

Q1 Please select the item that most closely captures your gender identity.

Answered: 151 Skipped: 0

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Male	29.80%	45
Female	68.87%	104
Other (please specify if desired)	1.32%	2
TOTAL		151

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY IF DESIRED)	DATE
1	non binary	11/29/2021 5:47 PM
2	will not specify	11/29/2021 2:34 PM

Q2 Please select the race/ ethnic category that best describes you.

Answered: 151 Skipped: 0

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Hispanic (All races)	25.17%	38
Black or African American (non-Hispanic)	60.93%	92
White (non-Hispanic)	4.64%	7
Asian (non-Hispanic)	3.97%	6
Multi-racial (non-Hispanic)	0.66%	1
Other	1.32%	2
Decline to answer	3.31%	5
TOTAL		151

Q3 How did you apply to Essex County College?

Answered: 151 Skipped: 0

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
As a first time college student	87.42%	132
As a transfer student	12.58%	19
TOTAL	151	

Q4 As a new transfer student, please rate your level of agreement with each of the following statements.

Answered: 17 Skipped: 134

	STRONGLY AGREE	SOMEWHAT AGREE	NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	STRONGLY DISAGREE	TOTAL
ECC's website contains easily searchable information specific to transfer students	23.53% 4	35.29% 6	5.88% 1	29.41% 5	5.88% 1	17
The social climate at ECC is welcoming to transfer students	47.06% 8	29.41% 5	23.53% 4	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	17
There are sufficient resources available to transfer students to make the transition easy	29.41% 5	35.29% 6	17.65% 3	11.76% 2	5.88% 1	17

Q5 What is your enrollment status?

Answered: 130 Skipped: 21

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Full-time	76.92%	100
Part-time	23.08%	30
TOTAL		130

Q6 Please tell us what other schools (excluding Essex County College) you applied to by typing them below. If you applied to more than five schools, please list your top five choices.

Answered: 44 Skipped: 107

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
College/University 1	100.00%	44
College/University 2	59.09%	26
College/University 3	34.09%	15
College/University 4	22.73%	10
College/University 5	13.64%	6

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1	Wayne State University	11/30/2021 4:31 PM
2	Kean University	11/30/2021 12:42 PM
3	essex county college	11/29/2021 7:04 PM
4	kean university	11/29/2021 5:48 PM
5	Berkeley College	11/29/2021 8:20 AM
6	Nill	11/26/2021 11:12 PM
7	Rutgers Newark	11/25/2021 8:14 PM
8	Bethune-Cookman University	11/24/2021 2:21 PM
9	Rutgers University	11/24/2021 12:16 PM
10	Delaware State	11/23/2021 9:13 AM
11	NJCT	11/22/2021 1:39 PM
12	Caldwell University	11/22/2021 8:34 AM
13	Rutgers University (Newark)	11/22/2021 7:53 AM
14	Rutgers	11/20/2021 4:03 PM
15	passaic county college	11/20/2021 11:48 AM
16	essex county	11/20/2021 10:30 AM
17	Passaic Community College	11/20/2021 8:51 AM
18	Union County College	11/19/2021 5:50 PM
19	William Paterson University	11/19/2021 2:16 PM
20	Bloomfield college	11/19/2021 1:20 PM
21	Bloomfield college	11/19/2021 11:53 AM
22	Colorado tech Springs	11/19/2021 11:35 AM
23	Union County College	11/19/2021 11:18 AM
24	Essex County College	11/19/2021 11:18 AM

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25	Essex County College	11/19/2021 11:06 AM
26	Rochester institute of technology	11/19/2021 11:03 AM
27	Middlesex County College	11/19/2021 9:17 AM
28	UNLV	11/18/2021 2:44 PM
29	Bloomfield college	11/18/2021 9:06 AM
30	Berkeley college	11/18/2021 7:28 AM
31	Hudson County College	11/18/2021 2:34 AM
32	Rutgers	11/17/2021 9:06 PM
33	Union county college	11/17/2021 2:36 PM
34	Essex County College	11/17/2021 1:45 PM
35	Essex county college	11/17/2021 12:49 PM
36	Bergen community college	11/17/2021 12:48 PM
37	Kean University	11/17/2021 12:18 PM
38	Montclair State University	11/17/2021 9:51 AM
39	Montclair	11/16/2021 9:54 PM
40	Rutgers	11/16/2021 7:46 PM
41	City College of New York	11/16/2021 7:25 PM
42	Kean University	11/16/2021 6:11 PM
43	College Of The New Jersey	11/16/2021 4:53 PM
44	Essex county college	11/16/2021 4:26 PM
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1	New Jersey Institute of Technology	11/30/2021 4:31 PM
2	Montclair State University	11/30/2021 12:42 PM
3	Rutgers University	11/29/2021 8:20 AM
4	Nill	11/26/2021 11:12 PM
5	Montclair	11/25/2021 8:14 PM
6	Daytona Beach community college	11/24/2021 2:21 PM
7	Rider	11/23/2021 9:13 AM
8	Rutgers	11/22/2021 1:39 PM
9	William Paterson	11/22/2021 8:34 AM
10	Bloomfield College	11/22/2021 7:53 AM
11	Montclair	11/20/2021 4:03 PM
12	Rutgers Newark	11/19/2021 2:16 PM
13	Essex County College	11/19/2021 1:20 PM
14	Pillar college	11/19/2021 11:53 AM
15	Rutgers New Jersey Medical School	11/19/2021 11:18 AM
16	Bergen County College	11/19/2021 9:17 AM
17	Montclair state university	11/18/2021 9:06 AM

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19	Montgomery college	11/17/2021 2:36 PM
20	Delaware valley	11/17/2021 12:48 PM
21	Rutgers University	11/17/2021 12:18 PM
22	Caldwell University	11/17/2021 9:51 AM
23	Ramapo	11/16/2021 9:54 PM
24	Montclair	11/16/2021 7:46 PM
25	Montclair State University	11/16/2021 7:25 PM
26	UMBC	11/16/2021 4:53 PM
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1	Rutgers University - Newark	11/30/2021 4:31 PM
2	Saint Elizabeth University	11/30/2021 12:42 PM
3	Nill	11/26/2021 11:12 PM
4	PC Age institute	11/24/2021 2:21 PM
5	Rutgers	11/23/2021 9:13 AM
6	Kean	11/22/2021 1:39 PM
7	Montclair state	11/22/2021 8:34 AM
8	Kean	11/20/2021 4:03 PM
9	TCNJ	11/19/2021 2:16 PM
10	Ocean County College	11/19/2021 9:17 AM
11	Kean university	11/18/2021 7:28 AM
12	Essex county college	11/17/2021 2:36 PM
13	Rutgers University- Newark	11/17/2021 9:51 AM
14	Bloomfield	11/16/2021 9:54 PM
15	NJIT	11/16/2021 4:53 PM
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1	Long Island University - Brooklyn	11/30/2021 4:31 PM
2	Nill	11/26/2021 11:12 PM
3	DeVry University	11/24/2021 2:21 PM
4	Lincoln	11/23/2021 9:13 AM
5	Kean University	11/22/2021 8:34 AM
6	Temple	11/19/2021 2:16 PM
7	Union County College	11/19/2021 9:17 AM
8	Bloomfield College	11/17/2021 9:51 AM
9	Rider	11/16/2021 9:54 PM
10	Middlesex	11/16/2021 4:53 PM
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1	Essex County College	11/30/2021 4:31 PM
2	Nill	11/26/2021 11:12 PM

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3	Columbia	11/19/2021 2:16 PM
4	Berkeley College	11/19/2021 9:17 AM
5	New Jersey City University	11/17/2021 9:51 AM
6	Fairleigh Dickenson	11/16/2021 9:54 PM

Q7 Among the schools to which you applied, was Essex County College your:

Answered: 133 Skipped: 18

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
First choice	74.44%	99
Second choice	10.53%	14
Third or lower	15.04%	20
TOTAL		133

Q8 What college was your first choice if not Essex County College?

Answered: 31 Skipped: 120

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Rutgers University - Newark	11/30/2021 4:31 PM
2	kean	11/29/2021 5:48 PM
3	Literally anywhere else	11/29/2021 8:39 AM
4	Bethune Cookman University	11/24/2021 2:21 PM
5	Rutgers	11/24/2021 1:28 PM
6	Kean	11/24/2021 12:07 PM
7	Rider University	11/23/2021 9:13 AM
8	Cedarville University	11/22/2021 12:39 PM
9	Montclair state	11/22/2021 8:35 AM
10	Bloomfield College	11/22/2021 7:53 AM
11	Temple University	11/20/2021 5:51 PM
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15	William Paterson University	11/19/2021 2:16 PM
16	Bloomfield college	11/19/2021 1:23 PM
17	Montclair state	11/19/2021 12:58 PM
18	Bloomfield college	11/19/2021 11:54 AM
19	rochester institute of technology	11/19/2021 11:04 AM
20	Hudson County College	11/18/2021 2:34 AM
21	Rutgers	11/17/2021 9:06 PM
22	Montgomery college	11/17/2021 2:36 PM
23	Bergen community college	11/17/2021 12:48 PM
24	New Jersey City University	11/17/2021 9:52 AM
25	Montclair	11/16/2021 9:55 PM
26	Seton Hall	11/16/2021 9:25 PM
27	Montclair State University	11/16/2021 7:25 PM
28	Kean University	11/16/2021 6:11 PM
29	Bloomfield College	11/16/2021 5:48 PM
30	NJIT	11/16/2021 4:53 PM
31	Montclair	11/16/2021 4:24 PM

Q9 There are many ways that you may have learned about Essex County College. Please indicate how influential each of the following sources of information was in your decision to apply to Essex County College.

Answered: 112 Skipped: 39

	VERY INFLUENTIAL	SOMEWHAT INFLUENTIAL	SLIGHTLY INFLUENTIAL	NO INFLUENCE	TOTAL
Billboard advertisements	15.74% 17	17.59% 19	12.96% 14	53.70% 58	108
Radio advertisements	13.08% 14	12.15% 13	7.48% 8	67.29% 72	107
Bus advertisements	12.96% 14	20.37% 22	11.11% 12	55.56% 60	108
Information sent in the mail	33.64% 36	9.35% 10	12.15% 13	44.86% 48	107
Social Media	23.58% 25	14.15% 15	10.38% 11	51.89% 55	106
College fairs	24.07% 26	22.22% 24	11.11% 12	42.59% 46	108
House of Worship Tour/Community events	12.15% 13	17.76% 19	10.28% 11	59.81% 64	107
High school guidance counselor	32.11% 35	15.60% 17	7.34% 8	44.95% 49	109
Educational Access Channel	15.74% 17	15.74% 17	11.11% 12	57.41% 62	108

Q10 Students base their decision to attend Essex County College on a variety of factors. Please rate how important each of the following was in your decision to attend Essex County College.

Answered: 114 Skipped: 37

	VERY IMPORTANT	SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	SLIGHTLY IMPORTANT	NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	TOTAL
Price of tuition	80.70% 92	11.40% 13	4.39% 5	3.51% 4	114
Campus location	81.58% 93	8.77% 10	6.14% 7	3.51% 4	114
Academic facilities	62.83% 71	19.47% 22	8.85% 10	8.85% 10	113
Racial and ethnic diversity	49.56% 56	17.70% 20	10.62% 12	22.12% 25	113
Academic program selection	70.80% 80	16.81% 19	6.19% 7	6.19% 7	113
Student support services (e.g., free childcare)	59.29% 67	13.27% 15	7.96% 9	19.47% 22	113

Q11 Did you apply for financial aid?

Answered: 118 Skipped: 33

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	80.51%	95
No	19.49%	23
TOTAL		118

Q12 Please rate your level of agreement with the following statements:

Answered: 91 Skipped: 60

	STRONGLY AGREE	AGREE	DISAGREE	STRONGLY DISAGREE	TOTAL
The financial aid office communicated with me in a timely manner	47.78% 43	34.44% 31	13.33% 12	4.44% 4	90
The financial aid office was helpful	50.55% 46	28.57% 26	17.58% 16	3.30% 3	91
The financial aid office clearly communicated with me	45.45% 40	31.82% 28	19.32% 17	3.41% 3	88
The amount of financial aid I received was what I expected	47.73% 42	31.82% 28	12.50% 11	7.95% 7	88

Q13 Do you have any concern about your ability to finance your college education?

Answered: 105 Skipped: 46

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
No, I am confident that I will have sufficient funds	24.76%	26
Some concern, but I will probably have enough funds	39.05%	41
Major concern, I am not sure that I will have enough funds to complete college	36.19%	38
TOTAL		105

Q14 As you start your academic career at Essex County College, are you worried about paying for any of the following? (please select all that apply)

Answered: 83 Skipped: 68

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Food	38.55%	32
Housing	36.14%	30
Transportation	50.60%	42
Textbooks	42.17%	35
Family expenses	51.81%	43
Medical bills/health care	37.35%	31
Other (please specify)	13.25%	11
Total Respondents: 83		

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Cat medical bills	11/29/2021 8:45 AM
2	Additional Fees that occur when I register for classes	11/20/2021 3:32 PM
3	Classes	11/20/2021 8:57 AM
4	Help my youngest to go college graduate college	11/19/2021 10:21 PM
5	Tuition	11/19/2021 2:38 PM
6	Bills	11/19/2021 2:19 PM
7	Child Care	11/19/2021 1:16 PM
8	Computer	11/18/2021 2:47 PM
9	Classes	11/17/2021 8:39 AM
10	I am in need of cash to pay next semester tuition. I'm an International student and I can't access financial aid; can you help me with my needs?	11/16/2021 5:04 PM
11	Babysitter	11/16/2021 4:30 PM

Q15 During your first year at Essex County College, how many hours do you plan to work on average per week?

Answered: 102 Skipped: 49

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
None	15.69%	16
1-10	12.75%	13
11-20	20.59%	21
21-30	18.63%	19
31-40	23.53%	24
More than 40	8.82%	9
TOTAL		102

Q16 During your first year at ECC, how difficult do you expect the following to be?

Answered: 106 Skipped: 45

	VERY DIFFICULT	SOMEWHAT DIFFICULT	SLIGHTLY DIFFICULT	NOT AT ALL DIFFICULT	TOTAL
Understanding the registration process/deadlines	13.21% 14	29.25% 31	34.91% 37	22.64% 24	106
Learning course material	9.71% 10	33.98% 35	34.95% 36	21.36% 22	103
Managing time	26.92% 28	28.85% 30	26.92% 28	17.31% 18	104
Getting help with schoolwork/tutoring	13.59% 14	17.48% 18	35.92% 37	33.01% 34	103
Knowing what courses to take/advisement	19.23% 20	18.27% 19	32.69% 34	29.81% 31	104
Making friends	24.76% 26	14.29% 15	18.10% 19	42.86% 45	105
Interacting with faculty	11.43% 12	16.19% 17	19.05% 20	53.33% 56	105
Getting help with personal issues	15.69% 16	15.69% 16	22.55% 23	46.08% 47	102

Q17 What is the highest level of formal education obtained by your mother (or guardian)?

Answered: 102 Skipped: 49

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Elementary school or less	11.76%	12
Some high school	15.69%	16
High school graduate or GED	22.55%	23
Vocational or trade school	1.96%	2
Some college	24.51%	25
Undergraduate college degree	14.71%	15
Some graduate school	0.00%	0
Graduate degree	8.82%	9
TOTAL		102

Q18 What is the highest level of formal education obtained by your father (or guardian)?

Answered: 99 Skipped: 52

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Elementary school or less	9.09%	9
Some high school	22.22%	22
High school graduate or GED	27.27%	27
Vocational or trade school	5.05%	5
Some college	19.19%	19
Undergraduate college degree	8.08%	8
Some graduate school	0.00%	0
Graduate degree	9.09%	9
TOTAL		99