

NSSE 2016 Experiences with Information Literacy

Frequencies and Statistical Comparisons Brenau University

First-Year Students

				Frequency Distributions ^a				Statistical Comparisons ^b			
				Brenau		Information Literacy		Brenau	Information Literacy		
Item wording or description	Variable name	Values ^c	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	Effect size ^d	
1. During the current school year, a	bout how of	ten have v	ou done the following								
a. Completed an assignment that used	INL01a	1	Never	2	3	520	2				
an information source (book,		2	Sometimes	12	14	4,527	20				
article, website, etc.) other than required course readings		3	Often	30	36	8,301	36	3.3	3.2	.13	
		4	Very often	40	48	9,536	42				
			Total	84	100	22,884	100				
b. Worked on a paper or project that	INL01b	1	Never	1	1	1,188	5				
had multiple smaller assignments		2	Sometimes	17	20	5,765	26				
such as an outline, annotated		3	Often	35	42	8,649	37	3.1	2.9	.21	
bibliography, rough draft, etc.		4	Very often	30	36	7,203	31				
			Total	83	100	22,805	100				
c. Received feedback from an	INL01c	1	Never	4	5	1,194	6				
instructor that improved your use		2	Sometimes	16	19	6,204	27				
of information resources (source		3	Often	34	41	8,948	38	3.1	2.9	.18	
selection, proper citation, etc.)		4	Very often	30	36	6,417	29				
			Total	84	100	22,763	100				
d. Completed an assignment that used	INL01d	1	Never	17	20	4,295	18				
the library's electronic collection of		2	Sometimes	18	21	7,661	32				
articles, books, and journals		3	Often	21	25	6,211	27	2.7	2.5	.17	
(JSTOR, EBSCO, LexisNexis, ProQuest, etc.)		4	Very often	28	33	4,609	22				
110Quest, etc.)			Total	84	100	22,776	100				
e. Decided not to use an information	INL01e	1	Never	19	24	5,764	26				
source in a course assignment due		2	Sometimes	29	34	9,022	39				
to its questionable quality		3	Often	21	25	5,343	23	2.3	2.2	.15	
		4	Very often	14	17	2,635	12				
			Total	83	100	22,764	100				
f. Changed the focus of a paper or	INL01f	1	Never	10	12	3,742	17				
project based on information you found while researching the topic		2	Sometimes	29	35	9,844	44				
		3	Often	25	30	6,212	26	2.6	2.3 **	.32	
		4	Very often	19	23	2,941	13		<u> </u>		
			Total	83	100	22,739	100				
g. Looked for a reference that was	INL01g	1	Never	7	9	3,769	15				
cited in something you read		2	Sometimes	26	32	8,288	36				
		3	Often	31	38	7,036	31	2.7	2.5 *	.23	
		4	Very often	18	22	3,627	17		Δ		
			Total	82	100	22,720	100				
h. Identified how a book, article, or creative work has contributed to a field of study	INL01h	1	Never	14	16	4,513	19				
		2	Sometimes	25	30	8,529	37				
		3	Often	30	36	6,349	28	2.5	2.4	.17	
		4	Very often	15	18	3,283	15				
			Total	84	100	22,674	100				
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