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Level of Academic Challenge

First-Year Students

Benchmark Scores

National
Doc/Res-Ext
Doc/Res Int
Master's
Bac-Lib Arts
Bac-Gen

Seniors

Level of Academic Challenge
(First-Year Students)

Murray State 51.1
Kentucky 50.1
Master's 52.7
National 53.9

Level of Academic Challenge
(Seniors)

Murray State 55.5
Kentucky 54.1
Master's 56.4
National 57.3
Active and Collaborative Learning

First-Year Students

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Student Interactions with Faculty Members

First-Year Students

- Benchmark Scores:
  - National: 36
  - Doc/Res-Ext: 34
  - Doc/Res Int: 35
  - Master's: 35
  - Bac-Lib Arts: 34
  - Bac-Gen: 39

Seniors

- Benchmark Scores:
  - National: 45
  - Doc/Res-Ext: 42
  - Doc/Res Int: 43
  - Master's: 41
  - Bac-Lib Arts: 42
  - Bac-Gen: 51

Benchmark Scores

- Murray State: 38.7
- Kentucky: 35.6
- Master's: 35.7
- National: 37.2

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Enriching Educational Experiences

First-Year Students Seniors

Benchmark Scores

Murray State Kentucky Master's National

45.0 54.8 57.7 49.1

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