

**CCSSE & Modesto Junior College
2017 Special-Focus Items**

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Mark only one response for each question.

Question	Responses
1. Since your first academic term <u>at this college</u> , have you met (in person or online) with an academic advisor before registering for classes each term?	A= Yes, before every academic term B= Yes, before some academic terms, but not all C= No
2. Prior to registering for classes before this academic term <u>at this college</u> , were you required to meet (in person or online) with an academic advisor?	A= Yes B= No
3. During this academic term <u>at this college</u> , how many times have you met (in person or online) with an academic advisor?	A= None B= Once C= Twice D= More than twice
4. During this academic term <u>at this college</u> , if you have met (in person or online) with an academic advisor more than once, did you meet with the same academic advisor each time?	A= Yes B= No C= I have only met with an academic advisor once this academic term <u>at this college</u> D= I have not met with an academic advisor during this academic term <u>at this college</u>
5. During your most recent meeting (in person or online) with an academic advisor during this academic term <u>at this college</u> , he or she discussed when your next advising session should be.	A= Yes B= No C= I have not met with an academic advisor during this academic term <u>at this college</u>
6. How well-informed are you about personal progress toward your educational goal?	A= Very informed (my educational goal is clear) B= Somewhat informed (I have a general understanding) C= I am confused about my educational goals
7. Please select from the choices below the response that best represents your educational plan status:	A= I have completed my educational plan and am following it B= I have completed my educational plan, but am not following it C= I don't understand where I'm at in my educational plan D= I have not completed my educational plan, but intend to do so in the near future E= I have not completed an educational plan and do not intend to complete one
8. What is your primary electronic study device?	A= Personal laptop computer B= Personal desktop computer C= Tablet computer (iPad or other) D= Personal smart phone E= When I need an electronic study tool, I primarily use one at work, in a library, or borrow from a friend

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9. During the current academic year at this college, I feel like I belong.	A= Strongly disagree B= Disagree C= Neutral D= Agree E= Strongly agree
10. During the current academic year at this college, my instructors have expressed high expectations of me.	A= Strongly disagree B= Disagree C= Neutral D= Agree E= Strongly agree
11. If you are required to complete one or more basic skills courses at MJC, what would be your reason for not yet registering in one?	A= My required basic skills course(s) conflict with other course offerings I want to take B= Basic skills courses tend to fill up before I am able to register for them C= I want to wait to take the required courses til later in the year D= I am not required to complete a basic skills course
12. How likely is it that the following issues would cause you to withdraw from a basic skills course?	A= I feel academically underprepared for the course B= I found the course to be either boring or very hard to understand C= The instructor seems unapproachable or not helpful D= I have too many basic skills courses that I am required to complete
13. How could our current course scheduling options be improved?	A= Provide more late-afternoon or evening courses B= Provide more online courses C= Provide more sections of required basic skills or General Education courses D= Offer more courses on Friday E= I am happy with current course scheduling at MJC
14. How satisfied are you that your instructors provide timely (efficient) grades or feedback on your course assignments or final course grades?	A= Very dissatisfied B= Strongly dissatisfied C= Neutral D= Somewhat satisfied E= Very satisfied
15. Do you feel that your instructors care about your success as a student?	A= Yes B= No C= I'm not sure D= Some do, but others don't seem to

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16. Are you progressing as quickly as you desire toward completing your educational goal at MJC?	A= No B= Not sure C= Yes
17. Do you think that you have sufficient financial resources (including access to financial aid) to enable you to complete your studies at MJC without financial hardship?	A= No B= Not sure, but this is an issue that often concerns me C= Yes
18. During the past six months, have you experienced emotional or psychological distress that has affected your ability to succeed in your classes at MJC?	A= No B= Yes, but I feel that I have been able to manage C= Yes, and I want to learn more about resources and people at MJC that can help me
19. If you were to experience difficulty with persisting in your studies at MJC, do you feel confident that there is someone you could talk to at the College who could help you explore your options?	A= No B= Not sure C= Yes
20. To what extent is MJC a safe environment for you—that is, an environment free of harassment of any kind (racial, sexual, or other harassment)?	A= Yes, it is a safe environment B= No, it is not a safe environment

