501 to $1,000
		3	$1,001 to $1,500
		4	$1,501 to $2,000
		5	More than $2,000

Section: Income and Expenses
Construct: Checking/savings account

New question for full scale:

Question Name	N12BANK1	
Wording	Do you have a checking or savings account at a bank or credit union?	
Item	**Spec Name**	**Value**

Wording			
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**	
	1	Yes	
	0	No	

Section: Income and Expenses
Construct: Checking/savings account name

New question for full scale:

Question Name	N12BANK2		
Wording	Is your primary checking or savings account…		
Item	**Spec Name**	**Value**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		1	In your name only, or
		2	Shared between you and someone else

Section: Income and Expenses
Construct: Discount rate

Removed below 4 field test questions:

Question Name	N12DISCOUNTA		
Wording	Imagine you have a choice between receiving $750 in one month, or $1500 one year from today. This gift is guaranteed to be paid whether you would choose to take the $750 in one month or wait to receive $1500 one year from today. Would you prefer…		
Item	Spec Name	Value	
	Item Name	**N12DISCOUNTA**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	Code	Label
		750	$750 one month from today
		1500	$1500 one year from today
Question Name	N12DISCOUNTB		
Wording	You just said you would wait a year to receive $1500 rather than take $750 in one month. Starting with $750, what's the least amount of money you'd be willing to wait a year for?		
Item	Spec Name	Value	
	Item Name	**N12DISCOUNTB**	
	Wording	Least amount of money you would wait a year for:	
	Item Name	**N12DISCOUNTB_min**	
	Wording	750	
	Item Name	**N12DISCOUNTB_max**	
	Wording	1500	
Question Name	N12DISCOUNTC		
Wording	Imagine you have a choice between receiving $750 in one month, or $1125 six months from today. This gift is guaranteed to be paid whether you would choose to take the $750 in one		

month or wait to receive $1125 six months from today.

Would you prefer...

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12DISCOUNTC**	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	750	$750 one month from today
	1125	$1125 six months from today

Question Name N12DISCOUNTD

Wording You just said you would wait six months to receive $1125 rather than take $750 one month from today.

Starting with $750, what's the least amount of money you'd be willing to wait six months for?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DISCOUNTD**
Wording	Least amount of money you would wait a year for:
Item Name	**N12DISCOUNTD_min**
Wording	750
Item Name	**N12DISCOUNTD_max**
Wording	1125

Replaced with 6 simplified questions for full scale:

Question Name N12DSCT250

Wording Now [If web mode: we/else: I] have a series of quick "what-if" scenarios for you about money. Imagine you have a choice between receiving $250 today, or $250 in one year. This gift is guaranteed whether you choose to take the $250 today, or $250 in one year. Would you prefer...

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	$250 today
	2	$250 in one year

Question Name N12DSCT300

Wording Thanks. What about...

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	$250 today
	2	$300 in one year

Question Name N12DSCT350

Wording OK. What about...

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	$250 today
	2	$350 in one year

Question Name N12DSCT400

Wording OK. What about...

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	$250 today
	2	$400 in one year

Question Name N12DSCT450
Wording OK. What about…
Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	$250 today
2	$450 in one year

Question Name N12DSCT500
Wording Finally, how about…
Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	$250 today
2	$500 in one year

Section: Background
Construct: Current foreign language use

Removed below field test question:

Question Name N12FFLANGB
Wording [If N12FLANG in (2, 3)]
Today, how often do you interact with others in Spanish?

[Else]
Today, how often do you interact with others in your non-English language?
Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12FFLANGB**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
0	Never
1	Sometimes
2	About half of the time
3	Most of the time
4	Always

Section: Background
Construct: Parents' highest level of education

Removed below field test question:

Question Name N12GUARDED
Wording For each of your parents or guardians, describe their relationship to you (for example, "mother") and the highest level of education they have completed.
Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GUARDREL1**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select One-
1	Mother
2	Father
3	Stepmother
4	Stepfather

	5	Grandmother
	6	Grandfather
	7	Aunt
	8	Uncle
	9	Sister
	10	Brother
	11	Other person

Item Name **N12GUARDHED1**
Wording
Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
1	Did not complete high school
2	High school diploma or equivalent
3	Vocational/technical training
4	Less than 2 years of college
5	Associate's degree
6	2 or more years of college but no degree
7	Bachelor's degree
8	Master's degree or equivalent
9	Professional degree (law or medicine)
10	Doctoral degree (PhD, EdD, etc.)
11	Don't know

Item Name **N12GUARDREL2**
Wording
Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select One-
1	Mother
2	Father
3	Stepmother
4	Stepfather
5	Grandmother
6	Grandfather
7	Aunt
8	Uncle
9	Sister
10	Brother
11	Other person

Item Name **N12GUARDHED2**
Wording
Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
1	Did not complete high school
2	High school diploma or equivalent
3	Vocational/technical training
4	Less than 2 years of college
5	Associate's degree
6	2 or more years of college but no degree
7	Bachelor's degree
8	Master's degree or equivalent
9	Professional degree (law or medicine)
10	Doctoral degree (PhD, EdD, etc.)
11	Don't know

Item Name **N12GUARDNO**
Wording Only wish to identify one parent/guardian

Replaced with below two questions for full scale:

Question Name N12MOMED
Wording
Item What is the highest level of education your mother completed?

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response

Code	Label

	Option	1	Did not complete high school
		2	High school diploma or equivalent
		3	Vocational/technical training
		6	Some college but no degree
		5	Associate's degree (usually a 2-year degree)
		7	Bachelor's degree (usually a 4-year degree)
		8	Master's degree or equivalent
		9	Professional degree (chiropractic, dentistry, law, medicine, optometry, pharmacy, podiatry, or veterinary medicine)
		10	Doctoral degree (PhD, EdD, etc.)
		11	Don't know

Question Name N12DADED

Wording Item: What is the highest level of education your father completed?

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Did not complete high school
	2	High school diploma or equivalent
	3	Vocational/technical training
	6	Some college but no degree
	5	Associate's degree (usually a 2-year degree)
	7	Bachelor's degree (usually a 4-year degree)
	8	Master's degree or equivalent
	9	Professional degree (chiropractic, dentistry, law, medicine, optometry, pharmacy, podiatry, or veterinary medicine)
	10	Doctoral degree (PhD, EdD, etc.)
	11	Don't know

Section: Background
Construct: Sibling in college first

Question returned to full scale survey from NPSAS:04 full scale survey:

Question Name N12SIBCL

Wording Item: Do you have any brothers or sisters who went to college before you did?

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Section: Background
Construct: Military status

Question revised for full scale to include highlighted item:

Question Name N12MILIT

Wording: Are you a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces, or are you currently serving in the Armed Forces either on active duty, in the reserves, or in the National Guard?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	Veteran
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Spec Name	Value
Wording	Active duty
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Spec Name	Value
Wording	Reserves
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Spec Name	Value
Wording	National Guard
Response Option	
Wording	None of the above
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	None of the above
0	No

Section: Background
Construct: Serving on active duty

Removed below field test question:

Question Name N12MILST

Wording Have you ever served on active duty during a military operation, such as a war or national emergency?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12MILST**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Section: Background
Construct: Dressing/bathing and doing errands alone disability items

Removed below 2 field test questions:

Question Name N12ACS17C

Wording Do you have difficulty dressing or bathing?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ACS17C**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12ACS18

Wording Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, do you have difficulty doing errands alone such as visiting a doctor's office or shopping?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ACS18**

Wording

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Section: Background
Construct: Main type of disability

Question returned to full scale survey from NPSAS:08 full scale survey:

Question Name N12MAIN

Wording What is the main type of condition or impairment that you have?

(Please choose only one.)

Item

Spec Name	Value

Wording

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Hearing impairment (for example, deaf or hard of hearing)
2	Blindness or visual impairment that cannot be corrected by wearing glasses
3	Speech or language impairment
4	Orthopedic or mobility impairment
5	Specific learning disability or dyslexia
6	Attention deficit disorder (ADD)
7	Health impairment or problem
8	Mental, emotional or psychiatric condition
9	Depression
10	Developmental disability
11	Brain injury
12	Other

Section: Background
Construct: Participation in future studies

New question for full scale:

Question Name N12EXTERNAL

Wording We are almost done with this survey. But first, I want to let you know that some students may be invited to participate in follow-up studies to learn more about their education and employment experiences after completing this survey. These follow-up studies will be led by external researchers not affiliated with the Department of Education. We would like to seek your permission to allow RTI to re-contact you on behalf of one of the external researchers. Your participation in future studies is completely voluntary, but there is no substitute for your response.

Are you willing to be contacted about these future studies?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12EXTERNAL**

Wording

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Section: Locating
Construct: Verify parents' address

Removed question (added after field test; removed before full-scale):

Question Name	N12VERLOCPAR		
Wording Item	Which of the following is where your parent(s) or guardian(s) currently live?		
	Spec Name	Value	
	Item Name	**N12VERLOCPAR**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	Code	Label
		1	[fill Y_LOC1AD]
		2	[fill N12LOCADR]
		3	Parent(s)/Guardian(s) live at a different address

Section: Locating
Construct: Contacting information

New single "other/specify" item for full scale:

Question Name	N12CELLPRO		
Wording Item	Please provide the name of your cell phone service provider.		
	Spec Name	**Value**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		-9	-Select one-
		1	Alltel
		2	AT&T
		3	Boost Mobile
		4	Cellular One
		5	Cricket
		6	Metro-PCS
		7	Nextel
		8	Qwest
		9	Sprint
		10	Straight Talk
		11	T-Mobile
		12	Tracfone
		13	US Cellular
		14	Verizon
		15	Virgin Mobile
		16	Other
	Wording Response Option	Please provide the name of your cell phone service provider:	

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Front End

Spec Name	Value
Question Name	N12RESPCONF
Wording	Before we begin, it is important to verify that we are surveying the correct person. Are you the [Y_FNAME] [Y_MNAME] [Y_LNAME] [Y_SNAME], who was enrolled at [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2011-2012 school year? If you are not [Y_FNAME] [Y_MNAME] [Y_LNAME] [Y_SNAME], please log out and call 1-877-NPSAS-NOW (1-877-677-2766) to reach our Help Desk and get your correct Study ID.
Item	**Spec Name** / **Value** **Item Name** N12RESPCONF Wording **Response Option** **Code** / **Label** 1 Yes 0 No
Question Name	N12CONSENT
Wording	[If Y_MINOR=3] Recently, we sent material to you and your parents about a study we are conducting for the U.S. Department of Education about how students and their families pay for education beyond high school. As a token of our appreciation, you will receive a [INC_AMOUNT] check once you complete the survey. Your parents have reviewed the material and given permission for you to participate in this study. Have you had a chance to read the material? [Else] Recently, we sent you material about a study we are conducting for the U.S. Department of Education about how students and their families pay for education beyond high school. As a token of our appreciation, you will receive a [INC_AMOUNT] check once you complete the survey. Have you had a chance to read the material?
Item	**Spec Name** / **Value** **Item Name** N12CONSENT Wording **Response Option** **Code** / **Label** 1 Yes, I have read the material 0 No, I have not read the material
Question Name	INFCON1
Wording	Great. If you have any questions about this study, you may contact the study's director, Dr. Jennifer Wine, at 1-877-225-8470. For questions about your rights as a study participant, you may contact RTI's Office of Research Protection toll free at 1-866-214-2043. To review the letter that we mailed, click here (PDF letter, 36KB). To review the study brochure, click here (PDF brochure, 839KB). On average, the survey takes about 25 minutes. You may decline to answer any question or stop the survey at any time. Do you want to begin the survey now?
Item	**Spec Name** / **Value** **Item Name** INFCON1 Wording **Response** **Code** / **Label**

	Option	1	Yes, I agree to participate now
		2	Not now, but I want to participate at a later time
		0	No, I do not want to participate at all

Question Name INFCON2

Wording The survey takes about 25 minutes. Your responses, combined with student record information, may be used only for statistical purposes and may not be disclosed, or used, in personally identifiable form for any other purpose, except as required by law (20 U.S.C. § 9573). You are one of approximately 125,000 students who will be taking part in this study. In addition to your survey responses, we collect financial aid, student records and related information from your institution and sources such as student loan databases and admissions testing agencies. Some students, such as those who enrolled in college for the first time between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012, and other special groups, may be selected for follow-up studies in later years to learn more about their education and employment experiences since completing this 2012 survey. Your participation is voluntary and will not affect any aid or other benefits that you may receive. You may decline to answer any question or stop the survey at any time. The risk of participating in this study is small and relates to data security. However, your information will be kept in secure and protected data files. If you have any questions about the study, you may contact the study's director, Dr. Jennifer Wine, at 1-877-225-8470. For questions about your rights as a study participant, please contact RTI's Office of Research Protection toll free at 1-866-214-2043. Please call the NPSAS Help Desk at 1-877-NPSAS-NOW (1-877-677-2766) if you would like to have the materials sent to you. To review the letter that we mailed, click here. (PDF letter, 36KB) To review the study brochure, click here. (PDF brochure, 839KB) Do you want to begin the survey now?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**INFCON2**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes, I agree to participate now
	2	Not now, but I want to participate at a later time
	0	No, I do not want to participate at all

Question Name END1

Wording Thank you. We look forward to your participation. We will send you a reminder message in a few weeks if you have not yet completed your NPSAS survey.

We can send you an email message and a text message reminder.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**END1_EMAIL**
Wording	Please provide your email address:
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**END1_TEXT**
Wording	Select this box if you would like us to send you a text message reminder.
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name END1TEXT

Wording Please provide a cell phone number and the name of your cell phone service provider so that we can send you a text message reminder to complete the NPSAS survey.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**END1TEXTTL1**
Wording	Cell phone number:
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**END1TEXTTL2**
Wording	
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**END1TEXTTL3**

	Wording Response Option Response Option Details **Item Name** **END1TEXTPRO** Wording Cell phone service provider: Response Option Response Option Details **Item Name** **END1TEXTOTH** Wording Please provide the name of your cell phone service provider: Response Option Response Option Details
Question Name	END2
Wording	We hope you will reconsider participating in this important education study, for which we are offering a $[INC_AMOUNT] incentive. Your participation is vital to the success of this study. If you decide you would like to participate, click “Next” to continue with the survey, or call 1-877-NPSAS-NOW (1-877-677-2766). If you still decide not to participate, please help us to improve our survey by telling us more (in the box below) about your reasons for choosing not to participate.
Item	**Spec Name** **Value** **Item Name** **END2** Wording Response Option Response Option Details
Question Name	RETRNFRM
Wording	You can return to the study website, https://surveys.nces.ed.gov/npsas to participate. If you would like to continue with the survey, click the “Next” button. To exit the survey, simply close your browser.
Item	

Enrollment

Spec Name	Value
Question Name	N12ELIG
Wording	[If T_B4JULY = 1] Have you attended [Y_NPSCHL] at any time between July 1, 2011 and today? (Select Yes if you have attended [Y_NPSCHL] at any time between July 2011 and today, even if you are not currently attending.) [else] Did you attend [Y_NPSCHL] at any time between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012?
Item	**Spec Name** **Value** **Item Name** **N12ELIG** Wording **Response Option** **Code** **Label** 1 Yes 4 Yes, but [if T_B4JULY=1: studying/else: studied] abroad for the entire 2011-2012 school year 3 Yes, but also still attending high school 0 No 2 Don't know
Question Name	N12CURENR
Wording	Are you currently attending [Y_NPSCHL]?
Item	**Spec Name** **Value** **Item Name** **N12CURENR** Wording

Response Option	Code	Label	
	1	Yes	
	0	No	

Question Name N12NOATT

Wording Why are you not currently attending [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	N12NOATT	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	6	On break (for example, on summer break)
	1	Completed course or program at [Y_NPSCHL]
	2	Withdrew from [Y_NPSCHL]
	3	Attending a different school, but still enrolled at [Y_NPSCHL] (including studying abroad)
	4	Taking a leave of absence from [Y_NPSCHL]
	5	Other reason

Question Name N12DRP

Wording [If T_B4JULY = 1]
When did you last attend [Y_NPSCHL]?
[else]
When did you last attend [Y_NPSCHL] between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	N12DRPMM	
Wording	Month:	
Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	January
	2	February
	3	March
	4	April
	5	May
	6	June
	7	July
	8	August
	9	September
	10	October
	11	November
	12	December
Item Name	N12DRPYY	
Wording	Year:	
Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	2011	2011
	2012	2012

Question Name N12DRPTM

Wording [If (N12ELIG=1 and (N12DRPMM blank or N12DRPYY blank)) or (N12ELIG ne 1 and (N12LASTMM blank or N12LASTYY blank))]
When you last attended [Y_NPSCHL], did you leave at the end of the term, or did you leave before the term ended?
[else if N12ELIG=1]
Is that date ([N12DRPMM/N12DRPYY]) at the end of the term, or did you leave before the term ended?
[else]
Is that date ([N12LASTMM/N12LASTYY]) at the end of the term, or did you leave before the term ended?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	N12DRPTM	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Left at the end of the term, or still enrolled as

		of June 30, 2012
	2	Left before the term ended

Question Name N12DRPRF
Wording Did you receive a full refund of your tuition when you left?
Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DRPRF**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12DRPCMP
Wording [If T_B4JULY=1]: Have you completed a course [if Y_CALSYS=0: or term] at [Y_NPSCHL] at any time since July 1, 2011? [else]: Did you complete a course [if Y_CALSYS=0: or term] at [Y_NPSCHL] at any time between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012?
Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DRPCMP**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12DRPOK
Wording [if Y_CALSYS=1] Because you left [Y_NPSCHL], some questions in this survey may seem awkward. Please answer the questions as best you can. Your answers will help us to better understand why people leave school. [Else]: Because you left [Y_NPSCHL] before completing the term, some questions in this survey may seem awkward. Please answer the questions as best you can. Your answers will help us to better understand why people leave school.
Item

Question Name N12EVREN
Wording Have you ever attended [Y_NPSCHL]?
Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12EVREN**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12LAST
Wording In what month and year did you last attend [Y_NPSCHL]?
Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12LASTMM**
Wording	Month:

Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	January
	2	February
	3	March
	4	April
	5	May
	6	June
	7	July
	8	August
	9	September
	10	October
	11	November
	12	December

Item Name	**N12LASTYY**
Wording	Year:

Response Option	Code	Label

	-9	-Select one-
	2012	2012
	2011	2011
	2010	2010
	2009	2009
	2008	2008
	2007	2007
	2006	2006
	2005	2005
	2004	2004
	2003	2003
	2002	2002
	2001	2001
	2000	2000
	1999	Before 2000

Question Name N12WHYSM

Wording [If T_B4JULY = 1] Our records seem to be in error. Do you know why you were listed as having attended [Y_NPSCHL] at any time between July 1, 2011 and today? (Please enter any information in the textbox below.) [else] Our records seem to be in error. Do you know why you were listed as having attended [Y_NPSCHL] between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012? (Please enter any information in the textbox below.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12WHYSM**
Wording	

Question Name N12BACHENR

Wording [If T_CURENR=1]: Are you in a bachelor's degree program at [Y_NPSCHL]? [Else]: Were you in a bachelor's degree program during your most recent term of enrollment at [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012)? [All get the following instruction]: (A bachelor's degree is usually awarded by a 4-year college or university and usually requires at least 4 years of full-time, college-level work.)

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12BACHENR**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12DEGREE

Wording [If Y_NPLEVL = 3 and T_CURENR = 1 and TIO mode] Are you currently working on an associate's degree, or on an undergraduate certificate or diploma including those leading to a license, or are you taking courses but not enrolled in a certificate or degree program at [Y_NPSCHL]? [Else if Y_NPLEVL = 3 and T_CURENR = 1] Which of the following are you currently working on at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else if Y_NPLEVL = 3 and T_CURENR=0 and TIO mode] Were you working on an associate's degree, or on an undergraduate certificate or diploma including those leading to a license, or were you taking courses but not enrolled in a certificate or degree program during your most recent term of enrollment at [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012)? [else if Y_NPLEVL = 3 and T_CURENR=0] Which of the following were you working on during your most recent term of enrollment at [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012)? [else if Y_NPLVL=2 and T_CURENR = 1] What degree or certificate are you currently working on at [Y_NPSCHL]? Please indicate only the degree or certificate programs for which you are currently enrolled at [Y_NPSCHL]. Do not indicate any degree or certificate programs in which you plan to enroll at a future date. For example, if you are earning your associate's degree but intend to later earn a bachelor's degree, you would indicate only the associate's degree here. [else If Y_NPLVL=2 and T_CURENR=0] What degree or certificate were you working on during your most recent term of enrollment at [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012)? Please indicate only the degree or certificate programs for

which you were enrolled during your most recent term at [Y_NPSCHL] in 2011-2012. For example, if you were in an associate's degree program during your last term at [Y_NPSCHL] but were planning to enroll in a bachelor's degree program, you would indicate only the associate's degree here. [else if T_CURENR = 1] What degree or certificate are you currently working on at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] What degree or certificate were you working on during your most recent term of enrollment at [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012)? [All TIO receive the following] (I'll ask about your major or field of study later in the survey.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DGAS**
Wording	Associate's degree (usually a 2-year degree)
Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 Yes; 0 No
Item Name	**N12DGBA**
Wording	Bachelor's degree (usually a 4-year degree)
Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 Yes; 0 No
Item Name	**N12DGMA**
Wording	Master's degree
Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 Yes; 0 No
Item Name	**N12DGDRR**
Wording	Doctoral degree--research/scholarship (for example, PhD, EdD, etc.)
Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 Yes; 0 No
Item Name	**N12DGDRPP**
Wording	Doctoral degree--professional practice (including: chiropractic, dentistry, law, medicine, optometry, pharmacy, podiatry, or veterinary medicine)
Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 Yes; 0 No
Item Name	**N12DGDROT**
Wording	Doctoral degree--other
Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 Yes; 0 No
Item Name	**N12DGCE**
Wording	Undergraduate certificate or diploma (usually less than 2 years), including those leading to a license (example: cosmetology)
Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 Yes; 0 No
Item Name	**N12DGPB**
Wording	Post-baccalaureate certificate
Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 Yes; 0 No
Item Name	**N12DGPM**
Wording	Post-master's certificate
Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 Yes; 0 No
Item Name	**N12DGUND**
Wording	Undergraduate level classes
Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 Yes; 0 No
Item Name	**N12DGGNG**
Wording	Graduate level classes
Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 Yes

	0	No

Question Name N12UGSTATVER

Wording Are you primarily an undergraduate working toward a bachelor's degree?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12UGSTATVER**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12ASSOC

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] What type of associate's degree are you working on at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] What type of associate's degree were you working on when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ASSOC**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	AA, Associate of Arts
2	AS, Associate of Science
3	AAS, Associate of Applied Science
4	AGS, Associate of General Studies
5	AGE, Associate of General Education
6	Other type of Associate's degree designed for transfer
7	Other type of technical or occupational Associate's degree
8	Other Associate's degree not listed

Question Name N12DGMS

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] What specific master's degree are you working on at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] What specific master's degree were you working on when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DGMS**
Wording	Master's degree

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Master of Science (MS)
2	Master of Arts (MA)
3	Master of Education (MEd) or Teaching (MAT)
4	Master of Business Administration (MBA)
5	Master of Public Administration (MPA)
6	Master of Social Work (MSW)
7	Master of Fine Arts (MFA)
8	Master of Public Health (MPH)
9	Other Master's degree not listed

Question Name N12DGD

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] What specific doctoral degree are you working on at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] What specific doctoral degree were you working on when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year?"

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DGD**
Wording	Doctoral degree

Response Option

Code	Label
11	Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)
12	Doctor of Education (EdD)
13	Doctor of Science (DSc/ScD) or Engineering (DEng)
14	Doctor of Psychology (PsyD)
15	Doctor of Business or Public Administration (DBA/DPA)
16	Doctor of Fine Arts (DFA)
17	Doctor of Divinity/Theology (ThD)

	18	Other Doctoral degree not listed

Question Name N12DGPP

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] What specific degree are you working on at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] What specific degree were you working on when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12DGPP**	
Wording	Professional degree	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Chiropractic (DC/DCM)
	2	Dentistry (DDS/DMD)
	3	Law (JD/LLB)
	4	Medicine (MD) or osteopathic medicine (DO)
	5	Ministry or divinity (DMin)
	6	Optometry (OD)
	7	Pharmacy (PharmD)
	8	Podiatry (DPM/DP/PodD)
	9	Veterinary medicine (DVM)
	10	Other professional practice doctoral degree not listed

Question Name N12CKHOUR

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] Does your certificate or diploma program require at least 3 months or 300 hours of instruction? [else] Did your certificate or diploma program require at least 3 months or 300 hours of instruction?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12CKHOUR**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12RMCRD

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] While you are attending [Y_NPSCHL], are you taking only remedial or developmental classes? (Remedial or developmental courses are used to strengthen your skills before you take your first college-level course in math, reading, or other subjects. Students are usually assigned to these courses on the basis of a placement test taken before the school year begins. Often, these courses do not count for credit toward graduation.) [else] When you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year, were you taking only remedial or developmental classes? (Remedial or developmental courses are used to strengthen your skills before you take your first college-level course in math, reading, or other subjects. Students are usually assigned to these courses on the basis of a placement test taken before the school year begins. Often, these courses do not count for credit toward graduation.)

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12RMCRD**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12ELCRD

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] Are you taking at least one course for credit at [Y_NPSCHL] that could be applied toward fulfilling the requirements for an academic degree? [else] When you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year, were you taking at least one course for credit that could be applied toward fulfilling the requirements for an academic degree?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12ELCRD**	
Wording		
Response	**Code**	**Label**

	Option	1	Yes
		0	No
Question Name	N12NPELG		
Wording			
Item			
Question Name	N12BYE		
Wording	Based on your responses, it seems you may not be eligible for this study. We will review your responses and we may need to contact you again.		

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12BYEEM**
Wording	Please provide your e-mail address:
Item Name	**N12BYEAD**
Wording	Please provide an address where you can be contacted: Street Address:
Item Name	**N12BYECY**
Wording	City
Item Name	**N12BYEZP**
Wording	Zip Code
Item Name	**N12BYEST**
Wording	State

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
AL	Alabama
AK	Alaska
AZ	Arizona
AR	Arkansas
CA	California
CO	Colorado
CT	Connecticut
DE	Delaware
DC	District of Columbia
FL	Florida
GA	Georgia
HI	Hawaii
ID	Idaho
IL	Illinois
IN	Indiana
IA	Iowa
KS	Kansas
KY	Kentucky
LA	Louisiana
ME	Maine
MD	Maryland
MA	Massachusetts
MI	Michigan
MN	Minnesota
MS	Mississippi
MO	Missouri
MT	Montana
NE	Nebraska
NV	Nevada
NH	New Hampshire
NJ	New Jersey
NM	New Mexico
NY	New York
NC	North Carolina
ND	North Dakota
OH	Ohio
OK	Oklahoma
OR	Oregon
PA	Pennsylvania
RI	Rhode Island
SC	South Carolina

SD	South Dakota
TN	Tennessee
TX	Texas
UT	Utah
VT	Vermont
VA	Virginia
WA	Washington
WV	West Virginia
WI	Wisconsin
WY	Wyoming
AS	American Samoa
FM	Fed State Micronesia
GU	Guam
MH	Marshall Islands
MP	Northern Mariana Isl
PW	Palau
PR	Puerto Rico
VI	U.S. Virgin Islands
FC	FOREIGN COUNTRY
-1	DON'T KNOW

Item Name **N12BYETL1**
Wording Phone number:
Response Option Response Option Details
Item Name **N12BYETL2**
Wording
Response Option Response Option Details
Item Name **N12BYETL3**
Wording
Response Option Response Option Details
Item Name **N12BYEAD2**
Wording
Response Option Response Option Details
Item Name **N12BYEFAD**
Wording Foreign Address:
Response Option Response Option Details
Item Name **N12BYEFS**
Wording Foreign State/Province:
Response Option Response Option Details
Item Name **N12BYEFCY**
Wording Foreign City:
Response Option Response Option Details
Item Name **N12BYEFZ**
Wording Foreign Zip/Postal Code:
Response Option Response Option Details
Item Name **N12BYEFC**
Wording Foreign Country:
Response Option Response Option Details
Item Name **N12BYEFOR**
Wording Please check here if the address is an international address.
Response Option Response Option Details

Question Name N12DIPL
Wording Which of the following best describes your high school completion?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DIPL**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Received a high school diploma
2	Received a GED (General Educational Development) certificate or other equivalent credential
3	Received a high school completion certificate
4	Attended a foreign high school
6	Home schooled
5	Did not complete high school or a high school equivalency program

Question Name N12HSGRAD
Wording [If N12DIPL=4]

In what month and year did you complete high school?
[else if N12DIPL= 1]
In what month and year did you receive your high school diploma?
[else if N12DIPL= 3]
In what month and year did you receive your high school certificate?
[else if N12DIPL= 2]
In what month and year did you receive your GED?
[else]
In what month and year did you complete high school?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12HSMM**
Wording	Month:

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
1	January
2	February
3	March
4	April
5	May
6	June
7	July
8	August
9	September
10	October
11	November
12	December

Item Name **N12HSYY**
Wording Year:

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
2012	2012
2011	2011
2010	2010
2009	2009
2008	2008
2007	2007
2006	2006
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1987	1987
1986	1986
1985	1985
1984	1984
1983	1983
1982	1982
1981	1981

	1980	1980
	1979	Before 1980

Question Name N12HSCMP

Wording [If T_B4JULY = 1] Were you completing high school requirements for the entire time you attended [Y_NPSCHL] since July 1, 2011? [else] Were you completing high school requirements for the entire time you attended [Y_NPSCHL] between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12HSCMP**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No
2	Don't know

Question Name N12PRDG

Wording [If N12DIPL=5] Have you earned any degrees or certificates since high school? (Only include degrees or certificates earned through a college, university, or trade school.) [else if T_DEGREE in (1 5)] Have you earned any degrees or certificates since you completed your high school requirements? (Only include degrees or certificates earned through a college, university, or trade school.) [else] Other than the [T_DEGREN] that you [{if T_CURENR=1} are {else} were] working on at [Y_NPSCHL], have you earned any other degrees or certificates since you completed your high school requirements? (Only include degrees or certificates earned through a college, university, or trade school.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12PRDG**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No
2	Don't know

Question Name N12OTDG

Wording Other than the [T_DEGREN] that you [{if T_CURENR=1} are {else} were] working on at [Y_NPSCHL], what other degrees or certificates have you already earned since completing your high school requirements? (Only include degrees or certificates earned through a college, university, or trade school.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12OTCE**
Wording	Undergraduate certificate or diploma (usually less than 2 years), including those leading to a license (example: cosmetology)
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Item Name	**N12OTAS**
Wording	Associate's degree (usually a 2-year degree)
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Item Name	**N12OTBA**
Wording	Bachelor's degree (usually a 4-year degree)
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Item Name	**N12OTPB**
Wording	Post-baccalaureate certificate
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Item Name	**N12OTMA**
Wording	Master's degree

Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No
Item Name	**N12OTPM**	
Wording	Post-master's certificate	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No
Item Name	**N12OTDRR**	
Wording	Doctoral degree--research/scholarship (includes PhD, Ed.D., etc.)	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No
Item Name	**N12OTDRPP**	
Wording	Doctoral degree--professional practice (including: chiropractic, dentistry, law, medicine, optometry, pharmacy, podiatry, or veterinary medicine)	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No
Item Name	**N12OTDROT**	
Wording	Doctoral degree--other	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12PRBDAT

Wording In what month and year was your bachelor's degree awarded?

Item

Spec Name	**Value**	
Item Name	**N12PRBMM**	
Wording	Month:	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	-9	-Select one-
	1	January
	2	February
	3	March
	4	April
	5	May
	6	June
	7	July
	8	August
	9	September
	10	October
	11	November
	12	December
Item Name	**N12PRBYY**	
Wording	Year:	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	-9	-Select one-
	2012	2012
	2011	2011
	2010	2010
	2009	2009
	2008	2008
	2007	2007
	2006	2006
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	1985	1985
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	1983	1983
	1982	1982
	1981	1981
	1980	1980
	1979	Before 1980

Question Name N12NFST

Wording Was [Y_NPSCHL] the first college, university, or trade school you attended after completing your high school requirements?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12NFST**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12FSTSTR

Wording In which month and year did you first attend any college, university, or trade school after completing your high school requirements?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12FSTMM**
Wording	Month:

Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	January
	2	February
	3	March
	4	April
	5	May
	6	June
	7	July
	8	August
	9	September
	10	October
	11	November
	12	December

Item Name	**N12FSTYY**
Wording	Year:

Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	2012	2012
	2011	2011
	2010	2010
	2009	2009
	2008	2008
	2007	2007
	2006	2006
	2005	2005
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1983	1983
1982	1982
1981	1981
1980	1980
1979	Before 1980

Question Name N12SCHSTR

Wording In which month and year did you first attend [Y_NPSCHL] after completing your high school requirements?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DGBMM**
Wording	Month:

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
1	January
2	February
3	March
4	April
5	May
6	June
7	July
8	August
9	September
10	October
11	November
12	December

Item Name **N12DGBYY**

Wording Year:

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
2012	2012
2011	2011
2010	2010
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	1982	1982
	1981	1981
	1980	1980
	1979	Before 1980

Question Name N12CDTCHK

Wording Item Did you first attend [Y_NPSCHL] on or after July 1, 2011?

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12CDTCHK**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12PGMST

Wording Item When did you begin your [T_DEGREN] at [Y_NPSCHL]?

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12PGMSMM**	
Wording	Month:	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	-9	-Select one-
	1	January
	2	February
	3	March
	4	April
	5	May
	6	June
	7	July
	8	August
	9	September
	10	October
	11	November
	12	December
Item Name	**N12PGMSYY**	
Wording	Year:	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	-9	-Select one-
	2012	2012
	2011	2011
	2010	2010
	2009	2009
	2008	2008
	2007	2007
	2006	2006
	2005	2005
	2004	2004
	2003	2003
	2002	2002
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	2000	2000
	1999	1999
	1998	1998

	1997	1997
	1996	1996
	1995	1995
	1994	1994
	1993	1993
	1992	Before 1993

Question Name N12NENRL

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] Between July 2011 and June 2012, in which months have you attended, or do you expect to attend [Y_NPSCHL]? Please do your best to predict your attendance through June 30, 2012. Do not include any months during which you are not taking classes, such as summer break. (If you have attended or will attend [Y_NPSCHL] for only a portion of any month, please include that month.) [else] Between July 2011 and June 2012, in which months did you attend [Y_NPSCHL]? [{if T_B4JULY=1} If you plan to attend [Y_NPSCHL] before June 30, 2012, please indicate the months you plan to attend.] Do not include any months during which you were not taking classes, such as summer break. (If you attended [Y_NPSCHL] for only a portion of any month, please include that month.)

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12NEN11YR**	
Wording	2011	
Item Name	**N12NEN01**	
Wording	July	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	0	Not enrolled
	1	Enrolled
Item Name	**N12NEN02**	
Wording	August	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	0	Not enrolled
	1	Enrolled
Item Name	**N12NEN03**	
Wording	September	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	0	Not enrolled
	1	Enrolled
Item Name	**N12NEN04**	
Wording	October	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	0	Not enrolled
	1	Enrolled
Item Name	**N12NEN05**	
Wording	November	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	0	Not enrolled
	1	Enrolled
Item Name	**N12NEN06**	
Wording	December	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	0	Not enrolled
	1	Enrolled
Item Name	**N12NEN12YR**	
Wording	2012	
Item Name	**N12NEN07**	
Wording	January	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	0	Not enrolled
	1	Enrolled
Item Name	**N12NEN08**	
Wording	February	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	0	Not enrolled
	1	Enrolled
Item Name	**N12NEN09**	
Wording	March	

Response Option	Code	Label	
	0	Not enrolled	
	1	Enrolled	
Item Name	N12NEN10		
Wording	April		
Response Option	Code	Label	
	0	Not enrolled	
	1	Enrolled	
Item Name	N12NEN11		
Wording	May		
Response Option	Code	Label	
	0	Not enrolled	
	1	Enrolled	
Item Name	N12NEN12		
Wording	June		
Response Option	Code	Label	
	0	Not enrolled	
	1	Enrolled	
Item Name	N12NENDK		
Wording	Don't know		
Response Option	Code	Label	
	1	Yes	
	0	No	

Question Name N12STST

Wording
[If T_CURENR=1]
For the period of time you have been attending [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2011-2012 school year, have you been mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?
[else]
For the period of time you were attending [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2011-2012 school year, were you mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	N12STST	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Full-time
	2	Part-time
	3	Equal mix of full-time and part-time

Question Name N12PGMFT

Wording
Since the time that you first started working on your [T_DEGREN] prior to the 2011-2012 school year, were you mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	N12PGMFT	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Full-time
	2	Part-time
	3	Equal mix of full-time and part-time

Question Name N12NEW01

Wording
[If T_B4JULY = 1] Have you attended any other colleges, universities, or trade schools besides [Y_NPSCHL] since July 1, 2011? [Else] Did you attend any other colleges, universities, or trade schools besides [Y_NPSCHL] between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012? [Instruction if N12BPSELG=1]: (If you were in high school during the 2011-2012 school year, answer Yes only if you attended any other colleges, universities, or trade schools after completing your high school requirements.)

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	N12NEW01	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label

	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12SCH01

Wording [IF WEB MODE] What other school did you attend between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012? [ELSE] What other school did you attend, and in what city and state is it located? Please bear with me as I code this.

Item

Spec Name	Value
School ("IPEDS") Coder	Data Source: IPEDS: Integrated Postsecondary Data Education System (NCES)

Question Name N12ENRL01

Wording [If T_B4JULY= 1] Between July 2011 and June 2012, which months did you attend, or do you expect to attend [{If N12SCH01 = blank} the other school you went to {else} [N12SCH01]]? Please do your best to predict your attendance through June 30, 2012. Do not include any months during which you are not taking classes, such as summer break. (If your attendance covers only a portion of any month, please include that month.) [else] Between July 2011 and June 2012, which months did you attend, or do you expect to attend [{If N12SCH01 = blank} the other school you went to {else} [N12SCH01]]? Do not include any months during which you are not taking classes, such as summer break. (If you attended for only a portion of any month, please include that month.)

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
		Months of July 2011 through June 2012

Question Name N12STS01

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] For the period of time you have attended [{If N12SCH01 = blank} the other school you went to {else} [N12SCH01]] during the 2011-2012 school year, have you been mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both? [else] For the period of time you attended [{If N12SCH01 = blank} the other school you went to {else} [N12SCH01]] during the 2011-2012 school year, were you mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Full-time
	2	Part-time
	3	Equal mix of full-time and part-time

Question Name N12NEW02

Wording [If T_B4JULY = 1] You already told [if web: us/if TIO: me] that you have attended the following schools since July 1, 2011: [List schools] Have you attended any other colleges, universities, or trade schools since July 1, 2011? [else] You already told [if web: us/if TIO: me] that you have attended the following schools between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012: [List schools] Did you attend any other colleges, universities, or trade schools between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12ATTOTHSCH

Wording Have you ever attended another college, university, or trade school besides [Y_NPSCHL] since completing your high school requirements?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ATTOTHSCH**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12EVR4YR

Wording Since completing your high school requirements, have you attended a four-year college or university?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12EVR4YR**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12EVRCC

Wording Since completing your high school requirements, have you attended a community college?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12EVRCC**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12CMPDGN

Wording [If N12NOATT = 1] Earlier you indicated that you are no longer attending [Y_NPSCHL] because you completed the requirements for your [T_DEGREN] at [Y_NPSCHL]. Is that correct? [else] Have you completed all the requirements for your [T_DEGREN] at [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12CMPDGN**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12DGN

Wording In what month and year were you awarded your [T_DEGREN] from [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DGNMM**
Wording	Month:

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
1	January
2	February
3	March
4	April
5	May
6	June
7	July
8	August
9	September
10	October
11	November
12	December

Item Name	**N12DGNYY**
Wording	Year:

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
2011	2011
2012	2012

Item Name **N12DGNNO**

	Wording	Have not yet been awarded [T_DEGREN]
	Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12UGYR

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] Based on the number of credits you've already earned, what is your year or level at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] Based on the number of credits you earned, what was your year or level when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year?"

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12UGYR**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	First year or freshman
2	Second year or sophomore
3	Third year or junior
4	Fourth year or senior
5	Fifth year or higher undergraduate
6	Unclassified undergraduate
7	Graduate student taking undergraduate classes

Question Name N12CLKNUM

Wording How many months, or hours of instruction, have you already completed at [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12CLKNUM**
Wording	|(enter number of months or hours of instruction)
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12CLKTYP**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	month(s)
2	hour(s) of instruction

Question Name N12REASON

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] Which of these reasons best describes why you are enrolled in classes at [Y_NPSCHL]? [Else]: Which of these reasons best describes why you were last enrolled in classes at [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012)?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12REASON**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	To prepare to earn a degree later
2	To prepare for a job certification or license
3	To gain job or occupational skills
4	To take courses solely for recreation, self-improvement, or personal interest

Question Name N12GRYR

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] What year of your [T_DEGREN] are you working on at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] What year of your [T_DEGREN] were you working on when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GRYR**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
8	First year
9	Second year
10	Third year
11	Fourth year
12	Fifth year
13	Sixth year or higher

Question Name N12EXPN

Wording In what month and year do you expect to complete the requirements for your

[T_DEGREN]?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12EXNMM**
Wording	Month:

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
1	January
2	February
3	March
4	April
5	May
6	June
7	July
8	August
9	September
10	October
11	November
12	December

Item Name	**N12EXNYY**
Wording	Year:

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
2012	2012
2013	2013
2014	2014
2015	2015
2016	2016
2017	2017
2018	2018
2019	2019
2020	2020
2021	2021
2022	After 2021

Item Name	**N12EXPN**
Wording	Will not finish the [T_DEGREN]

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Item Name	**N12EXPDK**
Wording	Don't know
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12EXNCONF

Wording [If N12EXPDK=1] or [if N12EXNYY=missing and N12EXPN ne 1 and N12EXPDK ne 1] On a scale from 0-10, how likely is it you will finish your [T_DEGREN] within five years from today? [else if N12EXNMM gt 0 and N12EXNYY gt 0 and lt 2022] On a scale from 0-10, how likely is it you will finish your [T_DEGREN] by [N12EXNMM] [N12EXNYY]? [else] On a scale from 0-10, how likely is it you will finish your [T_DEGREN] by [T_EXNYY]? [Instructions for all If TIO mode]: A "0" means "no chance at all" and a "10" means "absolutely certain."

Item

Spec Name	Value
Slider	**0-10**

Question Name N12EXNCONF2

Wording [If N12EXNMM gt 0 and N12EXNYY gt 0 and lt 2022] On a scale from 0-10, how likely is it you will finish your [T_DEGREN], even if it is not by [N12EXNMM] [N12EXNYY]? [else if N12EXNYY gt 0 and lt 2022] On a scale from 0-10, how likely is it you will finish your [T_DEGREN], even if it is not by [T_EXNYY]? [else] On a scale from 0-10, how likely is it you will finish your [T_DEGREN]? [Instructions for all If TIO mode]: (A "0" means "no chance at all" and a "10" means "absolutely certain.")

Item

Spec Name	Value
Slider	**0-10**

Question Name N12ENRNEXT

Wording [If Y_CALSYS=1 and T_CURENR=1] On a scale from 0-10, how likely is it you will still be enrolled for your [T_DEGREN] four months from today? [Else if Y_CALSYS=1] On a scale from 0-10, how likely is it you will be enrolled for your [T_DEGREN] four months from today? [else if T_CURENR=1] On a scale from 0-10, how likely is it you will still be enrolled for your [T_DEGREN] next term or semester? [else] On a scale from 0-10, how likely is it you will be enrolled for your [T_DEGREN] next term or semester? [Instructions for all If TIO mode]: (A "0" means "no chance at all" and a "10" means "absolutely certain.")

Item

Spec Name	Value
Slider	**0-10**

Question Name N12EXPBA

Wording Do you plan to continue on to a bachelor's degree program within five years from now?

(A bachelor's degree is usually awarded by a 4-year college or university and usually requires at least 4 years of full-time, college-level work.)

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12EXPBA**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12DOB

Wording So that we can customize your interview, in what month and year were you born?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12DOBMM**	
Wording	Month:	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	-9	-Select one-
	1	January
	2	February
	3	March
	4	April
	5	May
	6	June
	7	July
	8	August
	9	September
	10	October
	11	November
	12	December
Item Name	**N12DOBYY**	
Wording	Year:	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	-9	-Select one-
	1996	1996
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1922	1922
1921	1921
1920	1920

Question Name N12LT30

Wording What is your age range? Are you...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12LT30**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
4	Under 18
1	18-23
2	24-29
3	30 or older

Question Name N12MINOK
Wording Have you already turned 18?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12MINOK**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12MINOR
Wording [If Y_MINOR = 2] According to our information, you are under the age of 18. We will need to contact a parent or guardian to obtain consent before we can conduct an interview with you. Please provide the following information. [else] According to the information you just provided, you are under the age of 18. We will need to contact a parent or guardian to obtain consent before we can conduct an interview with you. Please provide the following information.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12MINEM**
Wording	Email:
Item Name	**N12MINFN**
Wording	Parent (or guardian) first name
Item Name	**N12MINLN**
Wording	Parent (or guardian) last name
Item Name	**N12MINAD**
Wording	Address:
Item Name	**N12MINCY**
Wording	City
Item Name	**N12MINZP**
Wording	Zip code
Item Name	**N12MINST**
Wording	State

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
AL	Alabama
AK	Alaska
AZ	Arizona
AR	Arkansas
CA	California
CO	Colorado
CT	Connecticut
DE	Delaware
DC	District of Columbia
FL	Florida
GA	Georgia
HI	Hawaii
ID	Idaho
IL	Illinois
IN	Indiana
IA	Iowa
KS	Kansas
KY	Kentucky
LA	Louisiana
ME	Maine
MD	Maryland

	MA	Massachusetts
	MI	Michigan
	MN	Minnesota
	MS	Mississippi
	MO	Missouri
	MT	Montana
	NE	Nebraska
	NV	Nevada
	NH	New Hampshire
	NJ	New Jersey
	NM	New Mexico
	NY	New York
	NC	North Carolina
	ND	North Dakota
	OH	Ohio
	OK	Oklahoma
	OR	Oregon
	PA	Pennsylvania
	RI	Rhode Island
	SC	South Carolina
	SD	South Dakota
	TN	Tennessee
	TX	Texas
	UT	Utah
	VT	Vermont
	VA	Virginia
	WA	Washington
	WV	West Virginia
	WI	Wisconsin
	WY	Wyoming
	AS	American Samoa
	FM	Fed State Micronesia
	GU	Guam
	MH	Marshall Islands
	MP	Northern Mariana Isl
	PW	Palau
	PR	Puerto Rico
	VI	U.S. Virgin Islands
	FC	FOREIGN COUNTRY
	-1	DON'T KNOW

Item Name	**N12MINAD2**
Wording	
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12MINFAD**
Wording	Foreign Address:
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12MINFCY**
Wording	Foreign City:
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12MINFS**
Wording	Foreign State/Province:
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12MINFZ**
Wording	Foreign Zip/Postal Code:
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12MINFC**
Wording	Foreign Country:
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12MINFOR**
Wording	Please check here if the address is an international address.
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name	N12MARR
Wording	[If Y_DOB ne blank] So that we can customize your interview, please answer the following questions. What is your current marital status? [else] What is your current marital status?

Item	Spec Name	Value
	Item Name	**N12MARR**
	Wording	
	Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Single, never married
2	Married
6	Living with partner
3	Separated
4	Divorced
5	Widowed

Question Name N12GENDR

Wording Are you male or female?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GENDR**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Male
2	Female

Education Experiences

Spec Name	Value
Question Name	N12HSTYP
Wording	Was the last high school you attended public or private?
Item	

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12HSTYP**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Public
2	Private
3	Last attended a foreign high school
4	Home schooled

Question Name N12HSCDR

Wording [If WEB mode] What is the name of the high school? [Else] What is the name of the high school and in what city and state is it located?

Item

Spec Name	Value
High school coder	Data Sources: CCD: Common Core of Data and PSS: Private School University Survey (NCES)
Item Name	**N12HSTYPE**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	A public school operated by a school/county district
2	A private Catholic school
3	A private school--other religious affiliation
4	A private school--no religious affiliation
5	A public school operated by state/federal agency (ex: BIA, DOD, prison school)
6	Other (charter school, hospital school)

Item Name **N12HSGRDL**

Wording

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-SelectOne-
8	Eighth grade

		9	Ninth grade
		10	Tenth grade
		11	Eleventh grade
		12	Twelfth grade
	Item Name	**N12HSGRDH**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		-9	-SelectOne-
		8	Eighth grade
		9	Ninth grade
		10	Tenth grade
		11	Eleventh grade
		12	Twelfth grade
Question Name	N12HSGPES		
Wording	Which of the following would you say best describes your high school grades overall (unweighted)?		
Item	**Spec Name**	**Value**	
	Item Name	**N12HSGPES**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		1	Mostly A's
		2	A's and B's
		3	Mostly B's
		4	B's and C's
		5	Mostly C's
		6	C's and D's
		7	Mostly D's or below
		8	Don't know
Question Name	N12MATHHT		
Wording	What was the highest math course you took in high school?		
Item	**Spec Name**	**Value**	
	Item Name	**N12MATHHT**	
	Wording		
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		1	Algebra 1 or Geometry
		2	Algebra 2
		3	Trigonometry/Pre-Calculus
		4	Calculus
		5	Math beyond calculus
		6	None of these
Question Name	N12APIBCOLL		
Wording	While in high school, did you take any...		
Item	**Spec Name**	**Value**	
	Item Name	**N12AP**	
	Wording	Advanced Placement (AP) courses?	
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		1	Yes
		0	No
	Item Name	**N12IB**	
	Wording	International Baccalaureate (IB) courses?	
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		1	Yes
		0	No
	Item Name	**N12COLL**	
	Wording	College-level courses, not including AP or IB, for which you earned college credit?	
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		1	Yes
		0	No
Question Name	N12ACTSAT		
Wording	Did you take...		
Item	**Spec Name**	**Value**	
	Item Name	**N12SAT**	

	Wording	The SAT?
	Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 Yes; 0 No
	Item Name	**N12ACT**
	Wording	The ACT?
	Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 Yes; 0 No
Question Name	SUPINSTRUCT	
Wording	Please use a number from 1 to 5 to answer the next few questions. One means "strongly disagree" and five means "strongly agree."	
Item		
Question Name	N12PARSUPP	
Wording	[If T_CURENR=1]: My parents (or guardians) encourage me to stay in college. [Else]: My parents (or guardians) encouraged me to stay in college.	
Item	**Spec Name** / **Value**	
	Item Name	**N12PARSUPP**
	Wording	
	Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 (Strongly disagree); 2 (Somewhat disagree); 3 (Neither disagree nor agree); 4 (Somewhat agree); 5 (Strongly agree)
Question Name	N12PARDED	
Wording		
Item	**Spec Name** / **Value**	
	Item Name	**N12PARDED**
	Wording	Parents or guardians are deceased
	Response Option	Response Option Details
Question Name	N12SPPSUPP	
Wording	[If T_CURENR=1]: My spouse encourages me to stay in college. [Else]: My spouse encouraged me to stay in college.	
Item	**Spec Name** / **Value**	
	Item Name	**N12SPPSUPP**
	Wording	
	Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 (Strongly disagree); 2 (Somewhat disagree); 3 (Neither disagree nor agree); 4 (Somewhat agree); 5 (Strongly agree)
Question Name	N12FSSUPP	
Wording	[If T_AGE gt 30] My friends from [Y_NPSCHL] [if T_CURENR=1: encourage/else: encouraged] me to stay in college. (When thinking about your friends, do not include family members or other relatives in your answer.)" [else] My friends from [Y_NPSCHL] [if T_CURENR=1 encourage/else: encouraged] me to stay in college.	
Item	**Spec Name** / **Value**	
	Item Name	**N12FSSUPP**
	Wording	
	Response Option	**Code** / **Label**: 1 (Strongly disagree); 2 (Somewhat disagree); 3 (Neither disagree nor agree); 4 (Somewhat agree); 5 (Strongly agree)
Question Name	N12FHSUPP	
Wording	If T_AGE gt 30] My friends from home [if T_CURENR=1: encourage/else: encouraged]	

me to stay in college. (When thinking about your friends, do not include family members or other relatives in your answer.) [Else] My friends from home [if T_CURENR=1: encourage/else: encouraged] me to stay in college.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12FHSUPP**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	1 (Strongly disagree)
2	2 (Somewhat disagree)
3	3 (Neither disagree nor agree)
4	4 (Somewhat agree)
5	5 (Strongly agree)

Question Name SUPPORTEND

Wording I am now finished asking you this set of questions that use a 1-5 scale. There will be others in the survey, but I will let you know when they come up.

Item

Question Name N12DBLMAJ

Wording [If N12CMPDGN=1 and T_HIGHEST in (2, 3)] Did you declare a major or field of study when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year? [Else if N12CMPDGN=1] Did you declare a major when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year? [If T_CURENR=1 and T_HIGHEST in (2, 3)] Have you declared a major or field of study at [Y_NPSCHL]? [If T_CURENR=1] Have you declared a major at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else if T_CURENR=0 and T_HIGHEST in (2, 3)] Had you already declared a major or field of study when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year? [else] Had you already declared a major when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DBLMAJ**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	[If T_CURENR=1 and T_HIGHEST in (2, 3)]: Yes, I have declared a major or field of study. [else if T_CURENR] Yes, I have declared a major. [Else if T_CURENR=0 and T_HIGHEST in (2, 3)]: Yes, I had declared a major or field of study. [Else] Yes, I had declared a major.
2	Yes, I [have/had] declared a double major
3	No

Question Name N12DECIDEMAJ

Wording Have you decided what your major will be?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DECIDEMAJ**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12CLSTY

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] What is the primary field or subject you have been studying during the 2011-2012 school year? [else] What was the primary field or subject you were studying when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12CLSTY**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
8	Arts and humanities
1	Business/marketing
10	Career and technical education
9	Communications
5	Computer and information sciences

3	Education/teaching
4	Engineering and engineering technology
12	General education
2	Healthcare
7	Natural sciences and mathematics
6	Social sciences
11	University transfer
13	Other

Question Name N12MAJ1

Wording [If T_CURENR=1 and N12DBLMAJ=2] What is your first major or field of study at [Y_NPSCHL]? Since you have a double-major, please indicate only one major here. You will have an opportunity next to provide your other major. [else If T_CURENR=1] What is your [{if N12DBLMAJ=3} intended]major or field of study at [Y_NPSCHL]? [If N12DBLMAJ=3]:(If you intend to double-major, tell [if TIO: me/else: us] only about the major most closely related to the job you hope to have after college.) [else If T_CURENR=0 and N12DBLMAJ=2] What was your first major or field of study when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year? Since you had a double-major, please indicate only one major here. You will have an opportunity next to provide your other major. [else] What was your [{if N12DBLMAJ=3} intended] major or field of study when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year? [If N12DBLMAJ=3] (If you intended to double-major, tell [if TIO: me/else: us] only about the major most closely related to the job you hope to have after college.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Major ("CIP") Coder: Data Source: CIP: Classification of Instructional Programs (NCES)	

Question Name N12MAJ2

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] What is your second major or field of study at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] What was your second major or field of study when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Major ("CIP") Coder: Data Source: CIP: Classification of Instructional Programs (NCES)	

Question Name N12MJCHGNUM

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] How many times have you formally changed your major at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] How many times did you formally change your major at [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	N12MJCHGNUM	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	0	None
	1	One
	2	More than one

Question Name N12OMJ1A

Wording What was your original declared major at [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Major ("CIP") Coder: Data Source: CIP: Classification of Instructional Programs (NCES)	

Question Name N12PREACDEFF

Wording [if Web mode] For the next few questions, please tell us how much you agree with each statement by providing a number from 1 to 5, with 1 being "strongly disagree" and 5 being "strongly agree." Before I attended [Y_NPSCHL], I was confident I had the ability to succeed there as a student. [Else]: For the next few questions, please tell me how much you agree with each statement by providing a number from 1 to 5, with 1 being "strongly disagree" and 5 being "strongly agree." Before I attended [Y_NPSCHL], I was confident I had the ability to succeed there as a student.

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	N12PREACDEFF	
Wording		
Response	Code	Label

	Option	1	1 (Strongly disagree)
		2	2 (Somewhat disagree)
		3	3 (Neither disagree nor agree)
		4	4 (Somewhat agree)
		5	5 (Strongly agree)

Question Name N12CURACDEFF

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] After having been at [Y_NPSCHL] for a while, I am confident that I have the ability to succeed there as a student. [else] After having been at [Y_NPSCHL] for a while, I was confident that I had the ability to succeed there as a student.

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12CURACDEFF**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	1 (Strongly disagree)
	2	2 (Somewhat disagree)
	3	3 (Neither disagree nor agree)
	4	4 (Somewhat agree)
	5	5 (Strongly agree)

Question Name N12FACULTY

Wording [T_CURENR=1]: My interactions with my teachers at [Y_NPSCHL] are more positive than negative. [else]: My interactions with my teachers at [Y_NPSCHL] were more positive than negative.

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12FACULTY**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	1 (Strongly disagree)
	2	2 (Somewhat disagree)
	3	3 (Neither disagree nor agree)
	4	4 (Somewhat agree)
	5	5 (Strongly agree)

Question Name N12ACDSATIS

Wording [T_CURENR=1]: I'm satisfied with my studies at [Y_NPSCHL]. [else]: I was satisfied with my studies at [Y_NPSCHL].

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12ACDSATIS**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	1 (Strongly disagree)
	2	2 (Somewhat disagree)
	3	3 (Neither disagree nor agree)
	4	4 (Somewhat agree)
	5	5 (Strongly agree)

Question Name N12KNOWCLAS

Wording I know the requirements needed to complete my [T_DEGREN] program at [Y_NPSCHL].

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12KNOWCLAS**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	1 (Strongly disagree)
	2	2 (Somewhat disagree)
	3	3 (Neither disagree nor agree)
	4	4 (Somewhat agree)
	5	5 (Strongly agree)

Question Name SCLENDSET

Wording I am now finished asking you this set of questions that use a 1-5 scale. There will be others in the survey, but I will let you know when they come up.

Item

Question Name N12GPATYP

Wording [If T_CURENR=1]
Is your grade point average (GPA) at [Y_NPSCHL] measured on a 4.00 scale?
[else]
Was your grade point average (GPA) at [Y_NPSCHL] measured on a 4.00 scale?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GPATYP**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
2	[If T_CURENR=1] No, it is measured on another grading scale (for example, percentages) [else] No, it was measured on another grading scale (for example, percentages)
3	[If T_CURENR=1] No, the school does not award grades [Else] No, the school did not award grades
4	[If T_CURENR=1] No, it is pass/fail [Else] No, it was pass/fail
5	Don't know

Question Name N12GPA

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] What is your cumulative GPA in all classes at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] What was your cumulative GPA in all classes at [Y_NPSCHL] through the end of your most recent term there?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GPA**
Wording	Range: 0.00 to 4.00:
Item Name	**N12GPANO**
Wording	Not applicable, have not yet earned GPA
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12GPAEST

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] Overall, which best describes your grades at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] Overall, which best describes your grades at [Y_NPSCHL] when you last attended there in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GPAEST**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Mostly A's
2	A's and B's
3	Mostly B's
4	B's and C's
5	Mostly C's
6	C's and D's
7	Mostly D's or below
8	Don't know my grades
9	I would describe my grades differently than what is listed here

Question Name N12REMEVER

Wording Since you completed high school [if T_B4JULY=0: and through June 30, 2012, did you take/else: have you taken] any remedial or developmental courses to improve your basic skills in English, math, reading, or writing? (Remedial or developmental courses are used to strengthen your skills before you take your first college-level course in math, reading, or other subjects. Students are usually assigned to these courses on the basis of a placement test taken before the school year begins. Often, these courses do not count for credit toward graduation.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12REMEVER**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label

	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12REMSY

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] Have you taken any remedial or developmental courses during the 2011-2012 school year? (If you are currently taking a remedial or developmental course, please answer "yes." [if N12BPSELG=1]: Remedial or developmental courses are used to strengthen your skills before you take your first college-level course in math, reading, or other subjects. Students are usually assigned to these courses on the basis of a placement test taken before the school year begins. Often, these courses do not count for credit toward graduation.) [else]: Did you take any remedial or developmental courses during the 2011-2012 school year? [If N12BPSELG=1]: (Remedial or developmental courses are used to strengthen your skills before you take your first college-level course in math, reading, or other subjects. Students are usually assigned to these courses on the basis of a placement test taken before the school year begins. Often, these courses do not count for credit toward graduation.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12REMSY**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12REMTYPNUM

Wording In the 2011-2012 school year, how many times did you take remedial or developmental courses in each of the following subjects ... [If N12RMCRD=1:] (Remedial or developmental courses are used to strengthen your skills before you take your first college-level course in math, reading, or other subjects. Students are usually assigned to these courses on the basis of a placement test taken before the school year begins. Often, these courses do not count for credit toward graduation.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12REMENGL**
Wording	English?
Response Option	

Code	Label
0	Never
1	One time
2	Two times
3	Three or more times

Item Name	**N12REMMATH**
Wording	Math?
Response Option	

Code	Label
0	Never
1	One time
2	Two times
3	Three or more times

Item Name	**N12REMREAD**
Wording	Reading?
Response Option	

Code	Label
0	Never
1	One time
2	Two times
3	Three or more times

Item Name	**N12REMWRITE**
Wording	Writing?
Response Option	

Code	Label
0	Never
1	One time
2	Two times
3	Three or more times

Question Name N12ALTGATE

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] Have any of the classes you have taken at [Y_NPSCHL] during the

2011-2012 school year been taught only online, at night, or on the weekend (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012)? [else] Were any of the classes you were taking at [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2011-2012 school year taught only online, at night, or on the weekend (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012)? [All get the following instruction]: (Night courses start after 6:00 p.m. on Monday through Thursday nights. Weekend courses are courses that start after 6:00 p.m. on Friday or take place any time on Saturday or Sunday.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ALTGATE**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12ALTCRS

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] Have all, some, or none of the classes you have taken at [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2011-2012 school year been taught... [else] Were all, some, or none of the classes you took at [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year taught...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ALTONLINE**
Wording	Only online
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	All
2	Some
3	None

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ALTNIGHT**
Wording	At night, not online (starting after 6:00 p.m. Monday-Thursday)
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	All
2	Some
3	None

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ALTWKND**
Wording	On the weekend, not online (starting after 6:00 p.m. Friday or any time Saturday or Sunday)
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	All
2	Some
3	None

Question Name N12ONLINEPGM

Wording [If T_CURENR=1]: Is your entire [T_DEGREN] program at [Y_NPSCHL] online? [Else]: When you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2011-2012 school year, was your entire [T_DEGREN] program online?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ONLINEPGM**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12ONLINE

Wording [If N12ONLINEPGM=1]: If an online degree program was not available would you still have attended college in the 2011-2012 school year? [Else]: Would you still have attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year if online classes had not been available?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ONLINE**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12ATNIGHT

Wording Would you still have attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year if night classes had not been available?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ATNIGHT**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12ONWKND

Wording Would you still have attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year if weekend classes had not been available?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12ONWKND**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12SCALEINT

Wording For the next few questions, please tell [if web: us/if TIO: me] how much you agree with each statement by providing a number from 1 to 5, with 1 being "strongly disagree" and 5 being "strongly agree."

Item

Question Name N12PEERINT

Wording [If T_CURENR=1]: My interactions with other [Y_NPSCHL] students are more positive than negative. [else]: My interactions with other [Y_NPSCHL] students were more positive than negative.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12PEERINT**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	1 (Strongly disagree)
	2	2 (Somewhat disagree)
	3	3 (Neither disagree nor agree)
	4	4 (Somewhat agree)
	5	5 (Strongly agree)

Question Name N12SENSBELNG

Wording [If T_CURENR=1]: I feel that I am a part of [Y_NPSCHL]. [else]: I felt that I was a part of [Y_NPSCHL].

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12SENSBELNG**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	1 (Strongly disagree)
	2	2 (Somewhat disagree)
	3	3 (Neither disagree nor agree)
	4	4 (Somewhat agree)
	5	5 (Strongly agree)

Question Name N12SOCSATIS

Wording [If T_CURENR=1]: I'm satisfied with my social experience at [Y_NPSCHL]. [else]: I was satisfied with my social experience at [Y_NPSCHL].

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12SOCSATIS**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	1 (Strongly disagree)
	2	2 (Somewhat disagree)
	3	3 (Neither disagree nor agree)
	4	4 (Somewhat agree)
	5	5 (Strongly agree)

Question Name SCLLASTSET

Wording I am now finished asking you all questions in the survey that use a 1 to 5 scale.

Item

Question Name N12SRVUSE

Wording Which of the following school services have you used in the 2011-2012 school year?

(Visiting, emailing, or in any way communicating with and receiving information or help from a school office or department that offers a particular service counts as use of that service. Do not include use of these services while in high school.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12FINAIDUSE**
Wording	Financial aid counseling or advice
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12ACSPUSE**
Wording	Academic support services (for example, tutoring or writing centers)
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12ACADUSE**
Wording	Academic advising (for example, guidance with planning for courses)
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12CPPUSE**
Wording	Career planning or job placement services
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12HLTHUSE**
Wording	Student health services, including personal counseling services
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12NOSRV**
Wording	Did not use any services
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12SRVIMPT

Wording [If only one service chosen on N12SRVUSE] How important was this service in your decision to stay in school? [else] How important was each of these services in your decision to stay in school?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12FINAIDIMP**	
Wording	Financial aid counseling or advice	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important
Item Name	**N12ACSIMP**	
Wording	Academic support services	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important
Item Name	**N12ACADIMP**	
Wording	Academic advising	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important
Item Name	**N12CPPIMP**	
Wording	Career planning or job placement services	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Not at all important
	2	Somewhat important
	3	Important
	4	Very important
Item Name	**N12HLTHIMP**	
Wording	Student health services (including personal counseling services)	
Response	**Code**	**Label**

	Option	1	Not at all important
		2	Somewhat important
		3	Important
		4	Very important

Question Name N12EXPEVR

Wording What is the highest level of education you ever expect to complete at any school?

(Provide your best guess even if you are not sure.)

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12EXPEVR**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Undergraduate level courses, no undergraduate degree or certificate expected
	2	Undergraduate certificate or diploma (usually less than 2 years), including certificates leading to a license (example: cosmetology)
	3	Associate's degree (usually a 2-year degree)
	4	Bachelor's degree (usually a 4-year degree)
	5	Graduate level courses, no graduate degree or certificate expected
	6	Post-baccalaureate certificate
	7	Master's degree
	8	Post-master's certificate
	9	Doctoral degree, research/scholarship (including: PhD, EdD, etc.)
	10	Professional doctoral degree (including: chiropractic, dentistry, law, medicine, etc.)

Question Name N12PRFDOCTYP

Wording What specific degree do you expect to complete?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12PRFDOCTYP**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Chiropractic (DC/DCM)
	2	Dentistry (DDS/DMD)
	3	Law (JD/LLB)
	4	Medicine (MD) or osteopathic medicine (DO)
	5	Ministry or divinity (MDiv/DMin/MHL/BD/ordination)
	6	Optometry (OD)
	7	Pharmacy (PharmD)
	8	Podiatry (DPM/DP/PodD)
	9	Veterinary medicine (DVM)
	10	Other degree not listed

Question Name N12OCCINTRO

Wording [IF N12CMPDGN=1 and N12EXPEVR lt = T_DEGREE]: For the next few questions, think back to when you first started your [T_DEGREN]. [else if N12CMPDGN=1 and N12EXPEVR gt T_DEGREE and N12EXPEVR=10]: For the next few questions, assume you that you continue on in school and complete your [T_PRFDOC] degree. [else if N12CMPDGN=1 and N12EXPEVR gt T_DEGREE]: For the next few questions, assume that you continue on in school and complete your [T_EXPEVR]. [else if N12EXPN=1 and N12EXPEVR le T_DEGREE]: Earlier, you told us you don't plan on finishing your [T_DEGREN]. For the next few questions, imagine you don't finish your [T_DEGREN], and that it is five years from now. [else if N12EXPN=1 and N12EXPEVR =10]: Earlier, you told us you don't plan on finishing your [T_DEGREN], but that, in the future, you expect to complete your [T_PRFDOC] degree. For the next few questions, imagine you complete your [T_PRFDOC] degree. [else if N12EXPN=1 and N12EXPEVR gt T_DEGREE]: Earlier, you told us you don't plan on finishing your [T_DEGREN], but that, in the future, you expect to complete your [T_EXPEVR]. For the next few questions, imagine you

	complete your [T_EXPEVR]. [else if N12EXPEVR=T_DEGREE and N12DBLMAJ in (1, 3) and N12MAJ1 ne missing]: For the next few questions, assume you complete your [T_DEGREN] in [N12MAJ1]. [else if N12EXPEVR gt T_DEGREE and N12EXPEVR=10 and N12DBLMAJ in (1, 3) and N12MAJ1 ne missing]: For the next few questions, assume you complete your [T_DEGREN] in [N12MAJ1] and that you continue on in school and complete your [T_PRFDOC] degree. [else if N12EXPEVR=T_DEGREE] For the next few questions, assume you complete your [T_DEGREN] in your field of study. [else if N12EXPEVR gt T_DEGREE and N12DBLMAJ in (1, 3) and N12MAJ1 ne missing]: For the next few questions, assume you complete your [T_DEGREN] in [N12MAJ1] and that you continue on in school and complete your [T_EXPEVR]. [else if N12EXPEVR gt T_DEGREE and N12EXPEVR=10]: For the next few questions, assume you complete your [T_DEGREN] in your field of study and that you continue on in school and complete your [T_PRFDOC] degree. [else if N12EXPEVR gt T_DEGREE]: For the next few questions, assume you complete your [T_DEGREN] in your field of study and that you continue on in school and complete your [T_EXPEVR]. [Else]: For the next few questions assume you complete your [T_DEGREN] in your field of study. If you plan on completing another degree after your [T_DEGREN], assume you continue on in school and complete that degree too.
Item	
Question Name	N12EXOCC
Wording	[If N12CMPDGN=1 and N12EXPEVR lt =T_DEGREE] When you started your [T_DEGREN] program, what were the title and duties of the job you intended to hold once you finished your education? [else if N12EXPN=1 and N12EXPEVR le T_DEGREE] What do you think the job title and duties of the occupation you intend to hold will be five years from now? [else if N12EXPEVR=T_DEGREE and N12DBLMAJ in (1, 3) and N12MAJ1 ne missing] What do you think the job title and duties of the occupation you intend to hold will be after having completed your [T_DEGREN] in [N12MAJ1]? [else if N12EXPEVR=T_DEGREE] What do you think the job title and duties of the occupation you intend to hold will be after having completed your [T_DEGREN] in your field of study? [else if N12EXPEVR gt T_DEGREE and N12EXPEVR=10]: What do you think the job title and duties of the occupation you intend to hold will be after having completed your [T_PRFDOC] degree? [else if N12EXPEVR gt T_DEGREE] What do you think the job title and duties of the occupation you intend to hold will be after having completed your [T_EXPEVR]? [else] What do you think the job title and duties of the occupation you intend to hold will be after having completed your education?
Item	**Spec Name** **Value** Occupation Coder Data Source: O*Net: Occupational Information Network (U.S. Department of Labor)
Question Name	N12OCCCOM
Wording	[IF N12CMPDGN=1 and N12EXPEVR lt =T_DEGREE and N12EXJBTL ne missing]: On a scale from 0-10, how likely do you think it is that you will hold a(n) [N12EXJBTL] job? [else If N12EXPN=1 and N12EXPEVR le T_DEGREE]: On a scale from 0-10, how likely do you think it is that, five years from now you will you will hold your intended occupation? [If N12EXPEVR=T_DEGREE and N12EXJBTL ne missing] On a scale from 0-10, how likely do you think it is that, after having completed your [T_DEGREN], you will hold a(n) [N12EXJBTL] job? [else if N12EXPEVR gt T_DEGREE and N12EXPEVR=10 and N12EXJBTL ne missing]: On a scale from 0-10, how likely do you think it is that, after having completed your [T_PRFDOC] degree, you will hold a(n) [N12EXJBTL] job? [else if N12EXPEVR gt T_DEGREE and N12EXPEVR=10]: On a scale from 0-10, how likely do you think it is that, after having completed your [T_PRFDOC] degree, you will hold your intended occupation? [else if N12EXPEVR gt T_DEGREE and N12EXJBTL ne missing]: On a scale from 0-10, how likely do you think it is that, after having completed your [T_EXPEVR], you will hold a(n) [N12EXJBTL] job? [else if N12EXPEVR gt T_DEGREE]: On a scale from 0-10, how likely do you think it is that, after having completed your

[T_EXPEVR], you will hold your intended occupation? [else if N12EXJBTL ne missing]: On a scale from 0-10, how likely do you think it is that, after having completed your education, you will hold a(n) [N12EXJBTL] job? [else] On a scale from 0-10, how likely do you think it is that, after having completed your education, you will hold your intended occupation?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Slider	**0-10**

Question Name N12INTENDJOB

Wording

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12INTENDJOB**
Wording	Already hold intended job
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12FUTRWAGES

Wording [If N12INTENDJOB=1 and N12EXJBTL ne missing] or [if N12CMPDGN=1 and N12EXJBTL ne missing]: [If TIO: I /else: We] have some questions about the range of salary you expected to make once you began working in a(n) [N12EXJBTL] job. What was... [else if (N12INTENDJOB=1 and N12EXJBTL=missing) or (N12CMPDGN=1 and N12EXJBTL=missing)]: [If TIO: I/else: We] have some questions about the range of salary you expected to make once you finished your education. What was... [else if N12EXJBTL ne missing]: [If TIO: I /else: We] have some questions about the range of salary you expect to make once you begin working in a(n) [N12EXJBTL] job. What is... [else] [If TIO: I/else: We] have some questions about the range of salary you expect to make once you finish your education. What is...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12EXPWAGE**
Wording	1. Your **expected** yearly salary: $|.00 per year
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12HIWAGE**
Wording	2. Your **highest** expected yearly salary: $|.00 per year
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12LOWAGE**
Wording	3. Your **lowest** expected yearly salary: $|.00 per year
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12EDBENEFTS

Wording Salary may be only one part of why people choose a job. Compared to the salary, how important is each of the following to you?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12HLPOTH**	
Wording	Helping others as part of your job	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Less important than salary
	2	As important as salary
	3	More important than salary
Item Name	**N12EXPFLD**	
Wording	Being seen as an expert in your field	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Less important than salary
	2	As important as salary
	3	More important than salary
Item Name	**N12WRKTSKS**	
Wording	Making your own decisions about how to get your work done	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Less important than salary
	2	As important as salary
	3	More important than salary
Item Name	**N12LEISTIME**	
Wording	Balancing work and leisure time	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Less important than salary

	2	As important as salary
	3	More important than salary

Item Name N12FAMTIM
Wording: Balancing work and family

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Less important than salary
2	As important as salary
3	More important than salary

Financial Aid

Spec Name	Value
Question Name	N12OTGRNTAID
Wording	For the 2011-2012 school year, did you receive any...

Item

Item Name N12VETBEN
Wording: Veteran's education benefits?

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Item Name N12EMPGRNT
Wording: [If T_AGE lt 24]: Grants or scholarships from your employer or from your parents' or guardians' employer? [Else] Grants or scholarships from your employer?

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Item Name N12PRVGRNT
Wording: Grants or scholarships from a private organization such as a church, PTA, fraternity/sorority, or foundation?

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12OTGRNTAMT
Wording: What was the total amount you received for the 2011-2012 school year in...

(If you are unsure of the amounts, please provide your best guess.)

Item

Item Name N12VETBENAMT
Wording: Veteran's education benefits $|.00
Response Option: Response Option Details

Item Name N12EMPGRTAMT
Wording: Employer grants or scholarships $|.00
Response Option: Response Option Details

Item Name N12PRVGRTAMT
Wording: Private organization grants or scholarships $|.00
Response Option: Response Option Details

Question Name N12RCVLN
Wording: Did you take out any student loans for the 2011-2012 school year?

By student loans, we mean any money borrowed for school that you will have to pay back to a federal or state government, to a private financial institution, or to [Y_NPSCHL]. Do not include parent PLUS loans, grants or scholarships, or any money borrowed from family or friends.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12RCVLN
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12APPAID

Wording Did you apply for financial aid for the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12APPAID
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12NOAPP

Wording Please indicate whether the following were reasons you did not apply for financial aid. Was it because you...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12NODEBT
Wording	Did not want to take on debt

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12NONEED
Wording	Could afford to go to school without financial aid

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12THKEL
Wording	Thought you would be ineligible

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12HSAPP
Wording	Did not have enough information about how to apply for financial aid

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12FMCON
Wording	Thought the application forms were too much work or too time-consuming

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12APOTH
Wording	Other reason not listed
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12FEDLN

Wording Did you take out any federal loans, such as a Stafford Loan, for the 2011-2012 school year?

(Federal student loans include: subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford Loans, Perkins Loans, and graduate and professional student PLUS Loans. Do not include parent PLUS Loans.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12FEDLN
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12PRVLN

Wording Did you take out any private or alternative loans from a financial institution or state

for the 2011-2012 school year? Some examples of commonly used private loans include:

- Sallie Mae Smart Option Loan
- Wells Fargo Collegiate Loan
- Chase Select Loan
- Loans from credit unions
- Loans from states such as NYHELPs

Private loans are loans that usually require a co-signer and have market interest rates based on credit history.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12PRVLN**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12PRVAMT

Wording How much did you borrow in private or alternative loans for the 2011-2012 school year? Do not include any money borrowed in federal loans or any money borrowed from family or friends in your answer.

(If you are unsure of the amount of your private loans, please provide your best guess.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12PRVAMT**
Wording	$|.00

Question Name N12PRVEST

Wording For the 2011-2012 school year, please indicate the range for how much you borrowed in alternative or private loans. Would you say it was...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12PRVEST**
Wording	[If Y_DEP = 1] $0 Less than $3,000 $3,000-$5,999 $6,000-$8,999 $9,000-$11,999 $12,000-$14,999 $15,000-$17,999 $18,000-$20,999 $21,000-$22,999 $23,000 or more Don't Know [else if Y_DEP = 2 and T_STAT in (1 3)] $0 Less than $6,000 $6,000-$11,999 $12,000-$17,999 $18,000-$12,999 $24,000-$29,999 $30,000-$35,999 $36,000-$41,999 $42,000-$45,999 $46,000 or more Don't Know [else] (T_STAT in (2 4)) $0 Less than $15,000 $15,000-$29,999 $30,000-$44,999 $45,000-$59,999 $60,000-$74,999 $75,000-$89,999 $90,000-$104,999 $105,000-$119,999 $120,000-$138,499 $138,500 or more Don't Know

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Less than $3,000
2	$3,000 - $5,999
3	$6,000 - $8,999
4	$9,000 - $11,999
5	$12,000 - $14,999
6	$15,000 - $17,999
7	$18,000 or more
8	Don't know

Question Name N12UGLNNPSYR

Wording What is the total amount of money you borrowed in student loans for the 2011-2012 school year only (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012)?

Please include all federal, private, state, and school loans. Do not include parent PLUS loans, grants or scholarships, or any money borrowed from family or friends in your answer.

(If you are unsure of the amount, please provide your best guess.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12UGLNNPSYR**

	Wording	$|.00
	Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12UGLNYEST

Wording

The NPSAS interview is designed to help us better understand how students and their families pay for college expenses through savings, financial aid, and work. Please consider answering this important question.

For the 2011-2012 school year only (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), would you say that you borrowed...

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12UGLNYEST**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	0	$0
	1	Less than $3,500
	2	$3,500 - $5,499
	3	$5,500 - $7,499
	4	$7,500 - $9,499
	5	$9,500 - $12,499
	6	$12,500 - $14,999
	7	$15,000 or more
	8	Don't know

Question Name N12GRLNNPSYR

Wording

What is the total amount of money you borrowed in student loans for your graduate education for the 2011-2012 school year only (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012)?

Please include all federal, private, state, and school loans. Do not include any grants or scholarships or any money borrowed from family or friends in your answer.

(If you are unsure of the amount, please provide your best guess.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GRLNNPSYR**
Wording	$|.00
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12GRLNYEST

Wording

The NPSAS interview is designed to help us better understand how students and their families pay for college expenses through savings, financial aid, and work. Please consider answering this important question.

For your graduate education for the 2011-2012 school year only (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), would you say that you borrowed...

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12GRLNYEST**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	0	$0
	1	Less than $8,500
	2	$8,500 - $14,999
	3	$15,000 - $20,499
	4	$20,500 - $29,999
	5	$30,000 - $39,999
	6	$40,000 - $49,999
	7	$50,000 or more

	8	Don't know

Question Name N12REFUND1

Wording [If N12RCVLN=0] After paying for your tuition and fees, did you or will you receive a refund of any scholarships or grants from [Y_NPSCHL]? [Else]: After paying for your tuition and fees, did you or will you receive a refund of any scholarships, grants, or loans from [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12REFUND1**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12REFUND2

Wording Did you or will you...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12REFUND2**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Ask your school to deposit the refund directly to your bank or credit union account
	2	Cash or deposit the refund check at a bank or credit union yourself
	3	Cash the refund check somewhere other than a bank or credit union (example: a check-cashing business, grocery or convenience store)
	4	Receive the refund on a prepaid debit card
	5	Receive the refund through your student ID card
	6	Do something else not listed with the refund

Question Name N12OUTST

Wording [If TCURENR = 1] At [Y_NPSCHL], are you charged for out-of-state or out-of-district tuition or fees? [else] At [Y_NPSCHL], were you charged for out-of-state or out-of-district tuition or fees?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12OUTST**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12UGLN

Wording [If Y_NPLEVL = 3 and T_B4JULY=1] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, how much will you have borrowed in student loans for your entire college or vocational education? [Else if If Y_NPLEVL = 3 and T_B4JULY=0] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, how much did you borrow in student loans for your entire college or vocational education? [Else if T_B4JULY=1] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, how much will you have borrowed in student loans for your entire undergraduate education? [Else] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, how much did you borrow in student loans for your entire undergraduate education? [all get the following instruction]: Please include all federal, private, state, and school loans. Do not include Parent PLUS loans, grants or scholarships, or any money borrowed from family or friends. (If you are unsure of the amount, please provide your best guess. If you have never taken out any student loans for your [If T_STAT in (2, 4): undergraduate] education enter "0" in the box.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12UGLN**
Wording	$|.00

Question Name N12ULNEST

Wording [All get the following instruction]: The NPSAS interview is designed to help us better understand how students and their families pay for college expenses through savings, financial aid, and work. Please consider answering this important question. [If Y_NPLEVL = 3 and T_B4JULY=1] For your entire college or vocational education through the end of the 2011-12 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), would you say that you will have borrowed... [Else If Y_NPLEVL = 3 and T_B4JULY=0] For your entire college or vocational education through the end of the 2011-12 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), would you say that you borrowed... [Else if T_B4JULY=1] For your entire undergraduate education through the end of the 2011-12 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), would you say that you will have borrowed... [Else] For your entire undergraduate education through the end of the 2011-12 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), would you say that you borrowed...

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12ULNEST**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	0	$0
	1	Less than $5,000
	2	$5,000 - $9,999
	3	$10,000 - $14,999
	4	$15,000 - $24,999
	5	$25,000 - $34,999
	6	$35,000 - $49,999
	7	$50,000 or more
	8	Don't know

Question Name N12UGOWE

Wording [If N12BPSELG=1] Do you owe all, some, or none of the total student loans that you took out for the 2011-2012 school year? [Else]: Do you still owe all, some, or none of the total student loans that you took out for your undergraduate education?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12UGOWE**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	All
	2	Some
	0	None

Question Name N12GRLN

Wording [T_B4JULY=1]: Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, how much will you have borrowed in student loans for your entire graduate education? [Else]: Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, how much did you borrow in student loans for your entire graduate education? [all get the following instruction]: Please include all federal, private, state, and school loans. Do not include any grants or scholarships or any money borrowed from family or friends in your answer. (If you are unsure of the amount, please provide your best guess. If you have never taken out any student loans for your graduate education, enter "0" in the box.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GRLN**
Wording	$|.00

Question Name N12GLNEST

Wording [All get the following instruction]: The NPSAS interview is designed to help us better understand how students and their families pay for college expenses through savings, financial aid, and work. Please consider answering this important question. [If T_B4JULY=1] For your entire graduate education through the end of the 2011-12 school

year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), would you say that you will have borrowed... [Else] For your entire graduate education through the end of the 2011-12 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), would you say that borrowed...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12GLNEST
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	0	$0
	1	Less than $15,000
	2	$15,000 - $24,999
	3	$25,000 - $39,999
	4	$40,000 - $69,999
	5	$70,000 - $99,999
	6	$100,000 - $149,999
	7	$150,000 or more
	8	Don't know

Question Name N12GROWE

Wording Do you still owe all, some, or none of that amount (that you borrowed for your graduate education)?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12GROWE
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	All
	2	Some
	0	None

Question Name N12DCLN

Wording When you were deciding how to pay for college for the 2011-2012 school year, were you offered any federal student loans that you chose not to accept?

(Please do not include loans offered by family or friends in your answer.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12DCLN
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12DCMAXLN

Wording Of the federal student loans you received, did you choose to take the maximum amount of money offered by the government?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12DCMAXLN
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12DCLRSN

Wording [If N12DCLN = 1 and N12DCMAXLN = 0] What was your main reason for choosing not to accept the [If N12RCVLN=1: additional] loan(s) and the full amount of money you were offered? [Else if N12DCLN = 0 and N12DCMAXLN = 0] What was your main reason for choosing not to accept the full amount of money you were offered? [Else] What was your main reason for choosing not to accept the [if N12RCVLN=1: additional] loan(s)?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	N12DCLRSN
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Your college costs were already covered with money from other sources
	2	You were concerned that you might not be

		able to repay the additional loan amount
	3	You did not understand the terms of the loan, so you thought it safer to turn down the money
	4	You did not like the terms of the loan (for example, the interest rate or having the interest grow while you are still attending school)
	5	You did not want more debt

Question Name N12AVOIDLNS

Wording [If N12FEDLN=1 or N12PRVLN=1] As a way to avoid taking out additional student loans during the 2011-2012 school year, did you choose to... [else] As a way to avoid taking out student loans during the 2011-2012 school year, did you choose to...

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12FEWCLSES**	
Wording	Take fewer classes at [Y_NPSCHL]?	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No
Item Name	**N12CSTLESS**	
Wording	Attend a school that cost you less?	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No
Item Name	**N12WRKMORE**	
Wording	Get a job or work more hours?	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12UNMETNEED

Wording [If N12RCVLN le 0]: Would you have borrowed money for the 2011-2012 school year if you could have? [Else]: Would you have borrowed more money for the 2011-2012 school year if you could have?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12UNMETNEED**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12NEEDAMTUG

Wording [If N12RCVLN le 0]: How much money would you have borrowed for the 2011-2012 school year if you could have? [Else]: How much more money would you have borrowed for the 2011-2012 school year if you could have?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12NEEDAMTUG**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Less than $1,000
	2	$1,000-$2,000
	3	$2,001-$3,000
	4	$3,001-$4,000
	5	More than $4,000
	6	$0

Question Name N12REPAY

Wording [If N12MARR = 2 and N12PARDED=1]: Do you expect that anyone other than your spouse, such as your other family members or friends, will help you repay your student loans? [Else if N12MARR = 2]: Do you expect that anyone other than your spouse, such as your parents or other family members or friends, will help you repay your student loans? [else if N12PARDED=1]: Do you expect that anyone, such as your family members or friends, will help you repay your student loans? [else]: Do you expect that anyone, such as your parents or other family members or friends, will help you repay

your student loans?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12REPAY**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12GRDASTJOB

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] In the 2011-2012 school year, have you had a graduate assistantship? [Else] In the 2011-2012 school year, did you have a graduate assistantship?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GRDASTJOB**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12GRAST

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] In the 2011-2012 school year, have you had a graduate teaching assistantship, a graduate research assistantship, or another type of graduate assistantship? [Else] In the 2011-2012 school year, did you have a graduate teaching assistantship, a graduate research assistantship, or another type of graduate assistantship?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GRTA**
Wording	Graduate teaching assistantship
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12GRRA**
Wording	Graduate research assistantship
Response Option	Response Option Details
Item Name	**N12GROTH**
Wording	Other graduate assistantship
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12TUITN

Wording Did you receive a tuition waiver or any other form of full or partial tuition assistance through your graduate school job(s)?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12TUITN**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12HINS

Wording As part of your graduate school job(s), did you receive health insurance?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12HINS**
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
2	No, because did not want it or need it
3	No, because it was not offered

Question Name N12GRTAAMT

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] What is the amount of your graduate teaching assistantship for the 2011-2012 school year? [Else] What was the amount of your graduate teaching assistantship for the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GRTAAMT**
Wording	$|.00
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12GRRAAMT

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] What is the amount of your graduate research assistantship for the 2011-2012 school year? [Else] What was the amount of your graduate research assistantship for the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GRRAAMT**
Wording	$|.00
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12GROTHAMT

Wording [If N12GRTA=1 or N12GRRA=1]: What [if T_CURENR=1: is/else: was] the amount of your other graduate assistantship for the 2011-2012 school year? Do not include the amount of any graduate assistantship you've already told [if WEB: us/else: me] about. [else] What [if T_CURENR=1: is/else: was] the amount of your graduate assistantship for the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GROTHAMT**
Wording	$|.00
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12CONTAC

Wording Which of the following activities [{If T_CURENR = 1} do {else} did] you perform as a teaching assistant during the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12CLSHRS**
Wording	[{if T_CURENR=1} Assume {else} Assumed] teaching responsibility for one or more courses

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12DISHRS**
Wording	[{if T_CURENR=1} Lead {else} Led] discussion sections for faculty-taught courses

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12LABHRS**
Wording	[{if T_CURENR=1} Supervise {else} Supervised] lab sections for faculty-taught courses

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GRAHRS**
Wording	[{if T_CURENR=1} Assist {else} Assisted] faculty with grading or other instruction- related activities

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12MSGHRS**
Wording	[{if T_CURENR=1} Assist {else} Assisted] faculty with answering student e-mail messages

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12OFFHRS**
Wording	[{if T_CURENR=1} Hold {else} Held] office hours

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12GRFELL

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] In the 2011-2012 school year, have you had a graduate fellowship? [Else] In the 2011-2012 school year, did you have a graduate fellowship?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GRFELL**
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes

	0	No

Question Name N12GRFELLAMT

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] What is the amount of your graduate fellowship for the 2011-2012 school year? [Else] What was the amount of your graduate fellowship for the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GRFELLAMT**
Wording	$|.00
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12GRTRNSHP

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] In the 2011-2012 school year, have you had a traineeship? [Else] In the 2011-2012 school year, did you have a traineeship?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12GRTRNSHP**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12GRTRNAMT

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] What is the amount of your traineeship for the 2011-2012 school year? [Else] What was the amount of your traineeship for the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GRTRNAMT**
Wording	$|.00
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12GRHRS

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] During the 2011-2012 school year, how many hours, on average, do you work per week in your graduate school job(s)? [else] During the 2011-2012 school year, how many hours, on average, did you work per week in your graduate school job(s)?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12GRHRS**
Wording	| hours per week
Response Option	Response Option Details

Question Name N12GRWEEK

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] For your graduate school job(s), would you say you have worked during all the weeks you attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year, most of them, half of them, or less than half? [else] For your graduate school job(s), would you say you worked during all the weeks you attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year, most of them, half of them, or less than half?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12GRWEEK**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	All
	2	Most
	3	Half
	4	Less than half

Question Name N12SCHJOB

Wording [if T_CURENR=1] During the 2011-2012 school year, have you had a work-study job at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] During the 2011-2012 school year, did you have a work-study job at [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Item Name	**N12SCHJOB**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12WSMAJR

Wording Create ltext fill: {if N12DBLMAJ = 3 or T_STAT = 3} ltext = coursework {else if N12DBLMAJ = 2} ltext = primary major or field of study {else} ltext = major or field of study [If N12DBLMAJ = 3 or T_STAT = 3] {If T_CURENR = 0} Was {else} Is] your work-study job related to your coursework at [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] {If T_CURENR = 0} Was {else} Is] your work-study job related to your [{If N12DBLMAJ = 2} primary] major or field of study at [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12WSMAJR**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12WSONOF

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] Is your work-study job located primarily on or off campus? [else] Was your work-study job located primarily on or off campus?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12WSONOF**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	On campus
2	Off campus
3	Both on and off campus

Question Name N12WSEMP

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] Is your work-study job for [Y_NPSCHL] or for another institution or organization? [else] Was your work-study job for [Y_NPSCHL] or for another institution or organization?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12WSEMP**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	[Y_NPSCHL]
2	Another institution or organization

Question Name N12WAEARN

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] How much do you earn from your work-study job while attending [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year? [else] How much did you earn from your work-study job while you were attending [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12WAAMT**
Wording	$
Item Name	**N12WAERNT**
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Per year
2	Per term or semester
3	Per month
4	Per week
5	Per hour

Question Name N12WAERNS

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1] In the 2011-2012 school year only, how many [{if N12WAERNT = 2} terms {if N12WAERNT = 3} months {else}weeks] will you have worked in your work-study job by the end of the school year? [else] During the 2011-2012 school year, how many [{if N12WAERNT = 2} terms {if N12WAERNT = 3} months {else}weeks] did you work in your work-study job? [If Y_CALSYS=0 and N12WAERNT in (missing, 1, 4,5)] then provide the following instruction]: A typical semester =15 weeks. A typical quarter or trimester=10 weeks.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12WAERNS**

	Wording	[If N12WAERNT = 2] term(s) [else if N12WAERNT = 3] month(s) [else] week(s)
Question Name	N12WAHRS	
Wording	[If T_CURENR = 1] During the 2011-2012 school year, how many hours, on average, do you work per week in your work-study job? [else] During the 2011-2012 school year, how many hours, on average, did you work per week in your work-study job?	
Item	**Spec Name**	**Value**
	Item Name	**N12WAHRS**
	Wording	| hours per week

Current Employment

Spec Name	Value
Question Name	N12ANYJOB
Wording	[If (N12GRTA in (0, blank) and N12GRRA in (0, blank) and N12GROTH in (0, blank) and N12GRFELL in (0, blank) and N12GRTRNSHP in (0, blank) and N12SCHJOB ne 1)]: [If T_B4JULY=1: Have/ELSE: Did] you [If T_B4JULY=1: held/ELSE: hold] any jobs during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012)? Do not include any jobs you held when you were not enrolled in school, such as jobs held only during summer break. [Else]: Other than your [school_job1 + school_job2 + school_job3 + school_job4], [If T_B4JULY=1: have/ELSE: Did] you [If T_B4JULY=1: held/ELSE: hold] any other jobs during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012)? Do not include any jobs you held when you were not enrolled in school, such as jobs held only during summer break.
Item	**Spec Name** / **Value** Wording **Response Option**: **Code** / **Label** 1 — Yes 0 — No
Question Name	N12NUMJOB
Wording	[If T_B4JULY=1 and (N12GRTA in (0, blank) and N12GRRA in (0, blank) and N12GROTH in (0, blank) and N12GRFELL in (0, blank) and N12GRTRNSHP in (0, blank) and N12SCHJOB ne 1)] During the 2011-2012 school year, how many jobs for pay have you usually held at one time? [else if T_B4JULY = 1] Not including your [school_job1 + school_job2 + school_job3 + school_job4], how many jobs for pay have you usually held at one time during the 2011-2012 school year? [else if T_B4JULY=0 and (N12GRTA in (0, blank) and N12GRRA in (0, blank) and N12GROTH in (0, blank) and N12GRFELL in (0, blank) and N12GRTRNSHP in (0, blank) and N12SCHJOB ne 1)] During the 2011-2012 school year, how many jobs for pay did you usually hold at one time? [else] Not including your [school_job1 + school_job2 + school_job3 + school_job4], how many jobs for pay did you usually hold at one time during the 2011-2012 school year?
Item	**Spec Name** / **Value** Wording **Response Option**: **Code** / **Label** 1 — One 2 — More than one

Question Name N12SEARN

Wording [if T_B4JULY = 1 and (N12GRTA=1 or N12GRRA=1 or N12GROTH=1 or N12GRFELL=1 or N12GRTRNSHP=1 or N12SCHJOB=1)]
During the 2011-2012 school year, how much have you usually earned from working? Do not include any money earned from your [school_job1 + school_job2 + school_job3 + school_job4] or any money earned when you were not enrolled in school, such as money earned during summer break.
[else if T_B4JULY = 1]
During the 2011-2012 school year, how much have you usually earned from working? Do not include any money earned when you were not enrolled in school, such as money earned during summer break.
[else if T_B4JULY = 0 and (N12GRTA=1 or N12GRRA=1 or N12GROTH=1 or N12GRFELL=1 or N12GRTRNSHP=1 or N12SCHJOB=1)]
During the 2011-2012 school year, how much did you usually earn from working? Do not include any money earned from your [school_job1 + school_job2 + school_job3 + school_job4] or any money earned when you were not enrolled in school, such as money earned during summer break.
[else]
During the 2011-2012 school year, how much did you usually earn from working? Do not include any money earned when you were not enrolled in school, such as money earned during summer break.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	$
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	For the entire school year
2	Per term or semester
3	Per month
4	Per week
5	Per hour

Question Name N12SEARNS

Wording [If T_B4JULY = 1 and (N12GRTA = 1 or N12GRRA = 1 or N12GROTH = 1 or N12GRFELL = 1 or N12GRTRNSHP = 1 or N12SCHJOB = 1)] During the 2011-2012 school year only, and not including your [school_job1 + school_job2 + school_job3 + school_job4], how many [t_fill2] will you have worked by the end of the school year? Do not include any [t_fill2] worked when you were not enrolled in school. [else if T_B4JULY=1] During the 2011-2012 school year only, how many [t_fill2] will you have worked by the end of the school year? Do not include any [t_fill2] worked when you were not enrolled in school. [else if T_B4JULY = 0 and (N12GRTA = 1 or N12GRRA = 1 or N12GROTH = 1 or N12GRFELL = 1 or N12GRTRNSHP = 1 or N12SCHJOB = 1)] Not including your [school_job1 + school_job2 + school_job3 + school_job4], how many [t_fill2] did you work during the 2011-2012 school year? Do not include any [t_fill2] worked when you were not enrolled in school. [else] During the 2011-2012 school year only, how many [t_fill2] did you work? Do not include any [t_fill2] worked when you were not enrolled in school. [If Y_CALSYS=0 and N12SERNTIM in (missing,1,4,5) then provide the following instruction]: (Tip: One semester usually has 15 weeks. One quarter or trimester usually has 10 weeks.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	[if N12SERNTIM = 2] term(s) [else if N12SERNTIM = 3] month(s) [else] week(s)

Question Name N12SBHRS

Wording [If T_B4JULY= 1 and (N12GRTA=1 or N12GRRA=1 or N12GROTH=1 or N12GRFELL=1 or N12GRTRNSHP=1 or N12SCHJOB=1)] How many hours have you usually worked per week during the 2011-2012 school year? Do not include hours worked at your [school_job1 +

school_job2 + school_job3 + school_job4] or any hours worked when you were not enrolled in school, such as during summer break. [else if T_B4JULY = 1] How many hours have you usually worked per week during the 2011-2012 school year? Do not include any hours worked when you were not enrolled in school, such as during summer break. [else if T_B4JULY = 0 and (N12GRTA=1 or N12GRRA=1 or N12GROTH=1 or N12GRFELL=1 or N12GRTRNSHP=1 or N12SCHJOB=1)] How many hours did you usually work per week during the 2011-2012 school year? Do not include hours worked at your [school_job1 + school_job2 + school_job3 + school_job4] or any hours worked when you were not enrolled in school, such as during summer break. [else] How many hours did you usually work per week during the 2011-2012 school year? Do not include any hours worked when you were not enrolled in school, such as during summer break.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	| hour(s) per week
Response Option	

Question Name N12ONOFF

Wording [If N12NUMJOB = 1 and If T_B4JULY=1]: Is this job located on or off campus? [If N12NUMJOB=1 and T_B4JULY=0]: Was that job located on or off campus? [else If N12NUMJOB gt 1 and T_B4JLULY=1]: Are these jobs all located on campus, all located off campus, or located both on and off campus? [else if N12NUMJOB gt 1 and T_B4JLULY=0]: Were these jobs all located on campus, all located off campus, or located both on and off campus?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording	[If N12NUMJOB=1] Primarily on campus [else] Jobs were all on campus	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	[If N12NUMJOB=1]: Primarily on campus [Else]: Jobs all on campus
	2	[If N12NUMJOB=1]: Primarily off campus [Else]: Jobs all off campus
	3	Both on and off campus jobs

Question Name N12ENRWRK

Wording During the 2011-2012 school year, would you say you were primarily...

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	A student working to meet expenses, or
	2	An employee who decided to enroll in school

Question Name N12PRVJOB

Wording Before the 2011-2012 school year began, how many jobs for pay were you usually working at one time?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	0	None
	1	One
	2	More than one

Question Name N12POCC

Wording [If N12PRVJOB=1]: What were the title and duties of that job? [Else]: What were the title and duties of the job where you worked the most hours in the year before the 2011-2012 school year began?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Occupation Coder	Data source: O*NET: Occupational Information Network (U.S. Department of Labor)

Question N12SAMEJOB

Name

Wording [If N12PJBTL ne missing]: [If T_CURENR=1: Are/Else: Were] you still working in a [N12PJBTL] job [if T_CURENR=0: during the most recent term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year? [Else] [If T_CURENR=1: Are/else: Were] you still working in that job [if T_CURENR=0: during the most recent term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12POCCTIM

Wording [If N12SAMEJOB=1] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, for how long [if T_B4JULY=1: will you have worked/else: had you worked] in [if N12PJBTL ne missing: a [N12PJBTL]/else: that] job? [Else] For how long did you work at [if N12PJBTL ne missing: your [N12PJBTL]/else: that] job?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	|(Enter a number here and choose a unit of time below)
Response Option Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Day(s)
	2	Week(s)
	3	Month(s)
	4	Year(s)

Question Name N12PRVWAGE

Wording Create T_JOBFILL: [If N12PRVJOB > 1] then T_JOBFILL = "from all jobs", [else] T_JOBFILL = blank How much did you usually earn [T_JOBFILL] before the 2011-2012 school year began?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	$
Response Option Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Per year
	2	Per month
	3	Per week
	4	Per hour

Question Name N12PRVHRSWK

Wording Create T_JOBFILL :[If N12PRVJOB > 1] then T_JOBFILL = "at all jobs together", [else] T_JOBFILL = blank. On average, how many hours per week did you work [T_JOBFILL] before the 2011-2012 school year began?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	| hour(s) per week
Response Option	

Question Name N12PRVMTHYR

Wording How many months of the year did you work between July 1, 2010 and June 30, 2011?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	| month(s)
Response Option	

Question Name N12WRKPAY

Wording If you had not attended college at all in 2011-2012, which of the following would you most likely have done?

Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: 1 — Label: Work for pay Code: 2 — Label: Work, but not be paid Code: 3 — Label: Not work (for any reason) Code: 4 — Label: Enter the military
Question Name	N12ALTNUMJOB	
Wording	If you had not attended college at all in 2011-2012, how many jobs for pay do you think you would have held at one time?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: 1 — Label: One job at a time Code: 2 — Label: Two or more jobs at a time
Question Name	N12ALTSCHED	
Wording	If you had not attended college at all in 2011-2012, would you have worked full time for the full year? (Full time is at least 35 hours per week. The full year is 12 months out of the year.)	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: 1 — Label: Yes Code: 0 — Label: No
Question Name	N12ALTHRSWK	
Wording	If you had not attended college at all in 2011-2012, on average how many hours per week would you have worked?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	| hour(s) per week
	Response Option	
Question Name	N12ALTMTHYR	
Wording	If you had not attended college at all in 2011-2012, how many months out of the year would you have worked?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	| month(s)
	Response Option	
Question Name	N12ALTWAGE1	
Wording	[If N12WRKPAY=4]: How much do you think you would have earned if you had entered the military instead of attending college in the 2011-2012 school year? Provide your best guess if you are unsure of the amount. [Else]: How much do you think you would have earned from working if you had not attended college at all in the 2011-2012 school year? Provide your best guess if you are unsure of the amount. [All get the following instruction]: (Tip: The average minimum wage is $7.75 per hour.)	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	$|(enter an amount per hour or an amount per year)
	Response Option	
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: 1 — Label: Per hour Code: 2 — Label: Per year
Question	N12ALTWAGE2	

Name	
Wording	How much do you think you would have earned at all your jobs together if you had not attended college in the 2011-2012 school year? (Provide your best guess if you are unsure of the amount.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	$|.00 (enter an amount per week, per month, or per year)
Response Option Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Per week
2	Per month
3	Per year

Income and Expenses

Spec Name	Value
Question Name	N12INCINTRO
Wording	The next set of questions will help us to better understand how the financial circumstances of students may affect their ability to attend college.
Item	
Question Name	N12INCOM
Wording	What was your income for calendar year 2011, prior to taxes and deductions? (Calendar year 2011 includes January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011. Include all income you paid taxes on, including work, investment income, or alimony. Do not include [if N12MARR=2: your spouse's income,] any grants or loans you may have used to pay for school, or any money given to you by your family.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	No income
2	Less than $1,000
3	$1,000-$2,499
4	$2,500-$4,999
5	$5,000-$9,999
6	$10,000-$14,999
7	$15,000-$19,999
8	$20,000-$29,999
9	$30,000-$49,999
10	$50,000 and above
11	Don't know

Question Name	N12INCSP
Wording	What was your spouse's income for calendar year 2011, prior to taxes and deductions? (Calendar year 2011 includes January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011. Include all income your spouse paid taxes on. Do not include any grants or loans your spouse may have used to pay for school, or any money given to your spouse by family.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label	
	1	No income	
	2	Less than $1,000	
	3	$1,000-$2,499	
	4	$2,500-$4,999	
	5	$5,000-$9,999	
	6	$10,000-$14,999	
	7	$15,000-$19,999	
	8	$20,000-$29,999	
	9	$30,000-$49,999	
	10	$50,000 and above	
	11	Don't know	

Question Name N12DEPS

Wording Next [if Web mode: we/else: I] have some questions that will help us understand how students' family situations affect how they pay for college. Do you have any children you [if T_B4JULY=1: support/else: supported] financially [if T_B4JULY=0] during the 2011-2012 school year]?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12DEP2

Wording [If T_B4JULY = 1] How many children do you support financially? [else] How many children did you support financially during the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	| child(ren)

Question Name N12OTDEPS

Wording Create t_fill1, t_fill2, t_fill3, t_fill4, and t_fill5:
{if T_B4JULY=1} t_fill1=are {else} t_fill1=were
{if T_B4JULY=1} t_fill2=Are {else} t_fill2=were
{if N12DEP2=1} t_fill3=child {else} t_fill3=children
{if T_B4JULY=1} t_fill4=no words {else} t_fill4=during the 2011-2012 school year {if N12DEP2=1} t_fill5=no words {else} t_fill5=[N12DEP2]

[If N12MARR=2 and N12DEPS in (0, blank) or (N12MARR=2 and N12DEPS=1 and N12DEP2 in (0, blank)] Other than your spouse, [t_fill1] you financially supporting anyone else [t_fill4]? [else if N12MARR=2 and N12DEP2 gt 0] Other than your spouse and your [t_fill5][t_fill3], [t_fill1] financially supporting anyone else [t_fill4]? [else if N12MARR ne 2 and N12DEP2 gt 0] Other than your [t_fill5][t_fill3], [t_fill1] you financially supporting anyone else [t_fill4]? [else] [t_fill2] you financially supporting anyone else [t_fill4]?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording		
Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12OTDEPS2

Wording Create t_fill1, t_fill2, t_fill3, and t_fill4:
{if T_B4JULY=1} t_fill1=are {else} t_fill1=were
{if N12DEP2=1} t_fill2=child {else} t_fill2=children
{if T_B4JULY=1} t_fill3=no words {else} t_fill3=during the 2011-2012 school year?
{if N12DEP2=1} t_fill4=no words {else} t_fill4=[N12DEP2]

[If N12MARR=2 and N12DEPS in (0, blank) or (N12MARR=2 and N12DEPS=1 and N12DEP2 in (0, blank)] Other than your spouse, how many others [t_fill1] you financially supporting [t_fill3]? [else if N12MARR=2 and N12DEP2 gt 0] Other than your

spouse and your [t_fill4][t_fill2], how many others [t_fill1] you financially supporting [t_fill3]? [else if N12MARR ne 2 and N12DEP2 gt 0] Other than your [t_fill4][t_fill2], how many others [t_fill1] you financially supporting [t_fill3]? [else] How many others [t_fill1] you financially supporting [t_fill3]?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	|other(s)
Response Option	

Question Name N12OTDEPAMT

Wording Create: {if T_B4JULY=1} t_fill1=do {else} t_fill1=did
Create: {if N12DEP2=1} t_fill2=child {else} t_fill2=children
Create: {if N12OTDEPS2=1} t_fill3=this other person {else} t_fill3=these [N12OTDEPS2] other people
{if T_B4JULY=1} t_fill4=no words {else} t_fill4=during the 2011-2012 school year?
Create: {if N12DEP2=1} t_fill5=no words {else} t_fill5=[N12DEP2]

[If N12MARR=2 and N12DEP2 gt 0] In an average month, how much [t_fill1] you spend supporting [t_fill3] [t_fill4]? (Do not include any money spent to support your spouse or your [t_fill5][t_fill2].) [else if N12MARR=2] In an average month, how much [t_fill1] you spend supporting [t_fill3] [t_fill4]? (Do not include any money spent to support your spouse.) [else if N12MARR ne 2 and N12DEP2 gt 0]: In an average month, how much [t_fill1] you spend supporting [t_fill3] [t_fill4]? (Do not include any money spent to support your [t_fill5][t_fill2].) [else] In an average month, how much [t_fill1] you spend supporting [t_fill3] [t_fill4]?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	$|.00
Response Option	

Question Name N12DAGE

Wording [If N12DEP2= 1] How old is your child? [else] How old is your youngest dependent child?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	Age of child:

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
0	Less than one year
1	1
2	2
3	3
4	4
5	5
6	6
7	7
8	8
9	9
10	10
11	11
12	12
13	13
14	14
15	15
16	16
17	17
18	18
19	19
20	20
21	21
22	22
23	23
24	24
25	25 or older

Question Name N12CARE

Wording [If T_B4JULY = 1 and N12MARR=2]: How many of your dependent children are in childcare that you and your spouse pay for? [else if T_B4JULY= 1]: How many of your dependent children are in childcare that you pay for? [else if N12MARR=2]: How many of your dependent children were in childcare that you and your spouse paid for during the 2011-2012 school year? [else]: How many of your dependent children were in childcare that you paid for during the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	|child(ren)

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12CARE1

Wording [If T_B4JULY= 1 and N12MARR=2] Is your child in childcare that you and your spouse pay for? [else if T_B4JULY = 1] Is your child in childcare that you pay for? [else if N12MARR=2] Was your child in childcare that you and your spouse paid for during the 2011-2012 school year? [else] Was your child in childcare that you paid for during the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12DAYCST

Wording [If T_B4JULY= 1 and N12MARR=2]: How much (on average) do you and your spouse pay each month for childcare? Indicate only the amount for which you and your spouse are responsible each month. Indicate "0" if someone else pays all of your childcare costs for you. [else if T_B4JULY= 1] How much (on average) do you pay each month for childcare? Indicate only the amount for which you are responsible each month. Indicate "0" if someone else pays all of your childcare costs for you. [else if T_B4JULY=0 and N12MARR=2]: In the 2011-2012 school year, how much (on average) did you and your spouse pay each month for childcare? Indicate only the amount for which you and your spouse were responsible each month. Indicate "0" if someone else paid all of your childcare costs for you. [else]: In the 2011-2012 school year, how much (on average) did you pay each month for childcare? Indicate only the amount for which you were responsible each month. Indicate "0" if someone else paid all of your childcare costs for you.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	$|.00 per month

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	{Continuous}

Question Name N12KIDCOL

Wording [If T_B4JULY = 1] How many of your dependents have attended a college, university, or trade school in the 2011-2012 school year? [else] How many of your dependents attended a college, university, or trade school in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	| dependent(s)

Question Name N12KIDCOL1

Wording [If T_B4JULY = 1] Has your dependent attended a college, university, or trade school in the 2011-2012 school year? [else] Did your dependent attend a college, university, or trade school in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12COLCOST

Wording [If N12MARR=2 and (N12KIDCOL=1 or N12KIDCOL1=1)]: Not including any loans, how much did you and your spouse contribute to the cost of your dependent's college expenses in the 2011-2012 school year? [Else if N12MARR=2]: Not including any loans, how much did you and your spouse contribute to the cost of these [N12KIDCOL] dependents' college expenses in the 2011-2012 school year? [Else if N12KIDCOL=1 or N12KIDCOL1=1]: Not including any loans, how much did you contribute to the cost of your dependent's college expenses in the 2011-2012 school year? [Else]: Not including any loans, how much did you contribute to the cost of these [N12KIDCOL] dependents' college expenses in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	$|.00
Response Option	

Question Name N12PARHELP

Wording [If T_B4JULY=1] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), will your parents (or guardians) have helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you are enrolled in school? [Else]: Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), did your parents (or guardians) help you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12PARAMT

Wording [If T_B4JULY=1] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, about how much will your parents (or guardians) have helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you are enrolled in school? Is it... [Else]: Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, about how much did your parents (or guardians) help you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school? Was it...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Less than $250
2	$250-$500
3	$501-$1,000
4	$1,001-$1,500
5	$1,501-$2,000
6	More than $2,000

Question Name N12PARAMT2

Wording [If T_B4JULY=1]: OK. Is the amount your parents (or guardians) will have helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses through the end of the 2011-2012 school year... [Else]: OK. Was the amount your parents (or guardians) helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school through the end of the 2011-2012 school year...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	$2,001-$5,000
2	$5,001-$10,000
3	$10,001-$15,000
4	$15,001-$20,000
5	$20,001-$25,000
6	More than $25,000

Question Name N12FAMHELP

Wording [If T_B4JULY=1 and N12PARDED=1]: Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year

[if N12MARR=2:, and not including your spouse], will [if N12MARR=2: other] family members or friends have helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you are enrolled in school? [else if T_B4JULY=0 and N12PARDED=1]: Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year [If N12MARR=2:, and not including your spouse], did [if N12MARR=2: other] family members or friends help you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school? [If N12MARR=2 and T_B4JULY=1] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, and not including your spouse or your parents (or guardians), will other family members or friends have helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you are enrolled in school? [else if N12MARR=2] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, and not including your spouse or your parents (or guardians), did other family members or friends help you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school? [else if T_B4JULY=1] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, and not including your parents (or guardians), will other family members or friends have helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you are enrolled in school? [else] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, and not including your parents (or guardians), did other family members or friends help you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12FAMAMT

Wording [If T_B4JULY=1] Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, about how much will these family or friends have helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you are enrolled in school? Is it... [Else]: Through the end of the 2011-2012 school year, about how much did these family or friends help you pay for any of your education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school? Was it...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Less than $250
2	$250-$500
3	$501-$1,000
4	$1,001-$1,500
5	$1,501-$2,000
6	More than $2,000

Question Name N12FAMAMT2

Wording [If T_B4JULY=1]: OK. Is the amount these family or friends will have helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses through the end of the 2011-2012 school year... [Else]: OK. Was the amount these family or friends helped you pay for any of your education and living expenses through the end of the 2011-2012 school year...

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	$2,001-$5,000
2	$5,001-$10,000
3	$10,001-$15,000
4	$15,001-$20,000
5	$20,001-$25,000
6	More than $25,000

Question Name N12NUMCRD

Wording Excluding debit or ATM cards, how many credit cards do you have in your own name that are billed to you?
(Indicate "0" if you do not have any credit cards.)

Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	| credit card(s)
Question Name	N12CARRYBAL	
Wording	[If N12NUMCRD=1]: Do you usually carry a balance over on your credit card from month to month? [else]: Do you usually carry a balance over on your credit cards from month to month?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: 1 — Label: Yes
		Code: 0 — Label: No
Question Name	N12CRDBAL	
Wording	[If N12NUMCRD gt 1]: What was the balance on all your credit cards combined according to your last statements? [else] What was the balance on your credit card according to your last statement?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	$|.00
Question Name	N12CCUSE	
Wording	[If N12NUMCRD=1] Did you use your credit card to pay for any of your tuition and fees in the 2011-2012 school year? [Else] Have you used your credit cards to pay for any of your tuition and fees in the 2011-2012 school year?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: 1 — Label: Yes
		Code: 0 — Label: No
Question Name	N12CCREASON	
Wording	[If N12NUMCRD=1] Did you charge your tuition and fees using your credit card because that was the only way you could afford to pay for those expenses? [else] Did you charge your tuition and fees using your credit card(s) because that was the only way you could afford to pay for those expenses?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: 1 — Label: Yes
		Code: 0 — Label: No
Question Name	N12BANK1	
Wording	Do you have a checking or savings account at a bank or credit union?	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: 1 — Label: Yes
		Code: 0 — Label: No
Question Name	N12BANK2	
Wording	Is your primary checking or savings account...	
Item	Spec Name	Value
	Wording	
	Response Option	Code: 1 — Label: In your name only, or
		Code: 2 — Label: Shared between you and someone else
Question Name	N12SCHRES	
Wording	[If T_CURENR=1 and web mode] Where are you living during the 2011-2012 school year while attending [Y_NPSCHL]? (If you have lived in more than one residence, choose the place where you have lived for the longest period of time.) [else If T_CURENR = 1] While attending [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2011-2012 school year, are you living in college-owned housing, with your parent(s) or guardian(s), or some place else? (If you have lived in more than one residence, choose the place where you have	

lived for the longest period of time.) [else if T_CURENR=0 and web mode] Where were you living during the 2011-2012 school year while attending [Y_NPSCHL]? (If you lived in more than one residence, choose the place where you lived for the longest period of time.) [else] While attending [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2011-2012 school year, did you live in college-owned housing, with your parent(s) or guardian(s), or some place else? (If you lived in more than one residence, choose the place where you lived for the longest period of time.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	On campus or in college-owned housing (for example, a dorm or a residence hall)
2	With parent(s) or guardian(s)
3	Off campus (not college-owned housing)

Question Name N12DISTHDAYS

Wording [If T_CURENR=1]: On average, how many days per week (or per month) do you travel between where you live and [Y_NPSCHL]? [else]: In the 2011-2012 school year, how many days per week on average (or per month) did you travel between where you lived and [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	|day(s)
Response Option	
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	per week
2	per month

Wording	[If T_CURENR=1]: Do not travel between where you live and [Y_NPSCHL] [else]: Did not travel between where you lived and [Y_NPSCHL]
Response Option	

Question Name N12DISTHMINS

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] On an average day, how much time does it take for you to get from where you live to [Y_NPSCHL]? [else] On an average day in the 2011-2012 school year, how much time did it take for you to get from where you lived to [Y_NPSCHL]?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	|(enter number of minutes or hours)
Response Option	
Wording	Minute(s) per day

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Minute(s)
2	Hour(s)

Question Name N12DISTWKDAY

Wording [If T_CURENR=1 and N12NUMJOB=2] How many days in an average week do you usually travel from where you live to the job where you work the most hours? [else if T_CURENR=1] How many days in an average week do you usually travel from where you live to work? [else if T_CURENR=0 and N12NUMJOB=2] How many days in an average week did you usually travel from where you lived to the job where you worked the most hours during the most recent term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year? [else] How many days in an average week did you usually travel from where you lived to work during the most recent term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year? [All get the following instruction]: (By "travel" we mean get from home to work by car, bus, walking, etc.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	| day(s) per week
Wording	Zero days (no travel to work)
Response Option	

Question Name N12DISTWKTIM

Wording [If T_CURENR=1 and If N12NUMJOB=2]: On an average day, how much time does it usually take you to get from where you live to the job where you work the most hours?

[Else if T_CURENR=1]: On an average day, how much time does it usually take you to get from where you live to work? [If N12NUMJOB=2]: How much time did it usually take for you to get from where you lived to the job where you worked the most hours on an average day during the most recent term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year?" [Else]: How much time did it usually take for you to get from where you lived to work on an average day during the most recent term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	|(enter number of minutes or hours)
Response Option Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Minute(s)
2	Hour(s)

Question Name N12HOME

Wording Do you own a home or pay a mortgage on a home?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12RNTAMT

Wording [If T_CURENR = 1 and N12HOME=1] While attending school during the 2011-2012 school year, how much (on average) is your monthly mortgage payment? Please indicate only the amount that you ([if N12MARR=2] and your spouse/[else if N12MARR=6] and your partner) are responsible for paying. If someone else pays your mortgage on your behalf, please indicate "0." [else if T_CURENR=0 and N12HOME=1] While you were attending school during the 2011-2012 school year, how much (on average) was your monthly mortgage payment? Please indicate only the amount that you ([if N12MARR=2] and your spouse/[else if N12MARR=6] and your partner) were responsible for paying. If someone else paid your mortgage on your behalf, please indicate "0." [else if T_CURENR=1 and N12HOME=0] While attending school during the 2011-2012 school year, how much (on average) is your monthly rent payment? Please indicate only the amount that you ([if N12MARR=2] and your spouse/[else if N12MARR=6] and your partner) are responsible for paying. If you do not have a rent payment or someone else pays your rent on your behalf, please indicate "0." [else if T_CURENR=0 and N12HOME=0] While you were attending school during the 2011-2012 school year, how much (on average) was your monthly rent payment? Please indicate only the amount that you ([if N12MARR=2] and your spouse/[else if N12MARR=6] and your partner) were responsible for paying. If you did not pay rent or if someone else paid your rent on your behalf, please indicate "0." [else if T_CURENR=1] While attending school during the 2011-2012 school year, how much (on average) is your monthly rent or mortgage payment? Please indicate only the amount that you ([if N12MARR=2] and your spouse/[else if N12MARR=6] and your partner) are responsible for paying. If someone else pays your rent or mortgage on your behalf, please indicate "0." [else] While you were attending school during the 2011-2012 school year, how much (on average) was your monthly rent or mortgage payment? Please indicate only the amount that you ([if N12MARR=2] and your spouse/[else if N12MARR=6] and your partner) were responsible for paying. If you did not pay rent or a mortgage or if someone else paid your rent or mortgage on your behalf, please indicate "0."

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	$|.00

Question Name N12UNTAX

Wording [IF T_AGE ge 24 or N12MARR=2 or N12DEP2 gt 0 or N12OTDEPS2 gt 0] Between July

1, 2011 and June 30, 2012, did you [if N12MARR=2 or N12DEP2 gt 0 or N12OTDEPS2 gt 0: or anyone in your household] receive any of the following benefits? (Bulleted list) Supplemental Security Income (SSI), SNAP (the Food Stamp Program), TANF (the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program), [if N12DAGE LT 19]: The Free and Reduced Price School Lunch Program, [if N12DAGE LT 6]: WIC (the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children)
[else] Between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012, did you or anyone in your parent or guardian's household receive any of the following benefits?
[Bulleted list) Social Security, SNAP (the Food Stamp Program), TANF (the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program), The Free and Reduced Price School Lunch Program, WIC (the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12PARST

Wording
What is the current marital status of your parents or guardians? If your parents are divorced, please answer this question about the marital status of the parent or guardian whom you lived with most during the past 12 months.

(If you did not live with one parent more than the other, answer about the parent who provided more financial support during the last 12 months, or during the most recent year that you received support from a parent.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Married or remarried
	2	Single
	3	Divorced or separated
	4	Widowed
	5	None of the above - Both parents or guardians are deceased

Question Name N12PARNC

Wording
[If N12PARST=1] What was your parents' or guardians' combined income in calendar year 2011 (January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011)? (If your parents are divorced and the parent you lived with more during the past 12 months is remarried, tell us about the combined income of that parent and the person he or she is married to.) [Else if N12PARST = 2] What was your parent or guardian's income in calendar year 2011 (January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011)? Would you say it was.. (Tell us about the parent or guardian whom you lived with most during the past 12 months. If you did not live with one parent more than the other, answer about the parent who provided more financial support during the last 12 months, or during the most recent year that you received support from a parent.) [Else if N12PARST = 4] What was your parent or guardian's income in calendar year 2011 (January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011)? Would you say it was.. [Else] In calendar year 2011 (January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011), what was the income of the parent or guardian whom you lived with most in the past 12 months? Would you say it was.. (If you did not live with one parent more than the other, answer about the parent who provided more financial support during the last 12 months, or during the most recent year that you received support from a parent.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Under $30,000

		2	$30,000 to $59,999
		3	$60,000 to $89,999
		4	$90,000 to $119,999
		5	$120,000 and above
		6	Don't know
	Wording	Parents (or guardians) are deceased	
	Response Option		

Question Name N12PRHSD

Wording [If N12PARST=1 and T_CURENR=1]: Not including yourself or your parents or guardians, how many people (for example, brothers or sisters or grandparents) have your parents or guardians been supporting financially since July 1, 2011? (If your parents are divorced and the parent you lived with more during the past 12 months is remarried, tell us about the number of people that parent and the person he or she is married to, are supporting.) [Else if N12PARST=1 and T_CURENR=0] Not including yourself or your parents or guardians, how many people (for example, brothers or sisters or grandparents) did your parents or guardians support financially during the most recent term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year? (If your parents are divorced and the parent you lived with more during the past 12 months is remarried, tell us about the number of people that parent and the person he or she is married to, are supporting.) [Else If N12PARST in (2,4) and T_CURENR=1]: Not including yourself or your parent or guardian, how many people (for example, brothers or sisters or grandparents) has your parent or guardian been supporting financially since July 1, 2011? [If N12PARST=2]: (Tell us about the parent or guardian whom you lived with most during the past 12 months. If you did not live with one parent more than the other, answer about the parent who provided more financial support during the last 12 months, or during the most recent year that you received support from a parent.) [Else if N12PARST in (2,4) and T_CURENR=0] Not including yourself or your parent or guardian, how many people (for example, brothers or sisters or grandparents) did your parent or guardian support financially during the most recent term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year? [If N12PARST=2]: (Tell us about the parent or guardian whom you lived with most during the past 12 months. If you did not live with one parent more than the other, answer about the parent who provided more financial support during the last 12 months, or during the most recent year that you received support from a parent.) [Else if T_CURENR=1] Not including yourself or the parent or guardian whom you lived with most in the past 12 months, how many people (for example, brothers or sisters or grandparents) has this parent or guardian been supporting financially since July 1, 2011? (If you did not live with one parent more than the other, answer about the parent who provided more financial support during the last 12 months, or during the most recent year that you received support from a parent.) [else] Not including yourself or the parent or guardian whom you lived with most in the past 12 months, how many people (for example, brothers or sisters or grandparents) did this parent or guardian support financially during the most recent term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year? (If you did not live with one parent more than the other, answer about the parent who provided more financial support during the last 12 months, or during the most recent year that you received support from a parent.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	| individual(s)

Question Name N12DPNUM

Wording [If N12PARST=1 and T_CURENR=1]: Not including yourself or your parents or guardians, how many of the people financially supported by your parents or guardians have attended a college, university, or trade school since July 1, 2011? [else if N12PARST=1 and T_CURENR=0] Not including yourself or your parents or guardians, how many of the people financially supported by your parents or guardians attended a college, university, or trade school during the most recent term you attended school in

Item	the 2011-2012 school year? [else if T_CURENR=1] Not including yourself or your parent or guardian, how many of the people financially supported by your parent or guardian have attended a college, university, or trade school since July 1, 2011? [else] Not including yourself or your parent or guardian, how many of the people financially supported by your parent or guardian attended a college, university, or trade school during the most recent term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year?
	Spec Name: Value
	Wording: | individual(s)
Question Name	N12DSCT250
Wording	Now [If web mode: we/else: I] have a series of quick "what-if" scenarios for you about money. Imagine you have a choice between receiving $250 today, or $250 in one year. This gift is guaranteed whether you choose to take the $250 today, or $250 in one year. Would you prefer...
Item	Spec Name: Value
	Wording
	Response Option: Code: Label
	1: $250 today
	2: $250 in one year
Question Name	N12DSCT300
Wording	Thanks. What about...
Item	Spec Name: Value
	Wording
	Response Option: Code: Label
	1: $250 today
	2: $300 in one year
Question Name	N12DSCT350
Wording	OK. What about...
Item	Spec Name: Value
	Wording
	Response Option: Code: Label
	1: $250 today
	2: $350 in one year
Question Name	N12DSCT400
Wording	OK. What about...
Item	Spec Name: Value
	Wording
	Response Option: Code: Label
	1: $250 today
	2: $400 in one year
Question Name	N12DSCT450
Wording	OK. What about...
Item	Spec Name: Value
	Wording
	Response Option: Code: Label
	1: $250 today
	2: $450 in one year
Question Name	N12DSCT500
Wording	Finally, how about...
Item	Spec Name: Value
	Wording
	Response Option: Code: Label
	1: $250 today
	2: $500 in one year

Background

Spec Name	Value
Question Name	INTBCK
Wording	Finally, [if TIO: I/else: we] have a few additional questions to ask that will help us better understand the college experiences of students from different backgrounds.
Item	
Question Name	N12STATE
Wording	Of which state are you a legal resident?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
AL	Alabama
AK	Alaska
AZ	Arizona
AR	Arkansas
CA	California
CO	Colorado
CT	Connecticut
DE	Delaware
DC	District of Columbia
FL	Florida
GA	Georgia
HI	Hawaii
ID	Idaho
IL	Illinois
IN	Indiana
IA	Iowa
KS	Kansas
KY	Kentucky
LA	Louisiana
ME	Maine
MD	Maryland
MA	Massachusetts
MI	Michigan
MN	Minnesota
MS	Mississippi
MO	Missouri
MT	Montana
NE	Nebraska
NV	Nevada
NH	New Hampshire
NJ	New Jersey
NM	New Mexico
NY	New York
NC	North Carolina
ND	North Dakota
OH	Ohio
OK	Oklahoma
OR	Oregon
PA	Pennsylvania
RI	Rhode Island
SC	South Carolina
SD	South Dakota

TN	Tennessee
TX	Texas
UT	Utah
VT	Vermont
VA	Virginia
WA	Washington
WV	West Virginia
WI	Wisconsin
WY	Wyoming
AS	American Samoa
FM	Fed State Micronesia
GU	Guam
MH	Marshall Islands
MP	Northern Mariana Isl
PW	Palau
PR	Puerto Rico
VI	U.S. Virgin Islands
FC	FOREIGN COUNTRY
-1	DON'T KNOW

Question Name N12DISTNC

Wording [If T_CURENR=1] What is the 5-digit ZIP code of your permanent address? Your permanent address is usually your legal residence, such as where you maintain your driver's license or are registered to vote. [else] What was the 5-digit ZIP code of your permanent address when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year? Your permanent address is usually your legal residence, such as where you maintain your driver's license or are registered to vote.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	
Wording	Check here instead if permanent address is outside the United States
Response Option	

Question Name N12USBORN

Wording Were you born in the United States (including Puerto Rico or another U.S. territory)?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12CITZN

Wording Are you a U.S. citizen?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes
	2	No - Resident alien, permanent resident, or other eligible non-citizen; hold a temporary resident's card or other eligible non-citizen temporary resident's card
	3	No - Student visa, in the country on an F1 or F2 visa, or on a J1 or J2 exchange visitor visa

Question Name N12IMGRAGE

Wording How old were you when you came to the United States?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	| year(s) old

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Younger than 6
	2	Between 6 and 12
	3	Between 13 and 17
	4	Older than 17

Wording	Don't know exact age
Response Option	

Question Name N12IMGEST
Wording When you came to the United States would you say you were...
Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	5 years old or younger
2	6 to 8 years old
3	9 to 11 years old
4	12 to 14 years old
5	15 to 17 years old
6	18 years or older

Question Name N12FLANG
Wording What was the first language you learned to speak as a child?
Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	English
2	Spanish
3	English and Spanish equally
4	Another language (other than English or Spanish)
5	An equal mix of English and another language (other than Spanish)

Question Name N12FFLANGA
Wording [If N12FLANG in (2, 3)] How often did you speak Spanish with your mother or primary caregiver when you started high school? [Else] How often did you speak your non-English language with your mother or primary caregiver when you started high school?
Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
0	Never
1	Sometimes
2	About half of the time
3	Most of the time
4	Always

Question Name N12PARUS
Wording Were your parents born in the United States (including Puerto Rico or another U.S. territory)?
Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
2	Yes, both parents
1	Yes, one parent
0	No

Question Name N12HISP
Wording Are you of either Hispanic or Latino origin?
Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12HISTYP
Wording Are you of...
Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	Cuban descent

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Wording Mexican, Mexican-American, or Chicano descent

Response

Code	Label

Option	1	Yes	
	0	No	
Wording	Puerto Rican descent		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**	
	1	Yes	
	0	No	
Wording	Some other Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**	
	1	Yes	
	0	No	

Question Name N12RAC1

Wording What is your race?

Choose one or more.

Item

Spec Name	**Value**	
Wording	White	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No
Wording	Black or African American	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No
Wording	Asian	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No
Wording	American Indian or Alaska Native	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No
Wording	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12TRIBE

Wording Are you enrolled in a state- or federally-recognized tribe?

Item

Spec Name	**Value**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes
	0	No

Question Name N12SPCOL

Wording Has your spouse attended a college, university, or trade school during the 2011-2012 school year?

Item

Spec Name	**Value**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Yes, full time
	2	Yes, part time
	0	No

Question Name N12MOMED

Wording What is the highest level of education your mother completed?

Item

Spec Name	**Value**	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	Did not complete high school
	2	High school diploma or equivalent
	3	Vocational/technical training
	6	Some college but no degree
	5	Associate's degree (usually a 2-year degree)

7	Bachelor's degree (usually a 4-year degree)
8	Master's degree or equivalent
9	Professional degree (chiropractic, dentistry, law, medicine, optometry, pharmacy, podiatry, or veterinary medicine)
10	Doctoral degree (PhD, EdD, etc.)
11	Don't know

Question Name N12DADED

Wording What is the highest level of education your father completed?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Did not complete high school
2	High school diploma or equivalent
3	Vocational/technical training
6	Some college but no degree
5	Associate's degree (usually a 2-year degree)
7	Bachelor's degree (usually a 4-year degree)
8	Master's degree or equivalent
9	Professional degree (chiropractic, dentistry, law, medicine, optometry, pharmacy, podiatry, or veterinary medicine)
10	Doctoral degree (PhD, EdD, etc.)
11	Don't know

Question Name N12SIBCL

Wording Do you have any brothers or sisters who went to college before you did?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12MILIT

Wording Are you a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces, or are you currently serving in the Armed Forces either on active duty, in the reserves, or in the National Guard?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	Veteran

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Wording Active duty

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Wording Reserves

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Wording National Guard

Response Option

Wording None of the above

Response Option

Code	Label
1	None of the above
0	No

Question Name N12ACS16A

Wording These last few questions will help us better understand the educational services available for people with disabilities.

Are you deaf or do you have serious difficulty hearing?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option

Code	Label

1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12ACS16B

Wording Are you blind or do you have serious difficulty seeing even when wearing glasses?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12ACS17A

Wording Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, do you have serious difficulty concentrating, remembering, or making decisions?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12ACS17B

Wording Do you have serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Question Name N12MAIN

Wording What is the main type of condition or impairment that you have?

(Please choose only one.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	
Response Option	

Code	Label
1	Hearing impairment (for example, deaf or hard of hearing)
2	Blindness or visual impairment that cannot be corrected by wearing glasses
3	Speech or language impairment
4	Orthopedic or mobility impairment
5	Specific learning disability or dyslexia
6	Attention deficit disorder (ADD)
7	Health impairment or problem
8	Mental, emotional or psychiatric condition
9	Depression
10	Developmental disability
11	Brain injury
12	Other

Question Name N12EXTERNAL

Wording We are almost done with this survey. But first, I want to let you know that some students may be invited to participate in follow-up studies to learn more about their education and employment experiences after completing this survey. These follow-up studies will be led by external researchers not affiliated with the Department of Education. We would like to seek your permission to allow RTI to re-contact you on behalf of one of the external researchers. Your participation in future studies is completely voluntary, but there is no substitute for your response.

Are you willing to be contacted about these future studies?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Item Name	**N12EXTERNAL**
Wording	
Response	

Code	Label

	Option	1	Yes
		0	No

Question Name	N12MENTH
Wording	In general, how is your mental health?
Item	**Spec Name** / **Value** Wording **Response Option**: **Code** / **Label** 1 Excellent 2 Very good 3 Good 4 Fair 5 Poor
Question Name	N12MISSH
Wording	In the past 30 days, how often did a physical or mental health concern cause you to miss a day of school or work?
Item	**Spec Name** / **Value** Wording **Response Option**: **Code** / **Label** 1 Never 2 A few times 3 About once a week 4 Almost every day 5 Every day

Locating

Spec Name	Value
Question Name	N12LINTRO
Wording	In about 2 years, we would like to be able to get in touch with you again to see what you're doing and what has changed in your life. To find you then, we need to collect some address information. This information will be kept in secure and protected data files, and will be separate from the responses you've already provided in your interview.
Item	
Question Name	N12NAME
Wording	We currently have your name as follows: (Make any necessary corrections, then select Next.)
Item	**Spec Name** / **Value** Wording: First name: Wording: Middle name: Wording: Last name:
Question Name	N12VERLOC
Wording	Do you consider the following address to be your local address?
Item	**Spec Name** / **Value** Wording

	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		1	[fill Y_LOC1AD]
		2	Local address is different from above

Question Name N12LOCADR

Wording [If web mode] Please provide your local address. [else] What is your local address?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	Street Address:
Wording	City:
Wording	State:
Wording	Zip Code:
Wording	Foreign Phone:
Wording	Foreign Country:
Wording	Cell Phone:
Wording	Home phone:
Wording	Foreign State/Province:
Wording	Foreign Zip/Postal Code:
Wording	Foreign Address:
Wording	Foreign City:
Wording	Please check here if the address is an international address.
Response Option	

Question Name N12P1AD1

Wording [If N12PARST in (2, 3, 4)]: Please provide contact information for the parent whom you lived with most during the past 12 months. You will have the opportunity to provide contact information for other parents or guardians who live at a different address next. [Else]: Please provide contact information for your parent(s) or guardian(s) who live together at the same address. You will have the opportunity to provide contact information for other parents or guardians who live at a different address next.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	(Parent 1) Last Name:
Wording	(Parent 1) First Name:
Wording	(Parent 1) Relationship:

Response Option	Code	Label
	2	Father/Male guardian
	1	Mother/Female guardian
	-9	-Select one-

Wording	(Parent 2) Last Name:
Wording	(Parent 2) First Name:
Wording	(Parent 2) Relationship:

Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Mother/Female guardian
	2	Father/Male guardian

Wording	Street Address:
Wording	Zip Code:
Wording	State:

Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	AL	Alabama
	AK	Alaska
	AZ	Arizona
	AR	Arkansas
	CA	California
	CO	Colorado
	CT	Connecticut
	DE	Delaware
	DC	District of Columbia
	FL	Florida
	GA	Georgia
	HI	Hawaii
	ID	Idaho
	IL	Illinois
	IN	Indiana

	IA	Iowa
	KS	Kansas
	KY	Kentucky
	LA	Louisiana
	ME	Maine
	MD	Maryland
	MA	Massachusetts
	MI	Michigan
	MN	Minnesota
	MS	Mississippi
	MO	Missouri
	MT	Montana
	NE	Nebraska
	NV	Nevada
	NH	New Hampshire
	NJ	New Jersey
	NM	New Mexico
	NY	New York
	NC	North Carolina
	ND	North Dakota
	OH	Ohio
	OK	Oklahoma
	OR	Oregon
	PA	Pennsylvania
	RI	Rhode Island
	SC	South Carolina
	SD	South Dakota
	TN	Tennessee
	TX	Texas
	UT	Utah
	VT	Vermont
	VA	Virginia
	WA	Washington
	WV	West Virginia
	WI	Wisconsin
	WY	Wyoming
	AS	American Samoa
	FM	Fed State Micronesia
	GU	Guam
	MH	Marshall Islands
	MP	Northern Mariana Isl
	PW	Palau
	PR	Puerto Rico
	VI	U.S. Virgin Islands
	FC	FOREIGN COUNTRY
	-1	DON'T KNOW
Wording	City:	
Wording	Foreign Country:	
Wording	Foreign Phone:	
Wording	Both parents deceased	

Response Option

Code	Label
1	Yes
0	No

Wording	(Parent 1) Cell Phone:
Wording	(Parent 2) Cell Phone:
Wording	Home phone:
Wording	(Street Address 2:)
Wording	Please check here if the address is an international address.
Wording	(Parent 1) E-mail Address 1:
Wording	(Parent 1) E-mail Address 2:
Wording	(Parent 2) E-mail Address 1:
Wording	(Parent 2) E-mail Address 2:
Wording	Foreign State/Province:
Wording	Foreign Zip/Postal Code:
Wording	Foreign Address:
Wording	Foreign City:

	Response Option	
Question Name	N12P2SAME	
Wording	[If N12P1DS=1] Is there another guardian for whom you would like to provide contact information? [else] Is there another parent or guardian for whom you would like to provide contact information?	
Item	**Spec Name**	**Value**
	Wording	
	Response Option	**Code** / **Label**
		1 / Yes
		0 / No
Question Name	N12P2AD2	
Wording	[If N12P1DS=1] Please provide contact information for your other guardian(s). [Else] Please provide contact information for your other parent(s) or guardian(s).	
Item	**Spec Name**	**Value**
	Wording	(Parent 1) First Name:
	Response Option	
	Wording	(Parent 1) Last Name:
	Response Option	
	Wording	(Parent 1) Relationship:
	Response Option	**Code** / **Label**
		1 / Mother/Female guardian
		2 / Father/Male guardian
		-9 / -Select one-
	Wording	(Parent 2) First Name:
	Response Option	
	Wording	(Parent 2) Last Name:
	Response Option	
	Wording	(Parent 2) Relationship:
	Response Option	**Code** / **Label**
		1 / Mother/Female guardian
		2 / Father/Male guardian
		-9 / -Select one-
	Wording	Street Address:
	Wording	Zip Code:
	Wording	City:
	Wording	State:
	Wording	Foreign Country:
	Wording	Foreign Phone:
	Wording	(Parent 1) Cell Phone:
	Wording	(Parent 2) Cell Phone:
	Wording	Home Phone:
	Wording	Please check here if the address is an international address.
	Wording	(Parent 1) E-mail Address 1:
	Wording	(Parent 1) E-mail Address 2:
	Wording	(Parent 2) E-mail Address 1:
	Wording	(Parent 2) E-mail Address 2:
	Wording	Foreign State/Province:
	Wording	Foreign Zip/Postal Code:
	Wording	Foreign Address:
	Wording	Foreign City:
	Response Option	
Question Name	N12OTINFO	
Wording	Please provide the name, address, and telephone number for someone else [{if N12MARR=2}, other than your spouse,] who will always know how to contact you.	
Item	**Spec Name**	**Value**
	Wording	Last Name:
	Wording	First Name:
	Wording	Relationship:
	Response Option	**Code** / **Label**
		7 / Mother/Female guardian
		8 / Father/Male guardian
		1 / Sister/brother
		2 / Spouse
		-9 / -Select one-
		4 / Grandmother/Grandfather

	3	Friend
	6	Aunt/Uncle
	5	Mother-in-law/Father-in-law
	9	Child
	10	Other

Wording E-mail Address 1:

Response Option

Wording Street Address:

Wording City:

Wording State:

Response Option

Code	Label
-9	-Select one-
AL	Alabama
AK	Alaska
AZ	Arizona
AR	Arkansas
CA	California
CO	Colorado
CT	Connecticut
DE	Delaware
DC	District of Columbia
FL	Florida
GA	Georgia
HI	Hawaii
ID	Idaho
IL	Illinois
IN	Indiana
IA	Iowa
KS	Kansas
KY	Kentucky
LA	Louisiana
ME	Maine
MD	Maryland
MA	Massachusetts
MI	Michigan
MN	Minnesota
MS	Mississippi
MO	Missouri
MT	Montana
NE	Nebraska
NV	Nevada
NH	New Hampshire
NJ	New Jersey
NM	New Mexico
NY	New York
NC	North Carolina
ND	North Dakota
OH	Ohio
OK	Oklahoma
OR	Oregon
PA	Pennsylvania
RI	Rhode Island
SC	South Carolina
SD	South Dakota
TN	Tennessee
TX	Texas
UT	Utah
VT	Vermont
VA	Virginia
WA	Washington
WV	West Virginia
WI	Wisconsin
WY	Wyoming
AS	American Samoa

		FM	Fed State Micronesia
		GU	Guam
		MH	Marshall Islands
		MP	Northern Mariana Isl
		PW	Palau
		PR	Puerto Rico
		VI	U.S. Virgin Islands
		FC	FOREIGN COUNTRY
		-1	DON'T KNOW
	Wording	Zip Code:	
	Wording	Foreign Country:	
	Wording	Foreign Phone:	
	Wording	Cell Phone:	
	Wording	Home Phone:	
	Wording	E-mail Address 2:	
	Wording	Foreign State/Province:	
	Wording	Foreign Zip/Postal Code:	
	Wording	Foreign Address:	
	Wording	Foreign City:	
	Wording	Please check here if the address is an international address.	
	Response Option		
	Wording	Title:	
	Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
		-9	-Select one-
		1	Mr.
		2	Mrs.
		3	Miss
		4	Ms.

Question Name N12SPS

Wording What is your spouse's full name (including previous last name, if applicable)?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	First Name:
Wording	Last Name:
Wording	Previous Last Name (if applicable):

Question Name N12VERPRM

Wording [If only 1 address is preloaded]
Do you consider the following address to be your permanent or primary address?
[else]
Which of the following do you consider to be your permanent or primary address?

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording		
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	1	[fill Y_PRMADD]
	2	[fill N12P1AD1]
	3	[fill N12P2AD2]
	4	[fill N12OTINFO]
	5	[fill N12LOCADR]
	6	Permanent address is different from above.

Question Name N12PRMADR

Wording Please provide your permanent or primary address.

Item

Spec Name	Value	
Wording	Street Address:	
Wording	City:	
Wording	State:	
Response Option	**Code**	**Label**
	-9	-Select one-
	AL	Alabama
	AK	Alaska
	AZ	Arizona
	AR	Arkansas
	CA	California
	CO	Colorado
	CT	Connecticut

	DE	Delaware
	DC	District of Columbia
	FL	Florida
	GA	Georgia
	HI	Hawaii
	ID	Idaho
	IL	Illinois
	IN	Indiana
	IA	Iowa
	KS	Kansas
	KY	Kentucky
	LA	Louisiana
	ME	Maine
	MD	Maryland
	MA	Massachusetts
	MI	Michigan
	MN	Minnesota
	MS	Mississippi
	MO	Missouri
	MT	Montana
	NE	Nebraska
	NV	Nevada
	NH	New Hampshire
	NJ	New Jersey
	NM	New Mexico
	NY	New York
	NC	North Carolina
	ND	North Dakota
	OH	Ohio
	OK	Oklahoma
	OR	Oregon
	PA	Pennsylvania
	RI	Rhode Island
	SC	South Carolina
	SD	South Dakota
	TN	Tennessee
	TX	Texas
	UT	Utah
	VT	Vermont
	VA	Virginia
	WA	Washington
	WV	West Virginia
	WI	Wisconsin
	WY	Wyoming
	AS	American Samoa
	FM	Fed State Micronesia
	GU	Guam
	MH	Marshall Islands
	MP	Northern Mariana Isl
	PW	Palau
	PR	Puerto Rico
	VI	U.S. Virgin Islands
	FC	FOREIGN COUNTRY
	-1	DON'T KNOW

Wording	Zip Code:
Wording	Foreign Phone:
Wording	Foreign Country:
Wording	Cell Phone:
Wording	Home Phone:
Wording	Foreign State/Province:
Response Option	
Wording	Foreign Zip/Postal Code:
Response Option	
Wording	Foreign Address:
Response Option	

	Wording	Foreign City:
	Response Option	
	Wording	Please check here if the address is an international address.
	Response Option	

Question Name N12EMAIL

Wording [If web] Please provide your e-mail address. If you have more than one e-mail address, please provide those as well.

(Please provide the e-mail addresses you're likely to have in 2 years when we will want to contact you again.) [else] What is your e-mail address? If you have more than one e-mail address, please provide those as well.

(Please provide the e-mail addresses you're likely to have in 2 years when we will want to contact you again.)

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	E-Mail Address 1:
Wording	E-Mail Address 2:
Wording	E-Mail Address 3:
Wording	E-Mail Address 4:

Question Name N12TEXT

Wording May we contact you next year by sending a text message to your cell phone?

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	1	Yes, to [if N12PRMCTL1 = blank and N12PRMCTL2 = blank and N12PRMCTL3 = blank, then display Y_PRMCTL else display N12PRMCTL1 - N12PRMCTL2 - N12PRMCTL3]
	2	Yes, to [N12LOCCTL1 - N12LOCCTL2 - N12LOCCTL3]
	3	Yes, to the following number:
	0	No

Wording

Question Name N12CELLPRO

Wording Please provide the name of your cell phone service provider.

Item

Spec Name	Value
Wording	

Response Option	Code	Label
	-9	-Select one-
	1	Alltel
	2	AT&T
	3	Boost Mobile
	4	Cellular One
	5	Cricket
	6	Metro-PCS
	7	Nextel
	8	Qwest
	9	Sprint
	10	Straight Talk
	11	T-Mobile
	12	Tracfone
	13	US Cellular
	14	Verizon
	15	Virgin Mobile
	16	Other

Wording	Please provide the name of your cell phone service provider:	
Response Option		

Question Name	N12SSNINF
Wording	What is your Social Security number? (This information will be kept in secure and protected data files, and will be separate from the responses you've already provided in your interview. All individually identifiable information supplied by individuals or institutions to a federal agency may be used only for statistical purposes and may not be disclosed or used in identifiable form for any other purpose, except as required by law (20 U.S.C. § 9573). However, giving us your Social Security number is completely voluntary and there is no penalty for not disclosing it.) (Please enter the number without any dashes.)
Item	**Spec Name** **Value** Wording

Incentives

Spec Name	Value
Question Name	INCENT
Wording	To show our appreciation for completing the survey today, we would like to send you a $[INC_AMOUNT] check. Please select the address to which you would like the check mailed. Allow 4 weeks for delivery.
Item	Spec Name Value **Item Name** **INCENT** Wording **Response Option** Code Label 1 [fill N12LOCADR] 2 [fill N12PRMADR] 3 Parent 1 Address 4 Parent 2 address 5 [fill N12OTINFO] 6 Another address or Provide address if no preloaded or locating information available 7 No thanks. I decline the $[INC_AMOUNT] incentive.
Question Name	INCENTADDR
Wording	[If INCENT=6 or missing] Please provide the address to which you would like the check mailed. (Allow 4 weeks for delivery.) [else] To show our appreciation for completing the interview today, we would like to send you a $[INC_AMOUNT] check. Please provide the address to which you would like the check mailed. Allow 4 weeks for delivery.
Item	Spec Name Value Wording First Name: Wording Last Name: Wording Please check here if the address is an international address. Wording Address (street address or PO box): Wording Address Line 2: Wording City: Wording State: Wording Zip code: Wording Foreign Address: Wording Foreign City:

	Wording	Foreign State/Province:
	Wording	Foreign Country:
	Wording	Foreign Zip/Postal Code:
	Wording	I decline the incentive:

EndSection

Spec Name	Value
QuestionName	END
Wording	[If END_FLAG=1] Thank you. [Else] On behalf of the U.S. Department of Education, thank you for your time and cooperation. We greatly appreciate your participation in this study.

Help Text

Spec Name	Value
Question Name	N12RESPCONF
Help Text	Answer Yes if this is your name and you attended the institution mentioned in the question during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012).
Question Name	N12CONSENT
Help Text	The material we sent you includes information about the study and your rights as a participant. You may have received the material through the mail or in an email. If you received the information, and read it, indicate Yes, I have read the material. If you did not receive the material, or received it but did not read it, it will be available to you on the next screen once you indicate No, I have not read the material.
Question Name	INFCON1
Help Text	If you wish to participate in the survey, but do not have time right now, choose Not now, but I want to participate at a later time. Otherwise, indicate whether you would like to participate in this survey.
Question Name	INFCON2
Help Text	If you wish to participate in the survey, but do not have time right now, choose Not now, but I want to participate at a later time. Otherwise, indicate whether you would like to participate in this survey.

Question Name	END1
Help Text	Please provide an e-mail address so that we can send you a reminder message about taking the survey at a later time. If you would like to receive a text message reminder, check the box and you will be taken to a screen to collect the name of your cell phone provider and your cell phone number. Your participation is very important to the success of this study.
Question Name	END1TEXT
Help Text	Please provide both the name of your cell phone service provider and your cell phone number. We will be unable to send you a text message reminder to complete the survey without both of these pieces of information.
Question Name	END2
Help Text	Your participation is very important to the success of this study. If you would like to reconsider taking the survey now, you can still hit "Next" and continue on to take the survey. Otherwise, any information you can provide in the textbox for your reasons for choosing not to participate in the study, will help us to improve our study for future participants.
Question Name	RETRNFRM
Help Text	This is an informational screen only. (Click the Next button.)
Question Name	N12ELIG
Help Text	Indicate whether you attended [Y_NPSCHL] at any time between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012. Answer Yes if you are enrolled and actively working on something for credit at [Y_NPSCHL] like a thesis or field work, even if you do not currently attend classes at [Y_NPSCHL]. If you attended [Y_NPSCHL] for any part of the year answer Yes even if you were studying abroad for part of the year. However, if you were studying abroad for the entire year, but [Y_NPSCHL] still considered you to be a student and you are or were enrolled there, answer Yes, enrolled at [Y_NPSCHL] but studying/studied abroad for the entire 2011-2012 school year. If you are still considered to be a student at any high school and have not earned a high school diploma or equivalency answer Yes, but also still attending high school.
Question Name	N12CURENR
Help Text	Indicate whether you are currently attending [Y_NPSCHL].

	Answer No if you are on a break between semesters, terms, or quarters, such as on summer break, and not currently attending classes. Answer Yes if you are on a spring or fall break in the middle of the term or semester. Answer Yes if you are enrolled and actively working on something for credit at [Y_NPSCHL] like a thesis or field work, even if you do not currently attend classes at [Y_NPSCHL]. Answer No if you are currently studying abroad.
Question Name	N12NOATT
Help Text	Indicate the reason that best describes why you are not currently attending [Y_NPSCHL]. Indicate On break if you are on a break between semesters, terms, or quarters and not currently attending classes. Indicate Completed course or program at [Y_NPSCHL] if you have completed all the requirements for a particular course or for a program. Indicate Withdrew from [Y_NPSCHL] if you withdrew from [Y_NPSCHL] at some point after July 1, 2011 and are no longer an enrolled student at [Y_NPSCHL]. Indicate Attending a different school, but still enrolled at [Y_NPSCHL] (including studying abroad) if you are still an enrolled student at [Y_NPSCHL] and are attending a different school for a specific amount of time, but you are still earning credits towards your program at [Y_NPSCHL]. Indicate Taking a leave of absence from [Y_NPSCHL] if you are not attending [Y_NPSCHL] for a specific amount of time but you intend to return to [Y_NPSCHL]. Indicate Other Reason if none of the other options describe why you are not currently attending [Y_NPSCHL].
Question Name	N12DRP
Help Text	Indicate the month and year that you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012. If you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] before July 1, 2011, please use the PREVIOUS button to back up to the first question in the survey and indicate that you have not attended [Y_NPSCHL] at any time since July 1, 2011.
Question Name	N12DRPTM
Help Text	Indicate whether you completed the term and then left [Y_NPSCHL], or if you left before the term ended.
Question Name	N12DRPRF
Help Text	Indicate whether you (or your parents) received a full refund of tuition when you left [Y_NPSCHL]. A full refund occurs when all tuition money paid for that term is refunded to you (or your parents).

Question Name	N12DRPCMP
Help Text	Indicate whether you completed at least one course or term of enrollment at [Y_NPSCHL] at any time between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012.
Question Name	N12DRPOK
Help Text	This is an informational screen only. (Click the Next button.)
Question Name	N12EVREN
Help Text	Indicate whether you have ever attended [Y_NPSCHL]. To determine your eligibility for participation in this study, it is necessary to verify whether you attended [Y_NPSCHL].
Question Name	N12LAST
Help Text	Indicate the month and year that you last attended or were enrolled at [Y_NPSCHL] and [Y_NPSCHL] considered you to be a student there.
Question Name	N12WHYSM
Help Text	Our records indicate that you attended [Y_NPSCHL] at some time between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012. Please try to specify a reason why your name could have been associated with [Y_NPSCHL].
Question Name	N12BACHENR
Help Text	Please indicate if you are or were in a bachelor's degree program at [Y_NPSCHL] between July 2011 and June 2012. A bachelor's degree is usually awarded by a 4-year college or university and usually requires at least 4 years of full-time, college-level work. If you are unsure if you are or were in a bachelor's degree program at [Y_NPSCHL], do not answer this question and move on to the next question which has more program options and definitions.
Question Name	N12DEGREE
Help Text	<u>Degrees:</u> An associate's degree normally requires at least 2, but less than 4 years, of full-time equivalent college work. A bachelor's degree is usually awarded by a 4-year college or university and usually requires at least 4 years of full-time, college-level work. A master's degree usually requires at least 2 years of full-time graduate-level work and may require a thesis or a practicum. A doctoral degree-research/scholarship is a Ph.D. or other doctor's degree that

	requires advanced work beyond the master's level, including the preparation and defense of a dissertation based on original research, or the planning and execution of an original project demonstrating substantial artistic or scholarly achievement. Some examples of this type of degree may include Ed.D., D.M.A., D.B.A., D.Sc., D.A., or D.M., and others, as designated by the awarding institution. A doctoral degree-professional practice is a doctor's degree that is conferred upon completion of a program providing the knowledge and skills for the recognition, credential, or license required for professional practice. The degree is awarded after a period of study such that the total time to the degree, including both pre-professional and professional preparation, equals at least six full-time equivalent academic years. Some of these degrees include: chiropractic (D.C., or D.C.M.); dentistry (D.D.S. or D.M.D.); law (L.L.B. or J.D.); medicine (M.D.); optometry (O.D.), osteopathic medicine (D.O.); pharmacy (Pharm.D.); podiatry (D.P.M., Pod.D., D.P.); or veterinary medicine (D.V.M.), and others, as designated by the awarding institution. A doctoral degree-other is a doctor's degree that does not meet the definition of a doctor's degree-research/scholarship or a doctor's degree-professional practice. <u>Certificates and Diplomas:</u> Undergraduate certificates or diplomas usually take less than two years to complete and are usually designed to equip people with the skills needed for direct entry to employment or to earn a license such as a cosmetology license. Other examples include certificates in administrative support, computer programming, and medical records. A post-baccalaureate certificate provides students who already hold a bachelor's degree with new or additional training in an area of specialization. Certificates typically require fewer course hours than do master's or doctoral degrees, and do not require a thesis or dissertation. Examples of this include certificates in accounting, computer science, and human resource management. A post-master's certificate usually requires completion of 24 semester credit hours beyond the master's degree but does not meet the requirements of academic degrees at the doctoral level. <u>Not enrolled for a degree or certificate:</u> Undergraduate level classes means taking courses at the undergraduate level but not formally enrolling in a degree or certificate program of any sort. Graduate level classes are for students who already hold an undergraduate degree or certificate and who are enrolled in graduate-level courses beyond a bachelor's degree, but who are not formally enrolled in a graduate degree program.
Question Name	N12UGSTATVER
Help Text	You have indicated being enrolled in a bachelor's degree program and a graduate degree program at [Y_NPSCHL] at the same time. If that is not correct, please back up to the previous question and correct your answer. Answer Yes to this question if the majority of your coursework is still undergraduate-level coursework in a bachelor's degree program and you have not yet completed the requirements to be awarded your bachelor's degree. A bachelor's degree is considered an undergraduate degree and is usually awarded by a 4-year college or university and usually requires at least 4 years of full-time, college-level work.
Question Name	N12ASSOC

Help Text	The AA (Associate of Arts) degree typically requires 2 years of study and is designed for persons planning traditional liberal arts education in such fields as art, English, and history. The AS (Associate of Science) degree typically requires 2 years of study and is designed for persons planning professional careers in mathematics, science, engineering, or health. The AAS (Associate of Applied Science) degree usually requires 2 years of study and is designed for persons who desire training for specific occupations or technical careers. The AGS (Associate of General Studies) and AGE (Associate of General Education) degrees are intended for students who wish to earn an associate's degree with no specific major or pattern of courses. As a result, it provides students with the flexibility to design their program of study either for upgrading skills for a job or occupation, or for transfer to a 4-year school. If your associate's degree type is not listed choose among the most appropriate Other options.
Question Name	N12DGMS
Help Text	The most common master's degrees are listed by name and abbreviation. If your master's degree is not listed, choose Other master's degree not listed.
Question Name	N12DGD
Help Text	The most common doctoral degrees are listed by name and abbreviation. If your doctoral degree is not listed, choose Other Doctoral degree not listed.
Question Name	N12DGPP
Help Text	The most common professional practice doctoral degrees are listed by name and abbreviation. If your degree is not listed, choose Other professional practice doctoral degree not listed.
Question Name	N12CKHOUR
Help Text	Indicate whether your program at [Y_NPSCHL] requires a total of at least 3 months or 300 hours of instruction for you to be awarded your certificate or diploma. This information is important in determining your eligibility for this study.
Question Name	N12RMCRD
Help Text	Sometimes remedial classes are also called developmental classes, pre-curriculum classes, basic skills classes, or have other names as designated by the school. If you have taken only these types of courses in the 2011-2012 school year at [Y_NPSCHL] answer Yes.
Question Name	N12ELCRD

Help Text	Courses for credit are those that could be applied to a formal degree program. Do not count courses taken purely for personal interest or recreation.
Question Name	N12BYE
Help Text	We apologize for any inconvenience. We will review your responses and will contact you if we determine that you are eligible to participate in this survey. Please call our help desk at 1-877-677-2766 if you have any questions.
Question Name	N12DIPL
Help Text	A high school diploma is awarded to students after successful completion of the required courses at a high school. This category also includes Adult High School Diplomas. The GED (General Educational Development) certificate or other equivalent credential allows those who did not finish high school to earn the equivalent of a high school diploma by completing classes and passing required exams. A high school completion certificate indicates that you attended high school for the minimum number of days required for completion but did not complete all graduation requirements (for example, did not pass the number of courses required for a diploma). If you completed high school in a country other than the United States, indicate attended a foreign high school. If you did not attend a traditional public or private high school but instead were taught at home by a parent or some other individual, indicate home schooled. If you have not yet completed high school, indicate Did not complete high school or a high school equivalency program.
Question Name	N12HSGRAD
Help Text	Indicate the month and year in which you completed high school, a GED, or a high school equivalency program. If you are unsure, provide your best guess of the date.
Question Name	N12HSCMP
Help Text	Indicate whether you were completing high school requirements for the entire time you attended [Y_NPSCHL] since July 1, 2011. If you completed your high school requirements at some point between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012 and then continued attending [Y_NPSCHL], answer No.
Question Name	N12PRDG
Help Text	Tell us about any degrees or certificates that you've already earned from any college, university, or trade school, including [Y_NPSCHL], since high school. For example, if you are currently working on a graduate degree and have already earned a bachelor's degree, answer Yes. Or, if you are currently working on a bachelor's degree and have already earned an associate's degree, answer Yes.

Question Name	N12OTDG
Help Text	An undergraduate certificate or diploma usually takes less than two years and is usually designed to equip people with the skills needed for direct entry to employment or to earn a license such as a cosmetology license. Other examples include certificates in administrative support, computer programming, and medical records. An associate's degree (AA, AS, AAS, AGE, etc.) normally requires at least 2, but less than 4 years, of full-time equivalent college work. A bachelor's degree is usually awarded by a 4-year college or university and usually requires at least 4 years of full-time, college-level work. A post-baccalaureate certificate provides students who already hold a bachelor's degree with new or additional training in an area of specialization. Certificates typically require fewer course hours than do master's or doctoral degrees, and do not require a thesis or dissertation. Examples of this include certificates in accounting, computer science, and human resource management. A master's degree (MA, MS, MBA, MFA, etc.) usually requires at least 2 years of full-time graduate-level work and may require a thesis or a practicum. A post-master's certificate usually requires completion of 24 semester credit hours beyond the master's degree but does not meet the requirements of academic degrees at the doctoral level. A doctoral degree-research/scholarship is a Ph.D. or other doctoral degree that requires advanced work beyond the master's level, including the preparation and defense of a dissertation based on original research, or the planning and execution of an original project demonstrating substantial artistic or scholarly achievement. Some examples of this type of degree may include Ed.D., D.M.A., D.B.A., D.Sc., D.A., or D.M., and others, as designated by the awarding institution. A doctoral degree-professional practice is a doctoral degree that is conferred upon completion of a program providing the knowledge and skills for the recognition, credential, or license required for professional practice. The degree is awarded after a period of study such that the total time to the degree, including both pre-professional and professional preparation, equals at least six full-time equivalent academic years. Some of these degrees include: chiropractic (D.C., or D.C.M.); dentistry (D.D.S. or D.M.D.); law (L.L.B. or J.D.); medicine (M.D.); optometry (O.D.), osteopathic medicine (D.O.); pharmacy (Pharm.D.); Podiatry (D.P.M., Pod.D., D.P.); or veterinary medicine (D.V.M.), and others, as designated by the awarding institution. A doctoral degree-other is a doctoral degree that does not meet the definition of a doctoral degree-research/scholarship or a doctoral degree-professional practice.
Question Name	N12PRBDAT
Help Text	Indicate the month and year in which you completed your bachelor's degree. If you've already been awarded more than one bachelor's degree, tell us about the date you received your first bachelor's degree. If you are unsure, provide your best estimate of the date.
Question Name	N12NFST
Help Text	If you began attending [Y_NPSCHL] in the same month and year that you began attending a different college, university, or trade school after completing your high school requirements, answer Yes.

	A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	N12FSTSTR
Help Text	Indicate the month and year that you first attended any college, university or trade school. If you are unsure of the date, provide your best guess. A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	N12SCHSTR
Help Text	Indicate the month and year that you first attended [Y_NPSCHL] after completing your high school requirements. Indicate the date that you first attended [Y_NPSCHL] even if that was not in the 2011-2012 school year. If you are unsure of the date, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12CDTCHK
Help Text	Knowing if you first attended [Y_NPSCHL] on or after July 1, 2011 will help us ask you the proper questions in this interview. If you attended [Y_NPSCHL] at any time after completing your high school requirements and before July 1, 2011 answer No.
Question Name	N12PGMST
Help Text	Indicate the month and year that you first began your [T_DEGREN] at [Y_NPSCHL] even if you did not begin in the 2011-2012 school year. If you are unsure, provide your best guess of the date.
Question Name	N12NENRL
Help Text	Indicate all months of your attendance at [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year, not just the beginning and ending months. (Leave a box for a month blank if you did not attend during any part of that month at all. If you attended [Y_NPSCHL] for all months in the year, click the Check All Months button. If you attended [Y_NPSCHL] for most months in the year you can click the Check All Months button and uncheck any month you did not attend by clicking on the box for that month once it is checked.)
Question Name	N12STST
Help Text	The following are examples of standard full-time loads and may vary by school. Students who are enrolled as a full-time student typically carry at least: • 12 semester or quarter hours per term at the undergraduate level or 9 credit hours per term at the graduate level; • 24 semester hours or 36 quarter hours per academic year for an educational program using credit hours for a program of less than one academic year; or

	• 24 clock hours per week for an educational program using clock hours
Question Name	N12PGMFT
Help Text	The following are examples of standard full-time loads and may vary by institution. Students who are enrolled as a full-time student typically carry at least: • 9 credit hours per term at the graduate level; • 24 semester hours or 36 quarter hours per academic year for an educational program using credit hours for a program of less than one academic year; or • 24 clock hours per week for an educational program using clock hours
Question Name	N12NEW01
Help Text	Indicate whether you have attended any other colleges, universities, or trade schools--not including [Y_NPSCHL]--between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012. A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	N12SCH01
Help Text	Do not type [Y_NPSCHL] into the textbox, or the name of a high school. Only colleges, universities, and trade schools within the United States and Puerto Rico are included in the database. To indicate a foreign school, provide the name of the school in the textbox, select "FOREIGN COUNTRY" in the dropdown box, click Enter, and then provide the requested information. For all other schools: First type the school name into the textbox, then choose the state where the school is located from the dropdown box and type in the city of the school or choose a city by clicking on List Cities. Last click Enter and a list of schools matching your responses will be displayed. From the responses displayed, click Select next to the name and location of the school and click Ok on the confirmation box if this is the school. You will then be taken to the next question in the survey. Click Cancel on the confirmation box if this is not the school you wish to choose and review the other options that were returned. If the school you entered in the textbox is not listed at all, try the search again, this time removing the city name. If the school is still not listed, click None of the above at the bottom of the list of schools and provide the requested information.
Question Name	N12ENRL01
Help Text	Check all months of your attendance at this school in the 2011-2012 school year, not just the beginning and ending months. (Leave a box for a month blank if you did not attend during any part of that month at all. If you attended this school for all months in the year, click the Check All Months button. If you attended this school for most months in the year you can click the Check All Months button and uncheck any month you did not attend by clicking on the box for that month once it is checked.)

Question Name	N12STS01
Help Text	The following are examples of standard full-time loads and may vary by school. Students who are enrolled as a full-time student typically carry at least: • 12 semester or quarter hours per term at the undergraduate level or 9 credit hours per term at the graduate level; • 24 semester hours or 36 quarter hours per academic year for an educational program using credit hours for a program of less than one academic year • 24 clock hours per week for an educational program using clock hours
Question Name	N12NEW02
Help Text	Indicate whether you have attended any other colleges, universities, or trade schools--other than those already listed--between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012. A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	N12ATTOTHSCH
Help Text	Indicate whether you have ever attended another college, university or trade school besides [Y_NPSCHL] for any period of time since you completed your high school requirements. A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	N12EVR4YR
Help Text	Indicate whether, after completing your high school requirements, you have ever attended a four-year college or university. Community colleges and trade schools are not usually four-year schools. Answer No if you have only attended two-year or less-than-two-year schools, even if you have attended those schools for a total of four years or more.
Question Name	N12EVRCC
Help Text	Community colleges are public two-year schools that primarily offer certificates and associate's degrees, as well as non-credit courses. A few community colleges also offer bachelor's degrees. Answer Yes if you have attended a community college at any time after completing your high school requirements.
Question Name	N12CMPDGN
Help Text	If you have not yet completed your degree requirements but will complete them soon, answer No. A later question will ask when you expect to complete your degree requirements.

Question Name	N12DGN
Help Text	Select the month and year in which you were awarded your [T_DEGREN] from [Y_NPSCHL]. If you completed your requirements on one date and were awarded your [T_DEGREN] at a later date, indicate the later date when you were awarded your degree. If you are unsure of the date, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12UGYR
Help Text	Report your class level or year at [Y_NPSCHL]. Your level is based on the number of credits completed and not on the amount of time you have spent in the program. If you are no longer attending [Y_NPSCHL], indicate your level when you were last there. For example, if you have been enrolled for 2 years but have not yet earned enough credits to be classified as a sophomore, indicate First year or freshman. Likewise, if you are in your first year at [Y_NPSCHL] but you have transferred enough credits from another school that [Y_NPSCHL] considers you to be a junior or third year student, indicate Third year or junior. If you are earning your associate's degree, remember that in your second year you are considered a Second year or sophomore, not a senior.
Question Name	N12CLKNUM
Help Text	Indicate the total number of months or hours of instruction, whichever is more relevant to your program, that you have already completed at [Y_NPSCHL]. Include any months or hours of instruction in your program that you may have completed at [Y_NPSCHL] prior to the 2011-2012 school year, and up through today.
Question Name	N12REASON
Help Text	From the options provided, please indicate the one reason that best describes why you decided to enroll in classes at [Y_NPSCHL].
Question Name	N12GRYR
Help Text	Report how much time you have spent working on your [T_DEGREN]. If you are no longer enrolled, indicate how much time you had spent when you were last enrolled.
Question Name	N12EXPN
Help Text	Indicate the month and year that you expect to complete the requirements for your [T_DEGREN]. This date may or may not be the same date you expect to be awarded your [T_DEGREN]. If you do not expect to ever complete the requirements for your [T_DEGREN], indicate Will not finish the [T_DEGREN]. Indicate Don't know if you cannot provide your best guess of the date when you

	expect to finish your [T_DEGREN].
Question Name	N12EXNCONF
Help Text	Choose a value between 0 and 10 to indicate how likely it is that you think you will finish your [T_DEGREN] by the date indicated, where a 0 means that there is "no chance at all" that you will finish your [T_DEGREN] by the date indicated and a 10 means you are "absolutely certain" you will finish your [T_DEGREN] by the date indicated. You do not have to consider whether you will finish your [T_DEGREN] at [Y_NPSCHL] when answering this question.
Question Name	N12EXNCONF2
Help Text	Choose a value between 0 and 10 to indicate how likely it is that you think you will finish your [T_DEGREN] at all, where a 0 means that there is "no chance at all" that you will finish your [T_DEGREN] and a 10 means you are "absolutely certain" you will finish your [T_DEGREN]. You do not have to consider whether you will finish your [T_DEGREN] at [Y_NPSCHL] when answering this question.
Question Name	N12ENRNEXT
Help Text	Choose a value between 0 and 10 to indicate how likely it is that you will be enrolled for your [T_DEGREN] next term, where a 0 means that there is "no chance at all" that you will enrolled for your [T_DEGREN] next term and a 10 means you are "absolutely certain" that you will be enrolled for your [T_DEGREN] next term. You do not have to consider whether you will be enrolled for your [T_DEGREN] at [Y_NPSCHL] when answering this question.
Question Name	N12EXPBA
Help Text	Answer Yes if you think there is any possibility you will continue on to a bachelor's degree program wihin the next five years, even if you will work on a bachelor's degree program at a different school than [Y_NPSCHL].
Question Name	N12DOB
Help Text	Please indicate the month and year that you were born. This information will help us to ask you appropriate questions in the interview.
Question Name	N12LT30
Help Text	Please indicate the category in which your age fits. This information will help us to ask you appropriate questions in the interview.

Question Name	N12MINOK
Help Text	Please indicate whether or not you have turned 18 years old as of today.
Question Name	N12MINOR
Help Text	Please provide the requested contact information for a parent (or guardian) so we may contact him or her for consent to conduct an interview with you. Verify the spelling of all contact information provided. (The zip code can be used to automatically fill in the city and state associated with that zip code. To do this, first enter the zip code and then click Automatically fill city and state from zip code).
Question Name	N12MARR
Help Text	Indicate your current marital status. If you are not currently married, please indicate whether you are Single, never married; Living with partner; Separated; Divorced; or Widowed. This information will help us to ask you appropriate questions in the interview.
Question Name	N12GENDR
Help Text	Please indicate your gender. This item is critical to helping us better understand who enters and completes education beyond high school.
Question Name	N12HSTYP
Help Text	Public high schools are supported by tax money collected from federal and local government systems. Private high schools are tuition-based. For example, students who attend must pay tuition, or their tuition is paid through some private type of assistance. If you attended high school outside the United States or Puerto Rico, indicate Last attended a foreign high school. While most charter high schools are public schools, some are private.
Question Name	N12HSCDR
Help Text	First type the high school name into the textbox, then choose the state where the high school is located from the dropdown box and type in the city of the school or choose a city by clicking on List Cities. Last click Enter and a list of schools matching your responses will be displayed. From the responses displayed, click Select next to the name and address of your school and click Ok on the confirmation box if this is your high school. You will then be taken to the next question in the survey. Click Cancel on the confirmation box if this is not your high school and review the other options that were returned. If your school is not listed at all, try the search again, this time removing the city name. If the school is still not listed, click None of the above at the bottom of the list

	of schools and provide the requested information.
Question Name	N12HSGPES
Help Text	Estimate your overall grades by indicating what letter grades you usually received in your courses in high school. Although some schools provide weighted grades for honors, Advanced Placement (AP), or International Baccalaureate (IB) classes, please respond based on the unweighted grades you received.
Question Name	N12MATHHT
Help Text	Math courses are usually taken in a sequence with ideas in early courses required for more complicated work in later courses. Indicate the highest math course you took in high school. If you did not take any math courses in high school or if the highest math course you took is not provided, indicate None of these.
Question Name	N12APIBCOLL
Help Text	Advanced placement (AP) courses offer students the opportunity to study a subject area in greater depth than is provided in a standard high school course. The AP course prepares the student to take a standardized AP test. Answer Yes if you took any AP courses even if you did not take the AP exams or took the exams but did not earn college credit from the score. Answer Yes if you participated in the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Program, which is normally offered over the course of two years in high school. In order to participate in the IB Diploma Program, you must have attended a World School authorized by the IB organization to offer the Diploma Program. Answer Yes if you took any IB courses even if you did not take the IB exam or earn the IB diploma. Students can also earn college credit during high school by taking other college-level courses such as through a dual-enrollment program with a college. Do not include any AP or IB courses in this answer.
Question Name	N12ACTSAT
Help Text	The SAT and ACT are college entrance exams designed to assess high school students' general educational development and their ability to complete college-level work. The SAT (SAT Reasoning Test, formerly Scholastic Aptitude Test) is a standardized test for college admissions. The SAT consists of three major sections: Critical Reading, Mathematics, and Writing. Each section receives a score on the scale of 200 to 800 with a maximum total score of 2400. The ACT is divided into four multiple choice subject tests: English, mathematics, reading, and science reasoning, with an optional writing section. Subject test scores range from 1 to 36.
Question Name	SUPINSTRUCT

Help Text	This is an informational screen only. (Click the Next button.)
Question Name	N12PARSUPP
Help Text	On a scale from 1 to 5, indicate your level of agreement with the statement in the question. Base your response on encouragement from your parents for you to stay in college in general during the 2011-2012 school year, rather than their encouragement for you to stay at a particular college. By "college" we mean a university, college, or trade school that you attend after high school. A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	N12PARDED
Help Text	On a scale from 1 to 5, indicate your level of agreement with the statement in the question. Base your response on encouragement from your parents for you to stay in college in general during the 2011-2012 school year, rather than their encouragement for you to stay at a particular college. By "college" we mean a university, college, or trade school that you attend after high school. A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	N12SPPSUPP
Help Text	On a scale from 1 to 5, indicate your level of agreement with the statement in the question. Base your response on your spouse's encouragement for you to stay in college in general during the 2011-2012 school year, rather than his or her encouragement for you to stay at a particular college. By "college" we mean a university, college, or trade school that you attend after high school. A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	N12FSSUPP
Help Text	On a scale from 1 to 5, indicate your level of agreement with the statement in the question. When thinking about friends from [Y_NPSCHL], do not include family members or other relatives, even if they also attend [Y_NPSCHL]. If you do not consider any of your classmates at [Y_NPSCHL] to be your friends, base your response on the students at [Y_NPSCHL] with whom you interact the most. Base your response on the encouragement of these friends from [Y_NPSCHL] for you to stay in college in general during the 2011-2012 school year, rather than their encouragement for you to stay at a particular college. By "college" we mean a university, college, or trade school that you attend after high school. A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	N12FHSUPP

Help Text	On a scale from 1 to 5, indicate your level of agreement with the statement in the question. When thinking about your friends from home for this question, do not include family members or other relatives. Base your response on the encouragement of these friends from home for you to stay in college in general during the 2011-2012 school year, rather than their encouragement for you to stay at a particular college. By "college" we mean a university, college, or trade school that you attend after high school. A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	SUPPORTEND
Help Text	This is an informational screen only. (Click the Next button.)
Question Name	N12DBLMAJ
Help Text	Indicate whether or not you have already declared a major (or field of study) at [Y_NPSCHL]. If you have more than one declared major (or field of study), indicate Yes, I have/had declared a double major. Indicate No if you have not yet declared your major, even if you know what you would like to major in.
Question Name	N12DECIDEMAJ
Help Text	If you know what your major will be, even though you have not officially declared your major, answer Yes. You will be asked in the next question to tell us what that intended major is. If you don't know what your major will be, answer No.
Question Name	N12CLSTY
Help Text	Please indicate your primary field or subject at [Y_NPSCHL]. If you have taken more than one primary field or subject, please indicate the field or subject in which you have taken the most courses. If you are unable to categorize your courses into a primary field or subject because all of your courses are or were meant for transfer to another school, indicate University transfer. For any field or subject not listed, indicate Other.
Question Name	N12MAJ1
Help Text	Please do not enter a minor or concentration in the textbox. To enter your major (or field of study): First type your major at [Y_NPSCHL] into the textbox, then click "Enter" and a list of majors that most closely match your entry will be displayed. From the responses displayed, click "Select" next to the major that most closely matches your entry and click "Ok" on the confirmation box if this is your major. You will then be taken to the next question in the survey.

	Click "Cancel" on the confirmation box if the description of the major does not closely match the major you entered and review the other options that were returned. If your major is not listed in the list of majors displayed, click "None of the above" at the bottom of the list of majors and as best you can, choose descriptions of the major from the dropdown boxes that appear. If you indicated earlier that you have formally declared a double major, enter only one major here. You will have an opportunity to provide your other major next. If you intend to have a double major but have not yet declared any major, choose only one intended major to tell us about.
Question Name	N12MAJ2
Help Text	Because you indicated earlier that you have a double major (or field of study), enter only one major (or field of study) here. You should have already entered your other major (or field of study) in a previous question. Please do not enter a minor or concentration in the textbox. To enter your second major (or field of study): First type your second major at [Y_NPSCHL] into the textbox, then click "Enter" and a list of majors that most closely match your entry will be displayed. From the responses displayed, click "Select" next to the major that most closely matches your entry and click "Ok" on the confirmation box if this is your major. You will then be taken to the next question in the survey. Click "Cancel" on the confirmation box if the description of the major does not closely match the major you entered and review the other options that were returned. If your second major is not listed in the list of majors displayed, click "None of the above" at the bottom of the list of majors and as best you can, choose descriptions of your second major from the dropdown boxes that appear.
Question Name	N12MJCHGNUM
Help Text	Formally changing your major typically involves submitting a form, either on paper or online, to the registrar or dean to change your declared major.
Question Name	N12OMJ1A
Help Text	Do not enter your current major. If you have changed your major more than once at [Y_NPSCHL], enter your first declared major at [Y_NPSCHL]. To enter your original major: First type your original declared major at [Y_NPSCHL] into the textbox, then click Enter and a list of majors that most closely match your entry will be displayed. From the responses displayed, click Select next to the major that most closely matches your entry and click Ok on the confirmation box if this is your original declared major. You will then be taken to the next question in the survey. Click Cancel on the confirmation box if the description of the major does not closely match the major you entered and review the other options that were returned. If your original declared major is not listed in the list of majors displayed, click None of the above at the bottom of the list of majors and as best you can, choose descriptions of the major from the dropdown boxes that appear.
Question	N12PREACDEFF

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Help Text	On a scale from 1 to 5, indicate your level of agreement with the statement in the question. "Success as a student" may involve a variety of factors, such as doing well in your classes and improving your skills.
Question Name	N12CURACDEFF
Help Text	On a scale from 1 to 5, indicate your level of agreement with the statement in the question. "Success as a student" may be defined in a number of ways including, but not limited to, doing well in your classes and/or your level of comfort with what you are learning.
Question Name	N12FACULTY
Help Text	On a scale from 1 to 5, indicate your level of agreement with the statement in the question. Interactions with your teachers can include all types of communication. You may interact with your teachers in class, during office hours, through email, through an on-campus job or student group, or in other ways.
Question Name	N12ACDSATIS
Help Text	On a scale from 1 to 5, indicate your level of agreement with the statement in the question. By "satisfied with my studies" we mean the degree to which the content and quality of your classes at [Y_NPSCHL] meet or met your expectations.
Question Name	N12KNOWCLAS
Help Text	On a scale from 1 to 5, indicate your level of agreement with the statement in the question. When answering this question, consider your understanding of the coursework and any other requirements [Y_NPSCHL] has for you to finish your [T_DEGREN] program.
Question Name	SCLENDSET
Help Text	This is an informational screen only. (Click the Next button.)
Question Name	N12GPATYP
Help Text	Please indicate whether your grade point average (GPA) at [Y_NPSCHL] is measured on a 4.00 scale (where A=4.00, B=3.00, C=2.00, D=1.00, and F=0.00). If you have not received grades yet, but you know how your GPA is measured at [Y_NPSCHL], select the appropriate option from the list.

	If you do not know how your GPA is measured at [Y_NPSCHL], select Don't know.
Question Name	N12GPA
Help Text	Report your numeric overall GPA in all classes at [Y_NPSCHL] through the end of your most recent term there in the 2011-2012 school year. You may enter your GPA using two decimal places (for example, 3.25). In general, a 4.00 is an A average, a 3.00 is a B average, a 2.00 is a C average, and a 1.00 is a D average. If you have not received grades yet, do not report a GPA, instead indicate Not applicable, have not yet earned GPA.
Question Name	N12GPAEST
Help Text	Select the letter grade or grades that you usually receive in your courses. If the letter grades listed do not describe the type of grades you earn at [Y_NPSCHL], choose I would describe my grades differently than what is listed here. If you are unable to provide letter grades and there is no different description of your grades at [Y_NPSCHL], choose Don't know my grades.
Question Name	N12REMEVER
Help Text	Sometimes remedial classes are also called developmental classes, pre-curriculum classes, basic skills classes, or have other names as designated by the school. If you failed a course in the standard curriculum and had to take the same course over again, do not count this course as a remedial course. You do not have to consider whether you took remedial classes at [Y_NPSCHL] only when answering this question. Answer Yes if you took any remedial courses at any schools since you completed high school.
Question Name	N12REMSY
Help Text	Remedial or developmental courses are used to help strengthen your skills before you take your first college-level course in math, reading, or other subjects. Students are usually assigned to remedial courses on the basis of a placement test taken before the school year begins. Often, remedial courses do not count for credit toward graduation. Sometimes remedial classes are also called developmental classes, pre-curriculum classes, basic skills classes, or have other names as designated by the school. If you failed a course in the standard curriculum and had to take the same course over again, do not count this course as a remedial course. You do not have to consider whether you took remedial classes at [Y_NPSCHL] only when answering this question. Answer Yes if you took any remedial courses at any schools during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012).
Question Name	N12REMTYPNUM

Help Text	Remedial or developmental courses are used to help strengthen your skills before you take your first college-level course in math, reading, or other subjects. Students are usually assigned to remedial courses on the basis of a placement test taken before the school year begins. Often, remedial courses do not count for credit toward graduation. Sometimes remedial classes are also called developmental classes, pre-curriculum classes, basic skills classes, or have other names as designated by the school. You do not have to consider whether you took remedial classes at [Y_NPSCHL] only when answering this question. Count the number of times you took remedial courses in each of these topic areas at any schools during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Count each remedial course you have taken in only one topic area. For example, count a course in either the Reading OR Writing category, but do not count one course in BOTH the Reading and Writing categories. If a course had aspects of more than one topic area in the curriculum, count it under the topic area that received the most focus during the course. English –Topics may include, but are not limited to, general English language skills. Math –Topics may include, but are not limited to, pre-algebra and elementary algebra. Reading –Topics may include, but are not limited to, reading comprehension and vocabulary. Writing –Topics may include, but are not limited to, grammar, word choice, spelling, punctuation, sentence structure, and composition.
Question Name	N12ALTGATE
Help Text	When answering this question, consider only the course sections in which you are or were enrolled at [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), rather than all sections that were available. Only online courses have no in-person components; students access their instruction over the Internet. Night courses start after 6:00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday nights. Weekend courses are courses that start after 6:00 p.m. on Friday or take place any time on Saturday or Sunday.
Question Name	N12ALTCRS
Help Text	When answering this question, consider only the course sections in which you are or were enrolled at [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), rather than all sections that were available. Online only courses have no in-person components; students access their instruction over the Internet. Night courses start after 6:00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday nights. Courses starting after 6:00 p.m. on Friday, Saturday, or Sunday nights are considered weekend courses and should not be included in the At night courses category. Weekend courses are courses that start after 6:00 p.m. on Friday or take place any time on Saturday or Sunday. If any of your classes have an at night or weekend component, you can answer Some for that category. If you answered All for any of the three categories, you should select it for only one of the categories.

Question Name	N12ONLINEPGM
Help Text	Indicate whether your [T_DEGREN] program is or was an entirely online program when you last attended [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June, 30, 2012). In online programs students access all of their coursework over the Internet.
Question Name	N12ONLINE
Help Text	Indicate whether the availability of online classes (or an online program) had an important effect on your decision to enroll at [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). In online courses (or programs) students access their instruction over the Internet.
Question Name	N12ATNIGHT
Help Text	Indicate whether the availability of night classes had an important effect on your decision to attend [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Night courses start after 6:00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday nights. Courses starting after 6:00 p.m. on Friday, Saturday, or Sunday nights are considered weekend courses and should not be considered in your answer.
Question Name	N12ONWKND
Help Text	Indicate whether the availability of weekend classes had an important effect on your decision to attend [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Weekend courses are courses that start after 6:00 p.m. on Friday or take place any time on Saturday or Sunday.
Question Name	N12SCALEINT
Help Text	This is an informational screen only. (Click the Next button.)
Question Name	N12PEERINT
Help Text	On a scale from 1 to 5, indicate your level of agreement with the statement in the question. Refer to the 2011-2012 school year when answering the question. Interactions with other [Y_NPSCHL] students include all opportunities for communication. You may interact with other [Y_NPSCHL] students in class, socially, in dormitories or dining facilities, through email or online discussion forums, through a student group or athletic team, or in other ways.
Question Name	N12SENSBELNG

Help Text	On a scale from 1 to 5, indicate your level of agreement with the statement in the question. Refer to the 2011-2012 school year when answering the question. Consider such factors as participation in school activities, feeling valued and accepted by others at [Y_NPSCHL], and sharing common goals and values with others at [Y_NPSCHL].
Question Name	N12SOCSATIS
Help Text	On a scale from 1 to 5, indicate your level of agreement with the statement in the question. Refer to the 2011-2012 school year when answering the question. Your social experience may involve participation in formal student groups, informal social activities and events, online social networking and other online communication, or other activities.
Question Name	SCLLASTSET
Help Text	This is an informational screen only. (Click the Next button.)
Question Name	N12SRVUSE
Help Text	Indicate each type of school service that you have used during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). You do not have to consider whether you used these services at [Y_NPSCHL] only when answering this question. Indicate the services you used at any schools (since high school) that you attended in the 2011-2012 school year. Receiving financial aid in itself would not be considered use of financial aid counseling or advice at a school, but receiving guidance on the financial aid process from the financial aid office would. Similarly, having health insurance would not be considered using student health services, but visiting the health clinic at a school would. If you did not use any services at any schools (since completing high school) in the 2011-2012 school year, answer Did not use any services.
Question Name	N12SRVIMPT
Help Text	For each service listed, indicate how important that particular service was in your decision to stay in school.
Question Name	N12EXPEVR
Help Text	Indicate the highest level of education that you ever expect to complete at any school. If you do not plan to pursue any education beyond what you are currently working on, enter your current degree or program. Undergraduate level courses, no undergraduate degree or certificate expected means taking courses at the undergraduate level but not expecting to formally enroll in a degree or certificate program of any sort. Undergraduate certificates or diplomas usually take less than two years to complete and are usually designed to equip people with the skills needed for direct

	entry to employment or to earn a license such as a cosmetology license. Other examples include certificates in administrative support, computer programming, and medical records. An associate's degree normally requires at least 2, but less than 4 years, of full-time equivalent college work. A bachelor's degree is usually awarded by a 4-year college or university and usually requires at least 4 years of full-time, college-level work. Graduate level courses, no graduate degree or certificate expected means already holding an undergraduate degree or certificate and enrolling in graduate-level courses beyond a bachelor's degree, but not expecting to formally enroll in a graduate degree program. A post-baccalaureate certificate provides students who already hold a bachelor's degree with new or additional training in an area of specialization. Certificates typically require fewer course hours than do master's or doctoral degrees, and do not require a thesis or dissertation. Examples of this include certificates in accounting, computer science, and human resource management. A master's degree usually requires at least 2 years of full-time graduate-level work and may require a thesis or a practicum. A post-master's certificate usually requires completion of 24 semester credit hours beyond the master's degree but does not meet the requirements of academic degrees at the doctoral level. A doctoral degree, research/scholarship is a Ph.D. or other doctor's degree that requires advanced work beyond the master's level, including the preparation and defense of a dissertation based on original research, or the planning and execution of an original project demonstrating substantial artistic or scholarly achievement. Some examples of this type of degree may include Ed.D., D.M.A., D.B.A., D.Sc., D.A., or D.M., and others, as designated by the awarding institution. A professional doctoral degree is a doctor's degree that is conferred upon completion of a program providing the knowledge and skills for the recognition, credential, or license required for professional practice. The degree is awarded after a period of study such that the total time to the degree, including both pre-professional and professional preparation, equals at least six full-time equivalent academic years. Some of these degrees include: chiropractic (D.C., or D.C.M.); dentistry (D.D.S. or D.M.D.); law (L.L.B. or J.D.); medicine (M.D.); optometry (O.D.), osteopathic medicine (D.O.); pharmacy (Pharm.D.); Podiatry (D.P.M., Pod.D., D.P.); or veterinary medicine (D.V.M.), and others, as designated by the awarding institution.
Question Name	N12PRFDOCTYP
Help Text	Indicate which specific degree you expect to complete someday. Answer Other degree not listed if you expect to complete a degree that is not in the list provided.
Question Name	N12OCCINTRO
Help Text	Imagine the scenario described in the question wording when answering the next few questions. You can use your best guess to answer these questions.

Question Name	N12EXOCC
Help Text	First type the job title of the job you expect to have into the first textbox, then type a couple words to describe some expected job duties of this job into the second textbox. Last click Enter and a list of jobs that most closely match your entries will be displayed. From the responses displayed, click Select next to the job that most closely matches your entry and click Ok on the confirmation box if this is your intended job. You will then be taken to the next question in the survey. Click Cancel on the confirmation box if the job listed does not closely match the job you entered and review the other options that were returned. If your intended job is not listed in the list of jobs displayed, click None of the above at the bottom of the list of jobs and as best you can, choose descriptions of the job from the dropdown boxes that appear. Please only select Don't know occupation if you are unable to provide your best guess of your intended job.
Question Name	N12OCCCOM
Help Text	Choose a value between 0 and 10 to indicate how likely is it that you will hold your intended job at the time period indicated in the question, where a 0 means that there is "no chance at all" that you will hold this job and a 10 means you are "absolutely certain" that you will hold this job. If you already hold the job described in the question, indicate Already hold intended job and do not answer with a value from 0 to 10. (Then, hit Next to continue to the next question in the survey.)
Question Name	N12INTENDJOB
Help Text	Choose a value between 0 and 10 to indicate how likely is it that you will hold your intended job at the time period indicated in the question, where a 0 means that there is "no chance at all" that you will hold this job and a 10 means you are "absolutely certain" that you will hold this job. If you already hold the job described in the question, indicate Already hold intended job and do not answer with a value from 0 to 10. (Then, hit Next to continue to the next question in the survey.)
Question Name	N12FUTRWAGES
Help Text	For your expected yearly salary, indicate your average expected yearly salary. For your highest expected yearly salary, imagine the most money you think you could make. For your lowest expected yearly salary, imagine the least amount of money you think you could make. Provide your answer in terms of current dollars; ignore the impact of inflation. If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12EXPWGABB

Help Text	Indicate your average expected yearly salary once you finish your education. Provide your answer in terms of current dollars; ignore the impact of inflation. If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12EDBENEFTS
Help Text	For each item listed, indicate how important you think each one is compared to salary when choosing a job. Leisure means doing things that you think are fun or relaxing, either with friends or on your own.
Question Name	N12OTGRNTAID
Help Text	Indicate whether you received benefits, grants or scholarships in any of the specific categories listed for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Include benefits, grants, or scholarships you received for all schools you attended in 2011-2012. The below types of aid may come to you directly or may be given to the financial aid office at your school. Grants and scholarships are types of money that you receive for school that do not have to be repaid. Veteran's education benefits include programs administered by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, including such programs as the GI Bill (for example, Post-9/11 GI Bill, Montgomery GI Bill) and the Reserve Educational Assistance Program (REAP). Some employers offer grants or scholarships as a possible benefit to employees and their dependents. Employer-sponsored tuition reimbursement is one form this benefit can take. A variety of private organizations award grants or scholarships. Examples include the UNCF, National Merit Scholarship Corporation, corporate foundations (for example, Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation), and civic and religious organizations. Do not report grants or scholarships received from [Y_NPSCHL] or other schools you may have attended in the 2011-2012 school year in this question, even if these schools are private institutions. Also do not include any student loan amounts here; there are separate questions that ask about student loans.
Question Name	N12OTGRNTAMT
Help Text	Provide the total amount you received for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012) for each type of benefit, grant or scholarship listed. Include benefits, grants, or scholarships you received for all schools you attended in 2011-2012. The below types of aid may come to you directly or may be given to the financial aid office at your school. Grants and scholarships are types of money that you receive for school that do not have to be repaid. Veteran's education benefits include programs administered by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, including such programs as the GI Bill (for example, Post-9/11 GI Bill, Montgomery GI Bill) and the Reserve Educational Assistance Program (REAP). Some employers offer grants or scholarships as a possible benefit to employees and their dependents. Employer-sponsored tuition reimbursement is one form this benefit

	can take. A variety of private organizations award grants or scholarships. Examples include the UNCF, National Merit Scholarship Corporation, corporate foundations (for example., Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation), and civic and religious organizations. Do not report grants or scholarships received from [Y_NPSCHL] or other schools you may have attended in the 2011-2012 school year in this question, even if these schools are private institutions. Also do not include any student loan amounts here; there are separate questions that ask about student loans.
Question Name	N12RCVLN
Help Text	Indicate whether you received any student loans for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Include money borrowed for all schools you attended in 2011-2012. Student loans are money that you borrowed for school that you will have to repay. Student loans can be from either government or private sources, including [Y_NPSCHL]. Examples of federal student loans are subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford Loans, Perkins Loans, and graduate and professional student PLUS Loans. Some examples of commonly used private loans include Wells Fargo Collegiate Loan, Chase Select Loan, loans from credit unions, and loans from states such as NYHELPs.
Question Name	N12APPAID
Help Text	Indicate whether you applied for financial aid for any portion of the 2011-2012 school year by completing application forms such as the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) or those required by a state agency, private organization, private lender, by [Y_NPSCHL], or by any other schools you attended in 2011-2012 (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012).
Question Name	N12NOAPP
Help Text	Indicate whether any of the reasons provided were reasons you did not apply for financial aid in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). If there is another reason why you did not apply for financial aid that is not already provided, answer Other reason not listed.
Question Name	N12FEDLN
Help Text	Indicate whether you received any federal loans for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Include federal loans for all schools you attended in 2011-2012. A federal Stafford loan is an educational loan borrowed directly from the federal government (Direct Loans), with an interest rate and other terms that are set by the federal government. Students must file a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) in order to be considered for Stafford loan eligibility. Undergraduate and graduate level students are eligible to receive Stafford loans, which can be either subsidized or unsubsidized. The Perkins Loan is awarded to undergraduate and graduate students with exceptional financial need. This is a campus-based loan program, with the school

	acting as the lender using a limited pool of funds provided by the federal government. A federal Graduate and Professional PLUS loan is an educational loan borrowed directly from the federal government (Direct Loans), with an interest rate and other terms that are set by the federal government. Students must file a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid). Only graduate level students are eligible to receive Graduate and Professional PLUS loans, which are unsubsidized. Students also must show they are creditworthy or have a cosigner. Note that Parent PLUS loans are not included in this category, as they are loans that only parents can take out.
Question Name	N12PRVLN
Help Text	Indicate whether you received any type of private or alternative loans from a financial institution or state during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Include private loans for all schools you attended in 2011-2012. Private loans, also known as alternative loans, are offered by private lenders. There are no federal application forms to complete. Some students and parents use private loans as a supplement when their federal loans do not provide enough money or when they need more flexible repayment options. Private loans can have higher interest rates than federal loans and don't offer repayment options such as deferments or discharges. Unlike federal student loans, private loans are credit based and therefore often require a cosigner if the student does not have an established credit history. Home equity loans are not considered private loans.
Question Name	N12PRVAMT
Help Text	Indicate the amount that you borrowed in private or alternative loans for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Include the private loan amount borrowed for all schools you attended in 2011-2012. Private loans, also known as alternative loans, are offered by private lenders. There are no federal application forms to complete. Some students and parents use private loans as a supplement when their federal loans do not provide enough money or when they need more flexible repayment options. Private loans can have higher interest rates than federal loans and don't offer repayment options such as deferments or discharges. Unlike federal student loans, private loans are credit based and therefore often require a cosigner if the student does not have an established credit history. Home equity loans are not considered private loans. Some examples of commonly used private loans include: • Sallie Mae Smart Option Loan • Wells Fargo Collegiate Loan • Chase Select Loan • Loans from credit unions • Loans from states such as NYHELPs If you are unsure of the amount of your private loans, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12PRVEST

Help Text	Choose the option that best describes the amount you borrowed in alternative or private loans for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Include the private loan amount borrowed for all schools you attended in 2011-2012. Private loans, also known as alternative loans, are offered by private lenders. There are no federal application forms to complete. Some students and parents use private loans as a supplement when their federal loans do not provide enough money or when they need more flexible repayment options. Private loans can have higher interest rates than federal loans and don't offer repayment options such as deferments or discharges. Unlike federal student loans, private loans are credit based and therefore often require a cosigner if the student does not have an established credit history. Home equity loans are not considered private loans. Some examples of commonly used private loans include: • Sallie Mae Smart Option Loan • Wells Fargo Collegiate Loan • Chase Select Loan • Loans from credit unions • Loans from states such as NYHELPs Do not include any amount borrowed in federal loans or money borrowed from family and friends.
Question Name	N12UGLNNPSYR
Help Text	Indicate the total amount of money you borrowed in student loans for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Only include student loans for the 2011-2012 school year in your answer. Include the total amount of any federal, private, state, and school loans, and include money borrowed for all schools you attended in 2011-2012. Federal student loans include: subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford Loans and Perkins Loans. Private loans are loans that usually require a co-signer and have market interest rates based on credit history. Home equity loans are not considered private loans. School loans are loans for which your school-rather than the Federal government, state government, or another private organization-is the lender. School loans are sometimes restricted to individuals meeting certain qualifications. State education loans, offered through state-funded programs in certain states, typically require the borrower to be a state resident or attend an approved school within the state. Interest rates and repayment terms for state education loans vary from state to state. Do not include parent PLUS Loans.
Question Name	N12UGLNYEST
Help Text	Choose the option that best describes the amount you borrowed in student loans for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Only include student loans for the 2011-2012 school year in your answer. Include the total amount of any federal, private, state, and school loans, and include money borrowed for all schools you attended in 2011-2012. Federal student loans include: subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford Loans and Perkins Loans. Private loans are loans that usually require a co-signer and have market interest rates based on credit history. Home equity loans are not considered private loans. School loans are loans for which your school-rather than the Federal government,

	state government, or another private organization-is the lender. School loans are sometimes restricted to individuals meeting certain qualifications. State education loans, offered through state-funded programs in certain states, typically require the borrower to be a state resident or attend an approved school within the state. Interest rates and repayment terms for state education loans vary from state to state. Do not include parent PLUS Loans.
Question Name	N12GRLNNPSYR
Help Text	Indicate the total amount of money you borrowed in graduate student loans for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Only include graduate student loans for the 2011-2012 school year in your answer. Include the total amount of any federal, private, state, and school loans, and include money borrowed for all schools you attended in 2011-2012. Federal student loans include: subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford Loans, Perkins Loans, and graduate and professional student PLUS Loans. Private loans are loans that usually require a co-signer and have market interest rates based on credit history. Home equity loans are not considered private loans. School loans are loans for which your school-rather than the Federal government, state government, or another private organization-is the lender. School loans are sometimes restricted to individuals meeting certain qualifications. State education loans, offered through state-funded programs in certain states, typically require the borrower to be a state resident or attend an approved school within the state. Interest rates and repayment terms for state education loans vary from state to state.
Question Name	N12GRLNYEST
Help Text	Choose the option that best describes the amount you borrowed in graduate student loans for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Only include graduate student loans for the 2011-2012 school year in your answer. Include the total amount of any federal, private, state, and school loans, and include money borrowed for all schools you attended in 2011-2012. Federal student loans include: subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford Loans, Perkins Loans, and graduate and professional student PLUS Loans. Private loans are loans that usually require a co-signer and have market interest rates based on credit history. Home equity loans are not considered private loans. School loans are loans for which your school-rather than the Federal government, state government, or another private organization-is the lender. School loans are sometimes restricted to individuals meeting certain qualifications. State education loans, offered through state-funded programs in certain states, typically require the borrower to be a state resident or attend an approved school within the state. Interest rates and repayment terms for state education loans vary from state to state.
Question Name	N12REFUND1

Help Text	A refund or disbursement of aid may occur when the amount of money required for tuition and fees is less than the amount promised to you in scholarships, grants, or loans.
Question Name	N12REFUND2
Help Text	Please indicate how you did or will receive the refund. If none of these options describe how the refund was or will be given to you, choose Do something else not listed with the refund.
Question Name	N12OUTST
Help Text	Out-of-state and out-of-district tuition or fees refer to tuition and fees assessed for students who do not meet the legal residency requirements for the state or district in which they attend school. These students are generally not eligible for reduced in-state student tuition at public colleges and universities in the state, or for in-district tuition and fees at community colleges. If you are paying out-of-state tuition at a public college or university, or if you are paying out-of-district fees at a community college, answer Yes even if your tuition is paid by a scholarship or other form of financial aid.
Question Name	N12UGLN
Help Text	Indicate the total amount that you have borrowed to pay for your undergraduate education through the end of the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Include money borrowed for each year of your enrollment as an undergraduate student. Also include money borrowed for all schools that you have attended as an undergraduate student. Include the total amount of any federal, private, state, and school loans. Federal student loans include: subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford Loans and Perkins Loans. Private loans, also known as alternative loans, are offered by private lenders. Private loans usually require a co-signer and have market interest rates based on credit history. Home equity loans are not considered private loans. School loans are loans for which your school-rather than the Federal government, state government, or another private organization-is the lender. School loans are sometimes restricted to individuals meeting certain qualifications. State education loans, offered through state-funded programs in certain states, typically require the borrower to be a state resident or attend an approved school within the state. Interest rates and repayment terms for state education loans vary from state to state. Do not include money borrowed for the 2012-2013 school year (July 1, 2012-June 30, 2013).
Question Name	N12ULNEST
Help Text	Choose the option that best describes the total amount that you have borrowed to pay for your undergraduate education through the end of the 2011-2012 school year

	(July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Include money borrowed for each year of your enrollment as an undergraduate student. Also include money borrowed for all schools that you have attended as an undergraduate student. Include the total amount of any federal, private, state, and school loans. Federal student loans include: subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford Loans and Perkins Loans. Private loans, also known as alternative loans, are offered by private lenders. Private loans usually require a co-signer and have market interest rates based on credit history. Home equity loans are not considered private loans. School loans are loans for which your school-rather than the Federal government, state government, or another private organization-is the lender. School loans are sometimes restricted to individuals meeting certain qualifications. State education loans, offered through state-funded programs in certain states, typically require the borrower to be a state resident or attend an approved school within the state. Interest rates and repayment terms for state education loans vary from state to state. Do not include money borrowed for the 2012-2013 school year (July 1, 2012-June 30, 2013).
Question Name	N12UGOWE
Help Text	Indicate whether you still owe all, some, or none of the total amount you borrowed in federal, private, state, or school undergraduate loans through the end of the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Federal student loans include: subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford Loans and Perkins Loans. Private loans, also known as alternative loans, are offered by private lenders. Private loans usually require a co-signer and have market interest rates based on credit history. Home equity loans are not considered private loans. School loans are loans for which your school-rather than the Federal government, state government, or another private organization-is the lender. School loans are sometimes restricted to individuals meeting certain qualifications. State education loans, offered through state-funded programs in certain states, typically require the borrower to be a state resident or attend an approved school within the state. Interest rates and repayment terms for state education loans vary from state to state. Do not include Parent Plus loans or any money borrowed from family or friends. Also, do not consider any amount borrowed for the 2012-2013 school year (July 1, 2012-June 30, 2013).
Question Name	N12GRLN
Help Text	Indicate the total amount that you have borrowed to pay for your graduate education through the end of the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Include money borrowed for each year of your enrollment as a graduate student. Also include money borrowed for all schools that you have attended as a graduate student. Include the total amount of any federal, private, state, and school loans. Federal student loans include: subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford Loans, Perkins Loans, and graduate and professional student PLUS Loans. Private loans, also known as alternative loans, are offered by private lenders. Private loans usually require a co-signer and have market interest rates based on credit

	history. Home equity loans are not considered private loans. School loans are loans for which your school-rather than the Federal government, state government, or another private organization-is the lender. School loans are sometimes restricted to individuals meeting certain qualifications. State education loans, offered through state-funded programs in certain states, typically require the borrower to be a state resident or attend an approved school within the state. Interest rates and repayment terms for state education loans vary from state to state. Do not include money borrowed for the 2012-2013 school year (July 1, 2012-June 30, 2013).
Question Name	N12GLNEST
Help Text	Choose the option that best describes the total amount that you have borrowed to pay for your graduate education through the end of the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Include money borrowed for each year of your enrollment as a graduate student. Also include money borrowed for all schools that you have attended as a graduate student. Include the total amount of any federal, private, state, and school loans. Federal student loans include: subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford Loans, Perkins Loans, and graduate and professional student PLUS Loans. Private loans, also known as alternative loans, are offered by private lenders. Private loans usually require a co-signer and have market interest rates based on credit history. Home equity loans are not considered private loans. School loans are loans for which your school-rather than the Federal government, state government, or another private organization-is the lender. School loans are sometimes restricted to individuals meeting certain qualifications. State education loans, offered through state-funded programs in certain states, typically require the borrower to be a state resident or attend an approved school within the state. Interest rates and repayment terms for state education loans vary from state to state. Do not include money borrowed for the 2012-2013 school year (July 1, 2012-June 30, 2013).
Question Name	N12GROWE
Help Text	Indicate whether you still owe all, some, or none of the total amount you borrowed in federal, private, state, or school graduate loans through the end of the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Federal student loans include: subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford Loans, Perkins Loans, and graduate and professional student PLUS Loans. Private loans, also known as alternative loans, are offered by private lenders. Private loans usually require a co-signer and have market interest rates based on credit history. Home equity loans are not considered private loans. School loans are loans for which your school-rather than the Federal government, state government, or another private organization-is the lender. School loans are sometimes restricted to individuals meeting certain qualifications. State education loans, offered through state-funded programs in certain states, typically require the borrower to be a state resident or attend an approved school within the state. Interest rates and repayment terms for state education loans vary

	from state to state. Do not include any money borrowed from family or friends. Also, do not consider any amount borrowed for the 2012-2013 school year (July 1, 2012-June 30, 2013).
Question Name	N12DCLN
Help Text	Indicate whether you were offered any federal student loans in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012) that you chose not to accept. If you were offered a federal loan and decided not to take it out, answer Yes. If you were not offered any federal loans, or if you took out every federal loan you were offered, answer No. Federal student loans include subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford Loans and Perkins Loans. To receive offers of student loans from the federal government you first have to complete a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid). Do not include parent PLUS loans, private loans, or loans offered by family or friends in your answer.
Question Name	N12DCMAXLN
Help Text	You indicated that you received federal student loans in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Indicate whether you chose to take the maximum amount of money offered by the federal government in either subsidized or unsubsidized Stafford Loans or Perkins Loans. If the amount in federal student loans that you accepted was less than the amount offered to you by the government, answer No.
Question Name	N12DCLRSN
Help Text	Indicate your main reason for choosing not to accept the maximum federal student loan(s) that were offered to you.
Question Name	N12AVOIDLNS
Help Text	Indicate whether you chose to do any of the listed options to avoid taking out (additional) student loans during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012).
Question Name	N12UNMETNEED
Help Text	Indicate whether you would have borrowed (more) money during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012) if the option had been available to you.
Question Name	N12NEEDAMTUG
Help Text	Indicate how much (more) money you would have borrowed for the 2011-2012 school year if you had the option. Do not include money that you actually borrowed; only include the (additional) amount you would have borrowed if you could have.

Question Name	N12REPAY
Help Text	Indicate whether you think anyone (other than a spouse) will help you repay all or part of your student loans.
Question Name	N12GRDASTJOB
Help Text	Indicate whether you had a graduate assistantship in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Graduate assistantships are work appointments that provide financial support for graduate studies. Examples of graduate assistantships include graduate teaching assistantships and graduate research assistantships. In return for their work, graduate assistants receive stipends, tuition waivers, fee waivers, or other forms of financial support.
Question Name	N12GRAST
Help Text	Indicate which type(s) of graduate assistantship(s) you had in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). (If you had more than one type of graduate assistantship in the 2011-2012 school year, check all that apply.) Graduate teaching assistants work under the supervision of professors and other instructors by providing support for academic instruction. Examples of graduate teaching assistant duties include supervised teaching, leading discussion or laboratory sections, and grading examinations and papers. Graduate research assistants conduct scholarly research under the direction of faculty members or other investigators. Research conducted as a graduate research assistant sometimes contributes to a student's thesis or dissertation. Other graduate assistantships include a variety of positions that are not classified as teaching assistantships or research assistantships. Some other graduate assistants primarily provide administrative or professional support to offices and departments.
Question Name	N12TUITN
Help Text	Indicate whether your tuition was waived, or paid partially or in full by an assistantship in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). A tuition waiver (or tuition remission) occurs when you do not have to pay part or all of your tuition because your school has waived the requirement. Tuition waivers are sometimes offered to qualified graduate students--particularly out-of-state students--as part of assistantship packages.
Question Name	N12HINS
Help Text	Some graduate assistantships provide health insurance as a benefit to students. Answer Yes if you received the health insurance benefits offered through your graduate assistantship in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012).
Question Name	N12GRTAAMT

Help Text	Indicate the dollar amount of your graduate teaching assistantship for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Only include the amount for your graduate teaching assistantship here; there is a separate question for each graduate assistantship type (research or other assistantship) if you have more than one. If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12GRRAAMT
Help Text	Indicate the dollar amount of your graduate research assistantship for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Only include the amount for your graduate research assistantship here. If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12GROTHAMT
Help Text	Indicate the dollar amount of your graduate assistantship for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12CONTAC
Help Text	Indicate which of the following activities you are required to perform as part of your teaching assistantship during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Assume full teaching responsibility: You are solely responsible for teaching an entire course. Lead discussion sections: You are in charge of discussion sessions for a course taught by a faculty member. Supervise lab sections: You are responsible for the lab section of a course that is taught by a faculty member. Assist faculty with grading: You help the professor with grading papers, exams, homework, and projects. Assist faculty with answering student e-mail messages: You help the professor respond to questions from students through e-mail. Hold office hours: You are available for scheduled periods of time when students may come and ask questions or get help with the material covered in the course.
Question Name	N12GRFELL
Help Text	Indicate whether you had a graduate fellowship in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Graduate fellowships, which may be based on merit, are a form of financial support that usually has no specific service requirement from the recipient.
Question Name	N12GRFELLAMT
Help Text	Indicate the dollar amount of your graduate fellowship for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012).

	If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12GRTRNSHP
Help Text	Indicate whether you had a traineeship in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). A traineeship is a form of financial support, and requirements vary by the particular traineeship program. Many traineeships include individualized mentoring and training experiences.
Question Name	N12GRTRNAMT
Help Text	Indicate the dollar amount of your traineeship for the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12GRHRS
Help Text	Indicate the number of hours you worked in an average week in your graduate school job(s) during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Graduate school jobs include graduate research, teaching, or other assistantships, graduate fellowships, and traineeships.
Question Name	N12GRWEEK
Help Text	Graduate school jobs include graduate research, teaching, and other assistantships, graduate fellowships, and traineeships.
Question Name	N12SCHJOB
Help Text	Indicate whether you had a work-study job at [Y_NPSCHL] at any time during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 -June 30, 2012). Federal work-study jobs are offered to undergraduate students with financial need, allowing them to work part-time to earn money to help pay their education expenses. Students must file a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) in order to be considered for the Federal Work-Study (FWS) program. Work-study jobs are often located on the campus of a student's school and may or may not be related to a student's course of study.
Question Name	N12WSMAJR
Help Text	Indicate whether your work-study job in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012) was related to your major or field of study at [Y_NPSCHL]. Your work-study job is related to your major or field of study if it requires skills related to your primary coursework, or if it is similar in content to your primary coursework.
Question	N12WSONOF

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Help Text	Indicate whether your work-study job was located mostly on or off the campus of [Y_NPSCHL] in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Respond by thinking about the location where you worked the most for your work-study job. On campus means your work-study job was located physically within the boundaries of the official campus of [Y_NPSCHL]. Off campus means your work-study job was located physically outside the boundaries of the official campus of [Y_NPSCHL].
Question Name	N12WSEMP
Help Text	Indicate whether your work-study job in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012) was through [Y_NPSCHL] or some other organization. Your answer should depend on the source of your paycheck. If you were paid by [Y_NPSCHL], then your work-study job was through [Y_NPSCHL]. If you were paid by another organization, then your work-study job was through another organization.
Question Name	N12WAEARN
Help Text	Indicate how much you earned from your work-study job while you were attending [Y_NPSCHL] during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). You can choose whichever unit of time you prefer (per year, term or semester, month, week, or hour) to report the amount of your work-study earnings. If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12WAERNS
Help Text	Indicate the amount of time worked in your work-study job through the end of the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Do not include time worked in the summer unless you attend school during summer break. If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12WAHRS
Help Text	Indicate the number of hours that you worked at your work-study job in an average week in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Do not include summer hours unless you attend school during summer break. If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12ANYJOB
Help Text	Indicate whether you held a job during the 2011-2012 school year. Only include paid jobs. Do not include any work-study jobs, assistantships, fellowships, or traineeships, or jobs held only during a school break, unless you were attending school during the break.

Question Name	N12NUMJOB
Help Text	Only include paid jobs. Do not include any work-study jobs, assistantships, fellowships, or traineeships in this total, or jobs held only during a school break, unless you were attending school during the break.
Question Name	N12SEARN
Help Text	Indicate how much you usually earned from all jobs (not including work-study, assistantships, fellowships, or traineeships) held during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Indicate the unit of time that corresponds to the amount of earnings that you reported. Do not include earnings from work done during a school break, unless you were attending school during the break. If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12SEARNS
Help Text	Indicate how much time you will have worked at all jobs (not including work-study, assistantships, fellowships, or traineeships) by the end of the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). Do not include work done during a school break, unless you will be attending school during the break. For reference, rough conversions are shown below: 1 semester=15 weeks 1 quarter=10 weeks 1 trimester=10 weeks If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12SBHRS
Help Text	Indicate the average number of hours worked per week at all jobs (not including work-study, assistantships, fellowships, or traineeships) during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). Do not include an average week worked during a school break if you do not attend school during the break. If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12ONOFF
Help Text	On campus refers to any job located physically within the boundaries of the official campus of your school. Off campus refers to any job located physically outside the boundaries of the official campus of your school. Only include paid jobs. Do not include any work-study jobs, assistantships, fellowships, or traineeships, or jobs held only during a school break, unless you were attending

	school during the break.
Question Name	N12ENRWRK
Help Text	An example of a student working to meet expenses would be someone who is enrolled full time but also holds a job to earn additional money. An example of an employee who decided to enroll in school is someone who considers his or her primary focus to be work but is attending school to further his or her career or for personal betterment. Please try to choose the answer that most closely reflects your primary focus for working while enrolled in school.
Question Name	N12PRVJOB
Help Text	Consider any jobs you were usually working for pay at one time in the year before the 2011-2012 school year began. The 2011-2012 school year began July 1, 2011. You may have held these jobs for a long time and may still be working at these jobs. Do not include volunteer jobs or unpaid jobs you held in 2010-2011.
Question Name	N12POCC
Help Text	The 2011-2012 school year began July 1, 2011. To find your job in our database: First type the job title of the job into the first textbox, then type the job duties of this job into the second textbox. Last click Enter and a list of jobs that most closely match your entries will be displayed. From the responses displayed, click Select next to the job that most closely matches your entry and click Ok on the confirmation box if this is the job you would like to select. You will then be taken to the next question in the survey. Click Cancel on the confirmation box if the job listed does not closely match the job you entered and review the other options that were returned. If your job is not listed in the list of jobs displayed, click None of the above at the bottom of the list of jobs and as best you can, choose descriptions of the job from the dropdown boxes that appear.
Question Name	N12SAMEJOB
Help Text	Indicate whether during the most recent term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012) you continued working in the type of job indicated in the question. If you had a different employer, but the job title and duties were the same, answer Yes.
Question Name	N12POCCTIM

Help Text	Indicate how long you worked in this type of job through the end of the 2011-2012 school year. You may provide your answer in days, weeks, months, or years. If you did not work at this type of job consecutively, you can answer by adding up the amount of time you worked in this type of job.
Question Name	N12PRVWAGE
Help Text	Indicate how much you usually earned in the year before the 2011-2012 school year began. The 2011-2012 school year began July 1, 2011.
Question Name	N12PRVHRSWK
Help Text	Indicate how many hours you usually worked per week on average in the year before the 2011-2012 school year began. The 2011-2012 school year began July 1, 2011.
Question Name	N12PRVMTHYR
Help Text	Indicate how many months you worked in the year before the 2011-2012 school year began. The 2011-2012 school year began July 1, 2011.
Question Name	N12WRKPAY
Help Text	Volunteer activities are classified under Work, but not be paid. If you would have done some work for pay and some unpaid work, indicate Work for pay.
Question Name	N12ALTNUMJOB
Help Text	Count the jobs based on the number of separate employers you would have had. For example, if would have been a waiter or waitress at two different restaurants, answer Two or more jobs at a time.
Question Name	N12ALTSCHED
Help Text	Provide your best guess about whether you would have worked for pay full time, or less than that, if you had not attended college at all in 2011-2012 (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). If you would have worked full time, but for less than 12 months of the year answer No. Also answer No if you would have worked part time for all 12 months of the year. If you would have worked at more than one job, consider whether you would have worked full time when you combine the hours and months worked from all jobs together.
Question	N12ALTHRSWK

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Help Text	Provide your best guess about how many hours, on average, you would have worked for pay per week if you had not attended college at all in 2011-2012 (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). If you think you would have worked for pay full time in some months, and part time in other months, provide an average number of weekly hours worked across the total months you would have worked. If you would have worked at more than one job, consider how many hours, on average, you would have worked when you combine the hours worked from all jobs together.
Question Name	N12ALTMTHYR
Help Text	Provide your best guess about how many months of the year you would have worked for pay, if you had not attended college at all in 2011-2012 (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Include all months that you would have worked for pay, even if you think you would only have worked part time in any or all months of the year. If you would have worked at more than one job, consider how many months you would have worked when you combine the months worked from all jobs together.
Question Name	N12ALTWAGE1
Help Text	Provide the hourly wage or yearly salary you would have earned at the job you think you would have had if you had not attended college at all in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). You can include any tips or bonuses you think you would have received in your answer. You can also provide the amount before taxes are taken out (your gross earnings). If you are unsure of the amount you would have earned, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12ALTWAGE2
Help Text	Provide the weekly, monthly, or yearly salary you would have earned at the jobs you think you would have had if you had not attended college at all in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). You can include any tips or bonuses you think you would have received in your answer. You can also provide the amount before taxes are taken out (your gross earnings). If you are unsure of the amount you would have earned, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12INCINTRO
Help Text	This is an informational screen only. (Click the Next button.)
Question Name	N12INCOM
Help Text	Estimate your gross income from the entire 2011 calendar year (January 1, 2011-December 31, 2011). Do not include any income earned during 2012. Your gross

	income is the full amount before taxes, Social Security, and other deductions are taken out. Include wages from off-campus jobs, on-campus jobs, work-study jobs, assistantships, fellowships, traineeships, summer jobs, or any other source. Also include income received from a trust fund. Do not include scholarships, grants or loans, or any money given to you by your family. If you are unsure what your income in 2011 was, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12INCSP
Help Text	Estimate your spouse's gross income from the entire 2011 calendar year (January 1, 2011-December 31, 2011). Do not include any income earned during 2012. Gross income is the full amount before taxes, Social Security, and other deductions are taken out. Include wages from any work-study jobs, assistantships, fellowships, traineeships, or any other source of income for your spouse. Also include income received from a trust fund. Do not include scholarships, grants or loans, or any money given to your spouse by family. If you are unsure what your spouse's income in 2011 was, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12DEPS
Help Text	Answer Yes if you have a child or children who received more than half of their financial support from you during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), even if these children did not live with you. Foster children are not considered dependents for this question.
Question Name	N12DEP2
Help Text	Report the number of children who received more than half of their financial support from you in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012), even if these children did not live with you. Foster children are not considered dependents for this question.
Question Name	N12DAGE
Help Text	Indicate the age of your child, or your youngest child. Dependent children are any of your children who received more than half of their financial support from you, even if they did not live wih you. Foster children are not considered dependent children for this question.
Question Name	N12CARE
Help Text	Indicate the number of dependent children that were in paid childcare in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Dependent children are any of your children who received more than half of their

	financial support from you, even if they did not live wih you. Foster children are not considered dependent children for this question. Indicate the number of children for whom you (and your spouse, if applicable) paid for childcare. If your children were not in childcare that you paid for, or if someone else paid for the childcare for your children, answer 0. Childcare includes any form of paid care such as a day care, after school care, or in-home care at your home or someone else's home.
Question Name	N12CARE1
Help Text	Indicate whether your child was in paid childcare in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Answer Yes if you (and your spouse, if applicable) paid for childcare for your child. If your child was not in childcare, or if someone else paid for the childcare for your child, answer No. Childcare includes any form of paid care such as a day care, after school care, or in-home care at your home or someone else's home.
Question Name	N12DAYCST
Help Text	Indicate the average monthly amount that you (or your spouse, if applicable) paid for childcare in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Childcare includes any form of paid care such as a day care, after school care, or in-home care at your home or someone else's home. If you are not sure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12OTDEPS
Help Text	Indicate whether you provided more than half the financial support for anybody other than a spouse or children in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012), who lived in your household. Examples of other dependents might include parents, grandparents, other relatives, or anybody else for whom you provided more than half their financial support. Foster children are not considered dependents for this question. Do not include yourself, a spouse, or any children as other dependents in this question.
Question Name	N12OTDEPS2
Help Text	Indicate how many other dependents who lived in your household received more than half their financial support from you in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). Examples of other dependents might include parents, grandparents, other relatives, or anybody else for whom you provided more than half their financial support. Foster children are not considered dependents for this question. Do not count yourself, a spouse, or any children as other dependents in this question.
Question Name	N12OTDEPAMT

Help Text	Indicate the average monthly amount that you (or your spouse, if applicable) paid for these others that lived in your household in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). Examples of other dependents might include parents, grandparents, other relatives, or anybody else who lived in your household and for whom you provided more than half their financial support. Foster children are not considered dependents for this question. Do not count expenses paid for yourself, a spouse, or any children in this question. If you are not sure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12KIDCOL
Help Text	Indicate how many of your dependents attended a college, university or trade school in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). Dependents include your children, who need not live with you, and others who live in your household who receive more than half of their financial support from you. Foster children are not considered dependent children for this question. A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	N12KIDCOL1
Help Text	Indicate whether your dependent attended a college, university or trade school in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). Dependents include your children, who need not live with you, and others who live in your household who receive more than half of their financial support from you. Foster children are not considered dependent children for this question. A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	N12COLCOST
Help Text	Do not include any loans such as parent PLUS loans, private loans, or home equity loans that you may have taken out to pay for these college expenses in your answer. College expenses can refer to tuition and fees, school books, or any other expenses your dependent(s) had while attending a college, university, or trade school during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school. Dependents include your children, who need not live with you, and others who live in your household who receive more than half of their financial support from you. Foster children are not considered dependent children for this question. If you are not sure of the amount, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12PARHELP
Help Text	Indicate whether your parents (or guardians) paid for any education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). Tuition and fees or school books are examples of education expenses. Rent and food are examples of living expenses.
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Help Text	Indicate the amount your parents (or guardians) paid for any education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). Tuition and fees or school books are examples of education expenses. Rent and food are examples of living expenses. If you are not sure of the amount, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12PARAMT2
Help Text	Indicate the amount your parents (or guardians) paid for any education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). Tuition and fees or school books are examples of education expenses. Rent and food are examples of living expenses. If you are not sure of the amount, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12FAMHELP
Help Text	Indicate whether any family members or friends paid for any education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). Tuition and fees or school books are examples of education expenses. Rent and food are examples of living expenses. Do not include any assistance from your parents (or guardians) or a spouse.
Question Name	N12FAMAMT
Help Text	Indicate the amount your family or friends paid for any education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). Tuition and fees or school books are examples of education expenses. Rent and food are examples of living expenses. Do not include any assistance from your parents (or guardians) or a spouse. If you are not sure of the amount, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12FAMAMT2
Help Text	Indicate the amount your family or friends paid for any education and living expenses while you were enrolled in school in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). Tuition and fees or school books are examples of education expenses. Rent and food are examples of living expenses. Do not include any assistance from your parents (or guardians) or a spouse. If you are not sure of the amount, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12NUMCRD

Help Text	Credit cards allow cardholders to carry debt from month to month. Examples of credit cards to include in your answer are VISA, Mastercard, Discover, American Express, retail store credit cards, gas cards, etc. Do not include: • Cards that have your name on them but the account has been issued to a parent, spouse, or other relative, or the bill is paid by someone else. • Debit cards or ATM (Automatic Teller Machine) cards. Debit cards are tied directly to a checking or savings account so that the amount charged is taken directly out of the account. • Company cards that are billed directly to a department within a business or organization. If you are unsure, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12CARRYBAL
Help Text	A balance on your credit card(s) means that there is an amount owed on your credit card(s) that is not usually paid off in full each month.
Question Name	N12CRDBAL
Help Text	Estimate the current outstanding balance--the total amount that you owe from your most recent statements--on all credit cards in your name. Credit cards allow cardholders to carry debt from month to month. Examples of amounts on credit cards to include in your answer are balances on VISA, Mastercard, Discover, American Express, retail store credit cards, gas cards, etc. If you are unsure of the amount, provide your best guess. Do not include the following amounts on... Cards that have your name on them but the account has been issued to a parent, spouse, or other relative, or the bill is paid by someone else. Debit cards or ATM (Automatic Teller Machine) cards. Debit cards are tied directly to a checking or savings account so that the amount charged is taken directly out of the account. Company cards that are billed directly to a department within a business or organization.
Question Name	N12CCUSE
Help Text	Indicate whether you used your credit card(s) to help pay for tuition and fees in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). Credit cards allow cardholders to carry debt from month to month. Examples of credit cards to include in your answer are VISA, Mastercard, Discover, American Express, retail store credit cards, gas cards, etc. Answer No if you used any of the following types of cards to pay for tuition and fees: Cards that have your name on them but the account has been issued to a parent,

	spouse, or other relative, or the bill is paid by someone else. Debit cards or ATM (Automatic Teller Machine) cards. Debit cards are tied directly to a checking or savings account so that the amount charged is taken directly out of the account. Company cards that are billed directly to a department within a business or organization.
Question Name	N12CCREASON
Help Text	Indicate whether you used credit cards in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012) because they were the only way you had to pay for tuition and fees. If you had other sources of funds but used credit cards because they were convenient or because you earned rewards by using credit cards, answer No.
Question Name	N12BANK1
Help Text	A checking account allows the holder of the account to withdraw their money using a personal check, debit card, or withdrawal, including ATM withdrawals. Money in a checking account usually does not gain interest. Saving accounts earn interest but usually do not have check writing or debit cards associated with the account. Membership in a credit union is limited to certain individuals (and often their family members), such as employees of particular companies or residents of a certain geographic region.
Question Name	N12BANK2
Help Text	Checking and saving accounts can be held by one person alone or held jointly with another person, such as a parent or spouse. If your name appears on the account statements with another person, such as your parent or spouse, indicate Shared between you and someone else.
Question Name	N12SCHRES
Help Text	Indicate where you lived during the last term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). College-owned housing means that your rent is paid to the school, even if that housing is not on the campus of the school.
Question Name	N12DISTHDAYS
Help Text	Indicate the number of days per week (or per month) that you traveled between where you lived in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012) and [Y_NPSCHL]. For this question, refer to the place where you lived in the 2011-2012 school year, which may differ from your permanent residence. Your permanent residence is typically defined as the residence where you are registered to vote, where you pay your local and state taxes, and where you maintain your driver's license and car registration. If

	you are under 24 years of age, or are dependent on parental support, your permanent residence is usually the residence of your parents or legal guardians. (If you did not commute to [Y_NPSCHL] indicate the checkbox for that item.)
Question Name	N12DISTHMINS
Help Text	Indicate the number of minutes (or hours) it took you to travel on an average day from where you lived in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012) to [Y_NPSCHL]. Include only the average one-way travel time per day. Report the actual time it took to arrive at [Y_NPSCHL]. For example, if traffic or other factors made your commute longer on an average day, include those factors in the amount of time you report. For this question, refer to the place where you lived in the 2011-2012 school year, which may differ from your permanent residence. Your permanent residence is typically defined as the residence where you are registered to vote, where you pay your local and state taxes, and where you maintain your driver's license and car registration. If you are under 24 years of age, or are dependent on parental support, your permanent residence is usually the residence of your parents or legal guardians.
Question Name	N12DISTWKDAY
Help Text	Indicate how many days you traveled from where you lived to work in an average week during the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). If you worked more than one job during the school year, answer about the job where you worked the most hours. For this question, refer to the place where you lived in the 2011-2012 school year, which may differ from your permanent residence. Your permanent residence is typically defined as the residence where you are registered to vote, where you pay your local and state taxes, and where you maintain your driver's license and car registration. If you are under 24 years of age, or are dependent on parental support, your permanent residence is usually the residence of your parents or legal guardians. If your job did not require a commute, answer only Zero days (no travel to work).
Question Name	N12DISTWKTIM
Help Text	Indicate the number of minutes (or hours) it took you to travel from where you lived to work on an average day in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). If you worked more than one job during the school year, answer about the job where you worked the most hours. Include only the average one-way travel time per day. Report the actual time it took to arrive at work. For example, if traffic or other factors made your commute longer on an average day, include those factors in the amount of time you report. For this question, refer to the place where you lived in the 2011-2012 school year, which may differ from your permanent residence. Your permanent residence is typically defined as the residence where you are registered to vote, where you pay your local and state taxes, and where you maintain your driver's license and car registration. If you are under 24 years of age, or are dependent on parental support, your permanent residence is usually the residence of your parents or legal guardians.
Question	N12HOME

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Help Text	Answer Yes whether you own a home outright (the home is paid for in full), or purchased the house but you are still making payments on a mortgage. Also answer Yes whether you own a house, town house, or condominium. Do not include your parents' home.
Question Name	N12RNTAMT
Help Text	Indicate your average monthly rent or mortgage payment while you were attending school in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). If you shared a residence with other people, indicate only the amount that you were responsible for paying. For example, if you shared an apartment with one other person and you share the rent evenly, only report the amount that you paid to cover your half. If someone else paid your rent or mortgage for you every month, or if you owe nothing on a home you own and have paid for it in full, indicate "0." Do not include money for any other living expenses, such as food, utilities, transportation, etc. in your answer. If you are unsure of the amount, provide your best guess.
Question Name	N12UNTAX
Help Text	Answer Yes if you or anyone in your family household received any of the following benefits between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012: The Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program pays benefits to disabled adults and children who have limited income and resources. It is designed to help aged, blind, and disabled people who have little or no income and provides cash to meet basic needs for food, clothing, and shelter. The federal Food Stamp Program was renamed Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). Some state program names may vary. States typically issue SNAP benefits through electronic benefit transfer (EBT) cards that are used to purchase eligible food in authorized retail food stores, farmers' markets, etc. EBT cards work like debit cards. TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families) payments provide financial assistance to families with limited resources. The assistance is time-limited (typically a maximum of 60 months). Household size and family income are used to determine eligibility for free or reduced price school lunches in the Free and Reduced Price School Lunch program. WIC (the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children) is an assistance program for low-income pregnant women or new mothers, infants, and children up to age 5 who are at nutritional risk. WIC provides nutrition education, supplemental foods, health screenings, and health care referrals.
Question Name	N12PARST
Help Text	Indicate the option which best describes the current marital status of your parent(s) or guardian(s). For example... Indicate Married or remarried if your parents are married to each other, or if your parents are divorced, but the parent you lived with most is now remarried.

	Indicate Single if your parents were never married. If your parents were never married and you do not live with both of them, answer single if the parent you lived with most is not married. Indicate Divorced or separated if your parents are divorced, and the parent you lived with most has not remarried. Indicate Widowed if your parents were married, and your surviving parent is not remarried.
Question Name	N12PARNC
Help Text	Estimate your parents'/guardians' gross income from calendar year 2011 (January 1, 2011 - December 31, 2011) based on the ranges listed, even if your parents do not provide you with any financial assistance for your education. Gross income is the full amount before taxes, Social Security, and other deductions are taken out. If you are unsure of the amount, make your best guess.
Question Name	N12PRHSD
Help Text	Indicate the number of people whom your parents (or guardians) financially supported during the most recent term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012). Include brothers and sisters, grandparents, or anybody else to whom your parents provided financial support. Do not include yourself or your parents in the total.
Question Name	N12DPNUM
Help Text	Indicate the number of people supported financially by your parent(s) or guardian(s), who attended a college, university or trade school during the most recent term you attended school in the 2011-2012 school year (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012). A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school. Do not include yourself or your parents (or guardians) in the total.
Question Name	N12DSCT250
Help Text	Indicate whether, if somebody gave you the choice, you would prefer to receive a gift of $250 today, or a gift of $250 one year from today. In this imaginary situation you would not have to pay this money back whether you took the $250 today or in one year.
Question Name	N12DSCT300
Help Text	In the previous question you indicated you would prefer to receive $250 today rather than take $250 in one year. Now indicate whether if somebody gave you the choice, you would prefer to receive a gift of $250 today or a gift of $300 one year from today. In this imaginary situation you would not have to pay this money back whether you took the $250 today or $300 in one year.

Question Name	N12DSCT350
Help Text	In the previous question you indicated you would prefer to receive $250 today rather than take $300 in one year. Now indicate whether if somebody gave you the choice, you would prefer to receive a gift of $250 today or a gift of $350 one year from today. In this imaginary situation you would not have to pay this money back whether you took the $250 today or $350 in one year.
Question Name	N12DSCT400
Help Text	In the previous question you indicated you would prefer to receive $250 today rather than take $350 in one year. Now indicate whether if somebody gave you the choice, you would prefer to receive a gift of $250 today or a gift of $400 one year from today. In this imaginary situation you would not have to pay this money back whether you took the $250 today or $400 in one year.
Question Name	N12DSCT450
Help Text	In the previous question you indicated you would prefer to receive $250 today rather than take $400 in one year. Now indicate whether if somebody gave you the choice, you would prefer to receive a gift of $250 today or a gift of $450 one year from today. In this imaginary situation you would not have to pay this money back whether you took the $250 today or $450 in one year.
Question Name	N12DSCT500
Help Text	In the previous question you indicated you would prefer to receive $250 today rather than take $450 in one year. Now indicate whether if somebody gave you the choice, you would prefer to receive a gift of $250 today or a gift of $500 one year from today. In this imaginary situation you would not have to pay this money back whether you took the $250 today or $500 in one year.
Question Name	INTBCK
Help Text	This is an informational screen only. (Click the Next button.)
Question Name	N12STATE
Help Text	(In the dropdown box, select the state in which you legally reside.) Your legal residence is typically defined as the residence where you are registered to vote, where you pay your local and state taxes, and where you maintain your driver's license and car registration. If you are under 24 years of age, or are dependent on parental support, your legal

	residence is usually the residence of your parents or legal guardians. If you live outside of the United States, indicate FOREIGN COUNTRY (from the dropdown list).
Question Name	N12DISTNC
Help Text	Your permanent address is usually your legal residence, which is typically defined as the residence where you are registered to vote, where you pay your local and state taxes, and where you maintain your driver's license and car registration. If you are under 24 years of age, or are dependent on parental support, your legal residence is usually the residence of your parents or legal guardians. (If your permanent address is outside the United States, select only the displayed checkbox.)
Question Name	N12USBORN
Help Text	If you were born on a U.S. military base outside of the U.S., answer Yes. United States territories and outlying areas include American Samoa, the Federated States of Micronesia, Guam, Midway Islands, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. If you were born in any of these locations, answer Yes.
Question Name	N12CITZN
Help Text	Indicate your citizenship status. If you are a U.S. citizen or U.S. national, select Yes. If you are a U.S. permanent resident with a Permanent Resident Card (I-551), sometimes called a Green Card, or an eligible noncitizen with an Arrival-Departure Record (I-94), or an eligible noncitizen with a Temporary Resident Card (I-688), select No - Resident alien, permanent resident, or other eligible non-citizen; hold a temporary resident's card or other eligible non-citizen temporary resident's card. If you are in the U.S. under any of the following, please select No - Student visa, in the country on an F1 or F2 visa, or on a J1 or J2 exchange visitor visa. • F1 visa - an alien having residence in a foreign country which he/she has no intention of abandoning, who is a bona fide student qualified to pursue a full course of study and who seeks to enter the United States temporarily and solely for the purpose of pursuing such a course of study at an educational institution in the United States. • F2 visa- For a spouse and/or dependent children of a student with an F1 visa to enter the U.S. • J1 visa- an alien having residence in a foreign country which he/she has no intention of abandoning who is a bona fide student, scholar, trainee, teacher, professor, research assistant, specialist, or leader in a field of specialized knowledge or skill, or other person of similar description, who is coming temporarily to the United States as a participant in a program for the purpose of teaching, instructing or lecturing, studying, observing, conducting research, consulting, demonstrating special skills, or receiving training. • J2 visa- For a spouse and/or dependent children of a person with a J1 visa to enter the U.S.
Question	N12IMGRAGE

Name	
Help Text	Tell us how you old you were when you first moved to the United States.
Question Name	N12IMGEST
Help Text	Please indicate the range that best estimates your age when you first moved to the United States.
Question Name	N12FLANG
Help Text	Indicate the language(s) you first learned to speak. If you spoke one language more than another, indicate the language that you spoke more. If you spoke two languages equally as much, indicate that option.
Question Name	N12FFLANGA
Help Text	A primary caregiver is the person who has the main responsibility for a child's health, development, shelter, and overall well-being.
Question Name	N12PARUS
Help Text	If a parent was born on a U.S. military base outside of the U.S., please indicate that this parent was born in the United States. United States territories and outlying areas include American Samoa, the Federated States of Micronesia, Guam, Midway Islands, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. If a parent were born in any of these locations, indicate that this parent was born in the United States.
Question Name	N12HISP
Help Text	In compliance with federal standards for collecting race and ethnicity, Hispanic or Latino refers to a person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.
Question Name	N12HISTYP
Help Text	In compliance with federal standards for collecting race and ethnicity, Hispanic or Latino refers to a person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race. Examples of Some other Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin include, but are not limited to, persons of Argentinean, Colombian, Dominican, Nicaraguan, or Salvadoran descent. If you are of more than one Hispanic/Latino origin, indicate all of those with which you identify.
Question	N12RAC1

Name	
Help Text	Please indicate all of the categories that best describe your race. In compliance with federal standards for collecting race and ethnicity, the following are descriptions of the race categories: White: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa. Black or African American: A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa. Asian: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam. American Indian or Alaska Native: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment. Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands. (Hispanic or Latino background is considered an ethnicity rather than a race. People of Hispanic or Latino origin may be of any race.)
Question Name	N12TRIBE
Help Text	Tribes are recognized by state and federal governments in accordance with treaty, executive order, or legislation. Not every tribe is recognized by a state or the federal government. If your tribe is still in the process of seeking recognition but is not yet officially recognized, answer No. Examples of federally-recognized tribes include the Seminole Tribe of Florida, the Cherokee Nation, and the Navajo Nation of Arizona, New Mexico, and Utah.
Question Name	N12SPCOL
Help Text	Answer Yes if your spouse attended a college, university, or trade school for any part or all of the 2011-2012 school year. The 2011-2012 school year is from July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012. A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	N12MOMED
Help Text	Indicate the highest level of education that your mother ever completed. If your mother was in school for a particular degree but has not completed that degree, choose the option for the highest completed degree or level of education. High school: Completion of the secondary level of education, usually in the form of a high school diploma, high school completion certificate, or General Educational Development (GED) equivalency exam. Vocational/technical training: Prepares learners for careers that are based in manual or practical activities, traditionally non-academic and related to a specific trade, occupation or vocation. Associate's Degree: An award that normally requires at least 2 but less than 4 years of full-time equivalent college work. Bachelor's Degree: A degree, usually awarded by a 4-year college or university, that

	usually requires at least 4 years of full-time college-level work. Master's degree (MA, MS, MBA, MFA, etc.): A university-awarded degree that usually requires at least 2 years of full-time graduate-level work, and may require a thesis or a practicum. Professional degree: A formal award certifying the satisfactory completion of a postsecondary education program in any of the following professional fields: chiropractic, dentistry, law, medicine, optometry, osteopathic medicine, pharmacy, podiatry, divinity/theology, or veterinary medicine. Doctoral degree (PhD, EdD, etc.): A university-awarded degree that usually requires at least 4 years of full-time graduate-level work and usually requires a dissertation.
Question Name	N12DADED
Help Text	Indicate the highest level of education that your father ever completed. If your father was in school for a particular degree but has not completed that degree, choose the option for the highest completed degree or level of education. High school: Completion of the secondary level of education, usually in the form of a high school diploma, high school completion certificate, or General Educational Development (GED) equivalency exam. Vocational/technical training: Prepares learners for careers that are based in manual or practical activities, traditionally non-academic and related to a specific trade, occupation or vocation. Associate's Degree: An award that normally requires at least 2 but less than 4 years of full-time equivalent college work. Bachelor's Degree: A degree, usually awarded by a 4-year college or university, that usually requires at least 4 years of full-time college-level work. Master's degree (MA, MS, MBA, MFA, etc.): A university-awarded degree that usually requires at least 2 years of full-time graduate-level work, and may require a thesis or a practicum. Professional degree: A formal award certifying the satisfactory completion of a postsecondary education program in any of the following professional fields: chiropractic, dentistry, law, medicine, optometry, osteopathic medicine, pharmacy, podiatry, divinity/theology, or veterinary medicine. Doctoral degree (PhD, EdD, etc.): A university-awarded degree that usually requires at least 4 years of full-time graduate-level work and usually requires a dissertation.
Question Name	N12SIBCL
Help Text	Answer Yes if you have any brother or sisters who attended a college, university, or trade school before you did. A trade school offers instruction in skilled trades. It is not a high school.
Question Name	N12MILIT
Help Text	The U.S. Armed Forces include the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and the Coast Guard. A veteran is someone who has served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces in the past. Active duty means full-time employment in the uniformed service as an officer or enlisted person. Civilian employees of the military are not included.

	In this question, Reserves refers to part-time employment in the Army Reserve, Navy Reserve, Marine Corps Reserve, Air Force Reserve, or Coast Guard Reserve. These reserve components are administered and trained by the corresponding service branch. In this question, National Guard refers to part-time employment in the Army National Guard or Air National Guard. National Guard personnel operate under a state governor, except when called into federal service.
Question Name	N12ACS16A
Help Text	Answer Yes if you are deaf or if you have a hearing impairment that makes it very difficult to hear what is said in a conversation with another person or very difficult to hear what is said in a telephone or radio broadcast.
Question Name	N12ACS16B
Help Text	Answer Yes if you are blind or if you have a vision impairment that makes it very difficult to do things that other people of the same age do, such as read a newspaper or book, watch television, or drive a car, even while wearing glasses or other corrective lenses.
Question Name	N12ACS17A
Help Text	Answer Yes if it is sometimes or always very difficult or impossible to remember or concentrate, if you forget to eat, forget to take medication, if you have Alzheimer's disease or dementia, or if you have a serious learning disability.
Question Name	N12ACS17B
Help Text	Answer Yes if it is sometimes or always very difficult or impossible to walk three city blocks or to climb a flight of stairs.
Question Name	N12MAIN
Help Text	From the options provided, indicate which you consider to be your main type of condition or impairment. Select the option that has the most significant effect on your daily activities.
Question Name	N12EXTERNAL
Help Text	With the permission of NPSAS project staff, qualified external researchers may be permitted to work with RTI to invite some students to participate in future studies to learn more about their experiences after completing this survey. Your responses to the NPSAS survey will always remain confidential, because your privacy is protected by federal law and information we have collected cannot be disclosed or used in identifiable form, except as required by law (20 U.S.C. § 9573).

	Your participation in any future studies is completely voluntary, but there is no substitute for your response. It does not affect the token of appreciation you will receive from your participation in the NPSAS study. If you do elect to participate in future studies, their sponsor is required to inform you of the study's purpose, how your data will be used, and how it will be protected.
Question Name	N12PHYSH
Help Text	Please describe your general level of physical health. Physical health concerns can include illness and injury to the body.
Question Name	N12MENTH
Help Text	Please describe your general level of mental health. Examples of mental health concerns include depression, anxiety, loss of emotional control and lack of psychological well-being.
Question Name	N12MISSH
Help Text	Physical health concerns can include illness and injury to the body. Examples of mental health concerns include depression, anxiety, loss of emotional control and lack of psychological well-being.
Question Name	N12LINTRO
Help Text	This is an informational screen only. (Click the Next button.)
Question Name	N12NAME
Help Text	Verify that your name is correct and make any necessary changes.
Question Name	N12VERLOC
Help Text	Indicate which address is your local address. If your local address is not one of the addresses displayed or if you need to correct the spelling of the street or city, indicate Local address is different from above. Your local address is usually where you reside while you are attending [Y_NPSCHL].
Question Name	N12LOCADR
Help Text	Please provide the information for your local address. Verify all spelling. (Your zip code can be used to automatically fill in the city and state associated with that zip code. To do this, first enter your zip code and then click Automatically fill city and state from zip code). Your local address is typically where you reside while you are attending [Y_NPSCHL].

Question Name	N12P1AD1
Help Text	Provide information for your parent(s) or legal guardian(s). Verify the spelling of names, and the street and city where they live. (The zip code can be used to automatically fill in the city and state associated with that zip code. To do this, first enter your zip code and then click Automatically fill city and state from zip code). This information will help us locate you when we are conducting the follow-up survey about 2 years from now.
Question Name	N12P2SAME
Help Text	Answer Yes if you'd like to provide another parent's contact information. Your parents' contact information will help us locate you when we are conducting the follow-up survey about 2 years from now.
Question Name	N12P2AD2
Help Text	Provide information for your other parent(s) or legal guardian(s). Verify the spelling of names, and the street and city where they live. (The zip code can be used to automatically fill in the city and state associated with that zip code. To do this, first enter your zip code and then click Automatically fill city and state from zip code). This information will help us locate you when we are conducting the follow-up survey about 2 years from now.
Question Name	N12OTINFO
Help Text	Provide the requested information for your other contact. Please do not provide information for someone with whom you currently live. Verify the spelling of his or her name, street, and city. (The zip code can be used to automatically fill in the city and state associated with that zip code. To do this, first enter your zip code and then click Automatically fill city and state from zip code). This information will help us locate you when we are conducting the follow-up survey about 2 years from now.
Question Name	N12SPS
Help Text	Provide your spouse's first name, last name, and previous last name (if applicable). Verify that the spelling is correct.
Question Name	N12VERPRM
Help Text	Indicate which address is your permanent address. Your permanent address is usually your legal residence, which is typically defined as the residence where you are registered to vote, where you pay your local and state taxes, and where you maintain your driver's license and car registration. If you are under 24 years of age, or are dependent on parental support, your legal residence is usually the residence of your

	parents or legal guardians. Check your permanent address information for the correct spelling of street and city. If the address needs correction, indicate Permanent address is different from above. Also indicate Permanent address is different from above if your permanent address is not one of the addresses provided.
Question Name	N12PRMADR
Help Text	Provide the information for your permanent address. Verify the spelling of the street and city. (Your zip code can be used to automatically fill in the city and state associated with that zip code. To do this, first enter your zip code and then click Automatically fill city and state from zip code). Your permanent address is usually your legal residence, which is typically defined as the residence where you are registered to vote, where you pay your local and state taxes, and where you maintain your driver's license and car registration. If you are under 24 years of age, or are dependent on parental support, your legal residence is usually the residence of your parents or legal guardians. This information will help us locate you when we are conducting the follow-up survey about 2 years from now.
Question Name	N12EMAIL
Help Text	This information will help us locate you when we are conducting the follow-up survey about 2 years from now.
Question Name	N12TEXT
Help Text	If you would like to be sent a text message reminder about the follow-up survey, indicate the number provided if it is correct, or provide the correct number.
Question Name	N12CELLPRO
Help Text	Tell us who your cell phone service provider is so that we can contact you for the follow-up survey. If your provider is not listed, select the Other option.
Question Name	N12SSNINF
Help Text	Your Social Security number will be used to locate you for the purpose of a follow-up interview.
Question Name	INCENT
Help Text	Check the address information for the correct spelling of street and city. If the address you would like the incentive check mailed to needs correction, select Another address (so we can collect the corrected address on the next screen.)

	If you would like your incentive check mailed to an address that is not provided, select Another address or Provide address. If you do not want to receive the incentive check, indicate No thanks. I decline the incentive.
Question Name	INCENTADDR
Help Text	Provide the requested information for the address to which you would like the incentive check mailed. Verify the spelling of the street and city. (Your zip code can be used to automatically fill in the city and state associated with that zip code. To do this, first enter your zip code and then click Automatically fill city and state from zip code). If you do not want to receive the incentive check, indicate I decline the incentive.
Question Name	END
Help Text	This is an informational screen only. (Click the Finish button.)