

Table 6: Personal and Family Characteristics of New Entering Students
Fall 2017 to Fall 2021

<i>College of Saint Benedict</i>	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Religious Affiliation					
Roman Catholic	50.1%	56.4%	46.3%	52.5%	45.4%
Lutheran	9.8%	14.6%	11.4%	17.6%	12.8%
Other, Christian	22.0%	14.6%	22.4%	16.0%	22.0%
Other Religion	1.7%	2.6%	1.6%	3.3%	1.7%
None	16.4%	11.8%	18.3%	10.2%	18.0%
Alumnae/Alumni Connections					
CSB Mother	5.4%	4.8%	5.9%	5.3%	6.7%
SJU Father	3.9%	4.3%	3.4%	4.8%	2.8%
Both Parents	2.3%	4.6%	5.3%	5.0%	6.0%
CSB/SJU Parents & Sibling	5.8%	4.8%	5.9%	5.3%	5.9%
CSB/SJU Sibling Only	11.6%	10.1%	13.3%	10.0%	10.5%
CSB/SJU Relative	4.6%	8.3%	6.8%	6.3%	6.4%
No Connection	65.3%	63.1%	59.4%	63.5%	62.2%
Father's Education					
Graduate Degree	22.4%	17.9%	16.3%	18.0%	18.0%
Some Graduate School	2.0%	2.4%	1.7%	4.1%	1.7%
Bachelor's Degree	31.2%	36.0%	26.8%	26.6%	31.3%
Some College	14.8%	13.8%	10.4%	12.7%	17.7%
Post-Secondary other than four-year col	10.2%	8.8%	11.3%	12.3%	9.9%
High School Graduate	14.4%	13.4%	13.5%	18.0%	13.9%
Less Than High School Graduate	5.0%	7.6%	5.4%	6.1%	6.7%
Mother's Education					
Graduate Degree	18.7%	19.1%	18.6%	20.9%	21.4%
Some Graduate School	3.4%	2.8%	2.8%	4.5%	3.5%
Bachelor's Degree	41.2%	40.0%	33.2%	37.7%	40.3%
Some College	14.8%	12.0%	11.3%	12.7%	11.6%
Post-Secondary other than four-year col	7.9%	11.1%	4.2%	7.0%	9.6%
High School Graduate	8.2%	9.6%	5.6%	9.4%	8.4%
Less Than High School Graduate	5.8%	5.4%	4.5%	7.8%	5.2%
Race/Ethnicity					
White	80.9%	78.5%	77.2%	81.0%	79.8%
Black	2.7%	1.8%	4.3%	4.3%	3.0%
Asian	4.8%	3.7%	4.6%	3.0%	3.5%
Hispanic	7.9%	10.8%	10.0%	8.8%	10.2%
American Indian	0.6%	0.2%	0.9%	0.8%	0.4%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%	0.2%
Other (Non-resident Alien)	3.1%	3.7%	3.0%	1.8%	2.8%
Multiple Races	—	1.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

Source: CSB/SJU Registrar's Office, New Entering Student Survey

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Black	5.8%	3.5%	3.9%	4.4%	4.4%
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Hispanic	8.0%	9.5%	8.2%	9.4%	8.2%
American Indian	0.9%	0.5%	1.4%	0.5%	1.0%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0.2%	0.3%	0.2%	0.7%	0.1%
Other (Non-resident Alien)	5.2%	5.0%	3.9%	2.2%	4.6%
Multiple Races	—	2.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%