

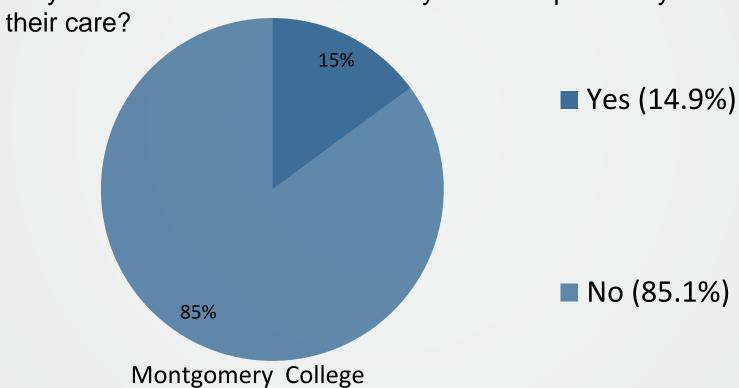
MC Student Parent Update

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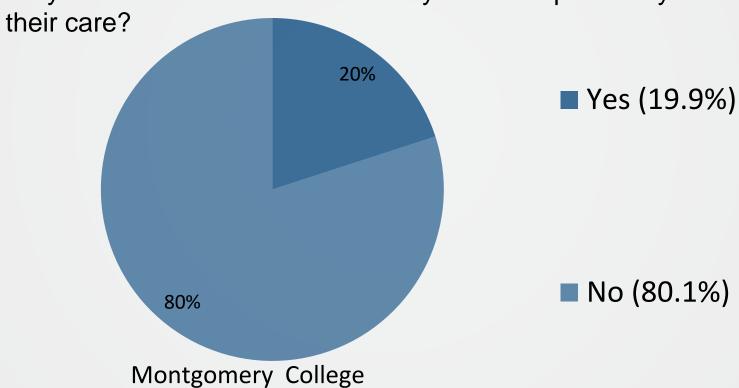


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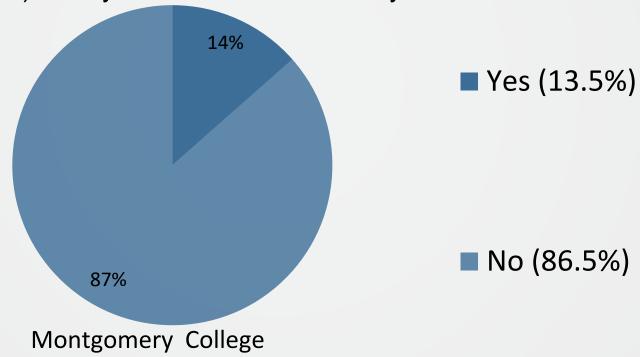


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#REALCOLLEGE Survey

• Are you a parent, primary caregiver, or guardian (legal or informal) of any children in or outside your household?





How many Student Parents do we have?

The credit student surveys look to be 15% - 20% of our student population.

• With 17,300 credit students, that would equate to **2,600** to **3,500** students.

The whole college surveys look to be about 15% of our student population.

• With 42,900 students, that would be about **6,400** students



Questionnaire Launch

- All credit students
- Targeted WDCE programs
 - AELG, GED, Citizenship, Health Sciences, APPE,
 Bridges to Success, Early Childhood, Refugee Training
- Simple 5 question questionnaire
- Over 200 responses in Fall with an additional 200 in Spring



Parenting Students Information Form

Montgomery College desires to help parenting students in changing their lives. In doing so, we would like to connect parenting students with college and community resources that may be of interest as they continue their education at MC. If you are a parenting student (whether or not your child lives with you), please take a few minutes to fill out this questionnaire.

1. Are you the parent (or expectant parent) of a child 0-18? *
Yes
Yes, and I am expecting.
O No, but I am expecting.
○ No



2. Please indicate age(s) of child(ren). *							
	0-5 years	6-10 years	11-15 years	16 - 18 years	NA		
Age of child #1	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
Age of child #2	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
Age of child #3	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
Age of child #4	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
Age of child #5	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
Age of child #6	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
Age of child #7	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		



3. What is your marital status? *
Single (never married)
Married, or in a domestic partnership
○ Widowed
○ Divorced
○ Separated
O Prefer not to say
4. Please give your full name. *
Enter your answer
5. What is your MC student ID# (M#)? *
Enter your answer



Responses

394 Respondents identified as a parent or expecting first child

- 98% (N=385) have one or more child
- 2% (N=9) are expecting first child
- There were 13 parents who are expecting an additional child



Responses

Of the respondents with children (N=385)

- 42% (N=160) have exactly one child
- 34% (N=131) have two children
- 16% (N=63) have three children
- 4% (N=16) have four children
- 3% (N=12) have five or more children

Responses

394 Respondents identified as a parent or expecting first child

- 48% (N=188) are married or in a domestic partnership
- 40% (N=157) are not married or single
- 6% (N=25) are divorced, widowed or separated
- 6% (N=24) preferred not to say



Gender Data

394 Respondents identified as a parent or expecting first child

82% (N=323) are female
 44% (N=142) are married or in a domestic partnership

13% (N=53) are male
 66% (N=35) are married or in a domestic partnership

Of the 18 students for whom we could not identify as male or female, 11 (61%) were married of in a domestic partnership.



Race/ethnicity

We have race/ethnicity and gender data for 370 of the respondents who identified as a parent or expecting first child

Of the 317 females

49% (N=154) are Black/African American

29% (N=93) are Hispanic

• Of the 53 males

45% (N=24) are Black/African American

17% (N=9) are Hispanic



Age Data

We have age and gender data for 376 of the respondents who identified as a parent or expecting first child

Of the 323 females

30% (N=98) are in their 20s

43% (N=138) are in their 30s

23% (N=74) are in their 40s



Age Data

We have age and gender data for 376 of the respondents who identified as a parent or expecting first child

Of the 53 males

19% (N=10) are in their teens or 20s

47% (N=25) are in their 30s

25% (N=13) are in their 40s



Retention

Of the 302 respondents who were registered for credit classes in the Fall 21 semester

- 265 (87%) of them registered for Spring 22 classes
- There were 41 students part of the First Time Ever In College F21 Cohort. They had a retention rate of 93% compared to the overall cohort rate of 78%

The females from this cohort had a 91% retention rate (30 out of 33 students).



Residency

265 Respondents identified as a parent or expecting first child and were enrolled as credit students

	Number of
Residency	Parents
In county	225
In state (but out of county)	27
Out of state	13



Major

265 Respondents identified as a parent or expecting first child and were enrolled as credit students

Major	Number of Parents
Gen Ed/Pre Clinical Nursing	39
General Studies - STEM	33
Nursing	23
General Studies - SSAH	21
Business	16
Cybersecurity AAS	14
Computer Science	12



Credit Accumulation

265 Respondents identified as a parent or expecting first child and were enrolled as credit students

	Number of
Estimated Credits at end of Term	Parents
10 or less	24
11-20	50
21-30	42
31-40	34
41-50	37
Over 50	78

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