



NSSE 2020
Selected Comparison Groups
Minot State University

Comparison Groups

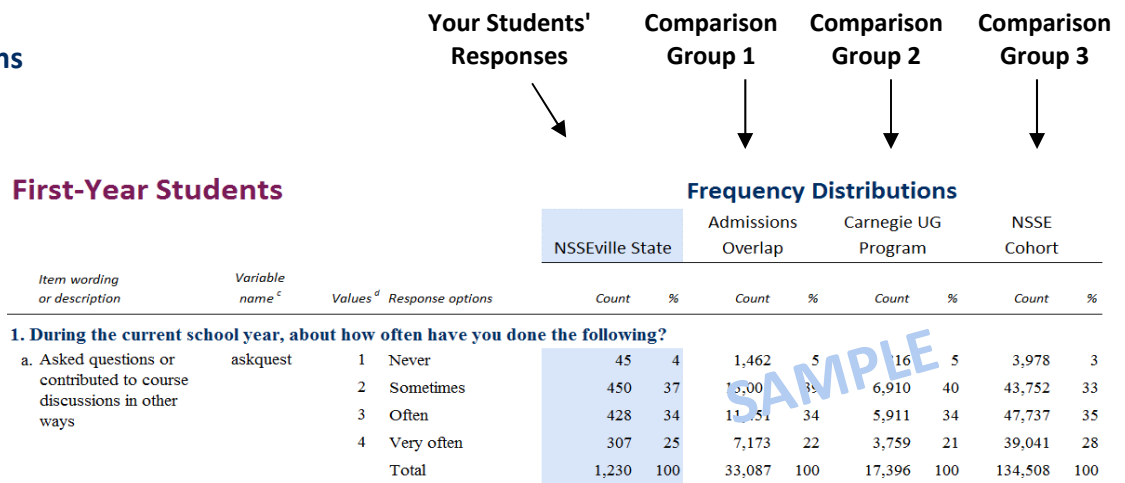
The NSSE *Institutional Report* displays core survey results for your students alongside those of three comparison groups. In May, your institution was invited to customize these groups via a form on the Institution Interface. This report summarizes how your comparison groups were constructed and lists the institutions within them.

NSSE comparison groups may be customized by (a) identifying specific institutions from the list of all 2019 and 2020 NSSE participants, (b) composing the group by selecting institutional characteristics, or (c) a combination of these. Institutions that chose not to customize received default groups^a that provide relevant comparisons for most institutions.

Institutions that appended additional question sets in the form of Topical Modules or through consortium participation were also invited to customize comparison groups for those reports. The default for those groups was all other 2019 and 2020 institutions where the questions were administered. Comparison group details for Topical Module and consortium reports are documented separately in those reports.

Report Comparisons

Comparison groups are located in the institutional reports as illustrated in the mock report at right. In this example, the three groups are "Admissions Overlap," "Carnegie UG Program," and "NSSE Cohort."



Reading This Report

This report consists of three sections that provide details for each of your comparison groups, illustrated at right.

Comparison Group Name
The name assigned to the comparison group is listed here.

How Group was Constructed
Indicates whether your group was drawn from a list, built based on criteria, or is the default group. If institutional characteristics were used to build your comparison group, they are listed here.

Institution List
The names, cities and states or provinces of the comparison institutions are listed for your reference. NSSE 2019 participants are identified with an asterisk.

Comparison Group 1: Admissions Overlap
This section summarizes how this group was identified, including selection criteria and whether the default group was used. This is followed by the resulting list of institutions in this group.

Date submitted: 5/29/2020

How was this comparison group constructed? Your institution customized this comparison group by selecting from the list of all NSSE participants.

Group description (as provided by your institution): All other current- and prior-year participants with the same Carnegie Classification and sector in our region.

Admissions Overlap (N=20)

- Albertus Magnus College (New Haven, CT)*
- American International College (Springfield, MA)
- Anna Maria College (Faxon, MA)
- Bryant University (Smithfield, RI)
- Christy College (Shawingon, VT)*
- College of Our Lady of the Elms (Chicopee, MA)
- Cary College (Elton, MA)*
- Franklin Pierce University (Rindge, NH)

a. The default groups are:
 Comparison Group 1: For institutions not in a NSSE consortium, this group contains 2019 and 2020 NSSE institutions in the same geographic region and sector (public/private). For consortium institutions, it contains results for the other 2019 (if applicable) and 2020 consortium members.
 Comparison Group 2: All other 2019 and 2020 U.S. NSSE institutions sharing your institution's Basic Carnegie Classification. (Canadian institutions are not classified by the Carnegie Foundation, and must identify a comparison group.)
 Comparison Group 3: All other 2019 and 2020 U.S. NSSE institutions (2019 and 2020 Canadian participants are also included in this group for Canadian institutions).

Comparison Group 1: Aspirational Peerd

This section summarizes how this group was identified, including selection criteria and whether the default group was used. This is followed by the resulting list of institutions in this group.

Date submitted	5/27/20
How was this comparison group constructed?	Your institution customized this comparison group by selecting from the list of all 2019 and 2020 NSSE participants.
Group description (as provided by your institution)	All other current- and prior-year (if applicable) NSSE institutions sharing your NSSE consortium "Consortium of Online Learning"

Aspirational Peerd (N=25)

- Black Hills State University (Spearfish, SD)
- Chadron State College (Chadron, NE)
- Dakota State University (Madison, SD)
- Emporia State University (Emporia, KS)
- Iowa State University (Ames, IA)
- Kansas State University (Manhattan, KS)*
- Mayville State University (Mayville, ND)
- Minnesota State University Moorhead (Moorhead, MN)*
- Minnesota State University, Mankato (Mankato, MN)
- Nevada State College (Henderson, NV)
- North Dakota State University (Fargo, ND)
- Northern State University (Aberdeen, SD)
- Pittsburg State University (Pittsburg, KS)
- South Dakota State University (Brookings, SD)
- St. Cloud State University (Saint Cloud, MN)*
- SUNY-Buffalo State College (Buffalo, NY)
- University of Mary (Bismarck, ND)
- University of Minnesota Duluth (Duluth, MN)
- University of Nebraska at Kearney (Kearney, NE)*
- University of North Dakota (Grand Forks, ND)*
- University of Northern Iowa (Cedar Falls, IA)
- University of South Dakota (Vermillion, SD)
- University of St. Thomas (Saint Paul, MN)
- Valley City State University (Valley City, ND)*
- Winona State University (Winona, MN)*

Comparison Group 2: Carnegie Class

This section summarizes how this group was identified, including selection criteria and whether the default group was used. This is followed by the resulting list of institutions in this group.

Date submitted	5/27/20
How was this comparison group constructed?	Your institution retained the default comparison group (Carnegie Classification). Your default group is: Basic Classification (Master's M)
Group description (as provided by your institution)	All other current- and prior-year NSSE institutions sharing your institution's 2018 Basic Carnegie Classification "Master's M: Master's Colleges and Universities (medium programs)"

Carnegie Class (N=107)

Alabama State University (Montgomery, AL)	Hope International University (Fullerton, CA)*
Albany State University (Albany, GA)	Humboldt State University (Arcata, CA)*
Alcorn State University (Alcorn State, MS)	Indiana Institute of Technology (Fort Wayne, IN)
Alvernia University (Reading, PA)*	John Brown University (Siloam Springs, AR)
Anna Maria College (Paxton, MA)*	John Carroll University (University Heights, OH)
Assumption College (Worcester, MA)*	Keuka College (Keuka Park, NY)
Bryant University (Smithfield, RI)*	King's College (Wilkes-Barre, PA)*
Buena Vista University (Storm Lake, IA)*	La Sierra University (Riverside, CA)*
California State University-Channel Islands (Camarillo, CA)	Lincoln University (Lincoln University, PA)
California State University, Monterey Bay (Seaside, CA)	Lock Haven University (Lock Haven, PA)*
Cameron University (Lawton, OK)*	Longwood University (Farmville, VA)
Capital University (Columbus, OH)*	Marian University (Indianapolis, IN)*
Chadron State College (Chadron, NE)	Mercyhurst University (Erie, PA)*
Charleston Southern University (Charleston, SC)	Messiah College (Mechanicsburg, PA)
Chestnut Hill College (Philadelphia, PA)	Milligan University (Milligan College, TN)*
Clayton State University (Morrow, GA)	Minnesota State University Moorhead (Moorhead, MN)*
College of Our Lady of the Elms (Chicopee, MA)	Mississippi University for Women (Columbus, MS)*
College of Saint Elizabeth (Morristown, NJ)	Missouri Western State University (Saint Joseph, MO)*
Concord University (Athens, WV)*	Montana State University Billings (Billings, MT)*
Cornerstone University (Grand Rapids, MI)*	Mount Mary University (Milwaukee, WI)*
Cumberland University (Lebanon, TN)	Mount Mercy University (Cedar Rapids, IA)*
Dominican University of California (San Rafael, CA)*	Mount Saint Mary College (Newburgh, NY)
Drury University (Springfield, MO)	Mount St. Mary's University (Emmitsburg, MD)*
Eastern Mennonite University (Harrisonburg, VA)	Mount Vernon Nazarene University (Mount Vernon, OH)*
Fayetteville State University (Fayetteville, NC)	Naropa University (Boulder, CO)
Felician University (Lodi, NJ)*	Nebraska Wesleyan University (Lincoln, NE)
Florida Southern College (Lakeland, FL)	Norfolk State University (Norfolk, VA)
Fort Valley State University (Fort Valley, GA)	North Central College (Naperville, IL)
Franklin Pierce University (Rindge, NH)*	Northwest University (Kirkland, WA)*
Geneva College (Beaver Falls, PA)*	Notre Dame de Namur University (Belmont, CA)*
Georgia Southwestern State University (Americus, GA)	Otterbein University (Westerville, OH)
Georgian Court University (Lakewood, NJ)*	Pacific Lutheran University (Tacoma, WA)
Grace College and Theological Seminary (Winona Lake, IN)*	Peru State College (Peru, NE)*
Hardin-Simmons University (Abilene, TX)*	Ramapo College of New Jersey (Mahwah, NJ)
Henderson State University (Arkadelphia, AR)*	Saint Martin's University (Lacey, WA)*

*2019 participant

Carnegie Class (N=107), continued

Seton Hill University (Greensburg, PA)*
Southeastern University (Lakeland, FL)*
Southern Adventist University (Collegedale, TN)*
Southern University at New Orleans (New Orleans, LA)
Southwest Minnesota State University (Marshall, MN)*
St. Bonaventure University (Saint Bonaventure, NY)*
State University of New York at Fredonia (Fredonia, NY)
State University of New York at Potsdam, The (Potsdam, NY)
SUNY College at Plattsburgh (Plattsburgh, NY)
Texas A&M University - Texarkana (Texarkana, TX)
Texas A&M University-Central Texas (Killeen, TX)*
Thomas More University (Crestview Hills, KY)
Truman State University (Kirksville, MO)
Tusculum University (Greeneville, TN)*
Tuskegee University (Tuskegee, AL)*
University of Arkansas at Monticello (Monticello, AR)*
University of Dubuque (Dubuque, IA)
University of Guam (Mangilao, GU)
University of Lynchburg (Lynchburg, VA)
University of Mary Washington (Fredericksburg, VA)
University of Minnesota Duluth (Duluth, MN)
University of Montevallo (Montevallo, AL)
University of North Georgia (Dahlonega, GA)
University of North Texas at Dallas (Dallas, TX)
University of Sacred Heart (Santurce, PR)*
University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire (Eau Claire, WI)
University of Wisconsin-Green Bay (Green Bay, WI)
University of Wisconsin-River Falls (River Falls, WI)
Ursuline College (Pepper Pike, OH)
Virginia State University (Petersburg, VA)*
Wagner College (Staten Island, NY)
Walsh University (North Canton, OH)*
Waynesburg University (Waynesburg, PA)
Western Connecticut State University (Danbury, CT)*
Westfield State University (Westfield, MA)
Whitworth University (Spokane, WA)*
Winston-Salem State University (Winston-Salem, NC)

Comparison Group 3: NSSE 2019 & 2020

This section summarizes how this group was identified, including selection criteria and whether the default group was used. This is followed by the resulting list of institutions in this group.

Date submitted	5/27/20
How was this comparison group constructed?	Your institution retained the default comparison group (NSSE 2019 and 2020 U.S. institutions).
Group description (as provided by your institution)	All other current- and prior-year (if applicable) U.S. NSSE institutions

NSSE 2019 & 2020 (N=881)

All other NSSE 2019 and 2020 U.S. participants

View list at <https://nsse.indiana.edu/doc/nsse2019and2020.docx>