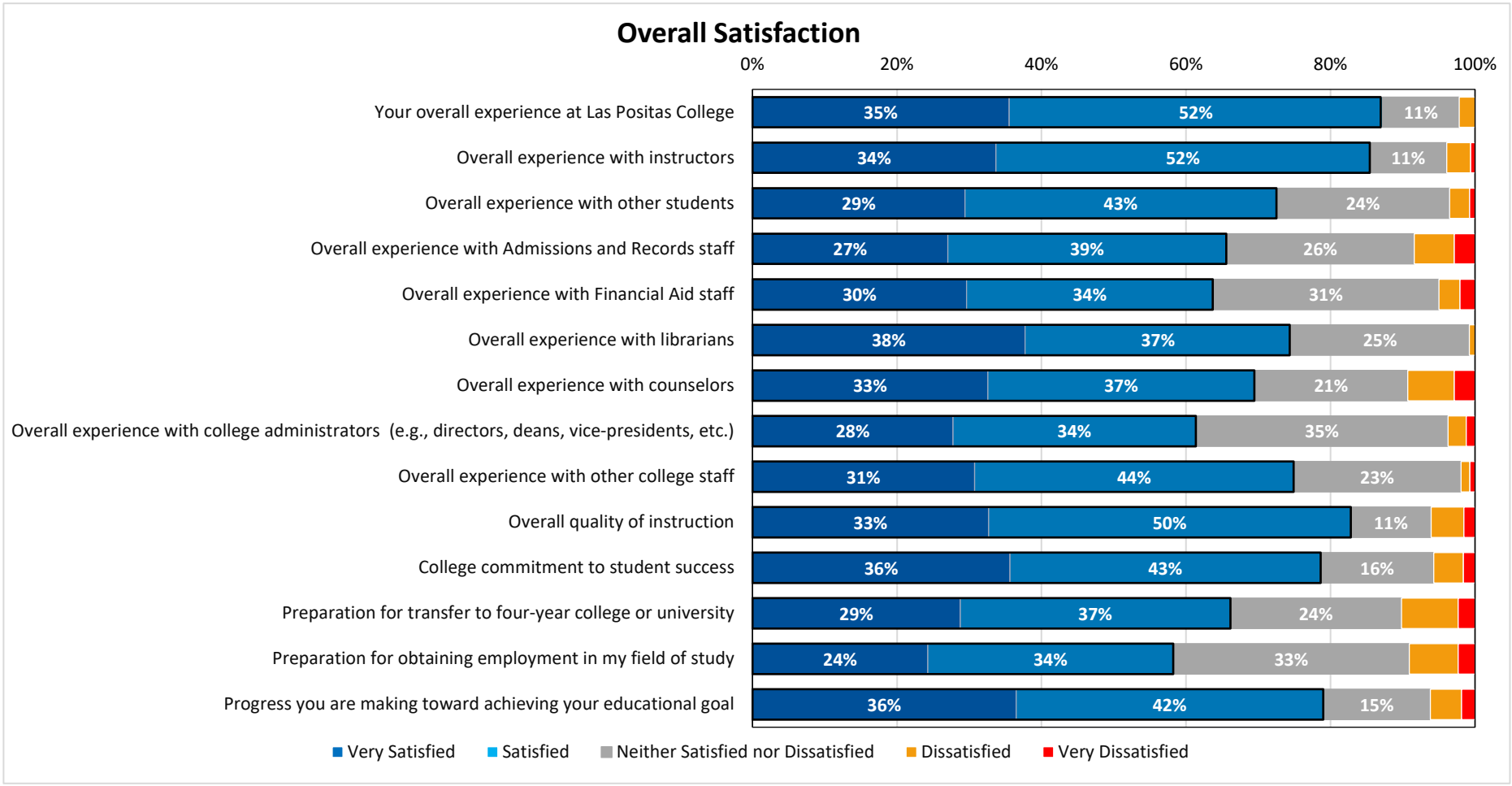
Las Positas College
Student Accreditation Survey Results
March 2021
Percentage Distribution of All Survey Items
Based on a sample of 1,697 students

General Impression of Las Positas College OVERALL SATISFACTION	SUMMARY		Percentage of those responding who were:					Response Details	
	"Very Satisfied" or "Satisfied"		Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	N	Pct. of 1,697
	Percent	*MOE*							
Your overall experience at Las Positas College	**87%**	±2%	35%	52%	11%	2%	<1%	1,694	100%
Overall experience with instructors	**85%**	±2%	34%	52%	11%	3%	1%	1,689	100%
Overall experience with other students	**73%**	±3%	29%	43%	24%	3%	1%	1,645	97%
Overall experience with Admissions and Records staff	**66%**	±3%	27%	39%	26%	6%	3%	1,572	93%
Overall experience with Financial Aid staff	**64%**	±3%	30%	34%	31%	3%	2%	1,262	74%
Overall experience with librarians	**74%**	±3%	38%	37%	25%	1%	<1%	1,278	75%
Overall experience with counselors	**69%**	±3%	33%	37%	21%	6%	3%	1,471	87%
Overall experience with college administrators (e.g., directors, deans, vice-	**61%**	±4%	28%	34%	35%	3%	1%	1,232	73%
Overall experience with other college staff	**75%**	±3%	31%	44%	23%	1%	1%	1,438	85%
Overall quality of instruction	**83%**	±2%	33%	50%	11%	5%	2%	1,692	100%
College commitment to student success	**79%**	±3%	36%	43%	16%	4%	2%	1,681	99%
Preparation for transfer to four-year college or university	**66%**	±3%	29%	37%	24%	8%	2%	1,492	88%
Preparation for obtaining employment in my field of study	**58%**	±3%	24%	34%	33%	7%	2%	1,463	86%
Progress you are making toward achieving your educational goal	**79%**	±3%	36%	42%	15%	4%	2%	1,666	98%
Learning Programs	**"Strongly Agree" or "Agree"**		Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N	Pct. of 1,697
The information I find on the College website and publications is clear and	**82%**	±2%	32%	50%	11%	6%	1%	1,600	94%
My instructors clearly distinguish between personal conviction and	**81%**	±3%	36%	45%	14%	3%	2%	1,576	93%
My instructors present data and information fairly and objectively.	**85%**	±2%	38%	47%	11%	3%	1%	1,601	94%
Course syllabi are provided and followed by instructors.	**94%**	±2%	52%	42%	4%	2%	1%	1,611	95%
Most instructors are willing to spend time outside of class to discuss issues	**89%**	±2%	46%	43%	7%	3%	1%	1,579	93%
My instructors are highly knowledgeable in the subjects they teach.	**93%**	±2%	54%	39%	6%	1%	1%	1,612	95%
My instructors come to class well prepared.	**89%**	±2%	48%	41%	8%	2%	1%	1,592	94%
	"Very Satisfied" or "Satisfied"		Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neither Satisfied nor	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	N	Pct. of 1,697
LPC offers courses in a way that allow me to complete my program of	**80%**	±3%	36%	44%	13%	5%	2%	1,578	93%
My instructors use a variety of teaching methods and approaches that help	**78%**	±3%	34%	44%	15%	5%	2%	1,595	93%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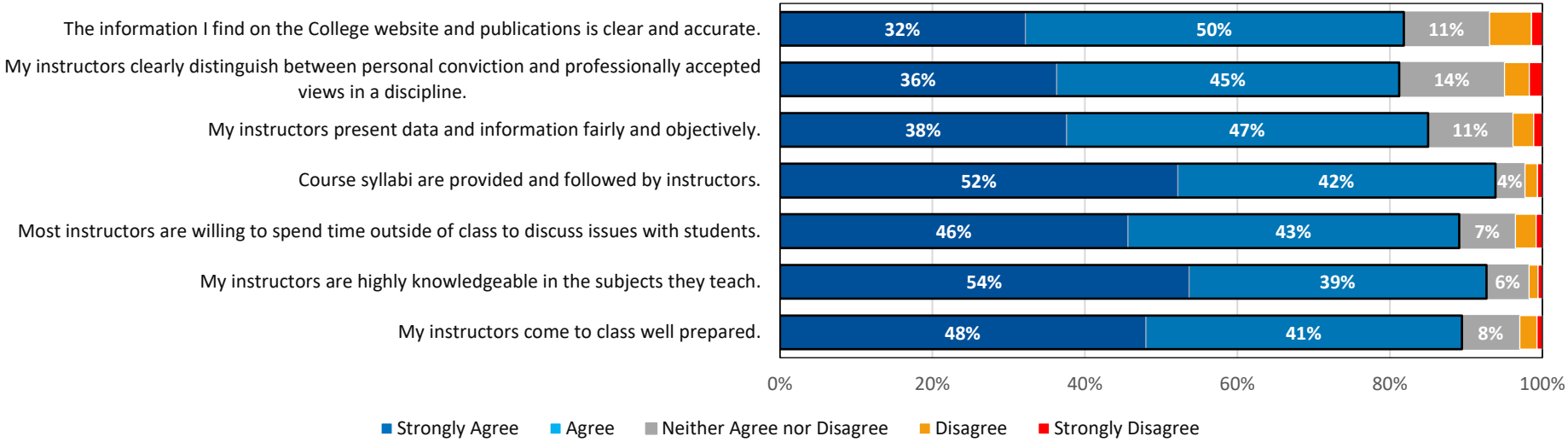
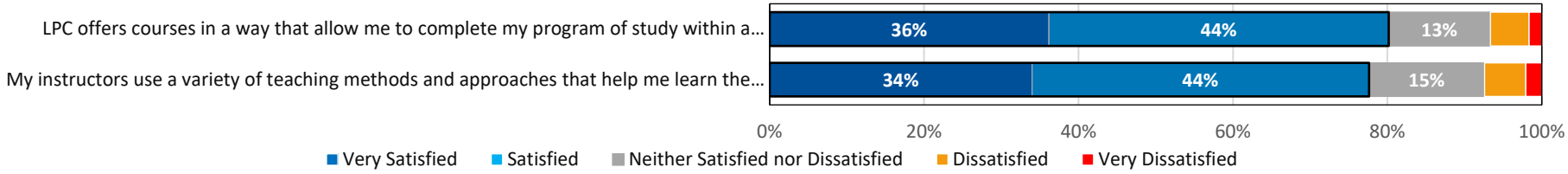
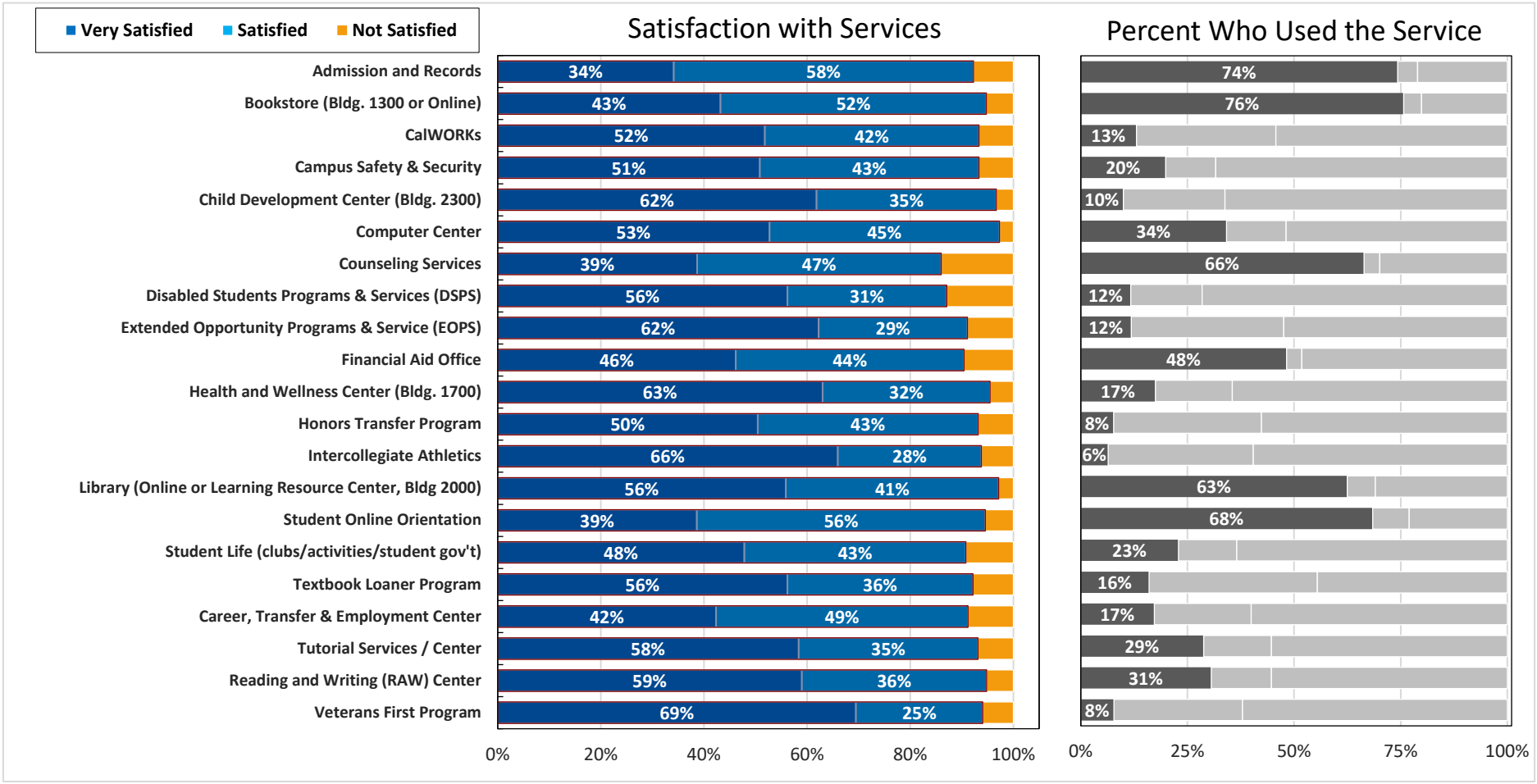
Learning Programs





Student Services and Learning Support Usage and Satisfaction with Services	SUMMARY			Percentage of those responding who:					Response Details	
	Used Service	"Satisfied" or "Very Satisfied"		Never Heard of Service	Heard of, but Never Used Service	USED Service and:				
		Percent	*MOE*			Not Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied	N	Pct. of 1,697
Admission and Records	**74%**	**92%**	*±2%*	5%	21%	8%	58%	34%	1,518	89%
Bookstore (Bldg. 1300 or Online)	**76%**	**95%**	*±1%*	4%	20%	5%	52%	43%	1,513	89%
CalWORKs	**13%**	**93%**	*±2%*	33%	54%	7%	42%	52%	1,490	88%
Campus Safety & Security	**20%**	**93%**	*±2%*	12%	68%	7%	43%	51%	1,512	89%
Child Development Center (Bldg. 2300)	**10%**	**97%**	*±1%*	24%	66%	3%	35%	62%	1,519	90%
Computer Center	**34%**	**97%**	*±1%*	14%	52%	3%	45%	53%	1,515	89%
Counseling Services	**66%**	**86%**	*±2%*	4%	30%	14%	47%	39%	1,507	89%
Disabled Students Programs & Services (DSPS)	**12%**	**87%**	*±2%*	17%	72%	13%	31%	56%	1,519	90%
Extended Opportunity Programs & Service (EOPS)	**12%**	**91%**	*±2%*	36%	52%	9%	29%	62%	1,521	90%
Financial Aid Office	**48%**	**90%**	*±2%*	4%	48%	10%	44%	46%	1,517	89%
Health and Wellness Center (Bldg. 1700)	**17%**	**95%**	*±1%*	18%	64%	5%	32%	63%	1,515	89%
Honors Transfer Program	**8%**	**93%**	*±2%*	35%	58%	7%	43%	50%	1,516	89%
Intercollegiate Athletics	**6%**	**94%**	*±2%*	34%	60%	6%	28%	66%	1,509	89%
Library (Online or Learning Resource Center, Bldg 2000)	**63%**	**97%**	*±1%*	7%	31%	3%	41%	56%	1,520	90%
Student Online Orientation	**68%**	**95%**	*±2%*	9%	23%	5%	56%	39%	1,509	89%
Student Life (clubs/activities/student gov't)	**23%**	**91%**	*±2%*	14%	63%	9%	43%	48%	1,514	89%
Textbook Loaner Program	**16%**	**92%**	*±2%*	39%	45%	8%	36%	56%	1,511	89%
Career, Transfer & Employment Center	**17%**	**91%**	*±2%*	23%	60%	9%	49%	42%	1,518	89%
Tutorial Services / Center	**29%**	**93%**	*±2%*	16%	55%	7%	35%	58%	1,518	89%
Reading and Writing (RAW) Center	**31%**	**95%**	*±1%*	14%	55%	5%	36%	59%	1,514	89%
Veterans First Program	**8%**	**94%**	*±2%*	30%	62%	6%	25%	69%	1,522	90%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Child Development Center (Bldg. 2300) 62% 35% 10%
Computer Center 53% 45% 34%
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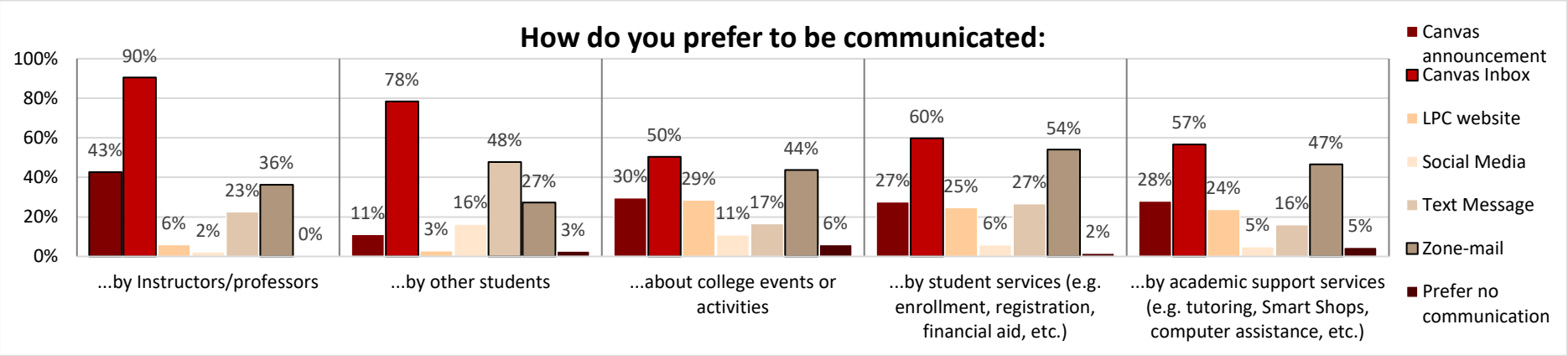
How do you prefer to be communicated:	Canvas announcement	Canvas Inbox	LPC website	Social Media	Text Message	Zonemail	Prefer no communication	Total
...by Instructors/professors	43%	90%	6%	2%	23%	36%	<1%	1,517
...by other students	11%	78%	3%	16%	48%	27%	3%	1,514
...about college events or activities	30%	50%	29%	11%	17%	44%	6%	1,473
...by student services (e.g. enrollment, registration, financial aid, etc.)	27%	60%	25%	6%	27%	54%	2%	1,513
...by academic support services (e.g. tutoring, Smart Shops, computer assistance, etc.)	28%	57%	24%	5%	16%	47%	5%	1,509



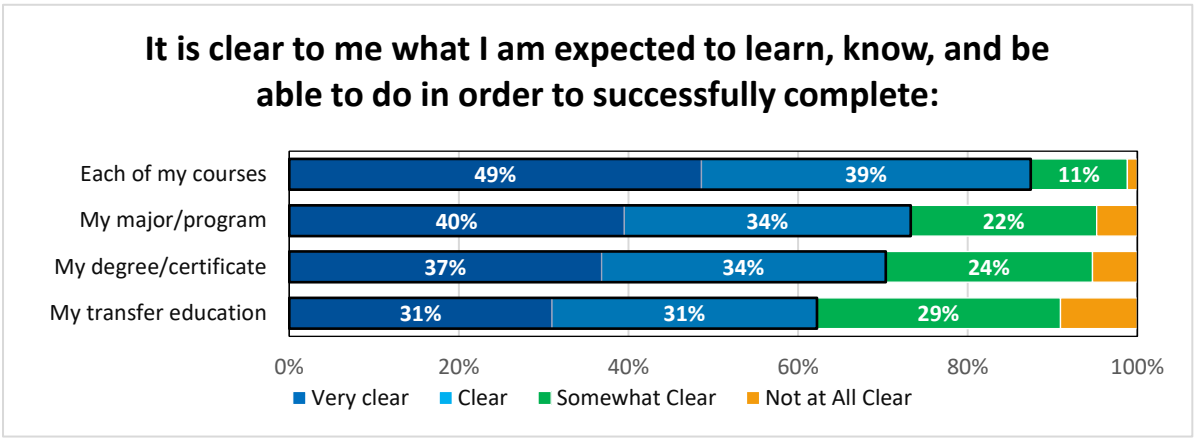
Comments: How do you prefer to be communicated… other (please specify):	
Personal email // Personal email account // Personal mail // Direct email to my own email address is prefered way ofcommunication for me. // EMAIL // Email through regular email (not zonemail) is okay too // home email // my personal email. // Student services can communicate directly to my regular email! // through my personal email because zonemail keeps logging me out and canvas doesnt tell me when i have new mail	17
Phone call and Zoom // Phone calls // For services I like phone calls // FaceTime	4
Related to zonemail:	3
I Don't know how to use zonemail	
NO ZONEMAIL	
Zonemail connected to my other Gmail emails is perfect.	
Other comments:	5
urgent announcements for a class should be delivered by canvas mail and an announcement on the class page	
A test message would be ideal for most college events, activities and even smart shops. Most students who have a fun, will receive the text, and be aware of what is going on.	
I don't receive any support services. I attempted but no one ever returned my calls	
I prefer not to use social media.	
I think it would be cool if LPC implemented professional communication tools such as Slack.	

Student Services and Learning Support Programs It is clear to me what I am expected to learn, know, and be able to do in order to successfully complete:	SUMMARY 'Very Clear' or 'Clear' Percent	MOE	Percentage of those responding who were: Very clear	Clear	Somewhat Clear	Not at all Clear	Response Details N	Pct. of 1,697
Each of my courses	**87%**	±2%	49%	39%	11%	1%	1,512	89%
My major/program	**73%**	±3%	40%	34%	22%	5%	1,415	83%
My degree/certificate	**70%**	±3%	37%	34%	24%	5%	1,399	82%
My transfer education	**62%**	±3%	31%	31%	29%	9%	1,355	80%

Counseling Services	'Strongly Agree' or 'Agree'		Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N	Pct. of 1,697
Counselors have helped me understand the requirements to complete my program of study.	**69%**	±3%	30%	39%	20%	7%	4%	1,335	79%
Counselors provide timely information about relevant academic requirements	**70%**	±3%	29%	41%	20%	6%	4%	1,323	78%
Counselors provide useful information about relevant academic requirements	**74%**	±3%	30%	43%	19%	5%	3%	1,323	78%
Counselors provide accurate information about relevant academic requirements	**70%**	±3%	30%	41%	22%	4%	3%	1,320	78%

Library and Learning Support Services	'Strongly Agree' or 'Agree'		Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N	Pct. of 1,697
The resources of the library are adequate for required course assignments	**78%**	±3%	34%	44%	20%	1%	1%	1,271	75%
Library 24/7 chat assistance "Ask LPC Library" is adequate to meet your needs.	**68%**	±4%	31%	37%	29%	2%	1%	1,089	64%
Assistance provided by Library Staff is adequate to meet your needs.	**75%**	±3%	34%	41%	23%	1%	<1%	1,157	68%
Reference/research assistance provided by Library is adequate to meet your needs.	**76%**	±3%	33%	43%	22%	2%	<1%	1,168	69%
Library Instruction (library orientations) provided is adequate to meet your needs.	**72%**	±3%	32%	40%	26%	1%	<1%	1,130	67%
Sufficient tutoring resources are available for students in a variety of subjects.	**75%**	±3%	31%	43%	22%	2%	1%	1,174	69%

Student Government	'Strongly Agree' or 'Agree'		Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N	Pct. of 1,697
It is important for students to be represented on college committees.	**85%**	±2%	45%	40%	12%	1%	2%	1,391	82%
The Student Government (LPCSG) is providing effective leadership and representation for all LPC students.	**52%**	±4%	19%	33%	43%	3%	3%	1,184	70%
Student Government (LPCSG) adequately represents student interests	**51%**	±4%	19%	32%	44%	3%	3%	1,179	69%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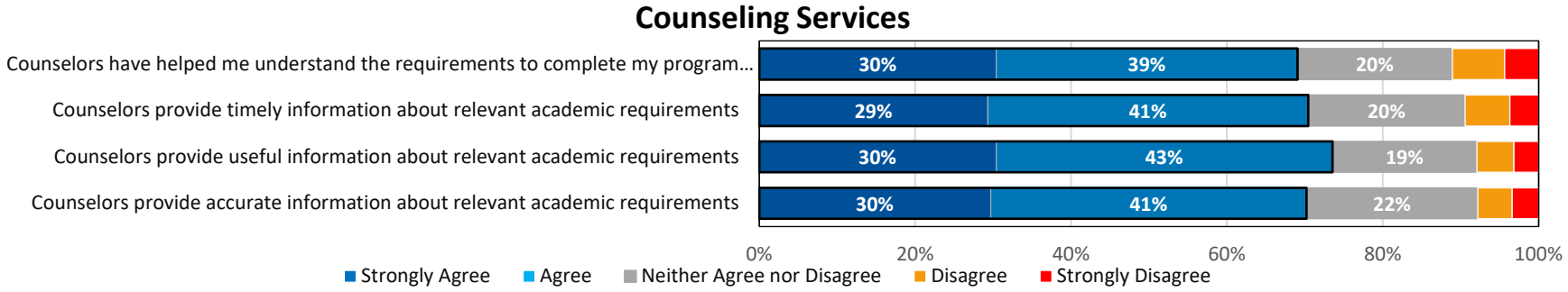
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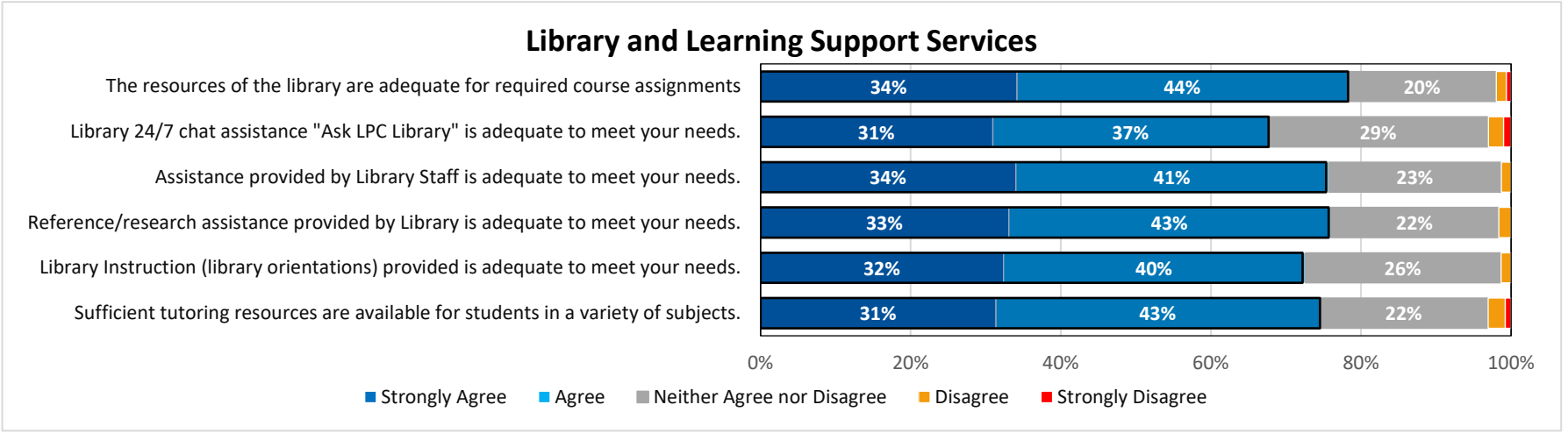
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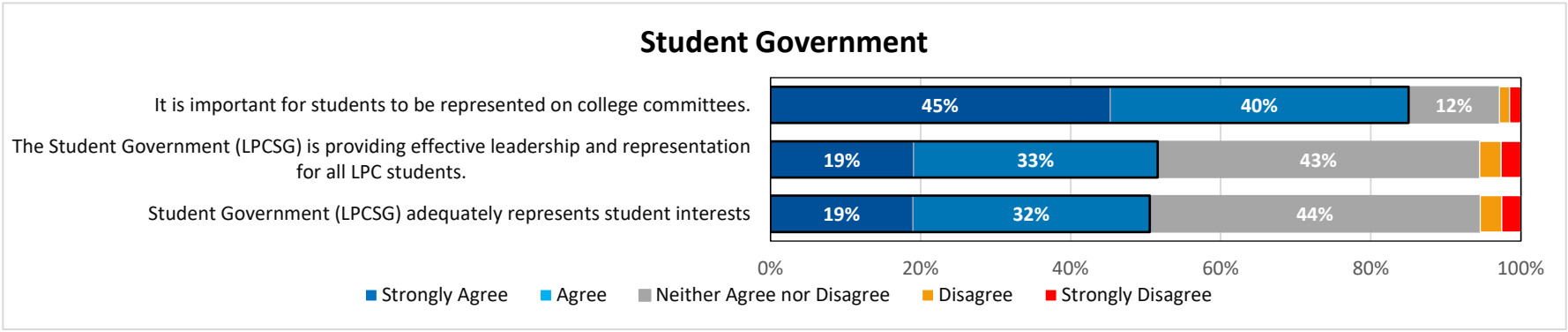
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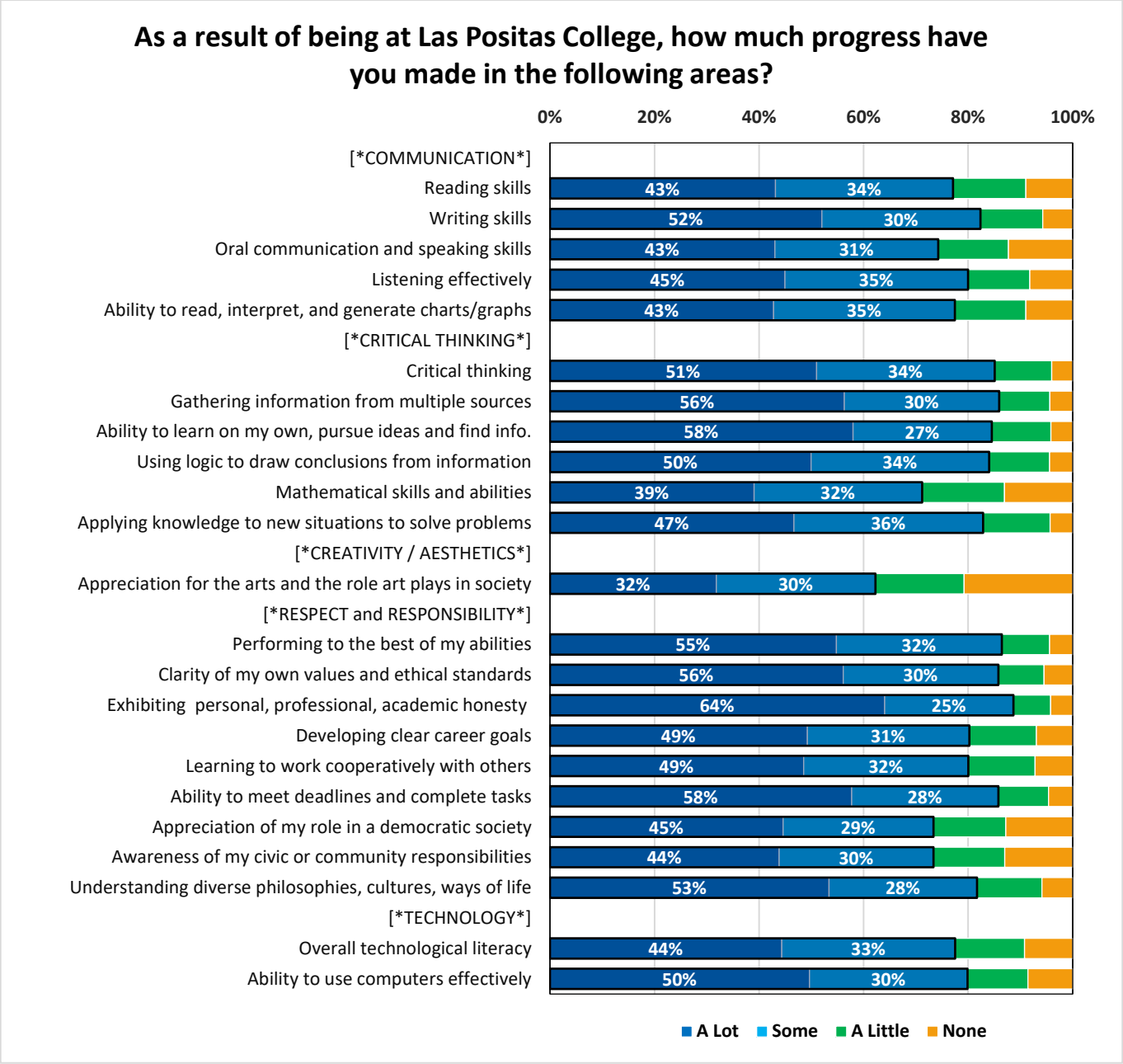
Student Learning Outcomes As a result of being at Las Positas College, how much progress have you made in the following areas?	SUMMARY "Some" or "A Lot"		Percentage of those responding who were:				Response Details	
	Percent	*MOE*	None	A Little	Some	A Lot	N	Pct. of 1,697
Communication								
Reading skills	**77%**	±3%	9%	14%	34%	43%	1,386	82%
Writing skills	**82%**	±3%	6%	12%	30%	52%	1,398	82%
Oral communication and speaking skills	**74%**	±3%	12%	13%	31%	43%	1,385	82%
Listening effectively	**80%**	±3%	8%	12%	35%	45%	1,399	82%
Ability to read, interpret, and generate charts/graphs	**77%**	±3%	9%	14%	35%	43%	1,381	81%
Critical Thinking								
Critical thinking	**85%**	±2%	4%	11%	34%	51%	1,414	83%
Gathering information from multiple sources	**86%**	±2%	4%	10%	30%	56%	1,422	84%
Ability to learn on my own, pursue ideas and find info.	**85%**	±2%	4%	11%	27%	58%	1,421	84%
Using logic to draw conclusions from information	**84%**	±3%	4%	12%	34%	50%	1,419	84%
Mathematical skills and abilities	**71%**	±3%	13%	16%	32%	39%	1,381	81%
Applying knowledge to new situations to solve problems	**83%**	±3%	4%	13%	36%	47%	1,405	83%
Creativity/Aesthetics								
Appreciation for the arts and the role art plays in society	**62%**	±3%	21%	17%	30%	32%	1,325	78%
Respect and Responsibility								
Performing to the best of my abilities	**86%**	±2%	4%	9%	32%	55%	1,425	84%
Clarity of my own values and ethical standards	**86%**	±2%	5%	9%	30%	56%	1,405	83%
Exhibiting personal, professional, academic honesty	**89%**	±2%	4%	7%	25%	64%	1,404	83%
Developing clear career goals	**80%**	±3%	7%	13%	31%	49%	1,412	83%
Learning to work cooperatively with others	**80%**	±3%	7%	13%	32%	49%	1,418	84%
Ability to meet deadlines and complete tasks	**86%**	±2%	5%	10%	28%	58%	1,435	85%
Appreciation of my role in a democratic society	**73%**	±3%	13%	14%	29%	45%	1,336	79%
Awareness of my civic or community responsibilities	**73%**	±3%	13%	14%	30%	44%	1,364	80%
Understanding diverse philosophies, cultures, ways of life	**82%**	±3%	6%	12%	28%	53%	1,388	82%
Technology								
Overall technological literacy	**78%**	±3%	9%	13%	33%	44%	1,344	79%
Ability to use computers effectively	**80%**	±3%	9%	12%	30%	50%	1,378	81%


As a result of being at Las Positas College, how much progress have you made in the following areas?
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[*COMMUNICATION*]
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[*CREATIVITY / AESTHETICS*]
Appreciation for the arts and the role art plays in society
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[*RESPECT and RESPONSIBILITY*]
Performing to the best of my abilities
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Clarity of my own values and ethical standards
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