

2014 & 2018 CAMPUS REPORT

Student Voting Rates for
De Anza College

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About This Report

Thank you for participating in the National Study of Learning, Voting, and Engagement (NSLVE). Since NSLVE's launch in 2013, more than 1,000 colleges and universities have signed up to receive their voting rates for the 2012, 2014, 2016 and 2018 federal elections. Along with others, your institution's participation in this study has helped us build a robust database for research on more than 10 million de-identified student records for each election year.

NSLVE is a signature initiative of the Institute for Democracy and Higher Education (IDHE) at Tufts University's Jonathan M. Tisch College of Civic Life. IDHE is an applied research center focused on college and university student political learning and participation in democracy. IDHE researchers study voting, campus conditions for political learning and discussion, closing equity gaps in participation, and increasing student agency and participation. We accomplish our goals through research, resource development, assisting institutions and the higher education community, and advocacy.

About the Data

The voter registration and voting rates in this report reflect the percentage of your institution's students who were eligible to vote and who voted in the 2014 and 2018 elections. These results are based on enrollment records your institution submitted to the National Student Clearinghouse and publicly available voting files collected by Catalist. We exclude FERPA-blocked records. (For exceptions for campuses with disproportionately high numbers of FERPA blocked students, see our Campus Reports FAQ.)

The institutional voting rates reported on page 3 are adjusted by deducting an estimated number of students identified by each institution as non-resident aliens and reported to the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS). For breakdowns by student characteristics in subsequent pages of the report, we cannot consistently adjust for students who are ineligible to vote: non-resident aliens (international students), resident aliens (undocumented students), and students who have been disenfranchised due to a felony conviction. As a result, your institution's actual voting rate may be higher than we report. If you have access to more complete data for students who are ineligible to vote, you may recalculate your rates by using the Recalculation Tool -

<https://idhe.tufts.edu/nslve-recalculation-tool>.

To read more about NSLVE data, see our Campus Reports FAQ - <https://idhe.tufts.edu/nslve/frequently-asked-questions>.

Reviewing the Data

Use the following key to interpret the charts:

- * = number of students is less than 10
- n/a = no data was collected or calculated for this field.

What to do next?

☐ Review the data and identify your challenges and opportunities. This report provides comparisons between subgroups of your students and with similar institutions. For more comparisons or to see national voter registration and voting rates, read our national report, Democracy Counts 2018. To access our data portals - <https://idhe.tufts.edu/public-data-portal-visualizations>.

☐ Share the report widely and strategically by sharing it with institutional leaders, faculty across disciplines, student government leaders, and other student groups.

☐ Read and implement *Election Imperatives*, ten recommendations for improving your campus climate for student political learning, discourse, equity, and participation - <https://idhe.tufts.edu/electionimperatives>.

☐ Work with us. IDHE can help via virtual office hours, webinars, brown bag discussions, coaching, and in-person workshops.

For up-to-date news on NSLVE data, resources and upcoming opportunities visit our website: <https://idhe.tufts.edu/>.

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We appreciate hearing from you! Please email us at NSLVE@tufts.edu.

Warm regards,

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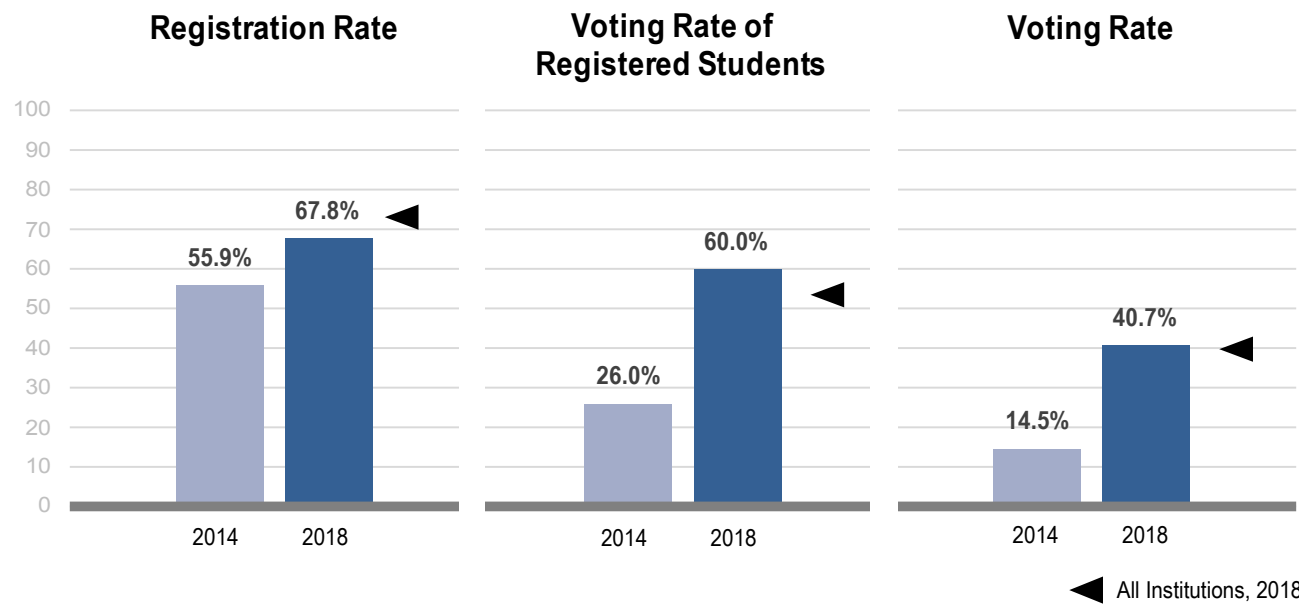
YOUR STUDENTS' VOTING DATA | MIDTERM ELECTIONS

Voting and Registration Rates

2018 Voting Rate
40.7%

CHANGE FROM 2014
+26.2

2018 VOTING RATE FOR ALL INSTITUTIONS
39.1%



	2014	2018	Change
Total student enrollment	19,758	16,684	↓ -3,074
Age under 18/Unknown	(500)	(522)	
IPEDS estimated non-resident aliens	(1,758)	(1,546)	
FERPA records blocked	*	*	
Total eligible voters	17,494	14,610	↓ -2,884
Number of students who registered	9,776	9,910	↑ 134
Number of students who voted	2,537	5,949	↑ 3,412
Registration rate	55.9%	67.8%	↑ 12.0
Voting rate of registered students	26.0%	60.0%	↑ 34.1
Voting rate	14.5%	40.7%	↑ 26.2
Difference from all institutions	-5.2	+1.6	

HOW YOUR NUMBERS COMPARE | MIDTERM ELECTIONS

By Carnegie Classification

2014 Voting Rate
for All Institutions

19.7%

HIGH
54.0%

LOW
1.5%

2018 Voting Rate
for All Institutions

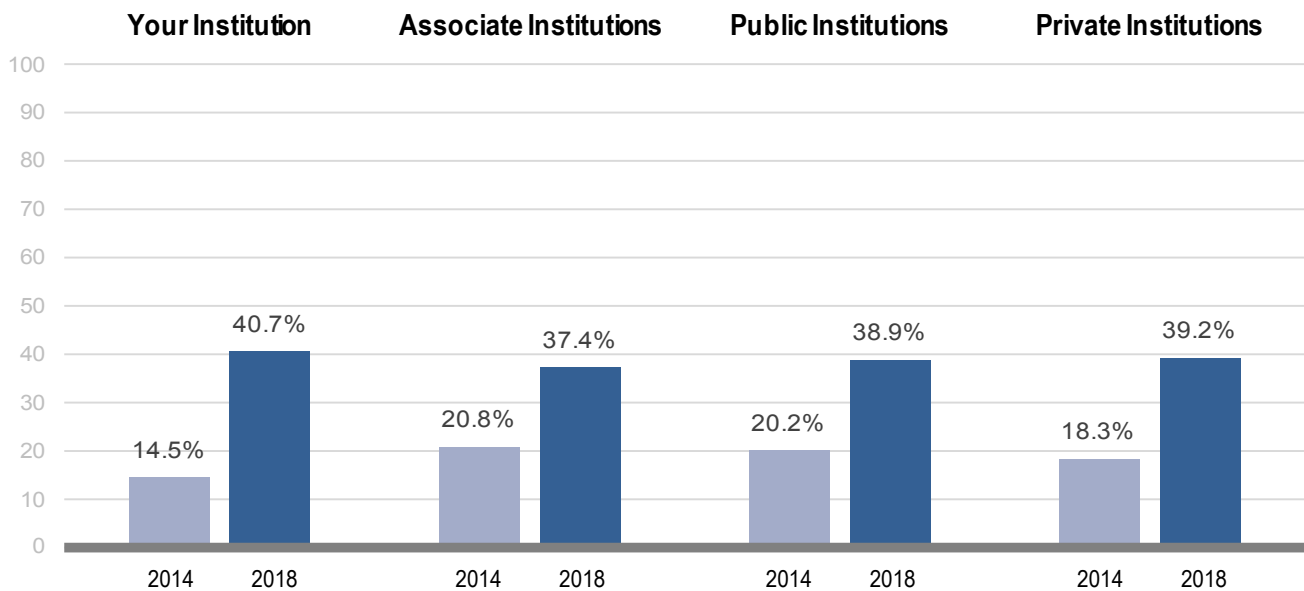
39.1%

HIGH
64.1%

LOW
11.5%

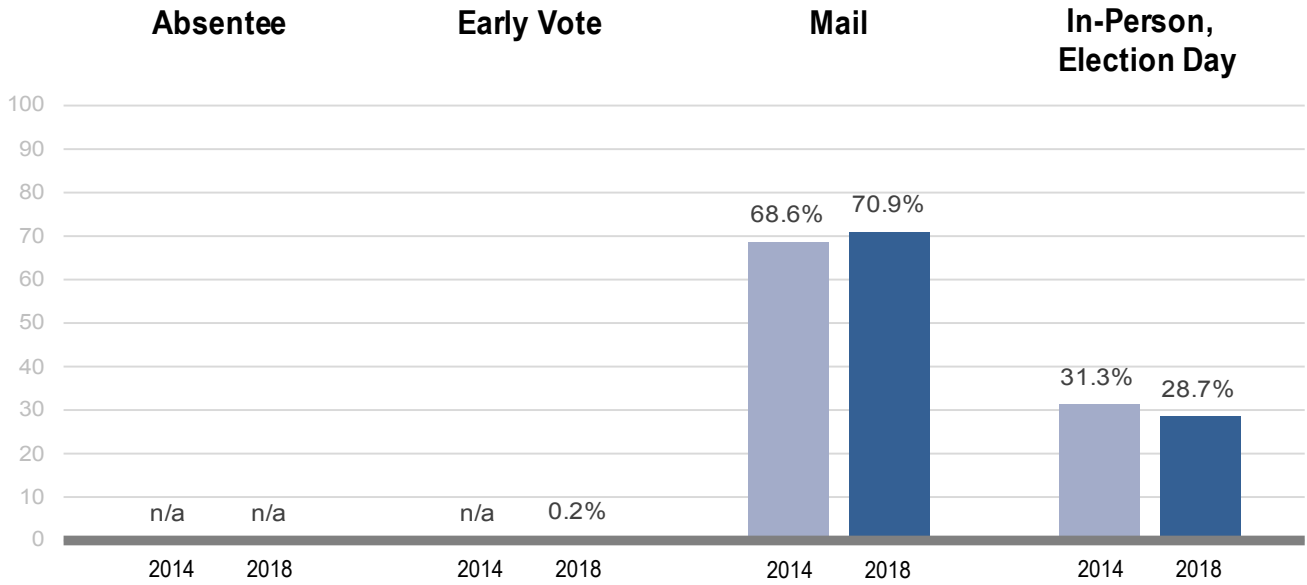
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By Voting Method*

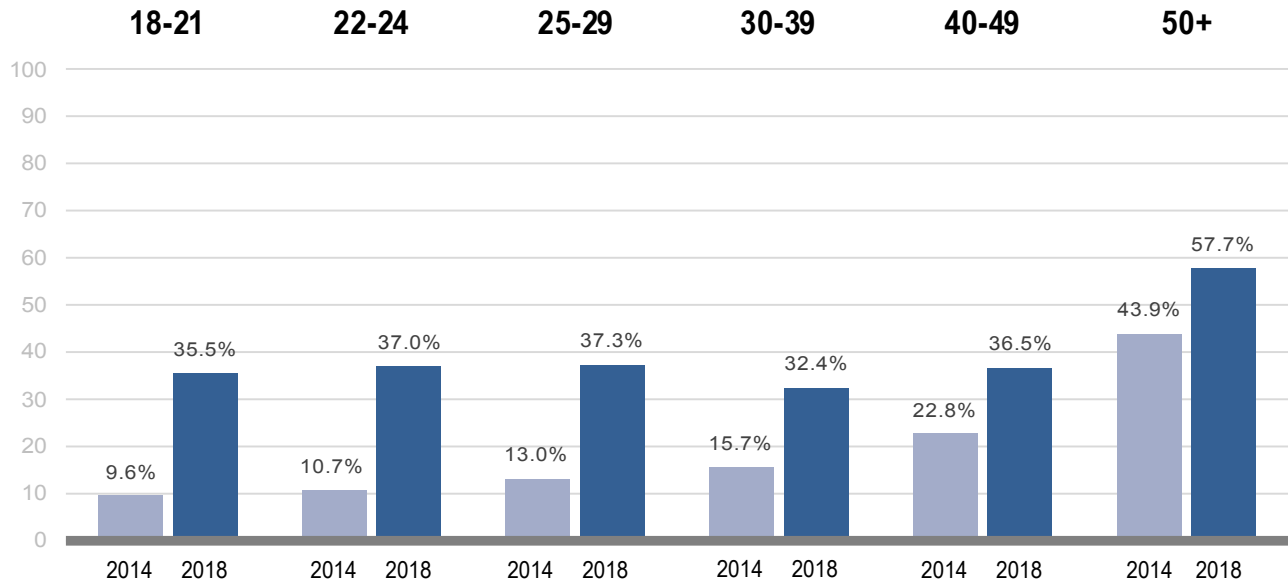


	2014		2018		Change
	Voted	Rate	Voted	Rate	
Absentee	0	n/a	*	n/a	n/a
Early Vote	0	n/a	12	0.2%	n/a
Mail	1,739	68.6%	4,220	70.9%	↑ 2.4
In-Person, Election Day	795	31.3%	1,709	28.7%	↓ -2.6
Unknown	*	n/a	*	n/a	
Total	2,537		5,949		

* Your students' data broken down by voting method. If your campus has a high number of voting method "Unknown", it means that this information was not reported by local officials where your students voted.

YOUR STUDENTS' VOTING DATA | MIDTERM ELECTIONS

By Age Group*

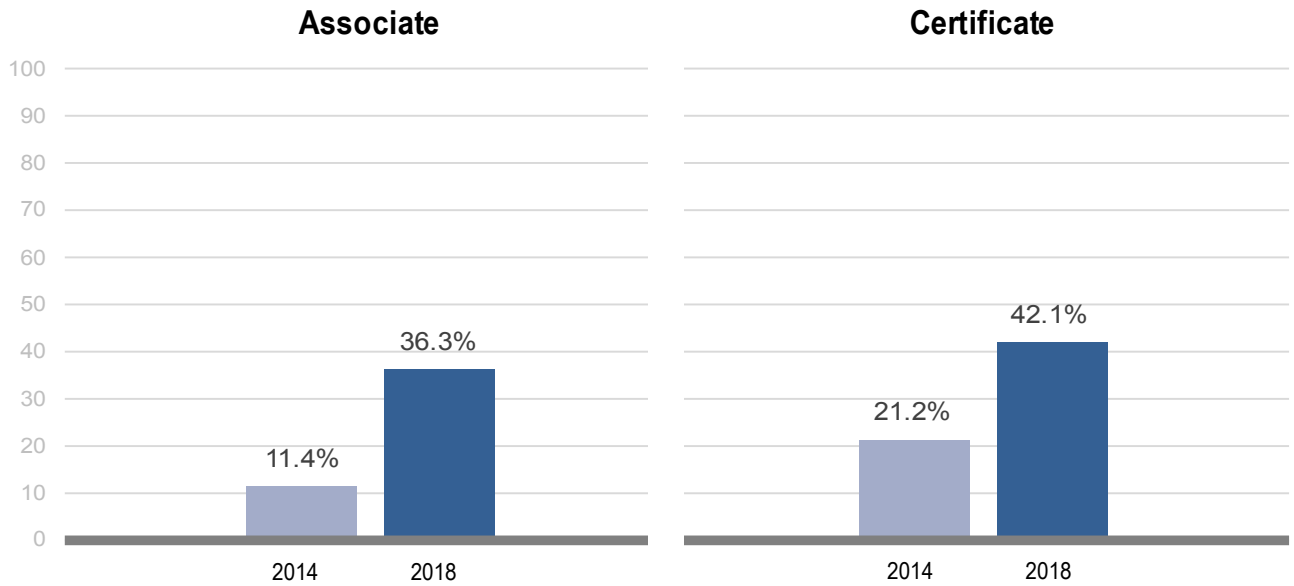


	2014			2018			Change
	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	
18-21	9,957	959	9.6%	8,115	2,883	35.5%	↑ 25.9
22-24	3,126	335	10.7%	2,689	994	37.0%	↑ 26.3
25-29	2,429	315	13.0%	2,102	784	37.3%	↑ 24.3
30-39	1,820	285	15.7%	1,675	543	32.4%	↑ 16.8
40-49	944	215	22.8%	773	282	36.5%	↑ 13.7
50+	976	428	43.9%	802	463	57.7%	↑ 13.9
Unknown	0			0			

* Your students' data broken down by age at the time of the election. To provide more accurate voting rates, students ineligible to vote because they were too young, students whose age data was not reported to the Clearinghouse, as well as records that were FERPA blocked are removed from this table. Please note that we are not able to adjust these voting rates by removing non-resident aliens, resident aliens or undocumented students.

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By Program of Study*

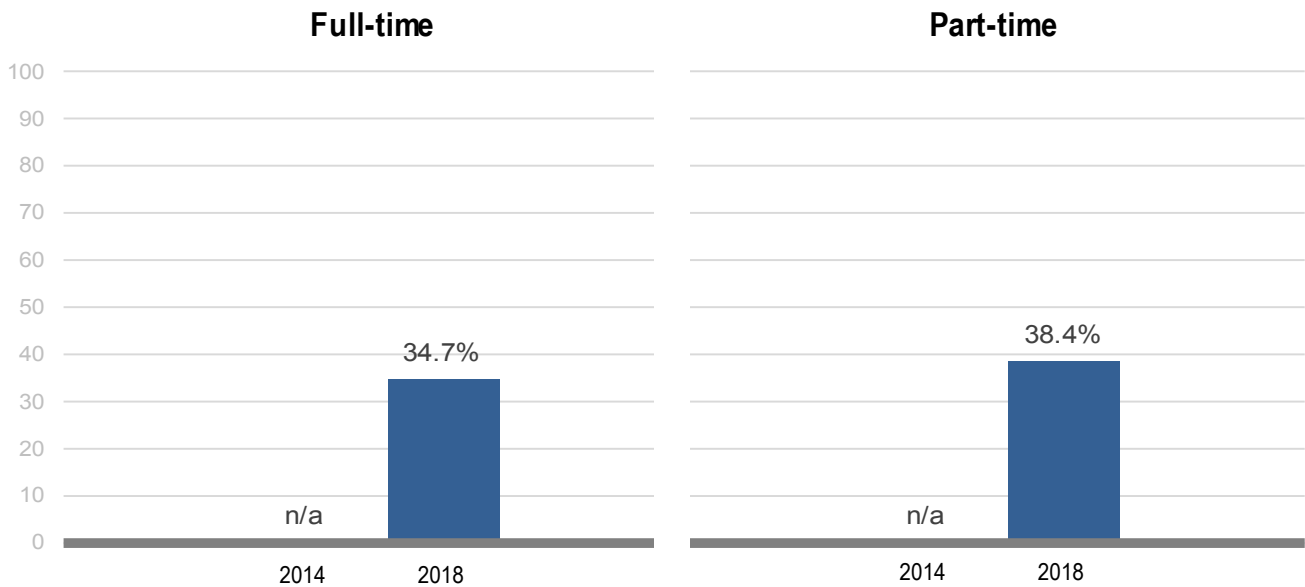


	2014			2018			Change
	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	
Associate	14,665	1,677	11.4%	13,933	5,056	36.3%	↑ 24.9
Certificate	2,933	622	21.2%	1,186	499	42.1%	↑ 20.9

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By Enrollment Status*



	2014			2018			Change
	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	
Full-time	0	0	n/a	7,005	2,431	34.7%	n/a
Part-time	0	0	n/a	9,151	3,518	38.4%	n/a
Unknown	0	0	n/a	0	0	n/a	

* Your students' data broken down by part-time and full-time students. To provide more accurate voting rates, students ineligible to vote because they were too young, students whose age data was not reported to the Clearinghouse, as well as records that were FERPA blocked are removed from this table. Please note that we are not able to adjust these voting rates by removing non-resident aliens, resident aliens or undocumented students.

YOUR STUDENTS' VOTING DATA | MIDTERM ELECTIONS

By Field of Study*

* Your students' data broken down by field of study. To provide more accurate voting rates, students ineligible to vote because they were too young, students whose age data was not reported to the Clearinghouse, as well as records that were FERPA blocked are removed from this table. Please note that we are not able to adjust these voting rates by removing non-resident aliens, resident aliens or undocumented students. The green and red highlighted values below represent your campus's top three and bottom three voting rates by field of study.

	2014			2018			Change
	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	
Agriculture and Agriculture Operations	0	0	n/a	*	*	n/a	n/a
Area, Ethnic, Cultural, Gender, and Group Studies	60	*	n/a	51	27	52.9%	n/a
Biological and Biomedical Sciences	1,291	115	8.9%	1,198	466	38.9% ↑	30.0
Business, Management, and Marketing	4,095	404	9.9%	3,151	1,025	32.5% ↑	22.7
Communication and Journalism	669	95	14.2%	469	213	45.4% ↑	31.2
Communications Technologies/Technicians	136	23	16.9%	185	78	42.2% ↑	25.3
Computer and Information Sciences	1,079	154	14.3%	1,837	584	31.8% ↑	17.5
Construction Trades	0	0	n/a	*	*	n/a	n/a
Education	69	*	n/a	35	17	48.6%	n/a
Engineering and Engineering Technologies	362	58	16.0%	341	162	47.5% ↑	31.5
English Language and Literature	410	47	11.5%	321	121	37.7% ↑	26.2
Family and Consumer/Human Sciences	766	83	10.8%	680	217	31.9% ↑	21.1
Foreign Languages, Literatures, and Linguistics	*	*	n/a	41	21	51.2%	n/a
Health Professions	2,212	239	10.8%	1,800	615	34.2% ↑	23.4
History	59	16	27.1%	112	48	42.9% ↑	15.7
Law Enforcement, Firefighting, and Protective Services	597	53	8.9%	386	124	32.1% ↑	23.2
Legal Professions and Studies	253	53	21.0%	123	57	46.3% ↑	25.4
Liberal Arts and Sciences, and Humanities	1,899	445	23.4%	1,161	520	44.8% ↑	21.4
Mathematics and Statistics	222	30	13.5%	186	70	37.6% ↑	24.1
Mechanic and Repair Technologies/Technicians	461	57	12.4%	330	92	27.9% ↑	15.5
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies	1,257	144	11.5%	723	239	33.1% ↑	21.6
Natural Resources and Conservation	87	24	27.6%	57	25	43.9% ↑	16.3
Parks, Recreation, Leisure, and Fitness Studies	509	37	7.3%	448	166	37.1% ↑	29.8

Physical Sciences	*	*	n/a	52	23	44.2%	n/a
Precision Production	116	23	19.8%	153	55	36.0% ↑	16.1
Psychology	25	*	n/a	107	46	43.0%	n/a
Public Administration and Social Service Professions	*	*	n/a	*	*	n/a	n/a
Social Sciences	1,332	189	14.2%	1,252	545	43.5% ↑	29.3
Visual and Performing Arts	1,102	154	14.0%	906	366	40.4% ↑	26.4
Unknown	162	68	42.0%	33	18	54.6% ↑	12.6

Thank you for the work you do to improve your students' political learning and engagement. We hope that you find your NSLVE report useful. For up-to-date news on NSLVE data, resources, and to sign up for our newsletter visit: <https://idhe.tufts.edu>.

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