

## Seniors

				Frequency Distributions <sup>a</sup>				Statistical Comparisons <sup>b</sup>		
				Univ of Houston		Academic Advising		Univ of Houston	Academic Advising	Effect size <sup>d</sup>
Item wording or description	Variable name	Values <sup>c</sup>	Response options	Count	%	Count	%	Mean	Mean	
<b>1. During the current school year, about how many times have you and an academic advisor discussed your academic interests, course selections, or academic performance?</b>										
	ADV01	0 0		42	9	9,216	14	<b>2.3</b>	2.3	-.01
		1 1		124	27	16,876	24			
		2 2		149	30	17,962	26			
		3 3		77	16	10,742	15			
		4 4		38	7	5,903	8			
		5 5		11	2	2,414	3			
		6 6 or more		43	9	7,686	10			
		Total		484	100	70,799	100			
<b>2. During the current school year, to what extent have your academic advisors done the following?</b>										
a. Been available when needed	ADV02a	1 Very little		88	19	6,679	10	<b>2.7</b>	3.0 ***	-.31
		2 Some		106	22	12,870	18			
		3 Quite a bit		134	27	20,852	29			
		4 Very much		135	27	25,833	36			
		— Not applicable		22	5	4,632	7			
		Total		485	100	70,866	100			
b. Listened closely to your concerns and questions	ADV02b	1 Very little		52	11	6,991	10	<b>2.9</b>	3.0 **	-.12
		2 Some		110	23	12,327	18			
		3 Quite a bit		137	28	19,396	27			
		4 Very much		157	32	26,057	36			
		— Not applicable		27	6	5,914	9			
		Total		483	100	70,685	100			
c. Informed you of important deadlines	ADV02c	1 Very little		72	15	12,089	17	<b>2.8</b>	2.7	.07
		2 Some		91	19	13,572	19			
		3 Quite a bit		120	25	17,519	25			
		4 Very much		170	34	21,343	30			
		— Not applicable		31	7	6,123	9			
		Total		484	100	70,646	100			
d. Helped you understand academic rules and policies	ADV02d	1 Very little		91	19	12,217	17	<b>2.7</b>	2.7	.01
		2 Some		96	20	14,424	20			
		3 Quite a bit		115	23	16,040	23			
		4 Very much		138	28	18,246	26			
		— Not applicable		44	9	9,569	14			
		Total		484	100	70,496	100			
e. Informed you of academic support options (tutoring, study groups, help with writing, etc.)	ADV02e	1 Very little		132	28	16,925	24	<b>2.3</b>	2.4 *	-.11
		2 Some		104	22	14,011	20			
		3 Quite a bit		80	16	12,440	18			
		4 Very much		86	17	14,282	20			
		— Not applicable		81	17	13,029	18			
		Total		483	100	70,687	100			
f. Provided useful information about courses	ADV02f	1 Very little		101	22	11,832	17	<b>2.6</b>	2.7 **	-.13
		2 Some		104	22	13,943	20			
		3 Quite a bit		105	21	17,590	24			
		4 Very much		135	27	20,815	29			
		— Not applicable		37	8	6,447	9			
		Total		482	100	70,627	100			
g. Helped you when you had	ADV02g	1 Very little		111	24	12,825	19			

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academic difficulties		2	Some	73	16	11,097	16	2.4	2.6 ***	-.19
		3	Quite a bit	70	14	12,276	17			
		4	Very much	91	18	16,828	23			
		—	Not applicable	136	28	17,509	25			
			Total	481	100	70,535	100			
h. Helped you get information on special opportunities (study abroad, internship, research projects, etc.)	ADV02h	1	Very little	140	30	16,235	23	2.2	2.5 ***	-.18
		2	Some	78	17	11,400	16			
		3	Quite a bit	63	13	11,415	16			
		4	Very much	88	18	15,230	21			
		—	Not applicable	111	24	16,171	24			
			Total	480	100	70,451	100			
i. Discussed your career interests and post-graduation plans	ADV02i	1	Very little	166	35	17,292	25	2.2	2.5 ***	-.24
		2	Some	91	19	13,411	19			
		3	Quite a bit	75	15	12,372	17			
		4	Very much	90	18	17,961	24			
		—	Not applicable	60	13	9,378	14			
			Total	482	100	70,414	100			
3. During the current school year, which of the following has been your primary source of advice regarding your academic plans? (Select one)										
	ADV03	—	Academic advisor(s) assigned to you	149	31	23,230	32			
		—	Academic advisor(s) available to any student	54	11	6,376	10			
		—	Faculty or staff not formally assigned as an advisor	56	11	13,511	19			
		—	Online advising system (degree progress report, etc.)	32	7	3,763	6			
		—	Web site, catalog, or other published sources	35	7	3,859	6			
		—	Friends or other students	79	17	7,130	10			
		—	Family members	29	6	5,892	8			
		—	Other, please specify:	24	5	2,546	4			
		—	I did not seek academic advice this year	25	6	4,520	7			
			Total	483	100	70,827	100			

\*p<.05, \*\*p<.01, \*\*\*p<.001 (2-tailed)