

Profile

Total Respondents to 2022 and 2024 UCUES

102,318

Total reported as parenting students

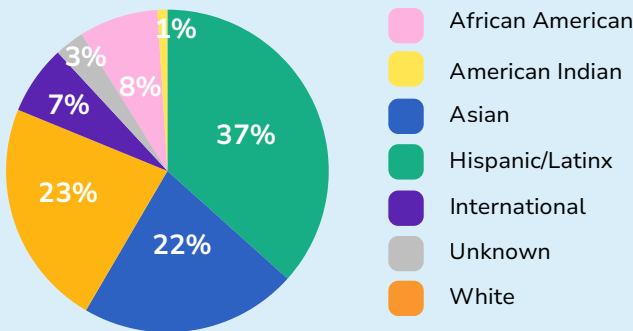
1,880

Parenting students representation

2 %



Race/Ethnicity



38% of non-parenting students are Asian, 27% are Hispanic/Latinx, 21% are White, 4% are African American, 1% are American Indian, 8% are international and 3% are unknown.



First Generation

First-gen students **63%**

39% of nonparenting students are first-generation.



Applicant status

Transfer students **73%**

21% of nonparenting students are transfer students.



Gender

♂ **38%**

♀ **60%**

62% of nonparenting students are females and 35% of nonparenting students identify as male.



Age

30+ **47%**

20 - 30 **42%**

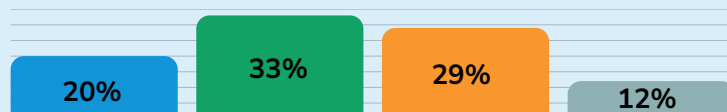
Under 20 **12%**

52% of nonparenting students are 20 - 22, 39% are under 20, 6% are 23-25, 1% are 26-30, and 1% are above 30.



Discipline

● Arts/Humanities ● Social Sci ● STEM ● Professional



46% of nonparenting students are enrolled in STEM, 21% are in social sciences, 15% are in arts and humanities, and 9% are in professional fields.



Residency

CA resident **88%**

84% of nonparenting students are California residents.

Basic needs and mental health

Total parenting students reported to be food insecure
1,155 (64%)

Total parenting students reported to be housing insecure
414 (25%)

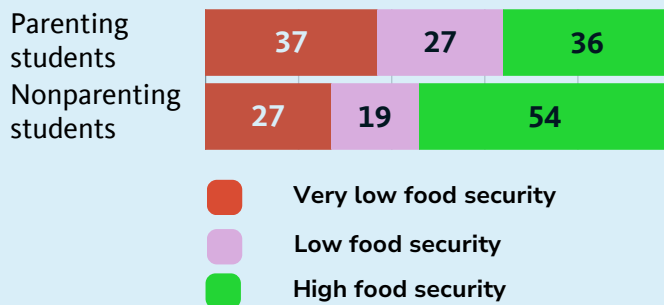
Total parenting students reported to have depression
591(70%)

Total parenting students reported to have anxiety
699(82%)



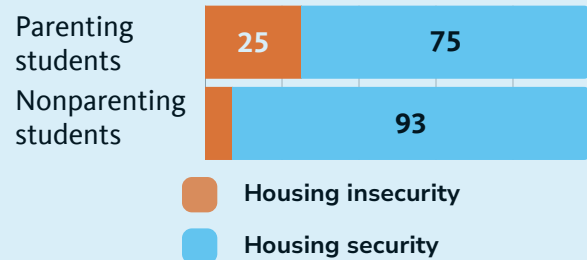
Food security

64% of parenting students reported having experienced low or very low food security, significantly higher than nonparenting students (46%).



Housing security

25% of parenting students reported being housing insecure within the 12 months before the surveys, compared with 7% of nonparenting students.



Depression

Parenting students share similar depression levels as nonparenting students.



Anxiety

Parenting students share similar anxiety levels as nonparenting students.



Basic needs and completion

Among 2021 transfer entrants who responded to the survey, the two-year completion rates of parenting students vary by food security status. The difference in completion rates by housing security status was relatively small.

	Parenting students	Nonparenting students
Food insecure	101 44%	2,028 59%
Food secure	93 59%	2,140 68%
Housing insecure	29 49%	353 55%
Housing secure	150 50%	3,432 65%

Graduate Parenting Student

2021 &
2023
UCGSES

Profile

Total respondents to 2021
and 2023 UCGSES

26,331

Total reported as parenting
students

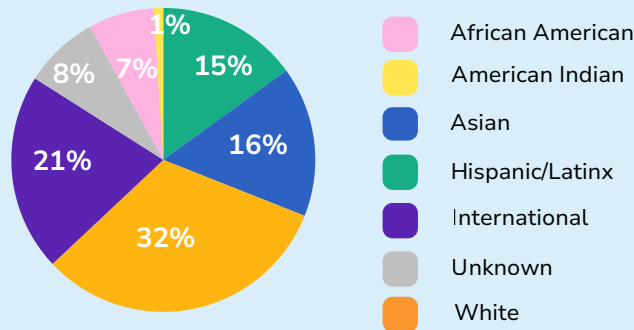
2,837

Parenting students
representation

11 %



Race/Ethnicity



32% of nonparenting students are White, 29% are international, 18% are Asian, 11% are Hispanic/Latinx, 4% are African American, and 1% are American Indian.



Gender

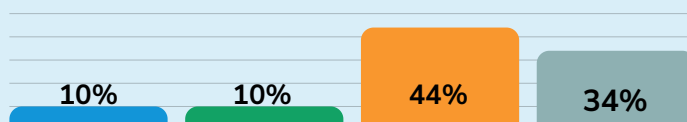


55% of nonparenting students are female and 43% identify as male.



Discipline

● Arts/Humanities ● Social Sci ● STEM
● Professional



59% of nonparenting students are in STEM, 20% are in professional fields, 10% are in social sciences, and 8% are in arts and humanities.



Student level

Doctorate students 52%

62% of nonparenting students are doctorates.



Age

30 + 83%

25 - 29 13%

Under 25 2%

49% of nonparenting students are 25 - 29, 24% are below 25, 9% are 30 - 34, 5% are 35 - 39, and 4% are 40 and above.



Residency

CA resident 53%

55% of nonparenting students are California residents.

Basic needs, mental health, and success

Total parenting students reported to be food insecure
648 (24%)

Total parenting students reported to be housing insecure
110 (4%)

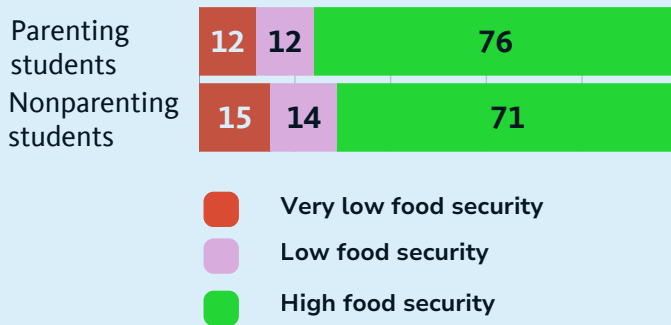
Total parenting students reported to have depression
224 (15%)

Total parenting students reported to have anxiety
336 (23%)



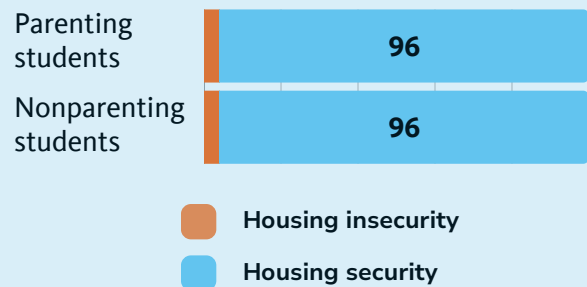
Food security

Close to 24% of parenting students reported having experienced food insecurity, significantly higher than nonparenting students (29%).



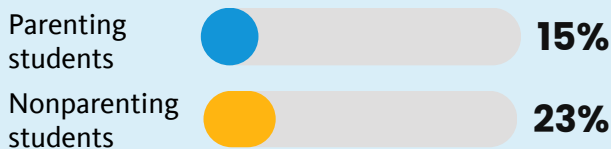
Housing security

4% of parenting students reported being housing insecure within the 12 months before the surveys, same as nonparenting students.



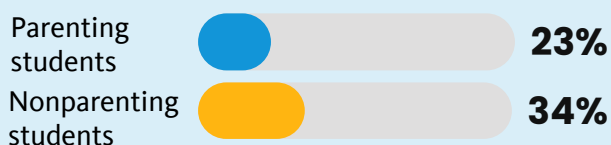
Depression

Parenting students reported lower depression levels than nonparenting students.



Anxiety

Parenting students reported lower anxiety levels than nonparenting students.



Financial hardship and success

23% of parenting students indicated that their financial hardship has impeded their success in their program, at a slightly higher rate than nonparenting students at 22%.

